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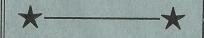


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Half Backs

Stand-off-Half *(6) A. HOLDER Scrum Half

*(7) M. W. BOOTH

Forwards

- *(8) B. J. LANE
- *(9) C. THOMAS
- *(10) J. HERBERT
- *(II) B. J. GREEN
- (12) J. SAINSBURY
- *(13) P. FORD (Capt.)
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(15) M. CRAIG

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Right Wing

(2) D. G. OGDEN

Half-Backs

Stand-off-Half *(6) J. TRELEVAN H. THOMAS Scrum Half *(7) G. DREWETT

Forwards

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"THE CHERRY & WHITES"

We extend a very hearty welcome to our old rivals from Gloucester, knowing full well they will give us a good hard game. The Kingsholm ground at Gloucester appears somewhat of a bogey one for Bath, we have only won twice there in the last thirty games. At Bath, however, we usually hold our own and have recorded several fine wins against Gloucester here. Last Season it will be remembered the flooded Avon Caused a last minute switch to Lambridge, where we recorded an excellent 11 pts. to nil victory. At Kingsholm on Dec. 8th, 1956 we lost 3 pts. to 27 pts. with a sadly weakened side. At the time of going to press the Gloucester side looks a formidable one, although George Hastings of course will be at Moseley in the English Trial, we wish him the best of luck. A fortnight ago, Gloucester held the strong Oxford University XV. to two points, some say they were unlucky to lose.

OURSELVES

The Bath XV. appears to be passing through a transition stage. A stage in which everyone from selectors down to players are trying to distil the best team from the resources at present available. The selection committee have the arduous and thankless task of trying to find the right team. All their experiments cannot be successful. It is certain however we shall reap ample reward in the future and again field one of the best sides in the country.

"STITCH" DREWETT

Congratulations to Gordon "Stitch" Drewett on his selection for the Western Counties v. Wallabies, he must be the smallest scrum half playing in first class rugby to-day.

There are still tickets available for the Som. and Glos. v. Wallabies game at Bristol on Wednesday next. These may be obtained from the Treasurers in the Clubhouse before the game today.

THE COLLECTION

To-day's collection is for a worthy cause. "The Guide Dogs for the Blind Fund". We know our supporters will give generously.

Our Chairman, Mr. John Tolman will be glad to hear from those members who are helping him in his Christmas effort for the Clubhouse Extension Fund.

H.J.F.S.

NEXT SATURDAY k.o. 2.45 p.m. BATH UNITED v. NEWPORT UNITED

Boxing Day Bath v. Old Blues. K.O. 2.45 Dec. 28th Bath v. London Irish. K.O. 2.45