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- FIRST XV FIXTURES
- Sept. 2 Lydney H 18- 6
 6 Pontypool H 14- 3
 9 Coventry H 11- 9
 13 Cheltenham A 5-14
 16 Moseley A 14-11
 20 Cardiff A 9-20
 23 Bristol H 11-12
 30 Bedford A 18- 5
- Oct. 2 Ebbw Vale H 12- 8
 7 Bective Rangers A 22- 3
 12 Clifton H - -
 14 Harlequins H 18- 0
 21 Newport H 13-13
 28 Old Blues H 32- 3
- Nov. 4 Leicester A 6- 9
 11 Moseley H 3- 6
 15 Cambridge Univ. A 3- 9
 18 Aberavon A 3-11
 25 Newbridge H 9-11
- Dec. 2 Oxford Univ. H 11-11
 9 Bath H Can.
 16 Coventry A 3- 8
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- Jan. 6 Lond. Scottish—A 6-16
 13 Leicester H Can.
 20 Plymouth H 8- 0
 27 Neath A 0-14
- Feb. 3 Bristol A Can.
 8 Army H 8- 8
 10 Bath A 11- 0
 16 Swansea H 3-17
 24 Aberavon H 6- 6
- Mar. 2 Northampton —A 8-18
 9 R.A.F. H 6-17
 13 Ebbw Vale A 3-20
 16 Guys Hospital—A 3- 3
 21 Stroud A 15- 8
 23 Saracens H 3- 3
 25 Newport A 6- 8
 27 Clifton A 24- 5
 30 Wasps H 23- 0
- Apl. 1 Cheltenham—H 3-14
 6 Pontypool A 16-11
 11 Lydney A
 13 Headingley H
 15 Birkenhead Pk. H
 20 Neath H
 23 Newbridge A
 27 Penzance A
 29 Exeter A

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OUR VISITORS

This afternoon we extend a cordial Easter-tide welcome to Headingley, our friends from Yorkshire, who invariably serve up bright, open fare befitting the holiday period. Our visitors have been enjoying a successful season, having won 19 of their 34 matches, with 2 drawn and 13 lost. How much they insist on open, constructive rugby is reflected in their points' aggregate, for they have scored no fewer than 490 points while conceding 360.

Unfortunately, Headingley only visit Kingsholm once every two seasons. They last met Gloucester here on Easter Saturday, April 9th, 1966, when they won by 16 points to 9. Gloucester's scores came from two penalty goals by David Ainge and a try from Roy Long.

KINGSHOLM KACKLE

The lucky programme, No. 642, at the last home game – against Cheltenham last Monday week – was held by Mr. C. W. Humpherson, 149 Estcourt Road, Gloucester, who was the richer by £5.

After that inexplicable fall from grace against Cheltenham, the lads brought off a remarkable victory against Pontypool last Saturday at Pontypool Park. Their success was the more creditable in view of the fact that virtually the same Pontypool side had accounted for both Bristol and Cardiff in their two previous matches within four days.

On the same day Cheltenham were humbled on their own ground by Oxford, not generally considered among their stronger opponents!

On Monday afternoon, kick-off 3.15 p.m., the holiday programme continues at Kingsholm with the game against Birkenhead Park.

There is an attractive Seven-a-Side Invitation Tournament on the Memorial Ground, Tuffley Avenue, tomorrow afternoon (Easter Sunday) which is sponsored by Widden Old Boys R.F.C. The first match starts at 2.15 p.m. and the final will be played about 6.45 p.m. A tea tent and beer tent will be open throughout the afternoon.

Among the clubs taking part are: Widden O.B., Stroud, Bream, Cinderford, Tredworth, Gloucester O.B., Gloucester Civil Service, Hendon (a London side on tour), Old Cryptians, Old Centralians, Ledbury, Feltham (a Middlesex club), Wigston O.B. (from Leicester), Longlevens, Old Patesians, Ynysddu (a Welsh side) and C.M.N.P. (a club from Normandy, France, who are touring in South Wales).

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