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**F.A. Youth Cup
1960 and 1961**

The Talk of Stamford Bridge

OUR players came back from Liverpool with their unbeaten run halted at the twelfth attempt but with heads held as high as if that 2-1 result had gone the other way. For this was a truly great match, a match of two contrasting halves.

The first belonged to us (John Mortimore and Frank Blunstone said that in all their time at Chelsea they had never seen us play such brilliant football), the second went to Liverpool — who thus became the first side to take four points off us this season.

Manager Tommy Docherty saw it as a contrast in chance-taking: "We had five clear-cut chances and scored one, they had two and scored two. It was disappointing

OUR FRONT COVER

Back in style! Bobby Tambling, extreme left, marks his return after injury with the goal that set us on the way to victory in last week's third round F.A. Cup replay against Spurs.

that they should snatch the winner so late, but what a match! What a pity there had to be a losing side."

And Tommy's counter-part and fellow-Scot, Bill Shankly, the Liverpool manager, summed it up: "These must be the two fittest teams in Britain. We thought we were fit, but your lads matched us all the way."

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Eddie McCreadie pulled a calf muscle in training on Friday and had to stand down at Anfield (Alan Harris did very well as his deputy). We also had a full-back casualty in the Combination match here last Saturday, when Ian Watson suffered a recurrence of the thigh injury he sustained two months ago against Arsenal. He is to undergo injection treatment for a fortnight.

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After today's match with Aston Villa, it's *THE CUP*, with Huddersfield Town our Fourth Round opponents here next Saturday. Remembering that Huddersfield were the only club to do the "double"