

STAINLAND WIN PARISH CUP.

Holroyd's Bowling Successes.

Stainland won the Halifax Parish Cup, at Thrum Hall, last night, by a margin of 51 runs, after their innings had been suspended at 150 for nine.

The Stainland batsmen did not restart their innings last evening in impressive fashion, four additional wickets falling for six runs. H. Warrington and T. Smithies, however, offered unexpected resistance.

Siddal, in reply, after losing W. Crossley at 12, promised great things as the result of a good partnership between Herbert Hanson and H. Gill. Following the departure of these two players, however, Siddal collapsed badly, only J. Robinson tackling the slow deliveries of Sykes with any confidence. Had Robinson known when to restrain himself from hitting the shorter-pitched-up ball, he would have scored many more runs. He hit Sykes over the ring on a few occasions but was finally smartly caught at long-on by J. Barron.

Hanson (30) and Gill (27) batted splendidly and gave their colleagues a fine incentive. Both introduced clever stroke play. E. Holroyd captured five Siddal wickets for 28, Sykes claiming three for 32.

The Mayor, Coun. Mrs. Lightowler, J.P. presented the cup to the winners.

The gate realised £16 13s. Details:

Stainland 150 for 9, innings suspended—
J. E. Ellis b Hume 23, E. Holroyd b Balmforth 10, E. Taylor c Crossley b Balmforth 2, W. Barron b Wright 60, W. Thorpe c Wellock b Wright 0, J. Barron c Kitson b Robinson 24, L. Clegg b Hume 4, H. Normington not out 15, S. Sykes b Robinson 5, G. Taylor c Kitson b Robinson 0, T. Smithies not out 5, extras 4.

Siddal 99.—W. Crossley b Holroyd 2, H. Gill lbw b E. Taylor 27, H. Hanson c J. Barron b Sykes 30, C. Holmes b Holroyd 11, E. Balmforth c W. Barron b Holroyd 0, M. Wellock run out 3, E. Tomlinson b Holroyd 1, J. Robinson c J. Barron b Sykes 19, J. Wright st W. Barron b Sykes 3, J. Hume not out 0, H. Kitson b Holroyd 1, extras 2.