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Football League — Division Three

**LUTON TOWN**

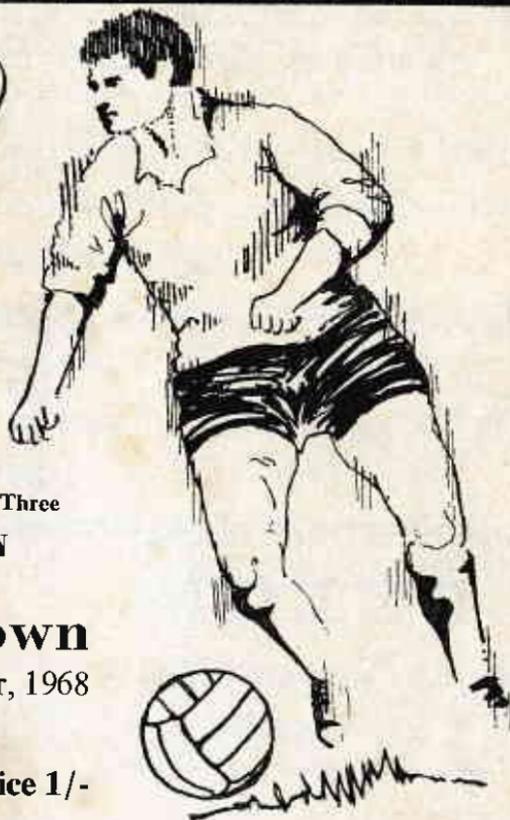
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### CLUB NOTES

IN welcoming today's visitors, Swindon Town, we offer our congratulations to the many they have received already, on their brilliant feat in carrying the Third Division flag into the semi-finals of the League Cup.

Burnley are the next opponents and, such is their form at the moment that there must be a chance of them figuring in the showpiece final at Wembley.

Today, they come here trying to break our 100 per cent home record and, although we have been thoroughly briefed on the all-round strength of the Wiltshire team, our own record at Kenilworth Road commands great respect and no one has been able to lower our colours here yet.

Away from home, it is a vastly different story and we met with our fifth consecutive away defeat in rather disappointing fashion at Walsall on Tuesday.

What is giving rise to grave concern is that the goals, scored so freely at home, just are not coming on opponents' grounds and it is obvious that a marked improvement will be necessary if we are to maintain our promotion bid.

Lack of success on tour is throwing even greater responsibility on the home games and the strain and pressure today will be tremendous.

At long last, our luck in the draw for the F.A. Cup underwent a change for the better on Monday when we were given ground advantage against

the Athenian League amateurs, Ware, the little known Hertfordshire club.

While, there will be no disposal to under-rate them, it is perhaps stating the obvious to state that we should make progress without a great deal of difficulty, but nothing in football can ever be regarded as certain.

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If the latter course is taken remittance must be enclosed, accompanied by a stamped, addressed envelope and first round slip from the season ticket book.

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### Today's Football

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Thursday	20376	03305	11914	15052	01085	14119
Friday	10930	05394	16288	08994	10113	18395

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	02 20 42	20 25 42			
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	02 25 42	20 41 42	03 20 42	20 42 43	19 20 42
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	08 18 26	18 26 28			
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**Peter Downsbrough** (goalkeeper). Born Halifax. Signed in August, 1965 from Halifax Town where he was a product of local football. A fearless agile player who has done much to strengthen the Towns defence.

**Owen Dawson** (full back). Joined the Club from Portsmouth in June, 1962. He was a regular first team player until he was unlucky to lose his place through injury. A fast tenacious player. He was a former Youth International. Born Hatfield.

**John Trollope** (full back). Born Swindon. A local player who joined the Swindon Ground Staff from school. He was selected for the first team at the beginning of the 1960/61 season when he was just 16 years old, and was ever present during that season. Together with his partner that year, who was also 16, they were the youngest full backs ever to appear as a pair in League Football. During last season he completed 322 consecutive League appearances for the Club.

**Keith Morgan** (wing half). Born Trowbridge. A tall fast attacking player who progressed through the Club's Junior teams after joining Swindon Ground Staff at the age of 16. He was formerly the Club captain but was unlucky to lose his first team place during season 1966/67 through injury.

**Frank Burrows** (centre half). Born Larkhall, Scotland. Joined the Club from Scunthorpe United for whom he played for three seasons. Formerly with Raith Rovers. A strong defender who has made his mark in Third Division Football.

**Stan Harland** (wing half). Was signed from Carlisle United in July, 1966. Formerly with Everton and Bradford City. He has been a regular choice at left half since making his debut at the beginning of the 1966/67 season. A forceful player who likes to go forward to back up the forwards in attack. Born Liverpool.

**Don Heath** (winger). Born Stockton. Signed from Norwich in September, 1967. Formerly with Middlesbrough

where he served as an apprentice professional. A hard working winger who is also able to play in the inside forward position.

**Peter Noble** (winger). Born Sunderland. Joined the Club from Newcastle in January, 1968 for whom he played for four years. Prefers to play an attacking role.

**Chris Jones** (centre forward). Born Altrincham. A close season signing from Manchester City for which club he played in their touring team in America.

**Roger Smart** (inside forward). Born Swindon. Another local player who joined the Club direct from Swindon Schoolboys team. At 17 he was appearing regularly at centre forward in the Reserve team, but he excels as a deep lying inside forward. A versatile player who is able to play at wing half.

**Don Rogers** (winger). Born Paulton. Probably the most sought after player in the team. He was signed by Swindon when only 15 and quickly came to the fore. Gained many England Youth International Caps and subsequently played in the England Under 23 International Team. Was the Club's top goal scorer last season with 28 goals.

**Jimmy Giles** (centre half). Born Kidlington. A versatile player who has played at centre forward for the 'Robins' where he proved to be a strong forceful leader, and also centre half where his strength did much to add to the defence.

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FOOTBALL LEAGUE — DIVISION THREE

## Stockport County v. Luton T.

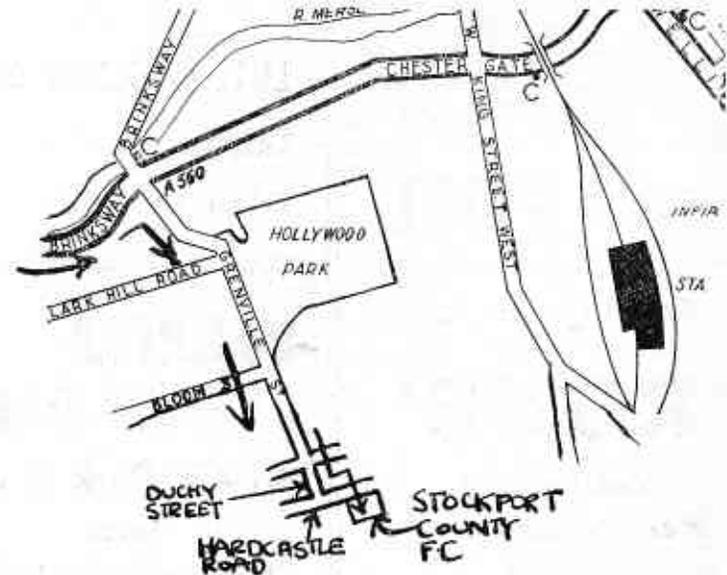
Friday, 29th November, 1968

Kick-off 7.30 p.m.



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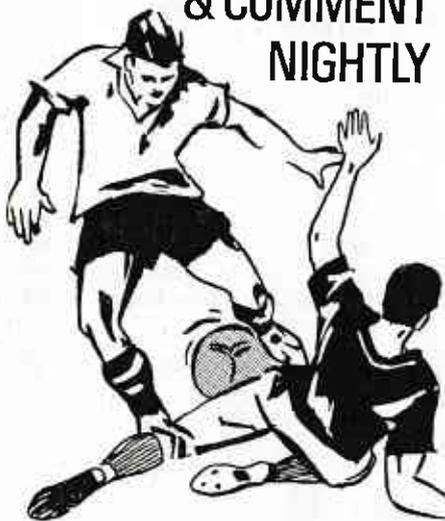


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A 45, A 452, A 446, A 5 to:—	
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Follow signs " Preston M 6 "	
Keele Services	126 miles
Knutsford Services	149 miles
Intersection No 19	150 miles
Follow signs " A556 Manchester "	
At 4 m. on, join A 56	
Altrincham	156 miles
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6. Bannister
7. French
8. Lewis
9. Sheffield
10. Rioch, B.
11. Harrison

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12. Potter

**Swindon Town**

Colours—

Red and White

1. Downsborough
2. Dawson
3. Thomas
4. Butler
5. Burrows
6. Harland
7. Heath
8. Smart
9. Smith
10. Noble
11. Rogers

SUBSTITUTE—

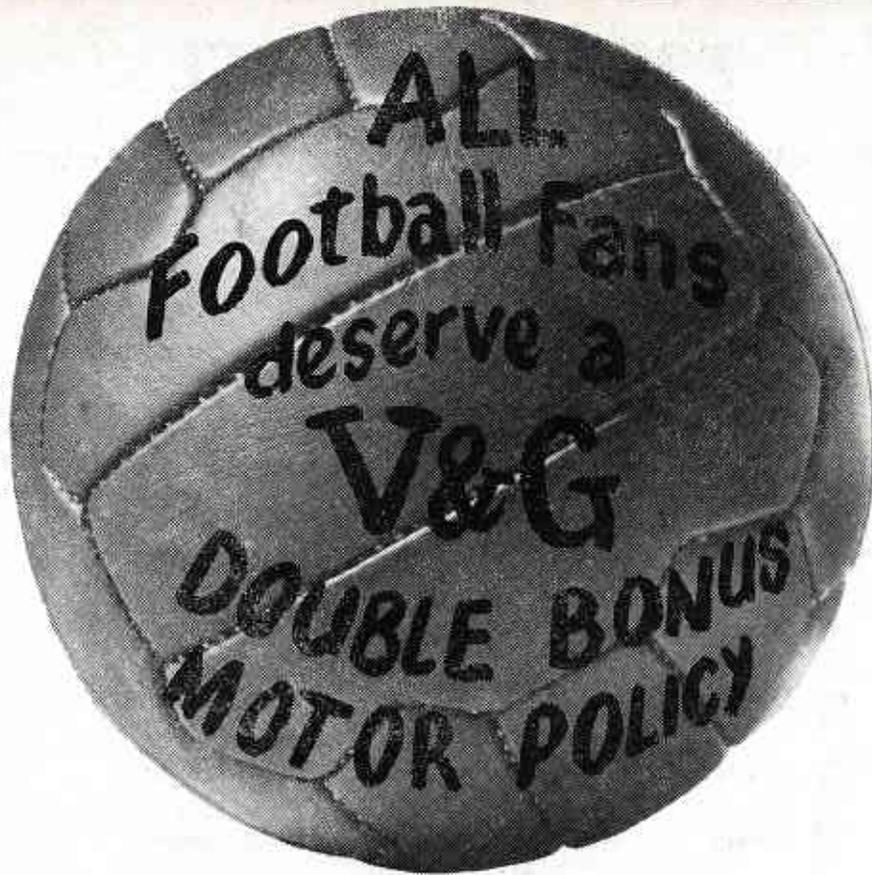
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**LEAGUE MATCHES**

**Players First Team Appearances and Goal Scorers**

<i>Names</i>	appearances	Goals	<i>Names</i>	appearances	Goals
ALLEN	14	3	McDERMENT	11	
BANNISTER	2		MOORE	7	
BRANSTON	13	2	POTTER	1	
BROWN	2		READ	11	
BUXTON	2		RIOCH, B.	16	4
DAVIE	2		RYAN	5	
DENTON	1		SHEFFIELD	16	6
DOUGAN	13		SLOUGH	16	
FRENCH	11	1	TAYLOR	3	
HARRISON	9	2	WHITTAKER	5	
JARDINE	13	1	OPPONENTS		
LEWIS	15	10			

**Luton Bobbers Stand and Supporters Club Notes**

The Travel Section were entertained by Birmingham City Supporters' Club on the way back from the abandoned game at Crewe. This more than made up for the disappointment at not seeing the Town play—the hospitality shown to us was great.

You are no doubt aware that the League are picking a Club from each Division each month as the best behaved supporters for that period. This carries a cash prize (normally given to charity). We at Luton do not want to miss this opportunity—so let us see to it that we win this prize in the near future—what Coventry and Southampton can do—we can also.

We are asked for back numbers of the League Reviews. We do occasionally get some of these but not in large quantities but what are available are on sale at the shops.

Membership of Supporters Club runs from January to December each year—so if you join now your membership will carry you through until the end of 1969. Membership fee is still only 1/2 yearly or £1/1/0 for Life Membership—join today.

The problem of buying Xmas Gifts can be solved this year—at least for a football fan—by the many books and annuals we have for sale—available at both Supporters Shops.

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**Forthcoming Matches**

*Saturday, 30th November, 1968*

Football Combination

**Luton Town Reserves**

v.

**Norwich City Reserves**

Kick - Off 3 p.m.

*Saturday, 7th December, 1968*

Football Combination

**Luton Town Reserves**

v.

**Leicester City Reserves**

Kick - Off 3 p.m.

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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 Arsenal	Newcastle U.
B Ipswich T.	Everton
C Leeds United	Tottenham H.
D Leicester City	Notts, Forest
E Liverpool	Chelsea
F Manchester C.	Sheffield Wed.
G Southampton	West Brom.
H Sunderland	Manchester U.
K Wolves	West Ham U.
L Aston Villa	Preston N. E.
M Blackburn R.	Birmingham
N Blackpool	Cardiff City

### SECOND LIST

A Bolton Wan.	Norwich City
B Bristol City	Huddersfield
C Derby	Charlton Ath.
D Fulham	Portsmouth
E Millwall Ath.	Middlesboro
F Oxford Utd.	Crystal Palace
G Sheffield Utd.	Carlisle Utd.
H Barrow	Plymouth A.
K Brighton	Bristol Rov.
L Gillingham	Walsall
M Mansfield T.	Northampton
N Orient	Watford

### THIRD LIST

A Rotherham U.	Hartlepoons
B Torquay Utd.	Stockport Co.
C Aldershot	Rochdale
D Bradford	Colchester U.
E Grimsby T.	York City
F Halifax T.	Bradford City
G Lincoln City	Brentford
H Notts, Co.	Chester
K Southend U.	Doncaster R.
N Workington	Exeter City

## League Tables 1968-69

### FOOTBALL LEAGUE — DIVISION 3

Up to and including Tuesday, 5th November

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts
SWINDON T.	15	10	3	2	24	9	23
Bournemouth	16	10	2	4	27	12	22
Watford	17	9	4	4	21	11	22
Barrow	17	10	2	5	30	24	22
Torquay U.	17	9	3	5	28	17	21
Stockport C.	17	8	5	4	30	24	21
LUTON TOWN	16	9	2	5	29	16	20
Tranmere Rov.	17	9	2	6	24	22	20
Reading	16	7	4	5	27	20	16
Rotherham Utd.	17	6	6	5	21	20	18
Plymouth	17	7	4	6	21	18	18
Walsall	18	4	8	6	18	18	16
Bristol Rov.	17	6	4	7	28	31	16
Barnsley	18	5	6	7	21	26	16
Northampton T.	15	5	5	5	15	15	15
Shrewsbury	17	5	4	8	24	22	14
Mansfield T.	16	5	4	7	23	23	14
Southport	16	6	1	9	25	29	13
Gillingham	17	5	3	9	21	27	13
Hartlepoons U.	16	3	7	6	10	25	13
Orient	15	3	6	6	19	25	12
Brighton	17	4	4	9	22	31	12
Crewe Alex.	15	3	4	8	31	28	10
Oldham Ath.	17	2	3	12	11	35	7

### SOUTH EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE

Up to and including Sat., 2nd November, 1968

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts
Ipswich Town	10	9	1	0	37	6	19
Millwall Ath.	9	8	1	0	39	13	17
Orient	9	6	7	0	37	16	15
Q.P.R.	10	5	4	1	21	12	14
Tottenham H.	9	5	1	3	29	8	11
Crystal Palace	10	6	0	4	30	22	11
Charlton Ath.	8	3	4	1	17	11	10
West Ham Utd.	10	4	2	4	13	17	10
Chelsea	10	4	1	5	19	22	9
LUTON TOWN	10	3	2	5	20	28	8
Colchester Utd.	10	4	0	6	17	26	8
Reading	11	2	3	6	8	35	7
Fulham	9	3	0	6	11	17	6
Gillingham	9	3	0	6	7	15	6
Brighton	10	2	1	7	11	18	5
Watford	9	1	2	6	12	34	4
Oxford Utd.	9	0	1	8	5	24	

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### DIVISION THREE

Week	Opponents	Attendance	F	A
Aug. 10 Sat.	Oldham Ath. ...	14747	H	4 0
" 14 Wed.	(F.L.C. 1) Watford ...	20167	H	3 0
" 17 Sat.	Barrow ...	6628	A	0 0
" 24 Sat.	Rotherham U. ...	14163	H	3 1
" 28 Wed.	Barnsley ...	15899	H	5 1
" 31 Sat.	Gillingham ...	8227	A	3 1
Sept. 4 Wed.	F.L.C. 2—Brighton ...	15305	A	1 1
" 7 Sat.	Orient ...	13719	A	0 0
" 11 Wed.	F.L.C. 2—Replay Brighton ...	18679	H	4 2
" 14 Sat.	Tranmere Rov. ...	12965	H	3 1
" 18 Wed.	Manfield T. ...	19315	H	4 2
" 21 Sat.	Brighton ...	11689	A	0 1
" 24 Tu.	F.L.C. 3—Everton ...	30895	A	1 5
" 28 Sat.	Torquay United ...	14936	H	1 0
Oct. 5 Sat.	Watford ...	22176	A	0 1
" 8 Tu.	Barnsley ...	12815	A	1 3
" 12 Sat.	Hartlepoons United ...	13145	H	3 0
" 16 Wed.	League Cup 4			
" 19 Sat.	Plymouth Arg. ...	12659	A	0 2
" 26 Sat.	Northampton T. ...	17818	H	2 1
" 30 Wed.	League Cup 5			
Nov. 5 Tu.	Walsall ...	5381	A	0 2
" 9 Sat.	Swindon Town ...		H	
" 16 Sat.	F.A. Cup 1—Ware ...		H	
" 20 Wed.	League Cup S.F.			
" 23 Sat.	Bournemouth ...		H	
" 29 Fri.	Stockport Co. ...		A	
Dec. 4 Wed.	League Cup S.F.			
" 7 Sat.	F.A. Cup 2			
" 14 Sat.	Hartlepoons United ...		A	
" 21 Sat.	Plymouth Arg. ...		H	
" 26 Th.	Watford ...		H	
" 28 Sat.	Northampton T. ...		A	
1969				
Jan. 4 Sat.	Shrewsbury T. (3) ...		A	
" 11 Sat.	Crewe Alex. ...		H	
" 18 Sat.	Swindon Town ...		A	
" 25 Sat.	Walsall (4) ...		H	
Feb. 1 Sat.	Reading ...		H	
" 8 Sat.	Bournemouth (5) ...		A	
" 15 Sat.	Stockport Co. ...		H	
" 22 Sat.	Bristol Rovers ...		A	
Mar. 1 Sat.	Oldham Ath. (6) ...		A	
" 5 Wed.	Shrewsbury T. ...		H	
" 8 Sat.	Barrow ...		H	
" 12 Wed.	Reading ...		A	
" 15 Sat.	Rotherham U. ...		A	
" 19 Wed.	Bristol Rovers ...		H	
" 22 Sat.	Gillingham (S.F.) ...		H	
" 29 Sat.	Orient ...		H	
Apr. 4 Fri.	Torquay United ...		A	
" 7 Mon.	Manfield T. ...		A	
" 8 Tu.	Southport ...		H	
" 12 Sat.	Brighton ...		H	
" 14 Mon.	Southport ...		A	
" 18 Fri.	Tranmere Rov. ...		A	
" 26 Sat.	F.A. Cup Final			
To be arranged	Crewe Alex. ...		A	

### Football Combination Cup

1968	Opponents	Attendance	F	A
Aug. 17 Sat.	Birmingham ...		A	1 5
" 21 Wed.	West Ham United ...	929	H	0 3
" 24 Sat.	Leicester City ...		A	1 6
" 28 Wed.	Queens P. Rangers ...		A	1 4
" 31 Sat.	Walsall ...	513	H	0 2
Sept. 4 Wed.	Queens P. Rangers ...	451	H	2 5
" 7 Sat.	Peterborough Utd ...		A	2 2
" 14 Sat.	Northampton ...		A	3 2
" 21 Sat.	Birmingham ...	456	H	2 3
Oct. 9 Wed.	Leicester City ...	489	H	0 6

### Football Combination

1968	Opponents	Attendance	F	A
Oct. 5 Sat.	Bristol Rovers ...	173	H	1 3
" 12 Sat.	Birmingham ...		A	1 5
" 19 Sat.	Northampton ...	486	H	1 3
" 26 Sat.	Tottenham H. ...		A	0 8
Nov. 2 Sat.	Crystal Palace ...	512	H	1 2
" 9 Sat.	Swindon Town ...		A	
" 16 Sat.	Ipswich Town ...		A	
" 23 Sat.	Chelsea ...		A	
" 30 Sat.	Norwich City ...		H	
Dec. 7 Sat.	Leicester City ...		H	
" 14 Sat.	West Ham United ...		H	
" 21 Sat.	Peterborough Utd ...		A	
" 28 Sat.	Walsall ...		H	

1969	Opponents	Attendance	F	A
Jan. 4 Sat.	Arsenal ...		H	
" 18 Sat.	Southampton ...		A	
" 25 Sat.	Bristol City ...		A	
Feb. 1 Sat.	Bournemouth ...		A	
" 8 Sat.	Gillingham ...		H	
" 11 Tues.	Swansea Town ...		A	
" 22 Sat.	Cardiff City ...		A	
Mar. 1 Sat.	Queens P. Rangers ...		H	
" 15 Sat.	Oxford United ...		A	
" 26 Wed.	Reading ...		A	
Apr. 5 Sat.	Plymouth Arg. ...		H	
" 19 Sat.	Fulham ...		H	

The figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, refer to  
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Saturday, 16th November, 1968

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**LUTON TOWN**  
v.  
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