



Mr. HAROLD NEEDLER (Chairman)



Mr. CLIFF BRITTON (Manager)

Hull have acquired a cantilever stand providing 3,000 seats. Their recently-installed floodlighting system is said to set a new high standard in ground illumination, and the club also possess one of the finest indoor training centres to be found anywhere in the Football League.

It cost some £50,000 and means that, no matter how bad the weather, no Hull team ever turns out anything less than 100 per cent prepared. Adjoining the main ground they have their own outdoor training pitches.

In keeping with all these amenities, Hull count their footballers among the best paid in the country. Their League gates this season average 21,000 and, like our own, the players are handsomely rewarded for the success they are earning for their club.

In comparatively recent times Hull have become one of the most progressive clubs in British football. How many years — or how few — before they come to Stamford Bridge to play us for Championship points?

GREAT NAMES

AMONG the great names who have played for Hull City in post-war football: Raich Carter, Stan Mortensen, Neil Franklin, Wilf Mannion, Don Revie, Jackie Sewell and Danish international Viggo Jensen.

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“WE shall give Chelsea a good game, but I must confess that our sights are not on the F.A. Cup. It is promotion to the Second Division that we badly want.”—(Hull City chairman, Mr. Harold Needler, on the day of the sixth round draw).