

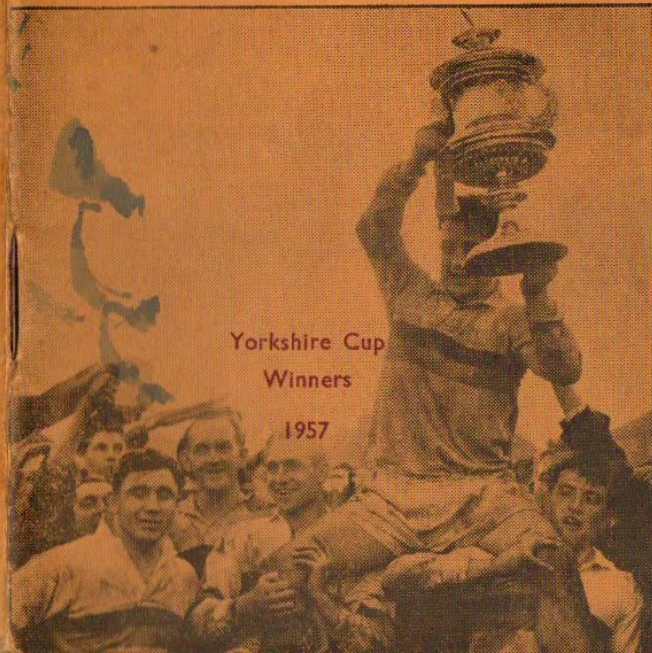


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The Northern Rugby Football League Championship Cup

Winners: 1911-12, 1912-13, 1914-15, 1928-29, 1929-30, 1948-49.

Runners-up: 1913-14, 1919-20, 1922-23, 1931-32, 1945-46, 1949-50.

The Rugby League Challenge Cup

Winners: 1912-13, 1914-15, 1919-20, 1932-33, 1944-45, 1952-53.

Runners-up: 1934-35.

The Yorkshire Challenge Cup

Winners: 1909-10, 1911-12, 1913-14, 1914-15, 1919, 1919-20, 1926-27, 1931-32, 1938-39, 1950-51, 1952-53, 1957-58.

Runners-up: 1910-11, 1923-24, 1925-26, 1930-31, 1937-38, 1942-43, 1949-50.

The Yorkshire League Championship Cup

Winners: 1911-12, 1912-13, 1913-14, 1914-15, 1919-20, 1921-22, 1928-29, 1929-30, 1948-49, 1949-50, 1951-52.

Runners-up: 1922-23, 1923-24, 1930-31, 1931-32, 1945-46, 1946-47, 1947-48, 1952-53.

The Yorkshire Emergency League Runners-up: 1939-40.

The Yorkshire Rugby Union Challenge Cup (Th'Owd Tin Pot)

Winners: 1890.

The Yorkshire Senior Competition Challenge Cup Winners: 1953-54



In season 1914-15, All Four major Rugby League Trophies were won by Huddersfield.

During the next full competitive season (1919-20) Huddersfield won three of the four Cups. In the Final for the fourth Trophy they were beaten by only one point, despite having five leading players away on Australian Tour duty and another unavailable through injury.

A Message from the Chairman of the Football Committee



It is once more my privilege to review Fartown's prospects for the coming Season.

We have signed one player during the close season, from Rhodesia, and it is no secret that we are scouring the whole of South Africa and have contacts in all parts of that continent where Rugby is played.

In Wales and Scotland also we are keeping in close touch with all likely prospects.

During the past few years we have suffered severe losses in our playing strength due to retirement and injury.

Thousands of miles have been covered during the past season in an endeavour to replace our losses, but players of the quality demanded by Fartown supporters are increasingly difficult to find.

Team spirit in the dressing room and also the committee room are essential to achieve success, so with your support we will endeavour to recapture the great traditions of the "Claret and Gold."

I would like to thank the Supporters' Club for the very generous financial support they have given to the club and for the hard work they have done.

Finally, may I wish you one and all a happy football season with the Fartown star once more in the ascendancy.

WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM.

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FIXTURES FOR SEASON 1958-59

FIRST TEAM FIXTURES

1958	Rugby	Football	League
Date	Club	Grd.	Time
Aug. 9	Halifax	.....	away 3-0 (Charity Match)
.. 16	WARRINGTON	.....	home 7-0
.. 19	Doncaster	.....	away 6-30
.. 23	York	.....	away 3-0
.. 25	BRAMLEY	.....	home 7-0
.. 30	Leeds	.....	away 3-0 (1st Rd. Yorks. Cup)
Sept. 6	Batley	.....	away 3-0
.. 13	DONCASTER	..	home 3-0
.. 20	Hunslet	.....	away 3-0
.. 27	WAKEFIELD T.	.....	home 3-0
Oct. 4	Salford	.....	away 3-0
.. 11	Whitehaven	.....	away 3-0
.. 18	WIDNES	.....	home 3-0
.. 25	Hull	.....	away 3-0
Nov. 1	WHITEHAVEN	.....	home 3-0
.. 8	Castleford	.....	away 3-0
.. 15	LEIGH	.....	home 3-0
.. 22	Warrington	.....	away 2-30
.. 29	HULL	.....	home 2-30
Dec. 6	Leigh	.....	away 2-30
.. 13	Dewsbury	.....	away 2-30
.. 20	FEATHERSTONE	.....	home 2-30
.. 25	Halifax	.....	away 2-30
.. 26	HALIFAX	.....	home 2-30
.. 27	BRADFORD N.	.....	home 2-30
1959			
Jan. 3	Widnes	.....	away 2-30
.. 10	Hull K.R.	.....	away 2-30
.. 17	KEIGHLEY	.....	home 2-30
.. 24	YORK	.....	home 3-0
.. 31	Wakefield T.	.....	away 3-0
Feb. 7	SALFORD	.....	home 3-0
.. 14	Bramley	.....	away 3-0
.. 21*	(1st Rd. Challenge Cup)		
.. 28	HUNSLET	.....	home 3-0
Mar. 7*	(2nd Rd. Challenge Cup)		
.. 14	HULL K.R.	.....	home 3-0
.. 21	Leeds (friendly)	.....	away 3-0 (3rd Rd. Challenge Cup)
.. 28	BATLEY	.....	home 3-0
.. 30	Bradford N.	.....	away 3-0
.. 31	Featherstone R.	.....	away 3-0
Apr. 4	CASTLEFORD	..	home 3-0
.. 11	DEWSBURY	.....	home 3-0
.. 18	Keighley	.....	away 3-0
.. 25			
May 2	(Championship Semi-final)		
.. 9	(Challenge Cup Final)		
.. 16	(Championship Final)		

"A" TEAM FIXTURES

1958	Yorkshire Senior Competition
Date	Club Grd. Time
Aug. 16	Doncaster away 3-0
.. 23	HULL K.R. home 3-0
.. 29	BRAMLEY home 6-45
Sept. 6	HUNSLET home 3-0
.. 13	Batley away 3-0
.. 20	YORK home 3-0
.. 27	Halifax away 3-0
Oct. 4	HALIFAX home 3-0
.. 11	Wakefield T. away 3-0
.. 18	Hull away 3-0
.. 25	CASTLEFORD .. home 3-0
Nov. 1	Castleford away 3-0
.. 8	LEEDS home 3-0
.. 15	
.. 22	BRADFORD N. home 2-30
.. 29	Hunslet away 2-30
Dec. 6	KEIGHLEY home 2-30
.. 13	DEWSBURY home 2-30
.. 20	Hull K.R. away 2-30
.. 27	Keighley away 2-30
1959	
Jan. 3	HULL home 2-30
.. 10	DONCASTER ... home 2-30
.. 17	Bramley away 2-30
.. 24	Bradford N. away 3-0
.. 31	WAKEFIELD T. home 3-0
Feb. 7	Leeds away 3-0
.. 14*	HULL K.R. home 3-0 (1st Rd. Y.S.C.C.)
.. 28	
Mar. 7	BATLEY home 3-0
.. 14	Dewsbury away 3-0
.. 21	FEATHERSTONE home 3-0
.. 28	York away 3-0
Apr. 4	
.. 11	
.. 18	Featherstone R. away 3-0

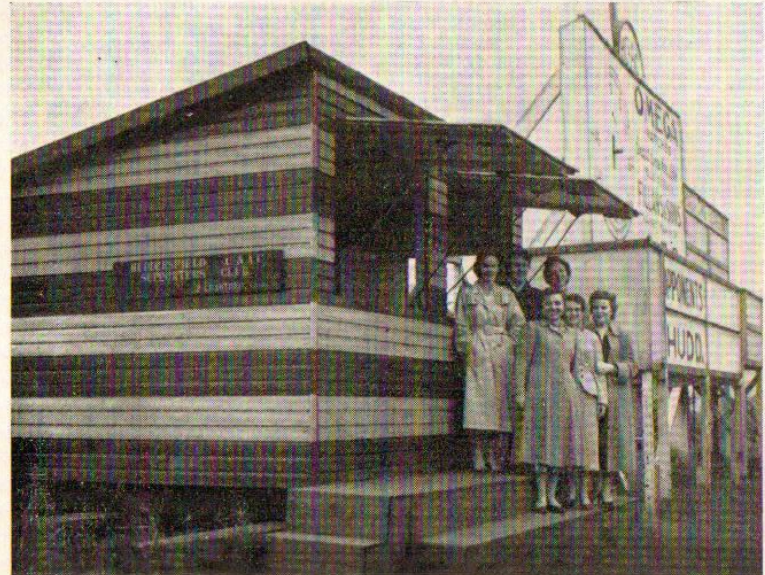
Time of kick-off for Mid-week Matches
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The Playing Register

Name	Signed from	Date signed	Height Weight	
			ft. in.	st. lbs.
P. Aldred (Keighley junior)	Oct., 1956	5 8	10 12	
K. Balmforth (Halifax junior)	Jan., 1958	5 7	11 4½	
R. Barrow (Oldham)	Oct., 1955	5 11	13 5	
K. Bowman (York junior)	Apl., 1955	5 11	14 10	
M. A. Breen (Broughton Park R.U.)	Jan., 1958	6 0	13 10	
A. Brown (Rhodesia, South Africa)	July, 1958	5 10	12 2½	
J. T. Brown (Roundhay R.U.)	Jan., 1958	5 10½	12 7	
R. J. Cecil (Abertillery, Wales) ...	Apl., 1957	5 6	12 12	
J. Clarke (Warrington junior)	Nov., 1957	5 9	12 10	
D. Close (Castleford junior)	Sep., 1957	5 9	14 3	
A. Colburn (Leeds junior)	Feb., 1957	6 1	14 5	
B. Curry (Local junior)	July, 1957	5 9	11 4	
D. Devereux (Neath R.U.)	Feb., 1958	5 11½	14 10	
F. Dyson (Local junior)	Dec., 1948	5 9	12 12	
J. Fairbank (Local junior)	Nov., 1951	6 0	15 7	
D. Flint (Local junior)	Sep., 1954	5 9	15 4	
J. W. Gill (Local junior)	Apl., 1956	5 10½	11 10	
T. Gorman (Leigh junior)	Sep., 1956	5 5	11 3	
B. Heap (Oldham junior)	Nov., 1951	5 11½	15 7	
G. Howe (Wigan junior)	Mar., 1956	5 8½	11 8	
D. Iredale (Local junior)	Apl., 1958	5 11	12 11	
G. Killen (Whitehaven)	Dec., 1957	5 11½	15 5	
A. Kilroy (Batley)	Oct., 1955	5 11	14 5	
K. Lister (Bradford junior)	Aug., 1957	5 10	14 1½	
H. Plunkett (Keighley junior)	Sep., 1956	6 0	12 7	
J. Power (Wigan junior)	Mar., 1956	5 9	10 10½	
A. Quinn (Wakefield junior)	Mar., 1954	5 5	10 0	
P. Ramsden (Local junior)	Jan., 1951	5 5	12 12	
B. Shacklady (Leigh junior)	Sep., 1956	5 11	13 12	
E. Slevin (Wigan)	Oct., 1951	5 9	14 9	
T. Smales (Featherstone R.)	Dec., 1955	5 6	11 8	
R. Thompson (Local junior)	Dec., 1953	6 2	15 4	
R. Thornley (Blackpool Borough) ...	Nov., 1957	5 11	12 10	
N. Wainwright (Dewsbury junior) ..	Sep., 1951	5 11	13 13	
R. Wood (Halifax junior)	Oct., 1952	6 0	13 0	

The Supporters' Club Refreshment Hut



These young ladies are usually to be found inside the Hut, not outside! They are—Back row: Misses P. Dickinson, J. Rushforth, B. Brook. Front: Misses M. Haigh, N. Beaumont, M. Whitman

Some time ago, it was felt by members of the Supporters' Club Committee that a Refreshment Hut would be a welcome and popular amenity for terrace-side spectators. Plans were made and the Hut was duly opened on March 2nd, 1957, the occasion being a Doncaster visit to Fartown.

Members of the Committee, and particularly the young lady workers (some of whom are pictured above) have put in a great deal of time in servicing the Hut and serving behind the counter.

Our thanks are due to them, and we trust that the general public will express its appreciation by keeping them busy during the coming season.

Match-by-Match Record of Season 1957-58

Huddersfield 56, HALIFAX 19 (Friendly) Half-Time 19-11

Saturday, August 10th, at Fartown

Huddersfield — Curry; Henderson, Plunkett, Barrow, Sullivan; Ramsden, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Fairbank, Briggs, Valentine (capt.), Bowman.
Tries: Barrow 4, Sullivan 3, Smales 2, Henderson, Bowman, Plunkett.
Goals: Curry 10.

Halifax—Owen; Child, Riley, Palmer (capt.), Freeman; Williams, Jones; Thorley, Ackerley, Henderson, Pearce, Traill, Cliff.
Tries: Child, Palmer, Cliff.
Goals: Owen 5.

Referee: Mr. E. Clay (Rothwell)

Huddersfield 33, BRADFORD NORTHERN 15 (League) Half-Time 14-9

Saturday, August 17th, at Fartown

Huddersfield — Curry; Henderson, Plunkett, Barrow, Sullivan; Ramsden, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Fairbank, Briggs, Valentine (capt.), Bowman.
Tries: Valentine, Smales, Plunkett, Sullivan, Ramsden.
Goals: Curry 9.

Bradford Northern—Seddon; Daniels, Winnard, Smith, Jenkins; L. Haley (capt.), G. Haley; Carter, Mackie, T. Jones, Hambling, Radford, Scroby.
Tries: Smith 2, Carter, Seddon, Radford.

Referee: Mr. A. Howgate (Dewsbury)

ST. HELENS 28, HUDDERSFIELD 8 (League) Half-Time 13-4

Wednesday, August 21st, at Knowsley Road

St. Helens—Moses; Johnson, Greenall, Forshaw, Carlton; Rhodes, Murphy; Prescott (capt.), McKinney, Terry, Silcock, Delves, Karalius.
Tries: Forshaw 2, McKinney 2, Murphy, Rhodes.
Goals: Forshaw 3, Rhodes 2.

Huddersfield—Curry, Henderson, Plunkett, Barrow, Sullivan; Ramsden, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Flint, Briggs, Fairbank, Valentine (capt.).
Goals: Curry 4.

Referee: Mr. G. Wilson (Dewsbury)

WIGAN 25, HUDDERSFIELD 7 (League) Half-Time 15-7

Saturday, August 24th, at Central Park

Wigan—Platt (capt.); Boston, Ashton, Ashcroft, O'Grady; McGurrin, Thomas; Armstrong, Sayer, McTigue, Cherrington, Evans, Collier.
Tries: Cherrington 2, Ashcroft, Sayer, Ashton.
Goals: Platt 3, Ashton 2.

Huddersfield—Curry; Henderson, Plunkett, Barrow, Sullivan; Ramsden, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Flint, Briggs, Fairbank, Valentine (capt.).
Try: Barrow.
Goals: Curry 2.

Referee: Mr. R. Gelder (Wakefield)

Huddersfield 16, LEEDS 11 (League) Half-Time 11-3

Wednesday, August 28th, at Fartown

Huddersfield — Dyson; Henderson, Colburn, Barrow, Sullivan; Cecil, Gorman; Slevin, Wood, Flint, Briggs, Fairbank, Valentine (capt.).
Tries: Dyson 2, Colburn, Barrow.
Goals: Dyson 2.

Leeds—Dunn; Hodgkinson, McLellan (capt.), Jones, Broughton; Brown, Stevenson; Anderson, Prior, Hopper, Poole, Sewell, Street.
Tries: Prior, Poole, Jones.
Goal: Jones.

Referee: Mr. N. T. Raiton (Wigan)

HUDDERSFIELD 68, BATLEY 19

Half-Time 25-19

(1st Round Yorkshire Challenge Cup)

Saturday, August 31st, at Fartown

Huddersfield — Dyson; Henderson, Colburn, Barrow, Sullivan; Cecil, Gorman; Slevin, Wood, Flint, Briggs, Fairbank, Valentine (capt.).
Tries: Sullivan 6, Fairbank 2, Henderson 2, Dyson 2, Colburn, Gorman.
Goals: Dyson 13.

Batley—Walshaw; Gardner, Lockwood, Watson, O'Hara; Hirst, Halloran; Palmer, Battersby, Hainsworth, Briggs, Fox, Murray.
Tries: Fox 2, Hirst.
Goals: Walshaw 5.

Referee: Mr. R. Welsby (Warrington)

HUDDERSFIELD 12, OLDHAM 38 (League)

Monday, September 2nd, at Fartown

Huddersfield — Dyson; Henderson, Colburn, Barrow, Sullivan; Cecil, Gorman; Slevin, Wood, Heap, Briggs, Fairbank, Valentine (capt.).
Tries: Valentine, Henderson.
Goals: Dyson 3.

Oldham—Ganley (capt.); Cracknell, Nestor, Noon, Ety; Moat, Pitchford; Jackson, Carruthers, Jarman, Winslade, Little, Turner.
Tries: Nestor 2, Noon, Cracknell, Pitchford, Ganley.
Goals: Ganley 10.

Referee: Mr. D. T. H. Davies (Pendlebury)

BARROW 13, HUDDERSFIELD 10 (League)

Half-Time 5-3

Saturday, September 7th, at Craven Park

Barrow—Ball; F. Jackson, P. Jackson, Rea, Castle; Skeels, Davies; Lister, McIntyre, Royle, Grundy, Goodwin, J. Wilson.
Tries: Castle, Skeels, Davies.
Goals: Ball 2.

Huddersfield—Dyson; Henderson, Kilroy, Barrow, Sullivan; Smales, Gorman; Slevin, Wood, Flint, Ray Thompson, Fairbank, Valentine (capt.).
Tries: Sullivan, Henderson.
Goals: Dyson 2.

Referee: Mr. G. Scott (Wakefield)

HUDDERSFIELD 17, YORK 11 (League)

Half-Time 6-9

Saturday, September 14th, at Fartown

Huddersfield — Dyson; Henderson, Kilroy, Barrow, Sullivan; Ramsden, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Flint, Briggs, Valentine (capt.), Bowman.
Tries: Henderson 2, Sullivan.
Goals: Dyson 4.

York—Hargreaves; B. Smith, Webster, G. Smith, Flannery; Robinson, Jackson; Yorke, Illingworth, Moore (capt.), Deighton, O'Brien, E. Dawson.
Try: Moore.
Goals: Yorke 4.

Referee: Mr. G. Philpott (Leeds)

WAKEFIELD TRINITY 10, HUDDERSFIELD 13

Half-Time 5-8

(Second Round Yorkshire Challenge Cup)

Monday, September 16th, at Belle Vue

Wakefield Trinity — E. Lockwood; Smith, F. Mortimer, Fox, Cooper; Holliday, Rollin; Harrison, Shaw, Coverdale, Haigh, Jaques, Chamberlain.
Tries: Smith, Chamberlain.
Goals: Fox 2.

Huddersfield—Dyson; Henderson, Kilroy, Barrow, Sullivan; Ramsden, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Flint, Bowman, Bob Thompson, Valentine (capt.).
Tries: Sullivan, Ramsden, Henderson.
Goals: Dyson 2.

Referee: Mr. R. L. Thomas (Oldham)

HUDDERSFIELD 23, CASTLEFORD 7 (League) Half-Time 14-4

Saturday, September 21st, at Fartown

Huddersfield—Dyson; Wainwright, East. Sheridan, Kilroy, Cecil, Sullivan; Ramsden, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Flint, Bowman, B. Thompson, Valentine (capt.).
Castleford—Barnes; Hunt, Smart; Walsh, Evans; Thornley, Bridges, Howard, Schofield, Taylor, Ward.

Tries: Sullivan 4, Kilroy.
Goals: Dyson 4.

Try: Sheridan.
Goals: Barnes 2.

Referee: Mr. A. E. Durkin (Dewsbury)

WAKEFIELD TRINITY 23, HUDDERSFIELD 9 (League) Half-Time 5-3

Saturday, September 28th, at Belle Vue

Wakefield Trinity—Lockwood; Smith, F. Mortimer, Fox, Hirst; Houlden, Parkinson; Harrison, Wakefield, Coverdale, Jacques, Firth, Chamberlain.
Huddersfield—Dyson; Colburn, Kilroy, Barrow, Sullivan; Ramsden, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Flint, Bowman, B. Thompson, Valentine (capt.).

Tries: Hirst 3, Coverdale, Firth.
Goals: Mortimer 3, Fox.

Tries: Sullivan 2, Smales.

Referee: Mr. E. Clay (Leeds)

HUDDERSFIELD 14, LEEDS 2 Half-Time 9-0

(Semi-final Yorkshire Challenge Cup)

Wednesday, October 2nd, at Fartown

Huddersfield—Dyson; Colburn, Plunkett, Barrow, Sullivan; Ramsden, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Flint, Bowman, B. Thompson, Valentine (capt.).
Leeds—Quinn; Hodgkinson, McLellan (capt.), Jones, Broughton; Brown, Stevenson; Skelton, Prior, Hopper, Tomlinson, Robinson, Street.

Tries: Barrow, Sullivan.
Goals: Dyson 4.

Goal: Jones.

Referee: Mr. R. L. Thomas (Oldham)

HUDDERSFIELD 13, ST. HELENS 35 (League) Half-Time 7-19

Saturday, October 5th, at Fartown

Huddersfield—Dyson; Roughley, Plunkett, Barrow, Sullivan; Ramsden, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Shacklady, Bowman, B. Thompson, Valentine (capt.).
St. Helens—Pimblett; Robinson, Greenall, Large, Johnson; Howard, Rhodes; Prescott (capt), McKinney, Terry, Silcock, Sheils, Delves.

Tries: Sullivan, Barrow, Valentine.
Goals: Dyson 2.

Tries: Johnson 4, McKinney, Robinson, Large.

Goals: Pimblett 7.

Referee: Mr. T. W. Watkinson (Manchester)

HULL KINGSTON ROVERS 20, HUDDERSFIELD 20 (League) Half-Time 11-8

Saturday, October 12th, at Craven Park

Hull K.R.—G. Coulson; Shaw, Kellelt, B. Coulson, Stark; Devaney, Elliott; Croft, Walters, Tong, Sutton, Matthews, Griffett.
Huddersfield—Dyson; Plunkett, Kilroy, Barrow, Sullivan; Cecil, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Lister, Briggs, Bowman, Valentine (capt.).

Tries: Stark 2, Griffett 2.
Goals: Kellelt 4.

Tries: Barrow 2, Smales, Sullivan.

Goals: Dyson 4.

Referee: Mr. J. Manley (Warrington)

HUDDERSFIELD 15, YORK 8 Half-Time 7-6

(Final Tie of the Yorkshire Challenge Cup)

Saturday, October 19th, at Headingley, Leeds

Huddersfield—Dyson; Plunkett, Kilroy, Barrow, Sullivan; Ramsden, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Flint, Briggs, Bowman, Valentine (capt.).
York—Hargreaves; B. Smith, Webster, G. Smith, Flannery; Robinson, Riley (capt.); Moore Illingworth, Yorke, Watts, O'Brien, Dawson.

Tries: Kilroy, Smales, Bowman.
Goals: Dyson 3.

Tries: Illingworth, Flannery.

Goal: Yorke.

Referee: Mr. C. F. Appleton (Warrington)



Austin Kilroy touches down for our first try in the Yorkshire Cup Final

HUNSLET 25, HUDDERSFIELD 12 (League) Half-Time 17-2

Saturday, October 26th, at Parkside

Hunslet—Langton; Colin, Stockdill, Walker, Firth; Gabbitas, Burnell (capt.); Hatfield, Smith, Shaw, Gunney, K. Platt, Waite.
Huddersfield—Dyson; Plunkett, Kilroy, Barrow, R. Needham; Ramsden, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Flint, Briggs, B. Thompson, Valentine (capt.).

Tries: Stockdill 2, Walker 2, Colin.
Goals: Langton 5.

Tries: Briggs, Valentine.

Goals: Dyson 3.

Referee: Mr. G. Scott (Wakefield)

HUDDERSFIELD 7, HULL 19 (League) Half-Time 5-9

Saturday, November 2nd, at Fartown

Huddersfield—Dyson; Plunkett, Kilroy, Barrow, Colburn; Cecil, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Flint, Briggs, Bowman, Valentine (capt.).
Hull—Bateson; Cowan, Dannatt, Turner, Watts; Broadhurst, Finn; Scott (capt.), Holdstock, J. Drake, Hambling, W. Drake, P. Whiteley.

Try: Plunkett.
Goals: Dyson 2.

Tries: Cowan, Whiteley, Broadhurst.

Goals: Bateson 5.

Referee: Mr. T. W. Watkinson (Manchester)

FEATHERSTONE ROVERS 12, HUDDERSFIELD 5 (League) Half-Time 9-2
 Saturday, November 9th, at Post Office Road

Featherstone Rovers—Fennell; Kinsey, Evans, Woolford, Clarkson; Mullaney, Fox; Jones, Fawley, Hockley, Fearnley, Clamp, Lambert.
 Tries: Evans, Woolford.
 Goals: Fennell 3.

Huddersfield—Dyson; Brasch, Plunkett, Barrow, Colburn; Cecil, Smales; Slevin (capt.), Wood, Lister, Briggs, Bowman, Bob Thompson.
 Try: Barrow.
 Goal: Dyson.

Referee: Mr. R. Gelder (Wakefield)

HUDDERSFIELD 16, BATLEY 12 (League) Half-Time 10-2
 Saturday, November 16th, at Fartown

Huddersfield—Dyson; Iredale, Plunkett, Cecil, Barrow; Brasch, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Lister, Briggs, B. Thompson, Valentine (capt.).
 Tries: Smales 2, Plunkett, Barrow.
 Goals: Dyson 2.

Batley—Walshaw; Clark, Sutton, Lockwood, Smith; Hirst, Glover; Palmer (capt.), Fryer, Hainsworth, Anson, Murray, P. Fox.
 Tries: Sutton, Anson.
 Goals: Walshaw 3.

Referee: Mr. M. Coates (Pudsey)

HULL 43, HUDDERSFIELD 8 (League) Half-Time 28-3
 Saturday, November 23rd, at the Boulevard

Hull—Bateson; Cowan, Dannatt, Turner, Harrison; Broadhurst, Finn; Scott (capt.), Holdstock, J. Drake, Hambling, W. Drake, P. Whiteley.
 Tries: Harrison 4, Dannatt 2, W. Drake, Whiteley, Holdstock.
 Goals: Bateson 8.

Huddersfield—Dyson; Iredale, Plunkett, Colburn, Barrow; Cecil, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Lister, Briggs, R. Thompson, Valentine (capt.).
 Tries: Colburn, Dyson.
 Goal: Dyson.

Referee: Mr. A. Howgate (Dewsbury)

HUDDERSFIELD 13, BRAMLEY 2 (League) Half-Time 2-0
 Saturday, November 30th, at Fartown

Huddersfield—Dyson (capt.); Colburn, Plunkett, Ramsden, Barrow; Cecil, Smales; Heap, R. Wood, Flint, Briggs, Clarke, Thornley.
 Tries: Smales, Colburn, Plunkett.
 Goals: Dyson 2.

Bramley—Wilson; Noble, Kelly, Rush-ton, Cranswick; Dudley, Langfield (capt.); Smith, A. Wood, A. N. Other, Hammill, Shaw, Garbutt.
 Goal: Wilson.

Referee: Mr. A. E. Durkin (Dewsbury)

BATLEY 8, HUDDERSFIELD 13 (League) Half-Time 5-5
 Saturday, December 7th, at Mount Pleasant

Batley—Fox; Clarke, Sutton, Lockwood, Smith; Hirst, Glover; Palmer (capt.), Fryer, A. N. Other, Hainsworth, Etty, Briggs.
 Tries: Lockwood 2.
 Goal: Fox.

Huddersfield—Dyson (capt.); Colburn, Plunkett, Ramsden, Barrow; Cecil, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Flint, Briggs, Clarke, Thornley.
 Tries: Colburn 2, Thornley.
 Goals: Dyson 2.

Referee: Mr. E. Clay (Leeds)

HUDDERSFIELD 18, FEATHERSTONE ROVERS 10 (League) Half-Time 5-3
 Saturday, December 14th, at Fartown

Huddersfield—Dyson (capt.); Colburn, Plunkett, Ramsden, Barrow; Cecil, Smales; Slevin, Clarke, Killen, Briggs, Fairbank, Thornley.
 Tries: Barrow, Colburn, Thornley, Briggs.
 Goals: Dyson 3.

Featherstone Rovers—Fennell; Kinsey, Evans, Fox, Clarkson; Mullaney, Marchant; Welburn, Moyser, Jones, Hockley, Fearnley, Lambert (capt.).
 Tries: Fox, Kinsey.
 Goals: Fennell 2.

Referee: Mr. C. F. Appleton (Warrington)

HUDDERSFIELD 16, HUNSLET 8 (League) Half-Time 8-3
 Saturday, December 21st, at Fartown

Huddersfield—Dyson (capt.); Plunkett, Kilroy, Colburn, Barrow; Ramsden, Smales; Slevin, Clarke, Killen, Briggs, Fairbank, Thornley.
 Tries: Barrow, Briggs, Colburn, Smales.
 Goals: Dyson 2.

Hunslet—Langton; Snowdon, Stockdill, Walker, Collins, Gabbitas, Bunnell (capt.); Hatfield, Smith, J. Platt, Shaw, Boland, Gunney.
 Tries: Snowden, Gunney.
 Goal: Colin.

Referee: Mr. R. L. Thomas (Oldham)

HALIFAX 40, HUDDERSFIELD 3 (League) Half-Time 13-0
 Wednesday, December 25th, at Thrum Hall

Halifax—Briers; Williams, Burnett, Palmer (capt.), Asquith; Dean, Kielty; Thorley, Ackerley, Wilkinson, Jarman, Pearce, Clift.
 Tries: Palmer 2, Thorley 2, Burnett, Asquith, Clift, Wilkinson, Dean, Williams.
 Goals: Briers 3, Dean 2.

Huddersfield—Dyson (capt.); Plunkett, Kilroy, Colburn, Barrow; Ramsden, Smales; Slevin, Clarke, Killen, Briggs, Fairbank, Thornley.
 Try: Smales.

Referee: Mr. G. Philpott (Leeds)

HUDDERSFIELD 5, HALIFAX 23 (League) Half-Time 0-8
 Thursday, December 26th, at Fartown

Huddersfield—Curry; Plunkett, Ramsden (capt.), Barrow, G. Needham; Cecil, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Killen, Briggs, Lister, Clarke.
 Try: Barrow.
 Goal: Curry.

Halifax—Briers; Williams, Burnett, Palmer (capt.), Asquith; Dean, Kielty; Thorley, Ackerley, Wilkinson, Jarman, Renilson, Clift.
 Tries: Palmer 2, Williams 2, Thorley.
 Goals: Briers 4.

Referee: Mr. H. Coates (Pudsey)



George Killen



Don Devereux



Terry Brown

DONCASTER 0, HUDDERSFIELD 19 (League) Half-Time 0-14

Saturday, December 28th, at Bentley Road

Doncaster—Ratcliffe; Hayter, Mitchell, Wilkinson, Williamson; Wrigglesworth. Northern; Belshaw, Larkin, Burt, Baddeley, Rothery, Matthews.

Huddersfield—Dyson (capt.); Plunkett, Kilroy, Barrow, Needham; Cecil, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Killen, Briggs, Clarke, Thornley.

Tries: Needham 2, Plunkett, Smales, Barrow.
Goals: Dyson 2.

Referee: Mr. E. Clay (Leeds)

HUDDERSFIELD 39, DEWSBURY 17 (League) Half-Time 6-10

Saturday, January 11th, at Fartown

Huddersfield—Dyson (capt.); Plunkett, Kilroy, Barrow, Colburn; Cecil, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Killen, Briggs, Clarke, Thornley.
Tries: Barrow 3, Kilroy 2, Colburn, Plunkett, Smales, Clarke.
Goals: Dyson 6.

Dewsbury—Bosworth; Grainger, J. T. Callaghan (capt.), Pinder, Ripley; Foley, O'Donnell; Walker, Lockwood, Hopper, Cox, Sayer, E. Callaghan.

Tries: Grainger, Walker, T. Callaghan.
Goals: Bosworth 4.

Referee: Mr. N. T. Railton (Wigan)

CASTLEFORD 7, HUDDERSFIELD 46 (League) Half-Time 2-18

Saturday, January 18th, at Wheldon Road

Castleford—Barnes: East, Sheridan, G. G. Ward, Lunn; Walsh, Evans; Hirst, Corban, K. Pye, Howard, Wright, Taylor.

Huddersfield—Dyson (capt.); Plunkett, Kilroy, Barrow, Needham; Cecil, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Killen, Bowman, Clarke, Thornley.

Tries: Kilroy 3, Needham 2, Clarke, Bowman, Smales, Cecil, Barrow.
Goals: Dyson 8.

Try: Walsh.
Goals: Barnes 2.

Referee: Mr. G. Wilson (Dewsbury)

DEWSBURY 7, HUDDERSFIELD 10 (League) Half-Time 7-3

Saturday, February 1st, at Crown Flatt

Dewsbury—Bosworth; Grainger, J. T. Callaghan (capt.), Taylor, Clark; Foley, Lea; Hopper, Lockwood, Walker, Cox, Sayer, E. Callaghan.

Huddersfield—Dyson (capt.); Brown, Kilroy, Barrow, Breen; Ramsden, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Killen, Bowman, Fairbank, Thornley.

Tries: Breen, Brown.
Goals: Dyson, Fairbank.

Try: T. Callaghan.
Goals: Bosworth 2.

Referee: Mr. R. Gelder (Wakefield)

HUDDERSFIELD 0, HALIFAX 15 Half-Time 0-15

(1st Round R.L. Challenge Cup)

Saturday, February 8th, at Fartown

Huddersfield—Dyson (capt.); Brown, Kilroy, Barrow, Breen; Ramsden, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Killen, Briggs, Bowman, Thornley.

Halifax—Briers; Snowden, Burnett, Palmer (capt.), Williams; Dean Kieley, Thorley, Ackerley, Wilkinson, Jarman, Pearce, Clift.

Tries: Dean, Williams, Pearce.
Goals: Briers 3.

Referee: Mr. C. F. Appleton (Warrington)

LEEDS 28, HUDDERSFIELD 2 (League) Half-Time 20-2

Saturday, February 15th, at Headingley

Leeds—Quinn; Hodgkinson, Jones, McLellan (capt.); Hemingway; Brown, Stevenson; Skelton, Prior, Robinson, Ward, Dick, Whitehead.

Huddersfield—Curry; Brown, Colburn, Barrow, Breen; Cecil, Smales; Slevin (capt.), Wood, Killen, Bowman, Fairbank, Thornley.

Goal: Curry.

Tries: Stevenson 2, Whitehead, Brown, Hemingway, McLellan.

Goals: Jones 5.

Referee: Mr. N. T. Railton (Wigan)

BRAMLEY 17, HUDDERSFIELD 3 (League) Half-Time 5-0

Saturday, February 22nd, at the Barley Mow

Bramley—Wilson; Noble, Kelly, Dudley (capt.), Cranwick; Rushton, Pollard; Smith, Wood, Shaw, Dooler, Hanmill, Guy.

Huddersfield—Dyson (capt.); Barrow, Kilroy, Cecil, Breen; Smales, Gorman; Slevin, Wood, Killen, Fairbank, Devereux, Thornley.

Tries: Hammill 2, Rushton.
Goals: Wilson 4.

Try: Smales.

Referee: Mr. A. E. Durkin (Dewsbury)

HUDDERSFIELD 8, WAKEFIELD TRINITY 3 (League) Half-Time 4-0

Saturday, March 8th, at Fartown

Huddersfield—Dyson (capt.); Plunkett, Kilroy, Barrow, Breen; Cecil, Smales; Slevin, Close, Killen, Devereux, Fairbank, Thornley.
Goals: Dyson 4.

Wakefield Trinity—Lockwood; Smith, Metcalfe (capt.), Fox, Cooper; Poynton, Rollin; Harrison, Oakes, Haigh, Kelly, Parker, Chamberlain.
Try: Metcalfe.

Referee: Mr. G. Wilson (Dewsbury)

HUDDERSFIELD 7, HULL KINGSTON ROVERS 8 (League) Half-Time 5-4

Saturday, March 15th, at Fartown

Huddersfield—Dyson (capt.); Barrow, Kilroy, Ramsden, Breen; Cecil, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Killen, Devereux, Fairbank, Thornley.
Try: Kilroy.
Goals: Dyson 2.

Hull Kingston Rovers—Fishwick; Coulson, Riley, Magee (capt.), Shaw; Key, Elliott; Grice, Brookfield, Coverdale, Holland, Griffith, Scholes.

Goals: Fishwick 4.

Referee: Mr. G. W. Jowett (Leeds)

YORK 6, HUDDERSFIELD 9 (League) Half-Time 0-2

Saturday, March 22nd, at Clarence Street

York—Hargreaves; B. Smith, Webster, G. Smith, Foster; Robinson, J. Flannery; Yorke, Milner, Watts, O'Brien, Poole, Dawson.
Goals: Yorke 3.

Huddersfield—Dyson (capt.); Breen, Kilroy, Ramsden, Barrow; Balmforth, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Killen, Bowman, Fairbank, Clarke.

Try: Kilroy.
Goals: Dyson 3.

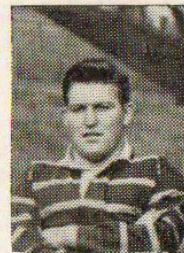
Referee: Mr. G. Philpott (Leeds)



David Close



Brian Shacklady



David Flint

KEIGHLEY 26, HUDDERSFIELD 6 (League)

Half-Time 10-0

Saturday, April 5th, at Lawkholme Lane

Keighley—J. Phillips; Smith, Hallas, Hollindrake, Bleasby; Birchall, Parr; Shreeve, Heath, Bardgett, S. Phillips, Glynn, Lowe.

Tries: Parr, Hallas, J. Phillips, Birchall, Lowe, Hollindrake.
Goals: J. Phillips 4.

Referee: Mr. J. Manley (Warrington)

OLDHAM 27, HUDDERSFIELD 3 (League)

Half-Time 11-3

Easter Monday, April 7th, at Watersheddings

Oldham—Ganley (capt.); Cracknell, Ayres, Davies, Nestor; Kellett, Pitchford; Jackson, Keith, Dufty, Winslade, Little, Turner.

Tries: Little 2, Cracknell 2, Pitchford 2, Nestor.
Goals: Ganley 3.

Referee: Mr. G. Wilson (Dewsbury)

HUDDERSFIELD 5, KEIGHLEY 19 (League)

Half-Time 0-17

Easter Tuesday, April 8th, at Fartown

Huddersfield—Curry; Breen, Plunkett, Kilroy, Barrow; Balmforth, Quinn; Heap, Wood, Killen, Devereux, Bowman, Thornley.

Try: Balmforth.
Goal: Curry.

Referee: Mr. J. Chadwick (Batley)

BRADFORD NORTHERN 21, HUDDERSFIELD 24 (League)

Half-Time 15-8

Saturday, April 12th, at Odsal

Bradford Northern—Jenkins; Handley, Winnard, Smith (capt.), M. Davies; D. Davies, G. Ha'ey; McLean, Kosanovic, Thompson, Radford, Jones, Dawes.

Tries: Smith, Winnard, Dawes, M. Davies, D. Davies.
Goals: Thompson 2, Jenkins.

Referee: Mr. H. Squires (Ossett)

HUDDERSFIELD 11, WIGAN 31 (League)

Half-Time 6-18

Wednesday, April 16th, at Fartown

Huddersfield—Dyson (capt.); Breen, Kilroy, Curry, Bowman; Balmforth, Smales; Slevin, Close, Killen, Shacklady, Clarke, Thornley.

Tries: Close, Bowman, Curry.
Goal: Dyson.

Referee: Mr. R. L. Thomas (Oldham)

Huddersfield—Dyson (capt.); Plunkett, Kilroy, Ramsden, Barrow; Cecil, Smales; Slevin, Wood, Killen, Fairbank, Devereux, Bowman.

Tries: Kilroy, Killen.

Huddersfield—Dyson (capt.); Breen, Plunkett, Kilroy, Barrow; Cecil, Smales; Heap, Wood, Killen, Fairbank, Bowman, Thornley.

Try: Barrow.

Keighley—J. Phillips; Bleasby, Hallas, Hollindrake, Jackson; Birchall, Parr; Shreeve, Heath, Bardgett, S. Phillips, Bennett, Glynn.

Tries: Hallas 2, Bleasby.
Goals: J. Phillips 5.

Huddersfield—Dyson (capt.); Breen, Kilroy, Curry, Barrow; Cecil, Smales; Slevin, Close, Killen, Bowman, Shacklady, Thornley.

Tries: Kilroy 2, Bowman, Breen, Barrow, Dyson.
Goals: Curry 2, Cecil.

Wigan—Cunliffe; Boston, Ashton, Ashcroft, Sullivan (capt.); Bolton, Thomas; Barton, Sayer, McTigue, Cherrington, Collier, Evans.

Tries: Sullivan 2, Bolton 2, Boston 2, Ashton.
Goals: Cunliffe 5.

HUDDERSFIELD 39, DONCASTER 7 (League)

Half-Time 21-0

Saturday, April 19th, at Fartown

Huddersfield—Dyson (capt.); Brown, Kilroy, Curry, Breen; Balmforth, Smales; Slevin, Close, Killen, Bowman, Devereux, Thornley.

Tries: Smales 3, Kilroy 2, Breen 2, Brown, Bowman.
Goals: Dyson 4, Curry 2.

Referee: Mr. G. Wilson (Dewsbury)

Doncaster—Wilkinson; Appleyard, Matthews, Wrigglesworth, Williamson; Grace, Northern; Burt, Stokes, Hartley, Baddeley, Yemm, Bowers.

Try: Bowers.
Goals: Grace 2.

HUDDERSFIELD 16, BARROW 23 (League)

Half-Time 9-8

Monday, April 21st, at Fartown

Huddersfield—Dyson (capt.); Balmforth, Barrow, Curry, Breen; Smales, Quinn; Slevin, Wood, Shacklady, Bowman, Devereux, Thornley.

Tries: Smales, Bowman.
Goals: Curry 4, Smales.

Referee: Mr. T. W. Watkinson (Manchester)

Barrow—Ball; Hinchley, Goodwin, Rea, Castle; Jackson (capt.), Davies; Armstrong, McIntyre, Suart, J. Wilson, Royle, D. Wilson.

Tries: Jackson 2, Goodwin, Castle, Suart.
Goals: Ball 4.



An incident in the Barrow game at Fartown

Results of First Team Matches, 1957-58

Date 1957	Opponents	Gr'nd	Result	For			Agst			Attd.
				G	T	Pts	G	T	Pts	
Aug. 10	Halifax (friendly) ...	home	Won	10	12	56	5	3	19	6,711
.. 17	Bradford N.	home	Won	9	5	33	0	5	15	8,407
.. 21	St. Helens	away	Lost	4	0	8	5	6	28	17,000
.. 24	Wigan	away	Lost	2	1	7	5	5	25	18,293
.. 28	Leeds	home	Won	2	4	16	1	3	11	11,957
.. 31	Batley	home	Won	13	14	68	5	3	19	6,912
(1st Rd. Yorks. Cup)										
Sept. 2	Oldham	home	Lost	3	2	12	10	6	38	18,217
.. 7	Barrow	away	Lost	2	2	10	2	3	13	6,942
.. 14	York	home	Won	4	3	17	4	1	11	6,557
.. 16	Wakefield T.	away	Won	2	3	13	2	2	10	7,546
(2nd Rd. Yorks. Cup)										
.. 21	Castleford	home	Won	4	5	23	2	1	7	4,600
.. 28	Wakefield T.	away	Lost	0	3	9	4	5	23	10,000
Oct. 2	Leeds	home	Won	4	2	14	1	0	2	11,766
(Yorks. Cup Semi-final)										
.. 5	St. Helens	home	Lost	2	3	13	7	7	35	10,585
.. 12	Hull K.R.	away	Draw	4	4	20	4	4	20	5,450
.. 19	York	Headingley	Won	3	3	15	1	2	8	23,000
(Yorkshire Cup Final)										
.. 26	Hunslet	away	Lost	3	2	12	5	5	25	7,500
Nov. 2	Hull	home	Lost	2	1	7	5	3	19	6,819
.. 9	Featherstone R.	away	Lost	1	1	5	3	2	12	5,100
.. 16	Batley	home	Won	2	4	16	3	2	12	3,498
.. 23	Hull	away	Lost	1	2	8	8	9	43	10,000
.. 30	Bramley	home	Won	2	3	13	1	0	2	3,949
Dec. 7	Batley	away	Won	2	3	13	1	2	8	2,600
.. 14	Featherstone R.	home	Won	3	4	18	2	2	10	6,167
.. 21	Hunslet	home	Won	2	4	16	1	2	8	6,701
.. 25	Halifax	away	Lost	0	1	3	5	10	40	12,567
.. 26	Halifax	home	Lost	1	1	5	4	5	23	13,400
.. 28	Doncaster	away	Won	2	5	19	0	0	0	1,000
1958										
Jan. 11	Dewsbury	home	Won	6	9	39	4	3	17	3,692
.. 18	Castleford	away	Won	8	10	46	2	1	7	2,500
Feb. 1	Dewsbury	away	Won	2	2	10	2	1	7	3,308
.. 8	Halifax	home	Lost	0	0	0	3	3	15	12,742
(1st Rd. R.L. Cup)										
.. 15	Leeds	away	Lost	1	0	2	5	6	28	13,600
.. 22	Bramley	away	Lost	0	1	3	4	3	17	3,000
Mar. 8	Wakefield T.	home	Won	4	0	8	0	1	3	4,830
.. 15	Hull K.R.	home	Lost	2	1	7	4	0	8	3,522
.. 22	York	away	Won	3	1	9	3	0	6	4,933
Apr. 5	Keighley	away	Lost	0	2	6	4	6	26	4,500
.. 7	Oldham	away	Lost	0	1	3	3	7	27	15,000
.. 8	Keighley	home	Lost	1	1	5	5	3	19	5,045
.. 12	Bradford N.	away	Won	3	6	24	3	5	21	5,000
.. 16	Wigan	home	Lost	1	3	11	5	7	31	6,185
.. 19	Doncaster	home	Won	6	9	39	2	1	7	2,855
.. 21	Barrow	home	Lost	5	2	16	4	5	23	3,754



Austin Kilroy



Roy Thornley



Jim Clarke



Ray Cecil

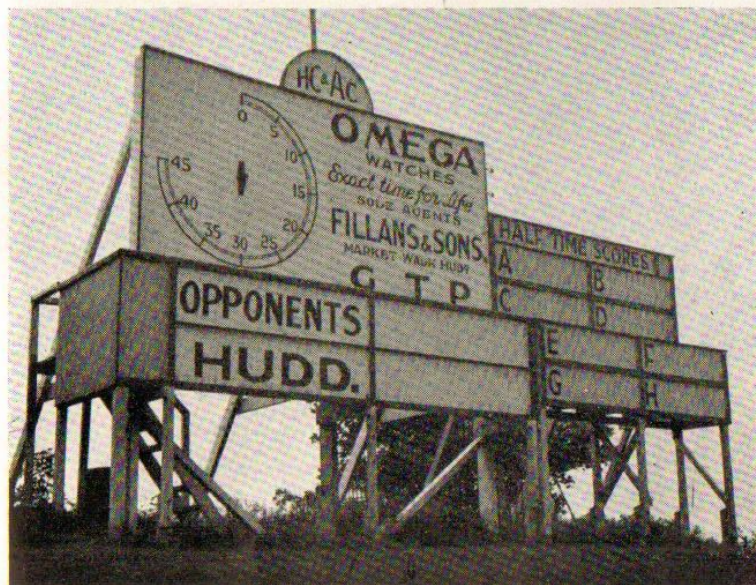
Results of "A" Team Matches, 1957-58

Date	Opponents	Gr'nd	Result	For			Agst		
				G	T	Pts	G	T	Pts
1957									
Aug. 17	Doncaster	away	Won	7	5	29	3	1	9
" 23	York	home	Won	6	7	33	1	2	8
" 31	Halifax	away	Won	4	5	23	3	1	9
Sept. 7	Hull	home	Lost	4	4	20	5	9	37
" 14	Featherstone R.	away	Lost	5	1	13	4	3	17
" 21	Dewsbury	away	Won	0	2	6	1	1	5
" 28	Wakefield T.	home	Won	5	4	22	4	1	11
Oct. 5	Bramley	away	Lost	4	2	14	4	5	23
" 12	Castleford	home	Won	4	5	23	4	3	17
" 19	Hunslet	away	Won	2	7	25	1	1	5
" 26	Keighley	home	Lost	1	3	11	4	3	17
Nov. 2	Batley	away	Lost	2	1	7	3	1	9
" 9	Halifax	home	Lost	3	1	9	2	3	13
" 16	Keighley	away	Won	6	2	18	2	4	16
" 23	Bramley	home	Won	7	4	26	3	3	15
" 30	Wakefield T.	away	Lost	1	4	14	4	4	20
Dec. 7	Featherstone R.	home	Won	3	3	15	1	1	5
" 14	Bradford N.	away	Won	3	5	21	5	3	19
" 28	Batley	home	Won	4	4	20	0	2	6
1958									
Jan. 11	Castleford	away	Won	6	10	42	2	0	4
" 18	Hunslet	home	Won	2	6	22	2	1	7
Feb. 1	Hull K.R.	home	Won	5	5	25	4	3	17
" 15	Leeds	home	Won	2	4	16	3	0	6
" 22	Hunslet (Y.S.C.C. 1st Rd.)	home	Won	3	2	12	1	0	2
Mar. 8	York	away	Won	5	5	25	0	1	3
" 22	Leeds	away	Won	6	2	18	2	3	13
" 29	Hull K.R.	away	Won	1	2	8	3	0	6
Apl. 5	Doncaster	home	Won	11	18	76	0	0	0
" 12	Dewsbury	home	Won	6	11	45	1	1	5
" 14	Bradford N.	home	Lost	2	3	13	4	6	26
" 19	Hull	away	Lost	4	4	20	6	9	39
" 23	Halifax (Y.S.C.C. 2nd Rd.)	away	Lost	4	1	11	3	4	18
May 2	Hull	away	Lost	1	2	8	3	1	9
	(League Semi-final)								

One bright feature last season was the work of the "A" team under the captaincy of George Roughley. They got into the Top Four of their competition, losing in the Semi-final play-off at Hull.

From December 7th to April 12th they were unbeaten, winning thirteen consecutive matches.

The Half-Time Scoreboard



The Holme Valley Branch of the Huddersfield C. & A.C. Supporters' Club presented the Half-time Scoreboard to the senior club and it was first put into use on November 10th, 1956, when the Australian Tourists were playing at Fartown.

The Omega Clock has long been a prominent feature of the Fartown landscape. It has, in fact, been recording the time at Fartown matches for us since February, 1931, when Brookland Rovers were here in a R.L. cup-tie.

First Team Debuts during Season 1957-58

Brian Curry v. Halifax (home), August 10th.
 Ray Thompson v. Barrow (away), September 7th.
 Brian Shacklady v. St. Helens (home), October 5th.
 Kenneth Lister v. Hull K.R. (away), October 12th.
 Roy Needham v. Hunslet (away), October 26th.
 Kevin Brasch v. Featherstone (away), November 9th.
 Douglas Iredale v. Batley (home), November 16th.
 Jim Clarke v. Bramley (home), November 30th.
 Roy Thornley v. Bramley (home), November 30th.
 George Killen v. Featherstone (home), December 14th.
 Geoffrey Needham v. Halifax (home), December 26th.
 Aidan Breen v. Dewsbury (away), February 1st.
 Terry Brown v. Dewsbury (away), February 1st.
 Don Devereux v. Bramley (away), February 22nd.
 David Close v. Wakefield T. (home), March 8th.
 Keith Balmforth v. York (away), March 22nd.

Signings

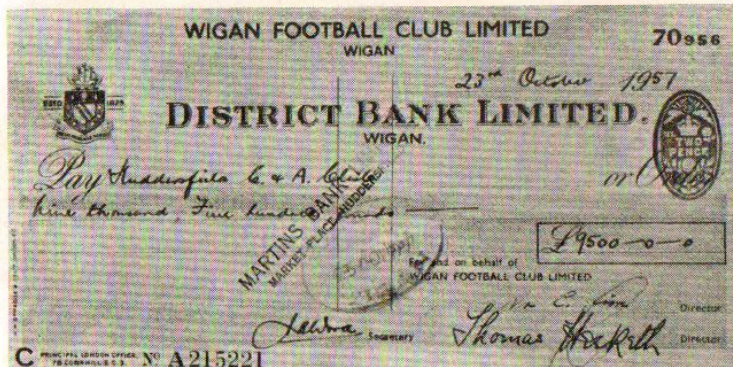
David Close (hooker), Castleford junior, September 17th.
 K. Lister (forward), Bradford junior, August 29th.
 J. Clarke (forward), Orford Tannery, November 28th.
 R. Thornley (loose forward), Blackpool Borough, November 29th.
 G. Needham (winger), Oldham junior, December 19th.
 P. W. Schofield (winger), Dewsbury junior, December 19th
 (amateur).
 G. Killen (prop forward), Whitehaven, December 21st.
 Keith Balmforth (stand-off), Halifax junior, January 14th.
 J. T. Brown (winger), Roundhay R.U., January 21st.
 M. A. Breen (winger), Broughton Park R.U., January 23rd.
 Don Devereux (second row), Neath R.U., February 21st.
 D. Iredale (winger), Local junior, April 30th.
 A. Brown (winger), Rhodesia, South Africa, July 21st.

Transfers

M. Sullivan to Wigan, October 23rd.
 H. Bradshaw to Dewsbury, November 2nd.
 Bob Thompson to Batley, December 17th.
 B. Briggs to St. Helens, February 14th.
 P. Henderson, J. Large, D. D. Valentine and G. Roughley retired.
 J. E. Barker, G. Needham and R. Rylance were crossed off the register.

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The History-making Cheque



Rugby League history was made in the early hours of October 23rd, 1957, when Wigan paid £9,500 for the transfer of Michael Sullivan. This figure was well in excess of the previous highest amount paid for a player.

Sullivan's transfer was one of the biggest—if not the biggest—disappointments of the season. No-one at Fartown wanted him to leave—indeed the club could ill afford to lose him, especially as Peter Henderson, the only other experienced wingman on the books, had just gone back to his native country.

Sullivan remained adamant, however, and could not be shaken in his desire for a move. His request for a transfer was finally granted and within a few hours of the announcement he was a Wigan player.

Representative Games, 1957-58

- F. Dyson**—Yorkshire v. Cumberland (4 goals); Yorkshire v. Lancashire (5 goals). Dyson captained Yorkshire (who won the County Championship) in both games.
B. Briggs—Yorkshire v. Cumberland. Selected for Yorkshire v. Lancashire but withdrew owing to injury.
M. Sullivan—Yorkshire v. Cumberland (try); Yorkshire v. Lancashire (2 tries).

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Fartown's Final League Placings, 1957-58

THE NORTHERN RUGBY FOOTBALL LEAGUE

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Oldham	38	33	4	1	803	415	67
St. Helens	38	32	6	0	842	336	64
Workington T.	38	28	8	2	685	356	58
Hull	38	27	9	2	920	431	56
Wigan	38	27	11	0	815	432	54
Halifax	38	25	11	2	819	441	52
Leigh	38	24	14	0	625	457	48
Featherstone R.	38	23	14	1	605	497	47
Wakefield T.	38	22	14	2	729	477	46
Widnes	38	23	15	0	609	453	46
Hunslet	38	22	15	1	611	569	45
York	38	19	15	4	627	587	42
Warrington	38	19	18	1	669	529	39
Leeds	38	18	19	1	657	662	37
Salford	38	18	19	1	471	542	37
Hull K.R.	38	17	19	2	477	570	36
Whitehaven	38	17	20	1	559	579	35
Huddersfield	38	17	20	1	531	675	35
Rochdale H.	38	17	20	1	466	742	35
Bradford N.	38	16	20	2	574	593	34
Barrow	38	16	20	2	579	688	34
Keighley	38	15	21	2	575	527	32
Bramley	38	14	22	2	477	728	30
Swinton	38	13	22	3	506	589	29
Blackpool B.	38	12	26	0	488	726	24
Batley	38	10	28	0	434	722	20
Liverpool C.	38	9	28	1	442	728	19
Dewsbury	38	6	28	4	375	946	16
Castleford	38	7	30	1	445	893	15
Doncaster	38	4	34	0	246	971	8

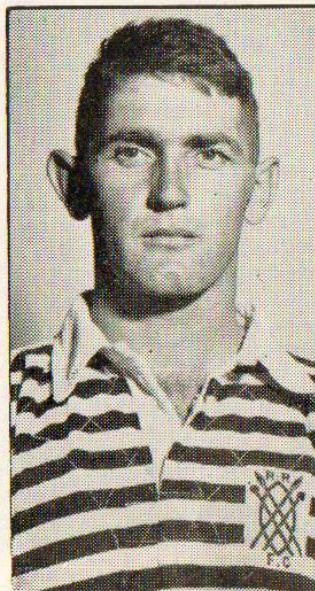
YORKSHIRE LEAGUE

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Halifax	28	24	3	1	700	257	49
Hull	28	21	5	2	699	243	44
Hunslet	28	20	7	1	480	300	41
Wakefield T.	28	19	8	1	581	262	39
Featherstone R.	28	19	9	0	489	324	38
Huddersfield	28	16	11	1	433	416	33
York	28	13	12	3	437	369	29
Hull K.R.	28	13	13	2	355	403	28

YORKSHIRE SENIOR COMPETITION

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Halifax	30	22	6	2	647	297	46
Hull	30	23	7	0	699	363	46
Huddersfield	30	21	9	0	659	387	42
York	30	20	10	0	552	334	40
Featherstone R.	30	18	10	2	519	372	38

Fartown's New South African Signing



ATHOL BROWN started his senior playing career in South African football with the Rhodesian Railways team and later turned out with Raylton R.U.F.C. of Bulawayo in the South Rhodesian League. He was in the running for Springbok trials and had been selected for Rhodesian trials.

He can play on either wing, has had some experience as a centre three-quarter and was his club's leading try-scorer during the last two seasons.

A native of Cape Town, Brown was a locomotive driver. He is 25 years old and is single.

He arrived in Huddersfield on July 6th and took part in the first official training session a couple of days later.

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First Team Individual Records

	App.	G	T	Pts
K. Balmforth	5	—	1	3
R. Barrow	41	—	22	66
K. D. Bowman	24	—	7	21
K. Brasch	2	—	—	—
M. A. Breen	13	—	4	12
B. Briggs	24	—	3	9
J. T. Brown	4	—	2	6
R. J. Cecil	23	1	1	5
J. Clarke	11	—	2	6
D. Close	4	—	1	3
A. Colburn	15	—	9	27
B. Curry	11	36	1	75
D. Devereux	7	—	—	—
F. Dyson	37	92	6	202
J. Fairbank	19	1	2	8
D. Flint	15	—	—	—
T. Gorman	5	—	1	3
B. Heap	4	—	—	—
P. Henderson	10	—	8	24
D. Iredale	2	—	—	—

	App.	G	T	Pts
G. Killen	20	—	1	3
A. Kilroy	26	—	14	42
K. Lister	5	—	—	—
G. Needham	3	—	4	12
R. Needham	1	—	—	—
H. Plunkett	26	—	7	21
A. Quinn	2	—	—	—
P. Ramsden	23	—	2	6
G. Roughley	1	—	—	—
B. Shacklady	4	—	—	—
E. Slevin	41	—	—	—
T. Smales	40	1	19	59
M. Sullivan	16	—	22	66
Bob Thompson	9	—	—	—
Ray Thompson	1	—	—	—
R. Thornley	20	—	2	6
D. Valentine	20	—	4	12
N. Wainwright	1	—	—	—
R. Wood	37	—	—	—

"A" Team Individual Records

	App.	G	T	Pts
P. Aldred	20	—	12	36
D. Baker	2	—	—	—
K. Balmforth	12	—	5	15
J. E. Barker	6	—	3	9
K. D. Bowman	3	—	4	12
K. Brasch	5	—	3	15
B. Briggs	1	—	—	—
C. Brook	4	—	—	—
T. Camm	1	—	—	—
R. J. Cecil	8	—	1	3
J. Clarke	14	—	—	—
D. Close	28	—	5	15
A. Colburn	11	14	9	55
B. Curry	20	67	5	149
A. Dixon	3	—	—	—
F. Dyson	1	4	—	8
J. Fairbank	1	3	—	6
D. Flint	13	28	—	56
J. W. Gill	11	9	1	21
T. Gorman	17	—	11	33
B. Heap	26	—	3	9
G. Howe	11	—	1	3
D. Iredale	20	—	21	63

	App.	G	T	Pts
A. Kilroy	2	—	—	—
K. Lister	19	—	5	15
P. Longbottom	6	—	5	15
G. Needham	6	—	8	24
R. Needham	2	—	—	—
D. Nobles	3	—	1	3
H. Plunkett	3	—	2	6
J. Power	19	—	4	12
A. Quinn	24	—	9	27
P. Ramsden	1	—	—	—
G. Roughley	24	—	11	33
T. Smales	1	—	1	3
P. Schofield	2	—	1	3
B. Shacklady	26	3	7	27
E. Slevin	1	—	—	—
Bob Thompson	5	—	—	—
Ray Thompson	16	—	2	6
R. Thornley	1	1	1	5
A. Tinker	3	—	—	—
N. Wainwright	7	—	—	—
J. Wildey	4	—	2	6
R. Wood	1	—	—	—
A. N. Others	15	—	1	3

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Departures

The club lost several former first team players during the season through various reasons. Here are their Fartown playing records:—

—FIRST TEAM—				— "A" TEAM —				
App	G	T	Pts	App	G	T	Pts	
J. E. Barker	20	—	9	27	14	—	8	24
H. Bradshaw	133	—	12	36	—	—	—	—
B. Briggs	133	—	21	63	6	—	2	6
P. Henderson	258	—	214	642	4	—	4	12
J. Large	148	—	28	84	11	—	1	3
G. Roughley	42	—	12	36	40	—	17	51
R. Rylance	104	107	29	301	27	34	7	89
M. Sullivan	125	—	103	309	75	—	76	228
Bob Thompson	16	—	—	—	117	—	17	51
D. D. Valentine	377	—	73	219	3	—	2	6

Scoring Feats, 1957-58

First Team

F. DYSON
13 goals, 2 tries v. Batley (h) Y.C.
8 goals v. Castleford (a)
6 goals v. Dewsbury (h)

B. CURRY
10 goals v. Halifax (h) Friendly
9 goals v. Bradford N. (h)

T. SMALES
3 tries v. Doncaster (h)

B. CURRY
11 goals, 4 tries v. Doncaster (h)
6 goals v. Keighley (a)
6 goals v. Castleford (a)
6 goals v. Leeds (a)
5 goals v. Wakefield T. (h)
5 goals v. York (a)

K. BOWMAN
4 tries v. Castleford (a)

M. SULLIVAN
6 tries v. Batley (h) Y.C.
4 tries v. Castleford (h)
3 tries v. Halifax (h) Friendly

R. BARROW
4 tries v. Halifax (h) Friendly
3 tries v. Dewsbury (h)

A. KILROY
3 tries v. Castleford (a)

"A" Team

D. FLINT
7 goals v. Doncaster (a)
5 goals v. Bramley (h)
5 goals v. Dewsbury (h)

P. ALDRED
3 tries v. Doncaster (h)

G. NEEDHAM
3 tries v. Wakefield T. (a)
3 tries v. Bradford N. (a)



Aidan Breen



Keith Balmforth

Fartown Club Records

Most Goals in a Season—150 by Ben Gronow, 1914-15.

Most Tries in a Season—80 by Albert Rosenfeld, 1913-14.

Most Appearances in a Season—50 by G. Curran and E. Slevin, 1952-53.

Most Goals in a match—18 (and 1 try) by Major Holland v. Swinton Park (h), February, 1914.

Most Tries in a match—10 (and 2 goals) by Lionel Cooper v. Keighley (h), November, 1951.

Highest Aggregate of Goals—723 by Ben Gronow.

Highest Aggregate of Tries—432 by Lionel Cooper.

Highest Number of Appearances—501 by Douglas Clark.

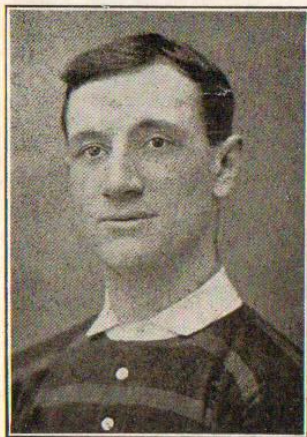
Most Consecutive Appearances—122 by Ernie Mills, December 1929 to September, 1932.

Most Consecutive Scoring Appearances—45 by Frank Dyson (1956-57) 161 goals and 6 tries.

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Leading Aggregate Fartown Scorers

Goals		Tries		Points	
B. Gronow	723	L. W. Cooper ...	432	B. Gronow	1701
J. Bawden	556	A. A. Rosenfeld	388	J. Bawden	1400
F. Dyson	422	E. Mills	289	L. W. Cooper ..	1386
P. C. Devery ..	400	R. T. Markham	264	A. A. Rosenfeld	1168
L. C. Bowkett ..	308	S. Moorhouse ..	251	P. Devery	1106
M. Holland	299	A. E. Fiddes ...	232	A. E. Fiddes ...	1062
W. T. Davies ...	247	W. F. Kitchin ..	220	F. Dyson	955
T. Grey	198	P. Henderson ...	214	E. Mills	913
J. Brook	192	H. Wagstaff	195	R. T. Markham	798
H. Sherwood ...	187	G. R. Pepperell	135	S. Moorhouse ..	755
A. E. Fiddes ...	183	W. H. Johnson	134	L. C. Bowkett ..	736
E. Wrigley	162	T. Gleeson	119	W. F. Kitchin ..	700
P. Holroyd	147	J. H. Rogers ...	115	W. T. Davies ..	665
S. V. Pepperell	128	R. Cracknell ...	113	P. Henderson ...	642
R. Rylance	107	G. Todd	111	M. Holland	619
W. Belshaw	104	M. Sullivan	103	H. Wagstaff ...	613
A. Davies	87	P. C. Devery ..	102	F. Wrigley	576
J. Oliver	75	S. V. Pepperell	101	S. V. Pepperell	559
S. O. Walmsley	62	D. Clark	99		
		J. Bawden	96		



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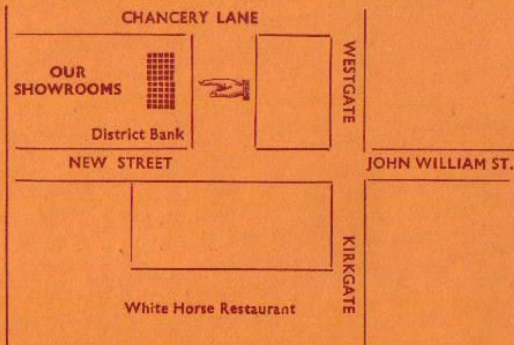
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