Gloucester Rugby Football Club

OFFICIAL PROGRAMME. Price Threepence

GLOUCESTER
v.
BEDFORD

KINGSHOLM, GLOUCESTER

SATURDAY, OCT. 7th, 1950. Kick-off 3-15 p.m.
# Gloucester Hippodrome

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## Gloucester

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**Three-quarters**

- First: C. Crabtree (R.W.)
- Second: M. Baker (L.W.)
- Referee: Mr. V. S. Llewellyn
- Swansons: Mr. L. Llewellyn

**Forward**

- T. Day (Captain)
- R. Chamberlayne
- R. Parry
- R. Hastings
- J. Ryder
- H. G. Wells
- D. Jubb
- R. Hodge
- G. Hudson

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**Forward**

- W. S. Bennett
- J. R. Mee
- F. R. Marshall
- J. Bance
- M. R. Hale
- G. Jenkins
- R. G. Furbank
- P. Collingridge

## Theatrical Performances

- **Waterfront** (a)
  - Performers: Robert Newton, Kathleen Harrison, Susan Shaw
  - Next Week: Next Week

- **Tony Draws a Horse** (a)
  - Performers: Cecil Parker, Anne Crawford, Derek Bond
  - Next Week: Next Week

- **Francis** (a)
  - Performers: Cecil Parker, Nina Bruce

- **Never Fear** (a)
NOTES

In the last two seasons the Bedford fixture has clashed with County games. Last season at Bedford, Gloucester suffered one of their heaviest defeats (0-28) but in 1948-49 the score was 6-6 at Gloucester.

Bedford have been showing good form this season, with L. F. Oakley again running strongly for a Cap. Other International Trial players in the backs are Towell and Haines.

The selected Gloucester team today is unchanged from the selected team v. Cheltenham on Thursday.

In response to requests, some of the Laws of the game of Rugby Football will be commented on from time to time in these programmes, particularly those about which there may be misapprehensions in the minds of spectators.

1. Making a Mark. In a recent game a player made a fair catch on two occasions and shouted "mark" each time. The Referee allowed one mark but not the other, because in one instance the player marked the ground with his heel, whereas in the other he did not. This marking the ground is therefore necessary but it is not essential for a player to remain still (e.g. when making a running catch) so long as the "mark" is made with the heel at the moment of catching the ball.

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