24 Nov 1941:

District Valuer had increased his offer for the covered stands from £100 to £120.

Plans for a Services match on 29 Nov to coincide with Warship Week had failed, but Gloucester Aircraft & Rotol Clubs had agreed to play, all proceeds to the British Sailors Society.

18 Feb 1942:

The Valuation Officer had finally agreed to a payment of £130 per annum.

Proceeds from the Warship Week match had amounted to £125, which had been invested on behalf of the British Sailors Society.

The England v Wales Services International match was due to be played at Kingsholm on 28 March. Charges for admission were to range from 10/- to 2/-. If the match had to be cancelled the Services would pay expenses incurred. Profits from the match would be devoted to charities as agreed by the Services Committee.

24 Mar 1942:

Arrangements for the Services International were discussed, including lunch, loudspeaker, bands (ITC & Sea Cadets), beds (accommodation at the New Inn Hotel would be at no charge), police, ticket sellers, gatemen, stewards, jobs for the committee on the day, teas (private ladies would provide since no caterer would undertake), and Air Training Cadets march past.

A newspaper cutting of the Services’ International match is pasted into the minute book here.