Souvenir Programme

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FELINFOEL
RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB

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- 75th -
ANNIVERSARY MATCH

Wednesday, 12th, March, 1952

Kick-off 5 p.m.

CARDIFF

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FELINFOEL

FELINFOEL RECREATION GROUND

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CARDIFF

Full Back :

J, LLEWELLYN.

Threequarters :

ALUN THOMAS, (Wales) JACK MATTHEWS, (Capt.), (Wales) BLEDDYN WILLIAMS, (Wales) H. MORRIS, (Wales)

Half-backs :

BRIAN MARKS, CLIFF MORGAN (Wales)

Forwards :

C. JUDD, C. D. WILLIAMS, D. O'BRIEN. (Ireland)

M. COLLINS, W. D. TAMPLIN, (Wales)

CLIFF DAVIES, (Wales) C. BECKINGHAM, S. BOWLES

Referee :

Mr. IVOR DAVID.

Touch Judges :

Mr. FRANK TROTT, (Wales) Mr. REX WILLIS (Wales)

G. JOSEPH, C. HIGGINS, H. THOMAS,

STAN. WILLIAMS. (Wales) J. CUTTER,

GRAHAM THOMAS, W. FRANCIS, KEN. JONES.

Forwards ;

D. J, REES, G. MORRIS,

Half-backs ;

GORDON THOMAS, H, THOMAS (Capt,), RAY WILLIAMS, D. G. MORGAN,

Thteequarters ;

D. LYON,

Full Back.

FELINFOEL

Cardiff (Reserves) : J. B. Murphy, J. D. Nelson, L. Horsfall (R.A.F. and England).

Felinfoel (Reserves) Forwards : S. West, Ken. Bale ; Threequarter : Irfon Richards.

A TRIBUTE TO CARDIFF.

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It is a pleasant and, indeed, an easy task to pay tribute to our visitors today. Pleasant because we are appreciative of fellow-sportsmen and easy because abundant tribute is at hand to offer the traditionally great Cardiff Rugby Club.

To attempt to enumerate the achievements of such an organisation of sportsmen in such a limited space would be impossible. Let us content ourselves today by acknowledging the incomparable reputation of Cardiff.

We are proud to know that in our different spheres we have made our contributions to Welsh Rugby—Cardiff in the highest grades, Felinfoel in a humbler, but, we would like to think, equally important stratum of the great game of Rugby.

It is perhaps in acknowledgement of this and, indeed, in keeping with their traditional regard for true sportsmanship, that Cardiff readily agreed to share their seventy-fifth birthday with us at Felinfoel.

Having annexed all the honours and most of the records in the history of Welsh Rugby, they honour Felinfoel today by bringing a side more than half of whom have won international honours.

As an earnest of their sincerity on this unique occasion in Welsh club rugger, they have completed the party by providing two further Welsh internationals—Rex Willis and Frank Trott—as linesmen, accompanied by Mr. Hubert Johnson, and Mr Brice Jenkins, chairman and secretary of Cardiff R.F.C., and Mr. Glyn Morris, a member of the Cardiff Club and an "old Felinfoel Boy."

In conclusion, may we wish our visitors a good game of Rugger, a happy day amongst us and pleasant memories of their visit to Felinfoel.