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There could scarcely be more attractive opposition for the return of floodlit rugby than Swansea, the famous Welsh All Whites, to whom we extend a cordial welcome to Kingsholm this evening. They join with Gloucester and all our supporters in thanking our well-known local company for supplying the generator. Swansea, unfortunately, are only met once a year, on a home and away basis, and their last visit to Kingsholm was on Saturday, February 19, 1972, when the place-kicking of Eric Stephens steered Gloucester to victory by 16 points to 10. The only try for Gloucester came from Tony Parsloe, with the redoubtable Eric dropping a goal and landing three penalties. Next Saturday another famous Welsh club, Aberavon, are the visitors to Kingsholm (kick-off 3 p.m.) but supporters are reminded that this Sunday, February 17, there is the semi-final of the Gloucestershire County Cup between Matson and Clifton at Red Well Road, kick-off 2.30 p.m.

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