

# THE CITIZEN

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1929

CITY SECONDS EASY WIN.

24 POINTS MARGIN OVER CHELTENHAM A.

HOME SIDE FAIL TO CROSS VISITORS' LINE.

At the Victoria Ground. Cheltenham kicked off and kept up the attack for a few minutes, when, from a line-out the Gloucester backs got the ball and passed nicely till Hook was robbed of a chance by a knock-on before the ball came to him. More passing by the visiting threes let in Voyce and just afterwards Hook also crossed. Both tries were improved by the latter. The Cheltenham forwards dribbled well but the ground gained was yielded to the Gloucester backs who easily out-paced the opposition.

Half-time :

Gloucester A ..... 2 goals

Cheltenham ..... Nil

On resuming Gloucester were penalised in their 25 and Vick placed a goal. Hook following up his own kick, he caught the ball and ran over with a try which went unconverted. The home forwards were now carrying the scrums and a smart tussle took place between Shelley and Potter, the advantage generally resting with the forwards.

The Gloucester forwards brought off some good rushes in one of which Hook again scored. He converted this try and also placed a penalty goal. Tries were afterwards scored by Pitman and Russell.

Result :

Gloucester A .... 4 goals (1p.) 3 tries (27 pts.)

Cheltenham A ..... 1 goal (p.) (3 pts.)

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