



Winners of European Cup-Winners' Cup 1971

Chelsea



Football League Division One—Season 1971/72

Saturday, 8th January
HUDDERSFIELD
TOWN

Kick-off 3 p.m.



OFFICIAL PROGRAMME 5P

Chelsea

Colours:

Shirts: Royal Blue.

Shorts: Royal Blue with
White Seam.

Stockings: White.



Huddersfield

Colours:

Shirts: Royal Blue & White Stripes.

Shorts: White.

Stockings: White with Royal
Blue Band.

**(Playing today in Yellow Shirts,
Blue Shorts, Yellow Stockings)**

**PETER
BONETTI**

— **1** —

**DAVID
LAWSON**

**PADDY
MULLIGAN**

— **2** —

**DENNIS
CLARKE**

**RON
HARRIS** *(Captain)*

— **3** —

**GEOFF
HUTT**

**JOHN
HOLLINS**

— **4** —

**STEVE
SMITH**

**JOHN
DEMPSEY**

— **5** —

**ROY
ELLAM**

**DAVID
WEBB**

— **6** —

**TREVOR
CHERRY** *(Captain)*

**CHARLIE
COOKE**

— **7** —

**MICK
FAIRCLOUGH**

**CHRIS
GARLAND**

— **8** —

**TERRY
DOLAN**

**PETER
OSGOOD**

— **9** —

**FRANK
WORTHINGTON**

**ALAN
HUDSON**

— **10** —

**JIMMY
LAWSON**

**PETER
HOUSEMAN**

— **11** —

**LES
CHAPMAN**

— **Substitute** —

Linesman (Red Flag):

Mr. R. Dix
(Fareham, Hants.)

Referee:

**Mr. KEN
BURNS**
(Stourbridge)

Linesman (Orange Flag):

Mr. L. W. Fleet
(Dereham, Norfolk)



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The Talk of Stamford Bridge

SO we've made it—our third Final in successive seasons, and all in different competitions! The way we got to Wembley for the League Cup Final on March 4 could hardly have been more dramatic than in Wednesday night's semi-final second leg at Tottenham. Spurs, the holders, twice went ahead on the night to level the aggregate, but each time we answered with a goal, first with Chris Garland's splendid equaliser and, on the stroke of time, Alan Hudson's free-kick that gave us a 5-4 victory over the two games. Congratulations to everyone on a great performance! While we were getting through, West Ham and Stoke City drew their play-off 0-0 at Hillsborough and must meet yet again. Could it be a pointer to the name of our Wembley opponents that we were due to meet Stoke here in the League on March 4? It's a thought . . . but we must wait and see.

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Today's match is the return to our visit to Huddersfield on August 28, when we beat them 2-1 to record our first win of the season. To do it, we came from behind, Frank Worthington having given Town the lead. John Hollins put us level two minutes later with a penalty for "hands", and 14 minutes from the end Peter Osgood headed the winner from Charlie Cooke's centre.

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The injured: On Tuesday Peter Bonetti passed a fitness test on his right ankle, so at Tottenham on Wednesday night he was able to take back the green jersey that had been worn in successive matches by John Phillips, David Webb and 18-year-old Steve Sherwood, who made his debut at Derby last Saturday. Meanwhile, Phillips' back trouble is improving under treatment; Eddie McCreadie, recovered from a troublesome ham-string, had a satisfactory run-out in the Reserves here last Saturday; John Boyle, who tore a thigh muscle in the Glasgow Rangers match on November 23, is ready to resume light training; and Ian Hutchinson, well up to schedule now, is stepping up the pace in his training.

FRONT COVER SHOT

A NEW face in Chelsea's goal on New Year's Day—Steve Sherwood, just 18, is seen in spectacular action, putting the ball safely round the post on his first-team debut at Derby last Saturday. Well played, Steve! Hard luck, too, that our 16-match unbeaten run (nine wins, seven draws) should be brought to an end by one of those things that nobody can do anything about—an unfortunate own-goal deflection by David Webb, who himself had donned the green jersey for the home game against Ipswich Town on Boxing Day. With Peter Bonetti and John Phillips both ruled out through injury, Steve Sherwood missed his debut that day by a matter of minutes, arriving at Stamford Bridge just too late to play after a desperate dash by road from Selby, Yorkshire, where he had gone to spend Christmas at home, with none of us dreaming that a goalkeeper crisis was to blow up on Boxing Day . . . and continue into the New Year!

Youth team advance: Chelsea Juniors beat Millwall here by 3-2 on Monday night in the third round of the F.A. Youth Cup and so reached the last sixteen. In the fourth round we are again at home—to Crystal Palace, date to be arranged.

The North Stand: It has been decided, with public safety our first consideration, that the North Stand, which was last used on November 27, will remain closed this season. We apologize for the inconvenience which some 1,500 Season-ticket holders have been caused by the closure of the Stand. In the circumstances (with all seats in the East and West Stands already sold for a number of forthcoming League fixtures, and 25 per cent of all reserved seating having to be set aside for visiting clubs in possible F.A. Cup-ties), the best that we could guarantee North Stand Season-ticket holders is accommodation in the West Stand Enclosure. Those Season-ticket holders affected who wish to apply for a full refund—or to purchase 80p tickets for the five matches with voucher-numbers 15, 16, 19, 20 21—are reminded that their applications must reach our Ticket Office not later than Friday next, January 14.

A number of complaints were received from North Stand Season-ticket holders, who were switched to the West Stand Enclosure for the League Cup semi-final first leg on December 22, that they got wet that night while Tottenham supporters sat under cover in the Stand. We take this opportunity to explain that every available Stand ticket had been sold for that match long before the decision was taken to close the North Stand and, apart from the West Stand Enclosure, there was simply no other accommodation to offer them.

BLACKPOOL v. CHELSEA

B RITISH RAIL will run the following three Excursions to Blackpool next Saturday:

<i>Depart</i>		<i>Arrive</i>	
Euston ..	08.25	Blackpool ..	12.07
Blackpool ..	17.25	Euston ..	21.18
Euston ..	08.45	Blackpool ..	12.20
Blackpool ..	17.35	Euston ..	21.30
Euston ..	08.55	Blackpool ..	12.39
Blackpool ..	17.45	Euston ..	21.35

Buffet car facilities on all the above trains.
Fare £2.50p adults, children (aged 3-14) £2.
Tickets available at Euston as from now.

And if there's a Replay

CHELSEA v. BLACKPOOL

I F WE draw at Blackpool, the replay will be at Stamford Bridge on Wednesday, 19th January (7.30 p.m.).

Season-ticket holders in the East and West Stands already have their tickets (paid for).

In the event of Blackpool not requiring their full allocation of reserved seats, these will be on sale to the general public—personal callers only—at the Ticket Office during normal hours from Monday, 17th January.

TABLES, APPEARANCES & GOALSCORERS

FOOTBALL LEAGUE—DIVISION I

	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Man. Utd.	24	9	1	1	25	12	5	6	2	24	18	35
Leeds	24	9	3	0	24	5	2	5	12	13	33	33
Man. City	24	9	3	1	31	9	4	4	3	16	15	33
Derby	24	8	4	0	26	8	4	3	5	14	14	31
Sheff. Utd.	24	7	5	1	29	12	6	0	5	14	19	31
Wolves	24	8	5	0	29	14	3	2	6	13	20	29
Tottenham	24	9	2	1	29	8	1	6	5	10	19	28
Arsenal	24	8	1	3	22	9	4	3	5	13	18	28
Liverpool	24	8	3	1	21	13	3	3	6	9	12	28
CHELSEA	24	6	4	2	21	12	3	4	5	9	14	26
West Ham	24	6	3	4	15	9	2	4	5	11	14	23
Stoke	24	5	3	3	15	11	3	4	6	9	17	23
Coventry	24	5	6	1	15	11	1	4	7	11	27	22
South'mpt'n	24	5	3	3	19	17	3	1	9	12	31	20
Ipswich	24	4	6	3	12	11	1	4	6	6	21	20
Everton	24	6	3	3	19	9	0	4	8	5	17	19
Leicester	24	3	4	5	9	2	2	5	5	15	21	19
Newcastle	24	4	3	4	14	12	2	3	8	11	23	18
HUD'F'D	25	4	3	6	10	15	2	3	7	11	21	18
Crystal P.	25	3	4	5	16	18	2	2	8	6	21	16
Nott'm. F.	24	3	3	6	16	19	1	4	8	15	29	15
West Brom.	24	2	2	7	7	14	3	3	7	11	20	15

Figures in brackets in opposite column represent appearances as Substitute.

FOOTBALL COMBINATION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Tottenham Hotspur	22	16	5	1	50	8	37
Oxford United	23	13	7	3	34	20	33
Ipswich Town	23	12	8	3	45	20	32
Queen's Park Rangers	25	11	7	7	51	28	29
Crystal Palace	23	12	3	8	39	34	27
Swindon Town	24	10	6	8	48	42	26
Leicester City	23	9	6	8	39	36	24
Swansea City	23	8	8	7	29	36	24
Arsenal	23	10	3	10	34	31	23
Birmingham City	23	9	5	9	24	33	23
Fulham	25	8	7	10	25	35	23
Bristol City	22	9	4	9	35	26	22
West Ham United	22	9	4	9	40	34	22
Southampton	22	8	5	9	24	27	21
Bournemouth & B.	25	7	6	12	30	43	20
Cardiff City	23	7	4	12	34	35	18
Bristol Rovers	23	6	6	11	26	35	18
CHELSEA	23	6	6	11	24	33	18
Plymouth Argyle	25	7	3	15	31	54	17
Norwich City	22	6	3	13	21	41	15
Reading	22	5	4	13	19	51	14

SOUTH-EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE DIVISION I

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Tottenham Hotspur	17	13	2	2	41	16	28
Millwall	18	10	6	2	46	16	26
CHELSEA	17	10	6	1	40	15	26
Arsenal	17	9	6	2	29	10	24
West Ham United	18	10	4	4	38	25	24
Crystal Palace	18	9	3	6	42	28	21
Luton Town	19	8	3	8	32	34	19
Queen's Park Rangers	18	6	6	6	18	18	18
Ipswich Town	18	6	5	7	22	18	17
Charlton Athletic	17	7	2	8	25	25	16
Fulham	17	4	6	7	18	26	14
Gillingham	14	5	2	7	13	25	12
Watford	16	2	4	10	19	47	8
Brentford	19	3	2	14	17	44	8
Orient	18	2	4	12	15	45	8
Reading	15	3	1	11	13	36	7

FOOTBALL LEAGUE

HARRIS	24	BALDWIN	13
HOLLINS	24	KEMBER	12 (1)
OSGOOD	24	MULLIGAN	12
WEBB	23	PHILLIPS	17
HUDSON	20	HINTON	5
DEMPESEY	19	GARLAND	4 (1)
HOUSEMAN	19 (1)	MC CREADIE	4
COOKE	18 (3)	SMETHURST	2
BOYLE	16	WELLER	2
BONETTI	15	SHERWOOD	1

Goalscorers: Osgood 10, Baldwin 6, Hollins 6, Cooke 2, Kember 2, Garland 1, Houseman 1, Hudson 1, Weller 1. Total 30.

EUROPEAN CUP-WINNERS' CUP

BONETTI	4	WEBB	4
BOYLE	4	BALDWIN	3
COOKE	4	HOUSEMAN	3
HARRIS	4	DEMPESEY	2
HOLLINS	4	HINTON	2 (2)
HUDSON	4	MC CREADIE	1
OSGOOD	4	MULLIGAN	1 (1)

Goalscorers: Osgood 8, Baldwin 4, Houseman 3, Hollins 2, Hudson 2, Webb 2, Harris 1. Total 22.

FOOTBALL LEAGUE CUP

HARRIS	8	HOUSEMAN	6
HOLLINS	8	BALDWIN	5 (1)
HUDSON	8	DEMPESEY	4 (2)
OSGOOD	8	GARLAND	4
WEBB	8	HINTON	4
BONETTI	7	MULLIGAN	4
BOYLE	6	MC CREADIE	1 (1)
COOKE	6	PHILLIPS	1

Goalscorers: Baldwin 4, Hollins 4, Osgood 3, Garland 2, Hudson 2, Cooke 1, Houseman 1, Webb 1. Total 18.

FOOTBALL COMBINATION

POTRAC	21	MULLIGAN	5
BROLLY	17 (1)	FINNIESTON	4 (2)
DROY	17	MORRISON	4
VAUGHAN	17 (2)	SMETHURST	4
LOCKE	16	SPONG	4
FEEELY	14 (2)	G. WILKINS	3
CRAKER	13 (3)	BONETTI	2
HOUSTON	13	BOYLE	2
PHILLIPS	10	COOKE	2
SHERWOOD	10	DEMPESEY	2
STANLEY	10	WELLER	2
BARRY	9 (2)	BALDWIN	1
BRITTON	7	B. BASON	1
LAWRENCE	7	D. EBANKS	1
PERKINS	7	HOUSEMAN	1
MC CREADIE	7	HUDSON	1
GARLAND	6	HUTCHINSON	1
HINTON	6	J. DAVIS	— (1)
W. SMITH	6	D. GRADI	— (1)

Goalscorers: Potrac 7, Brolly 3, Feeely 3, Vaughan 3, Barry 1, Craker 1, Droy 1, Hutchinson 1, Smethurst 1, Stanley 1, Opponents 2. Total 24.

S.E. COUNTIES LEAGUE—DIV. I

N. BROWN	16	STANLEY	8
FINNIESTON	14	B. BOLTON	7 (1)
L. PARODI	14	J. DAVIS	5
D. LUCAS	13	BROLLY	4
SHERWOOD	13	P. SEES	4
LAWRENCE	12	D. JENNINGS	3
B. BASON	10	D. EBANKS	2
SPONG	10	LOCKE	2
G. WILKINS	10	J. MACKENZIE	2
PERKINS	9	D. OUNSWORTH	2
S. POPE	9	D. PERRY	2
BRITTON	8	R. STEER	— (2)
G. PRICE	8		

Goalscorers: Finnieston 14, Brolly 4, Stanley 4, Britton 3, Lucas 3, Mackenzie 2, Parodi 2, Spong 2, Bason 1, Bolton 1, Davis 1, Perkins 1, Pope 1, Opponent 1. Total 40.

★ STARS ★ in the ★ ★ STAND

BILL ODDIE

ODDIE is the name, and he uses the front of his shirt to tell you he's a Goody. And though it may sound odd that a laddie born at Rochdale and brought up from the age of seven in Birmingham should choose Chelsea as his footballing Goodies, that's the way it is—and Bill Oddie, writer-actor in the BBC TV comedy series "The Goodies" is in his usual West Stand seat this afternoon to prove it.

He sees football in terms of Goodies, too . . . and Baddies. "I'm no lover of the physical stuff that was taking over the game. I come to be entertained, to enjoy the superb skills of players like Peter Osgood, Charlie Cooke, Alan Hudson—especially him this season. I haven't paid to see the stars chopped down, and the refs' revolution didn't come a day too soon."

Bill's boyhood football education took place at the West Bromwich Albion "academy" around the time they won the F.A. Cup in 1954 and onwards. From 1960-63 he was at Cambridge University studying English (he got a degree) and playing rugby (fly-half). He didn't know it, but that was when he started to become a Goody . . . because Cambridge was where he first teamed up with Tim Brooke-Taylor, Graeme Garden (fellow script-writer of "The Goodies") and John Cleese. Together they put on revues and other light shows at Cambridge, and it's been that way ever since. In 1963 they presented "Cambridge Circus" on the London stage, with U.S.A. the next stop.

On his return Bill based himself in London for work reasons and decided to put Chelsea "on approval". It was 1965 and he says: "The whole team was exciting to watch, with Bobby Tambling and Barry Bridges in tremendous form up front. I decided this was the football for me. I've been a season-ticket holder ever since. That was so nearly a great side. Then, sadly, it got broken up, and we went through a couple of very dull years that, I must admit, nearly put me off."



Bill, who enjoys playing in the occasional charity game ("illicit football" he calls it, lightly) says his ideal match every week would be Chelsea against Manchester United. "We nearly always have great games with them. The play flows and so does the entertainment. That's really what it's all about, if only more managers and coaches would try to see things from the spectators' view. It saddens me, though, that a lot of fans seem to get more of a kick out of the bad, sometimes rough, play than out of the game's great skills."

As a "communicator" himself, Bill Oddie reckons clubs could do much more to keep their customers informed. "Half-time is wasted for a start. We are still in the Victorian age when we put up half-time scores on a board half-way through the second half. They could be flashed to the crowd during the interval. And if a goal has been disallowed, why not find out from the referee and tell the crowd at half-time or at the finish. Similarly with news of a player who has gone off injured. The fans shouldn't have to wait for the Sunday papers to find out. This is the age of instant information, but not enough clubs realise it."

The information about "The Goodies" is that the last in their present series of 13 programmes goes on the TV screen this month, but they will be seen again in a "spot" each week in a new Englebert Humperdinck show. Bill also has another "doctor" series that he's co-written coming up on London Week-end. Somewhere, a school lost a future English master the day Bill Oddie left Cambridge and went into script-writing and acting. Their loss has been Entertainment's gain. Goody, goody!

AWAY ON THE NEXT TWO SATURDAYS

BY ROAD TO BLACKPOOL (Jan. 15)

(Approximately 244 miles from Chelsea)
Compiled by the Royal Automobile Club

Leave by Finborough Rd. and Warwick Rd. to junction with West Cromwell Rd. (A.4), turn left and continue to Chiswick Roundabout.....5 miles
Follow North Circular to Brent Cross Flyover, filter left onto A.41 and follow signs to start of M.1.....15 miles
Continue by M.1 northward to intersection with M.45.....84 miles
Proceed by M.45 to A.45, then follow signposted route to M.6 at Gailey Intersection.....140 miles
Follow M.6 north to Intersection No. 29 and continue following signs "Blackpool". At ¼ mile on, turn left onto A.49 and at 200 yards on turn right onto A.528. Continue on this road for 3 miles to A.59, turn right, proceed for ¼ mile, then turn left onto A.5072. Continue for ¾ mile and turn left onto A.583 and follow this road to Blackpool 244 miles. Enter Blackpool on Preston New Rd. (A.583) and continue to the roundabout. Take fourth exit—Park Rd.—then first left—Bloomfield Rd. The ground is on your right.
Parking space is available near ground, but watch for police or diversion signs.

... AND TO MANCHESTER UTD. (Jan. 22)

Approximately 190 miles from Chelsea

Leave by Finborough Rd. and Warwick Rd. and continue to junction with West Cromwell Rd. Turn left and continue to Chiswick Roundabout.....5 miles
Proceed by North Circular (A.406) to Brent Cross Flyover, filter left onto A.41 and follow signs to start of M.1.....15 miles
Continue northward on M.1 to intersection with M.45.....74 miles
Follow M.45 to A.45, then the signposted route to M.6 at Gailey Intersection.....129 miles
Proceed north by M.6 to Intersection No. 19.....178 miles
Follow the signs "Altrincham" via A.556 and A.56 and continue by A.56 to Manchester.....190 miles
Enter Manchester by Chester Rd. (A.56) and continue ahead to junction with Talbot Rd. Bear left and continue to junction with Warwick Rd. Turn left and the ground is on your left. There are car parks nearby, but watch for any police parking or diversion signs.

Your nearest RAC offices are at: RAC, P.O. Box 100, RAC House, Lansdowne Road, Croydon CR9 2JA; or, RAC Northern Home Counties, 130 St. Albans Road, Watford, Herts.

PRE-MATCH SPIN

REMEMBER, it's **your** record-request show, and the more requests the better.

If you want a particular disc played on a special day, please give at least two weeks' notice.

The address to write to is: Pete & Dave, Pre-Match Spin, Chelsea Football Club, Stamford Bridge Grounds, Fulham Road, London, S.W.6.

Records played here on match-days are supplied by "Musicland" and can be obtained from any of their branches—nearest is at 44 King's Road, Chelsea, S.W.3.

GOLDEN GOALS!!!

TODAY we run our first Golden Goals competition of 1972—and three spectators here this afternoon can kick-off the New Year with a £50 bonus!

There are THREE prizes of £50 and three of £10 ready to be won on today's Golden Goals tickets—or three of £60 if the match produces only one goal or none.

Buy your tickets on the way in . . . and on the way out after the game you could have £50 or more to collect. Some start to the New Year for someone—and it **could** be YOU!

CHELSEA POOLS CALLING

IF you can't find an agent in your locality and you would like to enter the Chelsea Pool, you can do so by sending a cheque or postal orders for £1.55p. This will bring you the chance every week of winning one of the many big prizes in the Chelsea Pool. Send your remittance, together with your name and address to: Chelsea Pools Association, Chelsea F.C., Stamford Bridge Grounds, Fulham Road, London, S.W.6.

SUPPORTERS' CLUB DINNER-DANCE ON LEAGUE CUP FINAL NIGHT!

THIS will be held on Saturday, 4th March, at Derry & Toms, Kensington, from 7.30 p.m. to 1 a.m. Tickets price £2.50 for S.C. Members and £3 for non-members. They can be obtained from the S.C. headquarters at 547 Fulham Road, or from J. Coombes, Esq., Hon. Social Officer, 103 Pulborough Road, London, S.W.18. Cheques or postal orders should be made payable to Chelsea Supporters' Club and a stamped addressed envelope enclosed for the return of your tickets.

Broadcasts on first team home matches are relayed to local hospitals by Fulham and Chelsea Hospital Broadcasts.

SEAT RESERVATIONS
PRICES of reserved seats for home League matches are: £1.20 West Stand only (all £1.20 tickets in East Stand have been sold as Season Tickets); 80p East and West Stands.

Tickets are obtainable as follows:
You may write AT ANY TIME to the Box Office, stating number and price of seats required and enclosing correct remittance and return envelope.

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CUP MATCHES Goalscorers shown in small numerals. P = Penalty. S = Substitute. * = Player replaced by substitute.

Date	Home	Away
Feb. 12	Southampton	Away
" 19	LEICESTER C.	HOME
" 26	Nottingham For.	Away
Mar 11	LIVERPOOL	HOME
" 18	Manchester City	Away
" 25	WEST HAM U.	HOME
" 29	SHEFFIELD U.	HOME
Apr. 1	Ipswich Town	Away
" 8	Wolverhampton	Away
" 3	CRYSTAL PAL.	HOME
" 15	Tottenham H.	Away
" 22	NEWCASTLE	HOME
" 26	West Bromwich	Away
" 29	Leeds United	Away
Undated	STOKE CITY	HOME

Date	Round and Opponents	Venue	Result	Att.	Rec.	PLAYERS																
Sept. 8	(2) PLYMOUTH	HOME	W2-0	23,011	£8,967	BONETTI	MULLIGAN	HARRIS	HOLLINS	WEBB	HINTON	BOYLE	HUDSON	OSGOOD	GARLAND	HOUSEMAN	DEMSEY	COOKE	BALDWIN	MCCREADIE	PHILLIPS	
Oct. 6	(3) Nott'm. Forest (Rep.) NOTT'M. F.	Away	D1-1	16,811	—																	
" 11	(4) BOLTON W.	HOME	D1-1	24,817	£9,610																	
" 27	(Rep.) Bolton W.	HOME	D1-1	27,679	£11,228																	
Nov. 8	(3) Norwich City	Away	W6-0	29,805	—																	
Nov. 17	(5) Tottenham	Away	W1-0	35,927	—																	
Dec. 22	(5) Tottenham	HOME	W3-2	43,330	£19,117																	
Jan. 5	(5) Tottenham	Away	D2-2	52,755	—																	
(Final—Wembley, March 4)																						
EUROPEAN CUP-WINNERS' CUP																						
Sept. 15	(1) Jeunesse	Away	W8-0	13,000	—																	
Oct. 29	Hautcharage (Lux.)	HOME	W13-0	27,621	£10,449																	
Oct. 20	(1) JEUNESSE H.	Away	D0-0	10,212	—																	
Nov. 3	(2) Atvidaberg (Sweden)	HOME	D1-1	28,071	£11,843																	
(Lost on away goal)																						
F.A. CUP																						
Jan. 15	(3) Blackpool	Away																				
Dates of other rounds:																						
(4) Feb. 5; (5) Feb. 26; (6) Mar. 18;																						
(5) Apr. 15; (Final—Wembley) May 6.																						



Above: This header by David Webb early in the game, from a cross by John Hollins, so nearly gave our New Year the right sort of start at Derby last Saturday. But 'keeper Boulton saved . . . and it was an unlucky deflection off Dave's head at the same end late in the second half that went in for the only goal of the match.



Right: Peter Osgood goes looking for a header, too, between McFarland and Durban, but Durban gets it away for Derby.

Our first defeat in 17 games comes in the last six minutes at Derby



Left: Steve Sherwood ten feet tall to cut out a corner under strong challenge from Hector. How high? Well, for a start our young goalkeeper stands 6ft. 3 1/2 in.; he has jumped about three feet off the ground, and his arms are at full stretch above his head. That adds up to 10 ft. plus—and Ron Harris, David Webb and John Dempsey need have no worries.

Below: A touch of Derby's floodlighting has got into the lens at the moment Steve Kember pushes the ball past Boulton... and also narrowly wide of the post.



Football Combination

1971	Opponents	Venue	Result
Sat. Aug. 14	BOURNEM'TH	HOME	W 2-0
Tues. " 17	Swindon Town	Away	D 2-2
Wed. " 25	SWANSEA CITY	HOME	L 1-2
Sat. " 28	CARDIFF CITY	HOME	W 3-0
Tues. " 31	Birmingham City	Away	D 0-0
Sat. Sept. 4	Crystal Palace	Away	L 0-3
Wed. " 8	Bristol City	Away	L 1-4
Sat. " 11	ARSENAL	HOME	W 1-0
Wed. " 15	BIRMINGH'M C.	HOME	L 1-2
Wed. " 22	OXFORD U.	HOME	D 1-1
Sat. " 25	WEST HAM U.	HOME	W 2-1
Sat. Oct. 2	Bournemouth	Away	W 3-1
Wed. " 13	Oxford United	Away	L 1-2
Sat. " 23	Leicester City	Away	L 1-5
Sat. " 30	SOUTHAMPTON	HOME	D 1-1
Mon. Nov. 1	Fulham	Away	L 0-2
Sat. " 6	Norwich City	Away	D 0-0
Sat. " 13	BRISTOL ROV.	HOME	L 0-1
Sat. " 27	Tottenham H.	Away	L 0-2
Sat. Dec. 4	Q.P.R.	HOME	W 3-0
Wed. " 8	Reading	Away	L 0-2
Sat. " 18	FULHAM	HOME	L 0-1

1972

Sat. Jan. 1	CRYSTAL PAL.	HOME	D 1-1
Wed. " 5	Cardiff City	Away	L 0-2
Sat. " 22	SWINDON T.	HOME	.....
Sat. " 29	Swansea City	Away	.....
Sat. Feb. 5	PLYMOUTH A.	HOME	.....
Sat. " 12	LEICESTER C.	HOME	.....
Sat. " 19	Southampton	Away	.....
Sat. " 26	NORWICH C.	HOME	.....
Sat. Mar. 4	Bristol Rovers	Away	.....
Sat. " 11	Arsenal	Away	.....
Sat. " 18	BRISTOL CITY	HOME	.....
Sat. " 25	West Ham United	Away	.....
Sat. Apr. 8	Q.P.R.	Away	.....
Tues. " 11	IPSWICH T.	HOME	.....
Sat. " 15	TOTTENHAM H.	HOME	.....
Sat. " 22	Plymouth Argyle	Away	.....
Sat. " 29	READING	HOME	.....
Undated	Ipswich Town	Away	.....

LONDON F.A. CHALLENGE CUP

Mon. Sept. 27 (1) West Ham U. ... Away L 0-1

F.A. YOUTH CUP

Wed. Nov. 24 (2) Orient ... Away D 0-0
 Mon. Dec. 6 (Rep.) ORIENT ... HOME W 3-0
 Mon. Jan. 3 (3) MILLWALL ... HOME W 3-2

SOUTHERN JUNIOR FLOODLIT CUP

Tues. Oct. 5 (1) Brentford ... Away W 3-2
 Tues. Nov. 16 (2) Swindon Town ... Away D 1-1
 Wed. Dec. 15 (Rep.) SWINDON ... HOME W 2-0

LONDON F.A. YOUTH CUP

Mon. Dec. 13 (1) WEST HAM ... HOME W 1-0

CHELSEA v. HUDDERSFIELD T.

Past League Results

Season	Home	Away	Season	Home	Away
1910-11	2-0	1-3	1938-39	3-0	1-3
1911-12	3-1	3-1	1946-47	1-0	4-1
1920-21	1-1	0-2	1947-48	2-4	1-3
1921-22	1-0	0-2	1948-49	5-0	4-3
1922-23	2-2	0-3	1949-50	3-1	2-1
1923-24	0-1	1-0	1950-51	1-2	1-2
1930-31	1-2	1-1	1951-52	2-1	0-1
1931-32	0-1	1-2	1953-54	2-2	1-3
1932-33	0-1	0-2	1954-55	4-1	0-1
1933-34	2-3	1-6	1955-56	0-0	3-1
1934-35	2-1	0-3	1962-63	1-2	0-1
1935-36	1-0	0-2	1970-71	0-0	1-0
1936-37	0-0	2-4	1971-72	Today	2-1
1937-38	3-1	2-1			

(Chelsea's score given first in each case.)

Summary

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Home	26	12	6	8	42	27	30
Away	27	9	1	17	32	53	19
Total	53	21	7	25	74	80	49

HUDDERSFIELD'S RESULTS

THIS SEASON

(Numbered in sequence order)

FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Home	Away
1. Leicester	D 2-2
2. Arsenal	L 0-1
5. Chelsea	L 1-2
9. W.B.A.	W 1-0
12. Leeds Utd.	W 2-1
15. Man. Utd.	L 0-3
19. Nott'm. F.	L 0-1
20. Man. City	D 1-1
23. West Ham	W 1-0
25. Derby	W 2-1
27. C. Palace	L 0-1
28. S'th'mp't'n	L 0-2
30. Stoke City	D 0-0
3. Tottenham	L 1-4
4. Newcastle	D 0-0
6. Sheff. Utd.	L 1-3
7. S'th'mp't'n	W 2-1
11. Stoke City	L 0-1
14. Nott'm F.	W 2-1
16. Leicester	L 0-2
18. Liverpool	L 0-2
22. Coventry	L 1-2
24. Ipswich	L 0-1
26. Wolves	D 2-2
29. Everton	D 2-2

Goalscorers: Lawson (J.) 8, Worthington 5, Smith (D.) 3, Chapman 2, Cherry 1, Dolan 1, Ellam 1. Total: 21.

FOOTBALL LEAGUE CUP

Home

8. Bolton ... L 0-2

TEXACO CUP

Home

10. Morton ... W 1-0
 17. Airdrie ... L 1-2

Away

13. Morton ... W 2-1
 21. Airdrie ... L 1-5

Goalscorers: Cherry 2, Worthington 2, Hoy 1. Total: 5.

LEAGUE CUP FINAL TICKETS
IMPORTANT NOTICE—
PLEASE SEE BACK PAGE

CHELSEA CROSSWORD

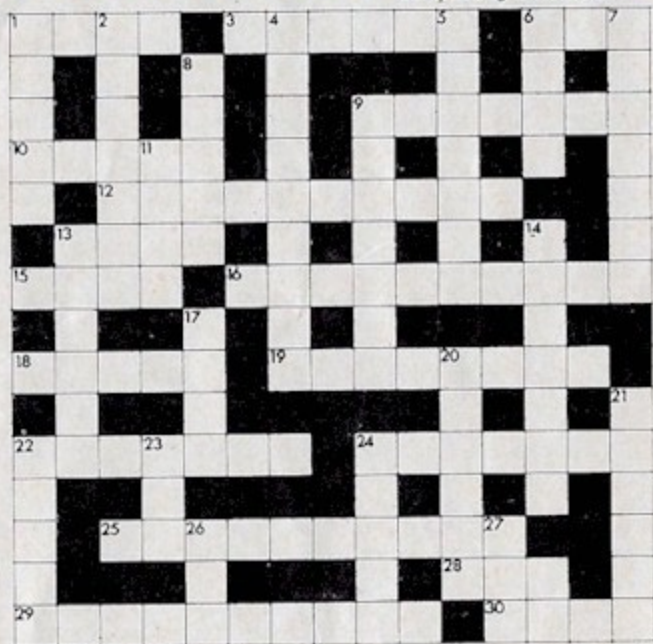
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CLUES ACROSS

1. THIS MALCOLM IS BACK AT BIRMINGHAM
3. HE WENT FROM LIVERPOOL TO COVENTRY
6. MEANS OF TRANSPORT (TO THE GROUND)
9. HE WENT FROM CELTIC TO MAN. UNITED
10. NOT A.C. IN MILAN
12. STOKE STARLET
13. BILLY, GEORGE OR CLYDE
15. THEY PLAY AT GIGG LANE
16. JOHN PHILLIPS WAS BORN THERE
18. EX-CHELSEA MAN NOW FULHAM CAPTAIN
19. CHELSEA'S FIRST-TEAM 'KEEPER PRIOR TO BONETTI
22. THIS LANE IS HOME TO SHEFF. UTD.
24. HE IS ALWAYS IN THE MIDDLE
25. SURPRISE CUP VICTORS OVER LEEDS LAST SEASON
28. USED TO BUY A MATCH TICKET IN CHINA
29. ANGELO WAS TRANSFERRED FROM CAGLIARI TO TORINO (ITALIAN INTERNATIONAL)
30. TYPE OF GATE

CLUES DOWN

1. MIKE IS A TEAM MATE OF 12 ACROSS
2. DAVE'S TOP SCORER WITH SWANSEA
4. CHELSEA'S OPPONENTS IN THE LEAGUE CUP SEMI-FINAL
5. HE LEFT US FOR ITALY
6. CONSISTENT TOTTENHAM DEFENDER
7. PETER IS A HALF-BACK AT BLOOMFIELD ROAD



8. ENGLAND HERO IN 1966 AT WEMBLEY
9. THIS REFEREE IS FROM WOLVERHAMPTON
11. CLUE THAT'S NOT DIFFICULT
13. DENNIS SIGNED PROFESSIONAL FORMS FOR CHELSEA IN MAY 1960
14. THIS TYPE OF APPEARANCE CAN BE MISLEADING
17. A GOOD ONE MIGHT PRODUCE A GOAL
20. SCOTTISH INTERNATIONAL (60/61) IN GOAL FOR CELTIC
21. BLOND 'KEEPER WITH BURNLEY
22. — OF DIRECTORS
23. HEADMAN OF CHINA
24. CHAIRMAN OF CHELSEA SUPPORTERS' CLUB
26. — ALLCHURCH
27. THE ONLY COLOUR AT ANFIELD

(Answers on page 19)

By Albert Sewell

BETWEEN OURSELVES

Programme Editor

THE blurb for their 1972 guide tells you that for a real humdinger of a holiday Blackpool is the place to go, with its safe, seven-mile beach, three piers, luxury ballrooms, swimming-pools, huge pleasure beach, three-tier promenade and big-star stage shows. "Head for the greatest pleasure range in Britain," the come-on continues . . . "the golden resort that's as lively after sundown as it is at high noon."

But Chelsea are no sand-castle kids heading for a holiday when they go to Blackpool a week hence. For them it's the start of an F.A. Cup tournament that is going to be larger than life by the time the two Finalists emerge from the tunnel at Wembley on May 6. It's an extra-special F.A. Cup this, because it marks the competition's centenary—a fact of which we shall be reminded with increasing emphasis as the rounds go by.

If the Chelsea lads need to find any extra resolve for next Saturday's tie (and I doubt it), they should know that in this same third round Bloomfield Road has been the burial ground of London Cup hopes in each of the past two seasons. In 1970 Arsenal went down 3-2 in a replay there after Blackpool (taking a breather in their promotion effort) had drawn 1-1 at Highbury, and twelve months ago—when Blackpool were on their way down again to the Second Division—West Ham crashed 4-0.

That was a defeat with repercussions. Overnight, with the Blackpool pitch frozen, the tie seemed sure to be postponed, and, taking a chance on it, some of the visiting players stayed out until the early hours. If the match had been called off possibly nothing would ever have been heard of the curfew-break, but after a four-nil thrashing it had to come out, and it hit the headlines in the same way that a similar "Blackpool night out" by some Chelsea players had done when they were in training there in April 1965.

With these and other things in mind, I reckon that on balance Blackpool has not been good for London football clubs. Johnny Haynes smashed a leg in a car-crash there . . . Peter Osgood, at the beginning of his career, broke his right leg away to Blackpool in the League Cup in October 1966. But it hasn't all been bad news from Bloomfield Road.

Look at Chelsea's League trip to Blackpool last season—and forget the half-time score, because Chelsea trooped off losing three-nil. That was still the score with 20 minutes left. Then Charlie Cooke went on as substitute and in a general reshuffle Peter Houseman moved to left-back, Ron Harris to the right, Paddy Mulligan to centre-half and David Webb went hunting upfield . . . with tallyho effect. Goals by Keith Weller, Webb and Weller again brought Chelsea astonishingly level, but that wasn't all. In the last minute Weller centred and Blackpool defender Hatton shot the ball into his own net to give Chelsea one of the most remarkable victories in their history; a match to remember for everyone, especially John Phillips, who was having his first taste of goalkeeping in the First Division.

But it wasn't such a happy second half for the Chelsea team that went to Blackpool on October 29, 1932. Maybe no one here this afternoon will have been there that day, so I'll quote from what I wrote of the game in "Chelsea Champions", published in 1955: "During the second half it was Chelsea's ill-fortune to face sheets of rain and snow driven by a pitiless north-westerly gale. One after another the visiting players fell exhausted by the elements, and when the game mercifully reached its ninetieth minute only six Chelsea men were on the field. The rest were being revived in the warmth of the dressing-room." The result: Blackpool 4, Chelsea 0.

That was in October. I should add that the "pitiless north-westerly" can blow up there in January, too. So, if you're planning to cheer the Blues next Saturday at the start of what we hope will be another Cup run with a Wembley destination-board, don't leave your winter woollies in the airing cupboard at home. It's Blackpool Tower to a stick of peppermint rock that you'll need them with you.

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HUDDERSFIELD TOWN 1971-72



(Photograph—copyright Huddersfield Town F.C.)

Back row: Colin Dobson, Terry Poole, Gary Pierce, David Lawson, Mick Barry,
Middle row: Jimmy Nicholson, Trevor Cherry, Dennis Clarke, Brian Mahoney, Roy Ellam, Terry Dolan, Dick Krzywicki,
Front row: Jimmy McGill (new Hull City), Jimmy Lawson, Bobby Hoy, Frank Worthington, Ian Greaves (Manager), Stephen Smith,
Geoff Huft, Alan Jones, Les Chapman.

FOCUS

on our

VISITORS

HUDDERSFIELD TOWN returned to the First Division last season after a 14-season spell in the Second, and finished fifteenth. They come to Stamford Bridge today anxious to do as well as when they drew here last March, because currently they stand only three points and three places above the bottom club, West Bromwich, and two of the teams beneath them have a game in hand.

Town have not won for five matches, since beating Derby County 2-1 at Leeds Road on November 27. But if they have recently lost their scoring touch at home—where they have been without a goal for the last three games—they have taken a worthy point from each of the last two away fixtures, drawing 2-2 against Wolves at Molineux and then going to Goodison Park and taking two more goals and a point off Everton.

THEIR PLAYERS

DAVID LAWSON: Has established a regular first-team position since replacing Terry Poole in goal a year ago. Joined Town from Bradford Park Avenue in 1969. Born Wallsend-on-Tyne. 6 ft. 0½ in., 12 st.

DENNIS CLARKE: Former W.B.A. defender, he was a £25,000 signing by Huddersfield in January 1969 and has proved a valuable asset. Last term he made 39 League appearances mainly at right-back. Born Stockton. 5 ft. 10 in., 12 st. 3 lb.

GEOFF HUTT: Product of the club's nursery, he made his debut in January 1969 in an F.A. Cup tie against West Ham. Prominent in first-team ever since with over 100 League appearances. Born Hazelwood. 5 ft. 8 in., 12 st.

STEVE SMITH: Originally a right-winger, he worked his way through the junior and reserve ranks, and made the senior side five seasons ago. Last winter

brought his first lengthy run in the side—41 League appearances. Born Huddersfield. 5 ft. 9 in., 10 st. 3 lb.

ROY ELLAM: Stopper-type centre-half who entered League football with Bradford City in 1961-62 and spent five seasons there as a first-team regular before joining Town in January 1966. Ever-present last season. Born Hemsworth. 6 ft., 12 st. 6 lb..

TREVOR CHERRY: Now captain of Huddersfield, this versatile, local-born player has the ability to fill almost any position though normally found in the No. 6 shirt. Born Huddersfield. 5 ft. 8½ in., 11 st. 2 lb.

MICK FAIRCLOUGH: Signed last October from Drogheda where, as an amateur, he was an Eire International. Quickly achieved first-team recognition at Huddersfield and on Wednesday this little forward gained his first full cap against West Germany. Born Drogheda. 5 ft. 5 in., 10 st.

TERRY DOLAN: Tall, versatile player who joined Town from Bradford Park Avenue in May, 1970. Waited until this season for a first-team opportunity. Born Bradford. 6 ft. 1 in., 11 st. 3 lb.

FRANK WORTHINGTON: The club's most consistent goalscorer in recent seasons and one of three professional footballing brothers. Gained senior status after working through the junior and reserve ranks. Made 42 League appearances last term. Born Sheffield. 5 ft. 10½ in., 11 st. 10 lb.

JIMMY LAWSON: Bargain buy when signed from Middlesbrough in June 1968 for a fee of £6,000. Hard-working forward who looks like having his most productive season yet—he heads Town's scoring list with eight goals. Born Middlesbrough. 5 ft. 8 in., 10 st. 10 lb.

LES CHAPMAN: Began his career with Huddersfield as an apprentice but moved to Oldham, where he held a regular senior place for three seasons before rejoining Town in September 1969. Born Oldham. 5 ft. 7 in., 10 st. 4 lb.

DAVE SMITH: An amateur until 18, he became a regular scorer in the Central League side and this season was promoted into the first-team, his debut coming against Liverpool at Anfield. Born Sheffield. 5 ft. 9 in., 10 st. 9 lb.

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HONOURS

League Champions: 1924, 1925, 1926.
Second Division Champions: 1970.
F.A. Cup Winners: 1922.

TALK - BACK

Today's subject in our special series of interviews is

STEVE SHERWOOD



Career background:	I come from Selby—that's a town near York—and played for East Riding Schools while I was at Selby Secondary and then for West Riding Youth. I was playing for them at Harrogate when Jack Noble, Chelsea's Yorkshire scout, spotted me and sent me down for a trial. I joined Chelsea juniors two seasons ago, signed apprentice in August 1970 and as a full professional this past July.
My sporting family:	I grew up in a sporting atmosphere. My mother ran as a sprinter for Yorkshire, my father played inside-forward for Huddersfield Town and Stockport just after the last war, my brother John is the Olympic hurdler, and his wife Sheila is the long-jumper. I did some sprinting myself at school. At football I played sweeper until I was 13—then our 'keeper got injured, I went in goal for the second half . . . and I've been there ever since.
Biggest surprise of career:	Getting a phone call from Stamford Bridge at ten o'clock on Boxing Day at my home in Selby (where I was spending Christmas) telling me that scout Jack Noble was on his way to pick me up to rush me by road to London because Peter Bonetti and John Phillips were both injured and I was wanted for the match against Ipswich.
Biggest disappointment (1):	Arriving here just too late to play, so David Webb went in goal instead. We'd have been all right if we had not been fogbound in Yorkshire in the early part of the journey. Still, I got my chance at Derby five days later.
My First Division debut:	I was quite nervous last Friday when Dave Sexton said I would be playing next day, and spent New Year's Eve thinking about it. But once I got to bed I was asleep and awoke on Saturday thinking what a great start to my New Year. The lads were very good in the dressing-room before the game and that gave me confidence when I went out. Playing in the First Division was not as difficult as I thought. Once the game was on I found things happening so fast there wasn't time to dwell on it being my first big game. It was a matter of playing by instinct and getting on with it.
Biggest disappointment (2):	Derby's goal that pipped us. It was rotten luck for David Webb—I was going left for Gemmill's shot when the ball clipped Dave's head and went in on the opposite side. He apologised—that's typical of Dave—but I felt more sorry for him than for myself.
"My team" as a boy:	I used to watch Leeds United quite a lot.
Other interests:	I enjoy playing cricket . . . and listening to records (Bread are my favourite group).
Career ambition:	To make a success of the chance Chelsea have given me of a career in football, and to help them win the F.A. Youth Cup this season. I missed Monday's tie against Millwall (to stand by for Tottenham on Wednesday) and a 3-2 win has put us in the last sixteen.

RESULTS . . . TEAMS . . . SCORERS

MATCH SUMMARIES

FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Monday, 27th December.
Beat IPSWICH TOWN (Home) 2-0. Half-time: 0-0.
Chelsea: Webb; Harris, Houseman, Hollins, Dempsey, Mulligan, Garland, Kember, Osgood, Hudson, Baldwin (Cooke).
Scorers: Kember, Garland.
Ipswich: Best; Hammond, Harper, Morris, Hunter, Jefferson, Robertson, Woods, Belfitt, Hill (Clarke), Miller.
Referee: Mr. A. P. Oliver (Leigh-on-Sea).
Attendance: 43,896.

Webb, who had played in goal for the last hour after Bonetti's injury at Coventry on Dec. 17, now found himself emergency keeper full-time, with Bonetti and Phillips both out of action and third-choice Sherwood arriving too late to make his debut (see opposite page). Webb's one real save came early, when he had to dive at Hill's feet and diverted the ball over the bar. Kember scored (63 mins.) from a corner by Cooke (who had substituted ten mins. earlier when Baldwin suffered a ham-string recurrence), and Osgood exquisitely laid on the second goal for Garland (72 mins.).

Saturday, 1st January.
Lost to DERBY COUNTY (Away) 0-1. Half-time: 0-0.
Derby: Boulton; Webster, Robson, Todd, McFarland, McGovern, Durban, Gemmill, O'Hare, Hector, Hinton.
Scorer: Webb own goal.
Chelsea: Sherwood; Mulligan, Harris, Hollins, Dempsey, Webb, Garland, Kember (Cooke), Osgood, Hudson, Houseman.
Referee: Mr. T. W. Dawes (Bury St. Edmunds).
Attendance: 33,663.

Sherwood did well on his first-team debut in goal and we were unlucky to have a run of 16 unbeaten games ended when Webb, attempting to stop Gemmill's 20-yarder, diverted the ball into his own net. Early in the game Webb nearly caught Derby with a surprise header, and both Kember and Hudson screwed their shots wide when we might have gone ahead. Three players were booked; Gemmill, Hudson and Kember, for whom Cooke substituted in the last few minutes.

FOOTBALL LEAGUE CUP, SEMI-FINAL

(First Leg)

Wednesday, 22nd December.
Beat TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR (Home) 3-2. Half-time: 1-0.
Chelsea: Phillips; Mulligan, Harris, Hollins, Dempsey, Webb, Garland, Cooke (Baldwin), Osgood, Hudson, Houseman.
Scorers: Osgood, Garland, Hollins (penalty).
Tottenham: Jennings; Evans, Knowles, Coates, England, Beal, Pratt, Naylor, Chivers, Peters, Pearce.
Scorers: Naylor, Chivers.
Referee: Mr. J. Homewood (Sunbury-on-Thames).
Attendance: 43,330.
Receipts: £19,117.

Attendance and receipts both League Cup records for Stamford Bridge.

In a pulsating cup-tie we led, trailed, equalised and, finally, edged in front again. Osgood, with a finely-angled shot, sent us ahead (38 mins.) after a

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mix-up between Naylor and Jennings, but Spurs hit back with two goals in two minutes by Naylor (50 mins.) and Chivers (52). Garland, having headed against the bar first half, missed a fine chance when shooting into the side-net after taking the ball off Knowles, but he amply atoned by heading the equaliser from Houseman's right-wing corner. With five minutes left, Naylor handled as Hudson moved onto Mulligan's pass, and Hollins smashed the spot-kick past Jennings for his 12th goal of the season, five of them penalties. Pratt (first half) and Osgood were booked; Webb had five stitches inserted in a cut over the right eye—three at half-time, two after the match; Phillips took over in goal for Bonetti, who badly bruised his right ankle at Coventry the previous Friday.

FOOTBALL COMBINATION

Saturday, 1st January.
Drew with CRYSTAL PALACE (Home) 1-1.
Team: D. Ebanks; Morrison, McCreddie, Houston, Vaughan, Britton, Potrac, Hinton, Feely, Finnieston (Craker), Brolly.
Scorer: Vaughan.

S.E. COUNTIES LEAGUE—DIVISION I

Saturday, 1st January.
Drew with IPSWICH TOWN (Home—Mitcham) 0-0.
Team: D. Ounsworth; N. Brown, P. Sees, G. Price, Lawrence, Spong, B. Bason, L. Parodi, D. Lucas, G. Stanley, B. Bolton.

F.A. YOUTH CUP—THIRD ROUND

Monday, 3rd January.
Beat MILLWALL (Home) 3-2.
Team: D. Ebanks; N. Brown, G. Wilkins, Locke (B. Bason), Lawrence, Spong, Britton, D. Lucas, Finnieston, Stanley, Brolly.
Scorers: Lucas, Stanley, Spong.

CROSSWORD ANSWERS (see page 13)

ACROSS

1. Page. 3. Strong. 6. Bus. 9. Crerand. 10. Inter. 12. Haslegrave. 13. Best. 15. Bury. 16. Shrewsbury. 18. Lloyd. 19. Matthews. 22. Bramall. 24. Referee. 25. Colchester. 28. Yen. 29. Domenghini. 30. Door.

DOWN

1. Pejic. 2. Gwyther. 4. Tottenham. 5. Greaves. 6. Beal. 7. Suddaby. 8. Hurst. 9. Corbett. 11. Easy. 13. Butler. 14. Outward. 17. Idea. 20. Haffey. 21. Mellor. 22. Board. 23. Mao. 24. Rosin. 26. Len. 27. Red.

Important Announcement

LEAGUE CUP FINAL TICKETS

WE are now working on plans for the distribution of tickets for the Football League Cup Final at Wembley on Saturday, March 4.

An announcement will be made in our Programme for the match against Everton on January 29, and **until details are given then, please note that we shall not accept or consider any applications—from Season-ticket holders or anyone.**

If any applications are received in the meantime, they will be disregarded.

So, to assist our Ticket Office and save yourself inconvenience, please do nothing about League Cup Final tickets until we announce details of the system of distribution in the Programme on January 29.

As stated above, these instructions apply to Season-ticket holders as well as to the general public.

NEXT HOME MATCHES

Saturday, 22nd January (2.15 p.m.)

SWINDON TOWN

Football Combination

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Saturday, 29th January (3 p.m.)

EVERTON

Football League

⊙

Saturday, 5th February (2.15 p.m.)

PLYMOUTH ARGYLE

Football Combination

TODAY'S HALF-TIMES

FIRST DIVISION

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