

BRISTOL FOOTBALL CLUB
(RUGBY FOOTBALL UNION)

## BRISTOL GLOUČESTER

Memorial Ground, Filton Avenue FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 4th, 1972

PROGRAMME

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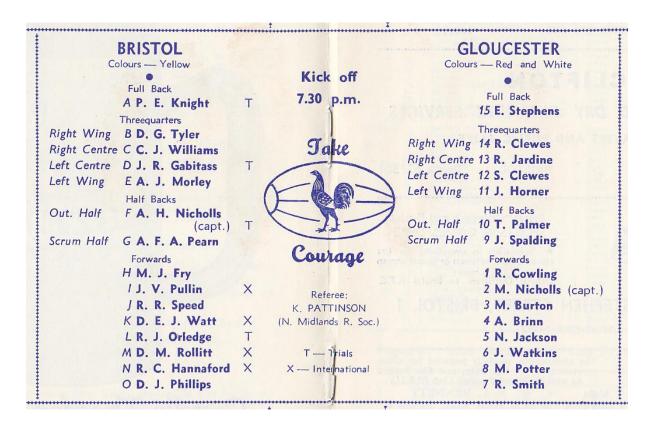


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## **CLUB NOTES**

Well—here we are again! Due to a variety of circumstances this is the first home game for the 1st XV for some time and we are certainly looking forward to tonight's game with Gloucester. They are very doughty opponents indeed and we welcome them to the ground in the hope that we can turn the tables. We remember somewhat ruefully the very efficient manner in which we were removed from the RFU Knock-out competition.

Tonight, when Dave Watt walks on to the field of play, he will have equalled Derek Neate's record of 394 appearances for Bristol and we offer him our sincere congratulations. We also congratulate John Pullin on being selected for England for the 22nd time. Two very good club members indeed.

There are still some tickets left for next Monday's Bristol Rugby Dinner and Dance at the New Bristol Centre. Price £2 each, they can be obtained from Mr. Harry Inch. A good night.

Any Bristol supporters visiting London on the 19th February to see the Richmond v. Bristol game and/or the Gloucestershire v. Middlesex game might be interested to go to the Annual Dinner of the London Bristol Rugby Society at the Cock Inn, Great Portland Street, at 8 p.m. Tickets again from Harry Inch.

Last Saturday Bristol Supporters Club had their Annual Dinner and Dance in the Clubhouse, with Reg Brookes presiding. It was a highly successful evening and all those responsible are to be congratulated. The Supporters Club deserves your support.

Players' Dances will be held this month on the 5th and 19th.

The 400 Club January prize of £100 was won by Mr. H. R. Remington of 25 Pensfield Park, Westbury-on-Trym.

Listen at half-time for the winning programme number, Recent £5 prizewinners were:—

Bristol v. Bridgend - F. W. Green, 2 Llanarth Villas, Cheltenham Road.

Glos. v. Berkshire - A. J. Patterson, 8 The Dell, Westbury-on-Trym.