
MIRFIELD.

A BOY DROWNED.

Mirfield, along the river banks, was visited by the flood waters, and the village of Ravensthorpe suffered to some extent. A sad accident occurred on Saturday. A boy named Oliver Brook, the son of a miner, was with some companions on the wooden bridge crossing the Calder, playing on the balustrade. Unfortunately he slipped and fell into the swollen stream, and was swept away, it being impossible to render any help.