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At Belfast Ireland met France in the Rugby International and although fielding a new and untried side won a conclusive victory.

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The first of Ireland's tries came from Lawler, a fine forward of the more solid type who, getting the ball from Kyle, got there in time to make the final few yards to the line. The new full-back Gregg converted.

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Following half-time and the change-over it was McCarthy, with only three minutes of the second half gone, who went over for Ireland after some bungling by the French defence.

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Ireland won the match by two tries and two goals to a dropped goal though this is the sort of bad luck that comes only once in a life time!