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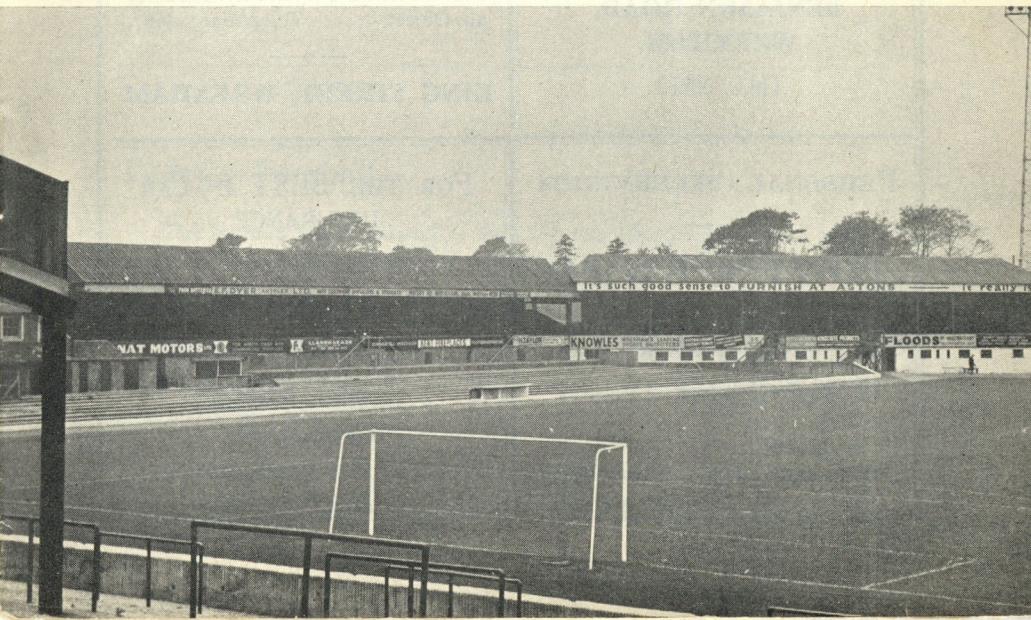
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### EDITORIAL—

This week I have news for the Junior members of the Association.

A full meeting of the Junior members will be held at THE CHURCH  
HOUSE, REGENT ST., WREXHAM at 7-15 p.m. on FRIDAY,  
14th OCTOBER, 1966. Note the change of date.

### SLOGAN COMPETITION

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## SECRETARY'S NOTES—

Today we are pleased to act as hosts to Luton Town, and to their Directors, Players and Supporters we extend our warmest welcome to North Wales. May they enjoy everything except the final result.

A good win against Notts County on Monday last has lifted us to tenth position in the League Table, and with a sixth of the season already gone we are hoping this augers well for the future. Those of you who were at the game were, I feel sure, pleased with the fighting spirit shown by our 'boys', who twice came from behind and eventually finished up winners by three goals to two.

One of the disappointing features so far this season is the support which we are receiving. Whilst our average 'gates' compare with most in our Division, I feel sure we could do better. Can you — the supporter of the Club — bring along one of your friends to the next home match. With the extremely high cost of running professional football nowadays it is imperative that every effort is made by everyone connected with the Club to give as much support as they possibly can. If you cannot attend matches you can still support the Club by way of the various competitions which are run weekly i.e. lottery on football, bingo, etc. Come on you Wrexham Supporters, let's show the footballing world that we appreciate our own local professional Club.

Congratulations to two of our amateur players — John Edwards and Robert Geoffrey Lloyd — who have both been selected to take part in the final North v. South Amateur International Trial Match at Newtown. Good luck, boys.

To conclude I am again reminding you of the Under 23's International schedule to be played on our ground on Wednesday, 30th November next, kick-off 7.15 p.m., when Wales meet Scotland. Keep this date in mind and bring the good lady or lady friend along with you.

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## MANAGER'S NOTES—

So far this season the players playing in the first team have shown to everyone that they have 100% fighting qualities. If you stop and think about the results so far in all accept the team have been a goal behind and still came back to make a draw, at least if we forget the Hartlepools one.

At Barnsley the team at one time were two goals down but this was all against the run of play, we scored just before half-time and then came out second half showing everyone they had football skills to go along with their fighting spirit against a team that belied their position in the league table.

To you, loyal supporters, who made the trip to Barnsley and gave the team such wonderful real support, all at the Racecourse thank you and say bring your friends along too, every little helps. While I am on about supporters, it was nice to see that during the match against Notts County there was no running onto the pitch.

Those of you who were at our home game against Notts County must agree about the spirit of the team and the improvement in their play. In each game, and on present form, we should hold a respectable position in the league table throughout the season.

In the amateur cup-tie against Rossett at Rossett I selected a very young team and they gave a first-class display against a very much older, stronger and experienced team and came out winners in the end 3 goals to 1. S. Williams 2, R. Bancroft 1, being the scorers, surely after two away cup games the boys luck must change and give them a home draw in the next round.

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Kick-off 3.15 p.m.

Monday, October 17th—

WREXHAM v. SOUTHEND

Kick-off 7.15 p.m.

FIRST TEAM GOALSCORERS TO DATE—  
Evans 4, McMillan 4, McLaughlin 3, Oldfield 2,  
Stacey 1, Griffiths 1. Total 15.

RESERVE TEAM GOALSCORERS TO DATE—  
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Hughes 2, McLaughlin 1, Carrick 1, McMillan 1,  
Griffiths 1. Total 17.

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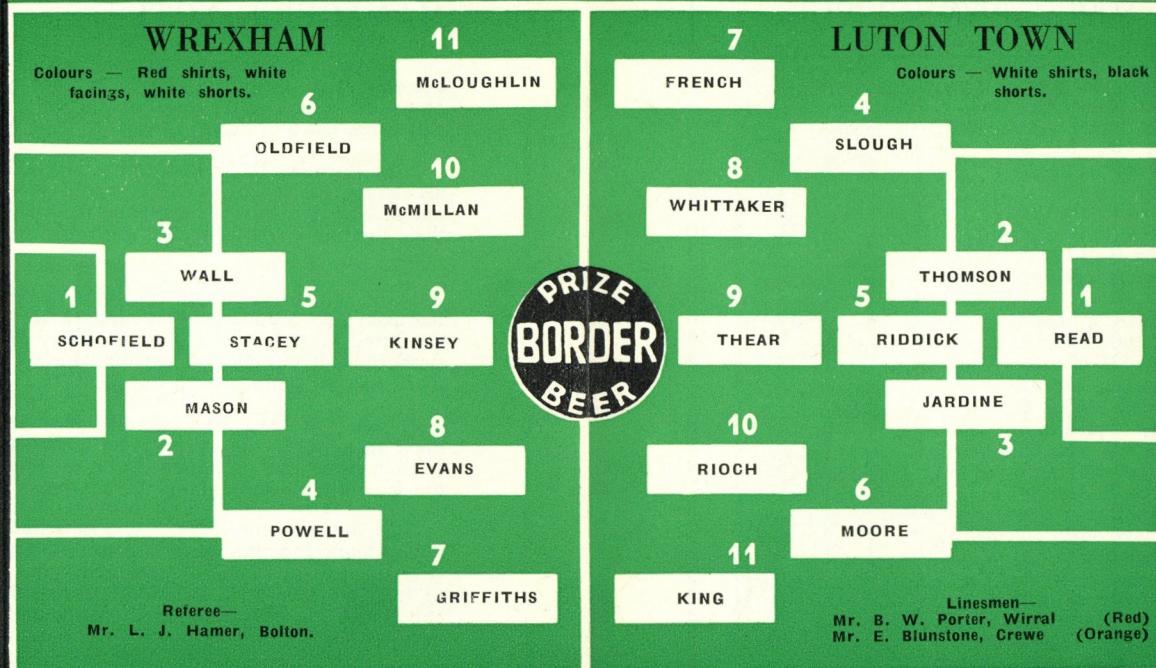
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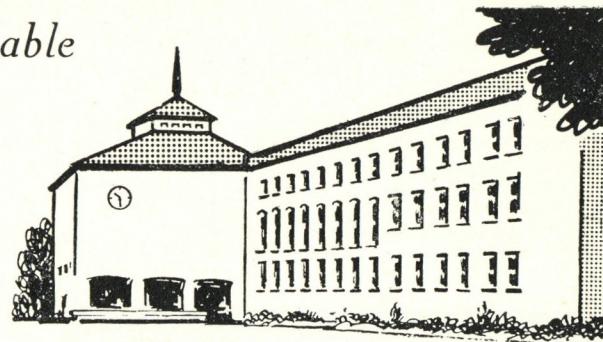
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Newport	9	3	0	1	10	3	2	2	1	7	7	12		
Southport	9	4	0	1	10	4	1	1	2	8	8	11		
Bradford	8	1	1	2	7	6	3	1	0	11	5	10		
Port Vale	8	2	2	0	7	5	1	2	1	2	3	10		
Tranmere	8	1	3	0	4	3	2	1	1	6	4	10		
Aldershot	8	3	1	0	11	5	1	1	2	4	8	10		
Barrow	9	0	3	1	6	7	3	1	1	10	7	10		
WREXHAM	8	2	2	0	9	4	0	3	1	6	7	9		
Hartlepools	9	3	0	2	7	6	1	1	2	4	8	9		
Chesterfield	8	1	1	1	3	2	2	1	2	8	9	8		
LUTON	8	4	0	1	12	5	0	0	3	1	6	8		
Bradford City	8	3	0	1	8	3	0	2	2	7	9	8		
Rochdale	8	3	0	1	6	3	0	2	2	3	6	8		
Crewe	8	2	1	1	9	7	1	1	2	5	7	8		
Brentford	8	1	3	0	5	4	1	0	3	3	9	7		
Chester	8	1	1	2	4	8	0	3	1	3	7	6		
York	8	2	2	0	10	6	0	0	4	3	10	6		
Exeter	8	1	1	2	4	4	0	3	1	6	6	6		
Notts County	9	1	3	0	6	5	0	0	5	6	17	5		
Halifax	8	1	3	0	8	7	0	0	4	3	11	5		
Lincoln	8	1	1	2	5	8	0	1	3	4	8	4		
Barnsley	9	1	1	4	7	12	0	0	3	3	7	3		

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TONY READ—His first club was Sheffield Wednesday, and in 1964 he left them to go to Peterborough. Transferred to Luton March 1965. Last season made 35 appearances in forward line scoring 12 goals besides 6 appearances in goal.

THOMSON—He first came into prominence with Partick Thistle, and was later transferred to Liverpool for a big fee. Transferred to Luton on 2nd August, 1965.

JARDINE—Played for two seasons for Dundee before joining Luton in 1961. Signed as an outside left but since made the left back position his own.

SLOUGH—Another Luton boy who has graduated through ranks, being offered full terms May, 1965. Can also play at wing half and inside forward. Gained County Representative honours as Amateur in the latter position.

RIDDICK—Turned professional in April, 1961 following a short period of apprenticeship. He has been with the club since making many first team appearances equally well at full back, half back and as a forward.

MOORE—In his second season for Luton. Previous club Motherwell. Made 43 League appearances and scored five goals last season.

FRENCH — Came into prominence when playing for Shrewsbury and gained Youth International caps for England. Played for Swindon and Watford before joining Luton October, 1965.

WHITTAKER — Joined Luton from Arsenal in March, 1964. Gained England Youth International caps in 1962, 1963. He went straight into the First Team and held his place ever since.

THEAR—Joined Arsenal as Apprentice Professional. Can also play at centre half. Holds an F.A. Youth Cup winners medal.

RIOCH—He signed Apprentice Professional in August, 1963 and full professional in September 1964. Made 21 League appearances last season.

KING—Has played for Cardiff and Torquay, from whom he was transferred in June, 1966. Welsh Schoolboy and Youth International.

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Up to the present time, we have had a fairly good start to the season and it was pleasing to see an improvement in the "gate." If our team keeps up the good work, and we are treated to an exciting match like last Monday evening, we should be getting above the 10,000 mark very soon and that would be a wonderful boost to everyone concerned, who are determined to keep the flag flying at the 'Course.

This afternoon we face opposition from Luton and we extend a welcome to them and any supporters who have travelled with them. We hope that we shall all enjoy another thrilling game with, of course, our lads finishing up on the winning side.

The support for our money raising schemes has not come up to expectations this season, so may I appeal to those who have lapsed their membership to rejoin, for, by so doing, we can help to keep the Club going as we have been doing in recent years.

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## Fixtures for Season 1966-67

### FOURTH DIVISION

	1966
Aug. 20	Exeter City ..... Home
27	Hartlepools ..... Away
Sept. 3	Halifax ..... Home
7	Notts County ..... Away
10	Brentford ..... Away
17	Newport ..... Home
23	Barnsley ..... Away
26	Notts County ..... Home
Oct. 1	Luton Town ..... Home
8	Chester ..... Away
15	Bradford ..... Home
17	Southend ..... Home
22	Port Vale ..... Away
29	Crewe Alex. ..... Home
Nov. 5	Barrow ..... Away
12	York City ..... Home
14	Southend ..... Away
19	Lincoln ..... Away
26	1st Rd. F.A. Cup .....
Dec. 2	Stockport ..... Away
10	Rochdale ..... Home
17	Exeter ..... Away
26	Southport ..... Away
27	Southport ..... Home
31	Hartlepools ..... Home
1967	
Jan. 7	2nd Rd. F.A. Cup .....
14	Brentford ..... Home
21	Newport ..... Away
28	3rd Rd. F.A. Cup .....
Feb. 4	Barnsley ..... Home
11	Luton ..... Away
17	Tranmere ..... Home
25	Chester ..... Home
Mar. 4	Braford ..... Away
11	(5) Tranmere ..... Home
18	Port Vale ..... Home
24	Bradford City ..... Home
25	Chesterfield ..... Away
27	Bradford City ..... Away
Apr. 1	Barrow ..... Home
7	York City ..... Away
10	Aldershot ..... Home
15	Lincoln ..... Home
22	Crewe Alex. ..... Away
26	Aldershot ..... Away
29	(S.F.) Stockport ..... Home
May 6	Rochdale ..... Away
13	Chesterfield ..... Home
20	Final. .....
27	Halifax ..... Away

### CHESHIRE COUNTY LEAGUE

	1966
Aug. 20	Ellesmere Port ..... Away
24	Bangor City ..... Home
27	Chester ..... Home
29	Macclesfield ..... Away
Sept. 3	Altrincham ..... Away
7	Bangor City ..... Home
10	Stalybridge (Cup) ..... Home
17	Tranmere ..... Home
24	Witton Albion ..... Home
26	— .....
28	Winsford ..... Home
Oct. 1	Buxton ..... Away
8	Ellesmere Port ..... Home
15	Stafford Rangers ..... Away
17	— .....
22	Stockport ..... Home
29	Stalybridge ..... Away
Nov. 5	Northwich Vic. ..... Home
12	Winsford ..... Away
14	Macclesfield ..... Home
26	1st Rd. F.A. Cup .....
Dec. 2	— .....
3	New Brighton ..... Home
10	Stockport County ..... Away
17	Runcorn ..... Home
24	— .....
26	Rhyl ..... Home
27	Rhyl ..... Away
31	Frickley Colliery ..... Away
1967	
Jan. 7	Hyde United ..... Home
14	Mosley ..... Away
28	Stafford Rangers ..... Home
Feb. 4	Northwich Vic. ..... Away
11	Mosley ..... Home
18	Wigan ..... Home
25	New Brighton ..... Away
Mar. 4	Frickley Colliery ..... Home
11	Tranmere ..... Away
18	Wigan ..... Away
24	Oswestry ..... Home
25	Stalybridge ..... Home
27	Oswestry ..... Home
Apr. 1	Runcorn ..... Away
8	Altrincham ..... Home
15	Hyde Utd. ..... Away
22	Buxton ..... Home
29	Chester ..... Away
May 6	Witton Albion ..... Away

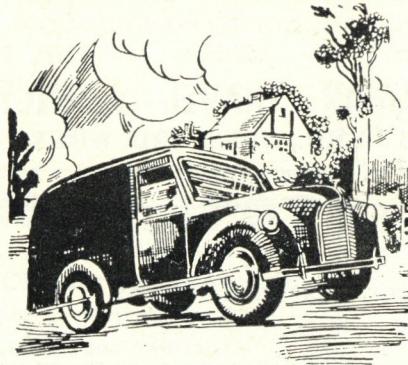
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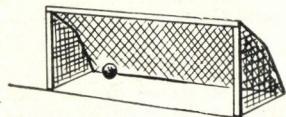
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G—Leyton Orient v. Swansea.  
H—Workington v. Shrewsbury.  
I—Barrow v. Port Vale.  
J—Chesterfield v. Notts County.  
K—Hartlepools v. Crewe Alex.  
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