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# THE EXILES!

#### By THE EDITOR.

Though the match was originally planned to be played at Herne Hill we are pleased to welcome the London Welsh Club to the Arms Park today. Their brilliant record in English Club football ensures them of a happy time whenever they return home. At Christmas time they had a pleasant tour in South Wales, although they lost a few matches by a couple of points. Today they meet Cardiff at almost full strength. The home side includes seven internationals, five of whom played for Wales last Saturday. The London Welsh will be without their full-back Gerwyn Williams, wing N. Sparrow, and centre L. J. Davies. In the centre they will have H. P. Morgan, the Cambridge University outside half. At half-back the regular pair, Caerwyn James and Haydn Evans will appear. Rumours that J. E. Williams, of Middlesex, would play are unfounded.

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Cardiff are without G. Rowlands playing for the R.A.F., Haydn Morris and Captain Rex Willis. The unfortunate injury to the scrumhalf is a loss, but the side is still a strong one.

All will join me in congratulating those Cardiff players who appeared for Wales last Saturday against Scotland and particularly Bleddyn Williams who led the side so well. He has played his way back into the Welsh XV and proved himself well worthy of the honour of captain.

The other 'Cardiff players with him were Rex Willis, Cliff Morgan, Alun Thomas, Gareth Griffiths, Sid Judd and Geoff Beckingham. They all did well, and Rex is most unlucky to have been injured again as he was last season, against Scotland. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Do you go dancing? Why not dance with the Cardiff players at the Annual Club Dance on March 25th? It is being held at the Royal Hotel and the price of a single ticket is 15 shillings. Evening dress will be worn but players can wear club blazers. Tickets are going quickly, but one hundred are being reserved for club members, and they can be purchased at the elub offices. Get your ticket today!







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#### ★ WALES v. IRELAND at SWANSEA. ★ SATURDAY, 14th MARCH, 1953.

#### GRAND STAND AND ENCLOSURE TICKETS.

The names of all Grand Stand Season Ticket holders excluding those who were successful in the previous ballot were included in the Ballot held last evening. Those successful will be notified not later than the 18th February, 1953.

#### FIELD TICKETS.

Grand Stand Season ticket holders who were unsuccessful in the above Ballot, together with Enclosure and Field Season Ticket holders may apply for a Field Ticket for the above game.

Tickets will be on sale at the Club Offices on Monday, the 23rd February, 1953, commencing at 10.30 a.m. The tickets will be 3/- each, and slip "B" from the Season Ticket must be produced.

Owing to the small number of tickets available it is much regretted that written applications WILL NOT BE DEALT WITH.

B. H. JENKINS, Hon. Secretary, Cardiff R.F.C.

## WELSH SCHOOLS v. ENGLISH SCHOOLS

at the Cardiff Arms Park, Saturday, February 28th, 1953.

South (Old) Stand—Reserved and numbered 5/-. North (New) Stand—Reserved; not numbered 5/-. North Stand (Boys)—2/6. Can be obtained from Mr. V. C. PHELFS, Hon. Sec., Welsh Schools Union, 6 Bruton Place, Llandaff.

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#### CARDIFF FIRST XV. FIXTURES - Season 1952-53

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Sept. 3—Cardiff and District. ,, 6—Neath ,, 10—Penarth ,, 13—Plymouth ,, 17—Cheltenham ,, 20—Coventry ,, 22—Leicester ,, 27—Cognac and Nantes Oct. 4—Newport , 6—Belvedere ,, 7—Limerick ,, 11—Pontypool ,, 18—Gloucester ,, 25—Llanelly Nov. 1—Oxford University	$\begin{array}{c} h21-3\\ h25-8\\ h47-0\\ h3-0\\ a13-3\\ a9-6\\ h37-11\\ a9-3\\ a9-8\\ a31-17\\ h8-3\\ h8-0\\ a12-6\\ a3-6\\ \end{array}$	Jan. 3—Moseley
,, 3—Northampton, ,, 8—Newport, ,, 15—Wasps, ,, 22—Llanelly, ,, 29—Neath, Dec. 6—Bristol, ,, 13—Cambridge Univ, ,, 20—Swansea, ,, 26—Wasps, ,, 27—Watsonians	$\begin{array}{c} h14 \\ a16 \\ 5 \\ h \\ 0 \\ 5 \\ a \\ 0 \\ 8 \\ a \\ can \\ h14 \\ 5 \\ a \\ 3 \\ 0 \\ h27 \\ 0 \end{array}$	Apr. 4—Barbarians ,, 6—Harlequins ,, 7—Northampton ,, 11—Devonport Service ,, 13—Penzance ,, 14—St. Ives ,, 18—Pontypool ,, 25—Cheltenham ,, 29—Bridgend



