

GLOUCESTER  
RUGBY



FOOTBALL  
CLUB

**OFFICIAL PROGRAMME**

**KINGSHOLM, GLOUCESTER**

**SATURDAY, MARCH 7th, 1953. Kick-off 3-15 p.m.**

**GLOUCESTER**  
**v.**  
**NORTHAMPTON**

**FIRST XV. FIXTURES**

1952				1953			
Sep. 6				Jan. 3	London Scottish	...	H 23-3
" 13	Lydney	...	H 11-17	" 8	Army	...	H 13-6
" 18	Stroud	...	A 11-11	" 10	Leicester	...	H 10-8
" 20	Exeter	...	H 14-8	" 17	Wasps	...	A 3-11
" 27	Bristol	...	A 9-6	" 24	Bristol	...	H 6-12
				" 31	Neath	...	A 5-8
Oct. 2	Cheltenham	...	A 3-6	Feb. 7	United Services	...	H 17-11
" 4	Bedford	...	H 6-14	" 14	Cambridge Univ.	...	H 11-9
" 11	Old Paulines	...	H 30-0	" 21	Swansea	...	A 10-8
" 18	Cardiff	...	A 0-8	" 28	Cardiff	...	H 14-9
" 25	Old Blues	...	H 14-3	Mar. 7	Northampton	...	H
				" 14	R.A.F.	...	H
Nov. 1	Leicester	...	A 6-3	" 21	Guy's Hospital	...	H
" 8	Llanelly	...	A 6-22	" 28	Newport	...	H
	Glos. v. Cornwall	...		Apr. 2	Stroud	...	H
	at Kingsholm	...		" 4	London Welsh	...	H
" 15	Newport	...	A 3-8	" 6	Sale	...	H
" 22	Clifton	...	H 20-0	" 7	Lydney	...	A
" 29	Oxford Univ.	...	A Can.	" 11	Blackheath	...	H
				" 16	Cheltenham	...	H
Dec. 6	Neath	...	H Can.	" 18	Harlequins	...	A
" 13	Bath	...	H 11-3	" 23	Bath	...	A
" 20	Coventry	...	A 3-3	" 25	Devonport Services	...	A
" 26	O.M.T.s	...	H 10-8	" 27	Penzance & Newlyn	...	A
" 27	U.A.U.	...	H 11-3	" 28	Teignmouth	...	A

Next Week :

**R.A.F.**

Kick-off 3-15 p.m.

# COMPLETE YOUR DAY'S VISITING GLOUCESTER HIPPODROME

## GLOUCESTER RED AND WHITE

## NORTHAMPTON

**TO-DAY'S REFEREE**  
is  
**Mr. George Gouldsworthy**  
(Welsh Union)

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|-----|-------------------------|------------------|--|
| 1   | <b>T. Halls</b>         | Full Back        |  |
| 2   | <b>J. Taylor</b>        | Three-quarters   |  |
| 3   | <b>H. Terrington</b>    |                  |  |
| 4   | <b>M. Baker</b>         |                  |  |
| 5   | <b>E. Turner</b>        |                  |  |
| 6   | <b>L. Morgan</b>        | Fly Half         |  |
| 7   | <b>J. Hobbs</b>         | Scrum Half       |  |
| 8   | <b>R. Parry</b>         | Forwards         |  |
| 9   | <b>C. Thomas</b>        |                  |  |
| 10  | <b>R. Stowers</b>       |                  |  |
| 11  | <b>H. G. Wells</b>      |                  |  |
| *12 | <b>J. Gwilliam</b>      |                  |  |
| 14  | <b>D. Ibbotson</b>      |                  |  |
| 15  | <b>R. Hodge (Capt.)</b> | * Internationals |  |
| 16  | <b>P. Ford</b>          |                  |  |

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|----|----------------------------|--|--|
| 1  | <b>F. Brookman</b>         |  |  |
| 2  | <b>N. Bailey</b>           |  |  |
| 3  | <b>J. Butterfield</b>      |  |  |
| 4  | <b>D. C. Hooker</b>        |  |  |
| 5  | <b>D. MacNally</b>         |  |  |
| 6  | <b>I. D. F. Goutts</b>     |  |  |
| 7  | <b>R. E. G. Jeeps</b>      |  |  |
| 13 | <b>J. H. Whiting</b>       |  |  |
| 14 | <b>M. J. Berridge</b>      |  |  |
| 15 | <b>C. R. Jacobs</b>        |  |  |
| 11 | <b>R. C. Hawkes</b>        |  |  |
| 12 | <b>V. H. Leadbeater</b>    |  |  |
| 8  | <b>D. F. White (Capt.)</b> |  |  |
| 9  | <b>H. T. Woolnough</b>     |  |  |
| 10 | <b>J. E. Lomas</b>         |  |  |

Records to date:  
**Gloucester**  
P 27, W 16, D 2, L 9  
Points 290—208  
**Northampton**  
P 28, W 21, D 3, L 4  
Points 312—105

The Collection for the  
**FLOOD RELIEF FUND**  
last Saturday totalled  
**£91 12 5**  
THANK YOU.

Look what follows at  
**KINGSHOLM !!**  
March 14th **R.A.F.**  
March 21st  
**GUYS HOSPITAL**  
March 28th  
**NEWPORT**  
April 2nd (Th)  
**STROUD**  
April 4th  
**LONDON WELSH**  
April 6th (M) **SALE**

Phyllis Calvert, James Donald  
**THE NET** (u)  
Dinah Sheridan, Emrys Jones  
**DARK SECRET** (a)

Dirk Bogarde, Ian Hunter  
**APPOINTMENT IN LONDON** (u)  
Lisabeth Scott, Paul Henreid  
**STOLEN FACE** (a)

**To-Night**

**NEXT WEEK**

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## NOTES

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With our appetites whetted by the great game last Saturday may we have another such exhilarating game to-day.

Northampton dispute with Cardiff the head of the unofficial league table which a daily paper compiles, and have thus the best record of any English Club which plays most of the other first-class clubs. Penzance-Newlyn who are undefeated do not play most of the clubs in the list, and are not in the table.

This game is bi-annual at Kingsholm and the results of the last three games here have been :—

1946-47 Cancelled (frost)

1948-49 Draw 0—0

1950-51 Gloucester won 21—0

Bob Hodge returns to-day vice Gordon Hudson otherwise the successful team of the last few matches is retained.

The Northampton team shows an imposing array of Internationals, while others have appeared in County and other representative games.

We should like to have seen L. Cannell, the other England centre playing, and also Smith, the 'hooker' and J. P. Hyde.

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Work is commencing on the Memorial Ground so the **Fund** needs your assistance as much as ever in purchasing these Programmes.