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AFTER a fortnight's rest due to the postponement of the Wales v. England international, the Neath team return to the Gnock, and their opponents are another powerful English club — Gloucester. Games between the two clubs usually result in an attractive display of Rugby, and we anticipate a repeat to-day. We extend a cordial welcome to our Gloucester visitors and hope they have an enjoyable stay in Neath.

Our three representatives in last Saturday's international each gave a creditable display, and in offering congratulations to Courteney Meredith and Rees Stephens on being selected for the Scottish game, every Neath supporter is confident that Brian Sparks will soon re-establish himself in the Welsh side.

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Left Wing R. BLAIR—5

Half-Backs:

Outside Half D. JONES—6

Inside Half J. HOBBS—7

**H. Cross NEATH**

1—VIV EVANS\*

Full Back

Threequarters:

2—C. ROBERTS Right Wing

3—ROY JOHN'S Right Centre

4—G. THOMAS Left Centre

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