

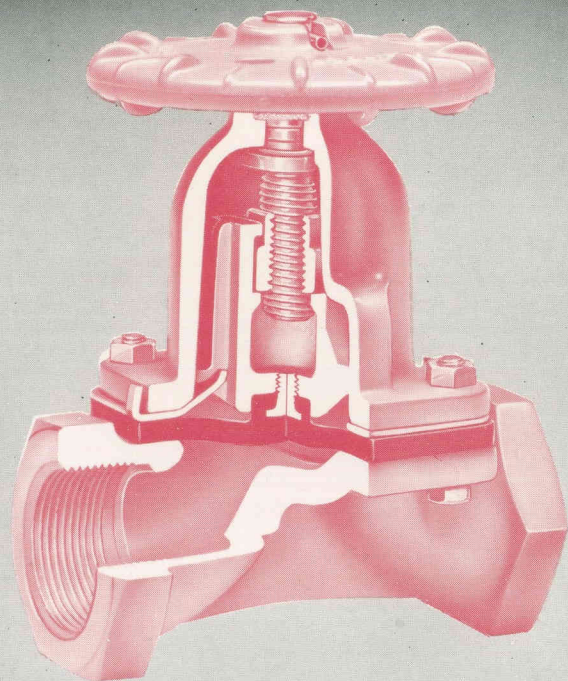
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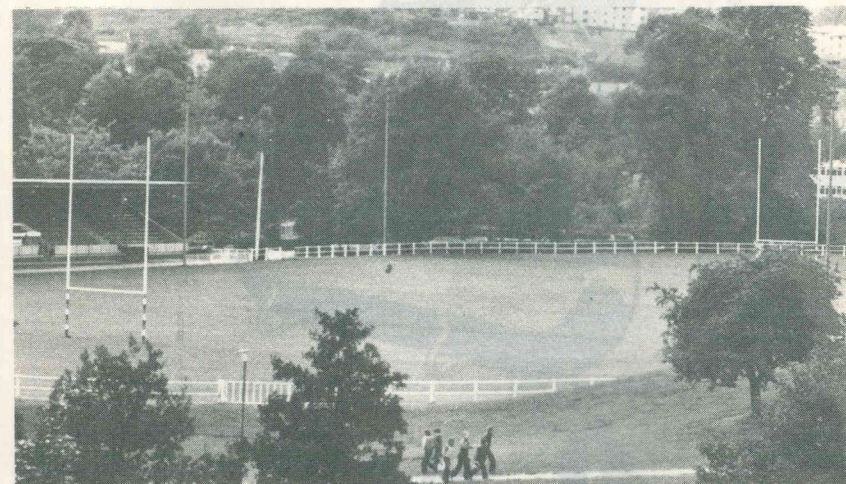
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WEDNESDAY, 24th OCTOBER, 1979

A WARM WELCOME TO PONTYPOOL PARK



For this evening's game we extend a warm welcome to the Cardiff team, officials and supporters.

It will be remembered that last season Pontypool won at the Arms Park by 16 points to 14 with Cardiff avenging that defeat by beating Pontypool twice here at the Park. Firstly, by 23 points to 12 in the third round of the cup and then in the championship by 36 points to 10.

Our visitors are led this season by Welsh international outside half Gareth Davies who seems to be making a fine job of the leadership of the Blue and Blacks. Under his leadership, Cardiff have made a splendid start to the season having won ten and drawn one out of thirteen games played.

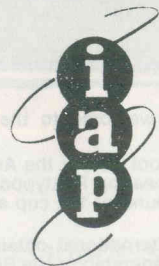
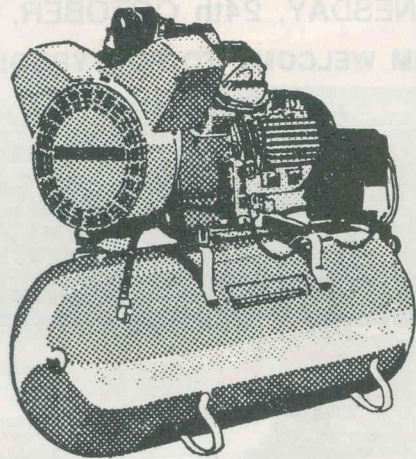
Gareth and his partner Terry Holmes will probably be the Welsh half backs once again this season for they matured with every game played by Wales last season.

We offer belated congratulations to hooker Alan Phillips who gained a deserved Welsh cap against England last season and had a splendid game, and also to second row forward Robert Norster who played a good game for the Wales XV against Romania. With English international Barry Nelmes due to return to action for the Rags last Saturday, the Cardiff pack will soon be back to full strength.

Losing wing Chris Camilleri to Barrow Rugby League Club was a considerable blow for Cardiff, but they appear to have a ready made replacement in Andrew Yeandle who is scoring tries regularly.

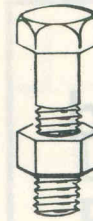
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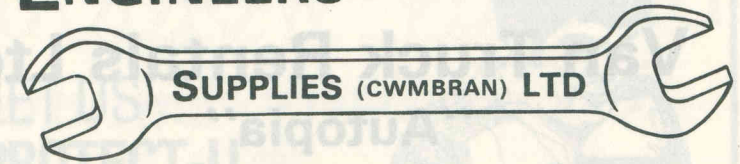


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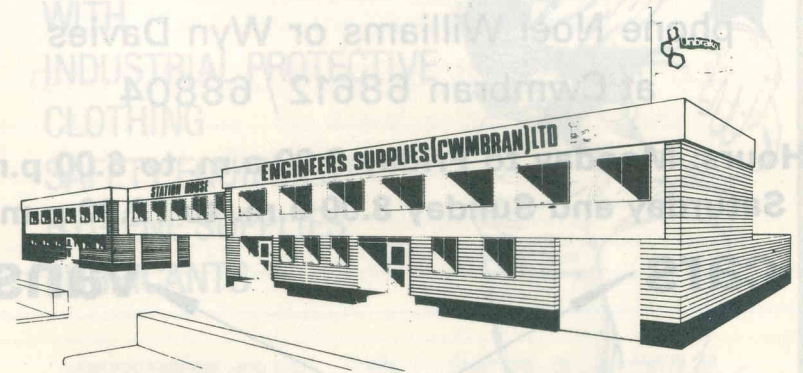


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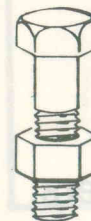
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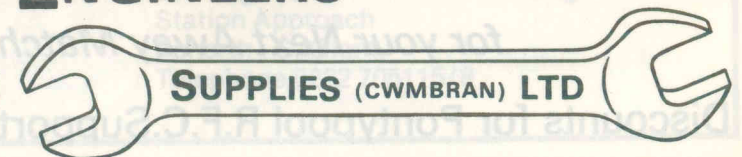
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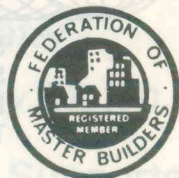
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S. Evans	12	8				32
K. Jefferson	6	5	1		3	31
John Watkins	2	1	7		2	24
P. Clark	10	5			1	23
J. Squire	9	4				16
C. Morgan	7	3		1		15
R. Windsor	9	3				12
P. Crabtree	3	1	1	1		9
N. Probert	11	2				8
G. Leleu	4	2				8
Staff Jones	13	2				8
T. Cobner	10	2				8
A. Parry	2	1		1		7
A. Watkins	2	1				4
G. Bull	2	1				4
G. Price	12	1				4
K. Edwards	3	1				4
E. Butler	5	1				4
A. Aubin	6	1				4
M. Davies	2	1				4
J. Watkins	2	1				4
B. Gregory	8	1				4
	59	36	3	17	368	

PONTYPOOL

P. Lewis	15
K. Jefferson	14
P. Clark	13
N. Probert	12
S. Evans	11
C. Morgan	10
N. Osborne	9
Staff Jones	1
R. Windsor	2
G. Price	3
E. Butler	4
S. Sutton	5
B. Gregory	6
J. Squire (Capt.)	8
T. Cobner	7

Replacements from:
S. Jones, A. Parry, G. Bull.



CARDIFF

C. Webber	15
D. Thomas	14
M. Murphy	13
P. Daniels	12
N. Hutchings	11
G. Davies (Capt.)	10
B. Williams	9
B. Nelmes	1
M. Watkins	2
J. Dixon	3
P. Rawlins	4
R. Norster	5
R. Lane	6
J. Scott	8
B. Lease	7

Replacements:
J. Davies, C. Smith

Referee: Winston Jones, Ammanford

Next Home Match: Neath, 3rd November, 1979

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A collection will be made during the interval in respect of the Hospital Broadcast Fund. All patrons are once again requested to give their usual, generous and much appreciated support to this worthy cause. Thank You.

If there is anyone interested in helping Mr. Derek Highnam with the live match commentaries, perhaps they would get in touch with Supporters Club Secretary, Mr. Wyn Jones. Derek is still doing a splendid job and we thank him for his continuing good work. Incidentally, it was nice to see Mr. Cliff Gould back in the commentary box last Saturday.

The team gained two splendid victories last week, winning at Ebbw Vale by 29 points to 6 and beating Sale here at the Park by 52 points to 6.

In the Ebbw Vale game, Steve Jones proved once again that Pontypool are very lucky to have such a splendid deputy for Bobby Windsor.

The winners of practice balls at the last two games were Mr. White of Park Close, Pontnewydd at the Bedford game, and Mr. Powis of High Street, Griffithstown at the Sale game.



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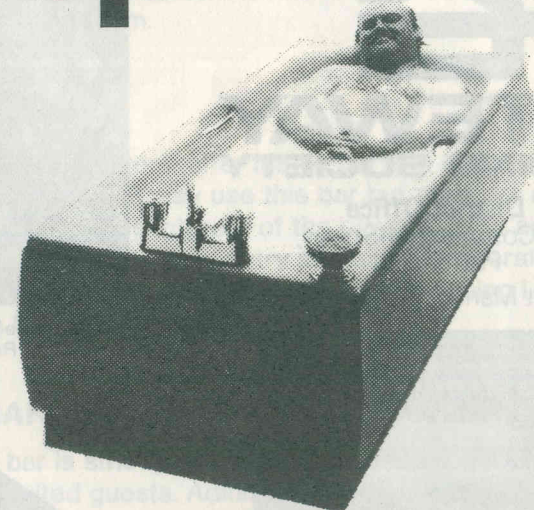
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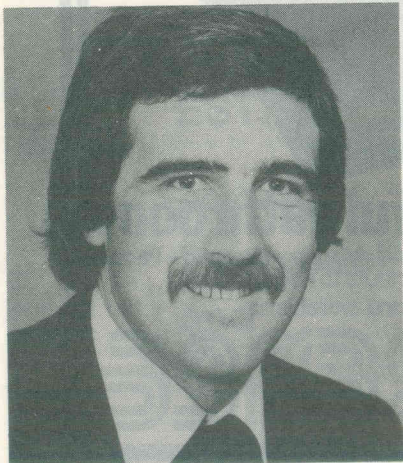
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This is the players' after match bar and dining room. Vice-Presidents may use this bar but numbers must be controlled in the interest of the players. V.P.'s are asked to show seasons to gain entry and also co-operate when numbers exceed a comfortable level by using Lounge or Main Bars.

V.I.P. BAR

This bar is strictly for P.R.F.C. committee, visiting committee and invited guests. Admission is by special pass issued by Match Secretary, P.R.F.C., and Secretary, P.R.F.S.C.

Lounge and Main Bars will be shut for a short period as decided by committee to prepare for evening entertainment. Members and guests are asked to comply with this procedure.

Chairman, P.R.F.S.C.

Pontypool First XV

Date 1979	Opponent	Venue
Sept. 1	Bath	A
Wed. 5	Talywain	H
Wed. 8	Pontypool J.R.U.	H
Wed. 12	Newport	A
15	Orrell	A
22	Bridgend	H
Wed. 26	Crumlin	A
29	Newbridge	A
Oct. 6	Maesteg	A
Wed. 10	Aberavon	H
13	Bedford	H
Wed. 17	Ebbw Vale	A
20	Sale	H
Wed. 24	Cardiff	H
27	Oxford	A
Nov. 3	Neath	H
Wed. 7	Tredegar	A
10	Penarth	A
17	Cup - 1st Round	
Wed. 21	Pontypridd	H
24	Aberavon	A
Wed. 28	Abertillery	H
Dec. 1	Glamorgan Wanderers	A
8	Nuneaton	A
15	Cup - 2nd Round	
Wed. 19	Cross Keys	H
22	Waterloo	A
29	S.W. Police	A

Saturday Fixtures Kick-off 3.00 p.m.

Date 1980	Opponent	Venue
Jan. 5	Maesteg	H
12	Cup - 3rd Round	
Mon. 21	Glamorgan Wanderers	H
26	Orrell	H
Feb. 1	Newbridge	H
Wed. 6	Pontypridd	A
9	Saracens	H
Mon. 18	Tredegar	H
23	Cup - 4th Round	
Mar. 3	Neath (Mon.)	A
8	Cardiff	A
Fri. 14	Penarth	H
Wed. 19	Gloucester	A
22	Cross Keys	A
Wed. 26	Ebbw Vale	H
29	Fylde	H
Mon. 31	Bridgend	A
Apr. 5	Nuneaton	H
Mon. 7	Leicester	H
Tue. 8	S.W. Police	H
12	Abertillery	A
19	Newport	H
Wed. 23	Bristol	H
Mon. 28	Blaenavon	A

Mid Week Fixtures Kick-off 7.00 p.m.

Pontypool Athletic XV

Date 1979	Opponent	Venue
Sept. 1	Bath United	H
8	Berry Hill	A
Mon. 10	Gloucester United	A
15	Coventry Welsh	H
22	Pontypridd Athletic	A
29	Chepstow	H
Oct. 6	Cross Keys United	H
13	Usk	A
20	Garndiffaith	A
27	Gloucester United	H
Wed. 31	Cardiff Athletic	A
Nov. 3	Neath Athletic	A
10	Cardiff H. S.O.B.	A
17	Monmouth	H
24	Cleve	H
Dec. 1	Maesteg Celtic	H
8	S.W. Police	H
15	Usk	H
22	Blaenavon F.S.	A
29	Bristol United	H

Date 1980	Opponent	Venue
Jan. 5	Ebbw Vale Athletic	A
12	Neath Athletic	H
Fri. 18	Newport United	H
19	Wales v France	
26	Croesyceiliog	A
Feb. 2	Cinderford	A
9	Llandaff North	A
Thurs. 14	Berry Hill	H
16	England v Wales	
23	Nantyglo	H
Mar. 1	Wales v Scotland	
8	Cardiff Athletic	H
15	Crosskeys United	A
22	Teignmouth	A
29	Bristol United	A
Apr. 5	Easter Saturday	
12	Newport United	A
19	Bath United	A
26	Cinderford	H

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