

Professional Soccer is making an effort to clean up conduct on the field, and now Rugby League appears to be following suit. Another player was sent off yesterday — Oldham's loose forward Clark, against Bradford Northern — bringing the weekend's total to eight and making a tally of 16 for the last two weekend programmes.

injury and was taken to hospital. But their hopes were finally shattered 10 minutes from the end when Briggs scored his second try for Warrington from an interception.

Gunney, Hunslet's 38-year-old coach, who was playing his first league game since last April, tried hard to inspire his side and there were good displays from Clark, Barron, Maskill, Williams and Williams.

HUNSLET: Maskill, Clark, Charlton, Kurtz, Barron, Barlett, Hepples, Maskill, Watson, Sykes, Williams, Gunney.
WARRINGTON: Cunliffe, Barton, Reynolds, Briggs, Du Toit, Murphy (Conroy), Gordon, Wanbon, Heard, Brady, Gregory, Cannon (Clarkson), Henlghan.
 Referee: Mr. W. J. Greenhagh (Wigan).

stated his firm hand by despatching Fidler and Grimes, the Leigh forwards, for alleged high tackles. By that time, however, Leeds had assured victory with precise play always far superior to that of Leigh. The Lancashire team made scant use of greater possession from the scrums and had to rely on the marksmanship of Ferguson to keep them in contention early on.

Clawson had the satisfaction of opening the Leeds scoring with a penalty goal after three minutes, had three more shots on target and, in matching Batten with lively forward work, cleverly made a try for dashing Hardisty.

BATLEY WIN

Leeds ran in five tries and there could well have been many more if the speed of Atkinson and Smith on the flanks had been fully used.

Batley struggled to take a 4-2 lead against Doncaster but then ran in three quick tries to ensure by 17-12 their first win since September. Doncaster made a strong rally in the second half but they were unable

Featherstone Rovers, won 20-5 at Huyton after a tough struggle in the first half. In the centre Newlove was an excellent opportunist and scored two second-half tries. Full-back Box was good in defence and kicked four goals.

Shorthanded for three-

Swinton after a bright opening spell of 20 minutes during which they played the better Rugby and led 6-0. Their cover was unable to cope once Swinton had settled down. Williams had Bramley's outstanding player and scored an excellent late try, beating three defenders on the touchline.

RL results

SATURDAY

PLAYER'S NO. 6 COMPETITION — SEMI-FINAL

Wakefield Trinity 14 (tries: Fox, Barends; goals: Fox 4), St. Helens 9 (try: Prescott; goals: Coslett 3). Att. 3,964.

RUGBY LEAGUE

Batley 17 (tries: Hepworth, Piwinski, Fox; goals: Secker 4), Doncaster 12 (tries: Crabtree, Stocks; goals: Towle 3). Att. 800.
 Huyton 5 (try: Hammell, goal: Whitfield), Featherstone Rov. 20 (tries: Mason, Bridge, Newlove 2; goals: Box 4). Att. 250.
 Keighley 21 (tries: Jefferson, Butler, Morton; goals: Jefferson 6), Hull 10 (tries: Crane, Sullivan; goals: Boxhall 2). Att. 1,291.
 Leeds 25 (tries: Smith, Hardisty, Atkinson, Langley, Hick; goals: Clawson 4, Holmes, Leigh 3; goals: Ferguson 3, Fidler). Att. 7,011.
 Rochdale 13 (tries: Taylor, Hammond, Brelsford; goals: Chamberlain 2), Barrow 9 (try: Brophy; goals: Jarrett 3). Att. 1,533.
 Swinton 29 (tries: Preston 2,

Buckley, Smith, Fleay, Philbinn and Mackay; goals: Gowers 4), Bramley 11 (try: Williams; goals: Dewhurst 4). Att. 2,000.
 Whitehaven 8 (tries: Martin, Pringle, goal: Mather), York 22 (tries: Horner 2, Forsyth, Rippon; goals: Maloney 5). Att. 750.
 Wigan 20 (tries: Hill 2, Fuller and Parr; goals: Tyrer 4), Workington 12 (tries: McQuire, Rickerby; goals: McQuire 2), Nicholson). Att. 2,000.

YESTERDAY

Hunslet 6 (tries: Clark, Kurtz), Warrington 13 (tries: Briggs 2, Gordon; goals: Dutoit 2). Att. 750.
 Widnes 28 (tries: Dutton, Aspey, Winchester 2), Ashton, O'Neill; goals: Aspey 5), Blackpool 3 (try: Johnson). Att. 1,800.
 Bradford Northern 7 (try: Lamb; goals: Tees 2), Oldham 14 (tries: Siddall, Murphy; goals: Larder 2, Davies 2). Att. 4,279.
RL CUP — Final qualifying round — NDLB (Hull) 4, Dewsbury Celtic 6.