

Season 1972-73



FOOTBALL LEAGUE DIVISION ONE

Saturday 30 December

# Derby County

Kick off 3 pm



OFFICIAL PROGRAMME 5p

1 More agents and members    Bigger prizes    Better facilities

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# Come and Join Us in 1973

CHELSEA'S Big Pool now pays more than £600 weekly in prize-money. This season's total pay-out is nearly £11,000, and our highest individual winner so far in 1972-73 received £404.85 on last Saturday's matches.

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That's what **Members** of the Chelsea Pool have won already this season. What about our **Agents**? They receive a 5 per cent bonus prize on all winning tickets sold, as well as:

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Please sign form and return—or if you do not want to cut your programme write for details to:

Chelsea F.C. Pools Association, Stamford Bridge Grounds, Fulham Road, SW6 1HS

I would like to help Chelsea Football Club by acting as an Agent for the "Chelsea Big Pool". Please send me details. I am over 18.

Name..... (Mr./Mrs./Miss)

Address .....

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..... County.....

I estimate I shall require.....tickets for members.

# Chelsea

Colours:

Shirts: Royal Blue.

Shorts: Royal Blue with White Seam.

Stockings: White



# Derby Co.

Colours:

Shirts: White.

Shorts: Dark Blue.

Stockings: White.

JOHN  
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RON  
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TOMMY  
BALDWIN

ALAN  
HUDSON

PETER  
OSGOOD

JOHN  
BOYLE

CHRIS  
GARLAND

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Substitute

COLIN  
BOULTON

RON  
WEBSTER

PETER  
DANIEL

TERRY  
HENNESSEY

ROY  
McFARLAND *(Capt.)*

COLIN  
TODD

JOHN  
McGOVERN

ARCHIE  
GEMMILL

ROGER  
DAVIES

KEVIN  
HECTOR

ALAN  
HINTON

Linesman (Red Flag):  
**Mr. P. C. Potter**  
(Plymouth)

Referee:  
**Mr. BILL GOW**  
(Swansea)

Linesman (Orange Flag)  
**Mr. B. H. Chapman**  
(Cambridge)

RESULT: CHELSEA..... DERBY COUNTY..... HALF-TIME.....

SCORERS: .....



## CHELSEA FOOTBALL CLUB

(The Chelsea Football & Athletic Co., Ltd.)

*Founded 1905*

*Registered Address*

STAMFORD BRIDGE GROUNDS  
FULHAM ROAD, LONDON SW6 1HS  
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Shirts: Royal Blue. Shorts: Royal Blue  
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### HONOURS

Football League Champions 1955  
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1930, 1963  
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## The Talk of Stamford Bridge

WE end 1972 as we began it by playing Derby County, and welcome them here today as they welcomed us to the Baseball Ground last New Year's Day. Between times, back in October, we also met them home and away in the Football League Cup . . . and we would like to think we are about to find our touch again now in readiness for Wednesday night's return journey to Norwich in the League Cup semi-final second leg. Fate certainly lent us a hand when we were there ten days ago and losing 5-2 on the two-leg aggregate with only six minutes left. The fog did not, of course, blot out the two goals which Norwich scored here in the first leg, and we have still to make those good before anything "starts to count", but we are grateful for the reprieve and for the totally unexpected chance to survive a tie that had all but slipped beyond us.

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**Decrease, not decline:** Amid the general trend of falling attendances this season, we feel our own circumstances are somewhat different from most in view of the major rebuilding operations now in progress at Stamford Bridge. Last Saturday's crowd of 23,385 against Everton was our lowest League gate of the season—predictably so immediately before Christmas—and our average after 11 First Division home matches now stands at 33,131. This compares with 41,791 at the same stage last season, and after 11 home games there is an aggregate drop of 95,000. Yet this figure needs to be kept in proportion and measured against our Stadium redevelopment programme. The loss of seats and standing in the demolished East Stand is 7,826; furthermore, as a result of the transfer of Season-ticket holders, there are now 2,993 fewer seats available for sale in the West Stand, making a total loss of 10,819 per game. Therefore the loss over the 11 matches already played is (11 by 10,819) 119,009, which exceeds the actual attendance fall (95,000). Also, of course, we still have to play at home to Derby, Arsenal, Wolves, Tottenham and Manchester United—five attractive matches that had

*(Continued opposite)*



## The Chairman's New Year Greeting

ON the field and off, 1972 has been another memorable year for Chelsea Football Club. We did not win a trophy, as we had done in each of the two previous years, but we did the next nearest thing by getting to Wembley in the League Cup, and reaching a Final for the third successive season was an achievement of rare merit and worthy of our heartiest congratulations to Manager Dave Sexton, the Players and Staff. What is in store, in the playing sense, in the second half of the season we must wait and see, and we wish them well in their efforts.

Off the field, we have made enormous strides by advancing our redevelopment programme from the theoretical to the practical stage. As I have said before, when reconstruction on this scale is undertaken, inconvenience is unavoidable. It affects us all and, in writing these words, I would like to emphasise how much we appreciate the patience of you, our Supporters, in your understanding of our problems through these difficult early stages of redevelopment.

On behalf of my fellow Directors, the Management, Players and Staff, I thank you for your continued support and extend very best wishes to you for the New Year, coupled with the hope that it will be one of further progress for our Club.

*Brian Goss*

### Front cover shot

WHAT managers say to players at half-time is not for public ears, but if Chelsea fans still cannot hear what Dave Sexton tells the team, they have at least been able to see what's going on since the policy of staying in the arena during the interval was adopted in home matches last month. So far we've been able to wear a winning smile at half-time only once since we stayed on-field for the break—that was first time out in the League Cup-tie against Notts County. A change today?

**Talk of Stamford Bridge**—*continued* already been staged this time last season. Clearly, as far as Chelsea Football Club is concerned the decrease (*not* decline) in gates is not only accountable through the rebuilding, but if there had been a stand on the East side it is possible that our attendances would have increased.

League Cup Semi-final Second Leg

**Norwich City v. Chelsea**

Wednesday next, Jan. 3 (7.30 p.m.)

THE match is NOT all-ticket this time. As we announced in the National Press and London Evenings on Thursday, our allocation of reserved seats was being put on sale here today—to Season-ticket holders only—from 12 noon at the Ticket Office adjacent to the West Stand turnstiles. Voucher No. 32 from Season-ticket book must be produced. Any seats remaining unsold today will be put on general sale here on Monday from 9.30 a.m.

**The Chelsea Train** will again run to Norwich on Wednesday. Second-class return £2.15; first-class (includes high tea outward and dinner on return journey) £7. Train times (still to be confirmed at time of going to press); Outward, depart Liverpool St. approx. 15.50; return, depart Norwich approx. 22.35, arrive Liverpool St. approx. 00.54. Rail tickets are available ONLY from Chelsea F.C. and can be obtained from the Main Office after today's match or during normal hours next Monday and Tuesday.

# PAGE FROM THE PAST: SEASON 1960-61

THE Chelsea story of twelve years ago revolved round one individual to an astonishing degree. Jimmy Greaves had burst on the soccer scene as an infant prodigy. His scoring feats as a junior became legendary, and in his four-season spell in the first team he scored 124 goals in 157 League games out of the 334 Chelsea totalled in that period. Year by year his hauls were 22, 32, 29 and 41.

Then, on April 29, 1961, he played his last game in the blue shirt of Chelsea before moving into Italian football with A.C. Milan, lured there by a salary then unmatched in Britain. Typically, in his last match for us, against Nottingham Forest at Stamford Bridge, he scored all four goals (one from the penalty spot) in a 4-3 victory.

A contemporary newspaper report described the scene at the end: "As a thousand fans hugged, slapped, and carried their Milan-bound hero to the tunnel in a wave of emotion, players of both sides formed an avenue and clapped him off. Before he disappeared little Jimmy broke down and cried."

Will Greaves's 41 goals that season—five of them in the 7-1 victory over West Bromwich which equalled our biggest First Division win—ever be beaten as the individual Chelsea scoring record? His hat-trick in the 6-3 home win against Manchester City in November made him the first player ever to reach a century of League goals before the age of 21.

A bleak last week of 1960 saw Manchester United and Wolves each taking six goals off Chelsea. As if this was not humiliation enough, one of the darkest days in Chelsea history immediately followed as we made our F.A. Cup exit in the third round by 2-1 against Fourth Division Crewe Alexandra at Stamford Bridge.

From such depths it was perhaps surprising that ultimately a position of twelfth was reached. Occasionally the team's performances suggested vastly better prospects. Newcastle United were thrashed

6-1 in March in front of their own supporters (that still equals our best away win in the First Division) thanks to another Greaves "foursome"; Cardiff City were sent home seven days later, beaten by a similar score. Life was certainly never dull, and for those who like to see the net bulging, the Chelsea records for goals for (98) and against (100) were both broken that season.

The Juniors added to their high reputation by taking the F.A. Youth Cup for the second successive season—Everton being beaten by a 5-3 aggregate in the Final—and winning the South-East Counties League yet again.

Changes behind the scenes included the retirement of Jack Oxberry from the post of first-team trainer after eight years. He was, of course, succeeded by Harry Medhurst. But of perhaps greatest significance was the appointment in February of Arsenal and Scotland half-back Tommy Docherty as coach. Welcoming him in the Club Programme, Manager Ted Drake wrote: "His dynamic and cheerful personality is already making itself felt." With the arrival of "Doc", one of the most spectacular phases in Chelsea history had begun.

## HOW THEY FINISHED IN 1960-61

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Tottenham H. ..	42	31	4	7	115	50	66
Sheffield W. ..	42	23	12	7	78	47	58
Wolverhampton W. ..	42	25	7	10	103	75	57
Burnley ..	42	22	7	13	102	77	51
Everton ..	42	22	6	14	87	69	50
Leicester C. ..	42	18	9	15	87	70	45
Manchester U. ..	42	18	9	15	88	76	45
Blackburn R. ..	42	15	13	14	77	76	43
Aston Villa ..	42	17	9	16	78	77	43
W.B.A. ..	42	18	5	19	67	62	41
Arsenal ..	42	15	11	16	77	85	41
<b>Chelsea ..</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>37</b>
Manchester C. ..	42	13	11	18	79	90	37
Nottingham F. ..	42	14	9	19	62	78	37
Cardiff C. ..	42	13	11	18	60	85	37
West Ham U. ..	42	13	10	19	77	88	36
Fulham ..	42	14	8	20	72	95	36
Bolton W. ..	42	12	11	19	58	73	35
Birmingham C. ..	42	14	6	22	62	84	34
Blackpool ..	42	12	9	21	68	73	33
Newcastle U. ..	42	11	10	21	86	109	32
Preston N.E. ..	42	10	10	22	38	71	30



**PARADE OF  
THE BLUES**

DAVID WEBB

THE match will be all-ticket—seat prices £1 and 60p, standing 50p and 40p. Because our allocation of seats is so small, we have balloted them by computer among Season-ticket holders only. As a result of this random draw, the holders of the following season-tickets have qualified to purchase a Stand ticket:

**Seat Type 10:**

Block Row Seats

W 1 94  
W 6 100  
W 10 106, 107, 108  
W 12 92, 110

**Seat Type 11:**

X 4 127, 128, 129  
X 5 123, 130, 131  
X 11 122, 128, 129  
Y 4 135, 136, 137  
Y 6 137, 139, 140  
Y 10 131, 132, 135  
Y 18 128, 138, 139

**Seat Type 20:**

W 17 97, 98, 102  
W 19 91, 92, 93, 94  
W 23 95, 96, 97

**Seat Type 30:**

V 1 84, 85  
V 2 75, 82, 83  
V 4 87, 88, 89, 90

**Seat Type 21:**

X 19 121, 122, 123, 124  
X 25 111, 112  
X 27 117, 118, 119  
X 32 110, 111, 112, 113, 114  
Y 19 141  
Y 22 139, 140, 141  
Y 26 133, 134, 135

**Seat Type 31:**

U 9 57, 58  
T 1 37, 39, 43  
T 8 29, 30, 31, 32, 33  
T 9 29, 30, 35, 36, 37  
T 10 41  
T 12 52, 53

**Seat Type 40:**

V 22 80, 88, 89  
V 27 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89  
V 33 83, 84  
U 15 70, 71, 72

**Seat Type 41:**

U 22 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68  
U 26 66  
U 29 62, 63, 64, 65  
U 32 71, 72, 73, 74, 75  
U 34 67, 68, 69, 70

**Seat Type 60:**

A 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 12, 37  
I 46  
K 19, 20, 21, 22, 23  
N 38, 39, 40, 41

**WEST STAND**

Block Row Seats

W 2 101, 102, 112  
W 9 99, 108  
W 10 109  
W 13 96, 97, 98

Block Row Seats

X 3 121  
X 7 111  
X 15 114

Block Row Seats

X 3 112, 113, 120  
X 6 115, 116, 117  
X 13 113, 114

Block Row Seats

Z 6 158, 159, 160  
Z 6 168, 169  
Z 7 159, 160, 161  
Z 8 163, 164  
Z 13 152, 158, 159  
Z 14 160, 161  
Z 17 160, 161

Block Row Seats

W 33 100, 101, 102  
X 23 107, 108  
X 31 105, 106

Block Row Seats

V 7 83, 84, 85, 86  
V 10 79  
V 12 75, 76, 77

Block Row Seats

Y 33 134, 135  
Z 22 181, 182, 183  
Z 27 171, 172, 173  
Z 30 165  
Z 35 155, 179  
X 21 112, 113, 114, 115, 116,  
117, 118

Block Row Seats

T 15 31, 51  
S 1 2  
S 5 17  
S 10 9  
S 12 8  
S 20 21, 22, 23, 24

Block Row Seats

X 4 130, 132, 133, 134  
X 9 122, 123, 128, 129  
X 16 117, 120, 123, 125, 126  
Y 4 138, 139, 140, 143  
Y 6 141, 144, 145  
Y 10 136, 143  
Z 5 162, 163, 164

Block Row Seats

W 17 104  
W 19 95, 96, 102  
W 27 98, 99

Block Row Seats

V 15 83  
U 8 67, 68, 69  
U 10 72, 73

Block Row Seats

X 26 117, 118, 119  
X 30 121  
X 35 112, 113, 114, 116  
Y 20 127, 128, 129, 130  
Y 26 126, 127, 128, 129, 130,  
131, 132

Block Row Seats

U 17 57, 58, 59, 60  
T 3 37, 38, 33, 34, 27  
T 8 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47  
T 9 43, 45, 50, 51  
T 11 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 38, 45,  
46, 47, 48, 49

Block Row Seats

V 24 79, 85, 86, 87  
V 30 81  
V 35 89  
U 16 75

Block Row Seats

U 24 70, 71  
U 27 68, 69, 70, 71, 72  
U 31 69, 70, 71  
U 33 64  
U 35 65, 69, 72, 75

**NORTH-EAST ENCLOSURE**

Block Row Seats

R 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12  
U 5, 6, 7, 8, 27, 28, 29  
W 28

Block Row Seats

D 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14,  
19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24  
J 1, 2, 3, 42  
L 29, 30, 31, 32, 39

Block Row Seats

O 9, 10, 15, 37, 43, 44, 45,  
47  
R 13, 14, 46  
V 32, 33, 34, 35

**SEASON-TICKET HOLDERS**

West Stand Centre Block ticket-holders whose code number starts 10/20/30/40 and whose numbers appear in the list above can apply for a £1 seat. All other West Stand Season-Ticket holders whose numbers appear above can apply for either a £1 or 60p seat (on a first come, first served basis). A blank cheque MUST be enclosed limited to £1 in respect of each ticket claimed.

North-East Enclosure Season-Ticket Holders whose numbers appear in the list above can apply for a 60p Stand ticket.

Season-ticket holders can apply in person or by post. All postal applications must be received by Wednesday next (January 3) and must be accompanied by stamped, addressed return envelope together with Voucher 33 and from those who have drawn a seat the corresponding SRS computer ticket from their book, which will be returned with their tickets. Personal applicants have until next Saturday (January 6) to apply at our Ticket Office, which will be open (for this purpose) after today's match.

Season-ticket holders who have not drawn a seat in the ballot may apply for a Ground ticket. Personal applicants can buy a 50p or 40p ticket, but Season-ticket holders making postal applications are restricted to a 40p ticket. These applications must be received by January 3, accompanied by Voucher No. 33, correct remittance and stamped, addressed return envelope.

**GENERAL PUBLIC**—Ground tickets will be on sale here during normal Ticket Office hours from Monday week (January 8) for as long as the supply lasts.



# FIXTURES 1972-73

## Football League

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Date	Opponents	Venue	Result	Goalscorers	Attendance	
					Home	Away
Sat. Aug. 12	LEEDS UTD.	HOME	W 4-0	Osgood, Cooke, Garland 2	51,102	
Wed. " 16	Leicester City	Away	D 1-1	Garland		22,873
Sat. " 19	Derby County	Away	W 2-1	Harris, Garland		31,868
Wed. " 23	LIVERPOOL	HOME	L 1-2	Garland	35,735	
Sat. " 26	MAN. CITY	HOME	W 2-1	Osgood, Houseman	30,845	
Wed. " 30	Manchester U.	Away	D 0-0			44,482
Sat. Sept. 2	Arsenal	Away	D 1-1	Cooke		46,675
Sat. " 9	WEST HAM U.	HOME	L 1-3	Garland	34,392	
Sat. " 16	Sheffield United	Away	L 1-2	Garland		24,458
Sat. " 23	IPSWICH TOWN	HOME	W 2-0	Osgood, Feely	29,647	
Sat. " 30	Coventry City	Away	W 3-1	Garner, Opponent, Houseman		20,058
Sat. Oct. 7	Birmingham City	Away	D 2-2	Osgood, Webb		38,756
Sat. " 14	WEST BROM. A.	HOME	W 3-1	Osgood, Garland, Webb	28,998	
Sat. " 21	Tottenham H.	Away	W 1-0	Hollins		47,429
Sat. " 28	NEWCASTLE U.	HOME	D 1-1	McCreadie	35,273	
Sat. Nov. 4	Liverpool	Away	L 1-3	Baldwin		48,932
Sat. " 11	LEICESTER C.	HOME	D 1-1	Garner	28,456	
Sat. " 18	Southampton	Away	L 1-3	Osgood		24,164
Sat. " 25	CRYSTAL PAL.	HOME	D 0-0		36,608	
Sat. Dec. 2	Stoke City	Away	D 1-1	Osgood		21,274
Sat. " 9	NORWICH CITY	HOME	W 3-1	Garner, Hutchinson 2	29,998	
Sat. " 16	Wolverhampton W.	Away	L 0-1			20,799
Sat. " 23	EVERTON	HOME	D 1-1	Hutchinson	23,385	
Tues. " 26	Ipswich Town	Away	L 0-3			26,243
Sat. " 30	DERBY CO.	HOME	.....			
Sat. Jan. 6	Manchester City	Away	.....			
Sat. " 20	ARSENAL	HOME	.....			
Sat. " 27	West Ham United	Away	.....			
Sat. Feb. 10	SHEFFIELD U.	HOME	.....			
Sat. " 17	Leeds United	Away	.....			
Sat. " 24	WOLVES	HOME	.....			
Sat. Mar. 3	BIRMINGH'M C.	HOME	.....			
Sat. " 10	West Bromwich A.	Away	.....			
Sat. " 17	TOTTENHAM H.	HOME	.....			
Sat. " 24	Newcastle United	Away	.....			
Sat. " 31	Crystal Palace	Away	.....			
Sat. Apr. 7	STOKE CITY	HOME	.....			
Sat. " 14	Norwich City	Away	.....			
Tues. " 17	Everton	Away	.....			
Sat. " 21	SOUTHAMPTON	HOME	.....			
Mon. " 23	COVENTRY C.	HOME	.....			
Sat. " 28	MAN. UNITED	HOME	.....			

**Golden Goals:** This season we specially request postal claims by Golden Goals prize-winners. The procedure is shown on the tickets, and goal-times can be checked in the *Evening News* and *Evening Standard* on Mondays after a Saturday home match and on the day after a mid-week fixture.

### Goal Times v. Everton last Saturday

£50: 88 mins. 30 secs. £10: 89 mins. 31 secs.

### Football League Cup

Wed. Sept. 6	(2) Southend Utd.	Away	W 1-0	Garland		24,160
Wed. Oct. 4	(3) Derby County	Away	D 0-0			28,065
Mon. " 9	(Replay) DERBY	HOME	W 3-2	Kember, Webb, Osgood	26,395	
Tues. " 31	(4) Bury	Away	W 1-0	Garland		16,226
Wed. Nov. 22	(5) NOTTS CO.	HOME	W 3-1	Osgood, Garland, Kember	22,580	
Wed. Dec. 13	(Sf 1) NORWICH	HOME	L 0-2		34,316	
Wed. " 20	(Sf 2) Norwich	Away	Ab.2-3	Hudson 2		32,000
Wed. Jan. 3	(Sf 2) Norwich	Away	.....			

### F.A. Cup

Sat. Jan. 13 (3) Brighton & H.A. Away .....

Dates of other rounds: (4) Feb. 3; (5) Feb. 24; (6) Mar. 17; (Sf) Apr. 7; (Final-Wembley) May 5.

### SEAT RESERVATIONS

The only seats on general sale for home League matches this season are 3,000 (uncovered) in the West Stand Enclosure, price 60p. You may write at any time, stating number of seats required and enclosing correct remittance and return envelope, or you may call at the Ticket Office Monday-Friday (hours 9.30 a.m.-4.30 p.m.). All reserved seats have been sold for the matches against Arsenal (Jan. 20), Tottenham (Mar. 17) and Man. Utd. (Apr. 28).

### ANOTHER CHELSEA SERVICE

TICKETS for West End theatres, cinemas, restaurants and night-clubs can be booked at the Chelsea F.C. Box Office, situated in the Main Entrance forecourt. We are now an official branch of the Keith Prowse Ticket Agency, and bookings can also be made for major sports events in London, car hire, coach trips, etc.

To make use of this service, drive in or call at the Box Office during normal working hours (Monday-Friday 9.30 a.m.-4.30 p.m.). Our staff will be happy to look after your requirements. Special rates can normally be arranged for party bookings, and we can organise an evening out for two people or two hundred—all at the press of a button.

# FOUR OF OUR GOALS THIS SEASON AGAINST TODAY

This afternoon we meet League Champions Derby County for the fourth time this season. In the three previous Cup-tie which went to two games—we achieved two wins and a draw. Having gone off the “goal standard” five Chelsea goals against the Champions in the hope that the remainder will in



**CHRIS GARLAND** shoots the goal that brought us two points at Derby on August 19. Ron Harris scored our first goal that day, from 20 yards.



Early in October we were back at Derby in the League Cup, surviving under pressure to draw 0-0 and bring County to Stamford Bridge. We won the replay 3-2, and here's **DAVID WEBB** heading our second goal of the night.

## 'S VISITORS, LEAGUE CHAMPIONS DERBY COUNTY

us matches—at the Baseball Ground in the First Division back in August and then in a third round League tely, scoring only ten times in the last eleven League fixtures, we reproduce pictures of four of this season's ire us as we strive today to complete our first League "double" of the season.



**STEVE KEMBER** jumps for joy after opening the scoring in that replay on a night when Derby played some of the best football seen at Stamford Bridge this season . . . and we grabbed victory by the odd goal.



This was the winner, as **PETER OSGOOD** strides onto Peter Houseman's perfect centre and smashes the ball over Derby 'keeper Boulton and into the roof of the net.

By Albert Sewell

# BETWEEN OURSELVES

*Programme Editor*

AT this time of year more than any other we look forward, we look back. And in the looking back, it's good to think of the friends we've made, or met again, through football during the past year. Which is why I want to tell you about Rold, a Norwegian seaman who spent the two October Saturdays of his precious ten days' leave in London watching Spurs play Stoke and then Chelsea against West Bromwich Albion. For outside his family and the call of the sea, football is the great love of his life. British football. He's first officer aboard an 80,000-ton Norwegian tanker, and on the long voyages that take him across the world, to Japan and Trinidad, Australia and the Middle East, he spends most of his off-duty time studying, reading and researching British football.

At home in Norway he has a wife and three grown-up daughters. It's a family joke that when he telephoned all the way from the Persian Gulf to congratulate one of his daughters on her confirmation, his mind strayed somewhat from the subject while the call was being put through. When he was eventually connected, his first words were to ask how the local football team in Bergen were doing.

But football here is Rold's big sporting interest, and has been since, on various war-time ports of call (he was already on tankers then) he put in at places like Liverpool, Cardiff and Portsmouth. "This is the *real* football," he says. "In Norway we only play at it, while here it is a way of life. Perhaps by the time I retire from tankers I shall have won the Pools (he sends them in regularly on our matches). Then I will come and live here and start catching up on all the football I have missed through being so long at sea."

I met Rold at a house-party, and within minutes of our introduction he was revealing his encyclopaedic soccer knowledge by reciting the names of the original twelve clubs who formed the Football League . . . talking of Tottenham and Arsenal as the only teams to do the "double" this century . . . of his fascination for Everton and Sunderland and the high place they hold in the charts he keeps of long-serving First Division clubs. He talked of Tom Finney and Bobby Charlton . . . compared past and present Chelsea centre-forwards Tommy Lawton and Peter Osgood.

He had just one piece of shopping to do before he went back to sea three days later—a copy of the latest Rothmans Football Book "which will take up all my reading time aboard ship these next six months. I have the first two and must get the latest one." I slipped home for the spare copy I had, and presented it to him together with the new Observer Book of Football. I've never seen a grown-up so excited about a present (well, it isn't every day one is kissed on both cheeks by a Norwegian seaman!). He said it was like Christmas come two months early.

Now Christmas is past, the New Year is only hours away. I met Rold for no more than four hours that October night, and we may never meet again, yet I shall always count him among my friends, because he's a true friend of football. And as we cross the line into 1973 tomorrow night, I'll raise a glass to him, wherever he and his tanker may be on the oceans of the world.

Sail on, my friend; may the waves rise with you. And as you tune the ship's radio to BBC short-wave in search of the football results this evening and every Saturday night in the New Year, may you receive them loud and clear . . . with many a fine-sounding Chelsea score among them.

# In off the post

Your letters should be of not more than 150 words and addressed to "In off the Post", Chelsea F.C., Fulham Road, London, SW6 1HS

## GREETINGS FROM ANDERS

**H**ELLO all of you. Here I am asking for helping once again. About two years ago you was helping me in getting a English pen-friend—and I am lucky to tell that I have learn much about your country. And I am going on being a Chelsea supporter.

Now I'm writing helping my sister's son, Hans, is 12 years old. He writes English good and he is very interesting in football. Himself is doing alpine ski-ing in winter.

If there should be someone who would like to have a friend in Norway aged 12, please write to: Mr. Hans Meisingset, 6635 Meisingset, Norway.

My best wishes to Chelsea and the club's supporters.

**Anders.**

6501 Kristiansund N.,  
Postboks 40, Norway.

## BOY BLUE?

**I** HAVE been going to Chelsea with my young son now for about ten years and I think this is the strongest playing pool I can remember. It is really unfortunate that we have had so many injuries this season but I hope the Blues can recover from this.

When you think of all the footballers who used to watch their favourites from the terraces before they became stars themselves, I start hoping my son might one day play for the Blues. Anyway here's hoping.

**T. Hibbert.**

7 Tadema Road,  
Chelsea, S.W.10.

## CHELSEA FAN '72

**C**HELSEA are my team.  
Why? Because they seem  
Always adversity to beat  
When often it's quite a feat  
To win, when two or three  
Best players you can't see.  
They're on the Medhurst table,  
Getting fit as soon as able.  
Up the Blues.

**Alex. Knowles.**

14 Pembroke Avenue,  
Kenton, Harrow, Middx.

## PROGRAMME REQUEST WITH A DIFFERENCE

**I** TAKE the liberty to ask if you can help me in my quest for a complete set of West Bromwich Albion programmes since the war.

The programmes I require of your club versus the Albion are as follows: *At Stamford Bridge*: 22.11.52; 11.2.53 (F.A. Cup—at Highbury); 13.10.51. *At The Hawthorns*: 22.9.56; 24.3.56; 9.3.55; 24.10.53; 4.2.53 (F.A. Cup); 11.4.53; 1.3.52; 20.1.51; 3.9.49.

I would willingly pay anyone's asking price if they have any of the above and would be willing to let me have them, and will guarantee a reply to anyone kind enough to contact me. I have sent an identical letter to 34 clubs, and am keeping my fingers crossed that you might be able to help me towards my target, which, incidentally, is about three-quarters reached.

**John R. Harman.**

96 Bexley Grove,  
West Bromwich, Staffs.



*Meet the fan with a record none can beat and few (how few, we wonder?) can equal:*

## **HE'S BEEN WATCHING CHELSEA EVER SINCE WE BEGAN!**

**H**OW many people here today saw Chelsea's first home match on September 11, 1905? How many, we wonder, in addition to 80-year-old Ted Rice, a West Stand season-ticket holder? Mr. Rice, who has supported us for 67 years, vividly recalls standing on the terracing as a 13-year-old for that historic opening Second Division match against Hull City which Chelsea won 5-1. He recites the side who played as if it were yesterday.

Says Mr. Rice: "I paid 6d. to get in. There was no pushing or jostling at the turnstiles then. Crowds everywhere were well-behaved. They sang and chanted, but there was no violence.

"I have so many happy recollections of Chelsea, have seen so many memorable games—for instance, that unforgettable match against Moscow Dynamo in 1945 when the biggest crowd ever seen at Stamford Bridge crammed into every corner of the ground. They were on the hoardings, over the greyhound track, on top of the stands, everywhere. Someone even fell through the roof into the stand below."

Another match which Mr. Rice has good reason to remember was an F.A. Cup encounter against Swindon in 1911. "That was the most gripping match I ever saw. Chelsea won 3-1 and it was so thrilling that I collapsed with excitement and had to be carried to a canteen, where I was revived with a cup of hot tea.

"Just behind that for tension was the

game with Sheffield Wednesday which Chelsea had to win to become League Champions for the first time in 1955. We won 3-0 while Portsmouth, who were also in the running, drew at Cardiff. Amid tremendous after-match scenes Ted Drake, the manager, and captain Roy Bentley addressed the cheering crowd over the loudspeakers."

Of all the distinguished players who have served Chelsea, Mr. Rice picks out Jimmy Windridge, George Hilsdon, Andy Wilson and Hughie Gallacher as his favourites. But he says: "Many of today's stars would have been just as popular in those days. The club has never had a better goalkeeper than Peter Bonetti, and Ron Harris is one of the most consistent and dependable men ever to wear the Chelsea shirt."

Mr. Rice has not only given Chelsea tremendous support. In his position, before retirement, at the Ministry of Labour, he was able to assist us on several occasions just after the last war.

He remembers: "Bobby Smith had to register for National Service one Saturday and manager Billy Birrell, whom I got to know very well, feared that Bobby would miss the match in the afternoon. Fortunately, I was able to speed things through in the morning and he scored a hat-trick in the afternoon.

"Another time Billy Birrell invited me to spend several days at Chelsea when he was organising a youth policy. I sorted out applications from all over the country and helped arrange the first trials. That was

# CHELSEA v DERBY COUNTY

# A N A G R A M

SOLVE the 11 player anagrams (five each from Chelsea and Derby plus one from a "neutral" club), then place them in their right positions in 1-11 order to create a combined TEAM in the right-hand column. (Answers on page 19)

CHELSEA <i>(All played in last 15 years)</i>	CLUES	TEAM
(a) Hi, Ron T.V. man in ?	Formerly with Charlton	1.
(b) Robber ate pork	Also a "Hammer"	2.
(c) Mind my low bat!	Came from Arsenal, 1966	3.
(d) No, I better pet	Player of the year 1967	4.
(e) nb. Holy Joe!	Over ten years here	5.
<b>NEUTRAL</b> (f) Farm prank, lad!	West Ham defender	6.
<b>DERBY COUNTY</b> <i>(All played in last 25 years)</i>		
(g) Ken? He victor!	Star buy from Bradford	7.
(h) A ninth loan	Crossball expert	8.
(i) New rest Rob?	14 years at Derby	9.
(j) Car racer hit	Silver-haired maestro	10.
(k) Old cod tin	Clough's star—not Alf's	11.

the beginning of the junior scheme that has produced so many wonderful players for Chelsea."

Mr. Rice, still a regular at home matches, lives in Borneo Street, Putney, and is driven to the ground by friends. He remains as enthusiastic as ever. "If someone really supports a team their interest never wanes. At one time I used to travel from Stoke to Stamford Bridge for every home game, see only the second-half and then return. Having supported Chelsea most of my life, I do not intend to stop now."

We thank Mr. Rice for his wonderful support since the very beginning of Chelsea Football Club and wish him many more seasons as a Stamford Bridge spectator. And we would like to hear from any other present-day supporters who, like Ted Rice, saw the first match played here way back in September 1905.

F.A. Cup Third Round—January 13

## BRIGHTON v. CHELSEA

SPECIAL coaches and a special Chelsea Train will run to Brighton two weeks today. Further details obtainable from the Club Offices next week.

## SUPPORTERS' CLUB DINNER-DANCE

THE 21st Annual Dinner and Dance will be held at the Royal Lancaster Hotel on Saturday, February 10 at 7.30 p.m. for 8 p.m. Dancing until 1 a.m. to Barry Alan's Music Cabaret. Tickets (Members £3.50, Non-Members £4.50) available from J. Coombes at Supporters' Club Headquarters, 547 Fulham Road, S.W.6, or 103 Pulborough Road, London, S.W.18. Please send correct remittance and stamped addressed envelope.

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## CHELSEA BINGO

WE have vacancies for Bingo sellers. If you are interested, please fill in form below and return to: Mr. Geoff Abel, Promoter, Chelsea Bingo, Chelsea Football Club, Stamford Bridge Grounds, Fulham Road, London, SW6 1HS.

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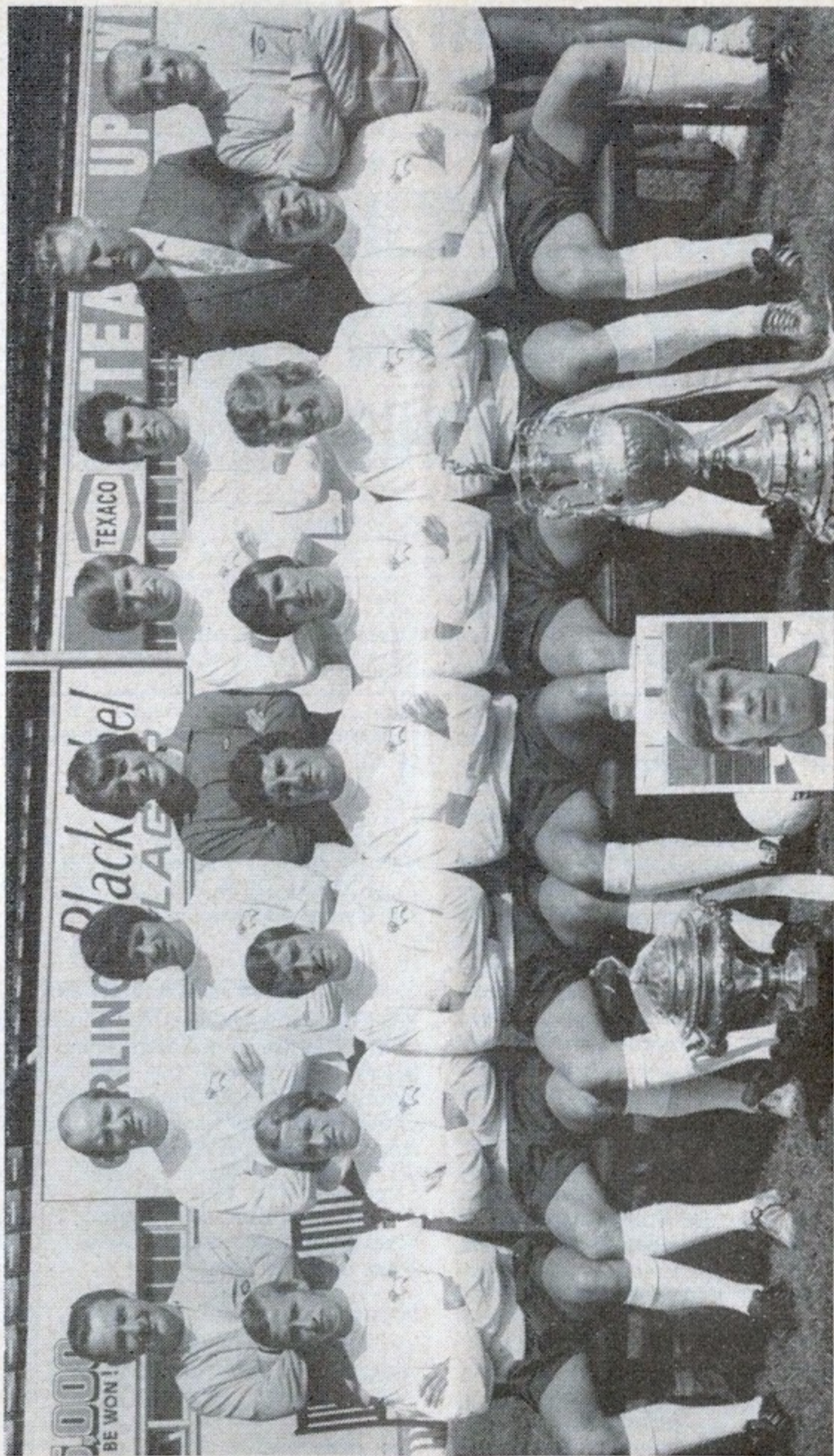
I would like to become a seller for Chelsea Bingo. Please send me details. I am over 18.

Name.....(Mr./Mrs./Miss)

Address.....

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# DERBY COUNTY 1972-73



*Back row: Brian Clough (Manager), Terry Hennessey, Ron Webster, Colin Boulton, Colin Todd, John Robson, Peter Taylor (Assistant-Manager), Jimmy Gordon (Trainer).*

*Front row: John McGovern, Archie Gemmill, John O'Hare, Roy McFarland, Kevin Hector, Alan Hinton, Alan Durban. Inset: David Nish.*

*Trophies: Texaco Cup (left); Football League Championship Cup (right).*



# FOCUS on our VISITORS

**D**ERBY COUNTY'S 3-1 win at home to Manchester United on Boxing Day—captain and centre-half Roy McFarland scored two of the goals—lifted them above us to seventh place in the table. They have earned 20 of their 26 points at the Baseball Ground and will obviously be hoping to produce some of their formidable home form here today.

Remembering how boldly they played when they visited Stamford Bridge in a League Cup replay in October, it is hard to understand why County have scored only seven away League goals all season—the fewest in the First Division except for Coventry City's six.

With consecutive away victories against West Ham and Wolves, Derby at last appeared to be finding the sort of consistency that earned them their first League Championship last season, but they slipped again last Saturday, losing by four clear goals at Stoke.

Despite the vagaries of home and away form, County have progressed impressively on their first European Cup venture, eliminating Zeljeznicar (Yugoslavia) and then Benfica on their way to the quarter-finals.

## DERBY COUNTY PLAYERS

**COLIN BOULTON:** Former police cadet who joined Derby after a trial in 1964. Since replacing Les Green in 1971 has become first-choice goalkeeper, with more than 100 League appearances. Born Cheltenham. 5 ft. 10½ in., 12 st. 6 lb.

**RON WEBSTER:** Derby's longest-serving player with over 350 League games to his credit. A local-born full-back, he joined the club at 15 in 1958 and made League debut in season 1961-62. Born Belper. 5 ft. 8½ in., 11 st.

**DAVID NISH:** Britain's most expensive footballer cost Derby £225,000 from Leicester last Aug. England Under-23 International (10 caps) who has played full-back and in midfield for County. Aged 24 and nearing 250 League appearances. Born Leicester. 5 ft. 10 in., 12 st.

**JOHN O'HARE:** Scottish International striker (13 caps) recently switched to midfield. A bargain £20,000 buy from Sunderland in Aug. 1967, he had scored 61 goals in 206 League games for Derby at the start of this season. Born Renton. 5 ft. 8½ in., 11 st. 9 lb.

**ROY McFARLAND:** England's centre-half and Derby captain with 11 full and five Under-23 caps returned last Saturday after a two-match suspension. Cost £24,000 from Tranmere Rov. in Aug. 1967. Born Liverpool. 5 ft. 11 in., 11 st. 12 lb.

**COLIN TODD:** Brilliant defender signed from Sunderland for a then club record fee of £170,000 in Feb. 1971. Holds one full and 13 Under-23 caps. Approaching 250 League appearances. Born Chester-le-Street. 5 ft. 9 in., 11 st. 5 lb.

**JOHN McGOVERN:** £7,000 bargain from Hartlepool in Sept. 1968 and has since made nearly 150 League appearances. Won first Scottish Under-23 cap last season. Born Montrose. 5 ft. 7½ in., 9 st. 13 lb.

**ARCHIE GEMMILL:** Forceful Scottish International midfielder player (seven caps) who was signed for £60,000 from Preston in Sept. 1970. Originally with St. Mirren. Born Paisley. 5 ft. 5 in., 11 st. 3 lb.

**ROGER DAVIES:** 21-year-old centre-forward who made First Division debut after beginning this season on loan to Preston. Previously with Worcester City, he cost Derby a then non-League record fee of £15,000 when signed in Sept. 1971. Born Wolverhampton. 6 ft. 3 in., 13 st. 7 lb.

**KEVIN HECTOR:** Exciting all-round forward ever-present last winter when scoring 12 League goals. Previously with Bradford P.A., he netted 44 goals in the season before joining Derby for £40,000 in Sept. 1966. Born Leeds. 5 ft. 8 in., 10 st. 8 lb.

**ALAN HINTON:** Hard-shooting top scorer for Derby last winter (20 goals) and a principal marksman again this season. Capped three times by England, he cost £30,000 from Nott'm. F. in Sept. 1967. Rarely misses as Derby's penalty-taker. Born Wednesbury. 5 ft. 10½ in., 11 st. 11 lb.

**STEVE POWELL:** 17-year-old full-back who became County's youngest-ever first-team player when making League debut v. Arsenal in Oct. 1971. Son of former Derby forward Tommy Powell. Born Derby. 5 ft. 10 in., 11 st.

Club address:

Baseball  
Ground,  
Derby.



### OFFICIALS

Chairman: MR. SAM LONGSON.  
Secretary: MR. STUART WEBB.  
Manager: MR. BRIAN CLOUGH.  
Assistant Manager: MR. PETER TAYLOR.  
Trainer-Coach: MR. JIMMY GORDON.  
Captain: ROY McFARLAND.

### HONOURS

Football League Champions 1972.  
Div. II Champions 1912, 1915, 1969.  
Div. III (North) Champions 1957.  
F.A. Cup Winners 1946.



# SEXTON ON SKILLS

Manager Dave Sexton and Britain's top sports artist, Trevillion, combine to produce an exciting visual appraisal of Chelsea's players. Today's star:

## ALAN HUDSON

ALAN HUDSON is a tremendously gifted player, possessing all the skills. Watch for his superb close control when he's in possession, especially when he is forced to play his way out of a tight situation.

Notice how quick Alan is to support the man on the ball, so creating a two-against-one situation.

Watch also how he uses his tremendous acceleration (Alan hits top speed in two or three strides) to go through a gap before defenders can cover.

When Alan is carrying the ball forward he is exceptionally smart at drawing defenders towards him and then slipping the ball past them to a team-mate.

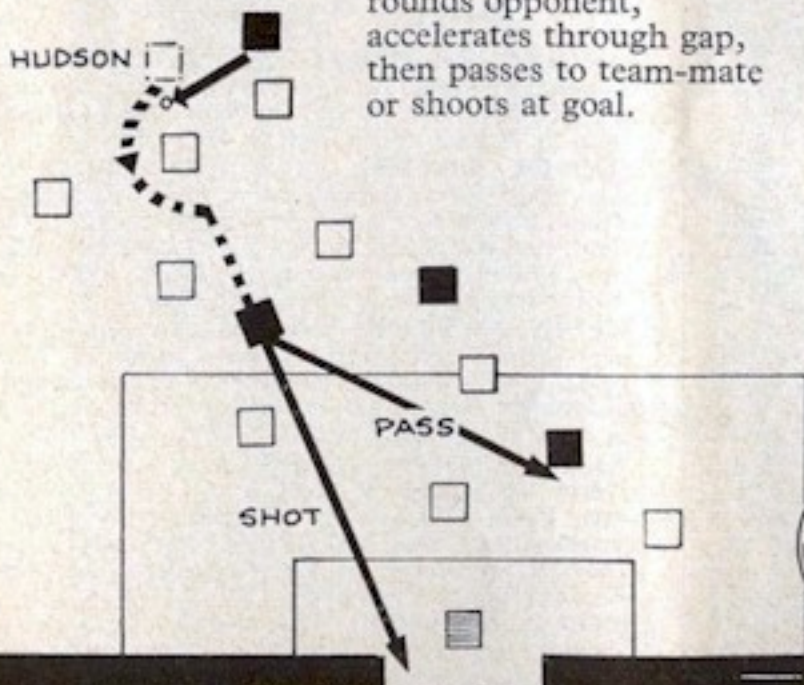
And that's not all—Alan has an explosive right-foot shot—a genuine net-stretcher. ♪



### Next: DAVID WEBB

#### DIAGRAM NOTE:

Hudson receives pass, rounds opponent, accelerates through gap, then passes to team-mate or shoots at goal.



# MATCH SUMMARIES RESULTS TEAMS SCORERS

## FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Saturday, 23rd December.

Drew with **EVERTON** (Home) 1-1. Half-time: 0-0.

**Chelsea:** Phillips; Locke, Harris, Hollins, Dempsey, Webb, Baldwin, Hudson, Hutchinson, Houseman (Boyle), Garland.

Scorer: Hutchinson.

**Everton:** Lawson; Wright, Styles, Kendall, Kenyon, Hurst, Harper, Bernard, Belfitt, Harvey (Lyons), Connolly.

Scorer: Harper.

Referee: Mr. J. Thacker (Lincoln).

Attendance: 23,385.

Both goals were scored in the last two mins., Harper giving Everton the lead and Hutchinson equalising with a header from Garland's cross. Dempsey, recovered from Achilles tendon trouble, made his first senior appearance since Aug. 16. Houseman pulled a muscle just before half-time.

Tuesday, 26th December.

Lost to **IPSWICH TOWN** (Away) 0-3 Half-time: 0-2.

**Ipswich:** Best; Mills, Harper, Morris, Hunter, Beattie, Hamilton, Viljoen, Johnson, Whymark, Lambert.

Scorers: Beattie, Whymark, Hollins own goal.

**Chelsea** (Red shirts): Phillips; Harris, Wilkins (G.), Hollins, Dempsey, Webb, Baldwin, Hudson, Osgood, Boyle (Hinton), Garland.

Referee: Mr. R. Challis (Tonbridge).

Attendance: 26,243.

After 30 goalless minutes Ipswich took command with two in five mins., from a corner and free-kick. Hollins put into his own net (66 mins.) from Hamilton's centre. Graham Wilkins (17) made League debut in absence of Locke (flu).

## LEAGUE CUP SEMI-FINAL (2nd LEG)

Wednesday, 20th December.

**NORWICH CITY 3, CHELSEA 2** (H.T. 2-1)—match abandoned 84 mins. (fog).

**Norwich:** Keelan; Butler, Black, Stringer, Govier, Briggs, Livermore, Cheesley, Cross, Paddon, Anderson.

Scorers: Anderson, Cross, Cheesley.

**Chelsea:** Phillips; Locke, McCreadie, Hollins, Webb, Harris, Garland, Hudson, Osgood, Baldwin, Houseman. Substitute (did not play): Hinton.

Scorer: Hudson 2.

Referee: Mr. G. W. Hill (Kirby Muxloe, Leics.).

Attendance: 32,000.

Fog swirling over Carrow Road preserved our Wembley chance when we were 2-5 down on aggregate with only six mins. left. Referee Hill took the teams off for 25 mins. and, after resuming for two mins., had to abandon the tie. Goal order: Anderson (5 mins.), Hudson (20), Cross (40), Hudson (49), Cheesley (78). Four players were booked: Paddon, Govier, Harris, Hollins.

## ANAGRAM ANSWERS

(See page 15)

The team is as follows: 1. Peter Bonetti (d). 2. Ron Webster (i). 3. Frank Lampard (f). 4. John Boyle (e). 5. Marvin Hinton (a). 6. Colin Todd (k). 7. Peter Brabrook (b). 8. Raich Carter (j). 9. Tommy Baldwin (c). 10. Kevin Hector (g). 11. Alan Hinton (h).

## CHELSEA v. DERBY COUNTY PAST LEAGUE RESULTS

Season	Home	Away	Season	Home	Away
1910-11	3-2	4-1	1937-38	3-0	0-4
1911-12	1-0	0-2	1938-39	0-2	1-0
1912-13	3-1	1-3	1946-47	3-0	1-3
1913-14	2-1	1-0	1947-48	1-0	1-5
1919-20	0-0	0-5	1948-49	0-3	1-2
1920-21	1-1	0-0	1949-50	1-2	2-2
1924-25	1-1	0-1	1950-51	1-2	0-1
1925-26	2-1	2-4	1951-52	0-1	1-1
1930-31	1-1	2-6	1952-53	1-1	2-3
1931-32	2-1	0-1	1962-63	3-1	3-1
1932-33	1-3	1-0	1969-70	2-2	2-2
1933-34	0-2	0-1	1970-71	2-1	2-1
1934-35	1-1	0-3	1971-72	1-1	0-1
1935-36	1-1	1-1	1972-73	Today	2-1
1936-37	1-1	1-1			

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

### Summary

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Home .. ..	28	11	10	7	38	33	32
Away .. ..	29	7	6	16	31	56	20
Total .. ..	57	18	16	23	69	89	52

## DERBY'S RESULTS THIS SEASON

(Numbered in sequence order)

### FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Home	Away
3. Chelsea .. L 1-2	1. S'th'mpt'n D 1-1
4. Man. City W 1-0	2. C. Palace .. D 0-0
7. Liverpool .. W 2-1	5. Norwich .. L 0-1
11. Birmingham W 1-0	6. Everton .. L 0-1
14. Tottenham W 2-1	9. W.B.A. .. L 1-2
18. Leicester .. W 2-1	12. Man. Utd. L 0-3
21. Sheff. Utd. W 2-1	16. Leeds Utd. L 0-5
24. C. Palace .. D 2-2	19. Ipswich .. L 1-3
26. Arsenal .. W 5-0	22. Man. City L 0-4
28. Coventry .. W 2-0	25. West Ham W 2-1
29. Newcastle D 1-1	27. Wolves .. W 2-1
31. Man. Utd. W 3-1	30. Stoke City L 0-4

Goalscorers: Hinton 9, Hector 8, McFarland 4, Hennessey 2, O'Hare 2, Davies 1, Gemmill 1, McGovern 1, Powell 1, Todd 1, Walker 1. Total: 31.

### EUROPEAN CUP

Home	Away
10. Zeljeznicar W 2-0	13. Zeljeznicar W 2-1
20. Benfica .. W 3-0	23. Benfica .. D 0-0

Goalscorers: McFarland 2, Gemmill 1, Hector 1, Hinton 1, O'Hare 1, McGovern 1. Total: 7.

### LEAGUE CUP

Home	Away
15. Chelsea .. D 0-0	8. Swindon W 1-0
	17. Chelsea .. L 2-3

Goalscorers: Hennessey 1, Hinton 1, McGovern 1. Total 3.

### THE MATCH LAST SEASON

Sat., Sept. 18: **Chelsea 1** (Baldwin), **Derby County 1** (McFarland). Half-time: 0-1. Attendance: 42,872.

McFarland headed Derby in front (30 mins.) from a right-wing corner. Baldwin equalised (67 mins.) from Cooke's centre. Bonetti made three superb saves, and in the last minute Osgood headed against the bar.

### ... AND AT DERBY THIS SEASON

Sat., Aug. 19: **Derby County 1** (Hector), **Chelsea 2** (Harris, Garland). Half-time: 0-1. Attendance: 31,868.

Harris shot us ahead (37 mins.) from 20 yards, but Hector equalised early in the second half. A swift move between Harris, Kember and Osgood led to Garland shooting the 74th-minute goal that beat Derby in their opening home game as Champions.

# HOW THEY STAND

## FOOTBALL LEAGUE—DIVISION I

	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Liverpool	24	11	0	0	31	11	4	6	3	17	15	36
Arsenal	25	10	3	1	20	7	4	3	4	14	17	34
Leeds	24	10	2	1	29	8	3	5	3	16	17	33
Ipswich	24	6	4	2	20	11	4	5	3	13	14	29
Tottenham	24	6	2	3	16	11	4	4	5	17	17	26
Wolves	24	7	1	4	22	16	3	5	4	15	19	26
DERBY	24	9	2	1	24	10	2	2	8	7	26	26
West Ham	24	7	4	1	30	14	2	3	7	12	19	25
Newcastle	23	7	2	2	19	11	3	3	6	17	20	25
CHELSEA	24	5	4	2	19	11	3	5	5	14	19	25
Coventry	24	6	4	3	18	14	3	2	6	6	11	24
Man. City	24	8	3	1	24	10	1	3	9	10	26	23
Everton	24	5	3	5	18	15	3	3	5	8	10	22
S'th'mpt'n	24	5	5	1	14	8	1	5	7	9	18	22
Norwich	24	5	6	1	14	9	3	0	9	10	27	22
Stoke	24	5	5	1	24	12	1	2	10	14	26	19
W.B.A.	24	5	4	3	15	13	1	3	8	9	19	19
Birmingham	25	4	6	1	20	13	1	3	10	10	28	19
Sheff. Utd.	23	5	3	5	12	13	2	2	6	10	21	19
Crystal P.	23	5	3	4	17	12	0	5	6	8	19	18
Leicester	23	4	4	4	15	14	1	3	7	9	19	17
Man. Utd.	24	4	4	4	12	12	1	3	8	10	26	17

# APPEARANCES & GOALSCORERS

## FOOTBALL LEAGUE

HARRIS	24	GARNER	9 (1)
HOLLINS	24	COOKE	7 (1)
WEBB	23	PHILLIPS	7
KEMBER	21	MULLIGAN	6
McCREADIE	21	DEMPSEY	4
OSGOOD	21	BALDWIN	3
GARLAND	19	BASON	3
HOUSEMAN	16(2)	SHERWOOD	3
BONETTI	14	FEELY	2
HUDSON	14	HUTCHINSON	2
LOCKE	10	BOYLE	1 (2)
DROY	9 (1)	WILKINS (G.)	1
		HINTON	— (3)

Goalscorers: Garland 8, Osgood 7, Garner 3, Hutchinson 3, Cooke 2, Houseman 2, Webb 2, Baldwin 1, Feely 1, Harris 1, Hollins 1, McCreadie 1, Opponent 1. Total 33.

Figures in brackets = appearances as substitute.

## FOOTBALL LEAGUE CUP

HARRIS	6	BONETTI	4
HOLLINS	6	BOYLE	2
HOUSEMAN	6	HUDSON	2
McCREADIE	6	PHILLIPS	2
OSGOOD	6	HINTON	1 (1)
WEBB	6	BALDWIN	1
GARLAND	5	DROY	1
KEMBER	5	HUTCHINSON	1
LOCKE	5	MULLIGAN	1

Goalscorers: Garland 3, Kember 2, Osgood 2, Webb 1. Total 8.

## Next home matches

Saturday, 6th January (2.15 p.m.)

### SWANSEA CITY

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Saturday, 20th January (3 p.m.)

### ARSENAL

Football League

● **Next Saturday:** We shall not be running the Chelsea Train for the match against Manchester City, but British Rail will operate a "special" as follows: Depart Euston 10.45, arrive Manchester Piccadilly 13.37; Return, depart Manchester Piccadilly 17.45, arrive Euston 20.32. Fare £2.50 return (children 3-14 £1.50). Buffet facilities will not be available on this train.

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## TODAY'S HALF-TIMES

### FIRST DIVISION

A	Birmingham v. Ipswich	.....
B	Leicester v. West Ham	.....
C	Liverpool v. Crystal Palace	.....
D	Manchester Utd. v. Everton	.....
E	Newcastle v. Sheffield Utd.	.....
F	Norwich v. Manchester City	.....
G	Southampton v. Coventry	.....
H	Stoke v. Arsenal	.....
J	W.B.A. v. Leeds	.....

### LEAGUE CUP SEMI-FINAL (2nd LEG)

K	Tottenham v. Wolves	.....
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### SECOND DIVISION

L	Brighton v. Blackpool	.....
M	Burnley v. Fulham	.....
N	Cardiff v. Portsmouth	.....
O	Huddersfield v. Aston Villa	.....
P	Middlesbrough v. Oxford Utd.	.....
R	Millwall v. Bristol City	.....
S	Nott'm. F. v. Hull City	.....
T	Orient v. Sunderland	.....
U	Preston v. Luton	.....
V	Sheffield Wed. v. Q.P.R.	.....
W	Swindon v. Carlisle	.....

### SOLD OUT v. ARSENAL, SPURS, MAN. U.

ALL reserved seats have been sold for our First Division home matches against Arsenal on Jan. 20, Tottenham on Mar. 17 and Man. U. on April 28.