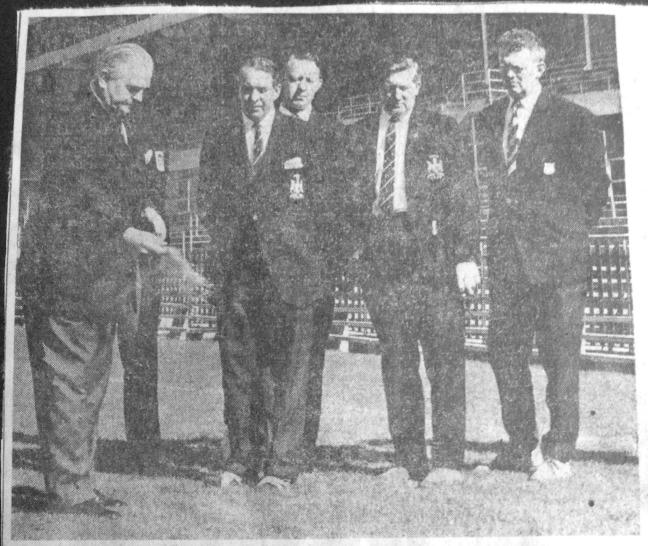


WELSH WELCOME: More than 30 local Welshmen welcomed the 30-strong Cardiff rugby team at D. F. Malan Airport yesterday where, with the players' mascot, they grouped to sing their national anthem and their football song "Mae Bis Meri Ann". Mrs. Caryl Roesse, pictured with the mascot, wore the national costume which, she sald, was made "with wool from the sheep on the Welsh hillsides". Report, page 11.



THEY REMEMBERED: A solemn ceremony took place at Newlands yesterday when the ashes of the late Mr. Frank Mellish, rugby Spring-bok and England international, were spread on the historic "A" field on which Mr. Mellish had played many games.

Senior members of the Cardiff touring party who knew Mr. Mellish well took part in the ceremony. Mr. Hubert Johnson, chairman of the Cardiff Athletic Club, spread the ashes.

Others in the group, from the left, are: Mr. Lyn Williams, manager of the touring team; Dr. J. H. Naismith; Mr. Haydn Wilkens, assistant manager; and Mr. Rees Stephens.

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The visiting Cardiff rugby team were guests at a lunch in Parliament yesterday given by the Minister of Sport and Recreation, Mr. Waring. The visitors also met the Prime Minister, Mr. Vorster, who posed for photographs with Mr. Waring and the rugby players on the steps of the Assembly.

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