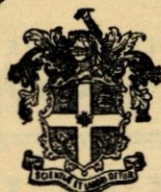


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BOBBERS NOTES

There is no doubt that nearly all of you here today saw and read "Chiltern's" remarks in the "Saturday Telegraph" last week regarding our collection around the ground today, to help swell our fund for the covering of Kenilworth Road

Terraces which now stands at £758. We also often see in the papers, that the turnstiles were still clicking when the teams came on the field. Now, let us be able to say, we heard your **coins being dropped in the collecting boxes** instead. The above amount has been obtained from our efforts in the Club and we are determined to maintain Johnny Walker's motto, "Still going strong" and with the help **all of you** can give it will make our part much easier. The chief aim is for the comfort and benefit of all who follow the football club, and although we are making these collections we still **want you to become a member of the Bobbers Club**. At this point we would like to thank the old life member who sent us one guinea towards our building fund. Now that a start in that direction has been made, it would not surprise us if others do likewise. There is no sum too small or too large that we shall not be pleased to receive. Collectors will be at all the entrance gates to the ground so as not to miss you and you make up your mind not to miss them. The amount of each collection will be given in the following week's Match Programme and as there will be a London Club, Crystal Palace Reserves here next Saturday, make it a bumper collection so that on their return to Selhurst Park they will tell their supporters **what Luton Supporters can do**.

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CLUB NOTES

We receive a visit today from our old rivals—Southampton. Many are the tussles we have had in the past, and today's game will be no exception as both of us are desperately in need of points. Our opponents certainly have two more points than us and have played one game less, but, like us, they feel they are too near the bottom to take things easy and consequently every game for both of us just now is one of great import. We shall therefore see a great struggle this afternoon, and if we win we shall feel something has been achieved for Southampton is always a very difficult team to beat. Newcastle, last week, at the "Dell," could only make a draw of it, so our lads will have to start with their sleeves rolled up and not slacken until the final whistle has been blown. Southampton, like us, are in the unenviable position of not having picked up a single point away from home this season. Let us hope it has not been left to us to provide them with their first one (or two!)

We just were not able to bring that much-needed point away from Chesterfield last week, although it was a near thing. Just that little bit of extra bite was needed in the vicinity of the goalmouth to do it. Our approach work was, as usual, all that could be desired, but that snap for the last kick just was not forthcoming. We feel, however, that injuries have played a major part in our misfortune, but we can now look ahead with more hope, for next Saturday it is confidently expected that Hughie Billington will be fit again and, moreover, Eddie Duggan will be available, and with Eddie Connelly and Mel. Daniel both fully recovered, we shall indeed look forward with

brighter hopes to the future. Today we see our latest capture, Alan Driver, for the first time. His two games so far in the Town's colours make us feel we have done a good stroke of business in getting this lad. Unfortunately we cannot get him a house in Luton, so that he has to travel to and from Sheffield for each match, but we hope it is only a temporary measure and that before very long when this has been remedied, he will really feel one of ourselves.

The proceeds of the two Practice Matches held in August this year, without any deductions whatsoever, amounted to £520-19-0, and we show you herewith how the money has been distributed amongst the various Charitable Organisations.

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6. Papworth Village Settlement	50	0	0
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8. Luton and Dunstable Hospital—Samaritan Fund	40	19	0
9. Luton Police Aided Boot Fund	100	0	0
10. Police Court Mission	10	0	0
11. Secretaries' and Managers' Benevolent Fund	30	0	0
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11 **Grant** Outside Left
10 **Roper** Inside Left

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3 **Rochford** Left Back

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3 **Beach** Left Back

6 **Goodyear** Left Half

10 **Connelly** Inside Left

11 **Waugh** Outside Left

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8 **Bates** Inside Right

7 **Evans** Outside Right

4 **Stroud** Right Half

2 **Ellerington** Right Back

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TODAY'S HALF-TIME SCORES

NOTE. The letter in the Programme corresponds with the letter on the Board—thus A 0-1 means that the first-named club has scored 0 and their opponents 1.

FIRST LIST

A WALES	v	SCOTLAND	.....
B ARSENAL	v	STOKE CITY	.....
C ASTON VILLA	v	CHARLTON A.	.....
D BLACKBURN	v	SHEFFIELD UN.	.....
E BLACKPOOL	v	MANCH. UN.	.....
F BRENTFORD	v	PRESTON N.E.	.....
G DERBY CO'NTY	v	MIDDLESBRO'	.....
H EVERTON	v	BOLTON WAN.	.....
K HUDDERSFIELD	v	LIVERPOOL	.....
L PORTSMOUTH	v	CHELSEA	.....
M SUNDERLAND	v	GRIMSBY T.	.....
N WOLVES	v	LEEDS UNITED	.....

SECOND LIST

A BRADFORD	v	NEWCASTLE	.....
B BURY	v	NEWPORT CO'	.....
C CHESTERFIELD	v	BIRMINGHAM	.....
D FULHAM	v	BARNLEY	.....
E LEICESTER C.	v	COVENTRY C.	.....
F MANCH. CITY	v	SWANSEA T.	.....
G MILLWALL A.	v	WEST BROM.	.....
H PLYMOUTH A.	v	NOTTS. FOR.	.....
K WEDNESDAY	v	BURNLEY	.....
L WEST HAM U.	v	TOTTENHAM	.....
M ABERDEEN	v	Q'N OF SOUTH	.....
N HIBERNIANS	v	HAMILTON	.....

THIRD LIST

A ALDERSHOT	v	WALSALL	.....
B BOURNEM'UTH	v	SOUTHEND U.	.....
C BRIGHTON & H.	v	READING	.....
D BRISTOL CITY	v	MANSFIELD T.	.....
E CARDIFF C.	v	QUEEN'S P. R.	.....
F EXETER CITY	v	CRYSTAL PAL.	.....
G NORTHAMPT'N	v	WATFORD	.....
H NORWICH C.	v	LEYTON O.	.....
K NOTTS. CO'TY	v	IPSWICH T.
L PORT VALE	v	TORQUAY U.
M SWINDON T.	v	BRISTOL ROY.
N RANGERS	v	QUEEN'S PARK

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FIRST XI Division II		1938/39		F. A.	
Sat., Aug. 31	Sheffield Wednesday	1 5	H 4	1	
Wed., Sept. 4	Bradford	1 2	A	1 2	
Sat., " 7	Fulham	1 2	A	1 2	
Wed., " 11	Millwall	0 0	H	3 0	
Sat., " 14	Bury	2 1	H	2 0	
Sat., " 21	Nottingham Forest	4 2	A	2 4	
Sat., " 28	Plymouth Argyle	1 4	A	1 2	
Sat., Oct. 5	Leicester City			H 1 2	
Mon., " 7	Millwall	1 2	A	0 2	
Sat., " 12	Chesterfield	2 1	A	1 2	
Sat., " 19	Southampton	6 2	H		
Sat., " 26	Newport County			A	
Sat., Nov. 2	Barnley			H	
Sat., " 9	Burnley	2 3	A		
Sat., " 16	Tottenham Hotspur	0 0	H		
Sat., " 23	Swansea Town	3 2	A		
Sat., " 30	Newcastle United	2 1	H		
Sat., Dec. 7	West Bromwich Albion	0 3	A		
Sat., " 14	Birmingham			H	
Sat., " 21	Coventry City	0 1	A		
Wed., " 25	West Ham United	1 0	A		
Thur., " 26	West Ham United	1 2	H		
Sat., " 28	Sheffield Wednesday	1 4	A		
Sat., Jan. 4	Fulham	2 1	H		
Sat., " 11	F.A. Cup (3rd Round)				
Sat., " 18	Bury	5 2	A		
Sat., " 25	Nottingham Forest	1 0	H		
Sat., Feb. 1	Plymouth Argyle	3 4	H		
Sat., " 8	Leicester City			A	
Sat., " 15	Chesterfield	5 0	H		
Sat., " 22	Southampton	4 0	A		
Sat., Mar. 1	Newport County			H	
Sat., " 8	Barnley			A	
Sat., " 15	Burnley	3 0	H		
Sat., " 22	Tottenham Hotspur	0 2	A		
Sat., " 29	Swansea Town	6 3	H		
Fri., April 4	Manchester City	2 1	A		
Sat., " 5	Newcastle United	0 2	A		
Mon., " 7	Manchester City	3 0	H		
Sat., " 12	West Bromwich Albion	3 1	H		
Sat., " 19	Birmingham			A	
Sat., " 26	Coventry City	1 3	H		
Sat., May 3	Bradford	2 2	H		

RESERVE FIXTURES Football Combination F. A.		1938/39		F. A.	
Sat., Aug. 31	Northampton Town	0 0	H	1 1	
Wed., Sept. 4	Arsenal	0 1	H	1 4	
Sat., " 7	Arsenal	2 4	A	1 0	
Wed., " 11	Norwich City			A 2 3	
Sat., " 14	Norwich City			A 9 2	
Wed., " 18	Norwich City			A 2 2	
Sat., " 21	Swindon Town			H 1 1	
Wed., " 25	Swindon Town			A 7 1	
Sat., " 28	Ipswich Town			H 1 3	
Wed., Oct. 2	Cardiff City			H 1 3	
Wed., " 9	Cardiff City			A 1 0	
Sat., " 12	Northampton Town	4 1	A	0 2	
Wed., " 16	Southend United	4 0	H	1 1	
Sat., " 19	Leyton Orient	1 2	A		
Sat., " 26	Crystal Palace	5 0	H		
Sat., Nov. 2	Southend United	1 1	A		
Wed., " 6	Plymouth Argyle			H	
Sat., " 9	Reading	7 0	H		
Sat., " 16	Tottenham Hotspur	2 2	A		
Sat., " 23	Tottenham Hotspur	1 1	H		
Wed., " 27	Birmingham			A	
Sat., " 30	Charlton Athletic	3 2	A		
Sat., Dec. 7	Leyton Orient	5 0	H		
Sat., " 14	Crystal Palace	0 0	A		
Sat., " 21	Charlton Athletic	4 2	H		
Wed., " 25	Millwall	3 0	H		
Thurs., " 26	Millwall	5 1	A		
Sat., " 28	Birmingham City			H	
Sat., Jan. 4	Ipswich Town			A	
Sat., " 11	Reading	4 2	A		
Combination Cup					
Sat., Jan. 18	Watford			H	
Sat., " 25	Watford			A	
Sat., Feb. 1	Leicester City			A	
Sat., " 8	Leicester City			H	
Sat., " 15					
Sat., " 22	Northampton Town			A	
Sat., Mar. 1	Coventry City			H	
Wed., " 5	Northampton Town			H	
Sat., " 8	Coventry City			H	
Sat., " 15					
Wed., " 19	Birmingham City			A	
Sat., " 22	Birmingham City			A	
Wed., " 26	Norwich City			A	
Sat., " 29	Ipswich Town			A	
Fri., April 4	Norwich City			H	
Sat., " 5	Ipswich Town			H	
Sat., " 12					
Football Combination					
Sat., April 19	Plymouth Argyle			H	
Sat., " 26					
Sat., May 3					

LEAGUE TABLES

LEAGUE DIVISION II										
	Pld.	Won	Drn.	Lost	For	Agst.	P.			
Barnley	11	6	4	1	27	17	16			
Newcastle United	10	4	5	1	28	9	13			
Manchester City	9	5	3	1	20	8	13			
Chesterfield	9	5	3	1	11	5	13			
Tottenham Hotspur	10	5	3	2	19	12	13			
West Brom. A.	10	6	1	3	25	16	13			
Burnley	10	5	3	2	14	11	13			
Fulham	10	5	3	2	22	22	13			
Birmingham	11	4	2	5	14	13	10			
Plymouth Argyle	9	3	4	2	16	16	10			
Bradford	9	3	3	3	16	16	9			
Coventry City	10	2	5	3	13	15	9			
Leicester City	10	3	2	5	15	14	9			
Southampton	9	3	1	4	15	13	8			
West Ham United	9	4	0	5	13	16	8			
Swansea Town	10	3	2	5	17	25	8			
Bury	10	1	5	4	16	18	7			
Notts Forest	9	3	1	5	18	21	7			
Millwall	10	2	3	5	11	19	7			
LUTON TOWN	10	3	0	7	16	17	6			
Sheffield Wednesday	10	2	2	6	15	24	6			
Newport County	9	1	1	7	15	43	3			

FOOTBALL COMBINATION—Section "A"										
	Pld.	Won	Drn.	Lost	For	Agst.	P.			
Cardiff City	12	10	0	2	39	19	20			
Arsenal	12	9	0	3	32	13	18			
Tottenham Hotspur	12	9	0	3	28	12	18			
Ipswich Town	13	8	1	4	37	28	17			
Charlton Athletic	11	6	2	3	30	18	14			
Norwich City	12	4	5	3	31	36	13			
Reading	13	5	3	5	21	25	13			
Northampton Town	12	4	4	4	28	28	12			
Crystal Palace	12	4	2	6	16	27	10			
Millwall	12	3	3	6	20	22	9			
LUTON TOWN	12	3	2	7	26	33	8			
Swindon Town	12	2	4	6	14	28	8			
Birmingham City	7	2	3	2	10	9	7			
Plymouth Argyle	11	3	1	7	18	26	7			
Southend United	10	3	1	6	14	23	7			
Leyton Orient	13	1	3	9	12	29	5			

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