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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 19th, 1965.

Kick-off 7-25 p.m.

WELCOME TO OLDHAM

This evening we play the first of our two Qualifying Matches in the B.B.C.2 Televised Floodlight Competition. Our visitors in this match are our old friends from Oldham.

Oldham are playing very well this season and are fifth in the League table with 15 points from 10 matches. Last Saturday they had a blank day whilst we had a hard game against Wigan.

We are hoping for a good open game tonight, for the margin between points for and against will be the deciding factor in case of a tie for places in the semi-finals of this Competition.

The results of matches played so far are : St. Helens 25, Leigh 19; Warrington 10, Widnes 20 points.

The remaining qualifying matches are :—

- | | |
|-------------|---------------------------|
| October 26. | Castleford versus Leeds. |
| November 2. | Leigh versus Warrington. |
| 9 | Widnes versus Swinton. |
| 16 | St. Helens versus Leeds. |
| 23 | Oldham versus Castleford. |

The Semi-Finals and the Final will be played on the last Tuesday in November and the first two Tuesdays in December.

All games in this Competition will kick-off at 7-25 p.m.

Our match tonight will be seen under Trade Test conditions by viewers to B.B.C.2 in the North, in the area west of the Pennines

CONGRATULATIONS

We extend our hearty congratulations to Ken Gowers, Alan Buckley and John Stopford on their selection to play for Great Britain in the Second Test Match at Bradford on Saturday next.

Also to Dave Robinson on his selection for the Under 24 International Team which plays at Oldham tomorrow evening.

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FIXTURE ALTERATIONS

With three players in the Test Match we have postponed the League fixture with Wigan which was arranged for Friday next. This match will now be played on Friday, March 25th.

There will, however, be an important game at Station Road on Friday, for we have arranged to play the Second Round of the Lancashire County Challenge Shield with Wigan "A". The winners of this tie will meet Liverpool City "A" at home in the semi-final.

The other semi-final is Warrington "A" versus Workington "A".

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SWINTON 'A' TEAM

Our "A" Team continued their successful run defeating Oldham "A" on Friday last by 18 points to 6. This victory keeps us in second place in the Combination table, where Warrington lead with 13 points from 7 games to our 12 points from the same number of games.

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The splendid exhibition of Rugby League football which was enjoyed at Wembley last May has, as anticipated, had its effect on ticket sales. The Restaurant tickets at £3, and Best Stand tickets at 30/- have been sold out. Only a very small number of £1 tickets remain for sale and there is a steady drain on the 15/- and 10/- tickets, which rather indicates that the "all sold" notice will be put up in a few weeks' time. Standing Enclosure tickets at 5/- (under cover) can be obtained in advance from our Rugby League Offices, 180 Chapeltown Road, Leeds 7. Applications should contain a stamped and addressed envelope.

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(Up to and including 16th October 1965)

| HOME | AWAY | Barrow | Blackpool | Huddersfield | Leigh | Liverpool | Oldham | Rochdale | Salford | St. Helens | Swinton | Warrington | Whitehaven | Widnes | Wigan | Workington |
|--------------|------|--------|-----------|--------------|-------|-----------|--------|----------|---------|------------|---------|------------|------------|--------|-------|------------|
| Barrow | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Blackpool | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Huddersfield | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Leigh | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Liverpool | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Oldham | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Rochdale | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Salford | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| St. Helens | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Swinton | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Warrington | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Whitehaven | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Widnes | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Wigan | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Workington | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |

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|-------------------|--------|-------|-------|--------|
| BATE | 9 | — | — | — |
| BONSER | 4 | — | — | — |
| CUMMINGS | 2 | — | 1 | 3 |
| DAVIES | 4 | — | — | — |
| BUCKLEY | 13 | — | 6 | 18 |
| FLEET | 9 | — | 4 | 12 |
| GOWERS | 12 | 21 | 5 | 57 |
| HALLIWELL | 11 | — | 1 | 3 |
| HARRIES | 4 | — | 1 | 3 |
| HURT | 12 | — | 1 | 3 |
| ISAAC | 2 | — | — | — |
| REES | 12 | — | 5 | 15 |
| ROBINSON, B. | 4 | — | — | — |
| ROBINSON, D. | 13 | — | 10 | 30 |
| RHODES | 13 | 16 | — | 32 |
| SIMPSON | 13 | — | — | — |
| SMITH | 9 | — | 1 | 3 |
| SPEED | 9 | — | 2 | 6 |
| STOPFORD | 12 | — | 5 | 15 |
| TIGHE | 13 | — | — | — |
| WHITEHEAD | 1 | 4 | — | 8 |

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| 1965 | | F. | A. |
|-------------------------|----|----|----|
| Aug. 14—St. Helens ...H | 11 | 9 | |
| (Charity Cup) | | | |
| 21—Hull K. R.A | 16 | 15 | |
| 25—WidnesH | 20 | 6 | |
| 28—Huddersfield H | 15 | 11 | |
| 30—SalfordA | 44 | 10 | |
| Sept. 4—Rochdale H. A | 6 | 2 | |
| 10—St. Helens L.C.1 A | 8 | 7 | |
| 15—Rochdale L.C.2 A | 0 | 4 | |
| 17—Liverpool C. H | 14 | 2 | |
| 25—BarrowA | 20 | 6 | |
| Oct. 2—Featherstone A | 14 | 15 | |
| 9—Hull K.R.H | 27 | 3 | |
| 16—WiganA | 13 | 8 | |
| 27—New Zealand H | | | |
| 7-30 | | | |
| 30—Workington ...A | | | |
| Nov. 5—Warrington H | | | |
| 7-30 | | | |
| 13—HullA | | | |
| 20—LeighA | | | |
| 27—Blackpool B. H | | | |
| Dec. 4—Liverpool C. A | | | |
| 11—Featherstone H | | | |
| 18—Huddersfield A | | | |
| 27—OldhamA | | | |
| 28—Workington H | | | |
| 1966 | | | |
| Jan. 1—Whitehaven H | | | |
| 8—HullH | | | |
| 15—WidnesA | | | |
| 22—BarrowH | | | |
| 29—Blackpool B. A | | | |
| Feb. 5—LeighH | | | |
| 12—Whitehaven ...A | | | |
| 19—Warrington ...A | | | |
| 26—R.L. Cup (1) | | | |
| Mar. 5—Rochdale H. H | | | |
| 12— | | | |
| 19—R.L. Cup (2) | | | |
| 25—Wigan 7-30 ...H | | | |
| Apr. 2—St. Helens ...A | | | |
| 8—OldhamH | | | |
| 9—SalfordH | | | |
| 11—St. Helens ...H | | | |

'A' Team

LANCASHIRE COMBINATION

| 1965 | | F. | A. |
|-------------------------|----|----|----|
| Aug. 28—St. Helens ...A | 21 | 25 | |
| 30—SalfordA | 25 | 7 | |
| Sept. 3—Rochdale H. H | 26 | 7 | |
| 11—St. Helens ...H | 33 | 2 | |
| L.C.C.S. | | | |
| 18—Liverpool ...A | 6 | 3 | |
| 22—WiganH | 10 | 7 | |
| Oct. 1—SalfordH | 9 | 0 | |
| 15—OldhamH | 18 | 6 | |
| 22—Wigan 7-30 H | | | |
| L.C.C.S. | | | |
| 30—Workington H | | | |
| Nov. 6—Warrington ...A | | | |
| 20—LeighH | | | |
| 27—Blackpool B. A | | | |
| Dec. 4—Liverpool C. H | | | |
| 11—Whitehaven ...A | | | |
| 25—OldhamA | | | |
| 1966 | | | |
| Jan. 15—WidnesH | | | |
| 22—BarrowA | | | |
| 29—Blackpool B. H | | | |
| Feb. 5—LeighA | | | |
| 12—Whitehaven H | | | |
| 19—Warrington H | | | |
| Mar. 5—Rochdale H. A | | | |
| 19—BarrowH | | | |
| 26—WidnesA | | | |
| Apr. 2—St. Helens ...H | | | |
| 9—Workington ...A | | | |
| Wigan A | | | |

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