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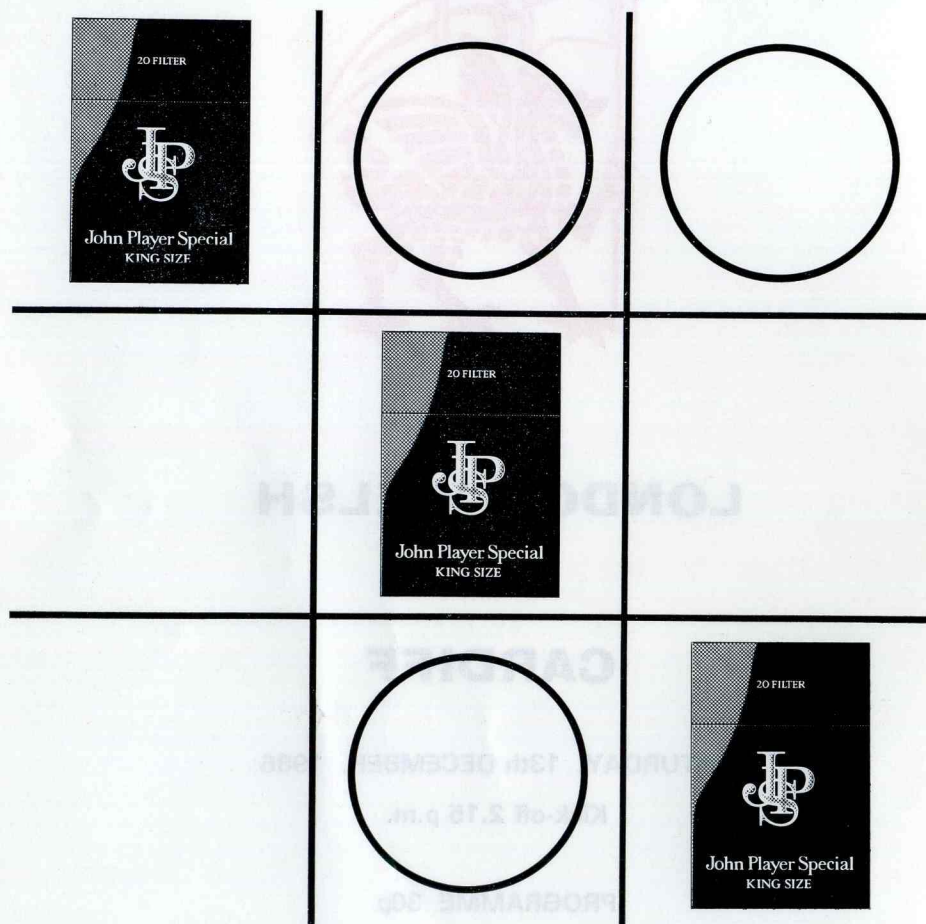
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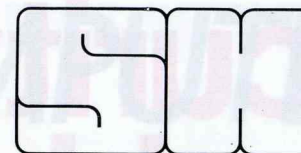


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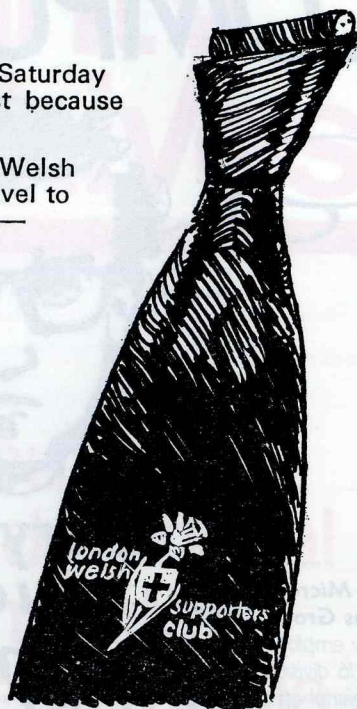
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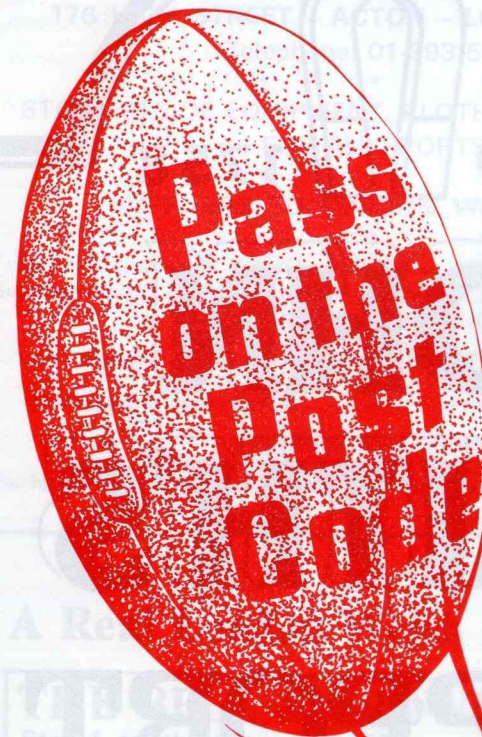
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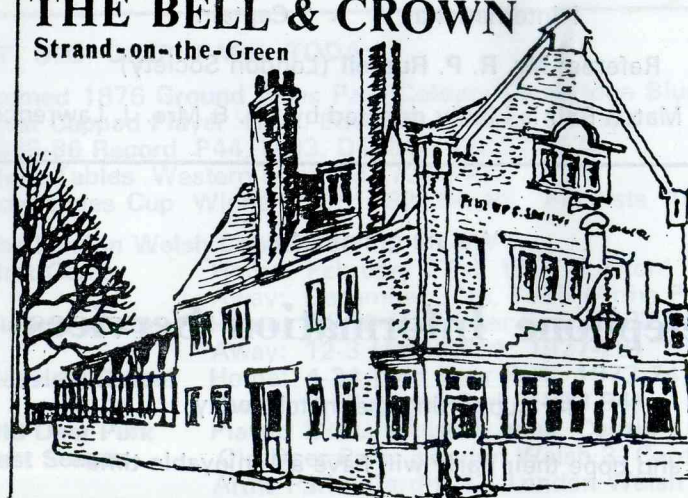
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14	Jeremy Hughes	Threequarters	Graham Davies	14
13	Guy Leleu		Alun Donovan	†13
12	Howard Evans		Richard Cardus	†12
11	Steve Pill		Adrian Hadley	†11
10	Colyn Price	Fly Half	Geriant John	10
9	†Mark Douglas	Scrum Half	Neil O'Brien	9
1	Tim Jones	Forwards	Jeff Whitefoot†	1
2	Byron Light		Alan Phillips†*	2
3	Julian Davies		Steve Blackmore	3
4	Glyn Llewelyn		Adrian Parry	4
5	Steve Rodliffe		Bob Norster†	5
6	Dan Keating		Gareth Roberts	6
7	Jeremy Evans		Owen Golding	7
8	Malcolm Hall		Bob Lakin	8

REPLACEMENTS:

Kevin Noble
Nigel Connell

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† International

* Captain

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and hope their party will have an enjoyable time

CLUB NOTES

Things being what they are, and the fixture planners having had their say, this is probably the last time we shall be meeting at Old Deer Park until the New Year. May we, therefore, take this opportunity of wishing you, your family and friends a peaceful and enjoyable Christmas. Nadolig Llawen! It is also hard to imagine more welcome guests for this seasonal fixture than our very good friends from Cardiff. Year in, year out, they are among our most popular visitors, as our age-old bonds readily testify, and we are delighted to have them with us today.

The gospel according to the Western Mail would have us believe that this is a very ordinary Cardiff XV, that the cup-holders have lost their touch. They point to a debacle at Bath and similarly unproductive visits to Neath, Bristol and Wasps. Is someone trying to soften us up? If so, the kidology won't work, for our record against Cardiff is not a thing of beauty. It is true that now and again we rise like the Phoenix, but as every London Welshman knows, there is no such thing as a bad Cardiff team — only an excellent one, and a slightly less excellent one. No, we prefer the evidence of their formidable displays against the Midlands trinity of Coventry, Northampton and Leicester, not exactly known for their soft underbellies, yet led like Tigers to the slaughter at the Arms Park. Let it not be said, however, that we approach today's game with anything less than steely determination. Who knows, the Phoenix might fly again today!

Next Saturday, for positively our last pre-Christmas engagement, we visit the Irish for the 1987 'Chapel-Vatican punch-up' — strictly metaphorical, of course! Merit table points are at stake as well, of which we are presently in short supply. It is all very well beating the likes of Llanelli, Aberavon, Coventry and Moseley, but we are sorely in need of a percentage point or two in the John Smith table, so come along to Sunbury, give us your support and have a grand afternoon out with our old friends.

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Merit Tables Western Mail 3rd (72.36%)

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Away: December 30th, 1885 (Arms Park)

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Away: 12-3 (Arms Park, 1927-28)

Heaviest Defeat Home: 4-34 (Old Deer Park, 1973-74)
Away: 0-57 (Arms Park, 1893-94)

Old Deer Park Played 23, L. Welsh 5 wins, Cardiff 18 wins
Last Season Old Deer Park: London Welsh 3, Cardiff 19
Arms Park: Cardiff 22, London Welsh 17

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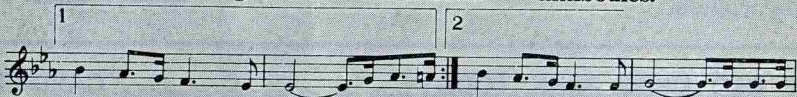
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SPANNING THE GENERATIONS

The club was honoured at last week's game with Aberavon by the presence of Mr. Robert Jones and his daughter, Sylvia, both of whom travelled long distances by train to be present. Mr. Jones, who is now in his 80th year, provides a quite remarkable link with the past. His father was none other than T. E. Jones, co-founder of London Welsh with Drs. Pryce-Jenkins and Rowley Thomas, and the club's first secretary. In fact, Tom Jones scored the very first London Welsh try — at Oxford University, in 1885. Later in that inaugural season, he was picked for the combined London Scottish-London Welsh side which faced a representative London XV in a special charity match at Kennington Oval. The Prince of Wales (later, King Edward VII) was among the 8,000 spectators — a huge crowd for those days, and roughly three times the attendance at the F.A. Cup Final. Mr. Jones even showed us the cap awarded to his father on that famous occasion in 1886.

TOUCHLINES

★ The Partnership's theatre outing was again a huge success, and 'Touchlines' has learnt of the marvellous support from the Maiden Erlegh Bowls Club, near Reading. Apparently, 45 of their number attended last year's Centenary Concert at the Albert Hall, and no less than 42 enjoyed the show at the Criterion. Many thanks to everyone — not least, to Gwyn Davies, for his big round-up of the bowling fraternity.

★ Those who are not Sunbury-bound next Saturday might like to know that the Druids meet the Wild Geese on friendly terms at Old Deer Park. Kick-off is at 2.15 p.m.

★ Two dates for your diary! On New Year's Day, which falls on a Thursday, the 1st XV meet centenarians Bedford, and two days later, on Saturday, January 3rd, our visitors are Northampton. Both these John Smith fixtures kick off at 2.15 p.m.

★ We are hunting for rugby talent in the Under 15 and 16 age groups. Enthusiasts of every shape and size are asked to contact John Hodgson (Tel: 01-940 4761).

★ Congratulations are due to John Walters, recently selected for the Wales Under 21 squad, and to Julian Davies, whose appearance against Aberavon last week was his 50th for the first team.

★ We would like to thank Jeffrey and Lisa Lawrence, proprietors of the Riverside Hotel in Boscastle, North Cornwall, who have kindly presented this afternoon's match ball.

★ Stop and think a moment — have you forgotten anyone's Christmas present? Well, this is your last chance to put things right at the club shop, otherwise it will be a last-minute panic on Christmas Eve, when we'll be closed. Why not see Pat or Ivor today?

ROUND-UP

December 6th: London Welsh 20 (Hughes 1t, Noble 1t, Light 1t, J. Price 1t, 1c, Thomas 1c), Aberavon 10

Team Record: Played 16, Won 9, Lost 7, Points 260-307

Most Games: Jones 16, Douglas 15, J. Evans 15, C. Price 15, Llewelyn 14, Light 13

Most Tries: Pill 5, Douglas 4, Leleu 4, J. Evans 4, J. Price 2, Russell 2

Most Points: C. Price 113, Pill 20, Douglas 16, Leleu 16, J. Evans 16, Walters 12

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				For	Against
1986 September	5	A	MIDDLESBROUGH (Fri.)	21	12
	7	A	WEST HARTLEPOOL	9	0
	13	A	SARACENS E.L.	7	10
	20	A	LEICESTER	4	69
	24	H	MET. POLICE (Wed. Eve.) L	15	9
	27	H	J.P.S. 1st ROUND JP(1)	18	6
October	4	A	RICHMOND E.L.	14	30
	11	H	BRIDGEND	3	25
	18	H	LLANELLI	22	19
	25	A	MAIDSTONE JP(2)	25	3
November	1	H	COVENTRY	17	7
	8	H	MOSELEY	32	20
	15	A	BRISTOL	13	28
	22	H	NEWPORT	22	28
	29	A	HARLEQUINS L	18	31
December	6	H	ABERAVON	20	10
	13	H	CARDIFF		
	20	A	LONDON IRISH E.L.		
	26	A	LLANELLI (Fri.)		
	27	A	SWANSEA		
1987					
January	1	H	BEDFORD (Thurs.)	E	
	3	H	NORTHAMPTON	E	
	10	A	BATH		
	17	H	SALE		
	24	H	EBBW VALE *		
	31	A	MAESTEG		
February	7	H	GOSFORTH	E	
	14	A	BRIDGEND *		
	21	H	PONTYPRIDD		
	28	H	NEATH *		
March	6	A	CARDIFF		
	14	H	BLACKHEATH E.L.		
	21	H	ROSSLYN PARK E.L.		
	25	A	WASPS L		
	28	A	NEWBRIDGE *		
April	4	H	SWANSEA		
	11	H	SOUTH WALES POLICE		
	18	A	ABERAVON		
	20	A	NEWPORT		
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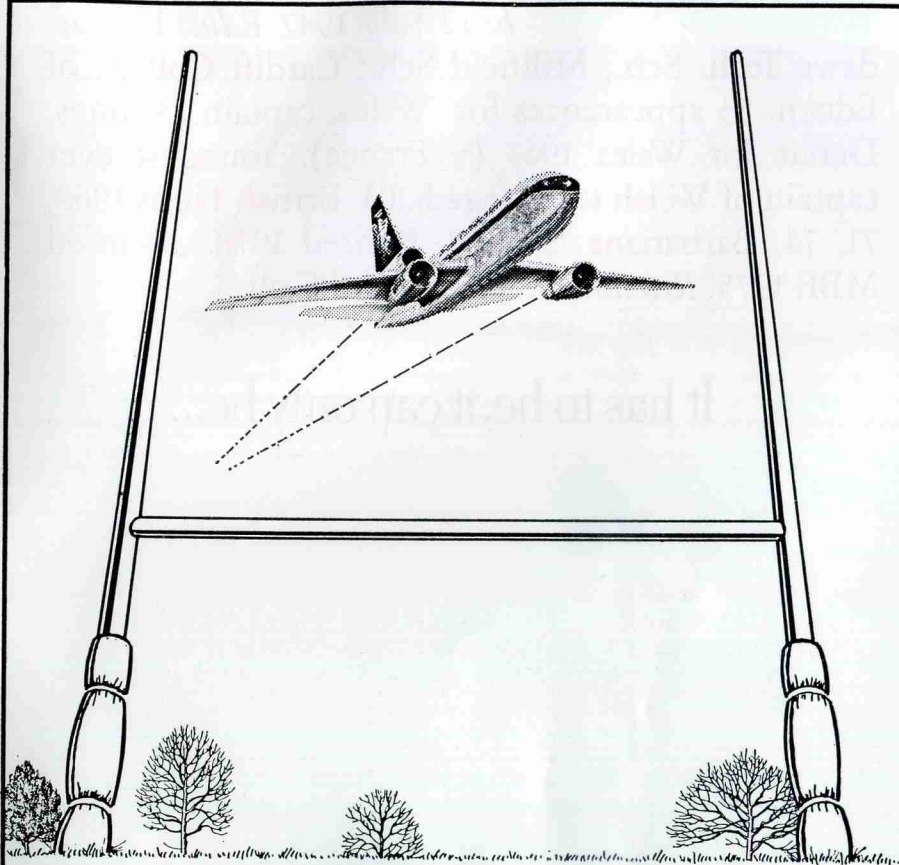
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