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## CLUB CHATTER.

(by "Tyke")

After two goalless games, in which they suffered defeat, Barnsley's 4—1 victory over Fulham was a welcome tonic for their supporters.

Most gratifying feature was the magnificent exhibition of goalkeeping given by Pat Kelly to justify the faith that Manager Angus Seed and others have held in him.

His in-and-out form, on his arrival at Oakwell from Aberdeen, was both surprising and disappointing, and it was not until it was realised that he was a sick man that it could be explained.

Directors and management acted wisely. They sent him home for a complete rest . . . he did not touch a ball for three weeks . . . and since then he has gained an ever-increasing circle of admirers by his displays with the Reserves.

Against Fulham he was in brilliant form, made the penalty area his own particular territory, handled the ball confidently and competently, and his uncanny anticipation was equalled only by his fearlessness.

Generally, however, Barnsley were still below the form of which we know they are capable! Half-backs were hesitant against quick-moving and cohesive forwards, and the backs, until they improved, were often in difficulties.

As a result the forwards were given little opportunity to settle down, and although they scored in 47 minutes, it was not until the second half that Robledo found the support he required.

Against Luton, this afternoon, Barnsley will have to go into the tackle with greater speed and "bite," and bring a five-point attack into action.

It is not sufficient to have individual brilliance . . . there must be that crisp, fast, cohesive footwork, which shows an underlying purpose and design.

That the boys can show that, I have not the slightest doubt . . . they have done so on many occasions . . . and if they are in that mood we can look to them to avenge their 3—1 defeat last November

LEAGUE—DIVISION 2.		F	A
Aug. 31—Notts Forest	h	3	2
Sept 2—Sheffield Wed.	a	4	2
7—Coventry City	a	1	1
9—Sheffield Wed.	h	4	1
14—Birmingham City	h	3	1
M 16—Burnley	h	1	0
21—West Brom.	a	5	2
23—Newcastle United	h	1	1
M 30—Burnley	a	2	2
Oct. 5—Swansea Town	a	2	2
12—Tottenham H.	h	1	3
19—Fulham	a	1	6
26—Bury	h	4	0
Nov. 2—Luton Town	a	1	3
9—Plymouth Argyle	h	1	3
16—Leicester City	a	0	6
23—Chesterfield	h	1	2
30—Millwall	a	1	3
Dec. 7—Bradford P.A.	h	3	1
14—Manchester City	a	1	5
21—West Ham United	h	1	2
XD 25—Southampton	h	4	4
BD 26—Southampton	a	1	1
23—Notts Forest	a	1	2
Jan. 4—Coventry City	h	0	2
11—3rd Rd. E.C. Hudd.	a	4	3
25—4th Rd. EC Preston	a	0	6
18—Birmingham City	a	2	1
Feb. 1—Newcastle United	a	2	4
Mar. 1—Bury	a	4	4
15—Plymouth Argyle	a	2	3
22—Leicester City	h	1	0
29—Chesterfield	a	1	2
Apl. 4—Newport County	h	3	1
5—Millwall	h	4	1
EM 7—Newport County	a	1	2
12—Bradford P.A.	a	3	1
19—Manchester City	h	0	2
26—West Ham United	a	0	4
May 3—Fulham	h	4	1
10—Luton Town	h		
17—Swansea Town	h		
W.M. 26—West Brom	h		
June 7—Tottenham H.	a		

LEAGUE—DIVISION II.												
	Home					Away					Goals	Pts
	P	W	D	L	W	D	L	F	A			
Manchester C.	36	14	3	1	9	6	3	68	29	55		
Burnley	36	11	7	2	9	5	2	54	24	52		
Birmingham	39	17	2	2	6	2	10	68	32	50		
Tottenham	39	11	6	2	6	6	8	64	51	46		
Newcastle U.	37	10	4	5	8	4	6	83	52	44		
Chesterfield	36	8	6	3	6	8	5	46	37	42		
West Brom	37	10	4	4	7	4	8	73	65	42		
Leicester City	37	10	4	5	7	2	9	64	55	40		
Coventry C.	38	9	8	1	4	5	11	58	56	39		
West Ham	38	12	4	4	3	3	12	67	67	37		
<b>Barnsley</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>35</b>		
Luton Town	39	11	4	4	3	3	14	62	66	35		
Bury	38	11	5	4	1	5	12	76	70	34		
Southampton	39	9	4	5	4	4	13	65	75	34		
Fulham	35	10	3	4	3	4	11	58	64	33		
Plymouth A.	38	11	3	7	3	2	12	76	86	33		
Bradford	34	6	5	7	5	5	6	53	57	32		
Notts For.	36	10	4	3	2	4	13	56	66	32		
Millwall	36	7	5	6	5	1	12	47	69	30		
Sheff. Wed.	38	9	4	6	2	3	14	66	81	29		
Swansea T.	39	8	1	10	2	6	12	52	77	27		
Newport C.	35	6	1	9	1	2	16	49	114	17		

Up to and including Sat. May 3rd.

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Aug. 31—Notts Forest Res.	a	1	0
Sept 7—Ransomes & Marles	h	2	4
14—Scunthorpe Untd.	a	3	2
W 18—Mansfield T. Res.	h	4	1
21—Boston United	h	9	1
28—Gainsbro' Trinity	a	0	2
Oct. 5—Notts County Res.	h	3	0
M 7—Mansfield T. Res.	a	2	0
12—Notts County Res.	a	2	1
19—Shrewsbury Town	h	2	1
26—Denaby United	a	2	2
Nov. 2—Gainsbro Trinity	h	2	1
9—Ransomes & Marles	a	2	3
16—Lincoln City Res.	h	4	0
23—Boston United	a	2	1
Dec. 7—Bradford P.A. Res.	a	1	5
14—Scarbro'	h	1	1
21—Peterborough Untd	a	3	1
XD 25—Rotherham U. Res.	a	1	4
BD 26—Rotherham U. Res.	h	2	2
28—Notts Forest Res.	h	4	0
Jan. 1—Frickley Colliery	a	4	0
4—Shrewsbury Town	a	3	3
11—Grimsby Town Res	a	3	1
18—Scunthorpe United	h	2	1
25—Grantham	a	1	3
Mar. 8—Hull City Res.	a	4	1
15—Denaby United	h	6	0
29—Hull City Res.	h	2	1
Apl. 4—Ollerton Colliery	a	5	1
EM 7—Frickley Colliery	h	4	0
ET 8—Grimsby T. Res.	h	1	1
12—Bradford P.A. Res.	h	0	2
23—Lincoln C. Res.	a	4	1
26—Grantham	h	1	1
May 10—Bradford City Res.	a		
17—Doncaster Res	a		
24—Bradford City R.	h		
W.M. 26—Scarborough	a		
31—Doncaster Res.	h		
June 7—Ollerton Colliery	h		
14—Peterborough Utd.	h		

### MIDLAND COUNTIES LEAGUE

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Grimsby T. Res.	35	24	5	6	122	52	54
Bradford Res.	38	24	12	2	122	65	50
Shrewsbury T.	35	22	9	4	101	65	48
Scunthorpe U.	33	20	6	7	105	48	47
<b>Barnsley Res.</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>46</b>
Notts For. Res.	31	19	6	6	90	48	44
Grantham T.	33	17	9	7	89	58	41
Gainsbro' T.	35	17	12	6	83	67	40
Ransomes & M.	35	17	12	6	71	60	40
Boston Untd.	39	15	14	10	95	97	40
Peterboro' Utd.	34	14	10	10	79	69	38
Doncaster Res.	33	15	11	7	86	63	37
Denaby Untd	35	16	15	4	88	89	36
Scarboro'	35	13	15	7	63	65	33
Notts C. Res.	35	14	17	2	74	95	30
Rotherham Res.	36	12	19	5	82	102	29
Hull City Res.	35	8	22	5	55	98	21
Lincoln C. Res.	34	8	22	4	59	98	20
Mansfield T. R.	37	6	26	5	75	109	17
Frickley Colly.	33	6	24	3	43	149	15
Ollerton Colly.	31	6	23	2	51	104	14
Bradford C. Res	31	5	23	3	56	128	13

Up to and including Sat. May 3rd.

Luton are above Barnsley by virtue of a superior goal average, and have played a game more.

They have in Gager one of the outstanding centre-halves in the Second Division and it will be interesting to see the outcome of his duels with Robledo.

Dally Duncan and Soo, formerly with Derby County and Stoke, respectively, are Internationals who have improved the "Hatters," and the Town will give Barnsley a hard fight.

There are changes again this afternoon, one necessitated by Baxter's ankle injury. Glover is given a run at full back, Asquith returns to left half, and Cooling moves over to inside left to allow for the return of Bennett.

Should Doncaster Rovers beat Rotherham United in the County Cup game, at Millmoor, on May 17th, Barnsley will have the opportunity of testing the strength of almost certain opponents in next season's Second Division games.

Reason is that Sheffield Wednesday (through relegation struggle) and Sheffield United (through outstanding League games) are excused from competing in the County Cup, and Barnsley thus meet the winners of the Millmoor game.

Wednesday are in a life-or-death struggle at Swansea this afternoon, and next week Barnsley will have the opportunity of assisting their neighbours, as Swansea are at Oakwell.

So far there has been no demand for Wing Stand Season Tickets, for next season, though Centre-Stand tickets are going fairly well, and if response is not more satisfactory very shortly, the offer will be withdrawn.

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