



HARLEQUIN FOOTBALL CLUB

HARLEQUINS v GLOUCESTER

RUGBY FOOTBALL UNION GROUND, TWICKENHAM

14th October, 1972

Kick-off 3 p.m.

OFFICIAL PROGRAMME 5p

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Colours: Cherry & White

15	R. Hiller*	<i>Full Back</i>	P. Butler	15
14	N. Lewis	<i>R. Wing</i>	R. White	14
13	D. Cooke	<i>R. Centre</i>	R. Morris	13
12	P. Grant	<i>L. Centre</i>	R. Jardine	12
11	J. Burroughs	<i>L. Wing</i>	J. Dix	11
10	E. Kirton* (Capt.)	<i>Fly Half</i>	R. Redwood	10
9	N. Starmer-Smith*	<i>Scrum Half</i>	J. Spalding	9
1	T. Claxton	<i>Forward</i>	R. Cowling	1
2	J. Stockdill	<i>Forward</i>	M. Nicholls	2
3	D. R. Williams	<i>Forward</i>	M. Burton*	3
4	R. Looker	<i>Forward</i>	A. Brinn*	4
5	C. Barratt	<i>Forward</i>	J. Jarrett (Capt.)	5
6	M. Thornley-Walker	<i>Forward</i>	J. Watkins*	6
8	M. J. Mason	<i>Forward</i>	J. Haines	7
7	I. Howard	<i>Forward</i>	E. Pinkney	8

***International**

Referee: **Mr. F. Lovis** (London Society)

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