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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16th, 1951 KICK-OFF 4-30 p.m.

Watersheddings News and Views.

It is pleasing to see that our star is still shining brightly over Watersheddings and that our team is displaying the type of football that will win matches and attract new adherents to our game. In the last four matches we have silenced the most severe of our critics. The great question is—can we keep it up, can we be consistent in the open type of football? Given a clearance of injuries we see no reason why, and under the coaching of our captain, B. V. Goldswain, the type of play should be improved. There is no doubt that our captain is putting in a lot of hard work in coaching and holding the team together, and may the good work continue.

This evening we consider will be one of the hardest matches we have to play at Watersheddings in entertaining Leigh in the semi-final of Lancashire Senior Cup. The winners will meet the winners of the Wigan v. Belle Vue Rangers in the final on a ground to be selected by the Lancashire County Committee this evening. We expect a great game and the result can go any way, infringements of the rules may play an important part, as the respective full backs can win the match with the goal kicking they are capable of. The team that transgresses the rules most may lose the match.

Donations.

From the Charity Match played at Rochdale on 11th August we have received from Rochdale Hornets the sum of £102 for allocation to Junior League Movement and Charities. This has now been allocated as follows: £50 to Oldham Junior League; £10 to Oldham Intermediate League; £10 to Oldham Continuation League and £20 to Oldham Schoolboys' Rugby League. A sum of £6 each has been allocated to Oldham Blind Children's Society and St. John Ambulance Brigade (Equitable Division).

It is pleasing to record that the Oldham Schools Rugby League is making great progress. At the present there are thirty-seven teams of schoolboys playing our game, a considerable number more than last season. These new teams require equipment, the cost of which is always on the upgrade. To enable the organisers to carry on the good work we have made a donation of £50 from the general account to the Schools R.L.

Club Colours.

First-class Rugby League Clubs appear to be changing their colour of jerseys without permission of the Rugby League Council. Permission to do this must be made to the Rugby League Council and it appears to have been

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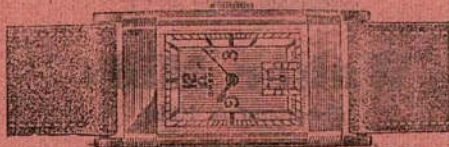
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ignored by some clubs. The Council have issued a questionnaire asking when the clubs colours were sanctioned and alternate colours in case of clashing with a visiting team. Six clubs at present play in a jersey of red and white. Our own records show that our colours of red and white with blue pants were registered with the then Northern Union in 1895, but when the club was formed in 1873 the club colours were amber and black in half inch hoops. Tradition dies hard and the present day generation of supporters will always remember our team in red and white, and we hope to continue in this colour. Very few will remember the original colours of amber and black.

Test Matches.

We desire to bring to the notice of the sporting public that we do not receive an allocation of tickets for Test Matches played by Great Britain and New Zealand. For your information the second Test Match will be played at Swinton, Saturday, 10th November, and application for tickets must be made to the Secretary, Swinton Football Club. This is an all-ticket match. This also applies to the third Test Match at Leeds on Saturday, 15th December, an all-ticket match. Applications to Secretary, Leeds Football Club, Headingley, Leeds.

Wembley Final—April 19th, 1952.

Our ticket reservations for the above Cup Final have now been taken up. Further applications must now be made to the Secretary, Rugby League Headquarters, 180 Chapeltown Road, Leeds, 7.

Injured Players.

In comparison to some clubs we have been fortunate to escape a spate of injuries, but we have had two players out of action for a considerable time. William Wood, who broke a leg twelve months ago, does not appear he will be taking part in football again, which is much to our regret. John Sugden is still troubled with right knee injury and a further X-ray is being taken with a view to a further operation.

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