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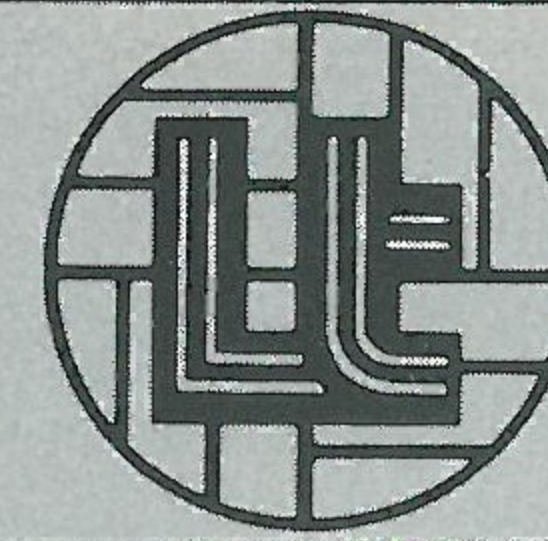
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LIVERPOOL 3 LUTON TOWN 3

The Merseysiders were left in no doubt about our intentions this season. Goals from Brian Stein (2) and David Moss and a selection of goalkeepers produced a match of which our away supporters will never forget. How's this for cheek — substitute keeper Kirk Stephens stands in front of the 'Kop' wearing a Liverpool shirt!

TEAM CHECK

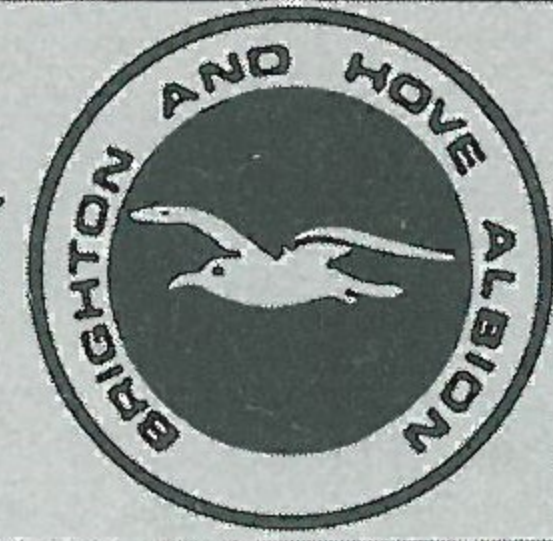
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- 1 ~~JAKE FINDLAY~~ *JUDGE*
- 2 KIRK STEPHENS
- 3 RICHARD MONEY
- 4 BRIAN HORTON
- 5 ~~MIKE SAXBY~~ *GOODYEAR*
- 6 MAL DONAGHY
- 7 RICKY HILL
- 8 BRIAN STEIN
- 9 PAUL WALSH
- 10 WAYNE TURNER
- 11 DAVID MOSS
- 12 *ANTIC* *5(1)*

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- 1 PERRY DIGWEED *MOSELEY*
- 2 DON SHANKS
- 3 SAMMY NELSON
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- 5 GARY STEVENS
- 6 STEVE GATTING
- 7 JIMMY CASE
- 8 ANDY RITCHIE
- 9 GERRY RYAN
- 10 GILES STILLE
- 11 GORDON SMITH
- 12 *RING* *(6)0*

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MY VIEW

We welcome Brighton, their board, players, staff and supporters and sincerely hope that today's game is as entertaining as we all hope for.

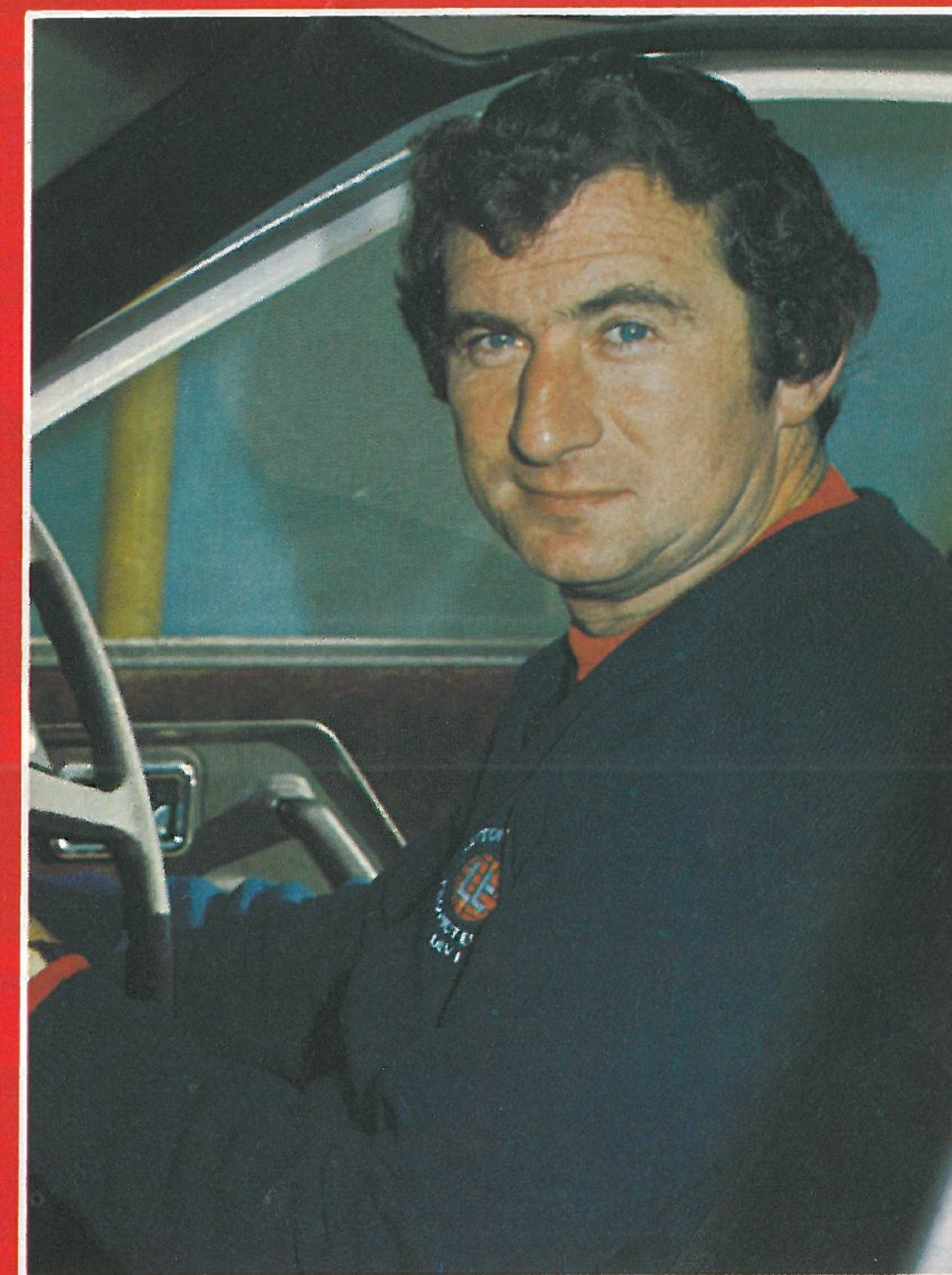
So far, we have experienced the ups and downs in the First Division. When I saw the fixture list, I reasoned that we would have an idea within the month of how we might contend with the better grade of football. The away games at Spurs, Villa, and Liverpool could not have been a more severe test.

Each side is packed with so much international and First Division experience. We have been given a clear indication that the months ahead will not be easy — they never are in football. To get good results against the very best teams requires 100 per cent concentration, good accurate team play and the resistance to compete with controlled aggression.

By the time you read these notes, we hope that we are nearer to having a full squad to select from. Mick Saxby has been training steadily after his summer operation on his knee. Under Doctor Berry's and John Sheridan's steady guidance, we have not put Mick under unnecessary pressure and he is aware that his own efforts could see him back in a Luton shirt by Christmas.

The consolation of receiving a Championship medal cannot compensate for his disappointment of being sidelined so long. Mark Aizlewood was scheduled to play last Monday against Brighton Reserves. I shall be looking for good performances from Mark — he is only 22, and there is a possibility that he has been inhibited by an injury for some time. Now his appendix are removed, he can play with no inhibitions. Rob Johnson, our young defender from Bedford, whom we expect to make the Division One grade, is also making good progress after twisting his knee.

Many people concerned with atten-



dance figures throughout the country have put forward remedies. There is only one remedy — everyone must play to attack, regardless of the fact that in doing so they could lose. The game is more important now than any manager or coach being over-concerned with protecting his job.

If we do not get the crowds back, there will be no jobs for players and coaches. All the side issues now seem less relevant — saturation TV, imitation pitches, all seater stadia, wild men on the terraces, limited facilities, etc.

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To enable us to provide the best service call for a co-operative effort from everyone and, we believe, a commitment to the club by becoming member, we think that when problems occur an atmosphere of tolerance and understanding will prevail.

Difficulties can be ironed out within the terms of the meaning of the word 'Club' and is of paramount importance. We offer apologies for any inconvenience caused to some travellers on the first away trip, but feel that as a club, with responsible and commonsense members, these problems will be minimised.

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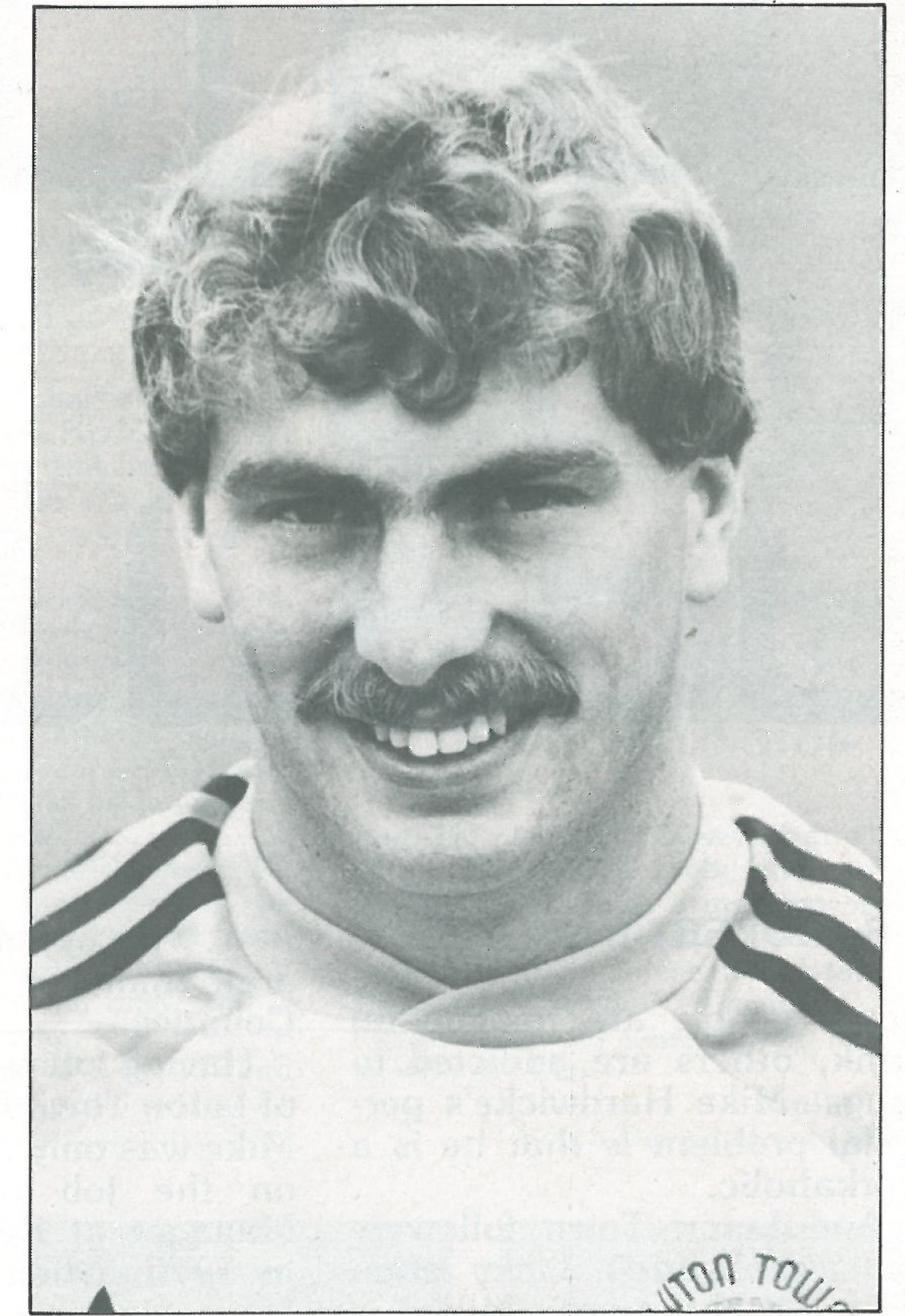
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WATTER FOCUS



Full name: CLIVE GOODYEAR
Birthplace: Lincoln
Birthdate: 15.1.61
Height: 6ft
Weight: 12st 6lb
Married: Engaged to Sharon
Children: —
Car: None
Previous clubs: Lincoln City as schoolboy
Favourite player: Alan Hansen
Favourite other sport: Cricket, snooker
Nickname: Babidge
Job or trade before turning professional: Apprentice plumber
Favourite newspaper: Daily Mirror
Favourite other team: Lincoln City
Players for the future: Paul Walsh, Rob Johnson
Biggest disappointment: Being released by Lincoln City
Best stadium played in: Valencia CF
Football hero of childhood: Colin Bell
Other sports person you most admire: Bjorn Borg
Most memorable match: v Shrewsbury 4-1 to win promotion
Favourite food and drink: Steak, white wine
Friendliest away fans: None in particular
Favourite holiday resort: Florida
Best film seen recently: Deer Hunter
Favourite actor/actress: Clint Eastwood/Susan George
Favourite singers: Rolling Stones, Status Quo
Miscellaneous likes/dislikes: Listening to music/smoking
Favourite TV shows: Coronation Street, any sport programme
Favourite activity on day off: Relaxing, game of snooker
Biggest influence on career: Manager and coaching staff at Luton
Superstitions: None
International honours: None
Personal ambition: To be happy and enjoy life
If not a player, what job would you do?: Plumber
Which person in the world would you most like to meet?: The Queen presenting the FA Cup



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BEHIND THE SCENES

By ROBERT HADGRAFT

Some people are hooked on drink, others are addicted to drugs. Mike Hardwicke's personal problem is that he is a workaholic.

And Luton Town followers can thank their lucky stars that Hitchin-born Mike is made this way — for he is arguably the man who has done most to keep League football alive at Kenilworth Road in recent times.

What started off as a spare-time hobby has mushroomed into undoubtedly the best fundraising lottery scheme in the Football League.

Mike's million pound-plus annual turnover is the lifeblood of Luton Town and his talents as a promoter have proved to be 'just the ticket' with organisations outside the football club, too.

For the genial 56 year old is now running lotteries for the local council, and for Middlesex County Cricket Club.

In the sixties Mike was a committee member at Hitchin Town FC and he started fundraising for them merely as a hobby.

His flair for raising cash soon showed itself and he was quickly snapped up by the Littlewoods Pools organisa-

tion, who appointed him their area manager for the Home Counties.

Having followed the fortunes of Luton Town for many years, Mike was only too glad to take on the job of Commercial Manager at Kenilworth Road in 1970, when he succeeded Harry Haslam.

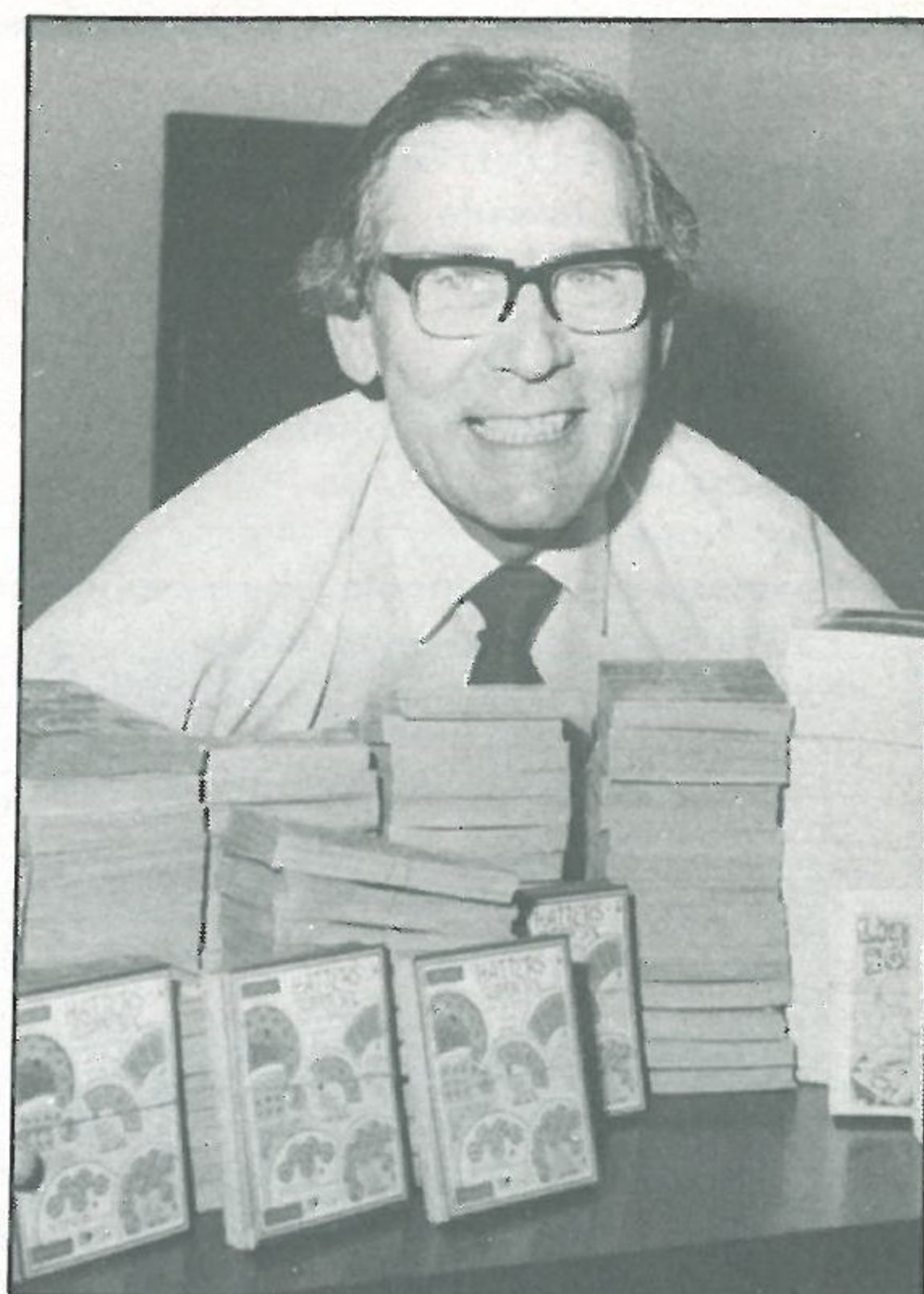
Mike's big break came in 1978 when legislation regarding lotteries was altered in Parliament. New regulations meant that tickets could be sold at up to 50p each, and Mike was soon launching a scheme which saw seven successful lotteries begin to bear much fruit.

In his new, refurbished offices in Kenilworth Road, Mike is also in overall charge of the club's tickets and souvenirs operations.

Under his watchful eye the souvenir business has developed nicely, with the club's proud boast being that many of the items on offer are unique Hatters souvenirs — and not mass-produced junk that is available anywhere.

This exclusivity is mainly down to Jenny Russell — one of Mike's happy band of 13 workers — who deals with the club's own souvenir manufacturers.

Mike can offer souvenirs of



MIKE HARDWICKE

all sorts: from the conventional (badges, track-suits and hold-alls) to the unexpected (babies bibs, cuddly teddies and ladies pants).

His department also deals with ticket sales, and Mike was pleased to report that by early August season sales had already reached a club record level.

Mike, who once played in local soccer, must be one of the busiest grandfathers around. His duties mean he is often at the ground for 10 hours a day, all the year round.

His wife Sheila is well used to it by now, and Mike freely admits that he thrives on hard work, although he will usually have to miss part of a home match because of his office duties.

He speaks affectionately of his team of workers and of the happy, family atmosphere at the club.

'I love all the players — they keep me young,' added Mike, who has a happy family of his own. Son Paul is a local juggernaut driver, and daughter Sandra now lives in Australia.

The club have recently had to deal with a lot of orders for souvenirs from Down Under — but Mike assures us that it is nothing to do with his relatives.

JUNIOR HATTERS



Our five-a-side football competitions kick-off at 6.45 p.m. on Friday 24th September, at Marsh House. There are two age groups, under-12 and over-12, (August 31st is birthday deadline). Teams wishing to enter must send the following details to John Smylie, 44 Wadhurst Avenue, Luton: 1. Names, dates of birth and Junior Hatters Membership numbers of team members; 2. Name of team managers, and name of team.

Mascot and Escorts for the West Ham and Notts County games will be pleased to know that group photographs commemorating their wonderful day are available from our new reception area in Kenilworth Road. Further photographs will be available on Tuesdays, (after a Saturday match) or Fridays, (after a Tuesday match).

MASCOT: Darren Billington, of Luton,

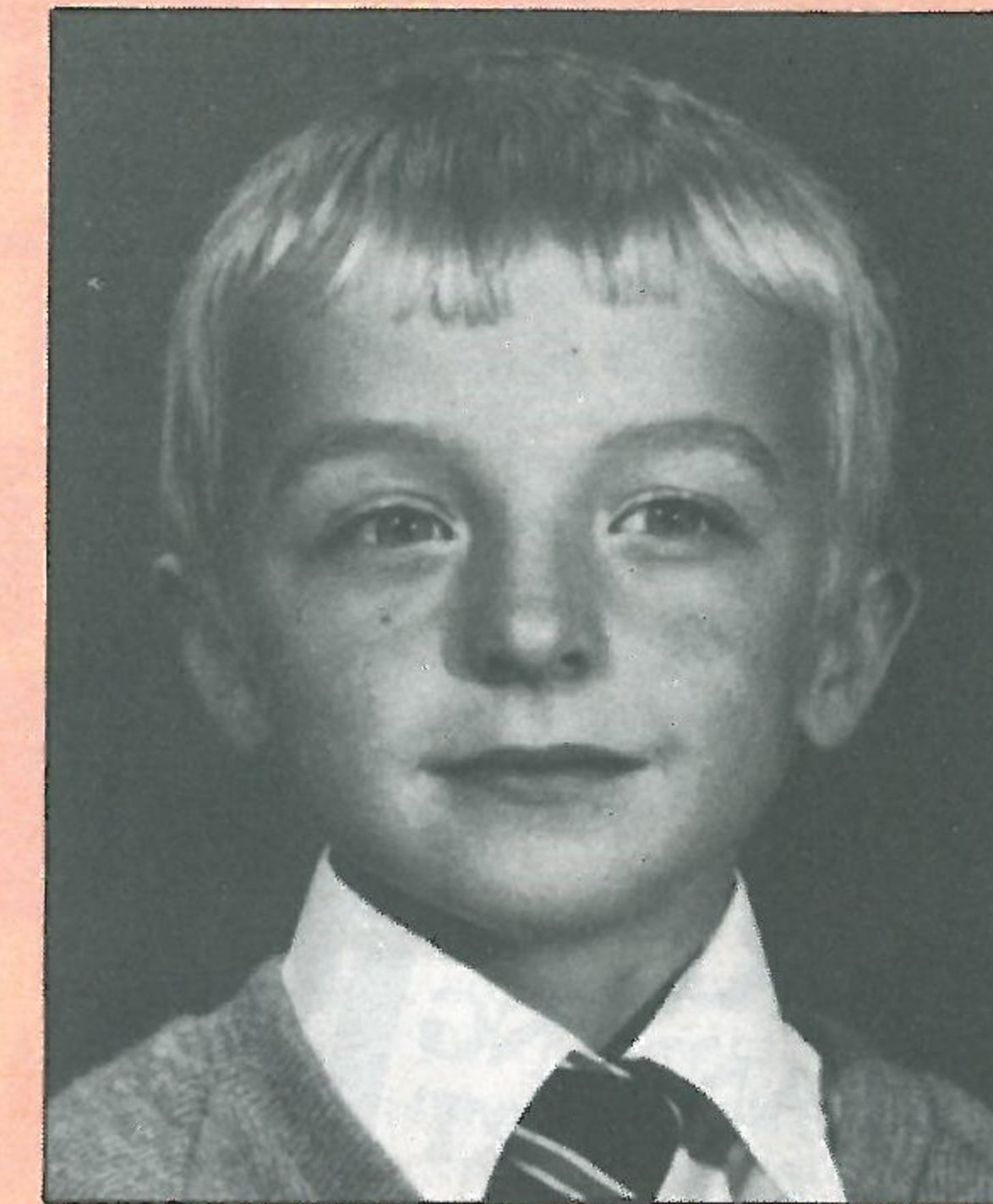
who is 10 years old, and attends Putteridge Junior School. His interests are football and puzzles, and he plays for the First Someries Beavers. ESCORTS: Matthew Larkins of Luton, who is 10 years old. He attends Bushmead Junior School, and plays for his school team. Other interests apart from football are cricket and snooker.

Melissa Selwyn of Eaton Bray attends Brewers Hill Middle School, Dunstable, and is 11 years old. Her interests are football and athletics, and she runs for her school.

Robert Jenkins of Luton, is aged 10. A pupil at Foxdell Junior School, he plays for his school and Foxdell Community Group. He is a member of Luton and Vauxhall swimming club, and is also interested in cricket.

Andrew Carr of Luton, is aged 12 and attends Challney Boys School. He is interested in all sports, and stamp collec-

THE MASCOT . . .



DARREN BILLINGTON

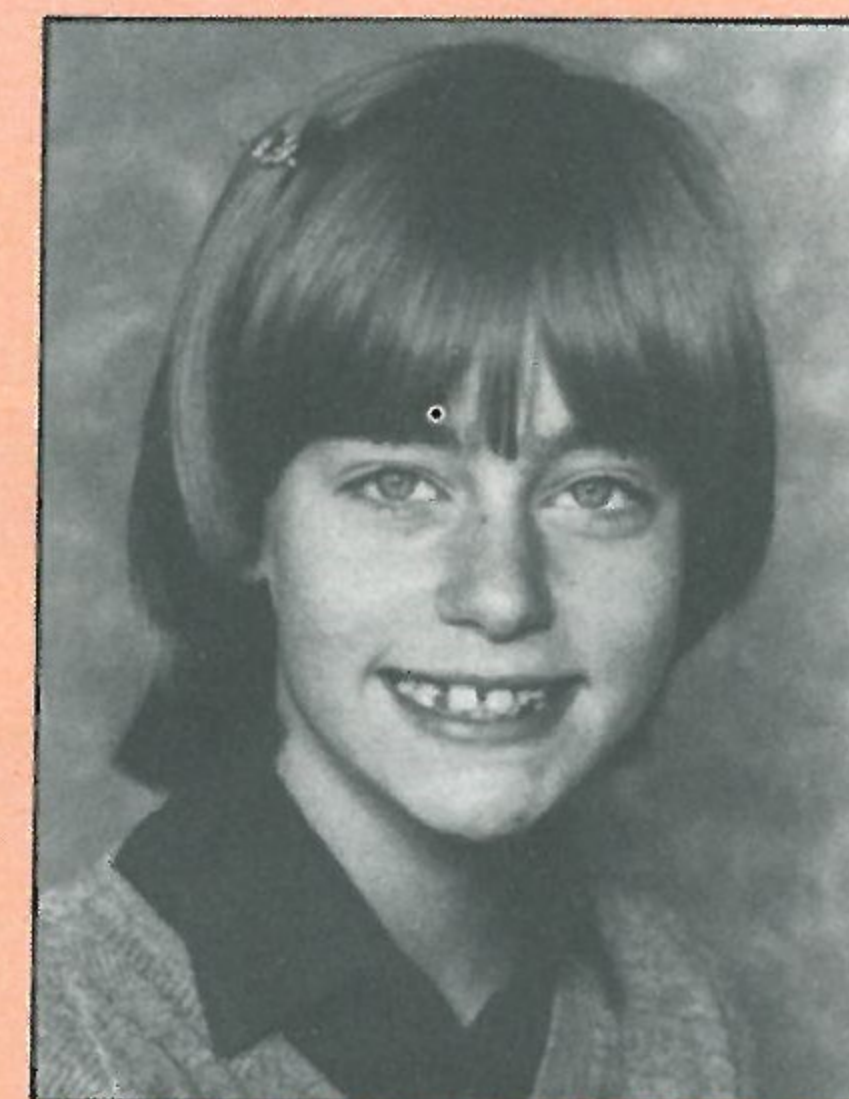
ting. He plays for Lewsey Centre FC, Challney Football, rugby and basketball teams. He was a member of the Lewsey Centre 10/12's team which took part in an international tour of Denmark, Sweden, Germany and Finland when the Lewsey team returned with the Cup.

Colin Ball
Youth Development Officer

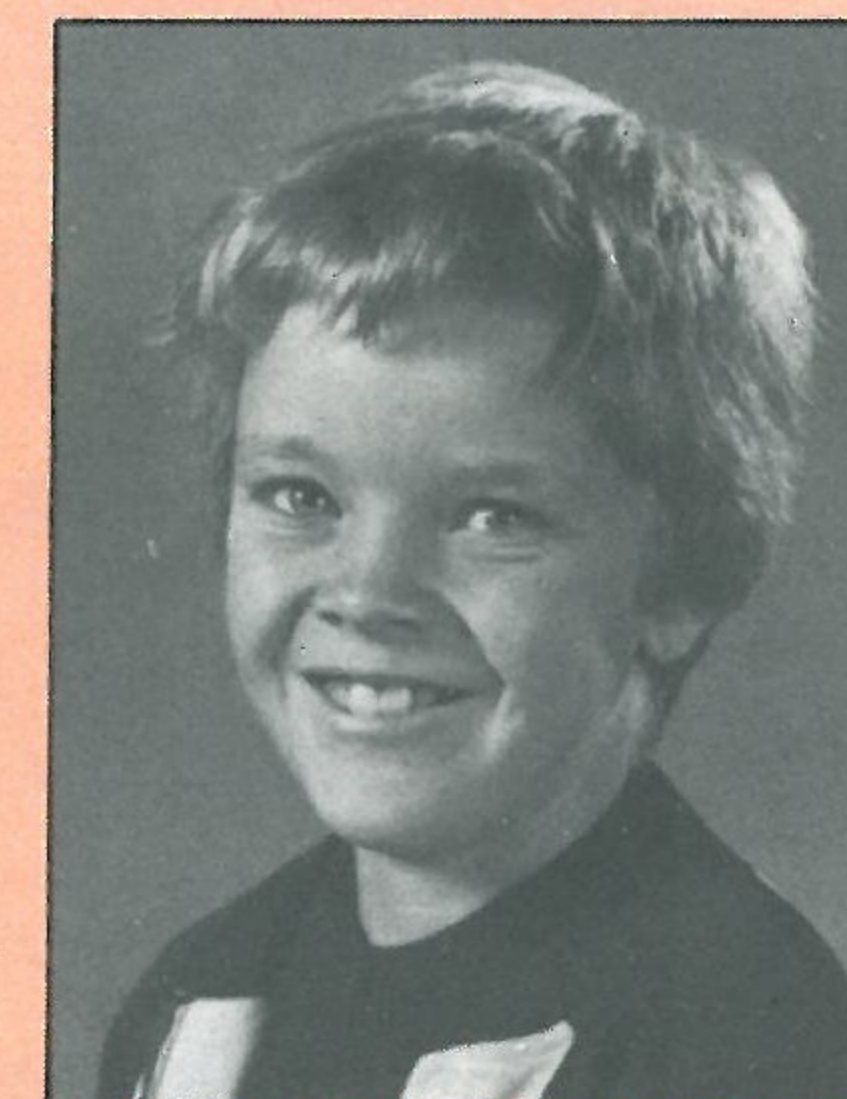
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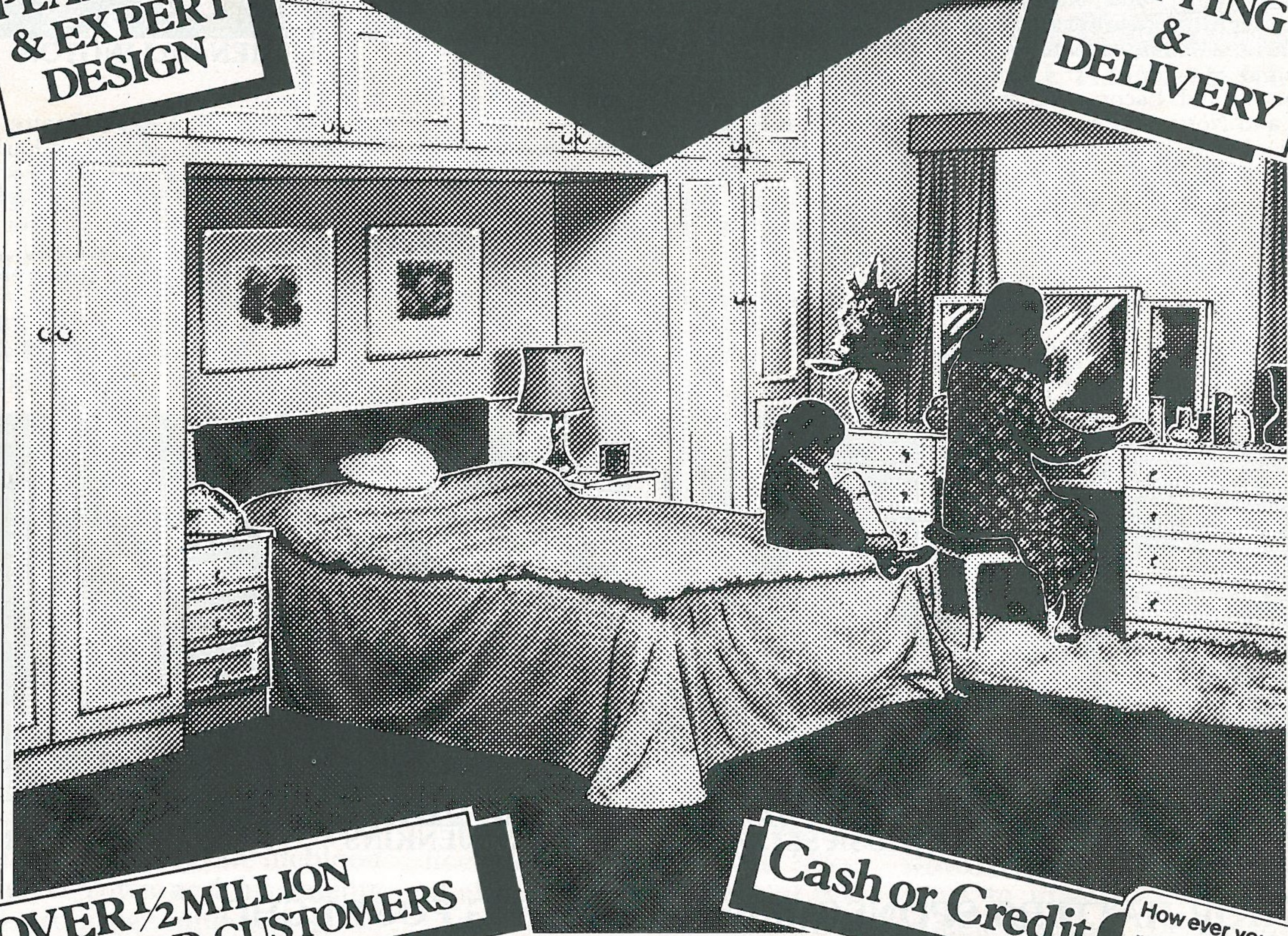
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**THE PAGE
WHERE OUR
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Our matchday magazine is designed to keep our supporters informed of what is happening within the club in addition to promoting news of opponents and the various activities around the stadium.

We want fans to share our liaison, and we welcome any letters which help you air any views you have on anything connected with Luton Town FC. If you have anything to say, write to the Matchday Magazine Editor, Luton Town FC, Kenilworth Road, Luton.

This afternoon, we feature four letters, one from a Luton fan club in Sweden.

the First Division. This time we hope you remain there.

Torsten Björklund,
Kalmar,
Sweden

Dear Luton Town Players, I am writing to wish you good luck in the new season. I am so glad you were promoted to the First Division. Hopefully my friend Stephen will let me know how Luton Town are doing while I am in Japan. My parents, Butch and Debbi and brother Kevin also wish you luck. I know you will do well.

Jeffrey Kritsberg,
Kirkville,
New York,
America



Our Swedish friends toast Luton's promotion last May.

Dear Mr Secretary, Thank you very much for your kind letter, the Hatters badges and news you sent to me and our LTFC Fan Club. We really appreciated it all as well as the latest magazine which I received today.

But most of all we are happy and proud that we — next year play in the 1st league division. Last week we celebrated your — or our — promotion with a little party from which I send you some photos.

In the magazine where our club is mentioned with photo and an article you ask for an explanation how it all started. Well, it started with me in 1934. I was living in Katrineholm at that time, a small town 250 kms from Stockholm where there was a SKF-factory. As far as I know there was a SKF-factory in Luton too — perhaps under another name — which produced ball bearings.

In 1934 I saw a team from Luton play in Katrineholm. I would be very pleased if you could tell whether it was

Luton Town FC or just a team from the factory.

During the years, Luton has been my team from that match. Even if the top teams have been Arsenal or Leeds, I have only cared about the results of Luton. I have been disappointed hundreds of times when I have checked in the papers how your matches resulted, so the greater is our satisfaction this year when you seem to be more stable than ever before.

My colleagues of Round Table (12 members) and in that club we have talked so much about Luton that they could not avoid to be influenced from our enthusiasm.

That's the way it started and the way it is today. You can be sure we will read the Sunday morning papers with a special interest this season.

Please send the congratulations to all members concerned — the team, the board, the President, the directors, the manager and coaches, from us and the best wishes for happy reentrance in

Dear Sir, I just thought I would drop a line to compliment and thank you for the hospitality afforded to me at Luton Town on Saturday when you played Notts County.

I thought the atmosphere in the club was very good and only bettered by one of the more entertaining games I have seen in the last year or two.

I sincerely hope your stay in the 1st Division continues to be enjoyable.

Robin M. Russell,
FA Regional Coach,
London (South)

Dear David Pleat, I thought I would drop you a line asking if it is possible for you to send me a fixture list for the coming season — as our ship will not get in until late September and I will miss the opening couple of games. Is there also any chance of sending me a team photograph autographed so I can hang it in the mess.

When we get home, I will be going to as many matches as possible or should I say what the Royal Mess allows. I am writing to hear from you. All the best for the coming season — Europe the season after with a bit of luck.

S. D. Sulman
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BFPO Ships,
London

LETTERS

HATTERS A-Z

PART 3 - By TONY PULLEIN

This afternoon we continue the intriguing series on the history of Luton Town.

BOOKMAN, L. Bookman was one of the first players to gain full international honours whilst with the club. He became a star on Ireland's left-wing before the First World War when he was a Bradford City player. He was transferred to Luton on our return to the Football League in 1920 and, whilst with us, won three caps to take his total to four. He remained with us for two seasons, making 72 appearances in the Third Division (South).

BRENNAN, Bobby. We spotted Bobby playing in his native Belfast and brought him to Kenilworth Road in 1948. He quickly established himself at inside-forward in our first team and gained the first of his five Irish caps as a Luton player. He was transferred to Birmingham in 1949 for £25,000 and moved on to Fulham a year later. League record:

	Apps	Gls
Luton	1947-48 27	11
	1948-49 42	11
Birmingham	1949-50 39	7
Fulham	1950-51 22	3
	1951-52 19	7
	1952-53 32	3
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BROWN, Allan. Allan served Luton as a player and manager. He started his playing days with East Fife and was transferred to Blackpool for £28,000 in December 1950. At that time Blackpool were one of the country's greatest teams and Mr Brown helped them to reach two FA Cup Finals though, tragically, he missed both because of injuries.

Compensation came in 1959, a couple of years after he had joined Luton, when the Hatters reached Wembley. Although he was on the losing side, he did at least savour the Cup Final atmosphere.

We had signed him from Blackpool in 1957 and he spent four years here, topping our scoring list in 1958-59. He had won all of his 14 Scottish caps before he joined us and he moved on to complete his League playing days with Portsmouth. In 1963 he became player-manager of non-League Wigan Athletic and did so well with them that we invited him back to take over as manager in 1967. We were in the Fourth Division at the time but he reorganised the playing staff and, in 1969, led us back into the Third Division. After leaving Luton, Mr Brown had spells as manager of Torquay, Nottingham Forest, Southport and Blackpool (twice). His League record:

	Apps	Gls
East Fife	1948-49 22	5
	1949-50 30	12
	1950-51 0	0

Blackpool	1950-51	16	3
	1951-52	37	14
	1952-53	26	15
	1953-54	26	11
	1954-55	17	6
	1955-56	18	6
	1956-57	17	13
Luton	1956-57	16	5
	1957-58	33	12
	1958-59	39	20
	1959-60	39	7
	1960-61	24	7
Portsmouth	1960-61	9	2
	1961-62	44	3
	1962-63	16	3
		429	144

BUNN, Frankie. Frankie joined our apprentices in April 1979 and was taken on as a full professional in May 1980. He made his League debut at home to Derby in August that year and registered his first League goal in his third game, against Wrexham. League record:

	Apps	Gls
Luton	1980-81 5	1
	1981-82 0	0
	1982-83 0	0
	5	1

Watch out for the next instalment of this fascinating series in the match-day magazine against Manchester United.

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WEST HAM WINNER

Congratulations to the winners of our opening phototeasers competition, James Lindsay, from Houghton Regis, and Paul Abraham of Letchworth both received the super Champions on videotape from our projects and advertising executive Mike Beevor before the Notts County match.

The three Luton players were, of course, Mal Donaghy, Mark Aizlewood and Billy Kellock. The competition did not create too many problems and we received a stack of cards with the correct answer of which Paul's was the first drawn out.



MAL DONAGHY



MARK AIZLEWOOD



BILLY KELLOCK

NOTTS COUNTY WINNER

The players heads featured in the Notts County magazine were Paul Goddard (West Ham), Andy Blair (Aston Villa) and Kevin Moran (Manchester United).

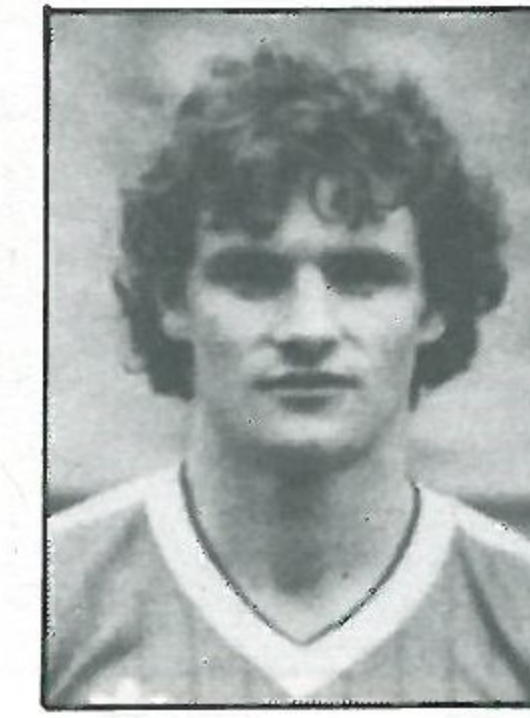
The first correct entry received was from Brett Waterton, Heming, Water End Road, Potton End, Berkhamsted, Herts HP4 2SG. Well done Brett who, today, will receive our super Champions on tape.



PAUL GODDARD (West Ham)



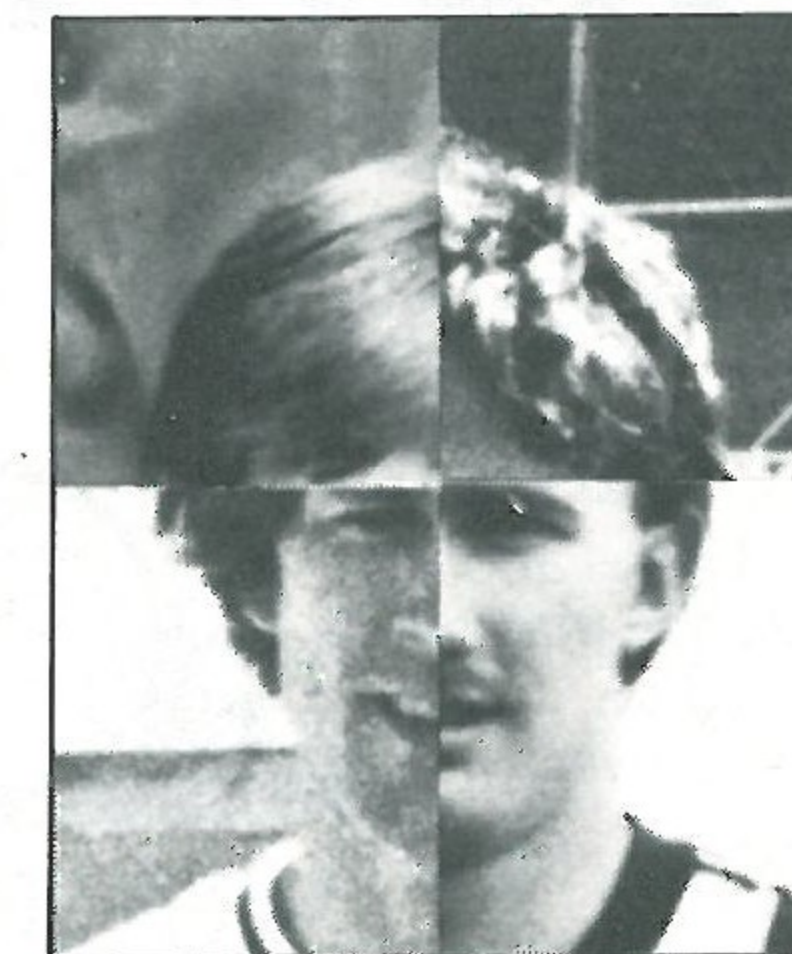
ANDY BLAIR (Aston Villa)



KEVIN MORAN (Manchester Utd)

A new phototeaser this week with again a prize of a super commemorative video.

Our third photo caption shows three players' heads mixed up. Again, all you have to do is name the three players and their current club.



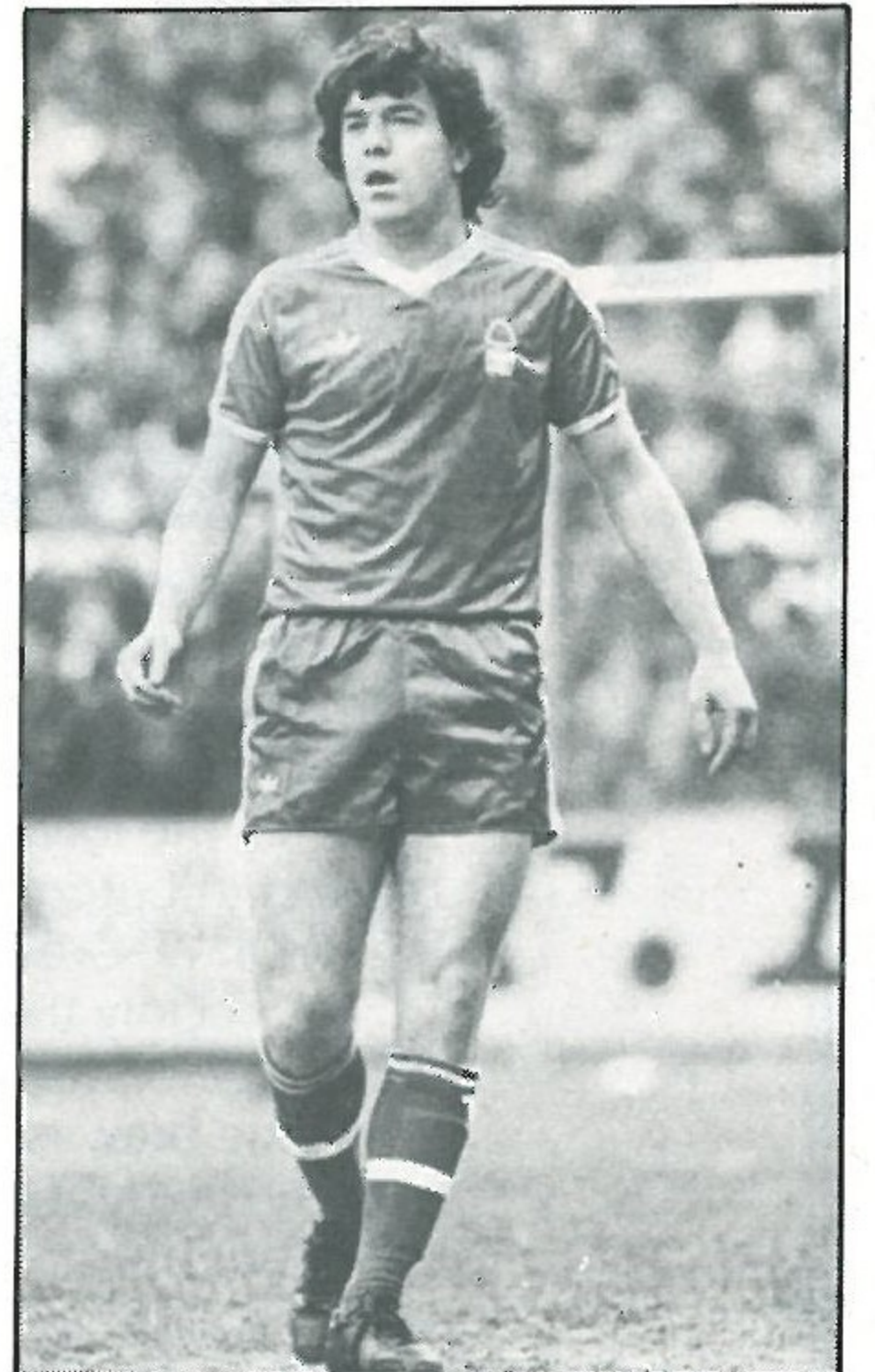
NAME THE STAR

The 'Name The Star' is a continuing competition when we will add a small proportion of the body of a famous player inviting you to guess the player's identity. As the detail increases the prize will diminish.

Write your answers on a postcard with your name and address and send your entry to Luton Town Phototeasers, Luton Town Football Club Matchday Magazine, 70-72 Kenilworth Road, Luton.



John Robertson was the player featured in Name the Star and we must confess that James gave us all a shock with his correct answer before the additional proportion of the body was added in the Notts County magazine.



JOHN ROBERTSON

YOUNGSTERS' TREAT

One hundred local children were able to watch our match against West Ham from our special Evening Post-Echo enclosure following the successful Marsh House summer playscheme.

We gave the tickets away to help the children enjoy a special treat, and our youth development officer, Colin Ball, is pictured handing them to the mayor of Luton Mike Garrett.

OUT AND ABOUT

Our elevation to the First Division has resulted in manager David Pleat and his players receiving hundreds of invitations to open fetes, attend functions and be here, there and almost everywhere.

While we cannot obviously accept every invitation, we do our best to oblige when possible and we hope those who are disappointed realise it is impossible to comply with every request.

Wayne Turner and Paul Walsh opened a new snooker club at the Luton Regional Sports Centre and Jake



Paul Walsh receives the ball after his hat-trick

Findlay represented us at the Bedford Trucks open day.

The manager and his players also received an invitation to attend an Anglia Television reception at Bedford on the same night as we travelled to Aston Villa.

After the game, Mr Pleat was heard to mutter: 'I wish I'd have gone. I'd have had a better time at the reception than at Villa Park!'

THREE OF THE BEST

Paul Walsh didn't have to wait long before putting his name on the scorers' list with us following his summer transfer from Charlton Athletic.

In fact, Paul — Sid to all his playing colleagues — wasn't satisfied with scoring once against Notts County. He went two better and thumped a hat-trick past a bemused Raddy Avramovic.

It was the second hat-trick of his relatively short professional career and it's obvious our fans are looking forward to a few more.

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STARS OF THE SCREEN

Elsewhere in this afternoon's matchday magazine, you will find full details of the video we recorded to celebrate winning

the Second Division Championship last May.

Our players recently took time off from training to visit the Flitwick factory of Wallspan Bedrooms whose chairman and managing director Terry Bailey sponsored the video.

The lads had some great fun clowning around with the sophisticated recording equipment as our pictures show Lilly Fuccillo attempting to ask Jake Findlay to provide the commentary.

Also featured in the other picture are Terry Bailey (second left), former Fulham player John Mitchell (right), Barton manager Barry Reed (second right), and former Luton keeper Tony Read (background).



CENTURY CLUB

It is several years since we met today's visitors, but we look forward to welcoming any guests into the Century Club this afternoon.

We have already received requests for a Century Club executive coach to one of our away games, and hope to have details for you at our next home game. Names will be taken on a 'first come, first served' basis.

One date to remember is Wednesday 20th October, the Century Club annual general meeting, at 7.30 p.m. in the Century Club room. Full information will be sent to all members in good time.

May we draw your attention to our new record 'We're Luton Town'. Copies, priced at 99p, are available from Catherine Ball.

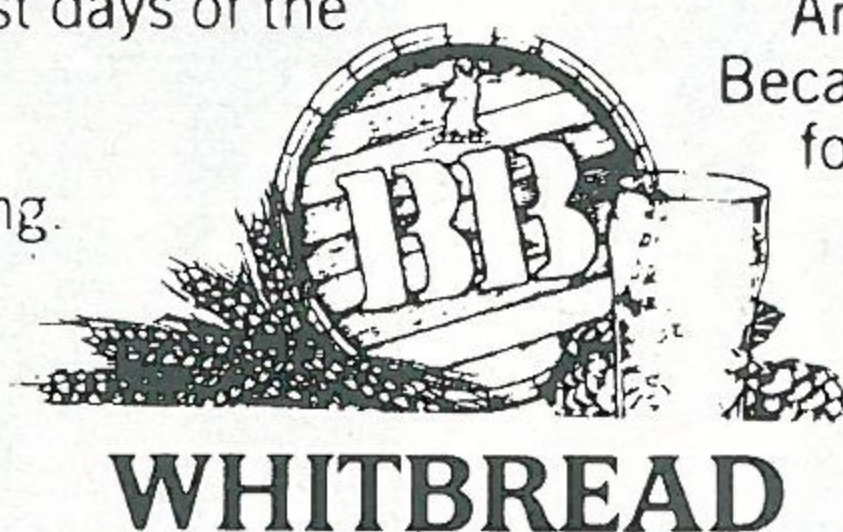


THE LOCAL TASTE AND HOW TO SATISFY IT

We're very definite about our taste in beer around here. A clear light pint is what we look for; with a good, clean smack of malt and hops.

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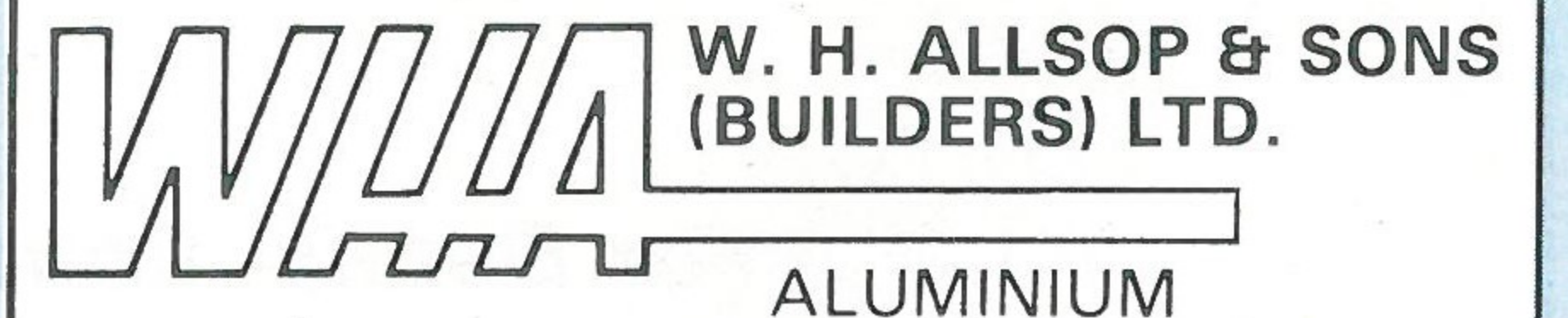
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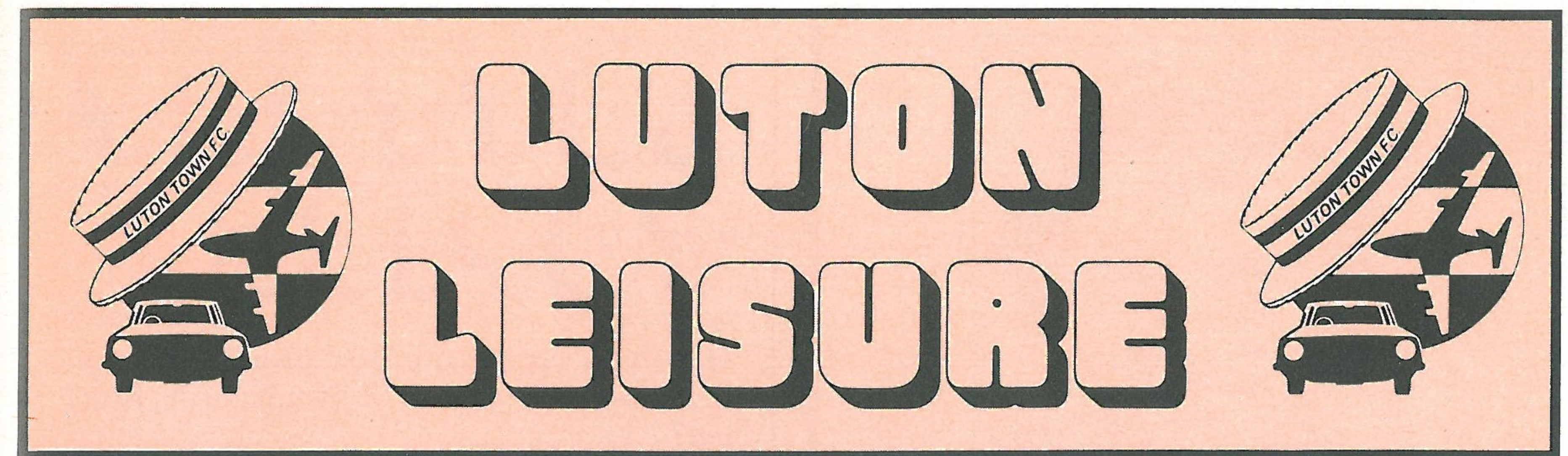
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THE OCCASIONAL LOOK AT THE LUTON LEISURE SCENE

Once again, it is five-a-side time, with the Chiltern Radio (Luton Town) five-a-side competition starting on 20th October 1982.

The tournament is open to all street, factory, sports centres, youth clubs, established clubs, youth, district and area teams.

Matches are played every Wednesday evening from 20th October 1982 to 16th March 1983, except for a winter break between 15th December 1982 and 2nd February 1983.

There are four age groups:

9-12 years (Under 12 years as from 31st July 1982)

12-14 years (Under 14 years as from 31st July 1982)

14-16 years (Under 16 years as from 31st July 1982)

Adults (16 years and over)

The maximum number of teams allowed are 9-12's 16 teams, 12-14's teams, 14-16 years, 16 teams, Adults 64 teams.

The venue for all matches is Lewsey Park All Weather Playing Area, Pastures Way, Lewsey Farm Estate, Luton. All teams will be placed into groups for the Preliminary Round when the first two in each group go forward to Round One proper and the remaining go into a Plate Competition, future rounds are similar.

The trophies to be won are:

Antony Evans Cup:	Adult Winners
Recreation Services Shield:	14-16 Winners
Luton Sports Council Trophy:	12-14 Winners
Borough of Luton Shield:	9-12 Winners
Mars House Trophies:	Plate Winners in all age groups
Hot Shot Trophies:	Top goal scoring teams
Best Defending Team Trophies:	
Top Goal Scorer Trophies:	
Members Trophies:	
Special Award:	Most Sporting Adult Team
Chiltern Radio Sporting Trophy:	Awarded to the best sporting team

In addition there are plaques for winners and runners-up in the proper and Plate competition. Also the winners of the 9-12's, 12-14's and 14-16 years competition will be invited to represent Luton for the 'Champions All Competition' in the spring of 1983.

The entrance fees are:

Adults: (7 players per team)
1 team — £12.60, (£1.80 per player)
2 teams — £11.10 per team
3 teams or more — £10.10 per team

14-16 years:

1 team — £9.60 (£1.37 per player)
2 teams — £8.85 per team
3 teams or more — £8.15 per team

12-14 years:

1 team £7.20 (£1.02 per player)
2 teams — £6.45 per team
3 teams or more — £5.95 per team

10-12 years:

1 team — £5.40 (77 pence per player)
2 teams — £4.65 per team
3 teams or more — £4.15 per team

Price includes:

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MIKE HARDWICKE
Commercial Manager

JOHN'S JOURNAL

Our visitors today joined the Football League as original members of the Third Division in 1920 and, on 23rd October that year, we met them in a match at Kenilworth Road with Luton winning 3-2.

The following week saw the return match when the two sides played out a 1-1 draw at Brighton.

Over the years their record has been impressive and a 10-1 victory over Wisbech in the FA Cup first round in 1965 is their record win. The other side of the coin sees their 9-0 defeat against Middlesbrough in a Division Two fixture in August 1958. This is one record I don't suppose they are proud of.

The current manager, Mike Bailey, is the 11th since the war, the others were Tommy Cook, Don Welsh, Billy Lane, George Curtis, Archie Macauley, Freddie Goodwin, Pat Saward, Brian Clough, Peter Taylor and Allan Mullery.

I cannot recall any players being transferred from Brighton to Luton apart from Brian Horton who made over 250 appearances for them however, Ken Goodeve and Tony Grealish have made the journey the other way. John Moore, our Youth team coach, had a short visit when he went on a month's loan in October 1972 and former goalkeeper Tony Knight also had a spell there before being given a free transfer at the end of season 1980-81.

One of our players who will remember his visit to the Goldstone Ground is Lil Fuccillo because he broke a leg after a tackle with a Brighton player on 16th December 1978. Fortunately for us, he has come through a very traumatic experience with flying colours.

In my notes in the Notts County matchday magazine, I asked for your views on ground sharing. Anyone with anything to say on the subject can write to me at the club's Kenilworth Road offices.



JOHN WILKINSON
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HATTERS IN RESERVE

ST JOSEPHS 0 LUTON TOWN 1

In the only pre-season friendly at Under-17 level we played local team St Josephs' Under-18 side. It was a physically demanding game for us and gave us a chance to form an understanding before our opening League encounter. Although we managed to win 1-0 with a goal from McConville, it was a tough struggle and we are grateful to St Josephs for the work out, especially at such short notice.

Team: North, McDonald, Petts, Shearer, Gibbons, Davies, Taylor, Watts, John, McConville, Devine. **Subs:** Oldfield, Groome, Desmond, Hobson.

WIMBLEDON 1 LUTON TOWN 0

Our South East Counties League season did not start well because we lost 1-0 to a Wimbledon penalty.

After one of our players thought the whistle had gone — and handled the ball in

the area the referee gave Wimbledon what proved to be the winning points.

Lack of understanding among our players made for a scrappy game, but our coaches could not expect the pattern of play to be perfect after only one game together.

We will have to work towards a better understanding of each other and our team duties.

Team: Groome, Jones, Petts, Gibbons, North (M), Shearer, Davies, Ashton, Taylor, McConville, John. **Subs:** McDonald, Devine.



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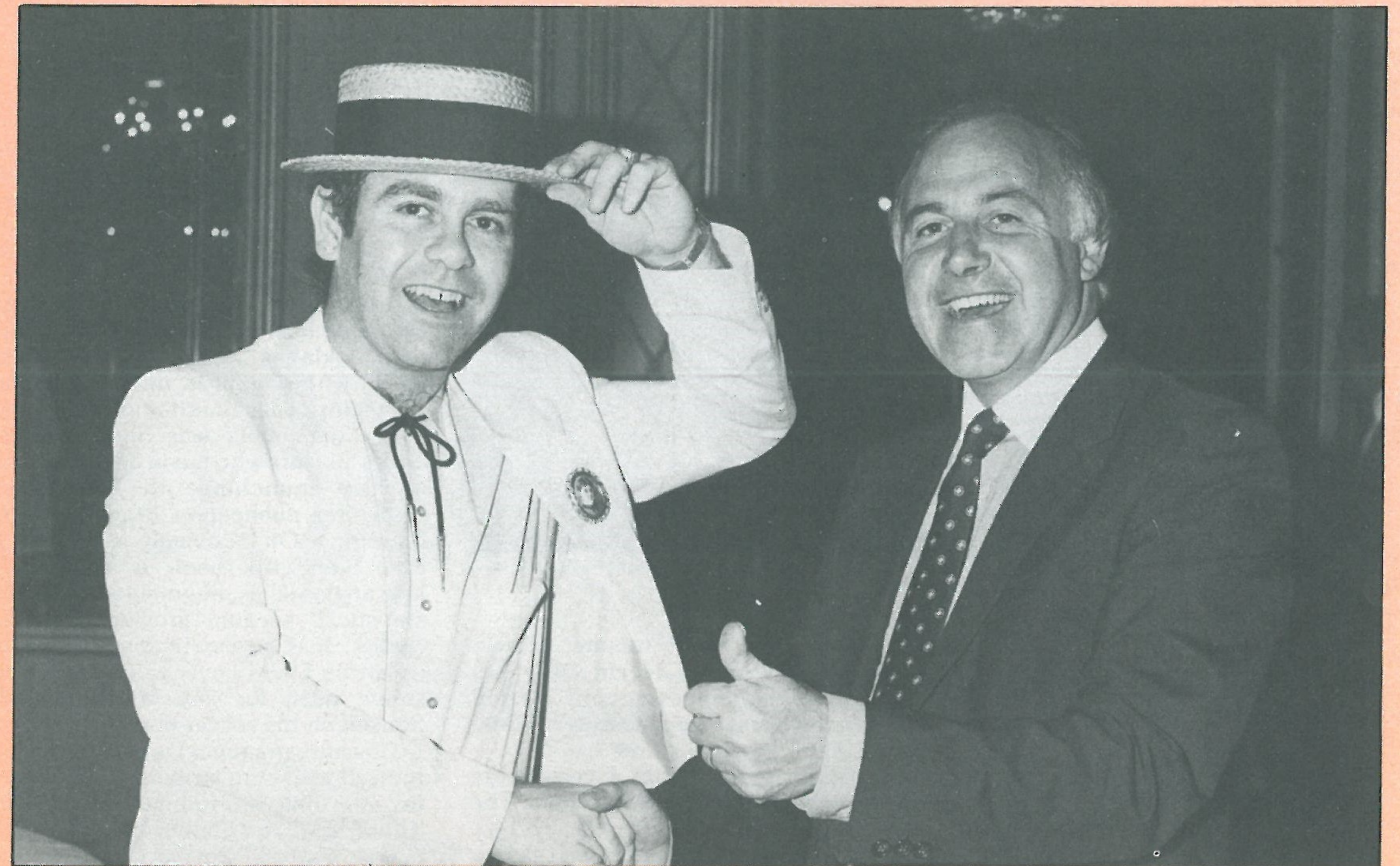
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THE WEEKLY LOOK AT THE HATTERS COMMERCIAL SCENE



You could visit Kenilworth Road for every game this season (and we hope you will) and not see the excitement and entertainment David Pleat and his team produced against Notts County.

Their sort of example injects into us all on the commercial side the determination to produce the same effort and commitment off the field. Our launch of our commemorative video at the Hatters Club is proving to be a great success. Demand for our commemorative video, at £29.95, is good. If the video is beyond your budget, all the town's local video hire shops have bought several cassettes and tell us they have had so many requests that the demand for the cassette has put our video in their top ten this month. When you have seen it, you will understand why.

Our souvenir sales are breaking new ground, helped by our new Bedford Trucks replica shirt sales. The quality is excellent and we can supply immediately from stock. Complete kits are also available. These items are still exclusive to our souvenir shop in Kenilworth Road.

We are always very conscious of providing better services to our supporters, with this in mind, we have contracted out of ground catering concession to a very experienced company in this field — Keymer Hotels. The standard so far has been very high and this move now enables us the opportunity to look at other parts of the ground where catering is required.

In future weeks, changes in this area will be improved but your suggestions are most welcome.

As you can see from the above picture, we have the occasional chance to relax. Watford chairman Elton John is not changing his

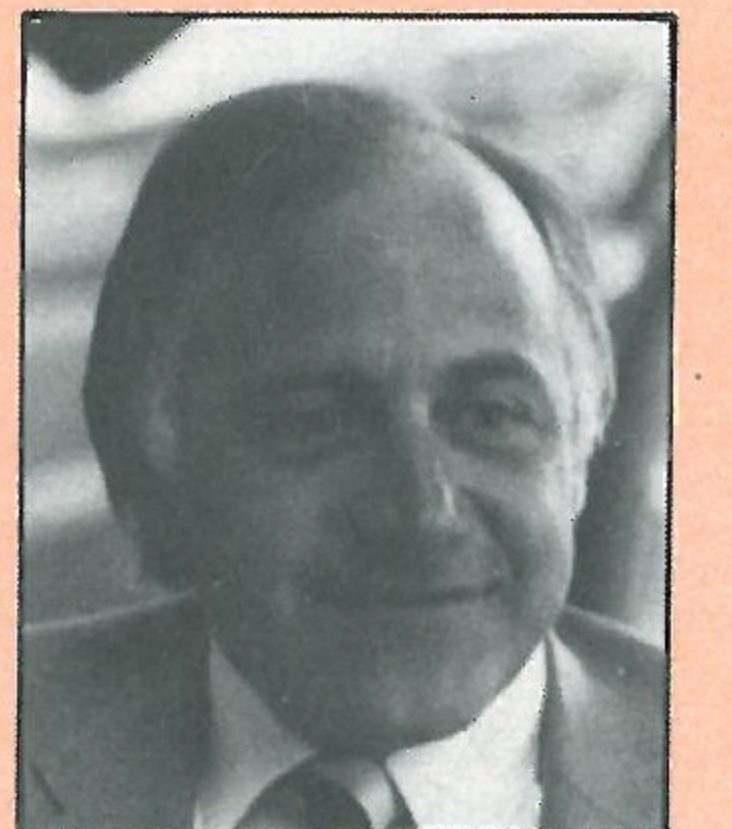
loyalty, but it was good to see him sharing a soft spot for the Hatters.

The picture was taken when Mike Beevor and I represented David Pleat and John Smith at the 1982 Shoot/Adidas Golden Shoe Awards 1982 at the Cafe Royal.

Presentations went to First Division — Kevin Keegan (Southampton) now Newcastle; Second Division — Ronnie Moore (Rotherham); Third Division — Gordon Davis (Fulham); Fourth Division — Keith Edwards (Sheffield United).

A special World Cup finals award by the Football Writers Association to Gerry Armstrong (Watford and Northern Ireland). Brian Stein just missed the Second Division award by one goal.

Synthetic ice skating in the Hatters Club had its trial run on our Junior Hatters Open Day. The response by the children was excellent proving there is a high demand for this type of leisure. We were able to operate a 2,000 square foot rink on one hour sessions. We intend to operate another day but, this time, open to all the public then we can monitor the potential.



BILL TOMLINS
Business Development Director

SCENE ON ONE

A weekly feature which puts the spotlight on the First Division scene.

Bryan Robson seems determined this season to treat Manchester United fans to his vintage England shooting form. He rammed home three goals in his first four outings of the new season.

Last season, Bryan scored six goals in 11 internationals for England yet managed only five in 35 League and Cup games for United. But that's all behind him now and, after failing to score in United's opening fixture against Birmingham, he netted in successive matches against Nottingham Forest, West Bromwich and Everton.

Lucky United drew crowds of 48,673 and 43,186 for their opening two games at Old Trafford. That's just about as many people who have watched Halifax Town over the past two seasons!

Our own Paul Walsh was one of only two First Division hat-tricksters over the first two complete weeks of the season. While Paul was in such scintillating form against Notts County, Bob Latchford was powering in three goals for Swansea in their 4-0 victory over Norwich.

It was Bob's second three-goal hit for the Swans. He claimed a hat-trick on his debut for the club on the opening day of last season against Leeds, a few days after the completion of his £150,000 transfer from Everton.

It's clear from early results that West Bromwich could emerge as the dark horse in this season's Championship race, although they slipped at Watford last week. The Throstles' only previous title success was back in 1920 and, with new manager Ron Wylie only recently settling in, few people expected anything very special from the Albion this season.

But, after losing 2-0 at Liverpool, they bounced back to slam five second-half goals against Brighton and then overcame Manchester United 3-1 after trailing at the interval. Albion then travelled to Stoke to record a fine 3-0 victory.

New striker Peter Eastoe, signed in an exchange deal from Everton shortly before the big kick-off, scored in three successive matches and Ally Brown also weighed in with three goals as the club got away to one of its best starts in years.

SCORED TWICE

Even allowing for Albion's excellent opening, Liverpool will remain the popular favourites to retain the Championship. They are probably the most complete team in Britain at the moment showing in their home game with Nottingham Forest that, even when their defence does have a rare off-day, they have sufficient creative ability to compensate.

After twice being in the lead, Liverpool trailed 3-2 at the interval and were still behind with only eight minutes to play. Then Graeme Souness scored an equaliser with Ian Rush providing the



BRYAN ROBSON

winner in the last minute. David Hodgson, Liverpool's recent £450,000 signing from Middlesbrough, scored twice in the Forest game to take his tally for his new club up to three.

For all their capabilities, Liverpool are suffering like most clubs at the gate. The Forest game attracted only 27,145. Throughout the whole of last season, Liverpool had only two smaller League attendances than that.

Manchester City received a severe blow when England goalkeeper Joe Corrigan dislocated a shoulder against Watford and faced an absence of four to five weeks. Defender Bobby McDonald went into goal and kept a clean sheet.

After failing to persuade Arsenal to release Irish goalkeeper Pat Jennings on loan, City manager John Bond promoted Alex Williams for the following game at Notts County. Alex made a couple of appearances in City's First Division side two seasons ago and is believed to be only the second coloured goalkeeper to appear in the First Division since the last war.

Derek Richardson played 31 First Division games for QPR in the late 'seventies but Williams is now the only one at top level. His appearance has prompted a question from many fans — now that there are so many coloured footballers in our game, why is there such a dearth of goalkeepers? It's a valid question as agility and suppleness, qualities which are natural to most coloured

players, are two major requirements for goalkeepers.

Brighton, who hope to halt a run of nine successive away defeats here today, recorded up their first win of the season at home to Arsenal. Though England centre-back Steve Foster agreed to come off the transfer list a few hours before the match, he was dropped by manager Mike Bailey in favour of Gary Stevens.

CELEBRATED

Neither of Arsenal's new £½-million strikers, Tony Woodcock or Lee Chapman, could find a way through a much improved Brighton defence and a goal from Gerry Ryan was all Brighton needed to give them their first victory of the season.

Ricky Villa celebrated his first appearance back in the Spurs' side, since the Falklands crisis reached boiling point, with a goal in their astonishing 6-0 victory over Southampton at White Hart Lane. Villa was one of several Spurs' players who put in an appearance at the launching of Tottenham's centenary publication 'And Spurs Go Marching On'. Lovingly compiled by Phil Soar, the book is superbly illustrated and is augmented by a fine statistical section provided by Ray Spiller. It is an outstanding book, well worth its £9.95 cover price and an absolute must for any fan who prides himself on his soccer library.

Coventry manager Dave Sexton found himself with both strikers on the injured list after only four games. When Garry Thompson was doubtful for the home game against Coventry, Mr Sexton warned his brother Keith to prepare to make his League debut against Sunderland. And it was during that game that Mark Hateley, the tall England Under-21 striker, broke a toe. He is expected to be out of action for about a month.

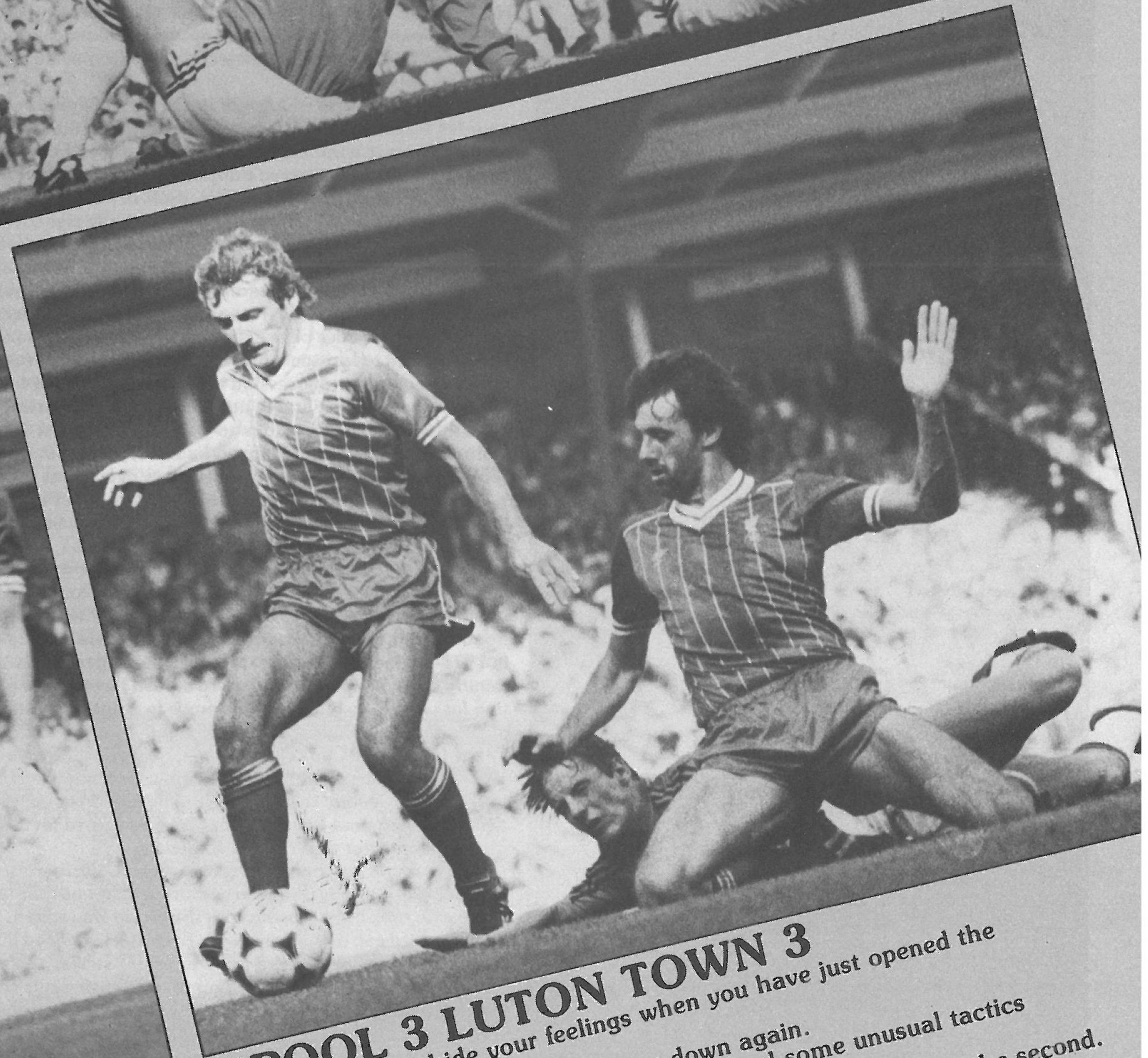
With Arsenal slipping into second-from-bottom place losing at Brighton, manager Terry Neill still did not seek scapegoats. Asked if he felt the lack of goals from his new strike force was to blame for the Gunners' poor start, Mr Neill said: 'It's not just their problem. The problem is for all of us. We have made a poor start and, when this happens, managers talk about getting back to basics. This is what we must do. Our fans must be very upset at the way things have gone so far. But I'm not going to ask them to be patient. I could appeal to them to wait and see if we can do what we did last season when we recovered to finish fifth. But I won't. Because football is an immediate business. The supporters pay money to be entertained, to watch a successful team. It's up to us to give it to them.'

COLOUR SHOOT



Our apprentice professionals are always getting the order of the boot. It's all part of their soccer education with a professional club when the youngsters are expected to help out in the dressing room and kit room. Two of our apprentices are pictured working on the boots of the senior players.

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Above left: It's no time to hide your feelings when you have just opened the scoreline at Anfield.

Left: Brian Stein breaks the Liverpool defence down again.

Top: Paul Walsh's eagerness to move forward produced some unusual tactics from the home side.

Above: Kirk, Ricky and Richard Money are stunned as Liverpool score the second.

BRIGHTON



ANDY RITCHIE

BRIGHTON NEED BIG BOOST IN AWAY FORM

Having conceded nine goals in their last two away games, Brighton can be excused if they opt for extreme caution this afternoon. But we needn't expect any panic measures from manager Mike Bailey.

The Brighton boss was angry at the attitude of his players after his team crashed 5-0 at West Bromwich and 4-0 at Nottingham Forest within the space of four days. 'I can't make changes because we haven't any other players to put in,' he stormed at the time. 'This makes it all the more important why those who do play have got their attitude right.'

Mr Bailey later persuaded England centre-back Steve Foster to withdraw his transfer request though the signs were that Republic of Ireland international striker Mike Robinson would be pursuing his quest for a new club. Both dropped their bombshell a few days before the new season was due to begin.

Going back to last season, Brighton have now lost their last nine away games in succession with a goals record of 4-27. So it's clear that a considerable tightening up operation has to be done in defence if the club is to hold onto the First Division status it won for the first time in its history in 1979.

Mr Bailey could pull five men back in defence as he did at Forest a fortnight ago. Don Shanks and Graham Pearce held the full-back positions with Steve Foster, Gary Stevens and Steve Gating in the middle.

Shanks, of course, opened his League career with the Hatters. He had been at Fulham as an apprentice but turned professional with us in 1970. After gaining England Youth honours in his first season here, Don made his League debut in 1971-72 and made a total of 90 League appearances before joining QPR in 1975. At Shepherd's Bush he earned a reputation for versatility but, since his move to Brighton in the 1981 close season, he has settled down again at right-back.

The luck of the Cup draw changed Pearce's life last season. He was a member of the Barnet team which powered its way to the third round of the FA Cup and he played so superbly in two games against Brighton that he was signed for £10,000 immediately after that tie was settled.

Foster made his England debut against Northern Ireland last February and quickly earned the respect of Ron Greenwood who took him to Spain with the World Cup squad. Steve won his third cap in the game with Kuwait. He opened his professional career as a none-too-successful striker with Portsmouth but it was after switching to a defensive role that he impressed Brighton who invested £130,000 in his transfer in 1979.

When Foster was under suspension for their opening game at home to Ipswich, Mr Bailey recalled Gary Stevens who completely subdued England striker Paul Mariner and generally played with such composure as to suggest the club would not miss Foster if he did get a transfer. Gary, who was once a young player with Ipswich himself, said after the game: 'It's up to the manager — but I think I should keep Steve out of the team now.'

Gary, who got his League chance in 1979-80 after joining Brighton, did keep his place as Mr Bailey changed tactics to include an extra defender.

When Mr Bailey signed Gating from Arsenal for £200,000 last season, he explained: 'I had originally planned to use him in midfield. But we had a problem at the back and he has been performing superbly in the middle of the defence.'

Gating made his League bow for the Gunners in 1978-79 and completed well over 50 First Division games for the London club.

If defensive changes have been made then we could see the return of Northern Ireland international left-back Sammy Nelson who missed early games through injury. Sammy, who has 49 caps, travelled to Spain with the World Cup team though he wasn't called into action. Sammy became an established international before he won a regular place in Arsenal's First Division side and he completed more than 250 League games for the Gunners before his £50,000 move to Brighton last season.

Perry Digweed opened the season in goal though Graham Moseley, who has been on the injury list, will be challenging for a recall. Digweed made his League bow as a Fulham player against Bolton in January 1977 and, although he played only a dozen or so League games for the Cottagers, Brighton invested £150,000 in his transfer two seasons ago.

Moseley last season completed 100 First Division games for Brighton, following his £20,000 transfer from Derby in 1978. He began his career with Blackburn but it wasn't until after he had moved on to Derby that he got his chance in League soccer in 1972-73.

Andy Ritchie and the transfer-listed Mike Robinson opened the season as the two strikers.

Ritchie entered First Division football with Manchester United in 1977-78 and made more than 30 League appearances for the Reds before moving on to Brighton for £600,000 two seasons ago. Last season he was Brighton's

leading scorer with 13 goals.

Robinson has been a fixture in the Republic of Ireland team for the past two seasons and now has eight caps. He began his career with Preston and, after scoring 14 Second Division goals in 1978-79, he was transferred to Manchester City for £750,000. Though he became City's top scorer, the move was not a success and a year later he moved on to Brighton for £500,000. He was Brighton's top marksman with 22 goals in 1980-81 and hit 11 last season.

Brighton also possess another Republic of Ireland striker in Gerry Ryan whose role in early games was often as substitute. Derby signed him from Bohemians for £40,000 in 1977 but collected £85,000 when he moved on to Brighton just over a year later. Gerry has 10 international caps.

Midfield players include newcomer Neil Smillie, Jimmy Case, Tony Grealish, Neil McNab and Gordon Smith. Smillie joined Crystal Palace as a schoolboy and made well over 50 League appearances for the Selhurst club before joining Brighton this summer in a straight exchange for defender Gary Williams.

Case spent eight years as a Liverpool professional. An England Under-23 international, Jimmy made more than 200 first team appearances for the Anfield side and signed for Brighton in the summer of 1981 for £350,000.

Former Hatter Grealish, who now has 27 Republic of Ireland caps, served his apprenticeship with Orient, made his League bow in 1974, and came to Luton for £300,000 five years later. Then he moved on to Brighton in a £100,000 deal in 1981.

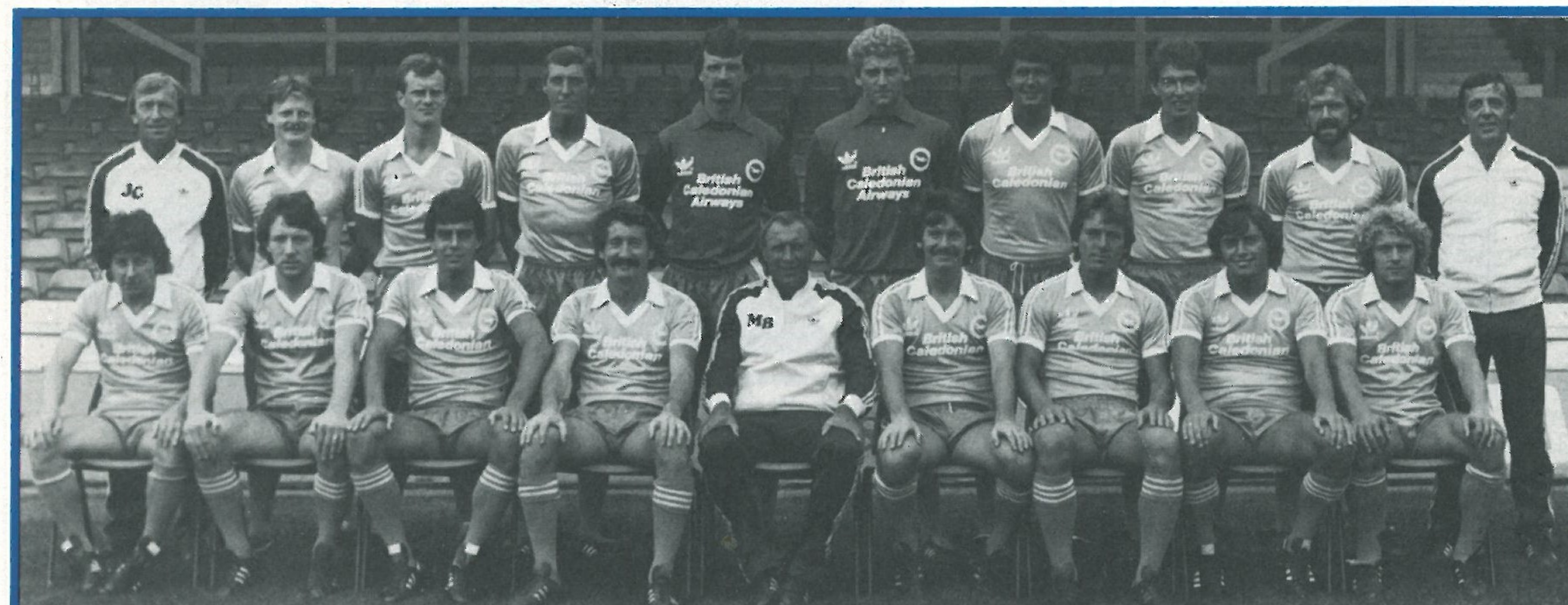
McNab is a former Scottish Youth and Under-21 international who left Morton to sign for Tottenham in 1974. Bolton signed him for £250,000 in 1979 and collected a similar fee when he left for Brighton three seasons ago.

Smith has played for Scotland at Under-21 and Under-23 levels. He made well over 150 League appearances for Kilmarnock before signing for Rangers for £65,000 in 1977. Brighton paid £400,000 for him in 1980.

Brighton are now into their fourth season as a First Division club and early indications are that they will again be fighting to keep clear of the relegation zone.

Last season was their best since gaining promotion and they finished in 13th place. It had been hoped to show another improvement this term but the pre-season transfer demands of two key players undoubtedly had an unsettling effect upon the whole squad.

And now they find themselves with a great deal of lost ground to be made up.



Back row (left to right): John Collins (First Team Coach), Neil McNab, Andy Ritchie, Sammy Nelson, Graham Moseley, Perry Digweed, Steve Foster, Gordon Smith, Tony Grealish, Mike Yaxley (Physio)
Front row: Mickey Thomas (Transferred to Stoke City), Jimmy Case, Gary Stevens, Gerry Ryan, Mike Bailey (Manager), Don Shanks, Steve Gating, Mike Robinson, Neil Smillie

POINTS ATTENDANCES LEAGUE TABLES

Opponents	Result	Attendance	Points Position	Findlay	Stephens	Money	Horton	Goodyear	Donaghy	Hill	Stein	Walsh	Antic	Moss	Turner	Kellock	Own Goal
Goals Scored										1	3	3		3			1
1982																	
August																	
28 Tottenham Hotspur	2-2	39,180	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11			
31 West Ham United	0-2	13,403	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11			
September																	
4 Notts County	5-3	9,071	4	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11			
8 Aston Villa	1-4	18,823	4	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	3	12	
11 Liverpool	3-3	33,694	5	18	1+	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	10	
18 Brighton & Hove Albion																	
25 Stoke City																	
October																	
2 Manchester United																	
9 Birmingham City																	
16 Ipswich Town																	
23 West Bromwich Albion																	
30 Nottingham Forest																	
November																	
6 Arsenal																	
13 Sunderland																	
20 Coventry City																	
27 Southampton																	
December																	
4 Swansea City																	
11 Manchester City																	
18 Everton																	
27 Watford																	
28 Norwich City																	
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January																	
1 Coventry City																	
4 West Ham United																	
8 FA Cup (3)																	
15 Tottenham Hotspur																	
22 Brighton & Hove Albion																	
29 FA Cup (4)																	
February																	
5 Liverpool																	
12 Manchester United																	
19 Birmingham City																	
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14 Manchester City																	
21 FA Cup Final																	

LUTON TOWN v MANCHESTER UNITED

Saturday 2nd October 1982

Kick-off 3.00 p.m.

Our home game against Manchester United two weeks today is all ticket. Admission tickets for the Oak Road terraces only will be on sale in the Kenilworth Road ticket office after today's game and from Monday morning subject to availability. Please note, there will be no cash admissions to the match on the day and no sales after 5 p.m. on Friday.



Pictured with our chairman, Denis Mortimer, are welcome visitors to the recent Notts County match, Jim Mulholland and Frank Stavale from General Motors, Detroit, and Bedford Trucks marketing director, Des Savage. Jim and Frank were visiting Bedford Trucks on business and decided to pay us a visit to learn more about soccer and Bedford's shirt advertising sponsorship. They went away delighted with the entertainment - but, because of TV coverage, they were unable to see Bedford Trucks' shirts.

FOOTBALL COMBINATION FIXTURES 1982-83

Date	Time	Home	Away
Aug. 28	7.30	Watford	0-1
Sept. 1		Norwich City	3-0
Sept. 13	7.30	Brighton	
Sept. 22		Oxford United	
Sept. 27	7.30	West Ham United	
Oct. 5		Crystal Palace	
Oct. 9	7.30	Birmingham City	
Oct. 16		Ipswich Town	
Oct. 23	7.30	Q.P.R.	
Nov. 6		Arsenal	
Nov. 9		Fulham	
Nov. 15	2.15	Leicester City	
Nov. 20	2.15	Swansea City	
Nov. 27		Southampton	
Dec. 6	2.15	Bristol Rovers	
Dec. 14		Chelsea	
Dec. 20	2.15	Charlton Athletic	
Dec. 28	2.15	Reading	
Jan. 1		Swindon Town	
Jan. 3	2.15	Fulham	
Jan. 10	2.15	Tottenham Hotspur	
Jan. 15		Watford	
Jan. 24	2.15	Oxford United	
Jan. 29		Swansea City	
Feb. 5		Brighton & Hove Albion	
Feb. 7		Millwall	
Feb. 14	2.15	Crystal Palace	
Feb. 22		Birmingham City	
Feb. 26	2.15	Ipswich Town	
Mar. 8		Q.P.R.	
Mar. 14	7.30	Millwall	
Mar. 19	7.30	Arsenal	
Mar. 30		Leicester City	
Apr. 2		Reading	
Apr. 9		Tottenham Hotspur	
Apr. 11	7.30	Norwich City	
Apr. 18	7.30	Swindon Town	
Apr. 26		Bristol Rovers	
Apr. 30	7.30	Southampton	
May 3		West Ham United	
May 10		Charlton Athletic	
May 16	7.30	Chelsea	



DIVISION ONE TABLE 1982-83

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Team	Home					Away					Pts	
	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F		A
Watford	5	3	0	0	7	1	1	0	1	4	2	12
Manchester United	5	3	0	0	8	2	1	0	1	4	3	12
Manchester City	5	2	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	4	3	12
Liverpool	5	2	1	0	9	6	1	1	0	2	0	11
W.B.A.	5	2	0	0	8	1	1	0	2	3	5	9
Stoke City	5	2	0	1	6	5	1	0	1	4	2	9
Notts County	5	2	1	0	2	0	0	1	1	4	6	8
West Ham United	5	1	1	1	7	3	1	0	1	2	1	7
Tottenham Hotspur	5	1	1	1	9	4	1	0	1	3	4	7
Swansea City	5	2	0	0	6	1	0	1	2	2	6	7
Sunderland	5	1	1	0	2	1	1	0	2	5	5	7
Coventry City	5	2	0	1	2	2	0	1	1	2	3	7
Brighton	5	2	1	0	5	3	0	0	2	0	9	7
Everton	5	2	0	0	8	1	0	0	3	1	5	6
Nottingham Forest	5	1	0	1	4	3	1	0	2	6	9	6
Aston Villa	5	2	0	1	9	5	0	0	2	0	6	6
Norwich City	5	1	1	1	7	4	0	1	1	1	5	5
Luton Town	5	1	0	1	5	5	0	2	1	6	9	5
Arsenal	5	0	1	1	1	3	1	0	2	3	3	4
Southampton	5	1	0	1	2	4	0	1	2	1	8	4
Ipswich Town	5	0	1	1	2	3	0	2	1	3	5	3
Birmingham City	5	0	1	1	1	4	0	0	3	1	13	1

Up to and including Saturday 11th September

DIVISION ONE APPS & GOALS 1982-83

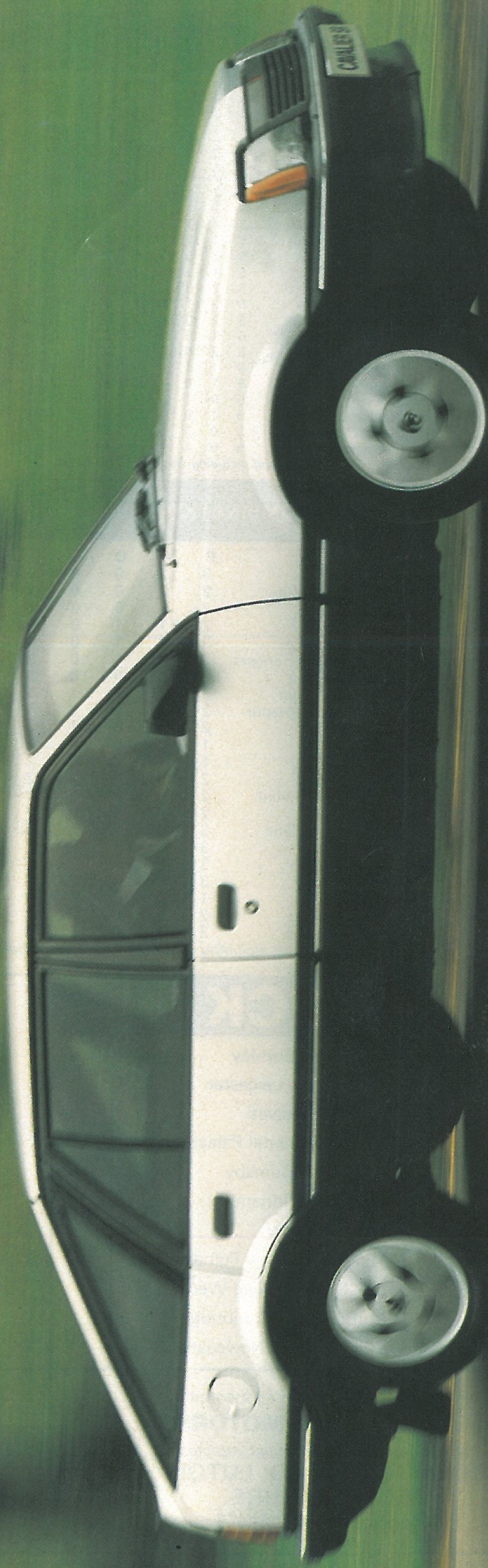
Player	App	FLC	GLS
Antic	4(1)	—	—
Donaghy	5	—	—
Findlay	5	—	—
Goodyear	5	—	—
Hill	5	—	1
Horton	5	—	—
Kellock	—(1)	—	—
Money	4	—	—
Moss	5	—	3
Stein	5	—	3
Stephens	5	—	—
Turner	2	—	—
Walsh	5	—	3
Own Goals	—	—	1

Up to and incl. Sat. 11th Sept.

COMBINATION TABLE 1982-83

Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Watford	3	3	0	0	7	3	6
Birmingham City	2	2	0	0	4	1	4
Chelsea	2	2	0	0	4	1	4
Leicester City	2	1	1	0	6	3	3
Crystal Palace	2	1	1	0	4	3	3
Queens Park Rangers	2	1	1	0	3	2	3
Ipswich Town	3	0	3	0	3	3	3
Swindon Town	3	1	1	1	1	1	3
Tottenham Hotspur	2	1	0	1	5	3	2
Luton Town	2	1	0	1	3	1	2
Reading	1	1	0	0	2	1	2
Swansea City	1	1	0	0	1	0	2
Millwall	2	0	2	0	2	2	2
West Ham United	2	0	2	0	2	2	2
Fulham	2	0	2	0	1	1	2
Charlton Athletic	3	0	2	1	5	7	2
Arsenal	3	0	1	2	2	6	1
Southampton	3	0	1	2	2	6	1
Norwich City	3	0	1				

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