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5 **J. DIX**

HALF BACKS

6 **T. PALMER (c)**

7 **J. SPALDING (c)**

FORWARDS

8 **R. COWLING (c)**

9 **M. NICHOLLS (c)**
(Capt.)

10 **M. BURTON (c)**

11 **A. BRINN (c)**

12 **N. JACKSON (c)**

13 **J. HAINES**

14 **J. WATKINS**

15 **R. SMITH (c)**

FIRST XV FIXTURES

Sept. 2	Clifton	H	26-3
5	Cheltenham	A	2-15
9	Pontypool	H	3-0
12	Coventry	A	6-11
16	Moseley	H	11-6
19	Bective Rangers	H	20-12
26	Bristol	A	0-18

Oct. 3	Bedford	H	11-21
7	Ebbw Vale	H	13-6
10	Harlequins	A	6-20
14	Stroud	A	17-0
19	Newport	A	15-9
24	Old Blues	H	44-9
31	Oxford Univ.	A	8-6

Nov. 4	Newbridge	H	6-6
7	Leicester	H	25-15
14	Moseley	A	9-13
21	Aberavon	H	9-3
28	Lydney	H	28-3

Dec. 5	Newbridge	A	10-3
12	Bath	A	0-0
19	Coventry	H	11-0
26	O.M.T.'s	H	50-3
28	Saracens	H	Can.

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3 **P. COOKE**

2 **A. HOLLINS (c)**

1 **J. POPE (Capt.)**

FIRST XV FIXTURES

Jan. 2	Lond. Scottish	H	19-6
9	Leicester	A	15-17
16	Wasps	A	9-3
23	Cambridge Un.	H	20-6
30	Bridgend	H	12-11

Feb. 3 St. Luke's Coll. H

6 Bristol H

13 Bath H

20 Swansea A

27 Aberavon A

Mar. 6 Northampton H

11 R.A.F. H

13 Richmond A

17 Ebbw Vale A

20 Guy's Hospital H

22 Clifton A

26 Newport H

31 Pontypool A

Apr. 3 Cardiff H

8 Lydney A

10 New Brighton H

12 Harrogate H

17 Sale H

24 Penzance A

26 Plymouth A

May 1 Cheltenham H

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OUR VISITORS

It's back again to evening rugby after the mid-winter break, and who better to resume our mid-week fixtures under the floodlights than our young friends from St. Luke's College, Exeter, whom we cordially welcome to Kingsholm this evening.

Last season Gloucester met the Students at Kingsholm on the evening of Wednesday, November 26th, 1969, and won an interesting game by 18 points to 6. Tries for the Cherry and Whites came from Bob Clewes, Andrew Fielding, Jim Jarrett and Mickie Booth, with Tom Palmer making three conversions.

St. Luke's College were held to a draw of 6 points each by Torquay Athletic last Saturday, though they are enjoying a fairly successful season, with ten wins and six defeats from 18 games.

KINGSHOLM KACKLE

The lads maintained their great record of not having lost to a Welsh or Monmouthshire club this season when they narrowly beat Bridgend last Saturday. But if victory came as the result of Eric Stephens' penalty goals, few will begrudge Gloucester their success in view of their second half superiority.

Next Saturday will provide another stern test for the Cherry and Whites, for the present feast of rugby continues with the visit of our powerful neighbours from the south of the county—Bristol. This clash is rightly regarded by the Gloucestershire selectors as the "final trial" and they are expected to be at Kingsholm in force to try and iron out a few difficulties in readiness for the County championship final on March 6th.

Many supporters have been telephoning Kingsholm enquiring about tickets for the final, incidentally. While their intense interest is deeply appreciated, it must be pointed out that details are far from finalised—indeed, no-one knows yet, of course, who will be Gloucestershire's opponents.

This evening Warwickshire are due to meet Leicestershire in the replay to decide the Midlands group, and the winners of this match will meet Surrey in the semi-final in London.

If the weekly Bingo sessions have not received honourable mention recently it has been because of lack of space. They are still flourishing and are held every Monday evening in the Social Club, "kick-off" 8 p.m. A.R.

LUCKY PROGRAMME NUMBER - THE BRIDGEND GAME
No. 646. Mr. A. C. Allen, 66 Court Road, Brockworth who won £5.
