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GLOUCESTER v. SWANSEA

KINGSHOLM, GLOUCESTER

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Referee :

E. V. Barnes (London Society)

Swansea

Full Back

1 R. Hillier (c) (EOW)

Threequarters

2 P. Meadows (c) R.W.
 3 J. Bayliss (c) R.C.
 4 A. Holder (c) (R.R.) L.C.
 5 T. Osman L.W.

Halves

6 T. Hopson (c) O.H.
 7 J. Spalding S.H.

Forwards

8 A. Townsend (c) (Captain)
 9 K. Taylor (c)
 10 J. Fowke (c)
 11 R. Long (c)
 12 D. Owen (P. Wilson)
 13 P. Ford (c)
 14 H. Symonds (c)
 15 P. Lane

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FIRST XV. FIXTURES

Sept. 9	Lydney	H	26-3
13	Cheltenham	A	18-6
16	Moseley	H	3-3
20	Cardiff	A	6-10
23	Bristol	H	15-3
28	Stroud	H	35-0
30	Bedford	A	17-11
Oct. 7	Llanely	A	8-10
14	Neath	A	3-12
21	Newport	H	11-23
28	Coventry	A	8-26
Nov. 4	Leicester	H	26-11
11	Moseley	A	13-5
15	Cambridge Un.	A	0-14
18	Aberavon	H	13-19
25	Old Blues	H	40-3
Dec. 2	Oxford Univ.	H	8-39
9	Bath	H	9-3
16	Coventry	H	14-8
23	Newbridge	A	13-8
26	O.M.T.	H	Can.
27	Pontypool	H	Can.
30	Neath	H	Can.

FIRST XV. FIXTURES

Jan. 6	London Scot.	A	5-36
13	Leicester	A	3-16
20	Wasps	H	19-0
27	Army	H	16-8
Feb. 3	Bristol	A	0-23
10	Bath	A	8-8
17	Swansea	H	5-3
24	Aberavon	A	
Mar. 3	Northampton	A	
10	Richmond	H	
15	R.A.F.	H	
17	Guys Hospital	A	
24	Newport	A	
29	Stroud	A	
31	Harlequins	H	
Apr. 7	Cardiff	H	
12	Cheltenham	H	
14	Pontypool	A	
21	Headingley	H	
23	Birkenhead P.	H	
24	Lydney	A	
28	Devonport S.	A	
30	Teignmouth	A	



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

Full Back

1 (J. Evans) H. MAWARR

Threequarters

2 M. Evans R.W.
 3 A. N. Other R.C.
 4 K. Guard L.C.
 5 D. Bebb (I) (R.Y.) L.W.

Halves

6 K. Pugh O.H.
 7 C. Roderick S.H.

Forwards

8 G. Lewis (Captain)
 9 J. Isaacs
 10 G. Thomas
 11 G. Morris
 12 J. Clifford
 14 W. Jenkins
 15 J. Fautt (I) M. THOMAS
 16 J. Leleu (I)

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NOTES

WE WELCOME TODAY our old friends from Swansea who with very few breaks have been regular visitors to Gloucester since the 1880's.

Vivyan Davies who played scrum half for Gloucester in season 1949-50 is their Fixture Secretary and we hope he will be a member of the party today. By the way, he is a brother-in-law of Gwynne Walters, the Referee who did so much to make the International match at Twickenham last Saturday so enjoyable.

From the records, 1889, Gloucester v. Swansea, at the Spa. Result: Gloucester won 3 goals and two tries to 1 try. Following a hard frost, a too generous application of salt ruined the grass, and the Club were given notice to quit by the Gloucester Cricket Club. Hence our removal to Kingsholm on September 1891. Thanks Swansea.

A.H.

Congratulations to A. Alford of the Crypt Grammar School, and K. Baalam of Cirencester Grammar School on their selection to the England Schools Rugby Union (15 Group) side to play against Wales at Cardiff on March 3rd. Both these boys are members of our own Gloucester and District Schools side. Alford is a prop forward, 5' 10" and 13 stone, Baalam, 2nd. row forward is 6' 1½" and 13 stone 11 lbs.

J.H.

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