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LAWN TENNIS

INTER-COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

GLOUCESTERSHIRE AGAIN WIN

The final stage of inter-county Championships was brought to an issue Tuesday on the courts of the Leeds club at Headingley. The weather was delightfully fine, and a fairly large attendance witnessed the play. Gloucester succeeded in beating Middlesex, but the Gloucester ladies proved no match for their Yorkshire opponents.

Details:-

Gloucester v. Middlesex

First Round.—G. M. Simond and W. G. Bailey (Middlesex) beat A. W. Blake and F. Brandling (Gloucester) (7—5, 4—6); H. Green and J. Figgis (Middlesex) lost to S. K. Smith and C. H. Ridding (Gloucester) (6-3, 6-3); H S Mahony and B. Wood Hill (Gloucester) lost P. L. Riselev and A. S. Stoddart (6—4, 6—8, 6—8).

Second Round.—Simond and Bailey lost to Smith and Ridding (6—2, 4—6, 3—6); Green and Figgis lost Riseley and Stoddart (3—6, 2—6); Mahony and Wood Hill beat Blake and Brandling (7—5, 6—4).

Third Round. Green and Figgis beat Blake and Brandling (6—2, 0—6, 6—0); Simond and Bailey lost to Riseley and Stoddart (3—6, 6—4, 3—6); Mahony and Wood Hill lost to Smith and Ridding (6—8, 4—6).

Result.—Gloucester won by 6 rubbers to 3, 13 sets to 9, 111 games to 102.

Yorkshire v. Gloucester (Ladies).

First Round.—Mrs. Melrose and Miss Peach (Yorkshire) beat Misses Parr and A. Parr (6—2, 6—3); Misses E. V. Jessop and B. M. Holder (Yorkshire) beat Misses Stoddart and E. Maldon (6—3, 6—2); Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Bladon (Yorkshire) beat Miss B. Foster and Mrs. A. E. Herapath (6—2, 7—5).

Second Round.—Mrs Melrose and Miss Peach beat Miss Foster and Miss Herapath (6—3, 6—2); Misses Jessop and Holder lost to Miss Parr and A Parr (1—6, 2—6); Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Bladen beat Misses Malden and Stoddart (12—10, 6—3).

Third Round.— Misses Jessop and Holder beat Misses Foster and Herapath (6—2, 6—2); Mrs. Melrose and Miss Peach beat Misses Maldon and Stoddart (5—7, 6—3, 6—1); Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Bladon lost to Misses Parr (4—6, 4—6).

Result Yorkshire won by 7 rubbers to 2, 14 sets to 5, 107 games to 73.