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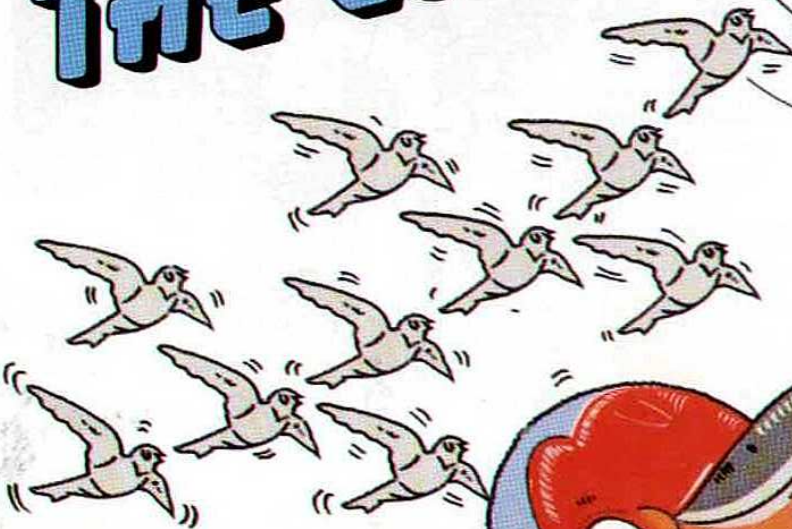
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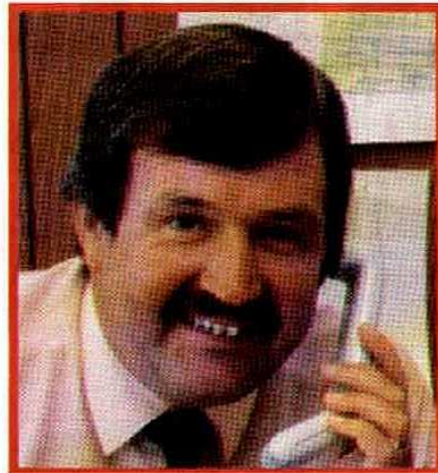
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**Good afternoon and a hearty welcome to the Directors, Officials, Players and Supporters of A.F.C. Bournemouth for today's 'Barclay' League Division Two fixture.**

The Dean Court Club are like ourselves seeking to establish a foothold in the Second Division. Worthy champions of last seasons Third Division they have, like ourselves, had a mixture of results to date.

**It is with great concern and sadness that this Club is currently being followed – and I choose the word followed, which is the operative word, rather than supported – by a minority element who seek to diminish the good name of this Club.**

Although the brutal attack made upon the Plymouth Argyle supporter, Mark Smith, did not occur in the County Ground it still causes grave concern to Swindon Town Football Club.

**We do not want these hooligans in our following and we have to give the police our full support in their attempts to stamp out this unruly element.**

Society has a lot to answer for in this modern age in accepting a standard of

behaviour that a few decades distant would not have been tolerated.

**Sadly every faction of human life is responsible: schools, parents, media attention, the law, the magistrates and judges who administer the law.**

Until everyone condemns and acts upon that condemnation matters will not improve. **The media, in particular, portray the wrong of life too easily and too vividly.** They appear to be beyond recall at times and the perpetrators of violence and disorder are often afforded publicity in advance of the good deeds of life.

We all have a responsibility towards each other. Life is too precious to be flippant about our own responsibility.

The law is often vague and not protective enough and the fine degree between what constitutes a charge of high proportion and one of lesser sentence is an anomaly.

**Our condolences to the parents, relatives and friends of Mark Smith are insufficient and inadequate. Society stands charged with failing its moral duty. Cynicism is often directed at those who attempt to redress the balance, they alone deserve all of our support.**

Saturday November 14th was a day of shame for the town of Swindon.

**Our thoughts today are with the parents, relatives and friends of Mark. Football lost a supporter, but more sadly life lost a friend and parents a son.**

*Shan All*

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# LOUIS

## WAY • WAY • WAY

**This week it is with regret and a profound feeling of deep sadness that I have to write upon what can only be termed as the dark side of football. The recent death of Mark Smith, the Plymouth supporter, has saddened everyone connected with Swindon Town Football Club.**

Whatever motivates the animals who cause such personal grief to a family is beyond my way of thought. As a father and a family man I know what the foul act that took place in the streets surrounding the County Ground must mean to the parents of the boy who lost his life.

**I therefore want to appeal to any of you who have knowledge, however minimal, of the events of November 14th to contact the police immediately. You owe that to yourselves.**

Sadly football is now followed by a section of morons who build themselves into a cult following. I do not want these idiots of violence at the County Ground. Go away and keep away from Swindon Town, you are not wanted, your presence, or your money.

**There has been a great deal of criticism of the police in recent months. The question is, what do we do without their presence at football? They are, and always will be, the main deterrent and protection for all of us. Their job is difficult, to say the least, and the increase in violence in society is disturbing.**

Sentences are too lenient, the world is full of do-gooders. Severe and harsh punishments are the only



answer. The Russians and the Saudi Arabians have ways of dealing with people who commit wrong deeds. Why are we so tolerant?

Those who make the laws and those who sit in courts passing sentence must take a long hard look at how they pass judgement. We are far too lenient. It is in all our interests, the newspapers, television, radio and simply society to see that we rid ourselves of the inhuman beings that threaten the basis of all that is good.

Football is being dragged through the dirt, the ban on English Clubs in Europe, the idiots who follow national

teams, the court cases, none of which does the image of a so-called sport any favours.

The whole image of the game since I first joined Glasgow Celtic has changed dramatically. Everyone connected with the sport must work hard to alter its current image and stop the morons from taking over.

**So let's start this afternoon by helping the police over the incidents that occurred that day. Don't hesitate to assist them. Be brave enough to step forward, and if you have information make your first act towards an improving society, one that will have a satisfaction to you as a human being.**

I have deliberately avoided talking about the match with Plymouth Argyle. **It simply did not matter, the result or the game.**

The day left a **void**, it cannot be replaced.

*John A. Smith*

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## Noel . . . Good King . . . Wenceslas . . . Silent Night . . . We Three Kings . . .

Swindon Town's Third Annual Carol Service will be held at St. Augustines Church, Summer Street, Even Swindon on Thursday 10th December at 7.30 p.m. All supporters of the Clubs are invited to attend the Service which will be informal and is expected to last about three quarters of an hour.

The Club Chaplain the Revd. Nigel Sands will conduct the Service.

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## Did You Notice? . .

No fewer than six former Town players were numbered among the goalscorers in the First Round of the F.A. Cup on November 14th.

**Mark Gardiner** scored the third goal in Torquay United's 3-0 away win against Bognor Regis in the 79th minute.

**Garry Nelson** scored twice in Brighton's 2-0 win at Brentford, both of his goals coming in the second half, the first in the 68th minute and his second, from the penalty spot, in the 89th minute.

**Howard Pritchard** was on the mark in the 33rd minute of Gillingham's 2-1 win against Fulham.

**Gary Fulbrook** scored the second in Carlisle's 4-2 defeat at Macclesfield, the Cumbrian Club led 2-0 before succumbing to relentless Macclesfield pressure.

**Colin Russell**, who spent a brief loan period at the County Ground, was the only player to score a hat-trick in the First Round. Colin's goals coming in the 9th, 36th and 78th minute. The last from the penalty spot.

**Ian Muir** scored the second of Tranmere's goals in their 2-2 home draw with Port Vale.

## Kiss of Life . . .

Town physiotherapist Kevin Morris recently attended a Life Saving and Resuscitation Course at Queens Park Rangers Ground. Also in attendance were Bristol Rovers and Gillingham. This is all part of the course which will enable Kevin to obtain the Football Association Treatment of Injuries Certificate. The course will be completed over a two year period.

Kevin was most impressed with the update in techniques now adopted and he stated that the innovation can only be to each Clubs advantage.

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## Chris Nicholl's NO to Cup Matches for Tim! . .

Southampton Manager Chris Nicholl said no to Town pleas to play Tim Flowers in Cup matches. The 'Saints' boss was adamant, so the Town will have to look to Nicky Hammond for the Simod Cup tie and if Fraser Digby is still out of action by the time the third round of the FA Cup comes round it looks as if Lou Macari will again have to turn to the former Arsenal keeper to hold the fort.

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## Simod Cup . . .

Our Second round Simod Cup match with Derby County or Birmingham City will probably be on December 15th with a 7.45 pm kick-off at the County Ground.

For this match it will be all pay but season ticket holders

can reserve their seats by enclosing Voucher D with the correct remittance on application to the Club offices.

If postal applications are sent they must arrive by the Thursday prior to the match. All seats not claimed by 4.30 pm on the Monday prior to the match will be put on general sale.

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## Five Out of Sixteen Did Not Bother . . .

Five Clubs, namely Blackburn Rovers, Ipswich Town, Leicester City, Manchester City and Oxford United, did not produce their normal programme for their First Round matches in the Simod Cup. Blackburn Rovers and Oxford United produced four pages while the remaining three printed team sheets.

There will be a normal programme for our next match.

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## An Appropriate Evergreen For This Time of The Year? . .

Former Town winger **David Moss** has signed for **Trowbridge Town**. The Beazer Homes League Clubs Manager Ken Knighton had this to say of the signing. "Moss will give the whole side a lift and that is what we badly need at the moment. Moss has an outstanding record and I am delighted to have signed a player who only four years ago was one of the best wingers in the Football League".

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County Ground

MARK

## MONDAY

### Monday November 9th

The Town's Youth team moved into the Second Round of the F.A. Youth Cup competition with a convincing 3-0 win against Newport County at the County Ground. A first half penalty, successfully converted by Nigel Packer, gave the Town an interval lead. Second half goals by Adrian Viveash and Fitzroy Simpson gave the Town a Second Round home tie with Charlton Athletic.

A proposed deal with a Second Division Club for a utility player failed to materialise. Leicester City Manager Bryan Hamilton refuses to allow Ian Andrews to move to the County Ground on loan. Lou turns his attention back to the deposed Tim Flowers at Southampton. The former Wolves keeper is currently in Yugoslavia with the England Under-21 party. John Kelly joins Oldham Athletic on loan.

## TUESDAY

### Tuesday November 10th

A day of success. A 2-1 away win in the First Round of the Simod Cup at Blackburn Rovers, where goals from John Gittens and Tim Parkin prove too much for the Ewood Park Club, brings the Town their first win in five matches. The Combination team defeat Bristol Rovers at Forest Green 4-3. Bryan Wade made a welcome return to goalscoring form with two goals. Alan McLoughlin and John Kennedy are the other Town marksmen.

Negotiations to bring Tim Flowers to the County Ground continue.

## WEDNESDAY

### Wednesday November 11th

Town midfield player Chris Kamara is given a two match ban by the F.A. after reaching the 31 point stage. Fraser Digby returns to the County Ground for further examination of his injured thumb.

## THURSDAY

### Thursday November 12th

Suspensions continue to rock the Club. Steve Foley faces a two match ban following his dismissal at Leicester City last Saturday. Tim Parkin is given a three match ban following his latest booking which took him past the 21 point mark. Tim and Steve miss the away fixture at Leeds United and the home fixture with A.F.C. Bournemouth. Tim misses one extra match which will be the home fixture with Huddersfield Town in the Barclay League.

John Kelly eventually leaves the County Ground when he joins Oldham Athletic in a £35,000 transfer deal. Alan McLoughlin is the latest injury casualty after damaging his knee against Bristol Rovers in Tuesday's Reserve team fixture.

John Kennedy is offered another months contract by the Club. Reading sign Leicester City striker Steve Moran via the Clubs facsimile facility.

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## FRIDAY

### Friday November 13th

Black Friday! It certainly was as far as midfield player Mark Jones was concerned.

The luckless former Oxford United apprentice was injured in a training incident and suffered a further setback to his knee problem. Mark was taken to hospital but released and allowed home.

At the last minute Southampton decided to release goalkeeper Tim Flowers on a months loan with the provision that he is not allowed to play in the Simod Cup. Despite pleas for the Dell Club to help with the registration they declined to meet half way. This meant an afternoon of concern. Secretary Dave King rushed to the Dell to meet Tim Flowers to obtain the appropriate signatures and rush back to the County Ground with literally minutes to spare.

Chris Nicholl will not allow the 'keeper to live or train in Swindon during the duration of this loan period and the Town are still left with the problem of having no experienced goalkeeper available for the Cup competitions.

## SATURDAY

### Saturday November 14th

The F.A. admit they have made a mistake with Steve Foley's suspension and inform the Club that the former Sheffield United midfield player will miss the away trip to

Leeds United. Steve is still precariously poised on the twenty point mark though.

The day dawns bright and clear after the incessant rain of the last few days. The morning of the match is a busy affair with HTV making last minute preparations and groundsman Geoff Warren back from a few days break to supervise ground preparation.

The County Ground surface is in amazingly good condition considering the wear and tear accompanied by the above average rainfall of October.

The HTV cameras were a match too late! An uninspiring 1-1 draw with Plymouth Argyle was a lesser spectacle than the seven goal thriller with Manchester City a fortnight earlier. Bobby Barnes equalised Stewart Evans earlier first half goal to salvage a point. The Towns mini-slump meant that they had only gained one win from the last seven matches. That coming from the mid-week match at Blackburn Rovers in the Simod Cup.

A similar record for the Town Youth team in recent matches for they have also only won one of their last seven League fixtures. A 4-2 defeat at Tottenham in this morning's kick-off being the latest setback.

## MONDAY

### Monday November 16th

Lou's worst fears are confirmed when he finds several of his players with

more weight than he imagined! Mind, we are only speaking of pounds!

Irrespective of that Lou feels a few pounds shed may lead to a few points gained.

Steve Foley is the latest injury victim with a knee problem. Mark Jones reports to the ground for treatment and physio Kevin Morris's first assessment is "It would appear at this stage that the damage is not too serious, we will have to wait for a further week when the swelling will have diminished and then we can diagnose completely."

The latest news of Fraser Digby's injury is that he is to have his plaster removed on December 6th and then the Under-21 International has to rely on the calcium setting his bone firmly. Fraser believes that February will be the earliest he will be back in action. The Town keeper is anxious that he is not rushed back into action prematurely and receive a further setback.

Worrying news of the Plymouth Argyle supporter Mark Smith, injured outside the County Ground on Saturday last, is that he is still unconscious in the Radcliffe Infirmary at Oxford.

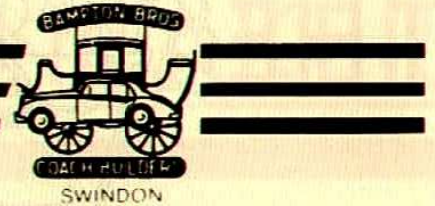
An unfortunate motorway accident, in which the Town Commercial Manager Doug Buswell and his wife were concerned at the weekend, made it a black two days. Doug is released from hospital but his wife Enid is detained.

Blackburn Rovers are keen to rearrange the postponed League fixture as quickly as possible and suggest a date before Christmas.

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## PROFILE • PROFILE • PROF



**A forgotten man of football? You could be excused for thinking so if you were referring to Alan McLoughlin, the former Manchester United apprentice who has tasted League action more with Torquay United than the Town!**

**Bridging the gap at the County Ground to Second Division soccer is obviously more difficult than Fourth Division football with Torquay United.**

Alan was spotted by United playing for Chadderton, a team in Oldham, as he explained, "Joe Brown, the United Chief Scout, actually saw me playing for them. I had appeared in all the Manchester Boys teams at various age levels and I was actually the only member of the Manchester team who had not signed for a League Club! I was in my fourth year at school, in fact coming to the end of that year, when the opportunity arose to join the Old Trafford Club." Alan's next comment was not totally unexpected! "It was like a dream come true."

Ron Atkinson was the Manager of Manchester United and in his formative years with the Old Trafford Club Alan had one gratifying experience. "I was lucky enough to captain the 'A' team to the Lancashire League championship." Included in those early junior teams were Town goalkeeper Fraser Digby. "I have known Fraser since I was 15 years of age and we have become firm friends, both at Old Trafford and at Swindon." In fact both Town players share the same digs at Stratton St. Margaret.

Alan graduated to the Central League team and played alongside some of United's star names, "Arnold Muhren, Alan Brazil, Bryan Robson and Mark Hughes were in the team." Alan added, "of course, Lou Macari, in his last few seasons at Old Trafford, was in the Reserves." Not surprisingly Alan added, "His attitude then was no different to today or in his early career. Lou wanted



**ALAN McLOUGHLIN**

to win in the reserves as much as he did in the first team."

From the stars he appeared with, Alan had no doubt about which player made the most impact upon him. "Arnold Muhren, he really was a fine cultured player."

Somewhat sadly for Alan his career at Old Trafford came to a premature end, for the former Manchester United school-boy knew the previous Christmas he would be released at the end of the 1985/86 season. "In fact I played in a trial

match at Durham for the released players and I had the opportunity to join Doncaster Rovers for a months trial period before being offered a contract down here."

The move South brought no complaints from Alan. "I have enjoyed being with Swindon Town." In fact the Town utility player has spent as much time playing League football with Torquay United as with the Town! "Yes, I have had two loan periods with them. I think I made sixteen appearances for them the first time."

Alan had vivid memories of the last League match of last season at Plainmoor. "Torquay were trailing 2-1 to Rochdale, a defeat and they would have been out of the League. It was deep in injury time when I chested a ball down for Paul Dobson. Actually he miskicked his shot, it hit a post, rolled along the goalline and into the net". Alan then described the ecstasy that followed. "It was as though Torquay had won the F.A. Cup instead of finishing in 91st position." It was easy to understand the relief though.

What of the future for Alan, "I want to gain further experience with Swindon Town, but both my loan periods have been beneficial. There is nothing like first team football, once you have had a taste of it. If I could find a midfield slot I would be happy, but I can play in most positions."

Let's all hope Alan finds a niche somewhere.

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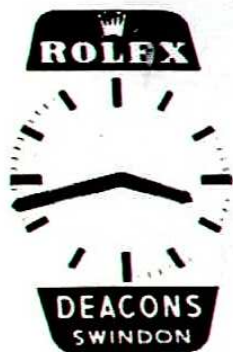
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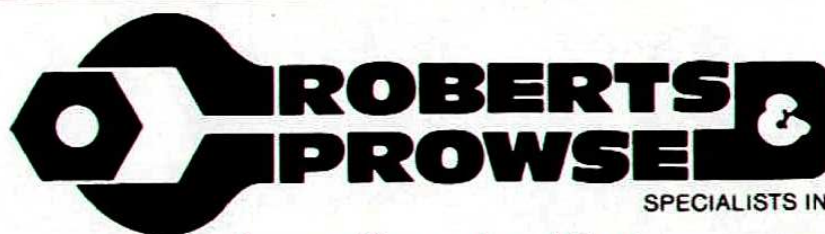
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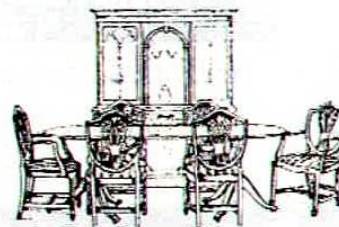
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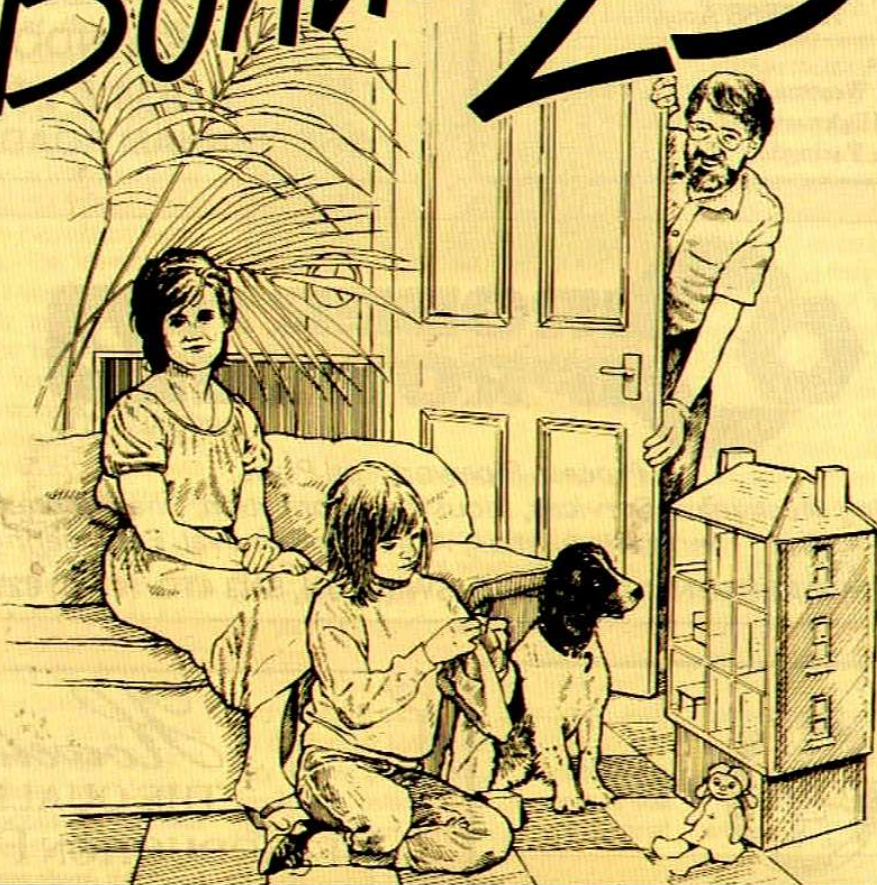
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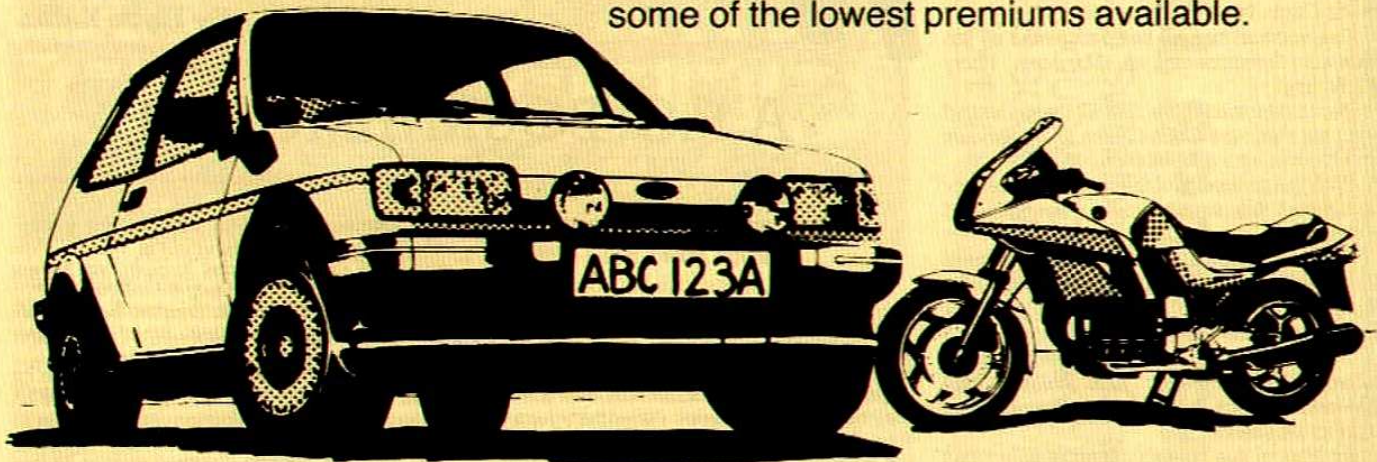
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## A COUNTY GROUND

# Welcome

By Dave Eaton

## A.F.C. BOURNEMOUTH

### MEET THE PLAYERS AND MANAGER

A crowd of 11,310 packed into Dean Court on May 9th this year to witness Bournemouth's last match of the season against Rotherham.

Needing just one point to clinch the Third Division title the fans went wild when goals from Trevor Aylott and Carl Richards gave them a 2-0 victory. It heralded the Clubs first ever League title and the advent of Second Division football at Dean Court for the first time in the Clubs 64 year League history.

The success had all been achieved by the shrewd investments of Manager Harry Redknapp.

Prior to the start of the 1986/87 season he had sold his star man Colin Clarke to neighbours Southampton for a fee of £400,000.

With the proceeds of the sale he completely revamped his squad, adding strength and experience.

Mark Whitlock and David Puckett arrived from Southampton, while Tony Pulis, Carl Richards (£10,000 from Enfield) and Gerry Peyton were also pre-season signings.

Then the much travelled Trevor Aylott, experienced defender John Williams and talented forward Richard Cooke were added during the season.

By May of this year Redknapp's policy had turned up trumps. He had proved that you can still sell a star man and succeed, provided you invest wisely.

For Bournemouth's first season in Division 2 he has again added experience to the squad by recruiting former England International David Armstrong from South Coast neighbours Southampton.

Bournemouth, from joining the League in 1923, remained a Third Division Club until being relegated to the Fourth for one season in 1970. Their stay of 47 years is a record for any side as a member of the Third. Since then they have had one more spell in the Fourth, from 1975 until 1982.

In the F.A. Cup the Cherries have enjoyed several giant-killing exploits. In season 1956/57 they reached the sixth round of the competition - their best - and on the way won 1-0 at First Division Wolverhampton and in the 83/84 season they defeated Manchester United 2-0 at home in the third round.

Bournemouth have tasted cup success - they were the first winners of the Associate Members Cup, now renamed the Freight Rover Trophy, in 1984. They defeated Northern Section winners Hull 2-1 and the following season reached the semi-finals before going out to Brentford, the eventual beaten finalists.

**Harry Redknapp (Manager).** He has become one of the most popular managers in the clubs' history. His shrewd signings and Youth Scheme have given the club their best teams in years. Played many years with West Ham before joining Bournemouth as a player. Has valuable coaching experience in the North American Soccer League with Seattle Sounders. Now in fifth season as manager at Dean Court, led the Cherries to Division 2 for the first time at the end of last season.

**Gerry Peyton (Goalkeeper).** Voted Player of the Year last season. He is an Eire International of considerable experience. Joined Bournemouth in July 1986 after ten years with Fulham. Previously with Aston Villa and Burnley.

**Tommy Heffernan (Full Back).** In his second spell with the Cherries having spent two years in between with Sheffield United. Started his career with Tottenham Hotspur before joining Bournemouth. An attacking full back with a flair for goal.

**Paul Morrell (Full Back).** A strong attacking defender who can play at full back, central defence or midfield. Has progressed after considerable Non-League experience with Bath City and Weymouth, Born Poole, Dorset.

**Mark Newson (Central Defender).** Ex-England semi-professional who joined Bournemouth from Gola League Maidstone. Has impressed with his positive play after only two years in League football.

**Mark Whitlock (Central Defender).** Signed in summer of 1986 from near neighbours Southampton. He has considerable First Division experience and has struck up a good understanding with defensive partner Mark Newson.

**Tony Pulis (Midfielder/Defender).** Signed last summer from Newport County. He is a players player and off the field is the organiser for the players functions and competition to raise money for the players pool. Previously with Bristol Rovers.

**Sean O'Driscoll (Midfield).** Another very popular player who was voted Player of the Year for 85/86 season. An Eire International, formerly with Fulham who signed him from Non-League Alvechurch.

**Shaun Brooks (Midfield).** Summer signing from Orient Football Club for £10,000. Son of Spurs player Jonny Brooks. An ex-England Youth International.

**Gary Howlett (Midfield).** Signed from Brighton for whom he played in the F.A. Cup Final. Played for Coventry City prior to Brighton. An Eire Under-21 International.

**Carl Richards (Striker).** Captured summer '86 from Gola League Enfield. An England semi-professional International with a goal scoring reputation. Previously with Dulwich Hamlet.

**Trevor Aylott (Striker).** Tall, powerful, experienced striker who started his career as an apprentice with Chelsea. He has since played for Barnsley, Millwall and Luton Town. Moved to Bournemouth from Crystal Palace last year.

**David Puckett (Striker).** Signed from Southampton last summer. Like Mark Whitlock, he has plenty of First Division experience. He was sidelined at Christmas '86 with a knee ligament injury and missed the remainder of last season. Scored 16 goals in 17 games prior to the injury.

**Mark O'Connor (Winger).** Previously with Q.P.R. he was signed from Bristol Rovers. An Eire Under-21 International who also had a loan period with Exeter City.

**John Williams (Central Defender).** Liverpool born, he joined the Cherries from Port Vale for a five figure fee in the latter part of 1986. Made 36 League appearances for Vale in their 1985/86 promotion side. Previously with Tranmere.

**Richard Cooke (Forward).** Signed from Tottenham during the middle of last season. A former apprentice at White Hart Lane. Made 11 First Division appearances for Spurs and netted two goals.

**David Armstrong (Midfield).** Signed from Southampton, he was an immediate success scoring a hat-trick in his debut against Spurs in a pre-season friendly. He is an England International and was signed for £600,000 by Southampton from Middlesbrough.

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**A.F.C. Bournemouth – Season 1987/88 – First Team Squad**

**Back Row:** Mark Whitlock, Billy Clark, John Williams, Carl Richards

**Middle Row:** John Kirk (Physio/Trainer), Adrian Randall, David Coleman, Tony Pulis, Gerry Peyton, John Smeulders, Trevor Aylott, Tommy Heffernan, Paul Morrell, Jimmy Gabriel (Assistant Manager).

**Front Row:** Sean O'Driscoll, David Puckett, Tommy Kearne, Mark Newson (Captain), Harry Redknapp (Manager), Richard Cooke, Mark O'Connor, Shaun Brooks, David Armstrong.

## POST-WAR MEETINGS BETWEEN SWINDON TOWN AND BOURNEMOUTH

### At The County Ground

#### Football League

07.11.1945	W2-1	Emery, Denyer	4,600
07.04.1947	L1-3	Lloyd	20,051
01.11.1947	L0-1		17,385
09.04.1949	D2-2	Bain, Jones	14,154
22.10.1949	W3-1	Simner 2, Owen	15,084
06.01.1951	W2-1	Millar, Pain	6,971
19.01.1952	W2-0	Hudson pen, Owen	16,903
20.09.1952	L1-2	Owen	11,220
19.08.1953	W2-1	Lunn 2	14,751
15.09.1954	L0-2		7,996
05.11.1955	D2-2	Owen 2	7,664
02.02.1957	W2-1	Fountain, Edwards	11,388
25.01.1958	W1-0	Richards	12,434
10.01.1959	L0-1		10,780
28.12.1959	W2-0	Marshall, Darcy	10,335
15.10.1960	L0-1		12,295
02.09.1961	D1-1	Hunt R. A.	9,815
27.04.1963	W2-1	Stevens, Hunt R. P. pen.	16,508
18.09.1965	D0-0		13,933
25.03.1967	W1-0	Rogers pen.	14,099
14.10.1967	W4-0	Terry 3, Rogers	11,135
08.04.1969	W3-0	Smart, Rogers, Smith	22,464
29.12.1974	W2-1	Moss pen., Eastoe	9,929
18.4.1987	D1-1	Hockaday	14,302

#### Football League Cup

24.08.1966 W2-1 Trollope, Butler 7,769

#### F.A. Cup

29.11.1926 L3-4 Thom, Wall 2 7,120

08.12.1958 L0-1 17,410

#### FREIGHT ROVER TROPHY

28.01.1987 D2-2 Coyne 2 (1 pen) 4,324

(W4-2 on penalties)

\*Statistics supplied by Paul Plowman

### At Dean Court

#### Football League

24.10.1945	W4-2	Barlow 2, Derrick, Rosenthal	13,333
04.04.1947	L2-3	Stephens W, Lucas	16,000
20.03.1948	L0-1		19,681
13.11.1948	L0-3		11,150
11.03.1950	D1-1	Dawson	10,288
27.01.1951	L1-2	Lunn	9,620
15.09.1951	L1-4	Onslow	8,797
07.02.1953	D1-1		7,621
31.10.1953	L0-4		6,648
08.09.1954	D1-1	Owen	11,359
17.03.1956	L0-4		10,638
22.09.1956	L0-7		12,930
26.04.1958	D1-1	Hudson	9,546
04.04.1959	D3-3	Edwards 2, own goal	10,970
26.12.1959	L1-3	Gauld	7,862
04.03.1961	L1-2	Summerbee	8,113
13.01.1962	D0-0		9,864
08.12.1962	D0-0		7,699
12.03.1966	L0-1		6,333
29.10.1966	W4-1	Brown 4	7,469
02.09.1968	L1-2	Terry	12,217
18.09.1968	L0-2		6,216
31.03.1975	D1-1	Eastoe	10,537
01.01.1987	L0-1		

#### Football League Cup

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#### F.A. Cup

27.11.1926 D1-1 Moss 9,417

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**In their first match for nearly a month our 'Sunday Mirror' Combination team gained a 4-3 win at Forest Green against Bristol Rovers on Tuesday November 10th.**

Considering that they were trailing Rovers 3-1 at half time it was a meritable fight back. Particularly so when you consider that five of the team had appeared in the F.A. Youth Cup with Newport County the previous evening.

The Town also included Kevin Roberts in goal. Kevin had been with the Town ten years previously and agreed to help the Club out in an emergency.

A mix-up in the Town defence presented Martin Boyle with the opportunity to put Rovers ahead in the tenth minute. Former Town player Steve Tobin scored the second of Rovers' three goals following a breakaway in the 29th minute.

**The usually reliable Peter Coyne missed a 35th minute penalty when Rovers Tim Carter pushed his attempt away. The alert Alan McLoughlin was on hand to follow-up and net the Towns opening goal.**

Steve Tobin continued to be a thorn in his former Clubs side as he shot Rovers further ahead just before half time.



• **Bryan Wade** - A welcome return to goal-scoring form for the Bath born striker with two goals against Bristol Rovers Reserves at Forest Green.

**Kieran O'Regan** made the opening for Bryan Wade to score in the 55th minute. Not content with that the former Trowbridge Town striker put the Town level again in the 85th minute after some fine play by Peter Coyne.

**The rampant Town team took the points with a last gasp effort from John Kennedy.**

This was a fine result for the Town and one that should give the younger players confidence in their ability to play more successfully at this level.

**Team: Roberts, McLoughlin, Marshall, Simpson, Merriman, Casserly, Kennedy, O'Regan, Wade, Coyne, Viveash. Substitute: Barnett (for McLoughlin in 70th minute).**

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**Our Midland Youth Cup Second Round match with Wolverhampton Wanderers will now be played on Monday December 14th 1987 at the County Ground, kick-off 7.30 p.m.**

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**Our Abbey National Building Society sponsored South East Counties League team failed to gain maximum points from their fourth match in succession when they travelled to London to meet Tottenham Hotspur on Saturday November 14th. Against a strong Tottenham team the Town were in arrears within minutes of the kick-off.**

A long through ball pierced the Town defence and with the back four standing square Macintosh took advantage of some casual play to score.

Town 'keeper Darryl Smith was at fault when Spurs increased their lead in the 25th minute when he made a poor attempt to deal with a

corner, pushing the ball into the path of Dosiu who netted with ease. Tottenham went further ahead in the 37th minute when Alexandrou gave them a 3-0 half time lead.

The Town improved in the second half and reduced the arrears in the fifty-sixth minute when Adrian Viveash headed home a Fitzroy Simpson free kick.



• **Tony Hammersley** - whose ball skills have often brought praise from Town boss Lou Macari this season. Tony, in the first year of his traineeship, has scored three goals this season in S.E. Counties League matches.

Mark Lea scored his second goal of the season when he headed home Tony Hammersley's centre. Any hopes that the Town had of drawing level were dashed in the seventy-fifth minute when Tottenham surged forward for Tattler to score, somewhat against the run of play.

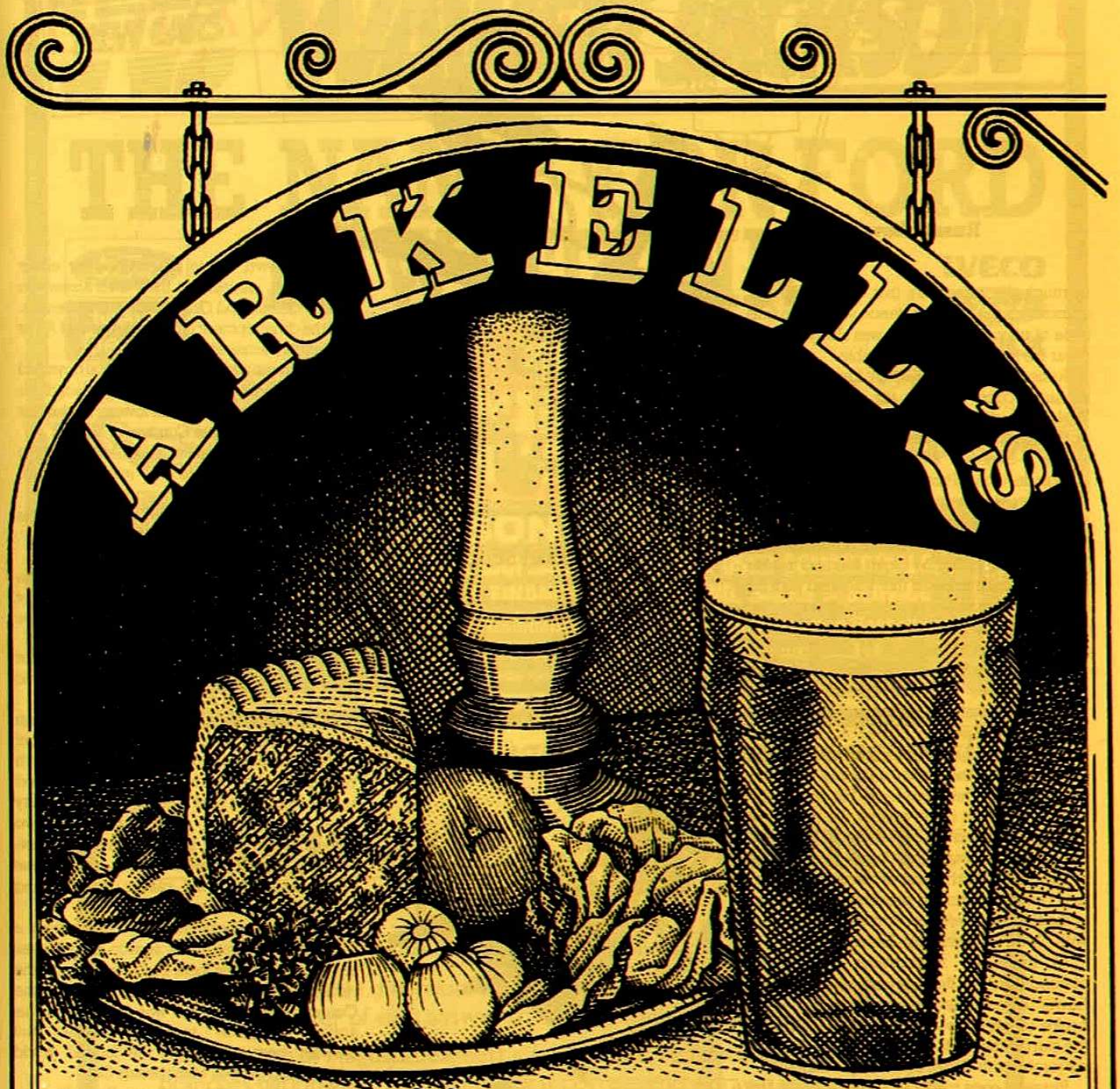
The eighteen goals conceded in the last seven League matches pinpoint the deficiencies in the Town defence while the fourteen goals scored in that same period equally shows that the Town youth's are as capable as any team in attack.

**Team: Smith, Barnett, Morgan, Hammersley, Sandrey, Casserly, Lea, Simpson, Summerbee, Hunt, Viveash. Substitutes: Fletcher (for Summerbee in 70th minute), O'Neill.**

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 • **The Abbey National Building Society sponsor Swindon Town Youth Team.** .....

• **Our next match in the South East Counties League is on Saturday next December 5th when the Town play local rivals Oxford United at Lydiard Park. Kick-off 11.00 a.m.**

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### For Future Reference...

In years to come how many of the boys who appeared in the recent Schoolboy International trial at the County Ground on Wednesday November 4th will appear in the professional game? In five years time it will be interesting to reflect back and take a look at the name appearing on that particular November evening in each squad.

**WEST OF ENGLAND:** Alan Knott (Stroud), Andy Fox (North Avon), Lee Madison (North Avon), Graham Smith (South West Avon), Nicky Good (North Avon), Paul Tisdale (Bath and Wansdyke), Brendan Turner (South West Avon), Adrian Smith (Cheltenham), Christian White (Swindon), Michael Macari (Swindon), Marcus Stewart (Bristol), Mark Slender (Cheltenham), Mark Balsdon (Plymouth), Chris Chinnick (North Avon).

**SOUTH OF ENGLAND:** Mark Lockwood (Portsmouth), Tony Frankland (Basingstoke), Paul Harwood (Mid-Oxfordshire), James Redknapp (Bournemouth), James Bradley (East Berkshire), Martin Mallins (East Berkshire), Michael Bixby (Slough), Stuart Doling (Southampton), Andrew Case (Bournemouth), Matthew Keeble (Mid-Oxfordshire), Justin Lee (Vale of White Horse), Stuart Fisher (Vale of White Horse), Mark Goldring (Havant), Stephen Bence (Vale of White Horse), Paul Shan (East Berkshire), Michael Macak (Oxford).

A total of 127 watched the match which ended in a 5-3 victory for the South of England Michael Macari and James Redknapp are the sons of today's

respective Managers Lou Macari and Harry Redknapp.

### Under-15 International Programme 1987-88...

England will be playing no fewer than ten International matches this season.

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March 14th

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March 28th

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May 2nd

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### I'll Do It My Way...

Ian Bowyer wants to follow Swindon Town out of football's basement - but he'll be doing it his way.

In a recent newspaper report he stated that he did not want to play the long ball game which has served Wimbledon, Watford and Lou Macari's team so well.

Bowyer declared "All my success has been achieved playing one way and I don't see any reason to change." He then added, "With respect, Swindon Town have won nothing. The system has worked at the lower levels but I haven't seen Wimbledon or Watford doing much in Division One. I prefer to look at an example like Mansfield. They've come out of Division Four playing good possession football."

**Question:** With respect, what have Mansfield Town won?

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### Too Much Interference?..

Football and police chiefs are to meet over the growing alarm over criminal charges against players.

The League are concerned over the recent court proceedings against four players in the recent Glasgow derby at Ibrox Park.

Surely referees and the disciplinary penalties imposed are punishment. Football is equal to the situation, if not will every local match soon have to ensure that they have a police officer in attendance?

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## A RAKER' VIEW



• Dave Bamber on heading duty against Plymouth in the 1-1 draw.



• Bobby Barnes congratulated by colleague Jim Quinn on his goal against Plymouth.

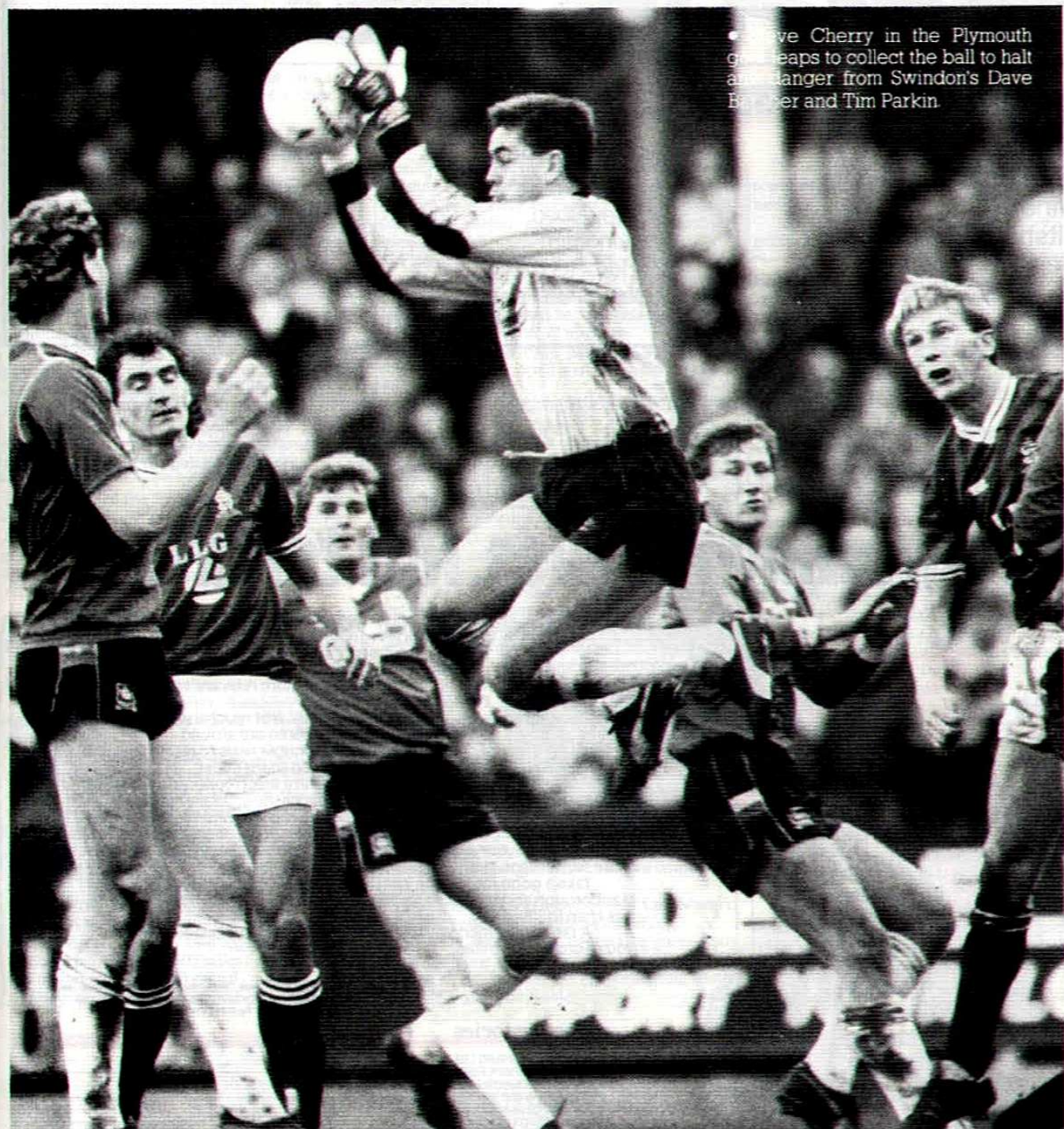


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## WITH DAVE EVANS

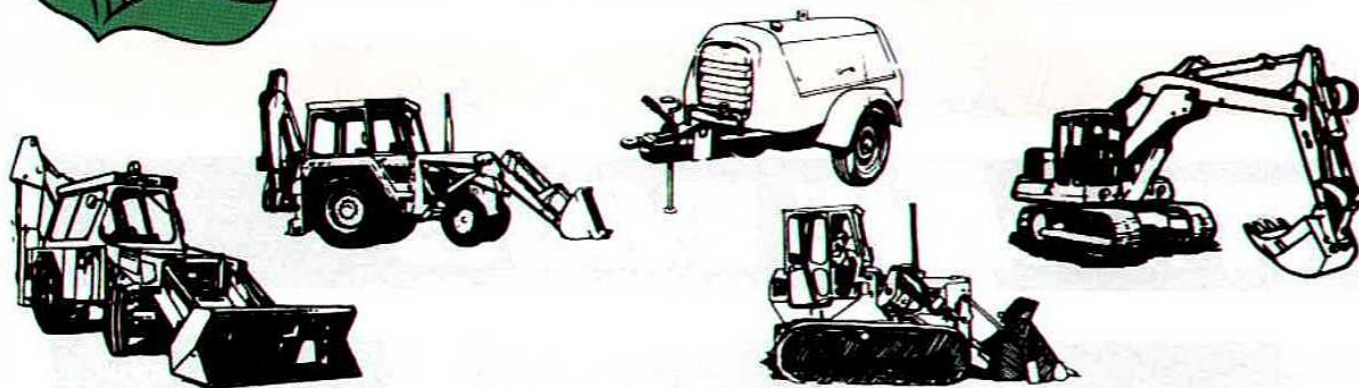
• Dave Cherry in the Plymouth goal leaps to collect the ball to halt an attack from Swindon's Dave Butler and Tim Parkin.





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# THE MOONRAKER PAPER



David Box of 'The People' thought that Tim Flowers brought the Town a change of luck in our last home match with Plymouth Argyle. David obviously viewed a point as a bonus!

On the evidence of this match, that could hardly have been all down to reserve keeper Hammond.

Yet Flowers was as big a culprit as the men in front of him on one occasion in this hectic affair.

He froze in a 50-50 race for the ball and watched gratefully at Tynan missed a sitter in the most appalling fashion.

At least Flowers brought Swindon a change of luck - as shown when Hodges chipped over an open goal.

Plymouth began twitchily, then they were lifted by Swindon defender King. He conceded a corner, Flowers punched clear, Anderson whipped in a return centre to the far post, and Evans rose to head home.

Bamber should have done better with a peach of a centre from Barnes and Kamara vollied over too hastily as the ball broke towards him from the packed goalmouth.

Plymouth were lucky to survive the second penalty appeal when Bamber was decked by Anderson and Cooper before Swindon equalised on the half-time whistle.

Kamara sent both Bamber and Barnes sprinting after a through pass and Barnes won the race, nudging the ball left of Cherry.

Laurie Gray of the 'Western Daily Press' concentrated his match report on the players apparent lack of fitness. After the-match comments, along with those from Tim Flowers and Bobby Barnes, made his full report a case of wisdom in hindsight.

On-loan keeper Tim Flowers described his first game back at the County Ground as frantic - but Swindon manager Lou Macari has news for him and his team mates.

Macari's message after Saturday's draw against the Pilgrims was simply: "I'm going to get my players fit."

"We are not as sharp as we have been during the first couple of months of the season. Some of our lads looked tired towards the end - some were dying on their feet."

"We were getting caught down the right side, and we were in all sorts of trouble - and I put that tiredness down to not training hard enough. That's my opinion, although it maybe won't be the players."

Macari was right. Visitors Plymouth (this is their nearest Division Two local derby - only a round trip of some 400 miles) always played the neater, one-touch football.

They could have snatched victory in the

closing stages particularly when wily veteran Tommy Tynan looked set to cash in on a Kevin Hodges' cross, only for Flowers to make amends for some earlier indecision with a double-barrelled save.

Flowers, fresh back from Belgrade duty with the England under 21 squad, despite being out of favour at Southampton, had barely laid hands on the ball when he found himself picking it out of the net after 11 minutes.

A corner was only partially cleared and Stewart Evans jumped well to bury the header from ten yards.

Swindon, automaton-like in their attempts to find Jimmy Quinn and Dave Bamber with a monotonous long-ball routine, finally accomplished something most home fans had been begging for after 28 minutes. They gave Bobby Barnes the ball.

Barnes, emulating his more illustrious England namesake, promptly skinned Leigh Cooper and belted in a delightful cross which Dave Bamber nodded over from ten yards.

Better was to follow. Barnes began to look increasingly dangerous (but he does need the ball to do that) and in the 44th minute, from an astute Chris Kamara through-pass, he evaded Steve Cherry's lunge and calmly stroked home his third League goal since joining from Aldershot.

Barnes said: "It's always nice to score, but to be honest I'd be happier to pick up the points rather than the goals."

"Since I've come here I think we've won only one League game, and I think the lads look upon me as a bit of a Jonah!"

"For three or four games we played very well, and were a bit unlucky, but the boot was on the other foot Saturday, and we could have got beaten."

But the final word came from Lou Macari, and it reverted to his fitness theme.

"If your fitness goes, everything goes - your passing, your attitude, your state of mind. If you're tired, you can forget something somebody told you 15 minutes ago."

"I weighed all the players the other day, and some of them are heavier than they have ever been."

"So, from today, I'm going to get them grafting - and get them fit."

Clive King, of the 'Sunday Express', was left wondering how the two sets of forwards were only able to find the net twice!

Swindon Town, who have not had the best of fortunes in recent matches, were held to a draw by West County rivals Plymouth in a dour end-to-end battle.

With both defences looking rocky, it was incredible that the two sets of forwards were only able to find the net twice.

Plymouth's shakiness was shown as early as the second minute when Gerry McElhinney handled a cross from Dave Hockaday in his own penalty area, but he was fortunate when referee Treford Mills gave a free kick against Dave Bamber.

Two minutes later, McElhinney hit a poor back pass that completely deceived his own goalkeeper Steve Cherry - who just managed to scoop the ball off the line for a corner.

Plymouth went in front in the 11th minute from their second corner.

Swindon's on-loan goalkeeper Tim Flowers punched out a corner from Doug Anderson but the ball went straight back to Anderson's feet. From his second cross Stewart Evans rose high to head home.

Plymouth top scorer Tommy Tynan was unlucky not to put Plymouth two up in the 22nd minute. He met a perfect cross from Kevin Hodges but his shot struck the angle of the bar and post and dropped back down to a relieved Flowers.

Swindon started to come back into the game and Dave Bamber and Jimmy Quinn both went close. They drew level a minute from half-time when a quick through ball from Chris Kamara caught the Plymouth defence napping.

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DATE	OPPONENTS	V	Attd	Result	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
15.8.87	SAT BRADFORD CITY	A	10,553	0-2	Digby	Hockaday	King	Coyne	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	Gittens
<b>18.8.87</b>	<b>TUE BRISTOL CITY 7.45 (LC)</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>6,807</b>	<b>3-0</b>	Digby	O'Regan	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Kelly	Gittens†
<b>22.8.87</b>	<b>SAT SHEFFIELD UNITED</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>8,637</b>	<b>2-0</b>	Digby	O'Regan	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood (1)	Bamber	Kelly
25.8.87	TUE BRISTOL CITY (LC)	A	7,013	2-3	Digby	O'Regan	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Coyne†	Berry (p)
29.8.87	SAT WEST BROM.	A	8,503	2-1	Digby	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	Kelly (1)
<b>31.8.87</b>	<b>MON HULL CITY 7.45</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>9,600</b>	<b>0-0</b>	Digby	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	Berry†
5.9.87	SAT MIDDLESBROUGH	A	9,344	3-2	Digby	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber (1)	O'Regan
<b>12.9.87</b>	<b>SAT BIRMINGHAM CITY</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>9,128</b>	<b>0-2</b>	Digby	Hockaday	King†	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	O'Regan
15.9.87	TUE BARNLEY	A	7,773	1-0	Digby	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber (1)	O'Regan
19.9.87	SAT IPSWICH TOWN	A	11,460	2-3	Digby	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	O'Regan†
<b>22.9.87</b>	<b>TUE PORTSMOUTH 7.45 (LC)</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>9,878</b>	<b>3-1</b>	Digby	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	White†
<b>26.9.87</b>	<b>SAT READING</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>10,073</b>	<b>4-0</b>	Digby	Hockaday	King	Kamara (2)	Parkin (1)	Calderwood†	Bamber	Henry†
<b>29.9.87</b>	<b>TUE SHREWSBURY T.</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>8,261</b>	<b>1-1</b>	Digby	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	Henry†
3.10.87	SAT MILLWALL	A	7,108	2-2	Digby	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	O'Regan
7.10.87	WED PORTSMOUTH 8.00 (LC)	A	8,727	3-1	Digby	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber (2)	O'Regan
<b>10.10.87</b>	<b>SAT OLDHAM ATHLETIC</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>8,160</b>	<b>2-0</b>	Digby	Hockaday	King†	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber (1)	White (1)
<b>20.10.87</b>	<b>TUE STOKE CITY</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>9,160</b>	<b>3-0</b>	Digby	Hockaday	King†	Kamara	Parkin†	Calderwood	Bamber	White (2)
24.10.87	SAT CRYSTAL PALACE	A	9,077	1-2	Digby	Hockaday	King	O'Regan	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	White (1)
<b>28.10.87</b>	<b>WED WATFORD 8.00 (LC)</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>13,833</b>	<b>1-1</b>	Hammond	Hockaday†	King	O'Regan†	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	White
<b>31.10.87</b>	<b>SAT MANCHESTER CITY</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>11,536</b>	<b>3-4</b>	Hammond	Hockaday†	King	Barnard	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber (1)	White
3.11.87	TUE WATFORD 8.00 (LC)	A	12,286	2-4	Hammond	Hockaday	King	O'Regan†	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	Kamara
7.11.87	SAT LEICESTER CITY	A	8,346	2-3	Hammond	Hockaday	King	Barnard	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	Kamara
10.11.87	TUE BLACKBURN R. (Simod)	A	3,638	2-1	Hammond	Hockaday	King	Barnard	Parkin (1)	Calderwood	Bamber	Kamara
<b>14.11.87</b>	<b>SAT PLYMOUTH ARGYLE</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>9,616</b>	<b>1-1</b>	Flowers	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	Barnard
21.11.87	SAT LEEDS UNITED	A	15,457	2-4	Flowers	Hockaday	King†	Coyne	Gittens	Calderwood	Bamber	Barnard
<b>28.11.87</b>	<b>SAT A.F.C. BOURNEMTH</b>	<b>H</b>										
<b>1.12.87</b>	<b>TUE HUDDERSFIELD T. 7.45</b>	<b>H</b>										
5.12.87	SAT ASTON VILLA	A										
<b>11.12.87</b>	<b>FRI BARNLEY 7.45</b>	<b>H</b>										
20.12.87	SUN SHEFFIELD UTD (11 am)	A										
26.12.87	SAT READING	A										
<b>28.12.87</b>	<b>MON IPSWICH TOWN</b>	<b>H</b>										
<b>1.1.88</b>	<b>FRI WEST BROM.</b>	<b>H</b>										
2.1.88	SAT BIRMINGHAM CITY	A										
<b>16.1.88</b>	<b>SAT BRADFORD CITY</b>	<b>H</b>										
23.1.88	SAT HULL CITY	A										
<b>6.2.88</b>	<b>SAT MIDDLESBROUGH</b>	<b>H</b>										
13.2.88	SAT HUDDERSFIELD T.	A										
20.2.88	SAT SHREWSBURY T.	A										
<b>27.2.88</b>	<b>SAT MILLWALL</b>	<b>H</b>										
12.3.88	SAT OLDHAM ATHLETIC	A										
19.3.88	SAT MANCHESTER CITY	A										
<b>26.3.88</b>	<b>SAT CRYSTAL PALACE</b>	<b>H</b>										
<b>2.4.88</b>	<b>SAT LEICESTER CITY</b>	<b>H</b>										
4.4.88	MON PLYMOUTH ARGYLE	A										
<b>9.4.88</b>	<b>SAT BLACKBURN ROV.</b>	<b>H</b>										
23.4.88	SAT STOKE CITY	A										
<b>30.4.88</b>	<b>SAT LEEDS UNITED</b>	<b>H</b>										
2.5.88	MON A.F.C. BOURNEMTH	A										
<b>7.5.88</b>	<b>SAT ASTON VILLA</b>	<b>H</b>										

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9	10	11	12	14
Quinn	Kelly†	Kamara	Barnard	Henry†
Quinn (3)	Bamber	Barnard	Coyne	Henry†
Quinn (1)	Berry	Barnard	Henry	Foley
Quinn	Bamber (1)	Barnard	Foley	Henry†
Quinn (1)	Berry†	Barnard	Coyne†	Foley
Quinn	Foley	Barnard	Henry	Coyne†
Quinn (1)	Foley	Barnard (1)	Henry	White
Quinn	Foley	Barnard	Coyne†	Kelly†
Quinn†	Foley†	Barnard	Kelly†	Henry†
Quinn (1)	Foley	Barnard (1)	White	Kelly†
Quinn (2 + p)	Foley	Barnard	Henry	O'Regan†
Quinn (p)	Foley	Barnard	White†	Gittens†
Quinn (1)	Foley	Barnard	White	Gittens†
Henry	Foley (1)	Barnard	White	Quinn (1)†
Quinn	Foley†	Barnard	White(1)†	Henry†
Quinn	Foley	Barnard	Kelly†	Henry
Quinn (1)	Foley	Barnes	Barnard†	Henry†
Gittens	Barnard†	Barnes	Coyne	Henry†
Quinn (1)	Foley	Barnard	Henry†	Gittens†
Quinn†	Foley (1)	Barnes (1)	O'Regan†	Henry†
Quinn (1)	Foley (1)	Barnard	White†	Kelly
Quinn (1)	Foley	Barnes (1)	O'Regan	White
White†	Gittens(1)†	Barnes	Henry†	Foley†
Quinn†	Foley†	Barnes	O'Regan†	White†
Quinn	O'Regan†	Barnes (2)	Henry†	White

† Denotes substitute used and player replaced

### DIVISION TWO LEAGUE TABLE

	HOME					AWAY					Pts	
	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F		A
Bradford City	20	8	1	1	22	7	5	3	2	12	10	43
Middlesbrough	20	7	2	1	19	6	5	2	3	12	8	40
Hull City	20	7	4	0	17	8	3	3	3	12	10	37
Ipswich Town	20	9	1	0	19	4	1	6	4	8	12	36
Aston Villa	20	2	5	3	11	11	7	2	1	16	6	34
Crystal Palace	19	7	1	1	22	9	3	2	5	17	19	33
Millwall	19	6	1	1	20	9	4	2	5	11	16	33
Man. City	19	6	2	2	31	11	3	3	3	13	15	32
Blackburn R.	19	5	3	2	13	8	3	3	3	12	13	30
Birmingham C.	20	4	5	1	12	11	4	1	5	11	17	30
Barnsley	20	6	1	3	22	14	2	4	4	7	11	29
Leeds United	20	6	2	2	14	10	0	6	4	9	17	28
<b>Swindon Town</b> ..	<b>18</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>25</b>
Stoke City	20	5	3	2	12	7	1	2	7	3	19	23
Leicester C.	19	5	2	4	17	11	1	2	5	12	17	22
Sheff. Utd.	21	4	3	4	15	14	2	1	7	8	19	22
Plymouth A.	20	4	3	3	22	15	1	3	6	9	21	21
West Brom. A.	20	5	2	3	18	11	1	1	8	8	23	21
<b>Bournemouth</b> ...	<b>19</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>20</b>
Shrewsbury T.	20	2	3	4	10	10	1	4	6	7	18	16
Oldham Ath.	18	3	3	3	10	11	1	1	7	4	16	16
Reading	18	2	1	5	10	12	1	3	6	8	22	13
Huddersfield T.	19	1	4	4	8	14	1	2	7	13	33	12

### APPEARANCES

	DIVISION TWO			LITTLEWOODS CUP			SIMOD CUP		
	App	Sub	Goals	App	Sub	Goals	App	Sub	Goals
David Bamber	18	0	4	6	0	3	1	0	0
Colin Calderwood	18	0	1	6	0	0	1	0	0
Phil King	18	0	0	6	0	0	1	0	0
Tim Parkin	17	0	1	6	0	0	1	0	1
Dave Hockaday	17	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	0
Jimmy Quinn	16	1	6+2p	6	0	6+2p	-	-	-
Leigh Barnard	16	1	2	6	0	0	1	0	0
Chris Kamara	15	0	2	5	0	0	1	0	0
Fraser Digby	14	0	0	4	0	0	-	-	-
Steve Foley	13	0	0	4	0	1	0	1	0
Kieran O'Regan	8	2	0	5	1	0	-	-	-
Bobby Barnes	5	0	5	-	-	-	1	0	0
Charlie Henry	4	6	0	0	4	0	0	1	0
Steve White	4	1	4	2	2	1	1	0	0
John Kelly	3	4	1	1	0	0	-	-	-
Jon Gittens	3	2	0	1	1	0	1	0	1
Steve Berry	3	0	0	1	0	1p	-	-	-
Peter Coyne	2	3	0	1	0	0	-	-	-
Nicky Hammond	2	3	0	1	0	0	-	-	-
Tim Flowers	2	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Steve Berry	1 Goal
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3. Phil King
4. Peter Coyne
5. Jon Gittens
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6. Mark Whitlock
7. Sean O'Driscoll
8. David Puckett
9. Trevor Aylott
10. Richard Cooke
11. Mark O'Connor
12. Tom Heffernan
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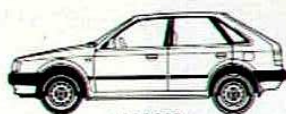
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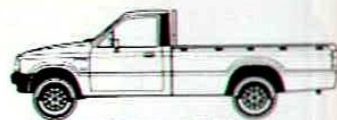
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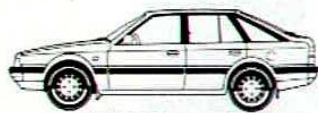
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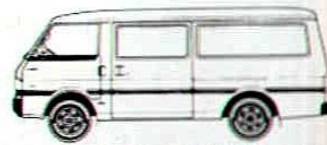
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