

In Cardiff, the Deputy Lord Mayor, Alderman Jenkins welcomed three leading Welsh sportsmen to the Capital cinema and then handed over to a famous cricket veteran - J.C. Clay. ~~SOUND.~~

So ~~to~~ Ken Jones - ~~the sportsman who is equally at home in the Rugby Stadium or the Olympic arena~~ ^{Welsh} received the coveted "Sportsman of the Year" Trophy.

The man who recently set up a new International Rugby record for Wales with 36 appearances, was full of praise for the sporting achievements of his fellow-countrymen. ~~SOUND~~

Second in the poll was ~~flyweight champion~~ British Flyweight Champion, Dai Dower - and who better than the "Mighty Atom" himself, the one and only Jimmy Wilde, to make the presentation, ~~to the young titleholder.~~

Dai Dower is not one for speechmaking - ~~the little motto of the little "flyweight" who will soon battle for the European crown is truly "actions speaks louder than words."~~ But his words in praise of Ken Jones came straight from the heart. ~~SOUND~~

The third presentation went to a great dual performer - Wilfrid Wooler - to round off a great initial occasion for Welsh sport. ~~SOUND~~