GLEUCESTER A. V. EVESHAM.

A RIOT OF SCORING.

By "TEEK."

HEREFORD HAVE NOW LOST THEIR PLACE AS CHAMPIONS OF THE CHEERFUL LOSERS ON A LARGE SCALE. IT WAS WRESTED FROM THEM ON SATURDAY BY EVESHAM.

EARLY IN THE AFTERNOON A NUMBER OF LITTLE CARS ARRIVED AT KINGSHOLM — EACH ONE TIGHTLY PACKED WITH BIG MEN, REPRESENTING THE CREAM OF EVESHAM RUGBY.

EVERYTHING WAS GOING WELL. EVESHAM TOOK THE FIELD AT 2-57. GLOSTER SCORED A TRY.

WHEN GLOSTER SCORED ANOTHER TRY, EVESHAM KICKED THEIR HEELS AROUND UNTIL THE CLOCK SHOWED 3-20. WHEN GLOSTER SCORED ANOTHER TRY, EVESHAM LIED.

GLOSTER WERE GLAD TO SEE THE OBLIGE AND NOT ONLY SCORED TWO TRIES BUT CONVERTED THEM AS WELL.

AT HALF TIME THE SCORE STOOD — GLOSTER 22, EVESHAM 0. THIS FACT EVESHAM DISCUSSED OVER THE LEMONS AND DECIDED TO TAKE THE SECOND HALF MORE SERIOUSLY.

BUT EVESHAM HAD STILL SOME WAY TO GO BEFORE THEY CAN BEAT THE RECORD HELD BY THE FRENCH XV OF MOULINEAUX LES MINES, WHO HAVE JUST LOST TO DIJON BY 117 TO NIL.

A RARE SCORING THAT TRY AND HERE'S ANOTHER (DRAWN FROM LIFE) SHOWING THE PROGRESSIVE EFFECT OF THIS GAME ON A SET OF WELL-KNOWN FEATURES.