

Slater is again the professional. For some weeks the team will have the assistance of a wicket keeper of Dickinson, who last season played for Skipton. The second eleven are again in the Craven League.

**COUNCIL MEETING.** — At the annual meeting of the Earby Urban District Council, last night, applications for subsidy for ten new houses were approved. The Surveyor was instructed to carry out repairs to Bridge Stones and Dark Lane roads, it having been reported that the roads were in an unsatisfactory condition, and were repairable by the Council. It was reported that grants received from the County Council for the year ended March 31st, 1926, towards the maintenance of secondary roads were, Ayneslack-road, £103, Saterforth-lane, £65, an increase of £9 on the last grant.—A circular on Unemployment Grants Committee schemes was read, and it was decided to ask the County Councillor for the district, Mr. C. G. Hartley, to urge upon the county authorities the necessity of completing the main road diversion through Kelbrook, and that if an appointment be obtained with the County Council that the deputation consist of Councillors Roberts and Driver, and that they endeavour to get authority to proceed with the work on the same terms as