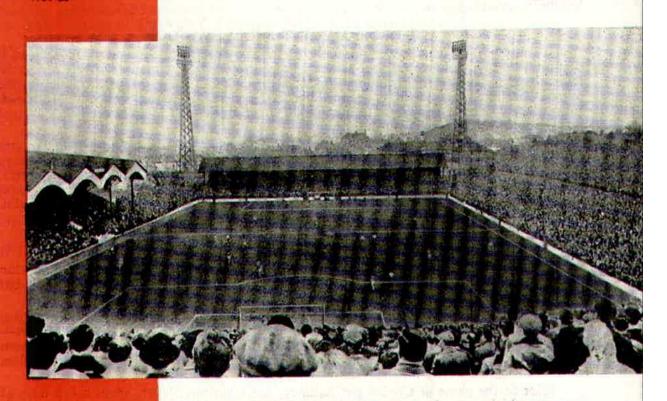
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#### CLUB NOTES

ENJOYING their first ever season in the Second Division are Swindon Town, one of the oldest of League clubs, dating back to 1881. Until they gained promotion along with Northampton at the end of last season, Swindon had battled in the Third Division and the old Southern League for more years than we can remember, occasionally springing into the limelight as a result of giant-killing acts in the F.A. Cup. We give them a warm welcome to The Valley today.

You are doubtless aware of the splendid start Swindon made in Second Division football this season, winning all their first six games and holding top place in the table until October. Then, after nine games without defeat the Railwaymen got their first set-back at Northampton, a 4-0 defeat that was hurtful to the pride of the gallant lads from the west country.

#### WE TOOK A POINT FROM SWINDON

It was Charlton who proved the first club to take a point from Swindon this season. It was on Tuesday, October 1st and Michael Bailey notched the equaliser after Ernie Hunt had missed a penalty for Swindon. It was a thrilling 2-2 draw, Mike Kenning having scored Charlton's first goal. Our forward line that day was: Kenning, Kennedy, Matthews, Edwards and Glover. It was not until the following Saturday on Manchester City's ground that Eddie Firmani came into the side.

Swindon's last visit to The Valley was for a fourth round F.A. Cup-tie on January 28th, 1956, and they gave Charlton, then a First Division club, a terrific fight before losing by the odd goal in three, Bobby Ayre and "Squib" Hammond were Charlton's scorers, and the team was: Bartram; Campbell, Townsend; Hewie, Ufton, Hammond; Ayre, Gauld, Leary, White, Kiernan. At the end of the season Charlton took a team to Swindon to play a friendly, winning 4-2.

#### BOTH WERE HAMMERS' CUP VICTIMS

Always a strong Cup-fighting side—they have twice reached the semifinals—Swindon this season beat Manchester City 2-1 in the third round, then won 2-1 at Aldershot, but lost at home to West Ham (1-3) in the fifth round.

Last week Swindon manager Mr. Bert Head was active in the transfer market, parting with half-back Bob Woodruff to Wolves for a five-figure fee and signing two new players—Frank Large (centre-forward from Northampton and goalkeeper Norman Oakley from Hartlepools). It should prove quite an interesting match today and we hope to see Charlton on the winning side. Give the lads plenty of support.

Prior to the game at Cardiff last Saturday the Charlton players spent a few days at Swansea which proved a welcome change. Mr. Trevor Morris, manager of Cup semi-finalists Swansea Town kindly offered us the use of Vetch Field for training, but we were able to obtain the use of the King George V Playing Fields, just off the beach, and it suited our purpose admirably.

#### USEFUL DRAW AT CARDIFF

We were able to get in some useful work on tactical moves which served us in good stead in the game with Cardiff on Saturday. Because of the blustering wind and light ball the game was not a brilliant one at Ninian Park, and though the one point was satisfying the fact remains that we would probably have gained both but for a hotly-disputed goal.

With Eddie Firmani out and Cliff Durandt unable to play because of a strain in training, Charlton had to field an experimental forward line and it worked quite well in the first half during which we executed some very good moves. The goal was a good one, taken by Keith Peacock on the volley after a nice movement with Mike Kenning and Roy Matthews.

BRIAN KINSEY WENT CLOSE

Charlton almost got another when Brian Kinsey, going up for a corner kick, sent a low shot forward which beat the goalkeeper but was scrambled off the goal-line by John Charles. In a collision just before half-time Frank Haydock suffered a cut over the eye. The Swansea doctor inserted three stitches and Frank was able to resume five minutes after the start of the second half.

Because of the injury Frank could not head the ball but he did well in checking the rushes of Cardiff who came more into the game. Charlton's old Welsh international, Trevor Edwards, had quite a good game against his old club at full-back, while John Charles was more effective than he was in the match at The Valley last October. Our line-up was: Rose; Hewie, Kinsey; Bailey, Haydock, Tocknell; Kenning, Peacock, Matthews, Edwards, Glover.

ONE SHORT OF THE CENTURY

In spite of the continued rush of fixtures, with a steady two-matches-per-week schedule, Charlton's reserves continue to serve up some attractive football at The Valley and the lads are fully deserving of the improved attendances for reserve matches. Last Saturday, by the victory over Met. Police, Charlton brought their total to 99 goals in 26 Metropolitan League games this season. Their four goals last Saturday all came in an entertaining first

half, three of them from Jim Ryan.

Charlton's colts continue to put up some good performances in the South-east Counties League, despite the fact that the team formation is constantly undergoing change in order to give trials to new youngsters. The point gained over West Ham at Chadwell Heath last Saturday was quite praiseworthy considering that a 15 year-old triallist, Alan Murphy, was included at outside-left. Next Saturday you will have an opportunity of seeing our colts in action at The Valley. They play Millwall, kick-off 11 a.m.

#### OUR VISITORS

Here are brief pen pictures of some SBindon players:

NORMAN OAKLEY (goalkeeper). Signed last week from Hartlepools United and made his League debut for Swindon against Plymouth last Saturday.

OWEN DAWSON (right-back). Signed last summer from Portsmouth. A former youth

JOHN TROLLOPE (left-back). Born at Swindon and joined the club straight from school. KEITH MORGAN (right-half). Joined Swindon as a youth from Westbury and has figured in the first team for some seasons.

TOM HALLETT (centre-half). Was signed from Leeds United last summer. Is equally at

home at wing-half.
ROGER SMART (wing-half). Was in the Swindon Schools' team years ago and then linked up with the Town club.

PETER LEGGETT (forward). Can occupy any position in attack. Joined Swindon from the

Southern Leaguers. Weymouth.

MIKE SUMMERBEE (inside-forward).

Born at Cheltenham and graduated through the Swindon youth teams.

FRANK LARGE (centre-forward). Was secured from Northampton last week and scored both goals in Swindon's win last Saturday. Formerly played for Oueens Park Rangers.

ERNIE HUNT (inside-forward). Just back in the side after a throat operation. England Under 23 international. Swindon born, and made his League debut at 16.

BILL ATKINS (inside-forward). Former Aston Villa player and a native of Solihull.

DONALD ROGERS (outside-left). A first team regular of late. Made seven appearances last season.

## FOOTBALL LEAGUE

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Leeds	20.00	17	13	3	53	28	47
Preston		18	9	6	65	43	45
Charlton A.	32	17	7	8	63	52	41
Portsmouth	33	14	8	11	66	56	36
Newcastle	20	16	4	12	61	53	36
Southampton	32	13	7	12	68	58	33
Rotherham	32	14	5	13	69	61	33
Northampton	32	13	7	12	48	47	33
Swindon	33	12	9	12	47	51	33
Middlesbro'	32	12	8	12	55	41	32
Manchester C.	32	12	8	12	64	56	32
Norwich	33	- 11	10	12	58	58	32
Huddersfield	20	11	8	13	45	49	30
Derby	22	10	10	13	37	49	30
Swansea	~ .	10	6	15	48	55	26
Leyton O	31	9	8	14	38	52	26
Cardiff	31	9	8	14	40	61	26
Grimsby	22	6	12	15	37	61	24
Scunthorpe	22	8	7	17	39	64	23
Bury	21		6	17	38	56	22
Plymouth	24	8	12	17	34	58	22

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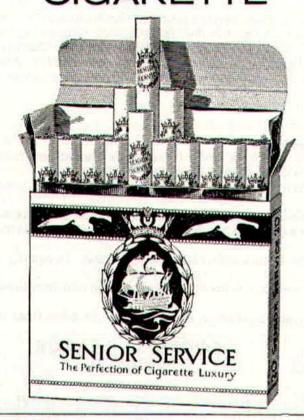
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Right Half.
MICHAEL BAILEY

Centre Half.

Outside Right.
MIKE
KENNING

Inside Right.
ROY
MATTHEWS

Centre Forward.

EDDIE
FIRMANI

Referee :

Mr. J. Lowry

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ROGERS Outside Left. ATKINS Inside Left. LARGE Centre Forward.

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Goal

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Tuesday March 17th

v. EASTBOURNE UTD.

Met. League Challange Cup K.O. 7.30

Saturday March 21st

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BRIAN TOCKNELL

Centre Forward.

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Inside Left. Outside Left.

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(Yellow Flog)
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#### FOOTBALL LEAGUE FOOTBALL COMBINATION 1963 1963 -Southampton ...... A -Preston North End..... A Aug. 27—Leyton Orient ...... H Aug. 24 Sep. Middlesbrough H 2Preston North End H 3Newcastle United A 0-Birmingham City ...... A Sept. 24—Brentford ...... H I--Grimsby Town A 2--Huddersfield Town H 5--Grimsby Town H 2-Oct. Southampton ...... A .. 8—Reading H 4 12—Watford A 3 22—Millwall H 2 .. -Derby County ...... A I---Plymouth Argyle...... H I--..... H 2- 26—Bournemouth & B.A. A 1—0 5—Portsmouth H 2—1 11—Queens Park Rangers A 1—2 28—Plymouth Argyle H 11—Swindon Town A 25—Manchester City A 312—Bury H 319—Northampton Town A 226—Cardiff City H 52—Leeds United A 19—Rotherham United H 4-Oct. Nov. -Southend Utd...... A Dec. IO-Millwall ..... A Nov. 1964 Jan. .. 8—Fulham H I— 4—Brentford A 0-Sunderland ..... H 0-Feb. Dec. ..... A 0-1 Southampton ...... H 2-| | Southampton ..... H 3-1 19—Reading A 0—2 25—Bournemouth & B.A. H 7—1 4—Portsmouth A 1—2 10—Queens Park Rangers H 21—Middlesbrough A 3 26—Swansea Town A 2 28—Swansea Town H 3 . Mar. 1964 -Newcastle United H 1—2 -Derby County H 2—0 -Plymouth Argyle A 1—1 -Manchester City H 4—3 14—Swindon Town A ..... 24—Southend United ..... H ..... Jan. Feb. 28—Chelsea A 7—Watford H 11—Aldershot A 15—Swindon Town H Apl. -Bury A 2—0 -Portsmouth H 0—1 7—Cardiff City A I—I 14—Swindon Town H 20—Rotherham United A 26—Leyton Orient A 30—Leyton Orient H 30—Leyton Orient H I8-Chelsea ...... H ..... Mar. 21-Aldershot ...... H ..... Birmingham City ...... H ..... METROPOLITAN LEAGUE 1963 -Scunthorpe United ...... A ...... -Norwich City ..... H ..... April Cambridge City ...... H 9 Aug. 24 -Romford A 2-2 -Chelmsford City A 1-2 -Cambridge City A 5-1 -Dartford A 6-1 Sunderland ..... A -Leeds United ...... H ..... Copyright of the Football League 1963-1964 **GOAL-SCORERS TO DATE** FOOTBALL LEAGUE—Matthews 15, Firmani 15, Kenning 13, Edwards 8, Glover 5, Bailey 3, Opponents 2, Sewell 1, Peacock 1. Oct. 29—Arsenal H 2— 2—St. Neots Town H 1— 9—Rainham Town A 4— FOOTBALL COMBINATION—Ryan 16, Peacock 7, Kennedy 5, Gough 4, Saunders 3, Edwards 3, Opponents 2, Keeley I, Stocks I, Robb I, Ord I, Durandt I, Miller (Ralph) I, Baber I. Nov. METROPOLITAN LEAGUE AND CUPS—Ryan 32, Peacock 19, Kennedy 18, Gough 10, Firmani 7, Durandt 6, Saunders 5, Glover 4, Opponents 4, Edwards 3, Robb 3, Ord 2, S. Woods 2, Keeley 2, Kenning 2, D. McClelland 1, Tocknell 1, Stocks 1, D. Montague 1, A. Weston 1, Matthews 1. Dec. -Kettering Town ..... A 1964 Tottenham Hotspur ...... A Jan. Chelmsford City..... H SOUTH-EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE AND CUPS— Elliott 18, Myers 13, Keeley 12, M. Codling 7, Baber 4, P. Allwright 3, R. Major 2, D. Hardwick .. .. 25-St. Neots Town ...... A 0-I. J. Swan I, Bonds I. Feb. - Metropolitan Police ...... A Rainham Town ...... H 9-SOUTH-EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE - Guildford City ......(Cup) ....... A 3-Pts-—Arsenal A 3—0 — Guildford City (Cup) H 5—0 —Tottenham Hotspur H I—0 27 23 Chelsea Q.P.R. 35 21 \*\* Tottenham 25 81 40 33 43 68 24 25 80 32 Mar. Fulham Leyton O. 67 68 49 30 28 Arsenal Watford 23 11 6525537 23 22 21 21 46 54 22 ... 88 ± 55 ₹ 72 13 46 Brentford 25 10 19—Tonbridge A .... 45 Charlton A. 23 West Ham ... Portsmouth ... 12 13 21 56 Apl. 45 63 19 Crystal Palace 67 18 23 61 Luton T. 15 107

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# Echoes across the Valley

N SUCCESSIVE DAYS last week three former Charlton players called in at The Valley to meet old friends. First visitor was Frank Lock, ex-full-back who played over 200 games for Charlton. Frank is now out of football and works for a famous mineral water firm. He lives at Harrow. On the following day Albert (Sailor) Brown called in, spruce and business-like. Albert's only interest these days is his business. He is a bookmaker at Gorleston. Our third visitor was Jackie Dryden who played for Charlton around the early war years and who a few years ago had charge of The Robins, a junior colts team run by the club.

NEXT SEASON John Hewie will have completed 15 years' service with Charlton, apart from a break of about six months when he returned to South Africa for a spell, and subject to Football League sanction it is proposed to inaugurate a special testimonial fund for him, with a benefit match and other functions in support. We know that all Charlton fans will wish to co-operate in giving John a bumper testimonial, and we will keep you posted with arrangements as they are finalised.

BEFORE THE GAME today (weather permitting) patrons will have the pleasure of watching "Youth in Rhythm" presented by the Butlin Young Ladies, a spectacular display which has delighted the Charlton crowd on previous visits. Their leader is Irma Strinati, and deputy leader Barbara Matthews. Their routine is devised by Capt. T. J. Bond, M.C., Butlin's director of physical recreation.

RAY KEELEY, 17 year-old inside-forward who fractured the fibula of his right leg in the Metropolitan League Professional Cup-tie against Arsenal at The Valley last week, is making good progress but it is unlikely that this promising youngster will play again this season. However, Ray should be fit in time to accompany the Charlton colts team to Holland at the end of May. Teams from Holland, Belgium, Denmark and Germany will be among those taking part.

ROY MATTHEWS who occupied the centre-forward position at Cardiff last Saturday because of Eddie Firmani's injury, were the No. 9 shirt many times last season and had eleven games in the middle spot at the start of the present campaign. But Roy was a winghalf when he first came to The Valley from Arbroath seven years ago. Then he was developed at inside-forward and that (in the opinion of many) is the best position of this first-class and popular player. Apart from football, Roy is a keen motorist and a fully qualified draughtsman.

ROY MILLER (collar-bone fracture) and Brian Ord (cartilage operation) are both making good progress towards recovery. Roy is back in light training, while Brian is persevering with remedial exercises to strengthen the muscles of his leg. Cliff Durandt was having treatment this week for the strained muscle he received in training which kept him out of the team at Cardiff.

TOMMY DAWSON, inside-right who earned a Cup winner's medal with Charlton in 1947 was afterwards a Swindon player for a spell. Other Charlton players who afterwards played for Swindon were wing-half Wally Nunn and inside-forward Jackie Dryden. Don Townsend, now with Crystal Palace, was born at Swindon, and so was Ken Titcombe a half-back at The Valley some years ago.

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Birmingham C. 25	12	6	7	56	40	30	Arsenal	30	15	6	9	65	48	36
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Coventry C 26	12	6	8	52	43	30	Eastbourne U.	25	13	6	6	49	34	32
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Brentford 28	10	7	11	43	57	27	Kettering Town	26	9	4	13	55	68	22
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Millwall 26	8	8	10	33	41	24	Crawley Town	22	8	2	12	34	46	18
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Brighton & H.A. 27	7	5	15	43	75	19	Bexley U	23	7	3	13	40	59	17
Southend U. 26	5	6	15	50	76	16	Dartford	25	7	3	15	40	72	17
Q.P.R 27	7	2	18	37	59	16	Rainham Town	25	5	4	16	51	86	14
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							Tonbridge	26	2	0	24	24	127	4

#### HALF-TIME SCORES

MATCHES FOR SATURDAY, 14th MARCH, 1964

First name opposite the letter represents the home team. W signifies match abandoned Key for to-day's matches is as follows:—

	CLUBS	Half Time	CLUBS		Half Time
A	Swansea Preston		K	SouthamptonRotherham United	
B	West Ham United Manchester United		L	Arsenal Chelsea	
C	Derby County Bury		M	Burnley Tottenham	
D	Grimsby Town Cardiff City		N	Fulham Liverpool	-
E	Huddersfield Town Northampton Town		P	Brentford Colchester	
F	Leyton Orient Scunthorpe United		Q	Crystal Palace Q.P.R.	
G	Middlesbrough Leeds United		R	Mansfield Town Watford	
H	Newcastle United Sunderland		S	Shrewsbury Town Millwall	
J	Plymouth Argyle Manchester City		T	York City Gillingham	

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