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NOTES

To-day's visitors from Oldham are riding on the crest of the wave at the moment, and from all accounts are playing brilliant football. They have had their ups and downs in the seasons since the end of the war, and it is more than gratifying to see them fighting with ourselves for the leadership of the league this season. Outstanding in their revival are Bryn Goldswain a grand forward, Stirrup a quicksilver half-back, and Mitchell, O'Grady and Ganley in the back division. Oldham shocked us here in the Lancashire Cup last season, and we can again expect a grand game from them to-day.

The Town's successful run of four victories have brought us into the third position in the league. The St. Helens game was a hard battle, but at Liverpool last week, although the match was played on a waterlogged ground the "Town" rose above the conditions with a scintillating display culminating in our highest score this season. "Happy" Wilson again equalled his record score by running in six tries, helped by magnificent team-work. Grand stuff!

Highlight of the week was the Supporters' Club's Annual Dinner when a cheque for the magnificent sum of £1,250 was handed to Mr. James Graves, Chairman of the Workington Town R.L.F.C. This is an outstanding contribution from a Supporters' Club whose hard work on behalf of the parent club has no comparison among similar bodies in the Rugby League. On behalf of the parent club we congratulate you!

Mudge and Paskins return to the team following their great efforts against France, but a gain on the roundabouts is lost on the swings by Wilson and McKeating assisting Great Britain to-day at Swinton. We wish them every success!

League Records:—

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
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The next three games take place away from home, with the long journey to Cardiff included in this line-up. Three fairly arduous tasks, with Whitehaven away as a grand finale. The team can rise to the occasion, but difficulties will arise with Mudge and Paskins very probably assisting Other Nationalities on December 1st. Unfortunate that a representative game should clash with our local "derby."

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Black mark for the club for once in a way. The referee's report after the last home game stated that one or two pebbles were thrown on to the pitch during the course of the game. We feel certain that maybe the junior element among our following was perhaps responsible, with probably no intent behind the action. Nevertheless, thoughtless actions like these can do no good, and it is regretted that the referee should have had cause to complain.

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Player-Manager Gus Risan had the great honour of appearing at the Royal Command Variety Performance in London on October 29th, as the rugby representative in Sports Parade. The announcer's broadcast mistake of his club being Warrington instead of Workington was more than made up by the "Skipper" appearing in the parade in full Workington regalia of Royal Blue and White complete with Workington Badge.

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		POINTS				POINTS	
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1951.				1951.			
Aug. 18—Halifax	H	25	18	Dec. 29—Halifax	A		
" 20—Whitehaven	H	19	2	1952.			
" 25—Hunslet	A	10	17	Jan. 5—Liverpool	H		
" 29—Leigh	A	2	10	" 12—Belle Vue R.	A		
Sept. 8—Leeds	A	12	15	" 19—Warrington	A		
" 10—Belle Vue R.	H	20	10	" 26—Rochdale H.	H		
" 15—Warrington	H	18	13	Feb. 2—Wakefield T.	H		
" 22—Wigan	A	12	8	" 23—Salford	A		
" 24—New Zealand	H	15	17	Mar. 8—Widnes	H		
" 29—Cardiff	H	30	8	" 22—Wigan	H		
Oct. 6—Widnes	A	5	15	April 5—Leeds	H		
" 13—Swinton	H	16	12	" 11—Salford	H		
" 20—Swinton	A	13	5	(Good Friday)			
" 27—St. Helens	H	11	8	" 14—Barrow	A		
Nov. 3—Liverpool	A	44	8	(Easter Monday)			
" 10—Oldham	H			" 26—Rochdale H.	A		
" 17—St. Helens	A						
" 24—Cardiff	A						
Dec. 1—Whitehaven	A						
" 8—Leigh	H						
" 15—Wakefield T.	A						
" 22—Hunslet	H						
" 25—Barrow	H						
" 26—Oldham	A						

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Sept. 1—Warrington	A	16	6
" 3—Warrington	H	20	3
" 26—Belle Vue	A	2	12

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