



GLOUCESTER RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB
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GLOUCESTER v. GUYS HOSPITAL

KINGSHOLM, GLOUCESTER

ON SATURDAY, 18th MARCH, 1961

Kick-off 3.15 p.m.

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Gloucester RED AND WHITE

Full Back

(PEM) 1 R. Hillier (c)

Threequarters

- 2 R. Smith
- 3 A. Holder (c)
- 4 P. Hole
- 5 R. Timms (c)

Halves

(T.M.) 6 T. Hopson

7 G. Mace

Forwards

- 8 A. Townsend (c)
- 9 R. Chamberlayne
- 10 J. Fowke (c)
- 11 R. Long
- 12 A. Brinn
- (T.M.) 13 P. Ford (c) T. DAVIES
(Captain)
- (T.M.) 14 H. Simmonds
- 15 D. Smith

Referee :
M. Harris (Coventry)

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FIRST XV. FIXTURES

R.W.	Sept. 5 Waterloo.....H	26-12
R.C.	7 Cardiff.....A	0-14
L.C.	10 Lydney.....H	14-14
L.W.	15 Stroud.....A	8-0
	17 Moseley.....H	10-5
	22 Cheltenham.....H	3-3
	24 Bristol.....A	13-16
	28 Pontypool.....A	Can.
O.H.	Oct. 1 Bedford.....H	11-6
S.H.	8 Neath.....H	6-0
	15 Newport.....A	14-15
	22 Coventry.....A	3-12
	29 Oxford Univ.....A	6-11
	Nov. 5 Leicester.....H	11-8
	12 Moseley.....A	6-6
	19 Aberavon.....H	3-13
	26 Old Blues.....H	0-0
	Dec. 3 Plymouth Albion H	8-6
	(Neath Fixture Cancelled)	
	10 Bath.....A	Can.
	17 Coventry.....H	15-17
	24 Pontypool.....H	11-19
	26 O.M.T.....H	9-6
	27 U.A.U.....H	5-8
	31 Newbridge.....H	8-3



(I) International
(T) Trial
(C) County

Guys Hospital

Full Back

1 K. M. Paghero

Threequarters

- 2 D. E. Eguatu R.W.
- 3 J. D. Bryant BEAUMARIS R.C.
- 4 G. W. Hackett L.C.
- 5 D. A. Biggs L.W.

Halves

6 N. M. Boyd O.H.

7 M. D. Murray S.H.

Forwards

- 8 A. C. Knight
- 9 W. T. Treadwell
- 10 A. Fisher
- 11 P. W. R. Harris BRYANT
- 12 B. Blackwell
- 13 D. R. A. Lloyd-Edwards
- 14 P. Peace
- 15 T. A. H. English
(Captain)

FIRST XV. FIXTURES

	Jan. 7 London Scot.....H	8-8
	14 Leicester.....A	3-21
	21 Wasps.....A	6-10
	26 Army.....H	16-9
	28 Cambridge Un. H	3-3
	Feb. 4 Bristol.....H	6-13
	11 Bath.....H	17-8
	18 Swansea.....A	6-10
	25 Aberavon.....A	0-18
	Mar. 4 Northampton.....H	14-11
	11 R.A.F.....H	8-6
	18 Guys Hospital.....H	16-6
	25 Newport.....H	
	Apr. 1 New Brighton.....H	
	3 Sale.....H	
	4 Lydney.....A	
	8 Devonport S.....H	
	12 Cheltenham.....A	
	15 Cardiff.....H	
	20 Stroud.....H	
	22 Plymouth Alb.....A	
	24 Teignmouth "A" A	
	25 Taunton.....A	
	29 Llanelly.....H	

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NOTES

WE welcome today, our sporting friends from Guys Hospital who can be relied on to give us a first class open game of Rugby. We have been playing these sides since the Season 1920/1 and the following details of the results of the games may be of interest to our supporters.

The number of games played are 44, of which we have won 29 and lost 15. Points for 585, against 326, and it is interesting to note that 'Guys' actually performed the double over us during the Season 1950/1, the scores being 5-7 at Kingsholm and 3-9 at Homer Park. Up to the years 1938/9 we regularly played home and away fixtures each Season and then owing to the very full list, we had to resort to the arrangements which still exists viz one fixture home and away in alternate years.

It is probably not generally known that our President, A. Alcock, Esq. gained his International cap when playing for Guys Hospital during the Season 1906/7. Guys Hospital are the second oldest club in the Country, having been formed during the Season 1843. They are one of the founder members of the Rugby Football Union formed in London on January 26th, 1871, two years before our own Club was in existence.

Having disposed of Northampton and Royal Air Force on successive Saturdays, after today we meet the formidable Newport side whom we so narrowly failed to defeat at Newport on October 15th. We lost as you will recall by the narrow margin of one shot, 14-15 after one of the finest games of the Season. It will be a very tough struggle which we hope will be played before a record gate of the Season.

The Season, most unfortunately, is fast drawing to a close, but for the remaining few weeks, there are some very fine attractions. Following Newport, we have the two Easter matches viz New Brighton and Sale. Before that however, the match cancelled earlier in the Season against Bath will be played at Bath on Tuesday, March 28th. Kick-off at 6.15 p.m. On this occasion the team will travel by cars.

Our United side who are having an exceptionally fine Season, will journey to Cleve today and will not be seen at Kingsholm anymore this Season, but on April 1st, instead of playing the North Gloucester Combination whose players will be training for the cups, they will travel to Blaneavon.

NEXT MATCH—

GLOUCESTER v. NEWPORT

SATURDAY, MARCH 25th

KICK-OFF 3.15 P.M.

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