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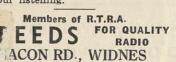
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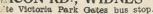


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### Notes

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#### Two Away Defeats

It is generally agreed that our form over the last few weeks has deteriorated to an alarming extent notwithstanding the handicap caused by the absence through injury of key players. In the game at Salford we encountered a side rapidly developing into one of the strongest combinations in the league, which was reflected in their decisive victory at Workington last Saturday. Our display at Swinton, also a much improved side, as their rise in the League table indicates, was after the first twenty minutes dull and uninteresting, whilst our defence left much to be desired, and offered Swinton opportunities of which they took full advantage. Strong and uncalled for criticism is being hurled at players which has certainly undermined the confidence of the side, but it is hoped that with the return of Peake and Bob Band this essential will be restored, and today we will see a return to our early season's form.

#### J. Hayes

This player who is on the open-to-transfer list is expected to have a trial with Hull in their game at Leigh today.

#### H. Anderson

Although still under treatment and direction from Whiston Infirmary, we are pleased to report he is making excellent progress, and it is confidently expected he will be in harness again in a fortnight's time.

#### Today's Visitors

Oldham provide the opposition today, and although they have not as yet reached the standard expected, have the distinction of being the only side to defeat Wigan this season. It will be remembered that in the 1st Round, 2nd Leg of the Lancashire Cup they were successful by the margin of 19 points to 9. A keen and attractive encounter is anticipated.

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Saturday, November 19th.—Mr. Porter, 97 Henderson Road. Ticket Number 22229

#### Away Trips

Supporters who wish to travel to St. Helens, Saturday, December 17th, and to Warrington, Saturday, December 24th, are requested to book early in order to enable the Committee to secure sufficient coaches. The fare is 2s. 9d. on each occasion.

#### Rugby League Gazette

A few copies of the November issue are still available at the Refreshment Huts. Price 1s. per copy.

#### COMING EVENTS AT NAUGHTON PARK

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3rd

#### Amateur Inter-Town Competition

1st Round — 2nd Leg WIDNES v. ROCHDALE Kick-off 2-30 p.m. All Pay

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10th

Widnes v. Huddersfield Kick-off 2-15 p.m.

#### ANNOUNCEMENT

TRIP TO SOUTH WALES, DECEMBER 3rd

Next Saturday we have arranged to play a selected team from the newly-formed league in South Wales on the ground of Bridgend R.L.F.C.