

SCOTS WIN AT ASST

The 60,000 who saw Scotland kick off at Murrayfield

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hoped the home-country would win but expected the 18th successive ~~Scottish~~ defeat. And when the Welsh left-wing T.J. Brewer scored a try soon after the start it seemed a question of just ~~how~~ many Wales would pile up. But half-time was reached without further score. And it was a confident Scotland that resumed after the interval. ~~When~~ one of the new caps, the Cambridge right-wing A.R. Smith, went through by himself and by punting ahead and regaining the ball scored a brilliant try, there was joy in the heart of Scotland. The score was equal. ^{Indeed} Had the place kick gone over Scotland would have been in front.

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The lead was secured by stand-off-half ~~Dr~~ J.T. Docherty. He landed a perfect dropped goal.

(aft crowd) Scotland were now on their toes, convinced they had reached the end of that long run of defeats. ⁷ Fortune favoured the brave when the referee penalised Wales. Elgie's kick was perfect.

Scotland 9, Wales 3. It was hardly believable. And Wales went all out to get on top again. Brewer scored his second try.

Rees Stephens got the goal points with a beautiful kick.

^B Scotland were still one point in front. Again they seized their luck. Welsh players ~~missed~~ passed behind their own goal-line; up came Scottish scrum-half J.A. Nichol to touch down. His try was converted.....Scotland 14, Wales 8. There was more jubilation than Murrayfield has known for years. Scotland had won a great victory. ~~The~~ Rugby revival had begun.

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