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GLOUCESTER v. BRISTOL
KINGSHOLM, GLOUCESTER
SATURDAY, 4th FEB., 1967.  Kick-off 2-45 p.m.

Official Programme - Price 6d.
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**GLOUCESTER**

**BRISTOL**

**Referee:**
A. C. Luff (Notts, Lincs. & Derby Society)

The first aid service on the ground is voluntarily provided by the City of Gloucester Division of the Ambulance Brigade.

**GLOUCESTER (Red and White)**

**BRISTOL (Blue and White)**

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**GLOUCESTER FIRST XV FIXTURES**

- Sept. 1 Cliffords-H 10-8
- 3 Northamptons-H 16-9
- 7 Broughton A 3-5
- 10 Caerleon A 11-9
- 15 Gloucester 0 0
- Nov. 17 Monmouth H 19-22
- 22 Wellfounds H 16-8
- 25 Bristol A 3-17
- Oct. 1 Bath A 9-2
- 6 Clevedons-H 8-0
- 8 Herefords A 0-0
- 10 Ebbw Vale A 6-13
- 11 Ebbw Vale-H 5-9
- 12 Monmouth-H 3-2
- 13 Clevedon A 0-3
- 14 Ebbw Vale-H 6-2

**BRISTOL FIRST XV FIXTURES**

- Jan. 7 Llandudno-H 0 0
- 14 Leicester A 3-9
- 21 Wrexham A 3-0
- 25 Cambridge-H 0-6
- Feb. 4 Bristol-H 0 0
- 12 Bath H 8-0
- 18 Swansea A 0-0
- 23 Abergavenny A 8-0
- 25 Barry A 0-0

**GLOUCESTER HALF BACKS**

- 4 T. Hopson (c) O.H.

**BRISTOL THREEQUARTERS**

- 1 B. J. Corker (c) R.W.

**GLOUCESTER FORWARDS**

- 8 J. Fowke (c)
- 9 M. Nicholls (c)
- 10 C. Tengue
- 11 A. Bann (c)
- 12 R. Long (c)
- 13 P. Ford (c)
- 14 T. Davis
- 15 R. Smith (c)

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OUR VISITORS

There are few victories more satisfying than those gained over our old rivals – but very good friends – from Bristol; and we like to think they hold similar sentiments about Gloucester. Nevertheless, “the play’s the thing”, and with Bristol as our visitors this afternoon it is certain the quality will not be strained.

In extending a most cordial welcome to our County neighbours, then, may we add our sincere congratulations to them in having three representatives in the England team to meet Ireland next Saturday. We wish them well in the dual battle with the green-shirted gentlemen and the leprechauns.

KINGSHOLM KACKLE

Last season at Kingsholm, on Saturday, September 25th, Gloucester won a hard struggle against Bristol by 9 points to 3. Terry Hopson and Tony Osman scored unconverted tries, Hopson also adding a dropped goal.

Earlier this season Bristol won comfortably at the Memorial Ground by 15 points to 3; so today, like Marcus Brutus of old, we shall try fortune in a second fight.

One of our staunch lady members, Miss Herring, of 77 Longford Lane, Gloucester, was the holder of last Saturday’s lucky programme (No. 89) and is enriched by £5. Congratulations!

The Gloucester R.F.C. secretary, Mr. Terry Tandy, has a limited supply of enclosure tickets for England’s two remaining International matches at Twickenham – against France and Scotland. These may be purchased from him at the office on the ground or at his home at 17 Ogbourne Close, Longlevens.

Subject to a little more research on the matter, we believe that today’s game is Peter Ford’s 499th for Gloucester’s premier team. This is indeed a great record and we all hope that the not-so-old maestro, who has been such a wonderful servant to his Club, County and Country, will make many more appearances before supporters are able to ask “Do you remember old ‘Fورد’?”

This evening – k-o. 8-30 p.m. – there will be a DANCE in the Social Club – Members 3/-, Member’s Guests 6/-

Two of the Gloucester players and their ladies were among the prizewinners at Bingo this week – and they are certainly going again, they say. Why not join the “matey” little band? You’ll find it quite an enjoyable evening out! The next BINGO SESSION is in the Social Club on Monday evening, when our genial caller, Jimmy Holder, starts “wheezing his way to victory” about 8 p.m.

A.R.

Saturday, 11th February  GLOUCESTER v. BATH  Kick-off 3-0 p.m.