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season, seem to be having some trouble in scoring goals which is something about which we can sympathise with them from past experience.

Will supporters please note that we have been drawn at home to Oxford United, conquerors of Limbury B.C., last Saturday, in the next round of the F.A. Youth Cup and that the match will be played at Kenilworth Road on Wednesday, 10th November, kick-off 7.30

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Club Notes

ALTHOUGH at the moment, our prime consideration is the need for League points in order to turn our useful position in the table into one of an all out challenge for promotion, it is only natural that the F.A. Cup should obtrude into our thoughts.

Three weeks today, we shall be faced with a stiff test in visiting the Southern League club, Romford, for the first time in our history.

Of course, we are disappointed that ground advantage has not come our way because there is no doubt that such a tie at Kenilworth Road would have been much of an attraction, but after having come out of the hat first three times last season, probably we have no real grounds for complaint that luck has deserted us on this occasion.

There is no doubt that our boys, showing much improved form at the moment, should qualify for the second round, but there is always some misgiving when a League club is called upon to visit ambitious non-Leagueurs such as Romford are.

Apart from every other consideration, an extended run in the Cup does much to whip up the enthusiasm of the fans, especially if the third round, and the chance of a really plum draw, can be reached. In the last two seasons since we forfeited our exemption, we have managed it and we see no reason why a hat-trick should not be completed.

Romford are issuing tickets only for the main stand, of which our share will be 400, comprising 20 at 6s., 150 at 5s. and 230 at 4s.

First chance of buying the tickets will go to season ticket holders who should apply as soon as possible, enclosing their Round 1 slip, the correct money and a stamped, addressed envelope.

There will be room for upwards of 20,000 by payment through the turnstiles. If a replay is necessary, it will be on this ground on the following Thursday, kick-off 7.30 p.m.

Today marks the home debut of our new signing from Wellington Town, Graham French, who made his first appearance in our colours at Bradford last Saturday when the team returned with a hard-earned point from the struggling City.

Unfortunately, Colin Tinsley received a nasty head injury shortly before half-time and, subsequently, spent the week end in a Bradford hospital after having had three stitches inserted in a gash. Hopes are that he will be in today's line up against Crewe, though it was not certain when these notes were written.

While on the subject of hospitals, we are sure that the best wishes of all supporters will go to our Chairman, Tom Hodgson, who is in Luton and Dunstable Hospital for a course of injections to a hip that has an arthritic condition. He expects to be detained for about 12 days, so he will not be long away from the scene of action.

Our previous acquaintance with Crewe has been of comparatively short duration because until now, we spent only one season—the one before last—in the same Division as them. Like us, they have known their ups and downs and this

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PEN PORTRAITS OF OUR VISITORS

Willie Mailey (goalkeeper). Born Dun-tocher. A former Scottish Schoolboy International who started his career with Everton before moving to Gresty Road on the 15th March 1963. Made his League debut during the 1963/64 season. Although on the small side for a goal-keeper makes up for this with his agility. Made 21 League and Cup appearances last season making a total to date of 40.

Ralph Marshall (full back). Born Airdrie. Now starting his second season at Gresty Road after joining them from Glasgow Rangers. Made 11 League and Cup appearances last season. A young player of distinct promise.

Peter Leigh (full back). Born Altrincham. Now starting his fifth season at Gresty Road after previous service with Manchester City. A very consistent performer and an established member of the side. Last season made 36 first team appearances making a total to date of 165.

Mick Gannon (wing half). Born Liverpool. Joined the Gresty Road staff during the 1964/65 season and soon established himself in the League side. Although young has had League experience with Everton and Scunthorpe Utd. from which club he joined Crewe. 23 League appearances last season.

Eric Barns (centre half). Born Manchester. First played for the club as an Amateur whilst serving with the R.A.F. and signed professional forms on completion of his National Service. Made his first team debut on 1st February 1958 against Hull City. Although most of his appearances have been at centre half has also played at wing half and full back. Last season made 42 League and Cup appearances making a total to date of 234.

Norman Bodell (wing half). Born Royton. Joined the Crewe playing staff from Rochdale just before the end of the 1962/63 season. During his spell with the club has played in all the half back positions.

Last season made 38 League and Cup appearances making a total to date of 67.

Jimmy Cooper (outside right). A close season recruit from Mansfield Town. 22 years of age has also had experience with Chester and Blackpool. Last season made 7 appearances with Mansfield Town.

Peter Kane (inside forward). Born Glasgow. Joined the Crewe staff from Northampton Town in March 1964. An experienced player who has had two spells with Northampton Town and also with Arsenal. Last season played in all the inside forward positions making 30 League and Cup appearances scoring 11 goals. Total appearances to date 40.

Johnny King (centre forward). Born Wrenbury. Started his professional career with Crewe but moved to Stoke City in September 1953. From Stoke he joined Cardiff City but after one season there rejoined Crewe in June 1962. A very clever ball player who is equally at home at inside forward. Last season made 43 first team appearances scoring 10 goals. Since rejoining the Club has made 138 first team appearances.

Alan Bradshaw (inside forward). Born Blackburn. Another close season recruit from Blackburn Rovers his only previous club where after Amateur service signed professional forms. Has this season become a part time player. Last season made 10 first team appearances with Blackburn Rovers.

Barry Wheatley (outside left). Born Sandbach. After a short spell with Liverpool joined the Gresty Road staff during the summer of 1957. Made his first team debut at Workington on the 7th September 1957 and scored on his debut. Is the longest serving professional on the staff and has played in all the forward positions with the exception of centre forward. Last season made 43 League and Cup appearances, 8 goals. Total appearances 232.

LEAGUE MATCHES—Players' Appearances and Goal Scorers

Names	APPEARANCES			GOALS		
	1st Team	2nd Team	'A' Team	1st Team	2nd Team	'A' Team
CALEB	...	6	...	...	1	...
CHESHIRE	...	7	2	...	...	...
EDWARDS	2	8	...	...	1	...
FRENCH	1	...	...	...	...	...
FRY	2	10	...	...	5	...
GIBSON	8	...	...	...	...	...
HARBER	3	...	...	...	...	...
HYDE	...	2	9	...	...	2
JARDINE	11	...	...	...	...	...
KETTLEBOROUGH	...	10	...	...	3	...
LONG	...	10	2	...	3	1
McKECHNIE	5	3	...	2	1	...
MOONEY	...	1	5	...	...	...
MOORE	11	...	...	2	...	...
O'ROURKE	9	...	...	7	...	...
PLEAT	...	...	...	...	...	...
READ	5	3	...	3	...	...
REID	11	...	...	2	...	...
RIDDICK	2	5	...	...	...	...
RIOCH	3	8	...	...	3	...
RIVERS	8	2	...	...	...	...
SLOUGH	1	7	1
STARK	7	1	...	2
TINSLEY	11
THOMSON	11
WHITTAKER	9	3
WOODS	3	4
AMATEURS	...	34	108	4
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FOOTBALL LEAGUE Division 4 Results 1965-66 HOME CLUB	Aldershot	Barnsley	Barrow	Bradford	Bradford City	Chester	Chesterfield	Colchester U.	Crewe Alex.	Darlington	Doncaster R.	Halifax	Hartlepool	Lincoln City	Luton T.	Newport Co.	Notts. Co.	Port Vale	Rochdale	Southport	Stockport Co.	Torquay U.	Tranmere R.	Wrexham
Aldershot	+
Barnsley	...	+	3 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Barrow	+	4 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bradford	+
Bradford City	+
Chester	+
Chesterfield	+
Colchester U.	+
Crewe Alex.	+
Darlington	+
Doncaster R.	+
Halifax	+
Hartlepool	+
Lincoln City	+
Luton T.	+
Newport Co.	+
Notts. Co.	+
Port Vale	+
Rochdale	+
Southport	+
Stockport Co.	+
Torquay U.	+
Tranmere R.	+	...
Wrexham	+

KEY — Luton at home to Bradford won 3-1

Today's Half-Time Scores

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	Arsenal	Blackburn R.
B	Burnley	Sheffield Utd.
C	Chelsea	Leicester C.
D	Everton	Blackpool
E	Manchester U.	Fulham
F	Newcastle U.	Tottenham H.
G	Northampton	West Ham U.
H	Notts. Forest	Aston Villa
K	Sheffield W.	Sunderland
L	West Brom.	Liverpool
M	Bolton Wan.	Cardiff City
N	Charlton Ath.	Bristol City

SECOND LIST

A	Crystal Palace	Rotherham U.
B	Huddersfield	Wolves
C	Ipswich T.	Derby County
D	Leyton O.	Bury
E	Portsmouth	Carlisle U.
F	Preston N.E.	Manchester C.
G	Bournemouth	Reading
H	Brentford	Oldham Ath.
K	Bristol Rovers	Watford
L	Grimsby T.	Gillingham
M	Oxford Utd.	Brighton
N	Southend U.	Exeter City

THIRD LIST

A	Swansea T.	Q.P.R.
B	Swindon T.	Peterborough
C	Walsall	Mansfield T.
D	Aldershot	Lincoln City
E	Barrow	Bradford City
F	Bradford	Darlington
G	Chesterfield	Halifax
H	Hartlepoons	Barnsley
K	Southport	Tranmere R.
L	Torquay Utd.	Chester
M	Wrexham	Stockport Co.
N	Bristol C. Res.	Luton T. Res.

League Tables 1965-1966

FOOTBALL LEAGUE — DIVISION FOUR

Up to and including Thurs., 21st October, 1965

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Torquay United	14	9	3	6	22	13	20
Tranmere Rovers	14	8	3	3	24	17	19
Chester	12	7	3	2	30	20	17
Chesterfield	12	5	5	2	20	14	15
Barnsley	13	6	3	4	24	20	15
Notts County	12	6	3	3	17	14	15
Colchester Utd.	12	6	2	4	16	12	14
Barrow	12	5	4	3	24	20	14
Darlington	12	5	3	4	16	14	13
LUTON TOWN	11	6	1	4	21	11	13
Southport	13	4	5	4	18	23	13
Port Vale	12	5	2	5	17	12	12
Doncaster Rovers	12	6	0	6	19	16	12
Rochdale	12	5	1	6	21	20	11
Aldershot	13	4	3	6	23	25	11
Newport, County	12	5	1	6	21	25	11
Lincoln City	12	4	3	5	16	21	11
CREWE ALEX.	12	4	2	6	16	15	10
Stockport County	13	4	2	7	20	19	10
Bradford	12	4	2	6	21	20	10
Wrexham	13	3	2	8	18	26	8
Halifax Town	12	2	4	6	13	21	8
Hartlepoons Utd.	12	1	2	7	14	24	8
Bradford City	12	2	2	8	18	37	6

FOOTBALL COMBINATION — Division Two

Up to and including Saturday, 16th October, 1965

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Q.P.R.	11	8	2	1	26	11	18
Reading	9	6	2	1	18	7	14
Birmingham City	10	7	0	3	27	14	14
Leyton Orient	10	5	3	2	21	14	13
Gillingham	8	5	2	1	13	5	12
Bristol Rovers	11	3	6	2	21	18	12
Brighton	10	5	1	4	19	16	11
Bournemouth	11	4	3	4	13	15	11
Charlton Athletic	9	4	2	3	17	10	10
Oxford United	10	4	2	4	14	12	10
Southend United	10	3	3	4	24	21	9
Watford	9	2	4	3	10	19	8
Bristol City	9	3	2	4	19	20	8
Brentford	11	3	2	6	16	22	8
LUTON TOWN	11	4	0	7	19	28	8
Millwall	9	2	3	4	12	17	7
Notts County	10	1	5	4	14	23	7
Aldershot	9	3	1	5	7	19	7
Colchester Utd.	8	2	1	5	8	18	5
Mansfield Town	9	0	2	7	8	26	2

SOUTH EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE

Up to and including Saturday, 16th October, 1965

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Chelsea	7	7	0	0	32	10	14
Arsenal	8	6	0	2	26	17	12
Millwall Athletic	8	5	1	2	23	11	10
West Ham United	8	4	2	2	23	11	10
Q.P.R.	8	5	0	3	30	17	10
Ipswich Town	8	4	2	2	20	21	10
Tottenham Hotspur	8	4	1	3	30	13	9
Watford	8	3	2	3	25	19	8
Leyton Orient	8	3	2	3	23	20	8
Crystal Palace	8	3	2	3	15	13	8
Brentford	8	3	1	4	10	13	7
Benley United	7	3	0	4	17	16	6
Charlton Ath.	8	2	2	4	11	25	6
Fulham	8	2	0	6	13	28	4
LUTON TOWN	8	1	0	7	8	42	2
Brighton	8	0	1	7	10	35	1

Division 4 and Football Combination Fixtures :: 1965-66

1965	First XI Div. 4	Attendance	F	A
Aug. 21 Sat.	Bradford ...	6182	H	3 1
" 23 Mon.	Wrexham ...	5466	A	0 2
" 28 Sat.	Aldershot ...	5310	A	1 3
Sept. 1 Wed.	Brighton (F.L.C.)	3758	H	1 1
" 4 Sat.	Newport County	4899	H	2 1
" 11 "	Torquay United	5156	A	0 2
" 16 Thurs.	Wrexham	4780	H	1 0
" 18 Sat.	Chesterfield	4905	H	1 2
" 24 Fri.	Rochdale	3692	A	2 1
Oct. 7 Thurs.	Doncaster R.	5020	H	4 3
" 9 Sat.	Barnsley	5948	H	5 2
" 16 "	Bradford City	...	A	4 2
" 30 "	Crewe Alex.	...	A	2 2
" 30 "	Port Vale	...	A	...
Nov. 3 Wed.	Tranmere Rovers	...	A	...
" 6 Sat.	Halifax	...	H	...
" 13 "	F.A. Cup - 1	...	A	...
" 20 "	Notts. County	...	H	...
" 23 Tues.	Doncaster Roy.	...	A	...
" 27 Sat.	Lincoln City	...	A	...
Dec. 4 "	F.A. Cup - 2	...	A	...
" 10 Fri.	Stockport	...	A	...
" 18 Sat.	Bradford City	...	H	...
" 27 Mon.	Southport	...	A	...
" 28 Tues.	Southport	...	A	...
1966				
Jan. 1 Sat.	Barnsley ...	...	A	...
" 8 "	Chester ...	...	H	...
" 15 "	Crewe Alex. ...	...	A	...
" 22 "	F.A. Cup - 3	...	A	...
" 29 "	Bradford ...	...	A	...
Feb. 5 "	Aldershot	...	H	...
" 12 "	Hartlepoons (4)	...	H	...
" 21 Mon.	Newport County	...	H	...
" 26 Sat.	Torquay United	...	H	...
March 5 "	Hartlepoons U. (5)	...	A	...
" 12 "	Chesterfield	...	A	...
" 19 "	Rochdale	...	H	...
" 26 "	Tranmere R. (6)	...	H	...
April 1 Fri.	Halifax	...	A	...
" 8 "	Colchester United	...	A	...
" 9 Sat.	Darlington	...	H	...
" 11 Mon.	Colchester Utd.	...	H	...
" 16 Sat.	Notts. County	...	A	...
" 23 "	Lincoln C. (S.F.)	...	H	...
" 25 Mon.	Barrow	...	A	...
" 30 Sat.	Darlington	...	A	...
May 7 "	Stockport	...	H	...
" 11 Wed.	Chester	...	A	...
" 14 Sat.	Cup Final	...	A	...
" 19 Thurs.	Barrow	...	H	...
" 28 Sat.	Port Vale	...	H	...

1965	Football Combination	Attendance	F	A
Aug. 21 Sat.	Leyton Orient ...	...	A	1 2
" 28 Sat.	Bristol Rovers ...	583	H	2 3
Sept. 4 Sat.	Charlton Ath. ...	...	A	0 2
" 9 Thurs.	Southend Utd. ...	416	H	4 3
" 11 Sat.	Aldershot ...	571	H	4 0
" 18 "	Oxford United ...	...	A	1 3
" 22 Wed.	Brentford ...	464	H	0 3
" 25 Sat.	Bournemouth ...	548	H	2 1
Oct. 2 "	Southend United ...	...	A	1 7
" 9 "	Q.P.R.	...	A	0 3
" 16 "	Mansfield Town	579	H	4 1
" 23 "	Bristol City	...	A	...
" 30 "	Notts. County	...	H	...
Nov. 1 Mon.	Millwall Ath.	...	A	...
" 13 Sat.	Reading	...	H	...
" 20 "	Gillingham	...	A	...
" 27 "	Colchester U.	...	H	...
Dec. 4 Sat.	Watford	...	A	...
" 11 "	Q.P.R.	...	H	...
" 18 "	Mansfield Town	...	A	...
" 27 Mon.	Brentford	...	A	...
1966				
Jan. 1 Sat.	Bristol City	...	H	...
" 8 "	Notts. County	...	A	...
" 15 "	Millwall Ath.	...	H	...
" 22 "	Brighton	...	A	...
" 29 "	Leyton Orient	...	H	...
Feb. 5 "	Bristol Rovers	...	A	...
" 12 "	Charlton Ath.	...	H	...
" 19 "	Aldershot	...	A	...
" 26 "	Brighton	...	H	...
March 5 "	Oxford United	...	H	...
" 12 "	Bournemouth	...	A	...
April 2 "	Gillingham	...	H	...
" 6 Wed.	Reading	...	A	...
" 8 Fri.	Birmingham C.	...	H	...
" 16 Sat.	Watford	...	H	...
" 23 "	Colchester United	...	A	...
" 30 "	Birmingham C.	...	A	...
May 7 "	
" 14 "	
" 21 "	
" 28 "	

The figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, refer to Cup Tie Dates
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NEXT MATCHES

Saturday, 30th October, 1965

Football Combination Kick-off 3 p.m.

Luton Town Reserves

v.

Notts. County Reserves

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Saturday, 6th November, 1965

Football League — Division 4 Kick-off 3 p.m.

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