

ABERTILERYRUGBY LEAGUEENGLAND BEAT WALES 22-4

Favourites in the first Rugby League International of the season, England in white find Wales a tough handful, in spite of heavy going and a slippery ball. Lesing Banks after only 10 minutes, Wales find the pressure tough and England hard to get past.

Penalty against England. And Goldswain makes no mistake. England (for whom Webb's kicking is a feature of the day) lead 9-4 at half-time.

Seven minutes after the re-start England have the ball and kick ahead.

Now there's an amazing Welsh rally and only desperate tackling by the English defence saves the line. For 30 minutes - and still one man short - Wales pin England down. It's only 3 minutes from time when Wales crack and England score ten points to win by 22 points to 4.