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## From the Team Manager's Office . . .

Good Afternoon Ladies and Gentlemen,

On Saturday last, we, in company with other Third and Fourth Division Clubs, started on the "Road to Wembley" when Watford came to Elm Park, in the first round of the F.A. Cup, and we were very pleased to emerge successfully by 3-1.

Peter Knight our recent signing was not eligible to play and Denis Allen took his place, with Peter Shreeves playing at inside-right. Arthur Wilkie was unfit to play and Michael Dixon deputised for him.

It was very pleasing indeed to see the Cup Tie Spirit so much in evidence amongst the spectators and the colourful display of the Club's colours was most impressive.

From the kick-off we opened up the attack and dominated the game for some time but failed to penetrate a sound defence. By playing some sound constructive football, the Watford defenders had some anxious moments and only on rare occasions was Michael Dixon and his co-defenders troubled.

We continued to have the better of the game, and it was very pleasing indeed to see us score twice inside a minute, the first coming from Johnny Walker, from the penalty spot and the second from Ralph Norton, who took full advantage of some good approach work by Pat Terry and Peter Shreeves.

After the interval we continued our onslaught and a second penalty kick was awarded, when Jones stopped a certain goal with his hands. Pat Terry's shot found the net, but the kick had to be re-taken, and his second effort hit the bar and was ultimately scrambled away.

This did not deter our lads at all, and after continued pressure on the visitors' goal. Denis Allen's corner kick was headed goalwards by Pat Terry, and Douggie Webb made it three.

Watford now made only spasmodic raids towards our goal, and they reduced our lead when full-back Nicholas scored with a long-range shot.

From then until the final whistle, we turned on full pressure, and Goy, in the visitors' goal, had to be at his best to prevent us scoring further goals.

R. Bentley

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## **LUTON TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB**

whose Directors, Officials and Players we welcome to Elm Park this afternoon for our Football League fixture.

This well-known Bedfordshire Club was founded in 1885, and was the first Club in the South of England to employ professional players.

Manager : Mr. W. Harvey. Secretary : Mr. R. Redhead.  
**R. Baynham**—Has been with Luton since 1951. Was secured from Worcester City. Represented England on several occasions.

**A. McBain**—Born in Aberdeen. Played for Carlisle. He attracted our Manager's attention and was transferred to Luton in exchange for J. Lornie and A. Ross.

**F. Jardine**—Born in Edinburgh. Played for Dundee for two seasons before coming to Luton at the end of Season 1960-61.

**M. Lownds**—Signed from Durham in January, 1960. Became full-timer on completion of his apprenticeship with a local firm. Is a wing-half who likes to get on with the game.

**G. Caleb**—This youngster signed as an apprentice footballer for us in December, 1961. He settled down very well and showed such promise that he was offered full Professional Registration in April, 1963.

**J. Bramwell**—Joined Luton in October, 1960 from Everton, and has proved a very capable player, worthy to be considered for International honours.

**J. O'Rourke**—Was previously with Arsenal and Chelsea, from whom we signed him on a free transfer in December, 1963.

**D. Pacey**—Born in Luton, signed for the Club in 1956. Member of the England Under-23 Team against Germany and Italy.

**G. Riddick**—Turned professional in April, 1961, following a short period of apprenticeship. Much is expected of this lad as he gains more experience.

**J. Reid**—Previously played for Bradford and Northampton, to whom we made a substantial transfer fee in November, 1963.

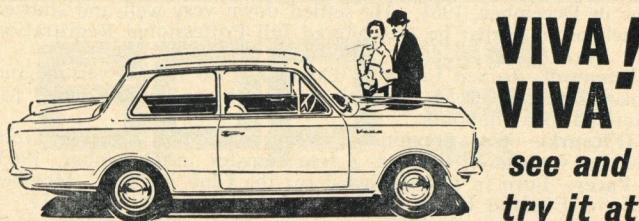
**Ray Whittaker**—A Londoner from Bow, his only other Club being The Arsenal. He gained England Youth International honours with John O'Rourke in 1962 and 1963, and joined us in March, 1964.

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### FOOTBALL LEAGUE—DIVISION III

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Bristol Rovers .....	21	10	8	3	44	28	28
Grimsby .....	20	11	6	3	35	22	28
Brentford .....	21	11	5	5	35	24	27
Workington .....	20	10	6	4	38	30	26
Mansfield .....	22	9	8	5	44	38	26
Bristol City .....	21	9	6	6	46	30	24
Gillingham .....	21	10	4	7	32	25	24
Carlisle .....	20	8	8	4	29	23	24
Bournemouth .....	20	8	7	5	37	30	23
Shrewsbury .....	21	9	5	7	38	31	23
Peterborough .....	21	10	3	8	43	43	23
<b>READING</b> .....	<b>21</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>22</b>
Hull .....	20	8	5	7	34	37	21
Q.P.R. .....	19	8	5	6	30	27	21
Watford .....	19	6	8	5	29	31	20
Scunthorpe .....	21	6	6	9	31	32	18
Exeter .....	19	6	5	8	20	19	17
Southend .....	21	7	3	11	29	34	17
Oldham .....	21	6	5	10	25	36	17
Luton .....	21	3	9	9	19	38	15
Barnsley .....	20	4	6	10	25	38	14
Port Vale .....	21	2	9	10	20	38	13
Colchester .....	21	3	5	13	22	42	11
Walsall .....	20	4	2	14	20	42	10

#### GOALSCORERS—

Travers, 8.  
Terry, 6.  
Fairchild, 1.  
Thornhill, 7.  
Shreeves, 2.  
Grant, 1.  
Webb, 7.  
Allen, 2.  
Own Goal, 1.

#### League Cup—

Allen, 1.  
Meldrum, 1.  
Grant, 2.  
Travers, 1.  
Own Goal, 1.  
Webb, 2.  
Terry, 1



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## FIXTURES 1964-65

### Football League

Aug.	22—Bournemouth	A	2	3	
"	26—Shrewsbury Town	H	3	1	
29—Southend United	H	2	0		
Sept.	1—Shrewsbury Town	A	0	4	
"	4—Barnsley	A	1	1	
"	7—Q.P.R.	A	1	0	
"	12—Scunthorpe United	H	2	0	
"	16—Q.P.R.	H	5	3	
"	19—Walsall	A	1	4	
"	23—Q.P.R. (L.C.2)	H	4	0	
"	26—Watford	H	6	2	
"	29—Bristol City	A	0	2	
Oct.	2—Workington	A	2	0	
"	7—Bristol City	H	1	1	
"	10—Oldham Athletic	H	1	0	
"	12—Hull City	A	0	1	
"	14—Fulham (L.C.3)	1	1	3	1
"	17—Bristol Rovers	A	0	1	
"	21—Hull City	H	3	3	
"	24—Brentford	H	1	1	
"	26—Peterborough Utd.	A	0	1	
"	31—Colchester Utd.	A	2	2	
Nov.	7—Port Vale	H	1	1	
"	14—Watford (F.A. Cup)	H	3	1	
"	21—Luton Town	H			
"	28—Mansfield Town	A			
Dec.	5—F.A. Cup 2nd Round				
"	12—Bournemouth	H			
"	19—Southend United	A			
"	26—Exeter City	A			
"	28—Exeter City	H			
1965					
Jan.	2—Barnsley	H			
"	9—(3) Carlisle United	A			
"	15—Scunthorpe United	A			
"	23—Walsall	H			
"	30—(4) Grimsby Town	H			
Feb.	6—Watford	A			
"	13—Workington	H			
"	20—(5) Oldham A.	A			
"	27—Bristol Rovers	H			
Mar.	6—(6) Grimsby Town	A			
"	13—Colchester Utd.	H			
"	20—Port Vale	A			
"	27—(S.F.) Carlisle Utd.	H			
April	3—Luton Town	A			
"	10—Mansfield Town	H			
"	16—Gillingham	A			
"	17—Brentford	A			
"	19—Gillingham	H			
"	24—Peterborough Utd.	H			
May	1—(Final)				

### Combination

1964					
Aug.	22—Southampton	H	3	3	
"	25—Coventry City	A	1	5	
Sept.	2—Watford	H	3	2	
"	12—Brighton & Hove	A	0	4	
"	14—Q.P.R.	A	1	1	P
"	22—Millwall	A	3	1	
"	30—Aldershot	H			
Oct.	10—Charlton Athletic	A	0	4	
"	14—Bournemouth	H	P		
"	24—Notts County	A	1	2	
"	28—Swindon Town	H	2	1	
Nov.	7—Luton Town	A	0	2	
"	11—Brentford	H	1	0	
"	21—Bristol Rovers	A			
"	25—Leyton Orient	H			
Dec.	2—Bournemouth	A			
"	12—Southampton	A			
"	16—Coventry City	H			
"	26—Q.P.R.	A			
"	28—Birmingham City	A			

### 1965

Jan.	5—Watford	A			
"	13—Brighton & Hove	H			
"	20—Birmingham City	H			
"	27—Oxford United	H			
Feb.	3—Millwall	H			
"	13—Aldershot	A			
"	17—Notts County	H			
"	27—Swindon Town	A			
Mar.	3—Luton Town	H			
"	10—Oxford United	A			
"	13—Brentford	A			
"	17—Bristol Rovers	H			
"	27—Leyton Orient	A			
"	31—Charlton Athletic	H			
April	14—Southend United	H			
"	19—Southend United	A			

N.B.—Hampshire League "A" Team matches will be played at Elm Park, on Saturday afternoons, on dates to be announced.

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Good Afternoon Ladies and Gentlemen,

At our monthly meeting, held last Thursday, Alderman H. V. Kersley expressed his wish to retire from the position of Chairman to the Supporters' Club, a position he has held for some years without fear or favour. We are all sorry to learn of Alderman Kersley's failing health, which has resulted in this decision, but are pleased, however, to learn that he will remain promotor of the Jackpot.

Mr. L. F. Lewendon was appointed Chairman and Mr. J. H. Brooks Vice-Chairman. I know that you will all support our new officers and wish them both well. I know, also, you will all wish Alderman Kersley a speedy return to good health, and thank him for all he has done for our club.

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- B Burnley v Wolverhampton .....
- C Fulham v Blackpool .....
- D Tottenham v Aston Villa .....
- E West Ham v Leeds .....
- F Bolton v Portsmouth .....
- G Coventry v Crystal Palace .....
- H Ipswich v Charlton .....
- J Middlesbrough v Swindon .....
- K Northampton v Swansea .....
- L Preston v Leyton Orient .....
- M Barnsley v Port Vale .....
- N Bristol City v Peterborough .....
- P Gillingham v Bournemouth .....
- Q Hull v Exeter .....
- R QPR v Grimsby .....
- S Southend v Carlisle .....
- T Walsall v Brentford .....
- U Watford v Bristol Rovers .....
- V Workington v Oldham .....

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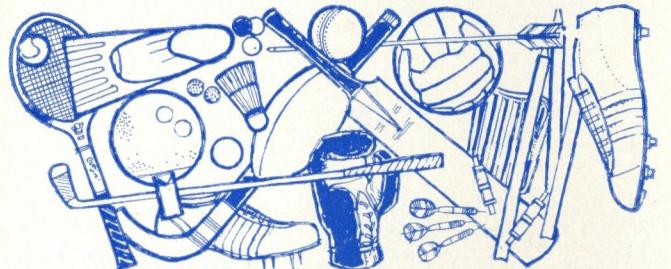
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