TRAIN TIMES

N the programme for the match against Blackpool there was no mention of the train times for last Saturday's match at

Blackburn.

This led to many people thinking that there would be no excursion at all. It's about time that the club realised what fine away support it gets, and did a little to foster it.

B. Koschalka.

24, Winston, Endsleigh Street, W.C.1.

· We regret that details for the trip to Blackburn were unintentionally omitted. We do make a practice of publishing information regarding away match travel if it is received in time from British Rail. Arrangements for Sheffield next Saturday are on page 12.

RECRUITING BALL-BOYS

WE have been Chelsea supporters for some time, and before the kick-off some time, and before the kick-off in the Southern Junior Floodlit Cup-tie against Brentford, we were asked if we would like to act as ball-boys as you were short of them that night.

We did, and enjoyed ourselves so much that we wondered if it would be possible

for us to do it more often.

Ian Thompson. Allan Urry.

79, Gracefield Gardens, Streatham, S.W.16.

 Your letter is being passed to our Steward in charge of ball-boys-he may (no promises) be able to call on you again in the future.

NEW TV PLATFORM

PLEASE could you tell me where Chelsea are going to have the tele-vision cameras when the West Stand is completed, because surely the place where they used to be will be covered by the new stand?

Terry Rumbol.

26, Horton House, Meadow Road, S.W.8.

 A special platform for TV cameras will be suspended high up from the front of the roof.

PROGRAMME PLEA

A GAINST Roma, all programmes were sold at 7.15 p.m. and we had to watch with no knowledge of the Italian side.

Please print more programmes and have

more sellers.

B. J. Parrott.

67, Beryl Road, Hammersmith, W.6.

• The number of programmes printed is based on our estimate of the attendance. For the Roma match (unlike League matches) we had no firm guide as to the likely crowd. Obviously, we do not like selling out well before kick-off; indeed, this was the only time so far this season that we have sold out of programmes.

ON THE BALL

WOULD it be possible to run a "Penny-on-the-Ball" competition at home matches, the holder of the winning number receiving the match ball, perhaps presented by one of the players before the start of the next home game.

As regards to the distribution of tickets (which I imagine would be the main objection), perhaps the installation of half a dozen 6d. ticket machines inside the

entrances would prove worthwhile.

The thrill of the chance to possess a ball used by our own heroes is something no True Blue would want to miss.

Roy Langley.

227, Shirland Road, Paddington, W.9.

 We hope to give details of a football competition in the programme in the near future.

> SOUTH-EAST COUNTIES (Junior Division Cup)

A. LOCHEAD6	K. WALDON3
D. LANCASTER5	R. BLACK2
SNASDELL5	
W. TENNANT5	A. FREW1
E. CAMPBELL4	A. GANE1
M. FURIE4	K. HALLIDAY1
A. HARLEY4	
F. McCALLIOG4	R. HOWLETT1
J. WILSON4	A. WARD1
B. BROWN3	T. WAUGHMAN1
C. MINER3	H. WINGROVE1
A. NELMES3	K. WRIGHT1
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Goalscorers: Tennant 5, Lancaster 4, Black 2, Brown 2, McCalliog 2, Waughman 2, Campbell 1, Halliday 1, Howlett 1. Total 20.