Topic - Functions Of Sports Management

I. Planning; Planning in sports means that organizing a game or event is a programme designed for the future to achieve predetermined goals. ~~by~~

Planning is the process of deciding what, when, where, how and who is to be done.

II. Organizing: Organizing the event in accordance with the plan helps to accomplish the organization goals smothly.

It identifies the activities required to achieve the objectives and implement the plan.

III. Staffing: Skilled and capable persons who have full knowledge of sports programme and activities need to be recruited.

this ensures that people with appropriate skills, techniques, knowledge, and experience can be available on time at the appropriate place.

I. Directing: The potential talents of children can be developed by providing them with a proper, suitable and good training by using the right fitness components and techniques.

V. Controlling: It is a technique by which instructions are issued. In this, the sports management achieves the goals of the programme or organization of the games by ordering, guiding and leading the subordinate employees, supervising them, and motivating them.

Consolation Tournament

The meaning of Consolation is to provide comfort or reassurance. To provide reassurance to the losing teams, they are given another opportunity to compete and get the consolation prize. This maintains the interest of the players and motivates them to perform better.

Therefore, this tournament is appreciated.

There are two types of Consolation tournament

I. Consolation tournament - type - I
II. Consolation tournament - type - II

I. Consolation Tournament - Type - I

In this type of consolation tournament, the teams that have lost in their first match compete with each other. The team that have got ~~byes~~ may ~~be~~ lose in the second round, but this is their first match. Therefore, the teams that lose in their first match compete with each other and the winner is declared.

It is also kept in consideration that in the consolation round, only those teams get a bye which did not get a bye in the earlier round.

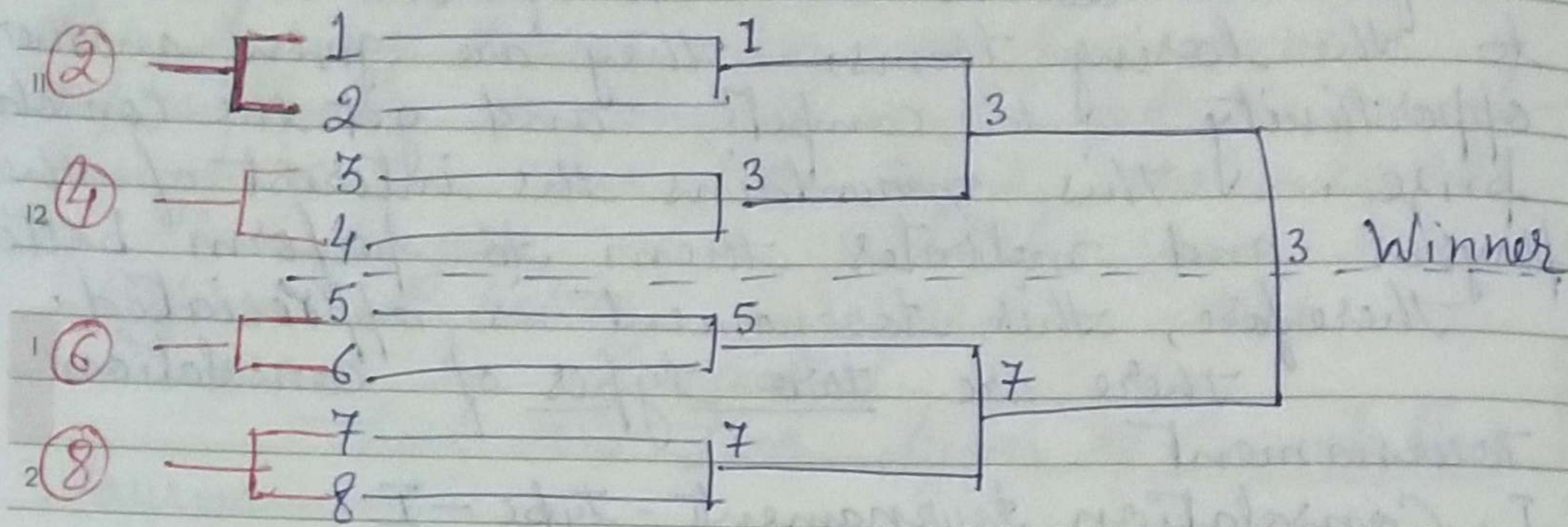
~~Exp~~ Example :-

Wk	M	T	W	T	F	S	S
1		1	2	3	4	5	6
2	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
3	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
4	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
5	28	29	30	31			

Wk	M	T	W	T	F	S	S
5					1	2	3
6	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
7	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
8	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
9	25	26	27	28			

Exampl No. 1 – Prepare a fixture for 8 teams.

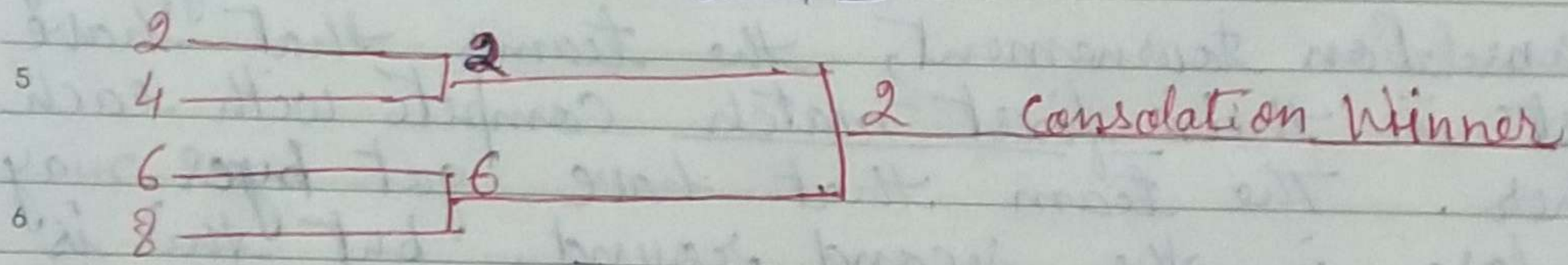
Loser Team | Team | Round-I | Round-II | Round-III



Note: the circled teams are the ones that lost.

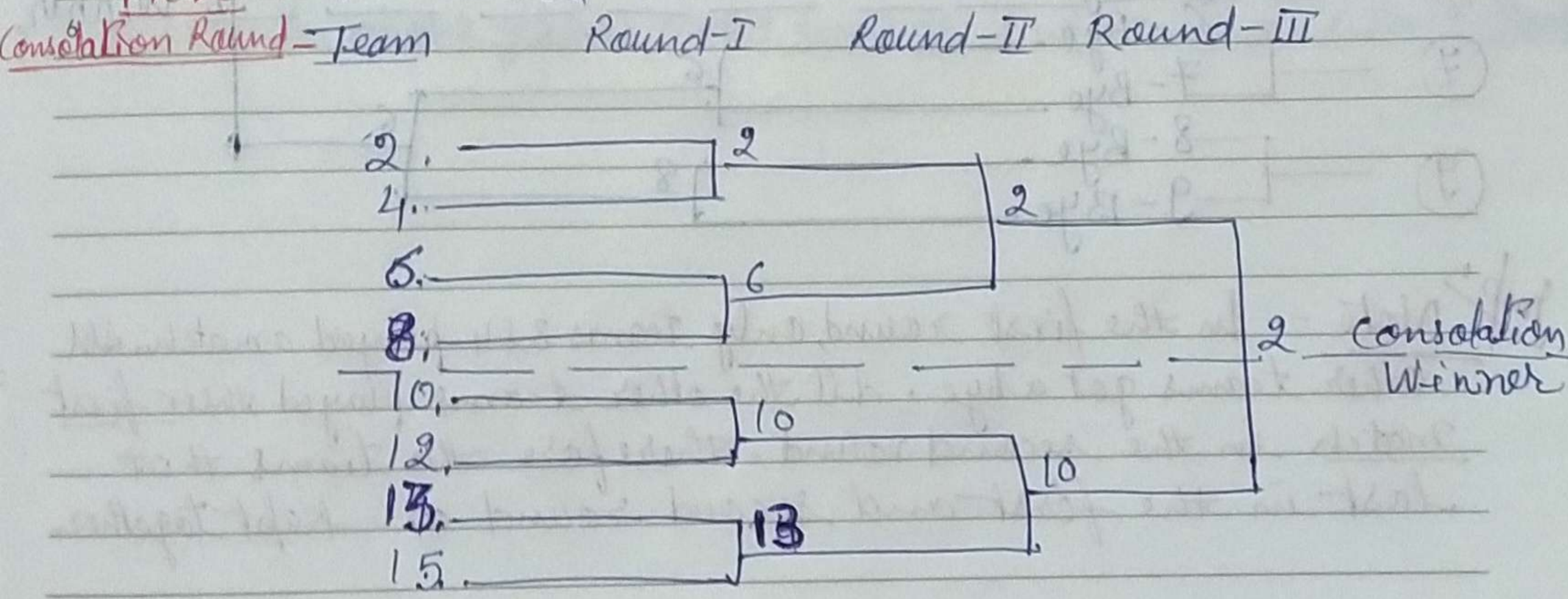
Consolation Round –

Team | Round-I | Round-II



Example No. 2. Prepare a fixture for 15 teams.

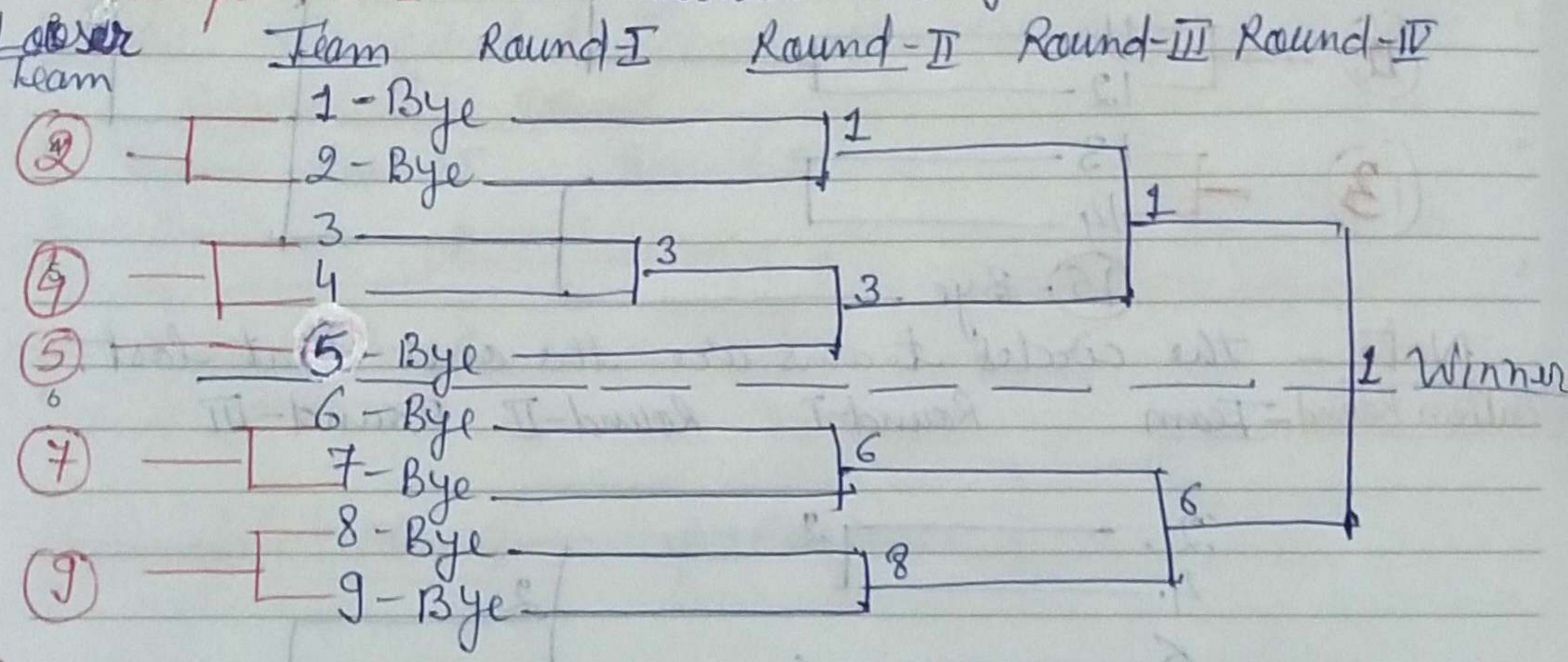
Note - the circled teams are the ones that lost.



Consolation Tournament — Type – II

In this type of tournament not only the teams losing in their first match, but the teams having lost in all the rounds compete with each other. All the losing teams get an opportunity to compete in the round in which they had lost. For instance, if a team has lost in the fourth round, then, that team will play in the fourth round and not in the previous rounds.

Example No. 1 A Fixture For 9 Teams.

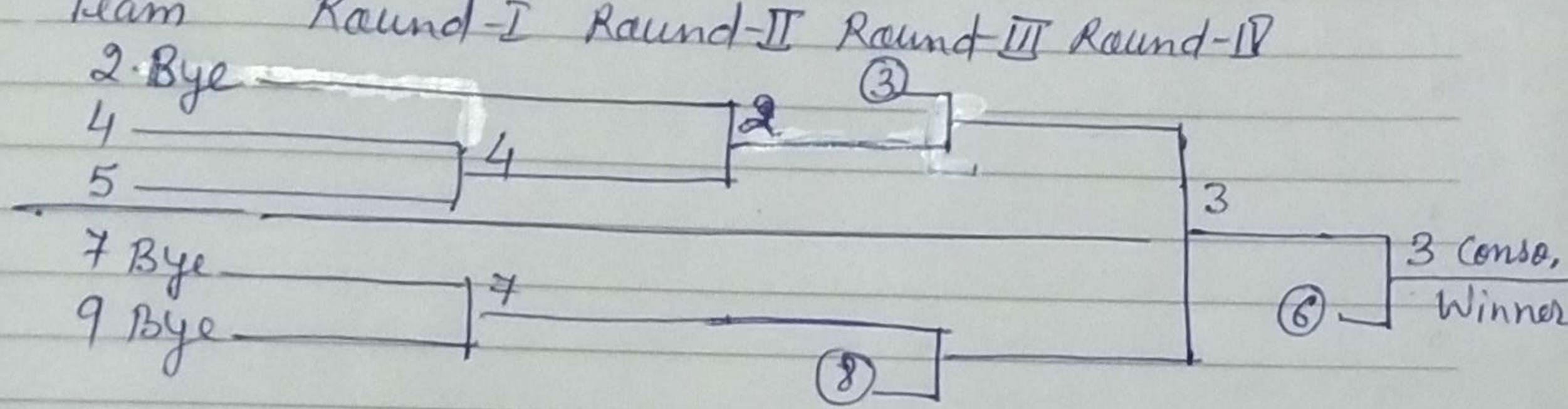


Imp: Note - In the first round, only teams 3 & 4 played a match. All other teams got a bye. All the other teams played their first match in the second round. Therefore the teams that lost in the first and second round are kept together.

Teams that Lost in First & Second Rounds	Teams that Lost in third Round	Teams Lost Forth Rounds
2	3	
4		
5		
7		6
9	8	

Fixture of Consolation Rounds:

The number as per power of two after 5 is 8. So, 8 − 5 = 3 byes will be given.



Note: In above fixture, circled teams are 2nd & 3rd round looser team