

Wigan have won the Lancashire Cup six times, and Oldham have secured it five times out of the twenty-one seasons it has been played for. Wigan won it on three occasions out of the first five. On four other occasions they have been in the final.

To-day's clubs have been in opposition nine times in this competition, in addition to two replays. Four seasons ago, after a draw at Watersheddings, Wigan knocked Oldham out by 52 points to 3—their biggest victory in the competition.

Wigan have been drawn at home in the first round during the past five seasons.

Perhaps the most interesting final was that in 1908, when Wigan were successful against Oldham by 10 points to 9. Johnny Thomas scored the winning try eight minutes from the end, after following up a short kick by Todd.

Wigan that day had their famous back division, viz.:—Sharrock; Leyham, Jenkins, Todd, Miller; Gleave Thomas.

Last season Wigan and Oldham met in the semi-final, and after a draw at Watersheddings, our team won by 21 points to nil at Central Park.

Oldham have fared well this season, having won five and drawn one of their eight league engagements.

By scoring 41 points against Bradford, on Saturday, Leeds robbed Wigan of being top scorers in the Rugby League.

Wigan Rugby supporters are anxiously awaiting news that Spillane, the Canterbury stand off half, has sailed for England. A new player is always a big attraction, and particularly when he happens to be a Colonial.

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