

THE CITIZEN

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1964

BACK TO LEAD GLO'STER AT BATH

Alan Holder, injured for several matches, is back to lead the Gloucester side in their away game against Bath this Saturday.

Gloucester field the strongest premier team for some weeks with all the county players except Peter Ford, who is playing for England at Twickenham, returned to normal club duties.

John Bayliss, in the county centre berth last week, returns to the premier side and Gary White takes over Ford's wing-forward position.

Team: A. Holder (capt.); R. Smith. J. Bayliss, R. Pitt, R. Timms; T. Hopson, M. Booth; A. Townsend, M. Wetson, J. Fowke, A. Brinn, B. Hudson, G. White, D. Owen, D. Smith.
Res: R. Long, K. Taylor. Coach 1.15.

OLD BLUES CENTRE

Peter Meadows, who played well at scrum-half for Gloucester United last week, is retained for that position against Bath United at Kingsholm on Saturday – in the absence of Gloucester's only other scrum-half, Gary Mace, who is on the injured list. Bob Timms replaces him on the premier wing.

Continuing their search for United centres, Gloucester have secured the services of Ray Benfield, of Old Blues, for this match. Malvern newcomer D. Evans retains his propping position with another new prop, M. Hedges, who has been playing for Stow-on-the-Wold and lives at Kingham.

United: M. Tocknell; G. Laurie, R. Nield, R. Benfield (Old Blues),
A. Osman; D. Ainge, P. Meadows; D. Evans, N. Halls, M. Hedges,
R. Bassi, B. McDougall, P. Hawker (capt.), H. Symonds, P. Lane.
Reserves: J. King, I. Oakes, A. Nield, K. Balham.
Kick-off 3 p.m.

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