Gloucester v. Old Merchant Taylors
KINGSHOLM, GLOUCESTER
BOXING DAY, DEC. 26th, 1966. Kick-off 2-30 p.m.
SUNDAY EXPRESS

GLOUCESTER

K. Hutton (Glosshire Society)

FULL BACK
1 D. Ainge (c)
2 J. Dix
3 M. Dawson
4 G. Race
5 J. Groves (tow)
HALF BACK
6 T. Hopson (c)
7 M. Booth (fap)
8 J. Fowke (c)
9 P. Ketts-Roch
10 C. Teague
11 A. Brimm (c)
12 N. Jackson
13 G. Redding
14 T. Davis
15 R. Smith (c)

THREEQUARTERS
1 Northam (c) 16-4
2 Bewley 14-7
3 Crompton 11-9
4 G. Race
5 J. Groves (tow)

FORWARDS
8 T. Hopson (c)
9 M. Booth (fap)
10 J. Fowke (c)
11 P. Ketts-Roch
12 C. Teague
13 A. Brimm (c)
14 N. Jackson
15 G. Redding
16 T. Davis
17 R. Smith (c)

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OLD MERCHANT TAYLORS

FULL BACK
15 D. Cameron
14 T. Cameron
13 J. Welch
12 D. L. Brasier
11 A. Ducat

THREEQUARTERS

FORWARDS

10 N. Griffin
9 R. H. Polham

* All Pay

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47 NORTHGATE ST., GLoucester

Referees: K. Hutton (Glosshire Society)
OUR VISITORS
As far as Gloucester rugby is concerned Boxing Day and the Old Merchant Taylors are synonymous, and once again at this festive season we give a particularly cordial welcome – weather permitting – this afternoon to our time-honoured and traditional opponents, who, win or lose, always try their utmost to play attractive rugby.

KINGSHOLM KACKLE
Much to supporters’ disappointment, last season’s fixture with the popular ‘Taylors’ had to be cancelled because of the severe weather which suddenly descended upon us at Christmas. The season before, however, on Saturday, December 26th, 1964, the Cherry and Whites accounted for O.M.T. by 12 points to 3. Bob Timms, Roy Morris and Mickie Booth scored Gloucester’s tries and Don Rutherford added a penalty goal.

There are still a few tickets available for the England v. Australia International match at Twickenham on Saturday, January 7th. These may be obtained from the Gloucester R.F.C. Secretary, Terry Tandy, at the Clubhouse this afternoon, or at 17 Ogbourne Close, Longlevens.

All Stand Tickets for the match between Western Counties and Australia at Bristol on Saturday, January 14th, have been sold. There are, however, a few remaining for the ground (5/-), enclosure (7/6) and ringside (10/-).

A grand Christmas Dance is being held in the Social Club tonight (8 – 1) and another next Saturday (New Year’s Eve). Each is expected to be a “sell-out” and admission will be by ticket only (3/- for members and 5/- for members’ friends). You may obtain your tickets for either dance at the Social Club today.

The increasingly popular Bingo Sessions will be resumed next Monday evening (commence 7:45) in the Social Club under the personal direction of maestro Jimmy “top-of-the-house” Holder.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 27th, 1966 Kick-off 2-30 p.m.
GLOUCESTER v. PONTYPOOL

Saturday, 31st December, 1966 Kick-off 2-30 p.m.
GLOUCESTER v. EBBW VALE

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