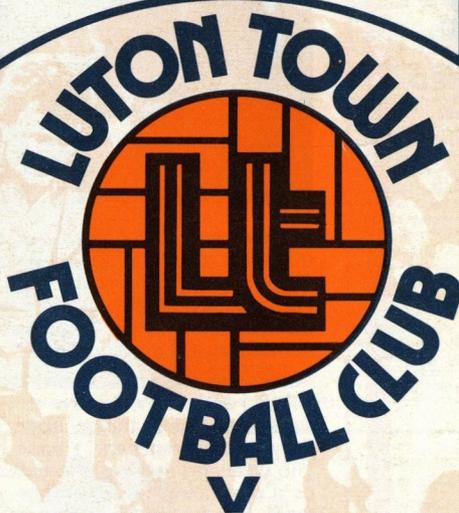


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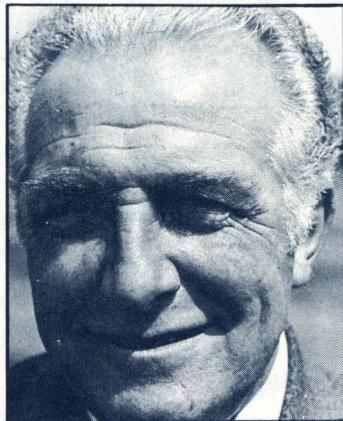
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HARRY'S TOWN



What a disappointing week. I must confess I thought that we would do well at both Norwich and Bolton. But as it turned out our run was broken and we have now got to dig our heels in, fight really hard, and go all out for promotion.

In the Norwich game, we left a lot to be desired, and it was a pity to lose against a side who were not playing well.

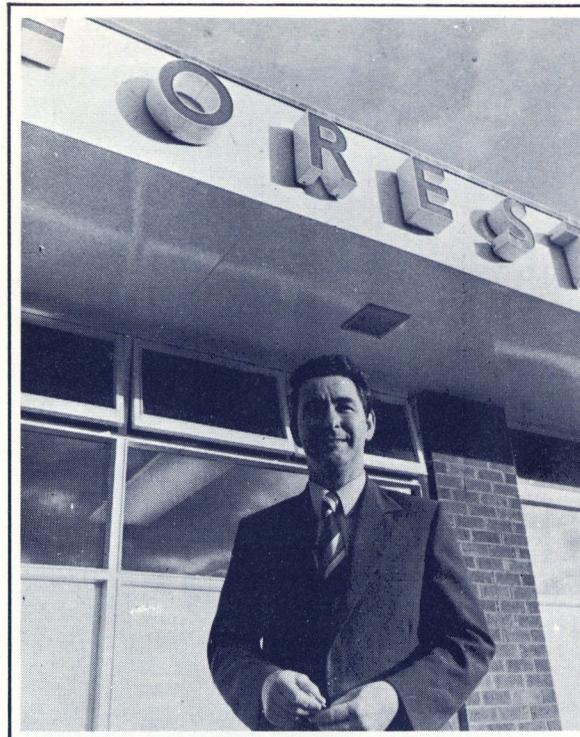
I would like to take this opportunity of saying a very big thank you to all the people who travelled to Norwich. The support was truly wonderful, there must have been 3,000 Luton supporters there and I thank you very much. With the scoreline and the weather resulting in a terrible journey home it was not a good day for any of us.

Today we entertain Brian Clough's Nottingham Forest which I am sure will prove to be a good game. Brian said some very nice things about the lads in one of last Sunday's newspapers, I hope he wasn't trying to con us into believing that we are better than we really are to give us a psychological advantage. I am sure he wasn't and I thank him for his kind remarks.

With the Club passing through a difficult patch at the moment, we need all the support we can get. The Friends of Luton Lottery is being launched today and at 25p a ticket, with prizes totalling £1,000, you can help us to get back on our feet by participating. Even if you are not a gambling man, your 25p will help the Club.

Unfortunately, with us out of the F.A. Cup and with Southampton still in, it has meant postponement of the Southampton game on 14th February. But we are desperately trying to arrange a friendly with one of the larger teams. As soon as we have any information we will be in touch with you through the Press and I would hope that this game will be very well supported.

Here's hoping for a good result today. I know Roy and the lads wish to get last week pushed into the background with a fine win.



BRIAN CLOUGH

The past three years have been the most turbulent of Brian Clough's life. After walking out on Derby County, he tasted life in the Third Division with Brighton, he had the chance to become a national coach to Iran, he found himself appointed—and swiftly sacked—by Leeds United, then came a short period of retirement before he was persuaded to take the Forest job last season.

Yes, life has always been hectic for Brian Clough. Even as a player he seemed to be attracted by controversy, some of his comments probably costing him a career as England's centre-forward.

When injury wrote a premature finish to his playing career in 1964 he looked back on a fantastic scoring record of 251 goals in only 276 League games for Middlesbrough and Sunderland. He was the Football League's leading scorer in successive campaigns, with 40 goals in 1967-68 and 43 the following year—and led the Second Division three years on the trot. He once hit five goals for the Football League against the Irish League.

In spite of his record, Clough was virtually ignored by the England selectors, playing only two games for the full England side and three for the Under-23's

Mr Clough's managerial achievements have been equally as sensational as his scoring record as a player. In his first full season at Hartlepool they finished eighth in the Fourth Division—their best performance for many years. The following season, after he had moved on to Derby County, the Hartlepool team he had created won promotion to the Third Division.

At Derby he played the transfer market astutely to assemble a team of thoroughbreds which won the Second Division Championship and in 1972 took the First Division title for the first time in the club's history. Sadly, internal problems arose which led to his resignation three years ago. This sparked off a players' revolt but all the various efforts to get him reinstated were in vain.

With his loyal right-hand man, Peter Taylor, he took on the Brighton job. After a few months their partnership was finally split when Mr Clough moved on for his short stay at Leeds and the upheavals which, eventually, were to lead him to Forest and to the task of restoring this club to First Division status.



THE OAK ROAD ENDERS REPORT

It's only fair to say that we're very happy to be sharin' a page with 'Arry and Cloughie and that as long as he keeps his column clean, and doesn't lower the tone of the page wiv rough old English or jokes about jockstraps, we'll make a good team. In fact, we could all finish up being more widely read than Roger Duckpond, Brian Sprain or Bob Harassment. But me and Nobby and Clank 'ave been warned that we've got to be nice to people and not say nasty things like Cloughie's mouth being bigger than both of us; or suggest that Francis Lee is so small he's got turn-ups on his shorts—and things like that, otherwise we might find ourselves relegated to the inside of the back cover, next to the manure advert.

We creased up when we heard about that old fogey on the F.A. Committee who's trying to ban kissin' and stuff. If he bothered to go to a football match

he'd see that kissin' is pretty rare among footballers. They might jump all over each other and ruffle hair a bit, but nine times out of ten they stop short of kissin' each other. Anyway, we think that sort of thing should be encouraged and go further than the players. When the ref makes a brilliant off-side decision, his two linesmen should run on and give 'im a cuddle and run the length of the pitch wavin' their flags.

And when Reg Game runs off the pitch after reviving someone, the substitute and Roy McCrohan should rush out of the dug-out and cuddle 'im—and his bucket . . . and the stewards and the coppers and the First-Aid men should join in as well. We'd like to see a copper 'aving his helmet ruffled.

Of course, all this should be extended to the terraces. It'd help the 'ooligan image. So when Luton score today—which of course they will—turn to your nearest neighbour, even if he or she comes from Nottingham, and give 'em a nice wet smacker and a cuddle . . . and it'll be your bad luck if you're standing next to a big hairy trucker.

It's a pity we've got knocked out of the Cup, but promotion's still on, and we 'aven't got the pressure of maintaining a position, and we think the lads can make it. Town can still beat anybody on their day—and we don't see why their day shouldn't be every Saturday.

See yers . . .

FACTS & FIGURES 75/76

Date	Opponents	V	F	A	Gate	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	Substitute
75/76		H	2	0	10,389	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Litt	King 1	Aston	Futcher R 1	West	Aston	Spring
Aug 16	Hull City	H	3	0	13,675	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	King	Aston	Futcher R 1	West	Aston	Litt
Aug 23	West Bromwich Albion	H	3	0	13,924	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley 1	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	King	Aston	Futcher R 1	West	Aston	Chambers
Aug 30	Chelsea	A	2	0	9,835	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	King	Aston	Futcher R 1	Chambers	Spring	Ryan Jim
Sept 6	Portsmouth	A	1	2	6,601	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	King	Aston	Futcher R 1	Ryan Jim	Aston	Ryan Jim
Sept 13	Darlington (L.C.—2)	H	0	2	11,177	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	King	Aston	Futcher R 1	Ryan Jim	Aston	Chambers
Sept 20	Bolton Wanderers	H	0	2	11,717	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	King	Aston	Futcher R 1	Ryan Jim	Aston	Chambers
Sept 27	Reading	H	1	1	9,226	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	King	Aston	Futcher R 1	Ryan Jim	Aston	Husband
Oct 4	Blackburn Rovers	H	1	1	8,453	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	Ryan Jim	Husband 1	Futcher R	West	Seasman	Alton
Oct 11	Blackpool	A	2	3	7,845	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	Ryan Jim	Husband 1	Springs 1	West	Seasman*	Chambers
Oct 18	Carlisle United	A	2	3	6,645	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	Ryan Jim	Husband 1	Springs 1	West	Seasman*	Chambers
Oct 25	Reading	H	1	0	14,086	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	Ryan Jim	Husband 1	Springs 1	West	Seasman*	Chambers
Nov 1	Nottingham Forest	A	0	0	12,290	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	Ryan Jim	Husband 1	Springs 1	West	Seasman*	Chambers
Nov 8	Sunderland	A	0	2	28,338	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	Ryan Jim	Husband 1	Springs 1	West	Seasman*	Chambers
Nov 15	Bristol City	H	0	0	7,982	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	Ryan Jim	Husband 1	Springs 1	West	Seasman*	Chambers
Nov 22	W. B. Albion (F.A.C.—2)	H	2	1	13,885	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	Ryan Jim	Husband 1	Springs 1	West	Seasman*	Chambers
Nov 29	Southampton	H	4	3	8,237	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	Ryan Jim	Husband 1	Springs 1	West	Seasman*	Chambers
Dec 6	Oldham Athletic	H	2	3	8,237	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	Ryan Jim	Husband 1	Springs 1	West	Seasman*	Chambers
Dec 13	Oldham Athletic	H	1	0	9,626	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	Ryan Jim	Husband 1	Springs 1	West	Seasman*	Chambers
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Jan 3	Charlton Athletic	A	5	1	10,203	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	Ryan Jim	Husband 1	Springs 1	West	Seasman*	Chambers
Jan 10	Nottingham Forest	H	2	1	5,449	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	Ryan Jim	Husband 1	Springs 1	West	Seasman*	Chambers
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Jan 31	Oxford United	H	3	1	10,464	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	Ryan Jim	Husband 1	Springs 1	West	Seasman*	Chambers
Feb 7	Bolton Wanderers	H	3	3	10,464	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	Ryan Jim	Husband 1	Springs 1	West	Seasman*	Chambers
Feb 14	Nottingham Forest	H	0	2	24,328	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	Ryan Jim	Husband 1	Springs 1	West	Seasman*	Chambers
Feb 21	Nottingham Forest	H	0	2	24,328	Barber	Ryan John	Buckley	Anderson	Faulkner	Futcher P	Ryan Jim	Husband 1	Springs 1	West	Seasman*	Chambers
Feb 28	York City	A															
Mar 6	Oldham Athletic	A															
Mar 13	Plymouth Argyle	A															
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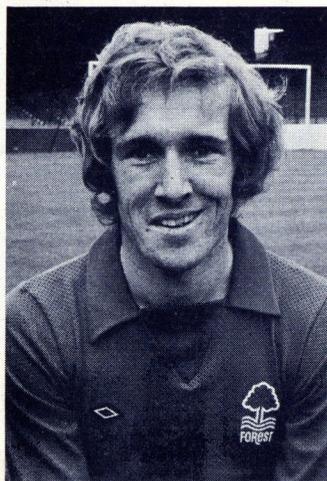
LUTON TOWN

SUNDERLAND
 SATURDAY 28th FEBRUARY 1976
 KICK-OFF: 3:00 pm

FOOTBALL COMBINATION 75/76

Date	Opponents	V	F	A	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	Substitute
1975		A	2	2	Horn	Pollock	Thomson	Chambers 1	Carr	Malcolm	Simon 2	Husband	Seasman	Fucillo	Hindson	Mead
Aug 16	Chelsea	H	2	0	Horn	Pollock	Thomson	Chambers 1	Carr	Malcolm	Simon 2	Husband	Seasman	Fucillo	Hindson	Russell
Aug 20	Orient	H	2	0	Horn	Pollock	Thomson	Chambers 1	Carr	Malcolm	Simon 2	Husband	Seasman	Fucillo	Hindson	Simon
Aug 27	Arsenal	H	2	0	Horn	Pollock	Thomson	Chambers 1	Carr	Malcolm	Simon 2	Husband	Seasman	Fucillo	Hindson	Morgan
Sept 2	Bournemouth	H	5	0	Horn	Pollock	Thomson	Chambers 1	Carr	Malcolm	Simon 2	Husband	Seasman	Fucillo	Hindson	Simon
Sept 6	Southampton	H	5	0	Horn	Pollock	Thomson	Chambers 1	Carr	Malcolm	Simon 2	Husband	Seasman	Fucillo	Hindson	Simon
Sept 13	West Ham United	H	5	0	Horn	Pollock	Thomson	Chambers 1	Carr	Malcolm	Simon 2	Husband	Seasman	Fucillo	Hindson	Simon
Sept 20	Norwich City	H	0	3	Horn	Pollock	Thomson	Chambers 1	Carr	Malcolm	Simon 2	Husband	Seasman	Fucillo	Hindson	Simon
Sept 27	Birmingham City	H	0	3	Horn	Pollock	Thomson	Chambers 1	Carr	Malcolm	Simon 2	Husband	Seasman	Fucillo	Hindson	Simon
Oct 4	Plymouth Argyle	H	3	2	Knight	Mead	Thomson	Pollock	Carr	Jones	Russell	Chambers	Springs 1	Alston 1	Simon 1	Malcolm
Oct 11	Tottenham Hotspur	H	2	1	Horn	Mead	Thomson	Pollock	Carr	Malcolm	King	Chambers 1	Futcher R	Alston 1	Simon 1	Fucillo
Oct 18	Oxford United	H	3	0	Horn	Mead	Thomson	Pollock	Carr	Malcolm	King	Chambers 1	Futcher R	Alston 1	Simon 1	Fucillo
Oct 25	Swindon Town	H	3	0	Horn	Mead	Thomson	Pollock	Carr	Malcolm	King	Chambers 1	Futcher R	Alston 1	Simon 1	Fucillo
Nov 1	Leicester City	H	0	0	Horn	Mead	Thomson	Pollock	Carr	Malcolm	King	Chambers 1	Futcher R	Alston 1	Simon 1	Fucillo
Nov 8	Bristol City	H	0	0	Horn	Mead	Thomson	Pollock	Carr	Malcolm	King	Chambers 1	Futcher R	Alston 1	Simon 1	Fucillo
Nov 15	Queen's Park Rangers	H	2	2	Knight	Mead	Thomson	Pollock	Carr	Malcolm	King	Chambers 1	Futcher R	Alston 1	Simon 1	Fucillo
Nov 22	Crystal Palace	H	2	2	Judge	Mead	Buckley	Pollock	Carr	Malcolm	King	Chambers 1	Futcher R	Alston 1	Simon 1	Fucillo
Nov 29	Fulham	H	4	0	Roberts	Mead	Buckley	Pollock	Carr	Malcolm	King	Chambers 1	Futcher R	Alston 1	Simon 1	Fucillo
Dec 6	Leicester City	H	0	2	Knight	Mead	Buckley	Pollock	Carr	Malcolm	King	Chambers 1	Futcher R	Alston 1	Simon 1	Fucillo
Dec 13	Reading	H	0	1	Horn	Mead	Thomson	Pollock	Carr	Malcolm	King	Chambers 1	Futcher R	Alston 1	Simon 1	Fucillo
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WELCOME TO



IAN BOWYER



LIAM O'KANE



BOB CHAPMAN

When Brian Clough, that outspoken man of English football, became manager of Nottingham Forest at the tail end of last season, sportswriters up and down the country predicated an immediate transformation in the fortunes of the Midland club.

At first things went along smoothly and it seemed that 1975-76 would be a good season for Forest, who haven't tasted success since they were runners-up in the First Division back in 1966-67.

But over these past three months, a lot of misdoings have gone on, both inside and outside the club. The team itself is currently going through a bad patch, and this has gathered momentum following Forest's F.A. Cup elimination by Third Division Peterborough United.

At the moment Forest occupy 15th position in the Division Two table, only five points clear of the relegation zone. And they are perhaps in that precarious place because of an exceedingly poor home record, seven League defeats there to date, including three on the trot, to struggling Portsmouth, promotion-chasing West Bromwich Albion and that young Chelsea outfit.

Obviously Clough's main priority right now is to curb that horrid home form, but at the same time, away points are just as urgently required, if Forest are to stave off the threat of a relegation battle. In fact, away from their City Ground, Forest play better, having already picked up 12 points with wins at Oxford (1-0), Southampton (3-0) and Blackburn (4-1), and draws at Portsmouth, Chelsea, Fulham, Oldham, Blackpool and Orient.

NOTTINGHAM FOREST A.F.C.

Formed: 1865, turning professional in 1889.

Honours: Division Two Champions in 1906-07 and 1921-22.

Division Three (South) Champions in 1950-51.

F.A. Cup Winners in 1898 and 1959 - when they beat Town 2-1 at Wembley.

Record Victory: 14-0.

Heaviest Defeat: 9-1.

Highest League Scorer (in one season): Wally Ardron (36) in Division Three South, 1950-51.

Most League Goals (aggregate total): Grenville Morris (199) from 1898 to 1913. Morris also scored 18 F.A. Cup goals.

Most League Appearances: Bob McKinlay (614) from 1951 to 1970.

City Ground Attendance Record: 49,945 against Manchester United in Division One, 1967.

Record Gate Receipts: £20,000 against Peterborough United in the F.A. Cup, 1976.

Ground capacity: 49,000 with 26,500 under cover.

Facts on Forest

- ★ Shinguards were introduced to football in 1874 by a Forest player, S. W. Widdowson.
- ★ The whistle was first used to control a match in 1878 (Forest v Sheffield Norfolk).
- ★ Forest were elected to the Football League in 1892.
- ★ In 1905 Forest took a summer tour to the Argentine.
- ★ Floodlights were installed at Forest's City Ground in 1961.

Peter Wells, goalkeeper. Peter served his apprenticeship with Forest and has only recently been given his chance in the first-team. He took over from John Middleton for the home game against York City in November and has since held his place. Appearances: 8.

John Middleton, goalkeeper. John is another former Forest apprentice and one of several teenagers to be tried in the Forest goal over the past couple of years. He made his League debut at West Bromwich in October, 1974, quickly winning the spot which he held until handing over to Peter Wells. Appearances: 46.

Viv Anderson, defender. Viv has been Forest's right-back for much of the season. Another of the very young brigade, made his first appearance at Sheffield Wednesday in September, 1974, and made a big early impression with his mature defensive displays. Appearances: 33 (2).

Liam O'Kane, defender. Injuries have again been hindering Liam this season, limiting his first-team appearances to little more than half a dozen. He originally joined the club from Derry County in 1968 and was in the senior side within a year. He also became a regular member of the Northern Ireland team until a broken leg took a year out of his career in 1972-73. Made a full recovery to regain both his club and international place. Liam has 20 Irish caps. Appearances: 183 (3).

Bob Chapman, defender. Bob has been well established at the centre of the Forest defence for many years and is another of their own discoveries to make good. It was in 1963-64 that he made his League debut and, though it was four years before he won a place, he has held it consistently for almost nine years. Appearances: 300 (11), 15 goals.

Frank Clark, defender. Frank, who had become almost part of the fixtures and fittings at Newcastle was given a free transfer last summer and his vast experience is now serving Forest well. Frank won an F.A. Amateur Cup Winners medal with Crook Town in 1962 and, before turning professional, won an England Amateur cap. While with Newcastle he won a Second Division Championship medal and helped them win the European Fairs Cup in 1969. He also played in the Newcastle side beaten by Liverpool in the 1974 F.A. Cup Final. Appearances: Newcastle 388 (1), Forest 26.

Bryn Gunn, defender. Teenager Bryn has been at left-back for several games this season, making his bow in the local derby against Notts County in August. Appearances: 8.

Paul Richardson, midfielder. A former England Youth international, Paul won his place in the Forest team in 1967-68 and has been a fixture for the past six years. Appearances: 198 (21), 18 goals.

John Robertson, midfielder. John regained his place towards the end of last season after a spell in the reserves and he is nearly always a member of their midfield unit these days. He made his initial appearance in 1970-71. Appearances: 84 (11), 8 goals.

John McGovern, midfield. John has now served manager Brian Clough with four clubs, starting at Hartlepool where he made his League debut in 1965-66. In 1968 he followed Clough to Derby County, winning a League Championship medal in 1972. Next stop was Leeds United, where he remained for the briefest of stays last season before linking up with Forest in a £30,000 deal. Appearances: Hartlepool 69 (3), 5 goals. Derby 186 (4), 16 goals. Leeds 4. Forest 33.

Martin O'Neill, midfield. Forest signed Martin from Distillery in 1971 when he was 19 and more experienced in Gaelic football than soccer. Forest had to pay £15,000 plus a further £6,000 after six first-team games and another £6,000 when he won his sixth cap for Northern Ireland. The club was quickly called upon to fork out both bonuses and Martin now has 17 caps to his credit. Appearances: 96 (14), 12 goals.

Terry Curran, striker. Forest swooped with a £75,000 bid to sign Terry from Doncaster Rovers at the beginning of this season after watching him for some months. Two splendid opening games in which he scored two goals persuaded them he was ready for better football. Though his function is not primarily to score goals for Forest, his creative abilities make chances for his colleagues and he is now their penalty taker. Appearances: Doncaster 67 (1), 11 goals. Forest 17, 1 goal.

John O'Hare, striker. John is a well-travelled player who has been capped by Scotland at full and Under-23 level. He has 13 full caps. He began with Sunderland, moving to Derby County for £21,000 in 1967. In seven seasons at the Baseball Ground he was on two occasions their leading scorer. He then followed Brian Clough to Leeds United last season in a £60,000 transfer, finally settling with Forest for half that fee. Appearances: Sunderland 51, 14 goals. Derby 247 (1), 65 goals. Leeds 6, 1 goal. Forest 33 (1), 6 goals.

Barry Butlin, striker. Forest smashed all club records when they bought Barry for £120,000 last season. He had previously been our top scorer with 18 goals when we won promotion to the First Division. He began his career with Derby County, spending one campaign on loan to Notts County, before joining Town for £50,000 in 1972. When he failed to get into the Forest side at the beginning of this season, he was loaned to Brighton where he regained his old confidence and his place in the Forest side upon his return. Appearances: Derby 4. Notts County 30 (1), 13 goals. Luton 56 (1), 24 goals. Brighton 5, 2 goals. Forest 45 (1), 10 goals.

Ian Bowyer, striker. Ian is Forest's leading scorer with ten goals. He first rose to prominence with Manchester City gaining winners medals in both the European Cup Winners Cup and League Cup. City surprisingly sold him to Orient in 1971 and he was their top scorer in his first season. Forest paid £40,000 for him two seasons ago. Appearances: Manchester City 42 (8), 13 goals. Orient 75 (3), 18 goals. Forest 82 (2), 19 goals.

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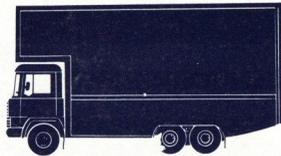
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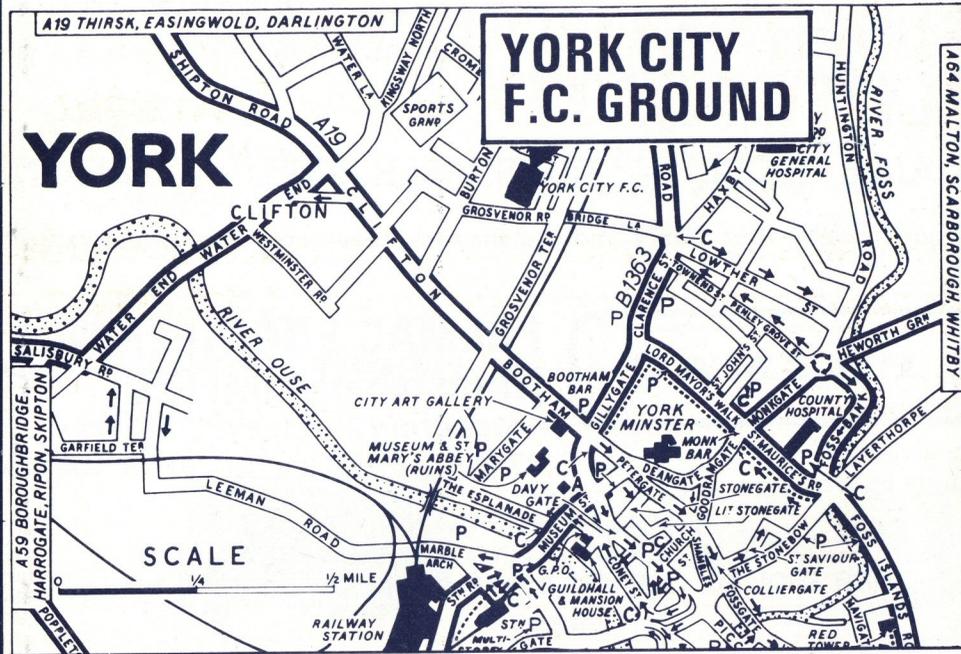
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2	Aston Villa v Q.P.R.	
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9	Mid'brough v Newcastle Utd.	
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14	Bolton Wand. v Oxford Utd.	
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16	Carlisle Utd. v Fulham	
17	Charlton Ath. v York City	
18	Chelsea v West Bromwich A.	
19	Notts County v Orient	
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	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	P
Sun'land	26	13	1	0	32	7	3	6	9	15	36	
Bristol C	27	8	4	1	25	7	5	4	18	16	35	
Bolton	25	7	3	1	22	8	6	5	3	19	16	34
Notts C	26	8	4	1	22	5	5	2	6	14	18	32
W.B.A.	26	4	7	1	12	8	6	3	5	13	16	30
Oldham	26	10	3	1	25	14	2	3	7	13	24	30
S'th'pton	24	11	1	1	31	8	2	7	12	21	29	
Luton T	25	8	3	2	23	11	4	2	6	14	15	29
Bristol R	26	5	5	3	14	11	3	6	4	12	15	27
Fulham	25	5	5	3	19	11	4	3	5	12	16	26
Plym'th	27	9	3	2	25	12	0	4	9	8	22	25
Orient	25	7	4	2	14	7	1	5	6	8	16	25
Chelsea	26	5	4	3	16	12	4	3	7	16	23	25
Blackp'l	26	5	5	3	15	16	4	2	7	9	13	25
Nott'm F	25	5	1	7	15	14	3	6	4	13	13	23
Charlton	26	6	1	4	20	16	3	4	7	12	25	23
Carlisle U	26	6	4	3	15	12	2	3	8	8	20	23
Hull City	26	6	3	5	18	14	3	1	8	9	19	22
Blackb'n	25	3	5	5	12	14	2	5	5	10	15	20
Oxford U	26	3	4	6	13	17	2	4	7	12	20	18
York City	26	4	1	7	13	20	1	4	9	6	24	15
Portsm'th	26	1	5	7	6	24	3	1	9	11	25	14

Up to and including Saturday, 24th January 1976