

We appeal to spectators to assist the police and stewards by packing towards the front of the terracing on big-match days. Some congestion was caused at the Cup replay against Spurs by early arrivals who picked a spot at the back and refused to move forward. This led to pressure being built up unnecessarily at the top of the terraces while, nearer the front, spectators had 'yards' of room.

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After last Saturday's win against Aston Villa, the boys had a special celebration at Terry Venables' home. It was a party to mark his 21st birthday (the previous week when we were at Liverpool), and our players presented him with a film projector.

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For your musical entertainment today we are pleased to welcome once again to Stamford Bridge the South London Girl Pipers.

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Since the news appeared that we are now holding training and coaching classes on Tuesday and Thursday nights for schoolboys of 13, 14 and 15, we have been inundated with applications. We would point out that we can take only *selected* schoolboys for training of this sort, and then no more than about two dozen.

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We are pushing on well towards the £10,000 target for Frank Blunstone's Testimonial, and hope that a "guess the gate" competition when we play Fulham here on March 7 will see it reached. See page 15 for entry form.

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Accommodation is sought for our young players, and if you are able to provide lodgings please write to the Secretary.

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Found in "F" Stand after last Saturday's match: a Ronson lighter inscribed "Gerry". Would the owner apply at the office please.

F.A. CUP APPEARANCES

BLUNSTONE2	MORTIMORE2
BRIDGES2	MURRAY2
DUNN2	UPTON2
HARRIS, R.2	VENABLES2
HINTON2	BROWN1
McCREADIE2	TAMBLING1

Goalscorers: Murray 2, Tambling 1. Total, 3.

MATCH SUMMARIES

FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Saturday, 18th January.

Beat ASTON VILLA (Home) 1-0. Half-time: 1-0.
Chelsea—Dunn; Hinton, Harris (A.); Harris (R.)
Mortimore, Upton; Murray, Tambling, Bridges,
Venables, Blunstone.

Scorer: Bridges.

Aston Villa—Sims; Wright, Aitken; Pountney,
Sleeuwenhoek, Deakin; Fraser, Woosnam, Hate-
ley, Tindall, Burrows.

Referee: Mr. L. Callaghan (Merthyr Tydfil).

Attendance: 23,968.

F.A. YOUTH CUP (Third Round)

Monday, 20th January.

Lost to ARSENAL (Away) 1-3.

Team: R. Willis; S. Henderson, J. Boyle; Bruce,
J. Callaghan, A. Beaumont; A. Wilks, J. Stewart,
E. Whittington, McCalliog, Houseman.

Scorer: McCalliog.

SOUTH-EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE

Saturday, 18th January.

Beat CRYSTAL PALACE (Away) 6-4.

Team: A. Day; P. Mallard, P. Jenkins; Bruce,
J. Callaghan, A. Beaumont; M. Vowles, J. Scott,
E. Whittington, Breen, A. Wilks.

Scorers: Whittington 4, Bruce, Wilks.

OTHER MATCH

Monday, 20th January.

Drew with GREAT BRITAIN OLYMPIC XI (Home) 1-1.

Team (with substitutes): Cowen; Harris, A. (D.
Sexton), McCreadie (Harris, A.); T. Docherty,
Young, Sorrell; Brown (Fascione), Howarth
(Brown), K. Duffel (Mulholland), Harmer
(Burton), Knox (Somers).

Scorer: Mulholland.

Commentaries on all first team
matches are relayed to local hospitals
by members of Chelsea TOC H.

NEXT HOME MATCHES

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Monday, January 27 (Kick-off 7 p.m.)

CHARLTON

SOUTHERN JUNIOR FLOODLIGHT CUP
(Second Round)

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Saturday, February 1 (Kick-off 2.45 p.m.)

SWINDON TOWN

FOOTBALL COMBINATION

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Saturday, February 8 (Kick-off 3 p.m.)

WOLVES

FOOTBALL LEAGUE