

THE CITIZEN

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1952

GLO'STER AND STROUD CHANGES FOR 'DERBY'

Both Gloucester and Stroud make changes in their teams for the clash at Fromehall Park to-morrow night (kick-off 6 p.m.).

Having to keep a long-standing promise to play for H. R. Toft's international XV at Bath, J. V. Smith will be unable to turn out for Stroud, but will be available for the home match with Cheltenham on Saturday.

Michael Brookings, hurt in the away game with Cheltenham, is expected to be fit for the game.

The selected side is: A. Curtis; D. J. Flynn, B. W. Smith (capt.), S. Dangerfield, M. Brookings; A. J. Moore, H. B. LeMarquand; R. Farmiloe, G. Guy, D. Haines, P. Marriott, J. Garner, T. P. Shill, C. Willett, R. Garner.

Following their disappointing performance against Lydney, Gloucester will treat this match as something in the nature of an extended trial.

A number of changes have been made in the pack, and there will be a new half-back combination, Billy Nield coming in as scrum-half with Howard Terrington as his outside partner.

David Jones takes Terrington's place in the threequarter line, and Turner comes in on the wing, Bevan not being free to play.

Last season both of Gloucester's games with Stroud were drawn.

Gloucester: T. Halls; J. Taylor, R. Sutton, D. Jones, E. Turner; H. Terrington, W. Nield; R. Parry, M. Burford, G. Hastings, F. Steinhobel, J. Gwilliam, D. Ibbotson, R. Hodge (capt.), P. Ford.
Ninth forward, to travel: F. House.
Coach. Commercial-rd, 5 p.m.

AT KINGSHOLM

Gloucester United's team to entertain Stroud Nomads at Kingsholm to-morrow (5.45) will have former Stroud player A. Baimbridge in the centre and Dr. V. Brumfitt at outside-half.

Playing at scrum-half will be a new arrival in the district J. Hobbs, who played for Northampton in a number of games last season.

Gloucester United: D. Heath; D. Jones, A. Baimbridge, I. Oakes, G. R. Goddard; D. W. Brumfitt, J. Hobbs; R. Stowers, C. Thomas, F. Daniels, B. Hudson, H. Wells, G. Hudson, I. Jones (capt.), I. Evans.

Stroud Nomads' side (bus leaving Cheapside at 5 p.m.) will be: A. Willett; E. Williams, G. Harrison, K. P. Dyer, G. Lindner; J. Smith, C. Cullimore; R. Sutton, R. C. Pearce, I. Smith, D. J. Solomon, J. R. Smith, I. Harrison, J. Shirley, L. Clutterbuck.