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LEAGUE CUP WINNERS 1964-65



Stamford Bridge Grounds LONDON SW6

FOOTBALL LEAGUE - DIVISION 1 SEASON 1965-66

Saturday, 25th September, 1965

CHELSEA V NEWCASTLE UNITED

KICK-OFF 3 p.m.

OFFICIAL PROGRAMME - SIXPENCE





FIXTURES 1965-66

| Football League Division I | | | | Football Combination Division I | | | | | |
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F.A. Youth Cup Winners 1960, 1961

THE TALK OF STAMFORD BRIDGE

ROM the Inter-Cities Cup affairs of mid-week, it's back to the League Championship today, with a good performance and result to match much needed. Starting as it did with a home reverse against Stoke, including also a postponed away fixture with Sheffield Wednesday and three points dropped in the last two games, September has not been all we had hoped. May it go out with a blaze of glory from us this afternoon.

High Scoring: Newcastle United's promotion as Second Division runners-up enables us to resume rivalry with one of our oldest and most attractive opponents. Goals are the life-blood of the game, and there has certainly been an abundance in Newcastle's last eight visits to Stamford Bridge—a total of 48 (30-18), with seven of these results in our favour and the other match drawn. During this period we have twice scored six here against the "Geordies"—as well as registering six on their ground once-and the 6-5 result on September 10, 1958, was the fifth and last instance of our being involved in a match producing 11 goals.

His first in four: Marvin Hinton's knee injury, received against Sheffield Wednesday here ten days ago, led to Allan Young coming into our League side for the first time in four seasons when we visited Manchester United last Saturday. Despite the result, he played well, too. Allan's six previous League appearances for us were all in season 1961-62.

Casualty corner: Hinton's ligament trouble, happily, has proved only slight, and it is possible that Trainer Harry Medhurst will have cleared him in time to play this afternoon. With Joe Fascione doing so well as his deputy, there has been no need to hasten Bobby Tambling's return after the pulled ham-string injury which has kept him idle all September.

Terry's Target: Skipper Terry Venables has gone to the top of our list of League marksmen for the season. His five-goal total includes one in each of the last three games. At this rate his previous best scoring for a season—eight in 1963-64—will soon be passed. And congratulations, Terry, on that first senior hat-trick on Wednesday night.

New signing: Seventeen-year-old inside-right George Adams is our newest professional, signed on Tuesday. He is a cousin of Bert Murray, and joined our Juniors after being recommended to Youth Manager Dick Foss for a trial. He has scored seven goals in the season's first five S.E. Counties games. In appearance, Adams is Ron Harris's "double". They both come from Stoke Newington, too.

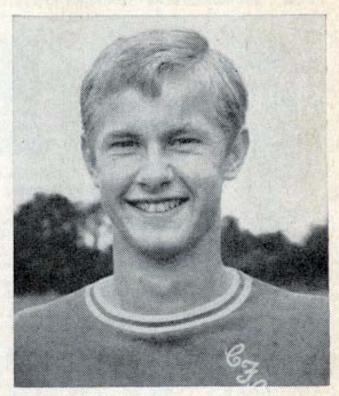
"Charmer" Returns: The name of T. Harmer appeared at the last minute at inside-left on our team-sheet for the Football Combination match against Ipswich here last week-end. Yes, a comeback by 37-years-young Tommy Harmer, who, to all intents and purposes, retired as a player last season to become one of our Youth team coaches. A few weeks ago it was decided to apply to the F.A. for Tommy's registration as a "permit player", so that he could appear in the occasional charity match, etc., or for us in case of emergency.

That emergency arose last Saturday. Up at Manchester, Terry Venables developed a stomach upset overnight, so Jim Mc-Calliog—due to play against Ipswich Reserves—was flown North on Saturday morning as cover in case Terry could not turn out against Manchester United. That left us short of an inside-forward here, so in stepped T. Harmer. Tommy enjoyed himself, too, in a 6-1 victory . . . and thoroughly deserved the win bonus except that he's no longer allowed to receive one! Peter Osgood scored three of the goals and so tops our Combination marksmen.

Special coaching: Juniors Roger Wosahlo and Barry Lloyd were among the players selected for special F.A. Youth coaching at Lilleshall on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Lost and found: Two young boy supporters who hitch-hiked to Manchester last Saturday and were brought back on the St. Thomas More Youth Club coach, left their kit (blue and white scarves, etc.) on board. Would they please ring Kensington 8111 (Mr. John Marsden-White) to arrange for its collection?

NEW FACES No. 6



BARRY LLOYD

A former London, Middlesex and South of England schoolboy player, he is in his second season as a Chelsea apprentice. Wing-half or inside-forward, he topped our S.E. Counties League appearances last season with 27 games (14 goals) out of a possible 30, plus three matches in the Football Combination side. Has played in three of this season's first four Combination fixtures – at centre-forward, insideright and right-half – scoring the winning goal against Arsenal. Comes from Hillingdon, Middlesex, and will be 17 in February.

FRONT COVER SHOT

SUDDENLY, the skirl of the pipes shatters the autumn calm of our training ground at Mitcham. It's the rallying call of the Mac-Chelsea Clan. The piper is Eddie McCreadie, and those getting a privileged earful are George Graham, Tommy Docherty and Jim McCalliog.

Tables, Appearances & Goalscorers

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Brighton & Hove A. Luton Town

Goalscorers: Lancaster 4, Tennant 4, Black 2-Brown 2, Halliday 1, Howlett 1. Total 14.

VENABLES PUTS US ONE UP, THEN



Joe Fascione shoots, the ball is parried by goalkeeper Gaskell and Terry Venables (right) moves in to head us into the lead at Old Trafford last Saturday.



One-all. Bobby Charlton's shot is there before Peter Bonetti can move.

LAW HEADS SECOND-HALF HAT-TRICK



Despair for Bonetti-delight for Law, who has just headed the first of his three second-half goals that took Manchester United to a 4-1 win.



Help! Bonetti saves at the feet of Law and Herd as Connelly hurtles over him.

NEWCASTLE UNITED 1965-66



Standing (left to right): S. Anderson, D. Craig, J. McGrath, G. Marshall, F. Clark, J. Iley. Seated: T. Hockey, D. Hilley, R. McGarry, W. Penman, A. Suddick.

CHELSEA

Colours-Shirts: Royal Blue. Shorts: Royal Blue. Stockings: White.

(Goal) BONETTI

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(Right-back)

SHELLITO

(Right-half)

HOLLINS

4

(Centre-half)

YOUNG

5

(Left-back)

McCREADIE

(Left-half)

HARRIS (R)

6

(Outside-right) BRIDGES (Inside-right)

GRAHAM

8

(Centre-forward)

OSGOOD

9

(Captain) (Inside-left)

ENABLES

10

(Outside-left)

FASCIONE

11

Referee:

Mr. D. W. SMITH (Stonehouse, Glos.)

Linesmen:

Mr. S. READ (Stockport) (Red Flag)

Mr. C. H. NICHOLLS (Plymouth) (Yellow Flag)



DECLARED SUBSTITUTES

CHELSEA:

BOYLE

NEWCASTLE: PENMAN

11 KNOX

(Outside-left)

10 HILLEY

(Inside-left)

9

McGARRY

(Centre-forward)

8

BENNETT

(Inside-right)

HOCKEY

(Outside-right)

6 ILEY

(Loft-half)

5 MONCUR

(Centre-half)

ANDERSON

(Right-half) (Captain)

BURTON

(Right-back)

3 CLARK

(Left-back)

MARSHALL

(Goal)

NEWCASTLE UNITED

Colours-Shirts: Black and White Stripes. Shorts: Black.

Stockings: Black with White Tops.



WORLD CUP WILLIE SAYS . . .

THE goal of the World Cup organisation for next year's Final series, being played (July 11-30) in England for the first time, is to make it the most successful competition of its kind ever staged. Certainly it has had an enthusiastic send-off financially, with more than £300,000 taken at the box office ten months before the event.

Nothing, of course, will help in the reaching of this goal more than goals – on the field. The evidence to date from the qualifying competition now reaching its intensive concluding stages is that there should be no shortage of them.

The first 77 matches in the qualifying groups produced no fewer than 240 goals – an average of 3.11 per match. In 25 of them four or more goals were scored, with half a dozen providing five goals, and four of the matches each producing six. Only four of the 77 ended in goalless draws.

HE'S IN CHARGE

REFEREE by hobby, linesman by occupation — that's 38-year-old Mr. David Smith, Barnet-born but now from Stonehouse, Gloucestershire, who handles today's game. But his "linesman" job has nothing to do with soccer; he works as a chargehand-linesman in overhead power.

Mr. Smith, a keen train-spotter and billiards player, was appointed to the Football League list in 1959, having turned to refereeing after a playing spell that included goalkeeping for Stonehouse, in the Western League.

He refereed the 1964 Amateur Cup Final between Enfield and Crook Town.

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| 1909-10 | 2-1 | 0-1 | | 195 | 0-51 | | 3-1 | - 1 | -3 |
| 1912-13 | 1-0 | 2-3 | | 195 | 1-52 | | 1-0 | 1 | -3 |
| 1913-14 | 0-1 | 0-1 | | | 2-53 | | 1-2 | 1 | -2 |
| 1914-15 | 0-3 | 0-2 | | 195 | 3-54 | | 1-2 | 1 | -1 |
| 1919-20 | 0-0 | 0-3 | | 195 | 4-55 | | 4-3 | 3 | -1 |
| 1920-21 | 2-1 | 0-1 | | 195 | 5-56 | | 2-1 | | -1 |
| 1921-22 | 1-1 | 0-1 | | 195 | 6-57 | | 6-2 | 2 | -1 |
| 1922-23 | 3-0 | 0-0 | | | 7-58 | | 2-1 | 3 | -1 |
| 1923-24 | 1-0 | 1-2 | | 195 | 8-59 | | 6-5 | 2 | -1 |
| 1930-31 | 1-1 | 0-1 | | | 9-60 | | 2-2 | 1 | -1 |
| 1931-32 | 4-1 | 1-4 | | | 0-61 | | 4-2 | | -1 |
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HEARTS CAN'T MAKE IT

Heart of Midlothian have informed us that, because of other commitments, they will not after all be able to visit Stamford Bridge on October 26, so we are trying to arrange alternative opposition for John Mortimore's Testimonial Match.

CHELSEA DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

Supporters interested in becoming agents for the Development Association, please write to: Chelsea Development Association, GPO Box No. 1, 232/4 Brighton Road, Coulsdon, Surrey.

Latest in our Action Series . . .



GEORGE GRAHAM



A LTHOUGH goalkeeper Gordon Marshall hails from Farnham, he grew up in Scotland and made his name with Hearts, being transferred by the Edinburgh club to Newcastle in the summer of 1963, after he had won England Under-23 honours. Last winter Marshall was ever-present in the Newcastle goal, his brilliant displays contributing considerably to the club's promotion. Second-choice goalkeeper at St. James's Park is Welsh International Dave Hollins, brother of our wing-half, John.

A product of Newcastle's junior side is right-back **David Craig**, a native of Belfast. He was two years a professional before making his debut at the age of 19 in November 1963. He then gained a regular place, and last winter was one of the most consistent members of the defence. Alternative choice is Welshman **Alwyn Burton**, ex-Norwich City.

Left-back Frank Clark, from Highfield (Durham), was formerly with Crook Town. He was signed by Newcastle in 1963, making his debut in April the following year, and was another of the Tynesiders' three ever-presents last season.

Inspiring Captain

After twelve years with Sunderland, for whom he made 402 League appearances — also gaining two full England caps as well as Under-23 honours — Stan Anderson was transferred to Newcastle in November 1963. A native of Horden (Durham), he has been a tremendous inspiration and example in the past two years, and his captaincy was of inestimable value when the pressure was on last term.

Centre-half John McGrath, a Manchester man, started his career with Bury, and moved to Newcastle at a big fee — plus Bob Stokoe in part exchange — in February 1961. McGrath took time to settle in the north-east, but became an automatic choice, and played in every game last term. In his absence Bob Moncur, a Scot, deputised last week.

Jim Iley is no stranger to London, of course, having played almost two years for Tottenham, whom he joined from Sheffield United in August, 1957. He moved to Nottingham Forest in the summer of 1959, and joined Newcastle in September 1962. Iley gained Football League and Under-23 honours in the early part of his career.

Like Iley, winger Trevor Hockey is a Yorkshireman (from Keighley) and also

THEIR MANAGER

YORKSHIRE-BORN JOE HARVEY began his playing career with Wolves in 1936, but they let him go the following year. His next club, Bournemouth, also failed to spot his promise and parted with him after one season to Bradford City.

When the war ended he joined Newcastle, giving them eight seasons splendid half-back service, during which he was skipper most of the time, before joining the coaching staff in 1953.

Harvey led the Geordies to promotion in 1948 and two Cup Final victories in 1951 and 1952. In 1955 he became manager of Barrow, and early in 1957 moved to Workington, staying with them until he was appointed Newcastle's team-manager in May 1962.

had a spell with Nottingham Forest. He joined them from Bradford City in November 1961, and was transferred to Newcastle two years later. He plays on either flank but most of his games have been at outside-right, and this season he has shown top form.

The Geordies' only notable summer signing was Albert Bennett, at a big fee from Rotherham United. Once an amateur on Newcastle's books, Bennett was a

continued opposite

OUR VISITORS—continued

prolific marksman with Rotherham, topping their scoring list with 24 goals in 35 Second Division games last season. He began this season on substitute duty and made his debut in the third game.

When Newcastle signed utility forward Ron McGarry from Bolton in December 1962, manager Joe Harvey was taking the player under his charge for the second time. Harvey had given McGarry his first chance in football in 1960, when he was manager of Workington. A native of Whitehaven (Cumberland), McGarry left Workington for Bolton in February 1962. Last winter he topped Newcastle's scoring list with 16 goals in 31 League appearances.

Glasgow-born inside-left Dave Hilley cost a big fee when signed from Third Lanark in the summer of 1962. This former Scottish Under-23 player has missed only twelve League matches in three full seasons, during which he has appeared on the right wing and in both

inside-forward positions.

Tommy Knox, whom we transferred to Newcastle last February, has shared the outside-left position with Alan Suddick this season, with the latter the more frequent choice. Born at Chester-le-Street, Suddick made his League debut at the age of 17 in October, 1961, and has since won England Under-23 honours.

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RAIL EXCURSION

W.B.A. v. CHELSEA (Oct. 2nd)

Outward

Dep. Paddington... 9.10 a.m. 11.10 a.m.

Arr. Birmingham

Snow Hill ... 11.12 a.m. 1.20 p.m.

Homeward

Dep. Birmingham

Snow Hill ... 6.00 p.m. 8.00 p.m.

Arr. Paddington ... 8.15 p.m. 10.10 p.m.

Fare: 28/- return (Children under 14, 14/-).

Some Statistics on THE NEW WEST STAND

Length: 300 ft. Front of roof to back: 100 ft., also providing cover to half the Enclosure bench-seats in front.

Covered seats: 6,163, arranged in 34 rows. The additional 3,360 Enclosure seats increase the total seating capacity at Stamford Bridge to 15,500.

Cost: £150,000 (including Enclosure

seating).

MATCH SUMMARY

INTER-CITIES FAIRS CUP (First Round-First Leg)

Wednesday, 22nd September.
Beat A.S. Roma (Home) 4-1. (Half-time: 2-1.)
Chelsea—Bonetti; Shellito, McCreadie; Hollins,
Young, Harris; Bridges, Graham, Osgood,

Venables, Fascione.

Scorers: Venables 3, Graham.

A.S. Roma-Matteucci; Carpenetti, Ardizzon: Carpanesi, Losi, Benaglia; Tomasin, Leonardi, Francesconi, Benitez, Barison.

Scorer: Barison.

Referee: W. J. M. Schalks (Netherlands). Attendance: 32,753.

JUNIOR FIXTURES: SOUTH-EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE

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LETTERS OPENED BY PROGRAMME EDITOR, ALBERT SEWELL

VIEW OBSTRUCTED

A FTER losing my favourite view from the terrace, with the building of the new Stand, I tried for the first time a place in the enclosure in front of the East Stand, only to find the view obstructed by tote indicator boards wired to the supports. Could not these be removed for matches?

H. Broder.

 Broxholme House, Horwood Road, S.W.6.

Thank you for pointing this out. We are taking up the matter with the Greyhound people.

REFEREES WANTED

May I, on behalf of our Chairman and Council, express our thanks and appreciation to Chelsea F.C. for the publicity given to our Society with reference to the recruitment of Referees, published in your programme last season.

As a result at least six candidates are now under instruction (incidentally, a couple of whom will only referee in Affiliated Sunday games and alternate Saturdays as they do not wish to miss supporting Chelsea when at home).

If I am not being too presumptuous perhaps you could find another spot in one of your programmes to mention that our search for Referees goes on.

W. D. Goodsell.

Hon. General Secretary.
Fulham & District Referees Society,
58, Arthur Henderson House,
Fulham Road, S.W.6

FROM BERT MURRAY'S FAN MAIL

Mr. Bert Murray, Chelsea Club, London, England. Dear Sir,

Good day, you should not be surprise to received a letter from me. I got to do this through your magnificent performances which brought you to No. 12 in your great Club. Your name has been widely published in today's daily paper throughout the World. Go ahead and May God bless you, give you energy and wisdom.

Sir, this is my trouble and it is personal obligation. I shall be very much grateful if you could be sending me three naps draws every week. I am prepared to pay for the cost and the postage every week or pay for three months trial at least. I promise to send the amount involve in British Postal Order, and I would like the Draws to reach me before every Friday of a week.

Please consider and beg to remain. Yours sincerely,

D. O. Ekatah.

Provisions Office, P.O. Box 159, Lagos, Nigeria.

• Since the season's opening day, of course, Bert has jumped from No. 12 (substitute) back to No. 7 in our "chart," though not on his ability to select "three naps draws" every week. Sorry, Mr. Ekatah — regulations do not permit players or club officials to forecast match results in this way.

IS THIS THE CHELSEA SONG?

DURING the past season or two I have read with interest the many and varied suggestions put forward for a "Chelsea Song". This season at Highbury and Fulham, the Chelsea Choir showed tremendous potential, and proved that they can and WILL (with the coming of the new stand?) match the best.

Let us Chelsea followers then provide an original song, simple, easy to learn, one that is well known and if possible one associated with London. I feel that Chelsea followers should not have to "borrow" themes from Liverpool, Manchester or

Tottenham.

The "Lambeth Walk" tune with the lyrics as below is a winner all the way—
it has proved immensely popular on our own club nights (Ealing Celtic F.C.)—
and soon has everyone joining in.

Anytime you're Chelsea way, Any evening, any day, You'll find them all, Playing the best football (roar)

hoi!

Chelsea play it hard but fair, There's no team that compare, You'll find them all, Playing the best football (roar)

hoi!

Stamford Bridge is where they go, Up and down the Old Kings Road, We all love Chelsea, They're gonna win the League

hoi!

Followed by chants of Chelsea, Chelsea, etc., I, and my friends, Chelsea Supporters all, feel that this will catch on in a big way if publicised through the medium of the Club Programme.

So come on all of you who cheered and chanted so well at Highbury and Fulham, let's hear you add this one to your ever-increasing repertoire, and drop the "Ee Aye Addios." After all, Chelsea is a London side, not a Lancashire one.

A. P. Randall (for S. Donan, M. Moore, M. Clune, M. Benneker, the Chelsea contingent with Ealing Celtic F.C.)

43, Brentham Way, Ealing, W.5

PRAISE FOR DICK FOSS

IT is right to give praise to Tom Docherty for what he has done at the "Bridge", but don't let us forget Dickie Foss.

He has a major job in providing the players for the first team from his Youth Section, and he certainly has produced some.

R. Blackman.

3B, Peabody Estate, Herbrand Street, Russell Square, W.C.1.

Agreed 100 per cent. Dick has been with the Youth Section since its formation in 1947, and every one of the countless players who have passed through his hands into big football is testimony to his fine "backroom" work in which he is now assisted by coaches Frank Blunstone and Tommy Harmer.

INTER-CITIES FAIRS CUP Ist Round, 2nd Leg

A.S. ROMA v. CHELSEA

Wednesday, October 6th (Kick-off 3.30 p.m.)

The Supporters' Club announce the following proposed re-arranged air travel arrangements, as the match will have an afternoon kick-off:

Depart London, Tuesday, October 5th at midnight; arrive Rome early hours of Wednesday. FULL DAY IN ROME.

Return: depart Rome, Wednesday, October 6th at midnight; arrive London early hours Thursday.

Fare: £20 (£10 deposit when booking—returnable if, for any reason, the charter is cancelled). A minimum of 60 passengers is required.

Anyone interested in making the trip should contact Supporters' Club officials at the Development Office in the main office block after today's match.

NEXT HOME MATCHES

Saturday, 2nd October (3 p.m.)

NOTTINGHAM FOREST

FOOTBALL COMBINATION

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Saturday, 9th October (3 p.m.)

BLACKPOOL

FOOTBALL LEAGUE

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Saturday, 16th October (3 p.m.)

TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR

FOOTBALL COMBINATION

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Saturday, 23rd October (3 p.m.)

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FOOTBALL LEAGUE

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SEAT RESERVATIONS

Prices of reserved seats at home League matches are 7/6, 10/-, 12/6 and 15/-. Applications (by post only) will be accepted one calendar month in advance, and should be accompanied by remittance and stamped addressed envelope.

It will be appreciated if separate application is made for each match.

Seats may be purchased, if still available, by personal application at the Ticket Office in the week preceding the match.

NOTICE TO SPECTATORS

We draw the attention of spectators to our Ground Regulations which are posted at the turnstiles and in other parts of the ground.

We must emphasise that anyone apprehended on the pitch or causing a disturbance in the crowd will be removed from the stadium.

PLEASE KEEP OFF THE PITCH AT ALL TIMES.

HALF-TIME SCOREBOARD

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| - | Aston Villa | | K | West Ham Blackpool | | THIE | ED DIVISION | |
| B | Tottenham | | | | | C | Brighton | |
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| U | West Brom. | | T | Charlton | | T | Q.P.R. Peterboro' | |
| D | Leeds Utd. Blackburn | | L | Huddersfield | | | Peterboro' | |
| E | Liverpool Everton | | M | Norwich Ipswich | | U | Walsall Brentford | |
| F | Northam'ton Sheff. Wed. | | N | Portsmouth Leyton O. | | V | Watford Oldham | |
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