

# THE CITIZEN

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1961

JOHN SPALDING GETS SCRUM HALF JOB AT NEATH

HILLIER RETURNS TO GLO'STER XV

Young John Spalding, the United scrum-half, takes over from Mick Booth in the Gloucester premier side which travels to meet powerful Neath on Saturday.

Booth and packman Tug Wilson, both national service men at RAF Innsworth, are required for "duty" football in the Channel Islands this weekend.

Full-back Russell Hillier is selected after a fortnight's absence with an injured hand.

NEW PROP MAN

Propping with Alan Townsend for the first time will be Northern newcomer Mike Maybury, who played for Liverpool. He replaces Tony Ricketts who travels as reserve.

The team meets at Kingsholm, 9.45 a.m. prompt !

The team :

R. Hillier; R. Timms, J. Bayliss, A. Holder, P. Meadows; T. Hopson, J. Spalding; A. Townsend, M. Nicholls, M. Maybury, R. Long, A. Brinn, P. Ford, T. Davies, D. Smith.

Reserves: T. Ricketts, P. Hawker.

## INGRAM FULL-BACK FOR UNITED

Former Gloucester full-back Stan Ingram appears in his old position for the United who meet Abercarn at Kingsholm (kick-off 3.15 p.m.) on Saturday.

Old Cryptians' Bob Hannaford is selected for the three-quarter line and Gary Mace, sick since the beginning of the season, is selected at scrum-half.

John Herbert is captain for the day as the United side have not yet elected a permanent leader.

Reg Chamberlayne hooks and Hal Symonds take the middle of the back row.

United: S. Ingram; T. Bowkett, R. Hannaford, E. Stephens, C. James; J. Lowe, G. Mace; J. Herbert (capt.), R. Chamberlayne, J. Fowke, B. Hudson, D. Owen, T. Sparey, H. Symonds, B. Crawford.  
Reserves: H. Redrobe, F. Smith, A. Murphy, P. Hole.