

# THE CITIZEN

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10, 1962

## HILLIER BACK – AND LANE GETS HIS DEBUT CHANCE

Gloucester will be pulling out all the stops at Leicester on Saturday in an effort to achieve a double against the traditionally strong Midland club.

The Cherry and Whites trounced Leicester at Kingsholm at the beginning of November and recently Bath chalked up their second win of the season over the Midlanders.

And on Saturday it will be a big welcome back to tough Russell Hillier, who has not filled the premier full-back berth since the county championship game against Cornwall at Camborne, where he was injured.

It will be the first time in the senior side for wing-forward P. Lane, who has been producing excellent form for the United side in recent weeks.

Lane came to the club from Longlevens, that lively local side, and comes into the premier side in place of Scottish international David Gilbert-Smith who was injured playing for Gloucester last week.

Bob Timms returns to the wing in place of Tony Osman.

The team leaves Kingsholm by coach at 10.30, prompt.

Gloucester: R. Hillier; P. Meadows, D. Smith, A. Holder, R. Timms; T. Hopson, J. Spalding; A. Townsend (capt.), K. Taylor, J. Fowke, A. Brinn, R. Hudson, P. Ford, A. Davies, P. Lane.

Reserves: R. Chamberlayne, P. Hawker.

## UNITED'S LINE-UP

Gloucester United team entertains Pontypool at Kingsholm – team:  
S. Ingram; R. Hannaford, E. Stephens, T. Bowkett, A. Osman; J. Lowe,  
H. Redrobe; J. Herbert (capt.), M. Nicholls, A. Ricketts, D. Owen,  
R. Long, T. Sparey, M .Maybury, F. Smith.  
Reserves: P. Day, C. James, J. King, R. Crawford.

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