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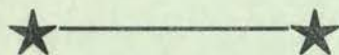
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	14	Hylton Cleaver's Inter.	XV.	0	16		13	London Welsh	a	8	0
	16	Llanelly	h	8	8		20	Cardiff	h	11	25
	21	Bath & Dis. Com.	h	6	3		27	St. Mary's Hospital	a	6	3
	23	Devonport Services	h	6	3	Feb	3	Newport	a	9	39
	30	Devonport Services	a	11	3		10	Gloucester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

Leicester know how welcome they are and always have been to Bath so really there's no need to mention it. They have been coming here now regularly for over forty years and have always provided us with hard clean open games and will undoubtedly do so to-day. They are doing exceptionally well this season, altho' they somewhat disappointed some of us when they met Newport a few days ago. Our trips to Leicester have always been most enjoyable for the Tigers have the reputation of being a very sociable and jolly crowd. And what famous players we have met among them! The Bros. Beamish, A. M. Smallwood, Peter Lawlex, Reg. Buckingham, H. V. L. Day, Harry Greenlees—who so disliked meeting his country man our Crichton Miller,—Doug. Prentice, D. Norman and their two big scrum halves, John Russell and B. Gadney.

Some of our supporters would do well to take a trip to Welford Road with us next September, if only to see the best appointed rugby ground outside Twickenham.

ONE THE "DIFF."

Before to-day's game our points stood for 213, against 214 and at this stage it is interesting to note how these points have been made up. Bath 16 goals, 3 drop goals 15 penalty goals, 27 tries, 215 points. Opponents 20 goals, 3 drop goals, 13 penalty goals, 22 tries, 214 points.

This means we have crossed our opponents' lines 43 times and they ours 42 times, we have kicked 34 any sort of goals and they 36. Not a lot in it is there?

DOUBLES

Leicester have done doubles on us now for the last three seasons and are "one up" on this for they just won at Welford Road last September by 1 goal 1 try, to 1 penalty goal, 1 try, Alec Lewis and Sullivan being the Bath scorers. During the last three seasons and including the one this, they have scored 105 points to our 31 so it's time we got a move on. But to-day and for the first time for some weeks there are changes from the selected side. Donnelly, who did so well last week was operated on on Wednesday for disc trouble and at the time of writing, Thursday, Mick Hanna was a doubtful starter owing to an injured shoulder. Donnelly's absence should mean the return of Wilf. Williams to the 1st XV. He last played v. Clifton on December 9th, but he has been doing well for the United.

NEXT WEEK.

We get a visit from the Wasps next week and let's hope that it is warmer than it was when we played them and lost in town last February 25th by 1 goal, 1 penalty goal, 1 try 11 points. They were last here on February 26th, 1949, when Bath won by 2 goals, 1 penalty goal 13 points to 1 goal, 1 try 8 points. Terry and Donnelly got the tries and Sullivan the goals.

In answer to an enquiry. Norman Coates succeeded Alby Hatherill as captain in 1911 and Arthur Ford was his vice with Billy Stevens captain of Bath A. George Roberts was treasurer and J. T. Piper and E. F. Simpkins the Hon Sec. Mr. R. R. Stephenson was chairman. A. H. W. Taylor his vice and the remainder of the committee, E. S. Cambridge, J. T. and T. B. Timmins, W. T. Davis, F. J. Cashnella, E. Cleall, W. Rosenberg H. W. Vanstone, Loo and Alby Hatherill, but that was forty years ago.