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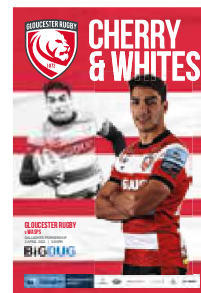
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GEORGE SKIVINGTON

HEAD COACH

GOOD AFTERNOON AND WELCOME TO KINGSHOLM FOR OUR GALLAGHER PREMIERSHIP FIXTURE AGAINST WASPS.

I am really looking forward to seeing you all and I know how disappointed everyone is that last Friday's game was cancelled.

I'm excited for the game today and can't wait to feel the energy that the fans always bring. It really does make a difference.

It's been a busy week with our young lads playing in the Prem Cup on Wednesday. It was a 43-15 win over Bristol and the result secures us a home semi-final against Worcester at the end of April.

It was great to see the side perform so well and I'm so pleased for those young guys who work so hard in training every day.

We've got a good group of lads coming through and what pleased me most was the way that they stuck to the game plan that we have instilled in the club.

To have the best chance of success, you need every team that represents the club to play in the same way and that is what we've got in place at the moment. It means that players can slot in and out and know their roles and what they are doing.

I'm sure you all enjoyed seeing the



young pack get over for a few maul tries as much as I did!

As we look to Wasps, we know that they are a threat but as always, the focus is on us and on doing what we need to do to get better. We've done our work on Wasps and have a good idea as to what they will bring to the game but know that we need to keep getting better.

We are taking the rest of the season one week at a time and will continue to develop as a group.

I'm sure it will be a great game.

**Thanks for your support,
George**

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MARTIN ST. QUINTON

CHAIRMAN

GOOD AFTERNOON AND WELCOME TO KINGSHOLM FOR OUR GALLAGHER PREMIERSHIP FIXTURE AGAINST WASPS.

I would like to welcome all of the Wasps fans, staff and players to Kingsholm for what I hope will be an entertaining afternoon.

It's been a while since our side last played and I think we were all so disappointed that last Friday's game against Worcester was cancelled.

The last time we played in the Premiership was against Sale Sharks on Saturday 12 March and whilst it has been a few weeks since then, I'm sure that this break will have been a good chance for the squad to rest up and prepare for the final run up to the end of the season.

I was delighted with our result in the Premiership Cup earlier this week. Our young players, captained by George Barton, did extremely well away against Bristol, and we shall look forward to seeing them play at Kingsholm in the semi-finals.

We are still in a good spot in the Premiership competition and games are coming thick and fast so it will be important to build some solid momentum this weekend as we then push on to the business end of the season.

I can't wait to see our boys run out today. Please give them your full support, as always.

Enjoy the game!

Martin



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PREM CUP SEMI-FINAL BOOKED

Gloucester Rugby booked a place in the Premiership Rugby Cup semi-final with a 43-15 win over Bristol Bears at Ashton Gate.

The result means we will host Worcester Warriors in the semi-final at Kingsholm at the end of April (date TBC).

RED ROSES COMING TO KINGSHOLM

Kingsholm Stadium will host the Red Roses vs Wales Women Six Nations clash next Saturday.

Come and see some top flight rugby! Get your tickets here!



TODAY'S MATCHDAY MASCOT

Today's matchday mascot is **Jonas Bellwood**. Jonas is a big Gloucester Rugby fan and enjoys supporting England. Outside of rugby, he has many hobbies and keeps himself busy with drama, go-karting, rugby, cricket and golf.

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LAST TIME WE MET

TWELVETREES SCORES A BRACE AS GLOUCESTER RUGBY TAKE FIVE POINTS FROM WASPS.

What happened?

It was a freezing cold November evening, but the Cherry and Whites scored four tries and came away from Coventry with the bonus point win.

Jonny May was the first to get over the line after Adam Hastings put in a good chip over the top which set up the attack which saw the England winger score.

The Scottish international was accurate from the tee as well and slotted the conversion as well as two penalties in short succession to open the scoring nicely.

Despite the strong start, Wasps were still in the game and proved this through a clever move at the lineout which saw Thomas Young dive over to score.

However, Gloucester Rugby were next to land a blow and it was Billy Twelvetrees who collected the short ball from Mark Atkinson and ran all the way to the line to score his first of two tries.

Wasps had the final say of the half and Gabriel Oghre got over for the home side just before the break. Jacob Umaga's conversion put them

right back in the game with the score 12-23.

In the second half, Twelvetrees went over for his second try, and Hastings' conversion gave the Cherry and Whites a healthy lead.

Jack Clement also went over from the driving maul to make up for a try that was chalked off in the first half, but Wasps were rampant and were on the comeback.

A try from Alfie Barbeary and Jacob Umaga made things really close going into the final few minutes.

With just over a minute on the clock, Umaga scored another great try to set up a tense finish.

Nailing the conversion, there were two points in the game with just seconds left.

Wasps were awarded a penalty, but the Gloucester Rugby defence was strong and Wasps were forced into a knock on.

Hastings collected the ball and booted it to touch to end the game much to the relief of the Cherry and White fans in attendance.



KEY MOMENT BILLY TWELVETREES GETS OVER FOR HIS SECOND

Billy Twelvetrees and Mark Atkinson linked beautifully with each other throughout the game but it was the set up to Billy's second try which was really special. The centre collected the short ball and went over to score!

GLOUCESTER RUGBY
HERITAGEARGENTINIAN
CONNECTIONS

The first Gloucester players to face Argentinian opponents were Peter Hordern and John A'Bear, who toured there in 1936 with a British Isles (now Lions) side which won all their matches. Hordern played in the only "Test" match, which was won 23-0 in Buenos Aires, although caps were not awarded, and he got a bit carried away over dinner when giving the Argentinian politician sitting opposite him a ketchup shampoo.

This was probably forgotten by 1973, when an Argentinian club, Belgrano, made a short tour of England and played Public School Wanderers at Kingsholm. PSW fielded eight internationals, and Gloucester provided most of their pack with Robin Cowling, Mike Nicholls, Jim Jarrett, Alan Brinn, and John Watkins, as well as John Spalding at scrum-half. PSW won 38-20. For the Kingsholm faithful, the highlight was a stirring gallop by Brinn ending in a try, Watkins scored another, and Nicholls kicked their only conversion.

In 1978, the Argentina national team played the second game of their tour at Kingsholm against English Students, who selected Ian Wilkins of Gloucester and Lydney, and several future international stars in Marcus Rose, Clive Woodward, Paul Ackford, Steve Bainbridge and Nick Jeavons. Wilkins scored a sizzling try, running it in from 30 metres, but the tourists won, 15-9, their trump card being their world-class captain and stand-off, Hugo Porta.



One match was played at Kingsholm in the 1991 Rugby World Cup – New Zealand v USA. The 46-6 victory for the All Blacks was refereed by E. Sklar of Argentina.

Kingsholm was awarded four matches in the 2015 Rugby World Cup, which included Argentina v Georgia. Local supporters were disappointed that Gloucester favourite Mariano Galarza was unable to turn out for Argentina because he had been suspended following the Pumas' previous game against New Zealand. But it was a first appearance at Kingsholm for Matias Alemanno, who would later join the Club. Argentina scored the only try of the first-half to lead 14-9, and soon after the break a yellow card for Georgian captain and inspiration, Mamuka Gorgodze, ended the match as a contest. His team conceded 21 points in his absence, and Argentina went on to win 54-9.

PUMAS AT KINGSHOLM

Diego Albanese (2001-02) was the first Argentinian to play for the Cherry and Whites. In his one season he made quite an impression on the wing, appearing in 18 games and scored three tries. It did not help that, on his wing, he was in competition for game time with James Simpson-Daniel. He won 55 caps for Argentina, and scored ten tries. He played in three World Cups and, in 1999, scored a try against Ireland which helped the Pumas to reach the quarter-finals for the first time. He later played for Leeds and helped them to win the Powergen Cup in 2005.

Qualified doctor Rodrigo Roncero (2002-04) was a favourite of the Shed. He was a prop who could play on either side of the scrum, but his



talent did not end there; he was a strong runner, and deceptively fast in the loose. This was illustrated in 2004 when he ran in a 50 metre interception try against Sale, to huge acclaim from the crowd. He scored another try in the same game. He made 33 appearances for Gloucester and scored five tries. For Argentina he won 55 caps, and played in three World Cups. After leaving Gloucester he played with great success for Stade Francais for several seasons.

Matias Cortese had one season (2011-12) at Kingsholm, and made 11 appearances. He was a hooker with 15 Argentinian caps. He played for Northampton from 2006-08, before spending time at Biarritz and Bayonne. He then returned to Argentina to play for Pampas, which won the Vodacom Cup in 2011. After leaving Gloucester Matias moved to Colomiers to play D2 (the second level) rugby in France.

Mariano Galarza, 26 times capped, was a sizeable piece of Argentinian beef, who played for Gloucester from 2015-18. He was a powerful force in the second row and made 62 appearances. He had previously played for Worcester. His first start for the Cherry and Whites was in the semi-final of the European Challenge Cup against Exeter, and he was a replacement in the successful final against Edinburgh. In 2017 he was again a replacement in the final of the same competition, this time against Stade Francais. In 2018 Mariano played through all the knock-out stages of the Challenge Cup, including the final against Cardiff Blues that was lost in the final kick of the game. Galarza went on play for Bourdeaux and Bayonne.

No fewer than three Pumas are currently playing at Kingsholm, Matias Alemanno, Santiago Carreras and Santiago Socino.

Second row forward, Alemanno, has won 71 caps for Argentina. Arriving in 2020, Matias has added his considerable bulk to the pack. He is destructive at the set piece,



Santiago Carreras

and in the loose. He was in the team which won a thrilling Champions Cup game against Ulster, and scored tries against Worcester and Northampton. In the current season he scored a try (one of eight) in the rout of Bennetton in the Challenge Cup. To date he has made 29 appearances, and scored four tries. For Argentina, he scored a try on his debut and, in November 2020, he started in the team which beat New Zealand for the first time ever.

Santiago Carreras is a versatile back, capable of performing at full-back or wing. He is extremely aggressive as a back, and has won 20 caps for the Pumas. Until today Santiago has made 25 appearances for Gloucester, scoring eight tries. He has quite a penchant for snapping up interception tries. Last season he scored two tries against Bristol, and successive tries in the last two games of the season. Carreras was also in the Argentine team which beat the All Blacks for the first time.



Santiago Socino

Santiago Socino, another hooker, made 34 appearances for Newcastle, before signing for Gloucester. His game time has been limited, due to having to compete with Jack Singleton for the hooking start. So far, he has made 27 appearances, but only seven starts. Nevertheless, this season he has already scored four tries, two of them in Gloucester's last game at Sale. The club obviously thinks highly of him, as he signed a new deal in January to keep him at Kingsholm. Santiago has won seven caps for Argentina.

After the Northampton game, the three Pumas were walking together on the club's "lap of honour", when the Shed took up the chant of "Argentina, Argentina".

SANTIAGO CARRERAS

SANTIAGO CARRERAS IS GLOUCESTER RUGBY'S SWISS ARMY KNIFE. WITH A SKILLSET THAT MEANS HE CAN PLAY ACROSS THE BACKLINE; HE IS A KEY ASSET TO THE CHERRY AND WHITES AND HAS BEEN A VITAL MEMBER OF THE SQUAD SINCE JOINING THE CLUB IN 2020



Growing up playing in Argentina, Carreras started his career at Córdoba Athletic Club and stayed there until he was 19 before pulling on the Jaguares shirt.

"I started playing rugby when I was 10 years old in Cordoba. I loved playing for my club and I do miss it now. I played there until I was 19 and then joined Jaguares and I played there for two years before coming here."

Carreras has settled in well to life in Gloucestershire and is enjoying being at Kingsholm.

"For me, it's a really good experience and the boys here are really good with me. They make me feel comfortable here, like it's my home. Obviously, the crowd and the Shed here is massive so I'm feeling really happy here."

Gloucester Rugby's fans are famous world-wide, but Carreras didn't believe that the

crowd would be as passionate as they are and was blown away when he first played in front of the Compeed Shed.

"I couldn't believe it the first time I came here! Honestly, every time that we play here they bring a lot of energy and it's always an advantage for us to play here. It's massive for us.

"When I see the opponents try and take the high ball in front of the Shed, I think that it must be horrible for them! I'm glad that the fans are on my side."

One of the key reasons for Carreras signing for the Cherry and Whites was the fact that Matias Alemanno was already at the club and he gave his fellow countryman the insight into life at the Premiership club.

"For sure, he was a big influence. He told me everything about the club and the group. He was a big part of the reason for me coming here.



"He really helped me with everything when I came here. Santi Socino too. We spend a lot of time together so it's really good."

Carreras' English is good, but he admits that it is still something he is working on.

"I'm still having English lessons. The boys are really helping me with that. I'm really thankful to them for helping me with everything."

"Jack Clement speaks Spanish really well. So he is a good translator! It is difficult for me because he's a forward so in the meetings, the other guys are with the forwards! But the boys help me and have a lot of patience with me to help me understand everything."

"In our spare time with the boys, that's where I can learn best."

Santi is not only putting time into learning his language skills but also spends time doing extras out on the field, kicking from the tee for example.

"I practise it. I think it's worth practising everything so that you keep getting better day by day so that you are always ready."

Part of the reason for Santi spending time practising his kicking is because he is the ultimate utility player, with the ability to play at fly-half, fullback or on the wing.

"I don't have a preference. My preference is to be on the field! I'm enjoying playing on the wing now but if I play at 15, I'll enjoy that too."

"If you understand rugby then I think you can manage to play in any position. It's rugby! Just play rugby!"

Carreras has played fly-half for Argentina but his most memorable moment representing his country was when he helped his side beat the All Blacks in the November of 2020.

"It was crazy. No one expected it but we were all ready for it. The preparation for that tournament was perfect. It was obviously in the pandemic and everything but the boys were really positive about everything and we got the result and it was really good for us."

He loves representing his country and is very proud of where he is from. Traveling over to England in the middle of the pandemic, he had to spend a long time without seeing his family but was pleased that they were able to visit this Christmas.



"I saw them in December. They came over. It is difficult to be away sometimes but the group here and the boys make you feel at home. The club has a family feel and that's why Mati played a big role in my decision coming here."

Life is very different for the Argentine compared to what he is used to and it has taken some time to adjust to life in the UK.

"Life is quite different in Cheltenham compared to Argentina. It's more safe here but I don't like the weather here! It's really cold. But everything here works how it's supposed to."

At training, one of the biggest thrills for 24-year-old, who celebrated his birthday on Wednesday, is the fact that he can train with world class players in the same position as him.

With Jonny May, Louis Rees-Zammit and Ollie Thorley all competing for starting places, there is great competition for places. In training they all learn from each other and drive each other to be the best.

"I see them, and I watch them every day and watch what they do. I try to copy it and they are all really fast and they've got a good game."

"It's really easy to get better when you are surrounded by such talented people in your position."

Having not played for a couple of weeks, the winger is really looking forward to getting out at Kingsholm against Wasps on Saturday.

"We're really disappointed that the Friday game was cancelled last week but I think the crowd will bring an added energy on Saturday and everyone knows that it's a massive game for us."

"It's massive for us if we are to get the position that we want. Of course, the crowd will be vital for us if we are to get the victory."

"We've got a plan and everyone is taking it really seriously. We want to get the top four obviously, but we need to work week by week to get it."

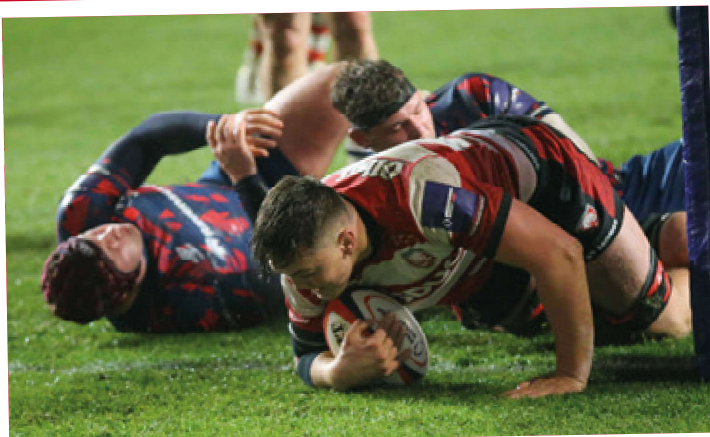


ACADEMY FEATURE

GLOUCESTER RUGBY BOOK A SEMI-FINAL PLACE

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INTERVIEW

Bristol were first to open the scoring through a Jac Lloyd penalty but Gloucester Rugby scored three first half tries to go into the break with a healthy 21-3 lead.

Jake Morris opened up the scoring for Gloucester Rugby after collecting a well-placed cross field kick from George Barton. The winger handed off the defender and found his way over in the corner.

Jack Bartlett and Henry Walker proved that the driving maul is a weapon rooted within the squad with both of them getting over from short range drives.

Barton was accurate from the tee and slotted all three conversions in the first half.

In the second half, Bristol were first to strike through Bryan Byrne but Freddie Thomas soon crashed over for our bonus point score with Alex Morgan adding a great intercept try to the board.

Mitch Eadie ensured Bristol stayed in the fight and got over for a try but a second score from Henry Walker cemented the win for the Cherry and Whites with a penalty from Barton adding the final three points to make the score 43-15 at full time.

Speaking after the game, Trevor Woodman was pleased with the result.

"We put out a young team and that young team has been together about two or three years, coming up through the Academy. I think we saw real progression from where we were when we played Worcester over the Christmas period. We're very happy with the result.

"We just wanted to come down here and put in a good performance.

"The semi-final will be another big challenge and they'll have to put in another big performance."

It was a youthful side but it was a great performance with many individuals putting their hands up.

"They're young and they're playing in an environment like this. There's a lot of pressure on them so once they settled in and got into a bit of a rhythm, they found that trust with each other and we got into our stride, and everything started to fire and we put ourselves in a good spot."

STEPHEN VARNEY

ACADEMY PROFILE

Words: Will Hartshorn

IT FEELS STRANGE FOCUSING ON STEPHEN VARNEY IN A PIECE ABOUT ACADEMY PLAYERS, AS HE FEATURES REGULARLY AS THE FIRST-CHOICE SCRUM HALF FOR THE ITALIAN NATIONAL SIDE. BELIEVE IT OR NOT, VARNEY IS STILL PART OF THE EXCITING ELITE ACADEMY HERE AT GLOUCESTER RUGBY.

The young Italian is renowned and loved for his fast and furious style of play, playing with the ball as soon as it is available and flourishing on the back of quick, clean ball.

Looking past the blindside snipes, audacious passing range, and keen eye for an acute switch pass with carrying forwards, Varney boasts a strong game management style of play with a strong ability to get box kicks away, and with distance, a skill which is crucial in this Gloucester Rugby side.

Varney has played several times with fly halves such as Lloyd Evans, Billy Twelvetrees and George Barton (especially through academy level) and partnerships are clearly flourishing. The arrival of Adam Hastings this season will be an exciting one for fans to keep an eye on as the duo will no doubt thrive with an increase of game time going forward.

In the sky blue of the Azzurri, we see Varney play with a real freedom, often interchanging in open space with Montpellier star Paulo Garbisi. During these open plays is where we often see the best of Stephen's attacking prowess and creativity, taking full advantage of attacking hard lines and silky wrap arounds, a talent the Gloucester Rugby faithful will see more of as time goes by.

At the age of only 20, we have seen a lot of Varney and he has experience well beyond his years. He is already a firm Gloucester Rugby favourite, with fans already desperate to see more of him, another fantastic talent coming out of the fantastic Gloucester scrum half production line.



STATS CORNER



Lewis Ludlow



Tom Willis

- Gloucester Rugby have lost just one of their last eight Premiership matches against Wasps (W6 D1); however, their last two wins have come by margins of just one and two points respectively.
- Gloucester Rugby have won just one of their last four Premiership matches (L3) after winning six of their previous seven; they conceded exactly four tries in each of those three defeats.
- Gloucester Rugby have won their last two Premiership home matches, with their last home game seeing them score five tries for the first time at Kingsholm this season (35-30 v Northampton Saints); they have only been trailing at half-time on one occasion at home this term (versus Leicester Tigers in round two).
- Wasps have lost their last three Premiership away matches in a row, despite scoring a minimum of 19 points in each fixture; however, their last win on the road also resulted in a four-try bonus point (27-26 v Exeter Chiefs in round 15).
- Wasps won their most recent Premiership match (27-24 v Newcastle Falcons) after losing three in a row previously; only two of their nine wins this season have come by margins of greater than 10 points.
- Gloucester Rugby have made the fewest number of carries (1549) and carry meters (10226) amongst all teams in this season's Premiership; however, they actually rank fourth for meters ran per carry this term (6.6 meters/carry).
- Wasps have both scored the most points in the last 20 minutes of games (169) and conceded the fewest number of points in the same period (69) amongst all teams in this season's Premiership.
- Wasps have the highest line-out success rate amongst all teams in this season's Premiership (94%); additionally, they have also stolen a greater percentage of their opposition's line-outs than any other side this term (16%).
- Gloucester Rugby flanker Lewis Ludlow has averaged the most tackles per game of any player with 10 or more appearances in this season's Premiership (14.6); teammate Freddie Clarke also ranks fourth in the same regard (12.4).
- No player has beaten more defenders in this season's Premiership than Wasps' Tom Willis (72); Willis also ranks fifth for carries made this term (189).



SALE SHARKS DENY GLOUCESTER RUGBY IN HARD FOUGHT LOSS

Gloucester Rugby fell short in a hard fought 26-24 loss to Sale Sharks but take two losing bonus points from the AJ Bell.

What happened?

Sale Sharks scored three tries in the first half through Faf de Klerk, Al MacGinty and JP Du Preez with de Klerk hitting two of the conversions as the hosts took in a 19-12 lead at the break.

Two Santiago Socino tries from the maul kept us in the fight with Barton hitting one of the conversions in the swirling wind at the AJ Bell. We went into the break 19-12 down.

In the second half, the Sharks got on the scoreboard again as JL Du Preez reached over for the score. De Klerk converted the score to give them their 26 points.

However, Gloucester Rugby stayed in the fight and scrum half replacement Charlie Chapman intercepted the ball deep in the Cherry and White 22 and had the speed to race down the touchline to score in the corner.

This was a big momentum shifter for the Cherry and Whites and the attack came alive again when Louis Hillman-Cooper dotted down for a try on his Premiership debut.

Barton slotted the conversion putting us just two points behind with 10 minutes on the clock.

Despite our best efforts, Sale weren't going to let us score again and were ultimately able to hold out our attack until the final whistle.



KEY MOMENT: CHARLIE CHAPMAN'S TRY

Charlie Chapman had come on off the bench and Gloucester Rugby were in need of a big moment to swing the momentum of the game.

The scrum-half grabbed the ball from the Sharks attack and pinned his ears back and made it all the way to the try line to dot down for a great individual score.





GLOUCESTER-HARTPURY HAD 14 PLAYERS INVOLVED IN INTERNATIONAL FIXTURES LAST WEEKEND IN THE OPENING ROUND OF THE WOMEN'S SIX NATIONS.



RED ROSES

England kicked off their Six Nations with a 57-5 victory over Scotland with Gloucester-Hartpury's Connie Powell and Emma Sing playing key roles off the bench.

It was Powell's try that secured the final score with Sing making her international debut when she replaced Ellie Kildunne in the second half.

The Red Roses face Italy away next Sunday before then hosting Wales at Kingsholm on Saturday 9 April.

Get your tickets here.



WALES WOMEN

Wales recorded a 27-19 win over Ireland to start their campaign in a winning fashion.

10 Gloucester-Hartpury players were involved in the matchday squad with Kerin Lake, Hannah Jones, Gwen Crabb, Cerys Hale and Lisa Neumann all starting with Kelsey Jones, Cara Hope, Bethan Lewis, Robyn Wilkins and Sisila Tuipulotu, who made her debut, all playing roles off the bench.

Jones scored a great try, racing over from 50 metres out after collecting the ball from Wilkins in what was a great link up play between the two Gloucester-Hartpury players.

SCOTLAND

Katie Dougan came on in the second half as Scotland slipped to a 57-5 loss to England. Coming on in the 70th minute, she was left with too much work to do but had a good individual performance.

IRELAND

Neve Jones played the full 80 minutes as Ireland slipped to a narrow 27-19 loss to Wales. It was a competitive fixture, and the Irish will hope to build off their performance for the rest of the competition.



THE TEAMS



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				Kyle MOYLE	15	Jacob UMAGA				
				Santiago CARRERAS	14	Paolo ODOGWU				
				Chris HARRIS	13	Malakai FEKITOA				
				Mark ATKINSON	12	Jimmy GOPPERTH				
				Louis REES ZAMMIT	11	Josh BASSETT				
				Adam HASTINGS	10	Charlie ATKINSON				
				Ben MEEHAN	9	Will PORTER				
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				Fraser BALMAIN	3	Biya ALO				
				Freddie CLARKE	4	Joe LAUNCHBURY (C)				
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				Jordy REID	6	Brad SHIELDS				
				Lewis LUDLOW (C)	7	Jack WILLIS				
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REPLACEMENTS

				Santiago SOCINO	16	Dan FROST				
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				Andrew DAVIDSON	19	Vaea FIFITA				
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