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Colours: Blue, White & Black		Colours: Green	
Full Back	16 JON CALLARD*	Full Back	15 OWEN COBBE
Right Wing	15 TONY SWIFT*	Right Wing	14 SIMON GEOGHEAN*
Right Centre	14 PHILIP DE GLANVILLE*	Right Centre	13 RICHARD SMITH
Left Centre	12 IESTYN LEWIS	Left Centre	12 DAVID CURTIS*
Left Wing	11 ADEDAYO ADEBAYO	Left Wing	11 MICHAEL CORCORAN
Outside Half	10 STUART BARNES*	Outside Half	10 PAUL BURKE
Scrum Half	9 RICHARD HILL*	Scrum Half	9 ROB SAUNDERS*
Forwards	1 DARREN CROMPTON	Forwards	1 NEIL DONOVAN
	2 GRAHAM DAWE*		2 JOHN MACFARLAND
	3 VICTOR UBOGU*		3 LIAM MOONEY
	4 NIGEL REDMAN*		4 COLIN HALL
	5 ANDY REED*		5 MAT KEENAN
	6 ANDY ROBINSON (Capt)*		6 CIERAN BIRD
	7 DAVE EGERTON*		7 DAVID PEGLER (Capt)
	8 STEVE OJOMOH		8 ARAN VERLING
Replacements:	17	Replacements	16 PAUL NEAREY
	18		17 SEAN BYRNE
	19		18

Referee: STEVE WOMERSLEY (RFU) * = Internationals Kick-off 3.00 p.m.

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Welcome London Irish

OUR visitors are really pleased to have this extra visit to Bath arranged even at fairly short notice though their visit last September meant a reversal in their League hopes.

Two weeks ago they also came adrift at Gloucester but they have had the scalps of Northampton, Rugby and Orrell. Their next League fixture is away to Wasps and with West Hartlepool, London Scottish and Saracens to follow, their slide rules are in readiness — though, with only two more points needed for safety — the attractive London Irish should continue to grace Courage League Division One next season.

It was in our last meeting that their Club captain, Paul Collins had the misfortune to break two fingers. It is hoped that he may return at No. 8 today as Brian Robinson, the international is still out with knee injuries.

Dave Pegler, ex-Bristol and Wasps is team captain. Another absentee through injury is, of course, Jim Staples, their international full-back. Mat Keenan, the Western Samoan World Cup star is expected to be in action and we add a welcome too, to Dean Shelford, non-playing coaching co-ordinator and brother of Wayne Shelford.

One man who will be very much in evidence is Hika Reid, capped twelve times for the All Blacks as hooker. "Play for yourself, play with passion and honour" is the message he is breathing into the London Irish and to good effect. London Irish are most welcome for this extra visit to the Rec.

Simon Geoghegan, for one, is thirsting for more sight of the ball after being somewhat starved of it at Murrayfield last week and there are few more exciting wingers in the game when in full flight. Hope you enjoy yourself Simon — but we'll be watching you!

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**A WARM WELCOME TO ALL LONDON IRISH F.C.
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