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FIRST XV FIXTURES

Sept.	4	Clifton	.. H	26-11
	8	Newbridge	.. A	3-6
	11	Coventry	.. H	16-15
	15	Moseley	.. A	12-12
	18	Broughton Pk.	A	24-9
	25	Bristol	.. H	12-12
	29	Stroud	.. H	P
Oct.	2	Bedford	.. A	13-3
	6	Ebbw Vale	.. H	12-12
	9	Harlequins	.. H	12-4
	13	Cheltenham	.. A	18-6
	16	Newport	.. H	18-0
	23			
	30	Oxford Univ.	H	16-6
Nov.	3	Pontypool	.. A	29-0
	6	Leicester	.. A	9-31
	13	Moseley	.. H	23-10
	17	Camb. Univ.	A	13-6
	20	Aberavon	.. A	6-7
	27	Lydney	.. H	14-3
Dec.	4	Saracens	.. A	12-20
	11	Bath	.. H	24-16
	18	Coventry	.. A	17-27
	27	O.M.T.'s	.. H	67-3
Jan.	1	Lond. Scottish	A	6-7
	8	Leicester	.. H	P

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FIRST XV FIXTURES

	15	Wasps	.. H	28-3
	22	Newbridge	.. H	16-6
	29	Bridgend	.. A	6-0
Feb.	2	St. Luke's Coll.	H	23-14
	5	Bristol	.. A	9-12
	12	Bath	.. A	28-7
	19	Swansea	.. H	16-10
	23	Loughbr. Coll.	H	C
	26	Aberavon	.. H	12-9
Mar.	4	Northampton	A	P
	11	Richmond	.. H	
	15	Cheltenham	.. H	
	18	Guy's Hospital	A	
	22	Leicester	.. A	
	27	Newport	.. A	
	30	Lydney	.. A	
Apr.	1	Headingley	.. H	
	3	Birkenhead	.. H	
	8	Cardiff	.. A	
	12	Ebbw Vale	.. A	
	15	Sale	.. A	
	17	Pontypool	.. H	
	22	Penzance	.. A	
	24	Camborne	.. A	
	29	Liverpool	.. A	

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WELCOME TO RICHMOND !

Richmond, like others of our London friends, only visit Kingsholm every other season, and we extend a very cordial welcome to them this afternoon. It may be of interest to supporters to know that on their last visit here, on Saturday, March 14th, 1970. Richmond beat the Cherry and Whites by 16 points to 15. Bob Clewes, Andrew Fielding and Mike Nicholls scored Gloucester's unconverted tries, with John Spalding adding two penalty goals.

KINGSHOLM KACKLE

Still the leading topic among Gloucester's fervent rugby supporters, and hundreds of others, of course, is that glorious victory over London Welsh in the quarter-final of the Rugby Union national knock-out championship at Old Deer Park last Saturday. Those unfortunate to have missed this memorable game will no doubt have been given a running commentary by some of their friends who helped to swell the large crowd. There was typical "cup-tie fever" to add to the memories of the game itself, for it is certain that Old Deer Park had seen nothing like it before. The national reporters, in the main, admitted that the better team undoubtedly won, though there were one or two who only grudgingly gave the Cherry and Whites the great credit they deserved.

Now the draw for the semi-final is eagerly awaited and is to be made this week-end. This afternoon Harlequins are home to Wilmslow in the last of the quarter-final round games and should have little difficulty in joining Gloucester, Coventry and Moseley in the semi-finals. With the luck of the draw having been right against them to date, it is surely Gloucester's turn to play at Kingsholm. And what a crowd would want to see that match !

This afternoon, Gloucestershire play Warwickshire, in the final of the county championship at Coundon Road, Coventry. This is our County's third successive final and best wishes go to them in their efforts to win the title that has eluded them so long.

An eagerly-awaited game is the Schools (19 group) international between England and Wales at Kingsholm on Wednesday, March 29th (kick-off 7.15 p.m.). Memories of those two 19 group matches against Scotland still linger and demand for tickets has been heavy. These are on sale at Hudson's Sports Outfitters in Northgate Street, or may be obtained from Harold King, the Gloucester R.F.C. secretary, at 126, Podsmead Road. Prices are : Stand 75p ; Ground 25p ; Scholars and Senior Citizens 15p

Congratulations once again to Alan Brinn and Mike Burton on being selected for England in the Calcutta Cup match against Scotland at Murrayfield next Saturday. Most supporters will agree that England could well do with a few more Gloucester forwards in their pack !

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