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Gloucester v. Cheltenham

KINGSHOLM, GLOUCESTER

THURSDAY, 22nd SEPTEMBER, 1960 Kick-off 6.0 p.m

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Gloucester RED AND WHITE

Full Back
1 **A. Holder** (C)

Threequarters

- 2 **R. Smith**
3 **J. Taylor**
4 **J. Lowe**
5 **R. Timms**

Halves

- 6 **T. Hopson**
7 **G. Mace**

Forwards

- 8 **R. Fowke** (C)
9 **C. Thomas** (C)
10 **A. Townsend**
11 **B. Green**
12 **R. Long**
13 **P. Ford** (C)
14 **D. Owen** (Captain)
15 **D. Smith**

FIRST XV. FIXTURES

R.W.	Sept. 5	Waterloo	H	26-12
R.C.	7	Cardiff	A	0-14
L.C.	10	Lydney	H	14-14
L.W.	15	Stroud	A	8-0
	17	Moseley	H	10-5
	22	Cheltenham	H	
	24	Bristol	A	
	28	Pontypool	A	
O.H.	Oct. 1	Bedford	H	
S.H.	8	Neath	H	
	15	Newport	A	
	22	Coventry	A	
	29	Oxford Univ.	A	
	Nov. 5	Leicester	H	
	12	Moseley	A	
	19	Aberavon	H	
	26	Old Blues	H	
	Dec. 3	Neath	A	
	10	Bath	A	
	17	Coventry	H	
	24	Pontypool	H	
	26	O.M.T.	H	
	27	U.A.U.	H	
	31	Newbridge	H	

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(I) International
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(C) County

Cheltenham

Full Back
1 **D. W. Jones**

Threequarters

- 2 **D. Brooks** R.W.
3 **D. W. Quant** R.C.
4 **K. Ibbotson** L.C.
5 **G. B. Osborn** L.W.

Halves

- 6 **C. Bevan** O.H.
7 **W. H. Neild** S.H.

Forwards

- 8 **J. W. Wood** (Captain)
9 **J. K. Taylor**
10 **L. Blackshaw**
11 **M. C. Jones**
12 **J. T. Truss**
13 **B. Lee**
14 **N. Clarke**
15 **I. Holmes**

FIRST XV. FIXTURES

	Jan. 7	London Scot.	H	
	14	Leicester	A	
	21	Wasps	A	
	26	Army	H	
	28	Cambridge Un.	H	
	Feb. 4	Bristol	H	
	11	Bath	H	
	18	Swansea	A	
	25	Aberavon	A	
	Mar. 4	Northampton	H	
	11	R.A.F.	H	
	18	Guys Hospital	H	
	25	Newport	H	
	Apr. 1	New Brighton	H	
	3	Sale	H	
	4	Lydney	A	
	8	Devonport S.	H	
	12	Cheltenham	A	
	15	Cardiff	H	
	20	Stroud	H	
	22	Plymouth Alb.	A	
	24	Teignmouth "A"	A	
	25	Taunton	A	
	29	Llanely	H	

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NOTES

Quite an entertaining game against Moseley although on the run of the game we should have certainly won by a greater margin. Nevertheless we had the satisfaction of seeing two tries converted which may be the beginning of better things to come.

We had a visit from one of the English Selectors, for what purpose we must leave you to draw your own conclusions, but who knows it may be that one or more of our players were being watched, but whether this was so we must wait the publications of the trial sides, the first of which will be played in the Midlands on December 3rd., and hope that at least one of our players will be considered.

Those who took the trouble to come to Kingsholm on Monday evening were well rewarded by the best game seen at Kingsholm this Season. The North Gloucester Combination fielded a very strong side and although the United side managed to score three tries to nil there was very little in it on the run of the play and as already mentioned the general opinion of the spectators was that it was an exceedingly good game played in the best of spirits.

Tonight we have our friends from Cheltenham and it is interesting to note that we commenced playing our neighbours in the Season 1896/7 and for those interested appended is the record of matches played etc. Played 111, Won 86, Drawn 12, Lost 13. Points for 1,235, Against 358. On 43 occasions Cheltenham failed to register any points.

Supporters and others are reminded that the United side will be playing against Bristol United on Saturday next and those who had the pleasure of seeing the corresponding match last Season will surely make up their mind to come to Kingsholm and see whether the Bristol boys can manage to take their revenge for the drubbing they received. The game against the North Gloucester Combination should convince them that they will witness a thoroughly good game and we confidently look forward to seeing a record gate for the United teams.

Saturday, Sept. 24th. Kick-off 3.15 p.m.

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BRISTOL UNITED

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