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By THE EDITOR

The famous Llanelly club has long been associated with all that is great in the rugby game. The club has had its ups and downs, but has always produced enjoyable football at the Arms Park. Thus, to-day we look forward to a fine game for the visitors appear stronger than they have been for some time. There is little to suggest that Cardiff will enjoy an easy victory as they did towards the close of last season.

After putting up a spirited display against the Springboks at Stradey Park, they captured Neath's unbeaten ground record last Saturday in a thrilling struggle.

To-day's match, in view of the many good players appearing in both sides, might be regarded as something of an extra trial match. Looking through the teams one finds Gerwyn Williams, at full-back, Lewis Jones and Ray Williams

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in the centre, R. H. Williams, Peter Stone and Peter Evans in the pack for Llanelly.

Cardiff will be without four of their leading players, Frank Trott, Haydn Morris, Des O'Brien and C. D. Williams. However, on view will be internationals Jack Matthews, Bleddyn Williams, Cliff Morgan, Rex Willis, Cliff Davies and Bill Tamplin, together with several of the younger players, who are making a bid for international honours. It is hoped, therefore, that some of the Welsh selectors will be present to see to-day's game.

It is good to learn that our loyal and faithful full-back, Frank Trott is on the mend. He has to take a long rest and in his absence Cardiff should be well served by young John Llewellyn, who made such a good impression in last week's first Welsh Trial at Abertillery.

It will be interesting to see how many Cardiff players are included in the Final Trial to be played at the Arms Park on December 8th. It could be that to-day's battle at full-back between Gerwyn Williams and John Llewellyn will be a dress rehearsal for the Final Trial.

We would like to pay tribute in this programme to the splendid efforts of the London Counties XV, whose victory over the Springboks at Twickenham last Saturday was watched by the official Cardiff party after the Rosslyn Park game. Cardiff came very near to capturing the Springbok Head. Indeed, many argue that Cardiff should have won; but, nevertheless, the London victory was earned through a style of play in direct contrast to that played by Cardiff.

Whereas Cardiff wanted to win through attacking rugby it is true that the London side won as a result of magnificent and often heroic defence.

An item for your diary is the Cardiff club's festival year Brains Trust and film show which is to be held at the

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Those successful in the ballot will be notified by post not later than 23rd November, 1951, and informed of the procedure to be adopted to secure their stand ticket.

The names of those who are successful in this ballot will be excluded from the ballot of stand tickets for the South Africans v. Barbarian game on 26th January, 1952, and the Wales v. Scotland game on 2nd February, 1952.

If you have NOT received notification of success by 23rd November 1951 you may apply for a field ticket by sending in Slip A from the season ticket together with a remittance of 3/- accompanied by a stamped addressed envelope.

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The number of Enclosure and Field Tickets available is not sufficient to ensure a ticket being available for each holder of a Stand, Enclosure, or Field season ticket. Applications will therefore be dealt with in strict order of application. Personal applications will not be dealt with. Written applications should be addressed to the Hon. Secretary, Cardiff Rugby Football Club, and remittances made payable to the Cardiff Athletic Club.

As the Committee will not be in a position to meet the demands of all the season ticket holders, it will be useless for any person who is not a season ticket holder making an application to the Cardiff Club for a ticket for the game on 22nd December, 1951 B. H. JENKINS,

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Don't forget to read the notes in this programme regarding the ballot for stand and sale of enclosure and ground tickets for Club members and season ticket holders for the Wales v. Springbok, Barbarians v. Springbok and Wales v. Scotland matches, all to be played at the Arms Park this season. It is important—it concerns you!

It gives me much pleasure to report that Mr. Con. Ll. Lewis, hon. secretary of the Cardiff and District Rugby Union, who was taken seriously ill a few weeks ago, is now making slow progress. All will join me in wishing him a speedy recovery to normal health and a quick return to the Arms Park.

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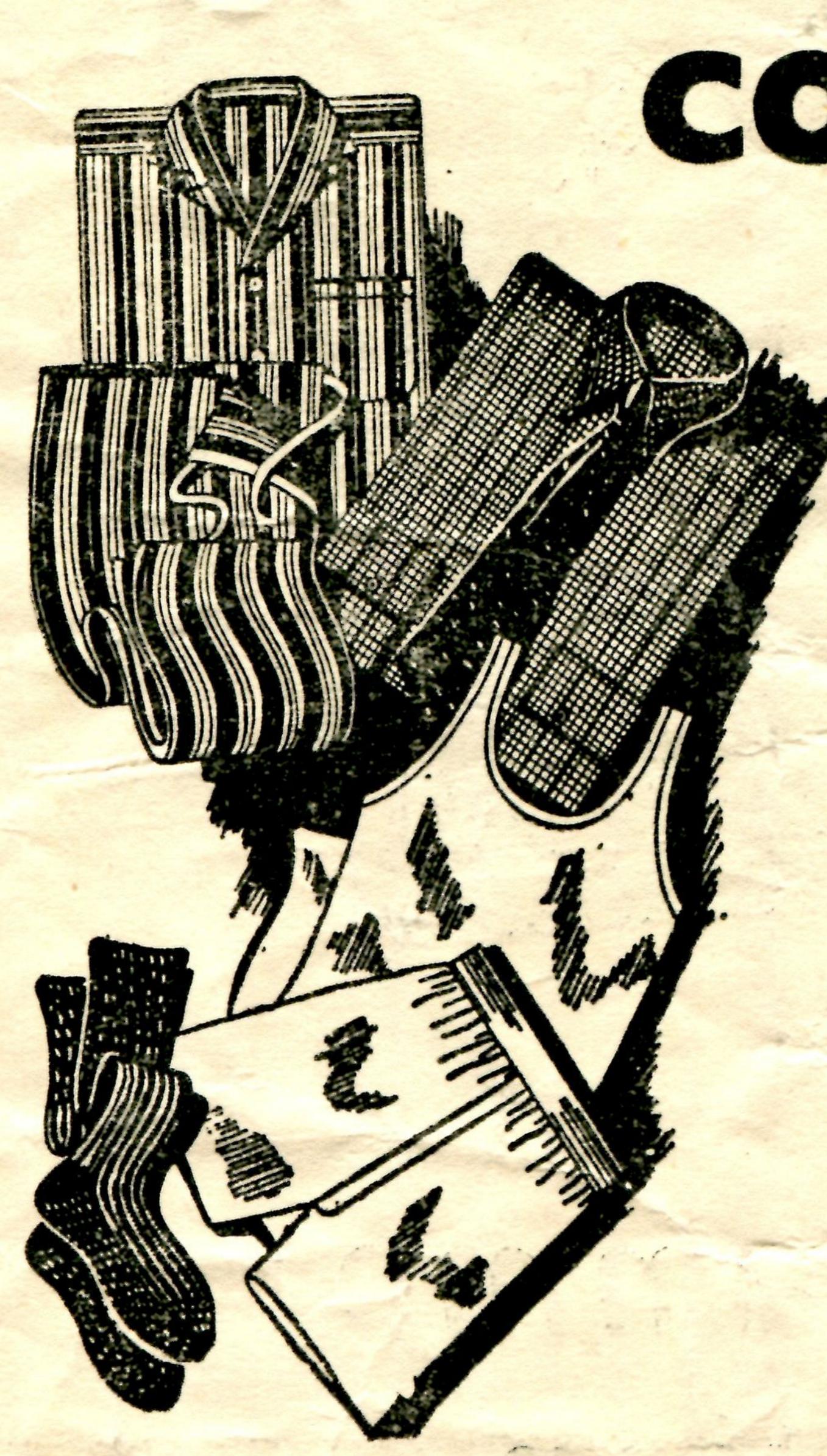
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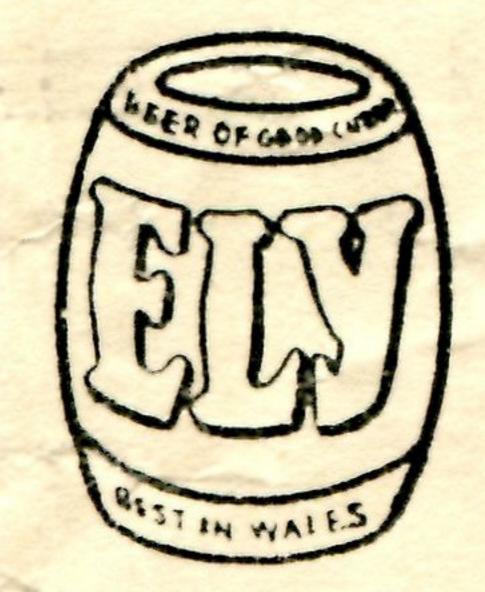
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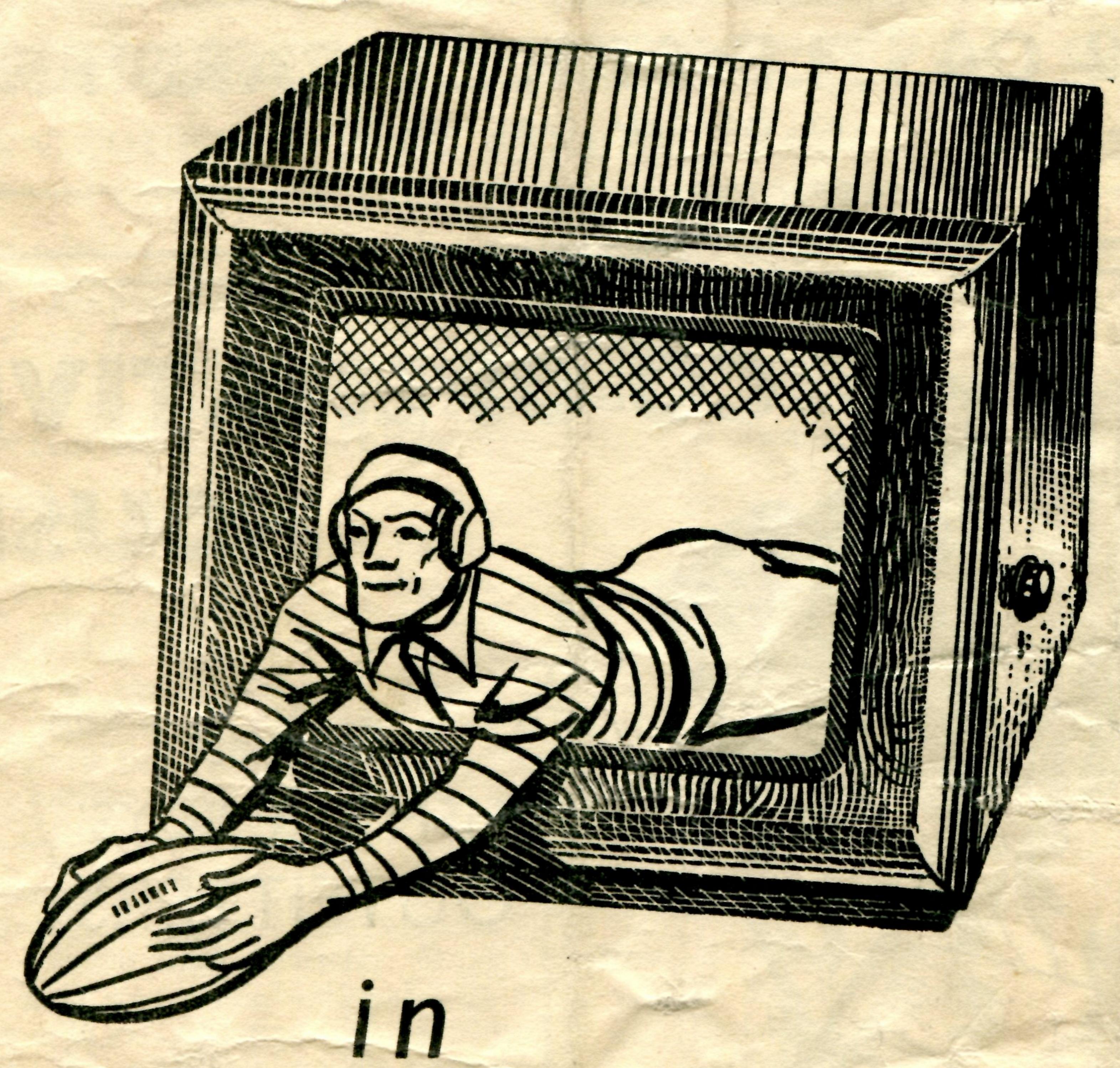


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