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#### Cardiff v. Barbarians

We welcome our illustrious visitors for this traditional Easter game which invariably provides a brand of entertainment which appeals to the

palate of rugby connoisseurs.

At the time of these notes going to press the final composition of the Barbarian side is not known, but undoubtedly there will be a truly international flavour if the two French Stars Jo Maso (Narbonne) and Andres Campaes (Lourdes) are chosen for today's game. Whatever the team, further interest will be provided by the competition for places in the Barbarians Touring Party of South Africa during the Summer. We offer our congratulations to the four Cardiff players, namely Gareth Edwards (Vice-Captain of the Party), Gerald Davies, Barry John and Maurice Richards who have been chosen for the Welsh Team to travel to New Zealand, Australia and Fiji during May and June. These top class rugby players are certainly having a Cook's Tour of the World, as it was only last summer that they travelled as British Lions to South Africa. Two other Cardiff Players John Hickey and Roger Beard have just narrowly missed the trip and have been selected as the stand-by reserves. Whether this now precludes them from selection for the Barbarian Tour of South Africa is not known by this scribe but it is not being too presumptuous to suggest that they would both be an acquisition in such a party.

Next Saturday morning before the Wales v. England International the new Museum and Committee Room of the Cardiff Rugby Football Club will be officially opened by Brigadier Glyn Hughes, the President of the Barbarian Rugby Club. This idea which has been mooted for some time has mainly come to fruition because of a magnanimous gesture made by the Chairman of the Athletic Club, Mr. Hubert Johnson. There has been a complete transformation of the old Committee Room and the small adjacent bar, into a luxurious and spacious area which gives a new aura of dignity, yet retains the glorious traditions of almost a century of Rugby Football. Thus it is fitting that the President of the world renowned international Barbarian side should officially open these new amenities for the

Cardiff Rugby Club.

Finally, for those supporters interested in unusual fixtures, the Youth Team will be playing a side from New York at Sophia Gardens on Tuesday evening, kick-off 6.15. The Youth Team has received much encouragement and support from committee members Alun Priday and Keith Rowlands during this Season, and at the end of the month they finish with a tour in the North of England. Good luck to them and let us hope they provide some Stars for the Cardiff teams of the future.

B.M.

#### Know the Laws by FRED CROSTER

One point and one point only, which I am anxious to clarify in this particular 'Know the Laws' article.

All who saw the recent Wales v. France, game, either in person ,or on T..V, will I am sure, agree that the penalty against Gareth Edwards, at the end of that line-out (Will there be any limits to his greatness I wonder?), turned out to be a decisive factor in the result of the game.

Ever since, I and I am sure, many other referees and ex referees have been asked time and time again, to explain why it was given.

Apparently the commentators over the air said that he was 'Offside' because he had moved beyond the end of the line, before the ball had left the wing's hands.

Ouite inaccurate I am afraid.

To be 'Offside' in such a situation, the player in question has to be beyond the

end of the line-out, before the ball has passed the last man in the line.

Whether this applied in Gareth's case was entirely up to the referee on the spot. Obviously he thought so and penalised accordingly. He moved so fast that it must have been touch and go.

That sadly is beyond issue now; what is important is that supporters and players

do know where they stand in such cases.

Several supporters who make a study of the Laws of the game have written to me asking for back copies of programmes containing the relevant notes. Not to me please. The Office may be able to help, BUT if you do write they are so busy, there is so much urgent work that it would be far more advisable to leave it until the end of the season.

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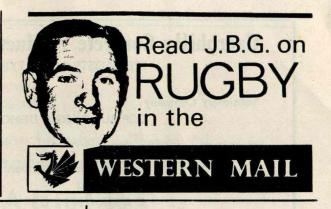
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	18	Bristol	Н 19-9					
	21	Coventry	H 3-6					
	25	Gloucester	A 6-15					
	28	Aberavon	A 3-6					
Oct.	2	Penarth	A 17-0					
	5	Newport	H 6-11					
	9	Newbridge	Н 16-8					
	12	Northampton	A 6-6					
	16	Pontypool	Н 35-7					
	19.	Cambridge Univ.	A 10-6					
	26	Glamorgan Police	H 46-17					
Nov.	2	Oxford Univ.	H 9-6					
	9	Newport	A 6-9					
	11	Auvergne	A 20-6					
	16	Wasps	H 20-6					
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