RUGBY FOOTBALL UNION
COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP 1972-73

GLOUCESTERSHIRE
v.
CORNWALL
at
KINGSHOLM, GLOUCESTER
on
Saturday, 21st October, 1972
KICK-OFF 3.00 p.m.

OFFICIAL PROGRAMME ........................................... 5p

Today the holder of the prize winning programme will receive a £5 prize.
Listen at half-time for the winning number, the prize being obtained from
the Committee Room after the game.

G. E. Wright, Hon. Secretary

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### TEAMS

#### GLOUCESTERSHIRE
- Colour: White
- Full Backs
  - P. BUTLER
    - Gloucester
  - Three Quarters, Right Wing
  - A. MORLEY
    - Bristol
  - Right Centre
  - J. BAYLISS
    - Gloucester
  - Left Centre
  - C. WILLIAMS
    - Bristol
  - Left Wing
  - *P. M. KNIGHT*
    - Bristol
  - Half Backs
    - J. GABITASS
      - Bristol
    - Stand-off
    - J. CANNON
      - Clifton
    - Scrum-half
  - * Internationals

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#### CORNWALL
- Colours: Black with Yellow Hoops
- Full Backs
  - P. WINNAN
    - Penryn
  - Three Quarters, Right Wing
  - K. PLUMMER
    - Bristol
  - Right Centre
  - F. JOHNS
    - Penryn
  - Left Centre
  - J. COCKING
    - St. Ives
  - Left Wing
  - S. TIDDY
    - Redruth & Metropolitan Police
  - Half Backs
    - T. PALMER (Capt.)
      - Yelverton
    - Stand-off
    - GLOUCESTER & THOR
    - Scrum-half
    - G. THOMAS
      - Penryn
  - * Internationals

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**Touch Judge:**
- N. P. JONES
  - G.R.U.S.R.

**Referee:**
- P. E. HUGHES
  - (LANCS/MANCHESTER)

**Touch Judge:**
- J. B. ROSE
  - C.R.O.R.S.
A WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS FROM CORNWALL

Today's game sees the opening of yet another season of County Championship matches, and for the first of our two 'home' County games, Gloucestershire are pleased to welcome the Cornwall team, Officials and particularly George Pearce in his capacity as President, together with their supporters to Kingsholm this afternoon. The County Union is indeed fortunate to have these facilities of the Gloucester Club, together with the help and co-operation of the Club Officials, for staging this game.

Both Counties have played their usual programme of friendly games in preparation for today's encounter, and each will be out to secure that victory which could ensure progression to the later stages of the County Championship. Gloucestershire must be quietly confident, but have to remember that Cornwall were the only opponents to beat them in last season's seven County Championship games. Invariably there is never much of a margin between the points scored when our teams meet, but I am sure that the game will produce that kind of Rugby Football which will satisfy all ardent supporters, whether they come from the Duchy or from Gloucestershire.

May the better team win in a game which will be well remembered.

C. GARDNER, President G.R.F.U.

FORTHCOMING MATCHES AT KINGSHOLM

October 28th
Western Counties v New Zealand, kick-off 3.00 p.m.

October 31st
Gloucester v Bath, 1st Round of the Rugby Football Union Club Championship, kick-off 7 p.m.

CLUB GAMES

November 4th
Gloucester v Leicester

November 18th
Gloucester v Aberavon

November 25th
Gloucester v Lydney

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP MATCHES

November 11th
Gloucestershire v Devon at Exeter

November 25th
Gloucestershire v Somerset at the Memorial Ground, Bristol.

The Gloucestershire Rugby Union express appreciation to the Gloucester R.F.C. for the use of the ground, to the Committee and Ladies for their help, and to you who have supported the game.