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## *The Week's Sport.*

### MIDLAND v. WESTERN COUNTIES.

The trial match was played at Gloucester, on Thursday, before a large crowd of spectators. The Midlanders showed superiority all through, and won by a dropped goal and two tries (eight points) to nil. At the conclusion of the match the officials of the Union selected the following team to represent the Western and Midland Counties against London on Wednesday next : —

F. J. Byrne (Moseley), back; W. H. Jackson (Gloucester), A. Rogers (Moseley), and J. Wilcox (Devon), three-quarters; W. George and S. A. Ball (Gloucester), halves; G. J. Witcombe (Gloucester), P. Hancock, F. Soane (Somerset), F. Evershed, A. W. Gorton (Burton), J. H. Rogers, F. R. Lycett, W. D. Ludlow (Moseley), and F. J. Sellicks (Devon), forwards.

Reserves : G. C. Middleton (Devon), back; G. A. Marsden (Burton), W. H. Taylor (Gloucester), and A. H. Frith (Coventry), three-quarters; F. C. Duckworth (Burton) and R. H. Cattell (Moseley), halves; A. Collins (Gloucester), W. A. Marris (Old Edwardians), W. Rice (Coventry), W. N. Greenwell (Burton), G. H. Allington, and B. H. Wallis (Devon), forwards.