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v.  
**LIVERPOOL**



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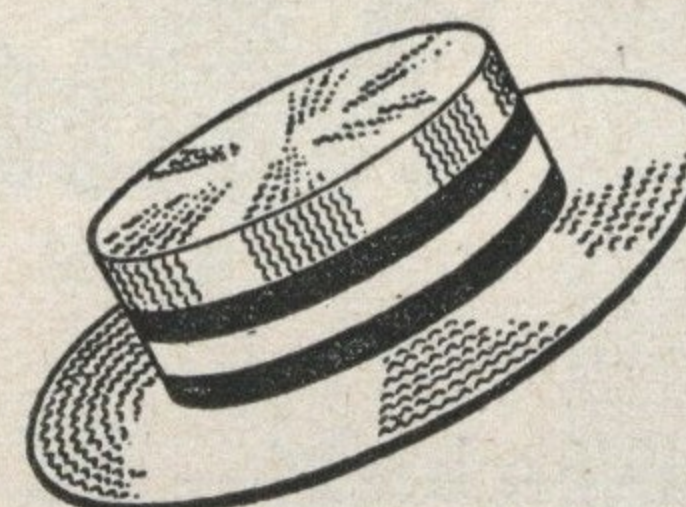
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### CLUB NOTES



OUR hopes of obtaining  
five points from our next  
three matches commenc-  
ing last Saturday proved  
more of wishful thinking,  
for our unexpected defeat  
at the hands of Norwich City made such hopes  
impossible to fulfil. Our lads gave a most  
disappointing show, seeming to give up the ghost  
following that second goal. It was one of those  
days when it seemed that we never would score  
no matter how long the game lasted, and so it  
proved. If the goalkeeper was beaten there was  
a player to kick the ball off the goal-line or it  
rolled just outside the post as happened on two  
occasions. Yet in one way or another the two  
goals which went against us should both have been  
prevented, and not in a thousand times will Ron  
Baynham be beaten as he was for that second goal.  
Altogether a match we will want to forget, and to  
hope that our lads will regain their confidence  
without any loss of time.

We have pleasure in welcoming Liverpool to  
our Ground this evening in the return mid-week  
fixture, the last of the season. Liverpool's Ground  
at Anfield Road has a capacity of sixty-five  
thousand, being one of the best in the country  
and was at first actually the home of the Everton  
Club, but in 1892 some dispute arose as to the  
amount of rent to be paid which resulted in the  
majority of its members moving their headquarters  
to Goodison Park. The remaining members  
decided to carry on at Anfield Road, calling  
themselves Liverpool F.C., and so they have  
remained since. The Liverpoolians thus had two  
first class Clubs at hand, and great was the rivalry  
between the supporters, especially when the two  
Clubs met, creating what is known as "Derby  
Day" in Liverpool. Such rivalry of course kept  
interest at fever pitch and capacity crowds could  
be expected whenever they met. They have not  
met in a League encounter since 1950/51, when  
Everton were relegated to the Second Division.  
When the "Toffeeemen" gained promotion at  
the end of the 1953/54 season Liverpool were  
themselves relegated to the Second Division. The  
following season, the year of our promotion,  
Liverpool finished in eleventh place, but the  
following season finished in third place, as also  
the next year; 1957/58 and 1958/59 they finished  
in fourth place, and last season finished again in  
third place. Having been so narrowly deprived  
of regaining their position in the Top Section on  
so many occasions they must be wondering if they  
will ever make it. When we met them last in a  
League fixture, in Season 1954/55 we took three  
points from them, beating them by three goals to  
two here at Kenilworth Road, and sharing eight  
goals at Anfield Road later in the season in a  
match that was full of thrills. Liverpool have been  
League Champions on no fewer than five occasions  
— 1900/01, 1905/06, 1921/22, 1922/23, 1946/47,  
Runners-up in 1898/99 and 1909/10, but have  
never won the F.A. Cup. In the two seasons

1904/05 and 1905/06 they created a record by  
being Champions of Division 2 and Division 1  
in successive seasons (this record has since been  
equalled by Everton in 1930/31 and 1931/32 and  
then by Tottenham in 1949/50 and 1950/51).  
We feel we did very well by holding the present  
Liverpool side to a draw at Anfield Road last  
Wednesday evening for undoubtedly under their  
Manager Bill Shankly they have a very workman-  
like and experienced side which should do well.  
We hope we can go one better this evening, and  
at the same time make up to some extent for our  
rather surprising fall from grace on our previous  
appearance.

Our Reserve side continues to do well although  
last night at Vetch Field fielding a much-changed  
side due to the calls being made on them for  
tonight's match they lost by three goals to one.  
The team was — O'Hara; McNally; King; Collins,  
Kelly, McGuffie; Noake, McCann, McCreadie,  
Spencer, Kilgannon. Although disappointing it  
certainly is no disgrace to lose at Swansea who  
have a team comprising youth and experience  
which is expected to take them back into Division 1  
of the Football Combination this season. Our  
win at Crystal Palace last Saturday by four goals  
to one was good news, together with the fact  
that our Metropolitan League side won their  
Metropolitan League Cup First Round Tie at  
Headington in extra time by two goals to one, and  
the South Eastern Counties side won their match  
with West Ham at Hillborough Road by three  
goals to two. In the Reserves match at Crystal  
Palace both Mike Tracey and Mike Dixon scored  
twice, combining very well. Dixon was not  
available for last night's match at Swansea as he  
is still in the Army and leave of absence could  
not be granted. We are very pleased he has come  
through much better than we had dared to hope  
following his injury at Southampton last season,  
and if his present improvement on the field  
continues he will undoubtedly be knocking at the  
door for recognition in the first team. Unfortun-  
ately he has another twelve months to go before  
being demobbed.

We shall be breaking new ground on Saturday  
next when, immediately following our Combination  
fixture with Plymouth Argyle some of our  
youngsters will be taking the field against a team  
of Scottish Youth who will have come all the way  
from Fifeshire to show us their football skill.  
We hope that many of them will come up to our  
expectations, thus resulting in quite a few fresh  
faces donning the White Shirt and Black Shorts  
of the "Hatters" before many days have passed.  
Kick-off will be as near to 4.45 p.m. as possible,  
and anyone attending the Reserve match may  
continue to see these lads in action should they  
wish to do so. We hope there will be a good  
crowd to give these lads quite a nice reception  
after their very long journey. Our Scottish Scout  
"Baker" Brown, no relation to Allan Brown but  
who has been his mentor and great friend for  
a number of years has been responsible for  
arranging this match, and we trust he will feel  
that his efforts will have been all worthwhile.

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3 Loran  
Left Back

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Goal

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Centre Half  
9 McBride  
Centre



9 Hunt  
Centre  
5 White  
Centre Half

Slater  
Goal

### Football League — Division 2

3 Hawkes  
Left Back  
6 Pacey  
Left Half

10 Brown  
Inside Left  
11 Tracey  
Outside Left

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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  
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N**SECOND LIST**A  
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N**THIRD LIST**A  
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1960	FIRST XI—Division 2	Attendance	F	A
Aug. 20 Sat.	Huddersfield Town	18156	A	1 1
" 24 Wed.	Portsmouth	17514	H	1 0
" 27 Sat.	Sunderland	17632	H	3 3
" 31 Wed.	Portsmouth	15176	A	2 3
Sept. 3 Sat.	Plymouth Argyle	21408	A	1 1
" 7 Wed.	Liverpool	27339	A	2 2
" 10 Sat.	Norwich City	22252	H	0 2
" 14 Wed.	Liverpool		H	
" 17 Sat.	Charlton Ath.		A	
" 24 "	Sheffield United		H	
Oct. 1 "	Stoke City		A	
" 8 "	Bristol Rovers		H	
" 15 "	Derby County		A	
" 22 "	Leyton Orient		H	
" 29 "	Scunthorpe United		A	
Nov. 5 "	Ipswich Town (1)		H	
" 12 "	Brighton & Hove		A	
" 19 "	Middlesbrough		H	
" 26 "	Leeds United (2)		A	
Dec. 3 "	Southampton		H	
" 10 "	Rotherham United		A	
" 17 "	Huddersfield T.		H	
" 24 "	Lincoln City		A	
" 26 Mon.	Lincoln City		H	
" 31 Sat.	Sunderland		A	
1961				
Jan. 7 Sat.	F.A. Cup—3			
" 14 "	Plymouth Arg.		H	
" 21 "	Norwich City		A	
" 28 "	F.A. Cup—4			
Feb. 4 "	Charlton Ath.		H	
" 11 "	Sheffield United		A	
" 18 "	Stoke City (5)		H	
" 25 "	Bristol Rovers		A	
March 4 "	Derby County (6)		H	
" 11 "	Leyton Orient		A	
" 18 "	Rotherham (S.F.)		H	
" 25 "	Ipswich Town		A	
" 31 Fri.	Swansea Town		H	
April 1 Sat.	Leeds United		H	
" 3 Mon.	Swansea Town		A	
" 8 Sat.	Middlesbrough		A	
" 15 "	Brighton & Hove		H	
" 22 "	Southampton		A	
" 29 "	Scunthorpe Utd.		H	
May 6 "	F.A. Cup—Final			

1960	Reserve XI Fixtures	Attendance	F	A
Aug. 20 Sat.	Coventry City	2415	H	3 2
Sept. 1 Thurs.	Notts. County	773	A	4 3
" 3 Sat.	Colchester Utd.	1736	H	3 2
" 10 "	Crystal Palace		A	4 1
" 13 Tues.	Swansea Town		A	
" 17 Sat.	Plymouth Arg.		H	
" 24 "				
Oct. 1 "	Reading		H	
" 8 "	Bristol Rovers		A	
" 15 "	Northampton		H	
" 22 "	Shrewsbury		A	
" 29 "	Millwall Athletic		H	
Nov. 5 "	Southend United		A	
" 12 "	Fulham		H	
" 19 "	Brentford		A	
" 26 "	Aldershot		H	
Dec. 3 "	Swindon Town		A	
" 10 "	Bristol Rovers		H	
" 17 "				
" 24 "	Peterborough U.		H	
" 26 Mon.	Peterborough Utd.		A	
" 31 Sat.	Notts. County		H	
1961				
Jan. 7 Sat.	Q.P.R.		A	
" 14 "	Colchester United		A	
" 21 "	Crystal Palace		H	
" 28 "	Q.P.R.		H	
Feb. 4 "	Plymouth Argyle		A	
" 11 "	Swansea Town		H	
" 18 "	Reading		A	
" 25 "	Shrewsbury		H	
Mar. 4 "	Millwall Ath.		A	
" 11 "	Southend Utd.		H	
" 18 "	Fulham		A	
" 25 "	Brentford		H	
" 31 Fri.	Mansfield Town		A	
April 1 Sat.	Aldershot		A	
" 3 Mon.	Mansfield Town		H	
" 8 Sat.	Swindon Town		H	
" 15 "	Northampton T.		A	
" 22 "	Coventry City		A	
" 29 "				

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**LEAGUE TABLE 1960 - 61**

Up to and including Saturday, September 10th

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Norwich City	7	4	3	0	10	2	11
Ipswich Town	7	5	1	1	15	9	11
Sheffield United	7	4	1	2	12	7	9
Portsmouth	7	4	1	2	13	12	9
Scunthorpe United	6	3	2	1	14	8	8
Rotherham United	7	4	0	3	9	5	8
Sunderland	7	2	4	1	14	10	8
Southampton	7	4	0	3	17	13	8
Leyton Orient	7	3	2	2	12	13	8
Middlesbrough	6	3	1	2	12	7	7
Huddersfield Town	7	2	3	2	12	11	7
Plymouth Arg.	7	3	1	3	9	10	7
<b>LUTON TOWN</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>LIVERPOOL</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>6</b>
Lincoln City	7	2	2	3	8	10	6
Leeds United	7	2	2	3	13	16	6
Derby County	7	3	0	4	12	18	6
Brighton & Hove	7	2	1	4	12	14	5
Charlton Ath.	7	1	3	3	9	13	5
Swansea Town	7	1	2	4	9	12	4
Stoke City	7	1	2	4	5	12	4
Bristol Rovers	7	0	3	4	10	21	3

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