Date: 24th January, 1955

## RUGBY INTERNATIONAL: IRELAND-V-FRANCE

### Cameram: Crockett

- 1. Shots of ball as requested ... shot of straw being cleared from pitch
- 2. France in blue shirts white shorts
- 3. Ireland in green shirts white shorts defend this end
- 4. Iredand kick off
- 5. France first try converted 5-0
- 6. Kyle touches down to save France from scoring
- 7. Crowd shot during Irish attack
- 8. Waving denotes half time

## 2nd Half

- 1. France defend this end and kick off
- 2. Ireland miss penalty kick
- 3 IRISH ATTACK STOPPED TWICE.
- 3.4 Ireland score with penalty 5-3
- 4, 5 Various shots of Ireland attack
- 5. Scoreboard at full time
- 6.7 Crowd shots

DOPE SHEET Date: 22nd January, 1955

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#### Cameraman G. Fleischmann

## REEL 1. 200ft

Crowds arriving at Lansdowne Rd.

2. 3. Ditto

4. President of Ifeland, Mr. Sean T. O'Kelly

5. French Ambassador, Mons. Felixe, and his wife

- An Taoiseach (Prime Minister) Mr. Costello and his T.D. (Member of 6. Parliament) son, Declan
- President of Ireland Fr4nch Secretary of State Andre Muynet Team come to ground, French team (led by captain, Jean Prat Ditto, Irish team (led by new captain, Isan R.H. Thompson) 7. 8: 19.

10. Jack Kyle kicks off for Ireland

11. Kyle starts an attacking movement which quickly breaks down Ixixh wingerxxlindexkoxeh

12. Henderson takes first penalty for Ireland but misses. Pedlow Irish winger, finds touch

France scores kinxumamaxui moved was started by M. Prat, French right 13. centre

Scoreboard, France 5 Ireland 0 (convert successful) 14.

Irish forwards start foot-rush, but are shecked 15.

## REEL 2. 200ft

Irish backs pass well, 18-yr. threequarter, ORReilly, almost gets through (this is O'Reilly's first International - after only six games in senior rugby)

Irish backs again attack

Another attack by Irish backs, Byrne is grounded. France awarded 3. penalty

Spectators in rick Stand 4.

5. Spectators

6. Scoreboard nearing half-time, France 5- Ireland O

7. Line-out results in free to Ireland

Another Irish back attack is stopped, Henderson is grounded 8.

French backs attack but are foiled by firre tackling

# REEL 3 200ft

1. Jean Prat kicks off for France in 2nd half

Henderson with ball is fouled, free Kock to Ireland 2.

Henderson fails narrowly with penalty efforts 3.

Tector, Ireland's new full-back, picks up and dinds touch 4.

French attack, but Byrne intercepts 5.

Roge, French back, comes off with injured knam arm 6. 7. O'Reilly in pessession, punts, French get penalty Irishman O'Connell come off with injured knee

8. 9. Tector, full-back makes run and then finds touch

10. Spectators REEL 4. 200ft

Spectators as Ireland nearly score

2. Henderson scores from penalty for Ireland .... score 5-3

Itish attack, French full-back to touch-line 3.

O'Meara to Kyle pass fails. 6. Kyles touches down before French 5. 7. Irish backs attack fails. forwards get up.

Crowds on to pitch. 9. Ditto 8.