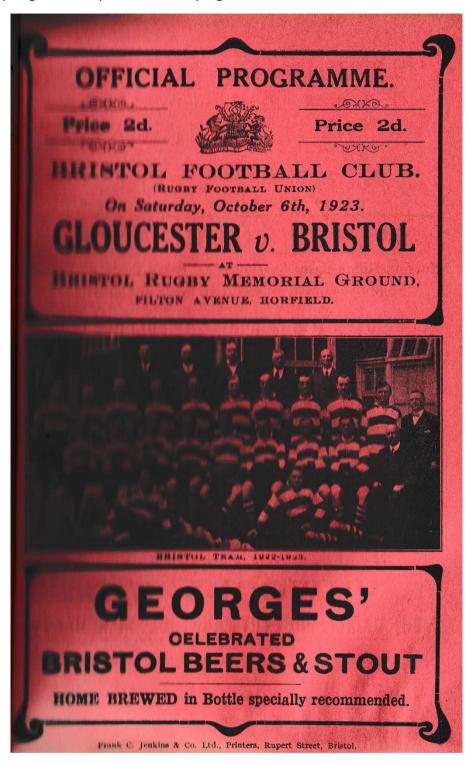
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#### OUR PORTRAIT

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What are giving you another of the younger school this week, to wit, Ernest Leslie Stinchcombe. Of course he is a statut of our Local Rugby Schools' Union and was in the statut of our Local Rugby Schools' Union and was in the statut of our scanners. On the formation of our "A" XV has one of the first choices at wing three-quarter and a good he has proved himself. He played also on many occasions as many for the first XV—no mean achievement considering has not yet calebrated his coming-of-age. Ernest has a fine and spend with any amount of dash and is going far in the game. He has the temperament—being modest in the last of the last he temperament—being modest in the last of the last of the last he temperament—being modest in the last of the



E. L. STINCHCOMBE.

#### BRISTOL'S FIRST GAMES.

(By G. T. M.)

We have received most interesting criticism on above from G. T. M.—one who the last the is critical about and regret owing to its length to have to cut it down.

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the forwards were tired and the loose got in each others way. The loose got in each others way. The

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It is the full, but it is not the style of play that is going to make converts to the tension to me that the "Welsh" who introduced the "passing game" are the structure are spoiling it to-day. In these days the business of the forwards was interested and heel and give the threes the ball, but of late years the Welsh tradeped fast forwards who control the game and spoil it to the detriment of the quarter play. The spectators want a good open game with plenty of "Handling."

It has a good conception of the proper four three-quarter game and must stick to Apinat Cardiff and Newport they played their opponents at their game but we the open game. Had that been done Newport would have been beaten. In each theorem at half has played well and with the return of Carter there is not a better thele at half has Budd and Carter. The former has such a safe pair of hands either

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#### LAST SATURDAY'S GAME.

Various opinions have been expressed on last Saturday's titanic struggle—some regard it as great, others as a poor exhibition of rugby football. Hear what the

Athletic News—"The best game yet seen on the Bristol Memorial Ground."

1.loyds—Clem Lewis says: "It was a perfectly fair result, and he would be It was a perfectly fair result, and he would be a bold man who would say that either team was the better one."

\*\*Daily Mail\*\*—The game resolved itself into a struggle between the forwards, and they were so evenly matched that neither side could claim any advantage.

\*News of the World\*\*—The Bristol forwards were in great form and were quite.

equal to their opponents.

#### TALES OUT OF SCHOOL.

Congrat's to "Marcus" upon his fine show in the "Evening News." "Marcus" writes the Schools' Rugger notes and these will appear each Wednesday during the season.

Last year's Champions gained a rather unexpected victory over Redeliffe, the numers up, by 3 tries to nil. After the first few minutes, the Castle vanguard dominated the game and their full back had to be content with two kicks, one with either foot. Barleyfields played a clinking game against North Street who were rather lucky to

boat them by 4 tries.

There are now 29 schools affiliated to the B.S.R.U. and 8 of these run a second XV. That means 555 turning out every Saturday. No wonder the boys in Dowry Square practising scrum formation instead of ball control!

The Ropewalk has long been noted.

St. Nicholas and Park Place were very evenly matched, no score resulting. Knowle underwent their christening at the hands of Moorfields. The new comers want all out. Moorfields, however, got home by 11 points to 3.

Who'll give a hand at our Saturday morning matches? We want a great many more thom. Sorry we can't pay you but we'll give you tons of pleasure. Ask the old hands. Nowfoundland and Ashley Down fixed up a friendly. The latter won by 4 tries to nil. It. Michael's just whacked Stokes Croft by a try, and St. Barnabas put paid to Anglessea Place by the odd try in three.

#### EN PASSANT.

We are pleased Archie Armstrong—the guide and philosopher of the "A" XV—is latter. The fellows are, also, for they attribute their lickings to his absence.

The Committee has sent a letter to B. W. L. Ashford carnestly trusting for a

The death of Mr. "Jimmy" Cooper of Leicester has caused the loss of a great man blugby Football. He was the Founder of the Schools' Rugby Union which we hear now reached Sunderland.

Frad Hore sends his kind regards to old friends. Congratulations to him on being

deuted for the East Midlands.

Seats.—Holders of Ring Seat Tickets must not mind someone asking them their vouchers, as we desire to detect the "merchants who appropriate seats atthent paying.

Unit supporters' Club desire to thank Messrs. John Hall & Sons. Broadmead, for maint for the Supporters' Box. The Rugby Club also thanks the firm.

The only other Glo'ster player to

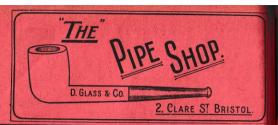
qual this was Frank Stout.

Harold Foltham is acting as Captain of the "A" XV for the time and is extremely

mpular with the boys

A way came into the dressing room last Saturday saying the City had lost by two

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