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# **GLOUCESTER v. BRITISH POLICE**

**KINGSHOLM - GLOUCESTER**

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## GLOUCESTER

(Red and White)

**FULL BACK**  
15 P. BUTLER

**THREEQUARTERS**

14 R. JARDINE (c) R.W.  
13 J. A. BAYLISS (c) R.C.  
(Capt)

12 T. PALMER (c) L.C.  
11 J. DIX L.W.

**HALF BACKS**

10 R. REDWOOD (c) O.H.  
9 G. MACE S.H.

**FORWARDS**

1 P. BLAKEWAY

2 M. NICHOLLS (c)

3 R. COWLING (c)

4 A. BRINN (i) (c)

5 J. S. JARRETT (c)

6 J. HAINES

8 J. A. WATKINS (i) (c)

7 R. SMITH (c)

FIRST XV FIXTURES

Sept.	2	Broughton Pk.	H	14-4
	6	Moseley	.. H	31-12
	9	Coventry	.. A	6-14
	13	Abertillery	.. H	30-16
	16	Ebbw Vale	.. A	22-14
	20	British Police	H	
	23	Bristol	.. H	
	30	Bedford	.. H	
Oct.	4	Stroud	.. A	
	7	Newbridge	.. H	
	11	Cheltenham	.. H	
	14	Harlequins	.. A	
	18	S. Wales Police	H	
	21	Newport	.. A	
	28	Clifton	.. A	
Nov.	4	Leicester	.. H	
	11	Moseley	.. A	
	18	Aberavon	.. H	
	25	Lydney	.. H	
Dec.	2	Oxford Univ.	A	
	6	Cardiff	.. A	
	9	Bath	.. A	
	12	S. G. (Counties)	H	
	16	Coventry	.. H	
	23	Saracens	.. H	
	26	O.M.T.'s	.. H	
	30	Bridgend	.. H	



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## BRITISH POLICE

FULL BACK

15 G. PROTHEROE

**THREEQUARTERS**

14 A. FINLAYSON R.W.

13 I. HALL (Capt.) (i) R.C.

12 D. ROBINSON L.C.

11 T. STEPHENSON L.W.

**HALF BACKS**

10 R. EVANS (i) O.H.

9 A. LEWIS (i) (c) S.H.

**FORWARDS**

1 A. DAVIES

2 A. MAGES

3 G. HOWLS

4 T. DIAPER

5 I. DARNELL

6 C. DYER

8 J. HERNIMAN

7 S. SKIBICKI (c)

FIRST XV FIXTURES

Jan.	6	Lond. Scottish	H	
	13	Army	.. H	
	15	Leicester	.. A	
	20	Wasps	.. A	
	27	Camb. Univ.	H	
Feb.	2	Bristol	.. A	
	7	St. Luke's Coll	H	
	10	Bath	.. H	
	17	Swansea	.. A	
	21	Loughbr. Coll.	H	
	24	Aberavon	.. A	
Mar.	3	Northampton	H	
	10	Richmond	.. A	
	14	Pontypool	.. A	
	17	Guy's Hospital	H	
	24	Newport	.. H	
	28	Newbridge	.. A	
	31	Plymouth	.. H	
Apr.	7	Cardiff	.. H	
	11	Cheltenham	.. A	
	14	Exeter	.. A	
	19	Lydney	.. A	
	21	New Brighton	H	
	23	Liverpool	.. H	
	28	Penzance	.. A	
	30	Camborne	.. A	

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## WELCOME TO THE POLICE!

All of us, one trusts, being law-abiding citizens, the headline seems most appropriate and we do, indeed, extend a very cordial welcome this evening to the strong British Police side, newcomers to our fixture list. It is particularly pleasing to see one of our own Gloucester club members, Jerry Herniman, selected for the Police. We hope they all enjoy their visit to Kingsholm and we look forward to another entertaining game!

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## KINGSHOLM KACKLE

Congratulations to the lads on their great victory over Ebbw Vale at the Welfare ground last Saturday. Very few teams get the better of the Steelmen on their own ground, and it was a magnificent achievement. The time is opportune, too, to congratulate the eight Gloucester players who have won selection for Gloucestershire in the match against Monmouthshire at Pontypool next Tuesday, especially to Peter Butler, who will be making a thoroughly deserved debut, though a testing one. We all wish him luck; may he play a "stormer"!

Supporters are reminded that applications for this season's international matches at Twickenham must be received by September 30th at the latest. Prices for the match are: Stand £2; Ring seats £1; Enclosure 60p; Ground 30p. All applications, enclosing remittances and stamped addressed envelopes should be made to the Gloucester R.F.C. secretary, Mr. H. C. King, 126, Podsmead Road, Gloucester.

The International matches at Twickenham this season are: January 6th, v. New Zealand; February 24th, v. France; March 17th, v. Scotland. And for those who look forward to the trip to Cardiff—always assuming they are fortunate enough to secure tickets—Wales meet England there on January 20th. Another point of interest is that the county championship match between Devon and Gloucestershire on Saturday, November 11th, is at the County Ground, Exeter.

Next Saturday, of course, is the big annual clash between Gloucester and Bristol at Kingsholm, (kick-off 3.15 p.m.). Now widely recognised as the two leading rugby clubs in the country, with Gloucester as the Rugby Union national knock-out competition winners and Bristol the unofficial "league" champions of England and Wales, this meeting between the two County rivals should be a greater attraction than ever.

Finally, more congratulations, this time to Gloucester United, who thrashed Luctonians at Kingsholm last Saturday by 55 points to 4 in another splendid display. Gary White and his lads have now notched 129 points in their first three matches, and have scored no fewer than 22 tries!

A.R.

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