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United Notes

CLUB CHATTER.

We had hoped that an improvement upon the point gained at Bury would be our fortune at Leicester but we were deprived of any return whatever. We still maintain we are at a loss to understand why we are so inferior away from home and believe me boys! there is only one way of overcoming this complex and that is by sheer will power and guts. The team has ability—that has been shown on more than one occasion at Elland Road—but it is very disconcerting to all alike when that ability is so inconsistent. Sorry that Johnny Short is likely to be hors-de-combat for the next two weeks through a ligament injury sustained in the early part of the match at Filbert Street.

Our quest for new blood has met with disappointment that is upon going to Press early in the week. Negotiations were opened with Third Lanark for Jimmy Mason, their inside forward, but as already stated in the Press, our value of the player did not coincide with that of the Third Lanark Directors with the result negotiations were brought to a deadlock. Another player under review was Drinkwater, St. Mirren full-back or half-back, and again eye-to-eye could not be met owing to the value set upon the player. Drinkwater was playing in the Reserve side and the fee asked was preposterous so much so that we had no option but to turn down the proposition although the Directors were, and are, willing to pay for the proven player. The Scottish people are getting quite alarmed at the migration of their players and certain Clubs are making definite effort to arrest the position. Instance the recent purchase of Flavell from Airdrie, by Hearts who actually paid £11,400 for this player. One eminent Scottish Manager deplored the inflated fees now being demanded yet asked us £8,000 for one of his reserve players. Perhaps we can conclude that high fees are being demanded to accomplish what we have heretofore stated—to stay the course of their players taking the trek to England.

THE RESERVES.

Our Central League side after receiving a trouncing from Blackpool a fortnight ago, rehabilitated themselves somewhat by defeating Burnley Reserve on Saturday last by the odd goal. This goal scored by Windle makes his third in successive games.

The Juniors shared the spoils with Yorkshire Amateur at Harrogate. Owing to travel difficulties we accommodated the Bracken Edge men in our Coach in order to get to Harrogate ever ready to give a helping hand when practicable.

THE STORMCOCKS.

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¹⁰ Ottewell

⁶ Gardiner

³ Hughes

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(White)

Right

Left

Right

⁷ Small

⁸ Brennan

⁹ Billington

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OUR VISITORS.

A welcome to-day to Luton Town in this, their first visit to Elland Road. The Club was founded in 1885 but main honours have been denied them excluding their promotion year to Division 2. Their form this season has been rather of an in-and-out nature yet we satisfy ourselves that the going to-day will not be easy. We extend a welcome and greetings to them.

Last season our Vice-chairman, Mr. S. L. Blenkinsop, had reason to speak to the boys in the pen relating to the "siren" call they were disputing when a visiting goal-keeper was taking his goal-kick. In the last match with West Ham this call was again renewed and boys! we do sincerely ask you to refrain from this unsportsmanlike attitude. If you do not, then we shall have to take sterner measures but knowing our boys, we anticipate that heed will be taken of our request.

BLACKPOOL CUP-TIE.

Please note that we cannot entertain any further applications for the Cup-tie on January 10th. We are already considerably over-applied for. All applications received after the 20th inst. will be returned but we shall endeavour to meet your needs within reasonable numbers. We cannot guarantee any number but rest assured, we will do our best.



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Appearances and Goal Scorers

	English League		Central League			English League		Central League	
	App.	Gls.	App.	Gls.		App.	Gls.	App.	Gls.
J. F. Twomey...	22	—	—	—	L. Crowther ...	—	—	8	—
Jas. Milburn ...	16	—	2	—	D. Grainger ...	5	—	12	5
K. L. Gadsby ...	20	—	2	—	D. Kirby ...	7	—	13	—
G. R. Henry ...	6	—	6	—	L. J. Browning	—	—	7	—
T. Holley ...	17	—	2	—	G. Crookes ...	—	—	6	1
C. J. Martin ...	21	1	—	—	E. Beanland ...	—	—	3	—
D. Cochrane ...	20	3	—	—	J. O'Connor ...	—	—	1	—
A. Powell ...	19	7	—	—	J. Davison ...	—	—	10	2
G. E. Ainsley...	2	2	10	7	R. Dunwoody	—	—	3	—
J. D. Short ...	17	5	2	3	K. Chester ...	—	—	4	—
W. H. Heaton	22	2	—	—	J. Ramage ...	—	—	1	—
A. J. Wakefield	20	11	1	1	J. H. Clarke ...	—	—	4	2
C. K. Willingham	11	—	5	—	W. Windle ...	1	—	10	4
Bullions ...	4	—	—	—	H. L. Fearnley	—	—	1	—
T. Hindle ...	2	—	17	6	E. Joyce ...	—	—	1	—
J. P. Hodgson	—	—	18	—	Woodward ...	—	—	3	—
J. Dunn	8	—	10	—	Hoyle ...	—	—	3	—
J. Smith	—	—	10	—	Whittam ...	—	—	1	—
E. Bannister ...	—	—	16	1	Smith, A. ...	—	—	1	—
E. Hodgkinson	1	—	15	—	Morton ...	—	—	2	—
A. Ingham ...	1	—	18	—	Lamb ...	—	—	1	—
A. Benn ...	—	—	2	—	Smith, South'pton, o.g.	1	—	—	—
P. L. Roberts...	—	—	8	2					

SATURDAY, JANUARY 3rd

Kick-off 2-30 p.m.

ENGLISH LEAGUE SOUTHAMPTON

Evening Post Score Board for Correct Half-Time Scores

A —Aston Villa	Wolverhampton	L —Hull City	Southport
B —Everton	Sunderland	M —Oldham A.	Crewe Alexandra
C —Manchester C.	Huddersfield T.	N —Tranmere	Carlisle United
D —Preston N.E.	Burnley	O —Wrexham	Mansfield T.
E —Barnsley	Coventry City	P —York City	Chester
F —Bradford	Southampton	Q —Watford	Queens Park R.
G —Cardiff City	Bury	R —Exeter City	Bristol City
H —Doncaster R.	Notts Forest	S —Notts. County	Swansea Town
I —Sheffield W.	West Ham	T —Reading	Leyton Orient
J —West Brom A.	Newcastle U.	U —Swindon Town	Norwich City
K —Barrow	Halifax Town		

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