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20 St. Ives... H
24 Lower... H
25 A.R.E. College... H
27 Hayle...

OCTOBER
4 Camborne...
9 School of Mines...
11 Exeter...
18 Plymouth Albion...

NOVEMBER
1 Penryn...
3 R.N.A.S. Culdrose...
10 Falmouth...
16 Launceston...

DECEMBER
4 Devonport Services...
6 Truro...
15 Oxford University...
18 Penryn...
20 Camborne...
27 Hornets...

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JANUARY
3 Hayle...
10 Falmouth...
17 Torquay Athletic...
24 St. Luke's College...
31 Newton Abbot...

FEBRUARY
7 Barnstaple...
14 Camborne...
21 Plymouth Albion...
28 Torquay Athletic...

MARCH
7 Devonport Services...
12 School of Mines...
14 Penzance & Newlyn...
21 Taunton...
27 St. Mary's Hospital...
28 Old Blues...
30 Saracens...

APRIL
4 Ebbs Vale...
11 St. Ives...
16 Camborne...
18 Penzance & Newlyn...
22 Launceston...
25 Exeter...
27 Gloucester...
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MAY
4 Cornwall "Sevens" Tournament...

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COMMENTS

Today we are honoured with a visit from Gloucester who make one of their rare appearances at the Recreation Ground. We would like to extend a particularly warm welcome to the representatives of this famous club and trust that they have had an enjoyable week end in the Ducty. Although such well known names as Tommy Palmer, John Bayliss, and Terry Hopson are missing from the Gloucester side they have a very adequate Reserve strength and are quite strongly represented this evening.

Last week’s home matches with the “Pirates” and Launceston although producing a couple of comfortable wins were in the main a mixture of some brilliant and mediocre Rugby. The Pirates forwards never let up and although the young Redruth backs with John Mills particularly prominent always looked the more positive they suffered from insufficient possession of the ball.

In the match with Launceston the backs were given ample opportunity to run up a score of 25 points (7 times across the line), but if they had concentrated on doing the simple things in the orthodox manner they might have easily have doubled their score.

In the event it was rather frustrating to see such over elaboration and intricate moves being attempted when the more obvious would have produced tries. Even so John Mills and Graham May were very dangerous attackers and collected 5 tries between them.

The first fifteen complete their home programme on Friday evening with a visit from Coventry. This great Midlands team are paying their first visit to Redruth since the early nineteen thirties when some memorable games were played between the two clubs. The present Coventry team is regarded as one of the strongest, if not, the top club side in the country and with such brilliant performers as England players David Duckham and Rodney Webb in their threequarter line this match should provide some wonderful entertainment. The kick off will be at 6.30 p.m. and will be proceeded by a game between the Reds Reserves and the Coventry second XV at 4.15.