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NOTES

The Draw for the first round of the
League Cup took place on Thursday and
resulted as follows:—

BARROW v. HULL
HUNSLET v. ST. MARIES (Widnes)
or WORSLEY BOYS CLUB
ST. HELENS v. HALIFAX
LEEDS v. LEIGH
BRAMLEY v. FEATHERSTONE
SALFORD v. CARDIFF
SWINTON v. LIVERPOOL
YORK v. WIGAN
OLDHAM v. BRADFORD

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v. WAKEFIELD TRINITY
HUDDERSFIELD v. DEWSBURY
WORKINGTON v. KEIGHLEY
BATLEY v. CASTLEFORD
HULL K.R. v. WARRINGTON
BELLE VUE v. WHITEHAVEN
ROCHDALE v. WIDNES

The first round of the Cup is on the two
leg system of home and away matches, and
the games will be played on February 4th
and 11th.

The second round is to be played Febru-
ary 25th, the third round on March 1th,
semi-final on April 1st, and the Final at
Wembley on May 6th.

Although York are an improved team
compared with the commencement of the
season, it will be a very big surprise if we
do not go forward into the second round.
York, it will be remembered, beat High
a few weeks ago.

The draw has resulted in some good
pairings with prospects of close games.
Barrow and Hull are evenly matched and
so are St. Helens and Halifax.

The outcome of the tie between Leeds
and Leigh will be closely watched by our
supporters, whilst Bradford Northern the
cupholders, will not have matters all their
own way against Oldham. The clash
between Huddersfield and Dewsbury will
attract terrific interest in those towns. If
the tie had been the straight knock-out in
one match, Warrington would have been

regarded as having a stiff obstacle, but they
should be fairly safe with two matches for
Hull K.R. are not the team they were a
few years ago.

The Kick-off time reverts to 2-30 p.m.
as from next Saturday, and it remains at
2-30 p.m. until January 22nd.

The Worsley Boys Club team were due
to have played their cup-tie with St.
Maries (Widnes) this morning. We will
give the result over the Loud Speaker
system at the time the team changes are
announced. The winners play Hunslet in
the first round (proper) of the Cup.

Next Saturday, for the League match at
Wakefield, we shall be without the services
of Brian Nordgren and Ces Mountford,
who are playing with the Other Nationali-
ties team in France. Jack Hilton will
also be unfit owing to his injury sustained
in the Batley match. This injury is a
slight fracture of the jaw, but he is expected
to be right for the Warrington game.
Bill Hudson is also not fit to play to-day.
He received a badly sprained ankle in the
Leeds match. Gordon Ratcliffe is having
a most unucky spell. Just before Xmas
he had an accident at home, cutting the
top of his thumb off. It is taking a long
time to heal. J. L. Madden, originally
chosen to play in the "A" team to-day,
takes the right wing position in the first
team at Oldham.

The receipts at the game between the
Wigan and District League and the
London League realised £97/1/-, a very
satisfactory figure. We have received the
following letter from an official of the
London League:—

"Would you kindly convey to the
supporters of your Club who saw our
game last Saturday, our sincere apprecia-
tion of the vocal encouragement they gave
us against your local League team. We
can assure you that we left Wigan with
the knowledge that we had met some of
the finest sportsmen we have yet had the
pleasure of meeting.

"Our player who was carried off
injured sustained a broken leg."