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Sep	9	Leicester	a	6	8	Jan	6	Old Cranleighans	a	6	3
	14	Hylton Cleaver's Inter.	XV.	0	16		13	London Welsh	a	8	0
	16	Llanelli	h	8	8		20	Cardiff	h	11	25
	21	Bath & Dis. Com.	h	6	3		27	St. Mary's Hospital	a	6	3
	23	Devonport Services	h	6	3	Feb	3	Newport	a	9	39
	30	Devonport Services	a	11	3		10	Gloucester	h	8	3
Oct	2	Penzance & Newlyn	a	0	14		17	Leicester	h	3	15
	3	Falmouth	a	13	11		24	Waspas	h	8	3
	7	Weston-S-Mare	a	3	0	Mar	3	Bristol	a	9	6
	14	Somerset Police	h	6	5		10	Swansea	h	8	6
	21	Bristol	h	13	6		17	London Irish	h	5	0
	28	Exeter	h	12	14		24	Headingley	h	16	3
Nov	4	United Services	a	16	3		26	Old Merchant Taylors	h	3	0
	11	London Irish	a	11	0		31	Saracens	a	11	0
	18	Neath	h	3	6	Apr	7	London Scottish	h	0	0
	25	St. Mary's Hospital	h	5	5		12	Bridgwater	a	0	0
Dec	2	London Scottish	a	16	9		14	Moseley	h		
	9	Clifton	a	11	3		19	Taunton	a		
	16	Weston-S-Mare	h	11	0		21	Moseley	a		
	23	Gloucester	a	3	27		28	Newbridge			
	26	Old Blues	h	11	0						
	30	Harlequins	h	—	—						

THE BOYS FROM "BRUM."

Moseley know full well they are just as welcome to-day as they always have been and that is for many years now and long may it be so. Like ourselves they have been having a good season, having won 16 of their 29 games, drawn 2 and lost 11, with 200 points for and 194 against. They are one of the oldest clubs in the country and have a very strong fixture list for Bradford, Coventry, Manchester, Waterloo, Northampton, Sale and Bedford are met and the only West of England sides are Gloucester, Bristol and Bath. It may be that distance prevents them playing in Wales for the only Welsh side they met last season was London Welsh.

Their ground at the Reddings is one of the best equipped that we play on, with its covered stands on both sides, spacious dressing rooms, a tea room and a bar. There is also a car park.

For many years now, the trip to Moseley has been one of the most enjoyable for the Bath players and from what we have seen the Birmingham people like coming to Bath.

Last season we lost at Moseley by a penalty goal and a try by Harter and won by a goal and a dropped goal—try by Alec Lewis and both goals of course by Sullivan,—to a goal here.

The season before both games were drawn. Here at Bath each side got a goal and a try and at Moseley we got 2 tries by Alec Lewis and Mike Terry to Moseley's 1 penalty goal, 1 try. On form then, to-day, there should not be a lot in it, but whatever the result we are assured of a good hard game, with the players going all out all the time and thoroughly enjoying themselves. Then there is sure to be a good time in the club room this evening for it is the last first team home game and the Moseley chaps have obtained permission at home to stay late.

PADDY'S BAD LUCK.

Luck certainly was not with Bath on Thursday at Bridgwater where Bath really should have won. Some twenty minutes from the end Paddy Sullivan took a drop at goal, all planned and worked out as it was at Bristol, Halse slinging the ball back to him some 40 yards straight in front of the posts. It was almost dark and impossible to follow the ball from the touch line. Anyhow Mr. Owen of Bristol signalled for a drop out and the Bridgwater team looked surprised. After the game people who were standing behind the posts said the ball went over and not under the bar as Mr. Owen evidently thought. Barrett, the full back, also said it was a goal and so did the Bridgwater captain and several of his players. Mr. Owen did not know what to say.

It was by no means a good game, there was nothing spectacular about it and all that can be said is that it was a good forward battle as so many of our games at Bridgwater have been. There was a remarkably good crowd and Bridgwater are to be congratulated on having such a fine stand which was only started in October, is now finished and will seat six hundred.

THE SEVENS.

Entries for the 7's must be in by 5 p.m. on Monday next. The proceeds will again go to the Rugby Memorial Fund. This season on the evening of the semi-finals, final and the Old Players game there will be 1/- charged for admission—everyone to pay except those actually playing that evening. Enough Old Players have agreed to play so that there will be two teams to play each other.

THE BAND.

The band to-day is that of the Bath and Wells Battalion of the Church Lads' Brigade and there will be a collection for their funds at half-time.