

Last week end saw the commencement of the 1950 fixtures. Play was of a high standard and if this continues, a really good representative team should be available in the future.

On Saturday Rovers met Hornets in the match of the day, the Hornets winning by 22-15. Kina, Tanner and Stanley played well for Hornets while Walsh and Ebagoola were the pick of the Rovers. It was unfortunate that heavy rain fell during the second half of the game.

Scores: Hornets 22. (Burke, Stanley, Kerr and Kina (2) and Tanner scored tries Watson and Kerr converting one each. Rovers 15. (Ebagoola 2 and Saunders scored tries, Hero and Ebagoola each converting one while Ebagoola also kicked a penalty.

In the Junior Games, Hornets defeated Rovers 22-13. Hornets combination was very good and this club has the makings of an excellent junior team.

The Minor Junior match resulted in a win for Skipjacks, scores being 25-9.

Owing to the very unfavourable weather on Sunday the main game between Hornets and Wattles was stopped at 6.25 as the referee could no longer see the ball owing to rain and bad light. At this stage twenty minutes of play were left and Hornets led 14-9. The remainder of the game was played on Wednesday afternoon. In a very hard fought 25 minutes play Wattles ran out winners by 19 to 14. Given a fine day the return match between these two teams on Saturday week should be a game well worth seeing.

Scores: Wattles 19 (Wilson (2) Julian Geia and Conway scored tries, two of which T. Geia converted. Hornets 14 (Tanner, Watson, Johnson and Kind scored tries, one of which Johnson converted. In the Junior game Hornets defeated Wattles 11-5.

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