

THE CITIZEN

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1953

TAYLOR AND BAKER BACK IN GLO'STER FIFTEEN

Gloucester's three-quarter line will bear a more familiar look when the Cherry and Whites entertain United Services (Portsmouth) at Kingsholm on Saturday (3.0).

John Taylor, who was on the casualty list last week, returns to the right wing, and Michael Baker will be back in the centre. Bill Cartmell is still unfit and L. Morgan will again deputise at outside-half.

United Services have appeared only twice since the war. In 1948–9 when the County were engaged in a semi-final they captured Gloucester's ground record by winning 8–6 but last season Gloucester gained a handsome 29–11 victory.

Gloucester: W. Smith; J. Taylor, H. Terrington, M. Baker, E. Turner; L. Morgan, J. Hobbs; R. Parry, C. Thomas, R. Stower, J. Gwilliam, H. G. Wells, P. Ford, R. Hodge (capt.), D. Ibbotson.
Ninth forward: B. Hudson.

UNITED AT BARRY

When Gloucester United tackle Barry on Saturday (coach 11.45), their pack will include George Hastings and Freddy Steinhobel.

United: T. Halls; G. Bevan, H. Baimbridge, R. Sutton, C. Crabtree; D. Jones, W. Nield; G. Hastings, M. Burford, A. Wadley, F. Steinhobel, F. House, G. Counsell, I. Jones (capt.), G. Hudson.
Reserves: F. Daniels, R. Blair, L. Evans, T. Oakes, I. Oakes.