

THE CITIZEN

SATURDAY, JANUARY 11, 1908

FOOTBALL

FROST INTERFERES AGAIN

A return of the severe weather on Thursday was continued on Friday, and the majority of football grounds were again in the grip of Jack Frost. The result was a wholesale abandonment of Rugby matches locally.

Gloucester were due at Coventry, and the fixture had been anticipated with great interest in the Midlands, as the Clubs had not met for some four seasons.

The Coventry officials had hopes that the ground would be playable, but last night's frost settled matters, and on Saturday morning the Gloucester captain was notified that the match was off.

Thus for the second week in succession the City were stopped going away from home.

Gloucester A were down to receive Whitecroft, but on Friday evening it was apparent the ground could not possibly be fit, and the match was cancelled.

GLOUCESTERSHIRE v. CORNWALL

A telegram despatched by our representative at Redruth at 2 p.m. says : "Gloucester[sic] v. Cornwall match off. Ground unfit."