Gloucester v. London Scottish

Kingsholm - Gloucester

Saturday, January 4th, 1969
Kick-off 3.15 p.m.

Official Programme - Price 6d.
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GLoucester
(Full and White)

FULL BACK
1 P. BUTLER

THREE QUARTERS
2 R. OWILLIM R.W.
3 J. BAYLISS (c) R.C.
4 R. JARDINE (c) L.C.
5 J. GROVES (c) L.W.

HALF BACKS
6 T. PALMER (c) O.H.
7 J. SPALDING (c) J.H.

FORWARDS
8 C. N. TEAGUE
9 D. EAST (c)
10 J. FOWKE (c)
11 A. BRINN (c)
12 R. LONG (c)
13 G. WHITE (c)
14 M. POTTER
15 M. MEAL

REFEREE: J. F. GEE (Leicester Society)
The first aid service on this ground is voluntarily provided by
the City of Gloucester Division of St. John Ambulance Brigade.

London Scottish

FULL BACK
15 W. G. MACDONALD (c)

THREE QUARTERS
14 A. J. HINSHIELD B.R.
13 M. A. SMITH R.C.
12 A. V. ORR L.C.
11 G. WALLACE L.W.

HALF BACKS
10 G. R. GREIG O.H.
9 G. C. CONNELL (c) R.H.

FORWARDS
1 A. E. CORSTORPHINE
2 G. PATTISON
3 R. L. CHALLIS
4 I. D. W. ROBERTSON
5 A. F. McHARG (c)
6 N. R. CUMMINGTON
7 I. A. GREEN
8 A. H. W. BOYLE (c)

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OUR VISITORS

This afternoon we extend a particularly cordial welcome to our traditional New Year opponents, popular London Scottish who, unfortunately, only visit Kingsholm once every two years.

Indeed, this is a gross exaggeration; a rider should have been added, “weather permitting”, for in actual fact, our wretched winter climate has enabled London Scottish to play this New Year match at Kingsholm only once in the past eight years — and that was in the season 1964-65, when they gave Gloucester a thorough trouncing! The last time the ‘Scottish’ were due to visit us was on Saturday, January 7th, 1967, when torrential rain following hard frost earlier in the week caused the match to be called off on the Friday evening, as our visitors desired an early decision.

Last season, on Saturday, January 6th, a weakened Gloucester side, the youngest to have represented the club for some time, put up a great second-half display at the Richmond Athletic Ground before London Scottish ran out winners by 16 points to 6. Gary White, acting skipper for the day, and Mike Neal scored Gloucester’s tries.

KINGSHOLM KACKLE

A brief reference again to that match against London Scottish last January, as one supporter asked if the Gloucester team on that occasion might be published. For others who may also be interested, it was :- Wheatman ; Morris, Pitt, Jardine, Groves ; Gent, Williams ; Burton, Nicholls, Cowling, Brinn, Jackson, White (capt.) Hannaford and Neal.

Supporters are reminded that the Bingo sessions re-commence in the Social Club on Monday evening (8 p.m. prompt). The “snowball” prize is building up to desirable proportions, so why not come along – and bring the ladies?

The Gloucester R.F.C. officials, committee and players wish you all happiness and prosperity in the New Year!

A.R.

LUCKY PROGRAMME NUMBER - O.M.T.'s game
No. 937. Mr. S. Neal of 87 Wells Road, Gloucester, who won £5.

Next match at Kingsholm : Saturday, January 11th. Kick-off 3-15 p.m.
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Saturday, January 25th at Kingsholm. Kick-off 3-15 p.m.
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