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WELCOME TO HEADINGLEY!

This afternoon we extend an extremely cordial welcome to our Yorkshire friends, Headingley, for what is Gloucester's final Saturday home match of their centenary season. It was two years ago, on Easter Saturday, April 1, 1972, that Headingley last visited Kingsholm, when the Cherry and Whites won by 18 points to 6, though the main contribution came from Eric Stephens, who landed four penalty goals and converted a try by Dave Owen.

KINGSHOLM KACKLE

Although yet another season is almost over there is still a feast of rugby at Kingsholm. On Easter Monday, of course, Birkenhead Park are the visitors, and though this is the last home game for Gloucester, next Thursday, April 18, brings the North Gloucestershire Junior Cup Final, while on Monday, April 22, there is the Senior Cup Final.

Two evenings later, on Wednesday, April 24, the big attraction at Kingsholm is the new Rugby Union fixture between England Under-23 and the Champion County. (Who else but Gloucestershire, of course!) And should you fancy even more rugby before these matches, a reminder that tomorrow, Easter Sunday, brings the extremely popular Widden Old Boys' annual seven-a-side tournament at the Memorial Ground, Tuffley Avenue. Sixteen teams will be taking part, including four touring sides, and the first match starts at 2 p.m. (Psst! The refreshment department will be at your service throughout the proceedings!)

There is a very close liaison between the Gloucestershire County Cricket Club and the Gloucester R.F.C., and shortly after the present season ends the rugger lads will be entertaining their cricket friends at a social evening in the clubhouse, where two films - the British Lions' tour and the Gillette Cup Final - will be shown.

And there must be good cause for celebration to complete the Cherry and Whites' centenary season, for Gloucestershire must now the top sporting county, having won both the Gillette Cup and the Rugby County Championship title in the space of seven months - which is some achievement.

In addition to the usual £5 for the lucky programme for this afternoon's match there will be another prize, for Mr. Cliff Owen, of Marilyn Cake Shop, in Seymour Road, has kindly given a special Easter cake for the "runner-up." Thank you, Cliff!

Finally, the Gloucester R.F.C. officials, commiteemen and the players wish you all a very happy Easter holiday and trust you will enjoy all your rugger!

ARTHUR RUSSELL