

# THE CITIZEN

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## FOOTBALL

### GLO'STER'S GREAT VICTORY

#### VISITORS SUBDUED BY FINE PACK

Gloucester's victory over Cardiff by 13 points to 9, was a triumph for their forwards, who subdued the dangerous Cardiff three-quarters.

Writing in the "Daily Mail," J. P. Jordan says :

"It was a sparkling game throughout and although Gloucester enjoyed much more of the play, they could not drive their advantage home until seven minutes from the end, when a dropped goal by D. Meadows put them definitely on top. Cardiff possessed the more dangerous back division, but thanks to those indomitable Gloucester forwards who, after losing the ball, broke up quickly, C.W. Jones was never allowed much rope, and in consequence W. Wooller and his three-quarters rarely got into their stride.

#### VIGOROUS TACKLING

"These West Country packs know how to hunt in close formation. The Cardiff defence did not like their speedy rushes and vigorous tackling. Cliff Jones did more retreating than he cared for and Wooller had only one chance of proving the thrustful genius he is.

The Cardiff wings never got much chance, and Bassett was well looked after indeed by Tanner. Parker outshone the Cardiff full-back. He had been chosen instead of Boughton, and he fully justified the preference. His positioning was faultless and his kicking of the greatest value. – "Astral," "News Chronicle."