

Parish's first flirtation with the Hepworth Tailoring Cup proved to be a brief one as they were squeezed out of the competition by Gildersome on Sunday.

The Mirfield side made a disastrous start on an unpredictable wicket, losing Laycock for one in the first over and Griffiths for the same score in the third.

Lumb (37) and Woollard (13) stopped the rot, and Fretwell (25) and Dawson (16) combined to push the score to 145 all out.

Gildersome found runs hard to come by when they faced H. Fretwell, and both openers were back in the pavilion with 30 on the board. Mirfield seemed to have the game in their grasp when Gildersome tottered to 83-8, but Crossley and Burley hit out to take the score to 137 before Burley was run out for 29.

Both sides endured some nail-biting moments before Crossley (23 not out) and last man Lindley (eight not out) steered the home team to victory with only one more over remaining.

#### GILDERSOME v. MIRFIELD

PARISH	
Mirfield Parish	
Laycock c Blackburn b Handley	1
Lumb c Lindley b Handley	37
Griffiths c Lindley b Handley	1
Woollard b Handley	13
Lawson c Lowrey b Handley	9
Briggs c Lowrey b Handley	0
H. Fretwell b Lindley	25
Dawson c Lowrey b Burley	16
Patel c Lowrey b Lindley	5
Hodge not out	9
C. Fretwell c Charleworth b Lindley	8
Extras 21	Total 145
<b>Bowling:</b> Burley 19-6-29-1; Handley 15-4-49-6; Smith 2-0-9-0; Lindley 9-3-1-37-3.	

Gildersome	
Smith c Dawson b H. Fretwell	14
Atkinson c Hodge b H. Fretwell	7
Charleworth c Woollard b H. Fretwell	16
Handley b Woollard	15
Nicholson st Briggs b H. Fretwell	4
Lucas c Briggs b Woollard	15
Crossley not out	23
Lowrey c Woollard b H. Fretwell	0
Blackburn b Woollard	0
Burley run out	29
Lindley not out	8
Extras 18	Total (for 9 wks) 149
<b>Bowling:</b> Patel 16-1-53-0; H. Fretwell 18-3-55-5; Woollard 10-2-23-3.	