

Halifax Parish Cup.—Final.
MYTHOLMROYD v. GREETLAND.

A. King Cross.

Greetland.	
D. Crossley lbw. b Wilkinson	21
F. Blagborough c Haigh b Wilkinson	82
N. Saville lbw b F. L. Greenwood	14
C. Peel c Kilner b Wilkinson	11
H. Schofield lbw. b Bowe	3
F. Webster c Fitton b Kilner	30
H. Crowther c Kilner b Wilkinson	21
E. Crossley not out	18
S. Lawfield c Fitton b Bowe	1
S. Evans b Bowe	2
S. Thwaites c Kilner b Bowe	0
Extras 10	Total 213
49 78 82 143 180 185 194 203 213 213	
Mytholmroyd.	
N. Greenwood c and b E. Crossley	4
H. Greenwood run out	36
E. Kilner c D. Crossley b Webster	48
K. L. Rogan b Evans	9
G. Croad not out	80
P. L. Greenwood b Lawfield	25
H. Fitton not out	5
Extras 8	Total for 5 wks. 219
7 88 91 117 166 175	

Mytholmroyd bowling: E. Bowe 4 for 50.
G. Croad 0 for 53. H. Fitton 0 for 23. F. Wilkinson 4 for 63. F. L. Greenwood 1 for 9. E. Kilner 1 for 5.

HALIFAX PARISH CUP.

MYTHOLMROYD WIN TROPHY BY FIVE WICKETS.

Last Saturday and on Monday night Mytholmroyd played Greetland in the final of the Halifax Parish Cup Competition on the King Cross ground. Two special buses went from Mytholmroyd, besides numerous supporters who went by other means, and Greetland also had many supporters, the Kingston ground being well filled. Mytholmroyd won the toss and H. Greenwood and N. Greenwood opened to the bowling of E. Crossley and Evans. With only seven runs on the board N. Greenwood returned a catch to E. Crossley, which was accepted. E. Kilner was next, and he was soon in his stride, and runs came easily. These two batsmen appeared likely to stay for some time, but after being badly missed by D. Crossley when he had scored 41, H. Greenwood was run out, after a capital knock of 36. When wanting only two runs for his half-century Kilner was caught in attempting to hit out. It was a bright innings and included seven fours. His partnership with H. Greenwood realised 81 runs. K. L. Rogan did not stay long, but then came another stand by G. Croad and F. L. Greenwood. Croad scored rapidly, and when the innings was suspended according to rule at 152 for 4 he was undefeated with 33 and F. L. Greenwood was 16 not out.

Greetland started their reply at 5-15. D. Crossley and F. Blagborough opening to Bowe and Croad. Crossley scored well, his partner being content to stonewall. With the total at 23 and his own score 19, D. Crossley had to retire with a damaged knee. Saville joined Blagborough and was soon off the mark, the latter taking no risks whatever. After Saville's dismissal Peel was splendidly caught by Kilner after a thirty-yard run. F. Webster, Greetland's captain, joined Blagborough in a stand of 61 for the fourth wicket, Kilner breaking the partnership by having Webster caught by Fitton. The Greetland total reached 153 for 4. Blagborough 63 not out this fifty occupied 140 minutes and the play was stopped for the day at this juncture. F. Wilkinson had sent down 20 consecutive overs for 44 runs and one wicket.

On Monday night the game was continued and there was some exciting play. Greetland's remaining five wickets fell for the addition of 50 runs, the total being 213. Wilkinson and Bowe each had three wickets on Monday night. Blagborough's slow but splendid innings came to a close when Haigh accepted a catch behind the wicket. He had made 82.

Mytholmroyd required 62 runs to win with five wickets to fall, and they accomplished it easily, losing only one more wicket, that of F. L. Greenwood, who added nine runs to his Saturday score of 16. G. Croad dominated the batting, hitting with great power and being undefeated at the close with 80, including 17 fours. He played a great innings, and it was unfortunate for him not to complete his half-century on the Saturday when the spectators were more numerous.

After the game the Cup was handed over to H. Greenwood, the Mytholmroyd captain, by the Mayor of Halifax, Coun. W. Brenard, J.P., who congratulated the winners on their fine performance.

Mytholmroyd have now won the trophy on four occasions: 1912, 1923-24 and 1936.

Mytholmroyd were unfortunate in the league competition on Tuesday night. They should have played Sowerby, who are well down in the league table, but rain interfered and consequently the game was abandoned, each side taking a point. The Royters are badly in need of points in view of their bid for championship honours.