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GLOUCESTER RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB

Founded
1873

We wish all players and supporters of the Club the Compliments of the Season and a feast of good ruggar in the matches to be played in the New Year.

Dec 28th 1957

Season
1957-58

TO-DAY'S GAME IS VERSUS

CARDIFF

Kick-off 2-30 p.m.

To-day is, of course, one of the 'highlights' of our rugby season, with the appearance of that great and popular club from the capital of Wales, Cardiff. The very name is synonymous with all that is best in rugby football. Through the pages of the history books run the names of legendary stars of the rugby field. Why it seems like only yesterday that Jack Matthews, Bledwyn Williams, Cliff Jones and other illustrious players were here on Kingsholm displaying their great skill. We, too, live with the memory of great victories against the Welsh Metropolitans.

Whatever the result of to-day's game, it is certain that it will provide at least one incident which will form the kernel of an anecdote, beginning, "Do you remember when Cardiff were here in" And we shall all remember. Thank you, Cardiff, for those memories, we are proud to welcome you to Kingsholm.

Last season's score at Gloucester : 0 - 11

AT HOME
OR AWAY

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THE MATCH
FOR YOU

GLOUCESTER Red and White

TO-DAY'S REFEREE

CARDIFF Blue and White

- Full Back*
1 S. Ingram ~~or~~ **L. Sheen** (c)
- Threequarters*
2 R. Smith R.W.
3 A. Holder (c) R.G.
4 J. M. Jenkin (O.B.) L.C.
5 P. Hawker L.W.
- Half Backs*
6 D. Phelps O.H.
7 M. Booth (c) S.H.
- Forwards*
8 G. W. Hastings (t)
9 C. Thomas (c)
10 B. J. Lane (c)
~~or~~ **J. Herbert** (c)
11 B. J. Green (c)
12 R. Long
13 P. Ford (c) (Capt.)
14 V. H. Leadbetter (t)
15 **M. Craig** ~~Robinson~~

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FIRST XV. FIXTURES

Sept. 9	Waterloo	...	H	11	3	Jan. 4	London Scots	...	A
14	Lydney	...	H	3	0	11	Leicester	...	A
19	Newport	...	A	6	24	18	Wasps	...	H
21	Moseley	...	H	16	3	25	Army	...	H
25	Cheltenham	...	A	3	5	Feb. 1	Bristol	...	A
28	Bristol	...	H	9	3	6	Royal Navy	...	H
Oct. 5	Bedford	...	A	9	9	8	Bath	...	H
12	Old Blues	...	H	22	0	15	Swansea	...	H
19	Civil Service	...	H	18	18	22	Devonport S.	...	H
26	Coventry	...	A	6	3	March 1	Northampton	...	A
Nov. 2	Leicester	...	H	12	8	8	R.A.F.	...	H
9	Moseley	...	A	11	17	15	Guy's Hospital	...	A
16	Aberavon	...	A	3	11	22	Newport	...	H
20	Cambridge	...	A	8	13	29	Stroud	...	A
University	University	...	A	8	13	April 5	Headingley	...	H
23	Cardiff	...	A	0	12	7	Birkenhead Pk	...	H
30	Oxford	...	H	6	8	8	Lydney	...	A
Dec. 7	Neath	...	A	3	11	12	Neath	...	H
14	Bath	...	A	9	6	17	Cheltenham	...	H
21	Coventry	...	H	10	18	19	Stroud	...	H
26	O.M.T.s	...	H	12	9	26	Exeter	...	A
27	U.A.U.	...	H			28	Torquay Ath.	...	A
28	Cardiff	...	H			29	Weston-S-Mare	...	A

- Full Back*
1 A. J. Priday
- Threequarters*
2 G. John (t) R.W.
3 ~~G. Wells~~ (t) **P. Newman** R.C.
4 ~~A. Barber~~ **H. Nicholas** S.C.
5 ~~H. Nicholls~~ **J. Gwyn** L.W.
- Half Backs*
6 C. Morgan (t) (O.H.)
7 L. Williams (t) (S.H.)
- Forwards*
8 C. Howe
9 G. Beckingham (t)
10 J. D. Evans
11 K. Jones
12 **M. Gough** ~~Goodman~~
13 ~~C. D. Williams~~ (t) **J. D. Newson**
14 E. Thomas
15 D. J. Hayward (t) International

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SCHOOLBOYS' RUGGER

On Thursday next at 2-30 p.m. Gloucestershire Schools (over 15) meet Somerset Schools here on Kingsholm. The game is sure to be of interest to all supporters. Usual 'United' prices are being charged. So if you are free on Thursday, why not come along?

INTERNATIONAL MATCHES at Twickenham

The allocation of Stand Tickets, particularly for the Wales and 'Wallabies' games, is extremely small, drastic cuts having been made as compared with previous seasons. This will of necessity occasion disappointment. Those members who have applied for tickets for both games should express their preference for one of them to the Hon. Sec., A. Hudson, 58 Northgate Street. Tickets are available for Enclosure (5/6) and Field (4/6).

MEMORIAL GROUND FUND

We would remind our followers that the entire profit from the sale of programmes goes to the above Fund, and we would ask all to continue their support and encourage others to purchase a copy. Donations to the Fund would be gratefully acknowledged by the Hon. Secretary.

THE SOCIAL CLUB

As well as being open before and after the match, the Club Room is open on Tuesday and Thursday evenings, and we look forward to seeing more of our members on these occasions. Tea and sandwiches may be obtained in the Club Room after the match.

A HAPPY NEW YEAR