

GLOUCESTER v. **PONTYPOOL**

KINGSHOLM - GLOUCESTER

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•			9 PontypoolH		
2	R. CLEWES	R.W.	12 CoventryA		
3	J. BAYLISS (c)	R.C.	-		
4	T. PALMER (c)	L.C.	19 Bective RangersH		
5	J. DIX	L.w.	26 BristolA		

Oct. 3 BedfordH HALF BACKS R. JARDINE о.н.

'	J. SPALDING (C) S.H.	19	NewportA
	FORWARDS M. BURTON	24	Old BluesH
8	K. RICHARDSON (C)	31	Oxford UnivA
9	M. NICHOLLS (c)	Nov. 4	Newbridge H
	(Capt.)	7	Leicester H
10	R. COWLING	14	MoseleyA
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11	N. JACKSON
12	J. JARRETT (C)
13	J. HAINES
14	M. POTTER

10	R. COWLING	14 MoseleyA
11	N. JACKSON	21 AberavonH
		28 LydneyH
12	J. JARRETT (c)	Dec. 5 Newbridge
13	J. HAINES	
		12 BathA
14	M. POTTER	19 CoventryH
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		6	Bristol
		13	BathH
		20	SwanseaA
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	17	SaleH
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	THREEQUARTERS	
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OUR VISITORS

This evening we extend a cordial welcome to our Monmouthshire friends, Pontypool with whom Gloucester have had so many enjoyable games in the past. Last season, on Saturday, December 27th, 1969, a closely-fought tussle at Kingsholm ended in victory for Gloucester over Pontypool by 12 points to 6. Wingers John Horner and Bob Clewes scored tries for Gloucester and Eric Stephens landed two penalty goals.

Pontypool met with disappointment last Saturday when they were beaten at home by Bath, though it was mainly place-kicking that enabled the Somerset club to win by 17 points to 9, for their full-back, Jim Waterman, landed three penalty goals and converted his own try.

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In contrast Pontypool missed with several penalty attempts which could have brought them victory, for they also scored two tries, neither of which was converted. Seems that "Ponty", like Gloucester, have place-kicking problems!

KINGSHOLM KACKLE

Gloucester's defeat by neighbouring Cheltenham at the Athletic Ground last Saturday came as a bitter blow to Kingsholm supporters, especially those who travelled over to watch the game.

No doubt, however, the Town are still wondering how they managed to survive that terrific onslaught by the Gloucester pack in the final 20 minutes. But it was not the Cherry and Whites day, for they were distinctly unlucky to lose.

Members are reminded that they should apply as soon as possible for tickets for the match between the Western Counties and the touring Fijians at Kingsholm on Saturday, October 10th, as a capacity crowd is anticipated. Applications for tickets should be made to Gloucester R.F.C. secretary, Harold King, either at the office at Kingsholm, or at his home – 126, Podsmead Road, Gloucester.

Another reminder! There is a feast of rugger at the Athletic Ground next Sunday, September 13th, when the increasingly popular Cheltenham R.F.C. annual seven-a-side tournament is being staged. The first game, between Oxford Thursday and Clifton, kicks off at 12.30 p.m. and clubs taking part include Gloucester, Coventry, Bath, St. Luke's College, Moseley, Wasps and Penryn. Gloucester's first round match, incidentally, is against Bath, kick-off 12.50 p.m.

Bingo fans are reminded that the "eyes down" sessions are still held regularly every Monday in the Social Club. The caller is "Big Jim" Holder and "kick-off" is at 8 p.m.

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LUCKY PROGRAMME NUMBER - - THE CLIFTON GAME No. 12. Mr. W. J Fowler, 8 Alvin Street, Gloucester

SATURDAY, September 12th at Kingsholm. Kick-off 3.15 p.m. GLOUCESTER UNITED v. COVENTRY EXTRA 1st

WEDNESDAY, September 16th at Kingsholm.
GLOUCESTER v. MOSELEY

Kick-off 7 p.m.