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## THE TALK OF STAMFORD BRIDGE

**A** WEEK ago we received the following letter from the Football League:—

The Secretary,  
Chelsea F.C. Ltd.,  
Stamford Bridge,  
Fulham Road,  
LONDON, S.W.6

Dear Mr. Battersby,

*Manchester United versus Chelsea  
Saturday, 15th October, 1966.*

At the Meeting of the Management Committee on Sunday, I felt it my duty to report to them that not only was the standard of Football in this game at a very high level, but that everyone I spoke to was impressed by the behaviour of the spectators.

Both sets of supporters were in good voice throughout the afternoon, which contributed, I think, to the enjoyment of the match, and I personally could not hear anything to which anyone could take objection.

The Management Committee felt that there has been so much criticism, that it was a pleasure to them to be able to write to the Clubs to compliment their supporters on a standard of behaviour which gives the Management Committee encouragement to believe that the very

high standard set on Saturday will be maintained in the future.

Yours sincerely,

A. HARDAKER,  
*Secretary.*

We have replied to Mr. Hardaker, thanking him for his letter, and pass on here the favourable comments it contained for the benefit of all Chelsea Supporters, and particularly those of you who travelled to Old Trafford.

### FRONT COVER SHOT

**B**ACK at The Bridge: Trainer's box view of our League Cup replay with Blackpool for Peter Osgood. It was in the original game at Blackpool that he broke his right leg, and defeat in the return match completed a dismal double in this tie for Peter and Chelsea. Trainer Harry Medhurst, himself getting over a cartilage operation, shares the picture with "Ossie". Come on, lads, after two defeats running at Stamford Bridge, let's send the "walking wounded" — as well as the fans — home happy tonight!