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OUR FINEST TEAM

MY Chelsea "greats" are:—
Jackson

Sillett Law
Armstrong Harris Weaver
Greaves Goulden

Jackson Gallacher Blunstone

The present Docherty team, however, is the finest the club has had and will bring the Championship back to Chelsea after a decade: 1954-55 — 1964-65.

E. W. Harris.

7A, Peabody Estate,
Clapham Junction, S.W.11

THOSE 'BRIDGE' BUMPS

FOR many years I have been puzzled by the bumps at the base of the uprights, particularly at the Fulham Road end. Could you please give the reason for this?

J. Cassie.

10, Renton Close,
Brixton Hill, S.W.2

● *Ours is a "crown" ground (i.e. sloping from centre to touchlines), which is a contributory cause of the goalpost bumps.*

CHELSEA 'OLD BOYS' XI

LOOKING over the players who have appeared for Chelsea in recent years, I have chosen an Old Chelsea XI maybe to play against the present side: Matthews (Derby); Butler (Hull), Harris (Coventry); Huxford (Southampton), Scott (Brentford), Sorrell (Leyton Orient); Brabrook (West Ham), Greaves (Spurs), Livesey (Northampton), Kevan (Manchester City), Harrison (Blackburn Rovers).

V. Heywood.

16, Fairdale Gardens,
Putney, S.W.15

HALF-TIME SCORES

I AM sure that many supporters would appreciate the half-time score of Chelsea's second team.

They are playing very well, and I for one would like to know the position of their game at half-time.

M. Connaris.

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● *We would like to give this service and have tried in the past, but have repeatedly encountered difficulty in making half-time telephone contact with the clubs our Reserves are visiting.*

MISSING 'KEEPER' FOUND'

I NOTICED in a letter by A. Foreman in the Chelsea-Leicester programme that Chelsea have had ten English internationals since the war and P. Bonetti (Under-23's) is the odd man out.

But Chelsea have had a goalie who played post-war for England. He is Reg Matthews, who was capped before joining Chelsea and also whilst he was with them. That makes a full team.

H. Rushworth.

41, Pakington House,
Stockwell, S.W.9

ANY CUSTOMERS?

I HAVE got complete sets of Chelsea programmes from 1948 to 1963/64. Also Handbooks 1953/54, 54/55, 55/56, 58/59.

I should be pleased to sell them to any Chelsea supporters, and would accept highest offer.

J. E. Swan.

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