

# GLOUCESTERSHIRE ECHO

SATURDAY, MARCH 27, 1937

## PARKER IN FORM FOR GLOUCESTER

### CONVERTS HIS OWN TRY AGAINST LONDON WELSH

For their first holiday game Gloucester received London Welsh and both sides had to make changes.

Twice Gloucester tried passing, but the movements broke down in the centre.

The Welsh pressed, but a free kick lost them position. Hywell John, however, took them back with a pretty run, and Gloucester had to defend desperately. At last the Gloucester forwards took a hand and rushed 50 yards.

A brilliant passing movement started by Warr saw eight or nine players handle, and finally MORRIS crossed and Parker converted.

One of the finest tries this season came when PARKER fielded near his own 25, punting ahead, and, getting to the ball before the Welsh full-back, gathered to score under the post. He converted his own try.

Half-time :

Gloucester ..... 2 goals (10pts.)

London Welsh ..... Nil

Gloucester had found their feet and with the wind behind them they set up a hot attack.

Burt got the visitors out of danger with a smart run, but A'Bear replied for Gloucester and only just missed scoring.

A clever interception by Warr gave HOOK an easy try, Parker converting.

Lowe tried a long-range penalty kick for the Welsh and failed by a narrow margin.

Just before the final whistle Lowe again failed with a penalty kick.

Final :

Gloucester ..... 3 goals (15pts.)

London Welsh ..... Nil

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