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Club Notes

WE once again welcome Northampton Town to Kenilworth Road, this time in the First Round of the Football League Cup. Last season we met them here in the Third Round of the F.A. Cup and though they played well in the first half when with any luck they might have scored at least one goal a second goal by Turner early in the second half which the goalkeeper should have saved knocked a lot of the enthusiasm out of the Northampton side and in the end we ran out comfortable winners. In a pre-season private practice match played here against Northampton they played very well and indeed beat us by two clear goals. The Cobblers however have had a very disappointing start to the season, in the seven League matches they have played to date winning only one and that was on Wednesday last when only a few hours before their match with Crystal Palace they obtained the signature of Cliff Holton from Watford who proceeded to honour the occasion with a splendidly taken hat-trick. They were held to a draw last Saturday of two goals each by Lincoln City at Northampton, which must have come as a little disappointing to the home crowd in view of their splendid win only three days earlier. We can expect a very exciting match here this evening for without a doubt the Cobblers will be all

out to avenge that F.A. Cup defeat they suffered at our hands last January.

We came off second best in more senses than one on our visit to Vetch Field last Saturday. It was about the roughest match we can remember — certainly none has been rougher. The least said about the match itself perhaps the better except to say that our lads, reduced to ten players after only two minutes' play, played like heroes despite all they had to put up with, and if the game had gone on much longer we feel despite the fact that we were reduced to nine men, would have won the day. As it was we almost equalised in the dying moments of the game. After such a match our lads could have done with a long lie in a nice warm bath to help take away some of the stiffness and aches but this was not possible as they only had twenty five minutes from coming off the field to catch their train at 5.30 p.m. At the time these Notes were being prepared our team for tonight's match was very uncertain. It is surprising though the difference each twenty four hours can make under modern treatment and so we are hoping the team which takes the field tonight will not be much different from that which has done so well for us so far this season, but of course Alec Ashworth with a broken nose is a definite non-starter. He did very well to go back onto the field after having his nose re-set

NOTES — continued

at the Hospital, but he was little more than nuisance value in that he required a Swansea defender to be not too far away from him and if for only that reason he served a useful purpose. McNally did not break a leg as was at first feared but suffered severe bruising and cuts. These have responded well to treatment and it is hoped that he will be able to take his usual place in the team tonight.

The Luton Band will not be with us on Saturday, but will be competing in

the National Brass Band Championship at Belle Vue, Manchester. We wish them well and hope they come home with a trophy. In their place at Luton, we shall see another appearance of the Bradwell Silver Prize Band to whom we feel sure you will show your appreciation.

The Hospital Commentaries Scheme is again being run this season and we wish to thank all those who give their time and services to provide these commentaries of our home games which we know are much appreciated.

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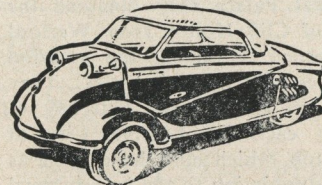
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Coe, Norman, (goalkeeper), 5ft. 8ins., 10st. 2lbs. Signed from Arsenal, July, 1960. A native of Pentrechynth, near Swansea, he was developed on Arsenal ground staff, and also had a season on loan to Gravesend. Northampton debut 19th November, 1960.

Foley, Theo, (full back), 5ft. 10ins., 10st. 6lbs. Born Dublin. Signed this season from Exeter City where he was a regular for four years. Formerly with well known Irish Club, Home Farm.

Claypole, Tony, (full back), 5ft. 9ins., 11st. 8lbs. Born Weldon, Nr. Corby. Signed as amateur immediately after leaving school; as pro. at 17 in 1954. Debut three years later, developing into first choice back in 1960-61.

Everitt, Mike, (winger), 5ft. 10ins., 11st. Born Clacton and developed on Arsenal ground staff. Signed for Northampton in February, 1961. Can also play wing-half or inside forward.

Branston, Terry, (wing or centre half), 6ft. 11st. 13lbs. Born Rugby. After developing in Northampton Colts, signed as professional in 1958-59. League debut

October, 1960. He can also play as back and inside forward.

Leck, Derek, (inside forward), 5ft. 11ins. 10st. 10lbs. Born Northbourne. After junior football in London joined Millwall and signed for Northampton in July, 1958.

Holton, Cliff, (inside forward). A former Arsenal player, signed from Watford, on Wednesday, 6th September. Scored 3 goals on his debut at Crystal Palace the same evening.

Terry, Pat, (centre forward), 5ft. 10ins., 11st. 7lbs. Born London. Signed this season from Gillingham. Formerly with Swansea, Newport and Charlton. A free scoring leader.

Mills, Roland, (wing half), 5ft. 5ins., 10st. 11lbs. Born Daventry. Joined Northampton as amateur in youth days. Made senior debut in 1954-55. Versatile player who has appeared in various positions.

Fowler, Tom, (winger), 5ft. 8ins., 10st. 3lbs. Born Prescott, Lancs. After guesting for a wartime season at Everton, he has played in all post-war seasons at Northampton with remarkable consistency.

JACKPOT COMPETITION DATA

The names of the Winners of the Draw made on the Huddersfield match were:

1st Prize	5136	Mrs. Izzard, Maulden	£53 15s. 0d.
2nd Prize	2157	Mrs. Luscombe, Sundon Park	£31 16s. 0d.
3rd Prize	1519	Mrs. Woodcroft, Langford	£21 4s. 0d.

and the Winners for last week's Draw for the Leicester City Reserves match were:

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3rd Prize	2575	Mr. P. Webb, 49, Elmore Road, Luton	£6 10s. 0d.

The Prizes for this latter Draw were very disappointing, due to the fact that at the moment we sell the majority of our Tickets on the day of the match, consequently when it is a Reserve match receipts are very much down. We are aiming at our Sellers disposing of their Tickets before the day of the Draw so that even if it is a Reserve match the Prizes will about equal a First Team game.

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Fowler	Mills	Terry	Holton	Dixon
6	5	4	3	2
Leck	Branston	Everitt		
3		2		
Claypole		Foley		
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Up to and including Sat., 9th September, 1961

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Liverpool	6	6	0	0	18	3	12
Leyton Orient	6	4	1	1	12	5	9
Huddersfield Town	6	4	1	1	15	10	9
Walsall	7	4	1	2	13	13	9
Rotherham United	5	4	0	1	13	8	8
Bury	6	4	0	2	10	6	8
Scunthorpe United	7	3	2	2	17	13	8
Southampton	7	3	1	3	13	8	7
Derby County	7	3	1	3	16	16	7
Brighton & Hove A.	7	2	3	2	12	14	7
Plymouth Argyle	6	3	1	2	10	12	7
Swansea Town	7	2	3	2	12	17	7
LUTON TOWN	6	3	0	3	16	12	6
Stoke City	7	2	2	3	12	10	6
Norwich City	7	2	2	3	11	12	6
Sunderland	6	3	0	3	11	15	6
Middlesbrough	5	2	1	1	10	8	5
Newcastle United	6	2	1	3	3	5	5
Leeds United	7	2	1	4	7	14	5
Preston North End	6	1	1	4	6	11	3
Charlton Athletic	6	0	2	4	7	18	2
Bristol Rovers	7	0	0	7	4	16	0

FOOTBALL COMBINATION — Saturday Section

Up to and including Sat., 9th September, 1961

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Plymouth Argyle	4	4	0	0	13	3	8
Ipswich Town	4	3	1	0	10	6	7
LUTON TOWN	4	3	0	1	11	5	6
Tottenham Hotspur	4	3	0	1	18	10	6
West Ham United	4	2	1	1	11	8	5
Peterborough United	5	2	1	2	10	9	5
Notts. County	6	2	1	3	9	13	5
Bristol Rovers	2	2	0	0	6	2	4
Arsenal	4	2	0	2	11	6	4
Cardiff City	4	2	0	2	12	8	4
Norwich City	3	1	1	1	6	8	3
Nottingham Forest	4	1	1	2	10	12	3
Crystal Palace	4	1	1	2	11	13	3
Leicester City	4	1	1	2	6	11	3
Mansfield Town	4	1	0	3	6	9	2
Colchester United	4	1	0	3	8	16	2
Northampton Town	2	0	0	2	2	5	0
Shrewsbury Town	4	0	0	4	4	20	0

SOUTH EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE

Up to and including Sat., 9th September, 1961

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Chelsea	3	3	0	0	14	2	6
Fulham	3	3	0	0	26	5	6
Tottenham Hotspur	4	3	0	1	15	10	6
Portsmouth	3	2	1	0	10	6	5
Arsenal	5	2	1	2	11	8	5
Watford	5	2	1	2	10	11	5
Brentford	4	2	0	2	6	7	4
West Ham United	4	2	0	2	11	14	4
Crystal Palace	3	1	1	1	9	7	3
Millwall Athletic	3	1	1	1	5	10	3
Bexleyheath	4	1	0	3	5	10	2
Charlton Athletic	3	1	0	2	5	12	2
O. P. R.	4	0	1	3	4	8	1
LUTON TOWN	4	0	0	4	1	22	0

LEAGUE MATCHES—Players' Appearances and Goal Scorers

Names	APPEARANCES			GOALS		
	1st Team	2nd Team	3rd Team	1st Team	2nd Team	3rd Team
A. ASHWORTH	6	...	...	3	...	...
R. BAYNHAM	6	...	...	...	...	...
J. BRAMWELL	6	...	...	...	...	...
D. BROGAN	...	...	...	...	...	...
M. COLLINS	...	3	...	...	...	...
R. COPE	3	1	...	...	...	...
A. DANIEL	...	4	...	...	...	...
M. FAIRCHILD	...	4	...	1	...	...
J. FLEMING	5	...	...	1	...	...
J. GROVES	6	...	...	1	...	...
F. JARDINE	...	3	...	...	2	...
T. KELLY	3	1	...	...	...	...
*L. KER	...	...	2	...	...	...
R. LEGATE	...	4	...	...	4	...
J. LORNI	3	2	...	1	2	...
M. LOWNDS	...	3	...	...	...	...
A. McGUFFIE	...	3	...	...	1	...
T. McKECHNIE	4	...	...	3	...	...
B. McNALLY	6	...	...	...	...	...
R. MORTON	6	...	...	...	...	...
*M. O'HARA	...	...	2	...	...	...
D. PACEY	...	1	...	...	...	...
B. REED	...	4	...	...	...	...
G. RIDDICK	...	3	3	...	1	...
J. STANDEN	...	4	...	...	...	...
G. TURNER	6	...	...	4	...	...
H. WALDEN	6	2
*W. WILSHER	4
OWN GOALS	1
AMATEURS	1
*Apprentice Professionals	...	4	33

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Today's Half-Time Scores

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1961	First XI—Div. 2	Attendance	F	A	1961	Reserve XI Fixtures	Attendance	F	A
Aug. 19	Sat. Preston N.E. ...	14109	H	4 1	Aug. 19	Sat. Mansfield Town ...	1302	H	2 1
" 23	Wed. Derby County ...	18705	A	0 2	" 23	Wed. Notts. County ...		A	1 0
" 26	Sat. Plymouth Argyle ...	15299	A	3 0	" 26	Sat. Notts. County ...		A	1 0
" 30	Wed. Derby County ...	15380	H	4 2	Sept. 2	Wed. Notts. County ...	1135	H	6 1
Sept. 2	Sat. Huddersfield T. ...	14436	H	3 4	" 9	Sat. Leicester City ...	1694	H	2 3
" 9	" Swansea Town ...		A	2 3	" 16	" Ipswich Town ...		A	
" 16	" Southampton ...		H		" 23	" Plymouth Arg. ...		H	
" 20	Wed. Middlesbrough ...		A		" 30	" Arsenal ...		A	
" 23	Sat. Charlton Ath. ...		A		Oct. 7	" Colchester Utd. ...		A	
" 27	Wed. Middlesbrough ...		H		" 14	" Norwich City ...		H	
" 30	Sat. Newcastle United ...		A		" 21	" West Ham United ...		A	
Oct. 7	" Bury ...		H		" 28	" Tottenham H. ...		H	
" 14	" Brighton & Hove ...		A		Nov. 4	" Cardiff City ...		A	
" 21	" Scunthorpe Utd. ...		H		" 11	" Crystal Palace ...		H	
" 28	" Norwich City ...		A		" 18	" Northampton T. ...		A	
Nov. 4	" Leeds Utd. (1) ...		H		" 25	" Nottingham For. ...		H	
" 11	" Liverpool ...		A		Dec. 2	" Norwich City ...		A	
" 18	" Stoke City ...		H		" 9	" Colchester Utd. ...		H	
" 25	" Sunderland (2) ...		A		" 16	" Mansfield Town ...		A	
Dec. 2	" Rotherham Utd. ...		H		" 23	" Peterborough Utd. ...		A	
" 9	" Bristol Rovers ...		A		" 30	" Peterborough Utd. ...		A	
" 16	" Preston North End ...		H		1962				
" 23	" Plymouth Arg. ...		A		Jan. 6	Sat. Shrewsbury T. ...		H	
" 26	Tues. Walsall ...		A		" 13	" Bristol Rovers ...		A	
" 30	Sat. Walsall ...		H		" 20	" Leicester City ...		A	
1962					" 27	" Shrewsbury T. ...		A	
Jan. 6	Sat. F.A. Cup—3 ...				Feb. 3	" Ipswich Town ...		H	
" 13	" Huddersfield Town ...		A		" 10	" Plymouth Argyle ...		A	
" 20	" Swansea Town ...		H		" 17	" West Ham Utd. ...		H	
" 27	" F.A. Cup—4 ...				" 24	" West Ham Utd. ...		H	
Feb. 3	" Southampton ...		A		Mar. 3	" Tottenham H. ...		A	
" 10	" Charlton Ath. ...		H		" 10	" Cardiff City ...		H	
" 17	" Newcastle U. (5) ...		H		" 17	" Crystal Palace ...		A	
" 24	" Bury ...		A		" 24	" Northampton T. ...		H	
March 3	" Brighton & Hove ...		H		" 31	" Nottingham Forest ...		A	
" 10	" Scunthorpe U. (6) ...		A		April 7	" Peterborough U. ...		H	
" 17	" Norwich City ...		H		" 14	" Bristol Rovers ...		H	
" 24	" Leeds United ...		A		" 21	" Arsenal ...		H	
" 31	" Liverpool (S.F.) ...		H		" 28	Sat. ...			
April 7	" Stoke City ...		A						
" 14	" Sunderland ...		H						
" 20	Fri. Leyton Orient ...		A						
" 21	Sat. Rotherham United ...		A						
" 23	Mon. Leyton Orient ...		H						
" 28	Sat. Bristol Rovers ...		H						
May 5	" F.A. Cup—Final ...								

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