NOTES

SINCE returning from the French tour, the Neath team has slipped badly, losing three consecutive games. With skipper Meredith, Rees Stephens and Johnny Weaver on the injured list, and Cyril Roberts and Don Devereux standing by as reserves for the Welsh Trial at Swansea, the team sheet shows a number of new names, and we wish the newcomers a successful debut. For the first time for many years the “All Blacks” take the field without an International in the side.

We extend a warm and sincere welcome to our Gloucester visitors, who bring their strongest side to the Gnoll. Prominent in our visitors’ pack are George Hastings, who was one of England’s stalwart props last season, and Vic Leadbetter, who played for Newport a year or two ago. We look forward to a bright and open game.

THIS MONTH’S HOME GAMES

FIRST XV
Dec. 21—Bath
Dec. 25—London Welsh
Dec. 26—Aberavon

ATHLETIC XV
Dec. 14—Pontypool Ath.
Dec. 28—Mumbles

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