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April 27 v. Barrow	. away
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Good Friday at Station Road heralds the time-honoured visit of OLDHAM to fulfil their fixture with the Lions. Both sides have had a tough journey this season, both have found that to build up a sound team is no mean task. The teams are close to each other in the League table and thus we should see an evenly contested game. The Lions were successful at the Watersheddings on Christmas Day-and, no doubt, are keen on "getting the double home."

THE TOURISTS

Although the fact that Swinton have not got a representative in the Tourists' side on the way to Australia is some disappointment to the Station Road club, every good wish for an excellent voyage and a successful programme is extended whole-heartedly.

The last trip down-under took place some ten years ago. The England team then played 25 matches, won 22 and lost 3, scoring 611 points against 260. The top scorer, it is interesting to note, was Martin Hodgson with 3 tries and 66 goals-141 points in 18 matches. A feature of Martin's kicking was his amazingly long ranges. The next in the list of scorers was Gus Risman, the present Captain. To his credit stands 9 tries and 22 goals, in all 71 points. Tommy McCue is the only other member of the present side who went out in 1936.

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