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GLOUCESTER v. NEWBRIDGE

KINGSHOLM - GLOUCESTER

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GLOUCESTER

(Red and White)

FULL BACK

1 **R. ETHERIDGE**

THREEQUARTERS

2 **R. CLEWES**

3 **J. BAYLISS (c)**

4 **T. PALMER (c)**

5 **R. JARDINE**

HALF BACKS

6 **E. STEPHENS**

7 **M. BOOTH (c)**

FORWARDS

8 **R. COWLING**

9 **M. NICHOLLS (c)**

(Capt.)

10 **D. PEGLER**

11 **A. BRINN (c)**

12 **N. JACKSON (c)**

13 **M. POTTER**

14 **J. WATKINS**

15 **R. SMITH (c)**

FIRST XV FIXTURES

Sept. 2 CliftonH 26-3
5 CheltenhamA 12-15
9 PontypoolH 3-0
12 CoventryA 6-11
16 MoseleyH 11-6
19 Bective RangersH 20-12
26 BristolA 0-18

Oct. 3 BedfordH 11-21
7 Ebbw ValeH 13-6
10 HarlequinsA 6-20
14 StroudA 17-0
19 NewportA 15-9
24 Old BluesH 44-9
31 Oxford Univ.A 8-6

Nov. 4 NewbridgeH
7 LeicesterH
14 MoseleyA
21 AberavonH
28 LydneyH

Dec. 5 NewbridgeA
12 BathA
19 CoventryH
26 O.M.T.'sH
28 SaracensH

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13 **J. MARTIN** R.C.

12 **M. DAVIS** L.C.

11 **A. BROWNING** L.W.

HALF BACKS

10 **A. LEWIS** O.H.

9 **B. MILLS** S.H.

FORWARDS

8 **A. HUGHES**

7 **A. WILLIAMS**

6 **J. THOMAS**

5 **F. GEARY**

4 **R. BENDALL**

3 **D. MORGAN**

2 **D. HUGHES (Capt.)**

1 **G. SHIPP**

FIRST XV FIXTURES

Jan. 2 Lond. Scottish H
9 LeicesterA
16 WaspsA
23 Cambridge Un. H
30 BridgendH

Feb. 3 St. Luke's Coll. H
6 BristolH
13 BathH
20 SwanseaA
27 AberavonA

Mar. 6 Northampton ..H
11 R.A.F.H
13 RichmondA
17 Ebbw ValeA
20 Guy's Hospital H
22 CliftonA
26 NewportH
31 PontypoolA

Apr. 3 CardiffH
8 LydneyA
10 New Brighton H
12 HarrogateH
17 SaleH
24 PenzanceA
26 PlymouthA

May 1 CheltenhamH

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OUR VISITORS

For the third time this season we extend a cordial welcome to old friends and rivals from Monmouthshire – the formidable Newbridge club.

To date Gloucester have an impressive unbeaten record against Monmouthshire clubs, with victories over Pontypool, Ebbw Vale (both at Kingsholm), and Newport at Rodney Parade ; but the lads will have to be at their best to maintain this splendid run against the lively Newbridge side this evening.

In the corresponding match at Kingsholm last season, on Monday evening, February 23rd, 1970, Gloucester accounted for Newbridge by 8 points to nil. Terry Hopson and Bob Clewes scored the tries and Mickie Booth made the conversion.

KINGSHOLM KACKLE

Congratulations to the lads on another highly creditable away win last Saturday, when they defeated Oxford University at Iffley Road. It was a performance that the national Press tended to belittle.

Next Saturday week, November 14th, Gloucestershire continue their county championship campaign with the match against Somerset at Kingsholm, (kick-off 3.15 p.m.).

Stand tickets, price 10/-, are now on sale for this game and they may be obtained this evening at the office on the ground, or from the Gloucester R.F.C. secretary, Harold King, 126, Podsmead Road, Gloucester.

Supporters are reminded that it is still not too late to join the Gloucester R.F.C. "200 Club". The first monthly draw was made last week-end, when the first prize of £25 went to Terry Short, a well-known local police officer, who has hooked for both the Old Richians and Gloucestershire Police rugby teams.

The other four lucky winners, each of whom received £5, all have connections with the Gloucester club. They were Mrs. A. T. Voyce, wife of our president ; Peter Meadows, the United XV skipper ; Mike Burton, the first XV prop forward ; and Miss Carole Wadley, daughter of the club treasurer, Doug Wadley.

Mike Burton, incidentally, is a notable absentee from the Gloucester side this evening. He and Jeff Gage were selected as the props for Berkshire, who met Hertfordshire at Croxley Green this afternoon. Further south two other Gloucester forwards, Jim Jarrett and Keith Richardson, are named in the Dorset and Wilts. team which played Buckinghamshire at Dorchester today.

Further congratulations to Burton, incidentally, who is selected as one of the substitutes for the Southern Counties in their game against the Fijians at Bournemouth next Wednesday.

A.R.