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For	Against
1. It is a waste of money. The cost of the program is estimated to be \$1.5 billion over the next 10 years. This is a huge sum of money that could be used for other purposes. 2. It is not a priority. There are many other pressing issues that need to be addressed, such as healthcare and education. The program is not a top priority for the government. 3. It is not effective. There is no evidence that the program has been successful in reducing crime rates or improving public safety. 4. It is not a long-term solution. The program is only a temporary fix and does not address the root causes of the problem. 5. It is not a fair use of resources. The program is only for a specific group of people and does not benefit the entire community.	1. It is a necessary investment. The program is a necessary investment in the future of the community and will help to reduce crime rates and improve public safety. 2. It is a priority. The program is a top priority for the government and is necessary to address the current crisis. 3. It is effective. There is evidence that the program has been successful in reducing crime rates and improving public safety. 4. It is a long-term solution. The program is a long-term solution that addresses the root causes of the problem. 5. It is a fair use of resources. The program is a fair use of resources and benefits the entire community.

Aug.	25—Bramley								A
Sept.	1—Bradford								H
"	8—St. Helens								H
"	11—Bramley (Tues.)								H
"	15—Keighley								A
"	22—Lancs. Cup								H
"	29—do.								A
Oct.	6—Salford								H
"	13—No Match								
"	20—Widnes								A
"	27—Warrington								H
Nov.	3—Rochdale								H
"	10—Hull								A
"	17—Warrington								H
"	24—Hull K.R.								H
Dec.	1—Workington								H
"	8—Halifax								A
"	15—Huddersfield								H
"	22—Rochdale								A
"	25—Swinton								H
"	26—Broughton								A
"	29—Barrow								H
	1946								
Jan.	1—Wigan								A
"	5—Barrow								A
"	12—Liverpool								H
"	19—Salford								A
"	26—Huddersfield								A
Feb.	2—Wigan								H
"	9—								
"	16—								
"	23—Workington								A
Mar.	2—Broughton								H
"	9—Hull								H
"	16—Hull K.R.								A
"	23—Bradford								A
"	30—Widnes								H
Apr.	6—No Match								
"	13—St. Helens								A
"	19—Swinton (G.F.)								A
"	20—Halifax								H
"	22—Keighley (E.M.)								H
"	27—Liverpool								A

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SALFORD

Saturday, February 16th, 1946

Kick-off 3-30 p.m.

Official Programme - 2d.

WATERSHEDDINGS NEWS AND VIEWS.

To-day, we again welcome the Salford team to Watersheddings in the second leg of the first round of the Rugby League Challenge Cup.

Last Saturday, at Salford we finished five points behind after a gruelling game and we hope to rub these off to-day and finish on the right side for round number two which takes place on March 9th.

The Challenge cup tie matches after the first round are decided on one match only right through to the final. The third round takes place on March 23rd, the semi-finals on April 6th and the final at Wembley Stadium on May 4th, 1946.

We expect two of our players, Dai Rees and C. Sutcliffe, to return to "civvy" street during the next fourteen days and we hope that by the commencement of next season to have all our players resident in or about the town, then we can get down to a system of training and coaching for the benefit of the players and the game.

For players to talk about the game is a good thing before the match, but to train together and work out tactics is better still. The value of coaching must not be overlooked and the most valuable asset of any player to-day is speed. In football to-day we do not find any team amongst the leaders if the backs are not speedy. Cleverness is a very good thing, but a combination of the two is what any club with high aspirations must keep steadily in view. Tactics are important and I have often heard it stated that Internationals cannot be coached—they know everything—that is where we are mistaken: only a fool thinks he knows everything that is to be known about football.

On Saturday next our team makes the long journey to Workington and are to travel by road, leaving Oldham at 8 a.m., travelling by the shores of Lake Windermere, Grassmere, Thirlmere on to Keswick for lunch, then to Workington for the match. Returning from Workington at 5-30 p.m., we hope to arrive back home about 11 p.m.

RUGBY LEAGUE DAY IN LONDON is the Challenge Cup final at Wembley Stadium, Saturday, 4th May, 1946, and the kick-off is 3-30 p.m. Seats 21/-, 10/6, 7/6, and 4/6; Standing 2/6; Schoolboys 9d. Application for tickets must be made to the Box Office, The Empire Stadium, Wembley, enclosing stamped addressed envelope.

COMING ATTRACTIONS AT WATERSHEDDINGS

February 23rd—OLDHAM "A" v. ROCHDALE HORNETS "A"

March 2nd—**OLDHAM v. BROUGHTON RANGERS**

TO-DAY'S TEAMS

OLDHAM (WHITE JERSEYS)

1. GRIFFITHS, W.
2. INGLESFIELD, S.
3. LARGE, E.
4. HARRIS, N.
5. HAGUE, I.
6. LEES, F.
7. SMITH, A. R.
8. OGDEN, H.
9. FLANAGAN, W.
10. ROSTRON, T.
11. PHILLIPS, D. V.
12. SHAW, J. D.
13. PUGH, N.

Reserves:

KING, J.
WOOD, W.
MOORE, W. J.

SALFORD (RED JERSEYS)

1. JONES, H.
2. SNIPE
3. TODD
4. RISMAN
5. DAGNAN
6. JONES, R.
7. HARRISON
8. BROWN
9. DAY
10. GARDNER
11. HARTLEY
12. DAVIES
13. MOSES
- CURRAN

Referee:

Mr. A. S. DOBSON, Featherstone.