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We welcome today Luton Town, a side we have played against many times in recent seasons and against whom we've had many entertaining games. Their young manager, David Pleat, who took over from Harry Haslam last year was joined earlier this year by a man well known to us all here at the Goldstone, Ken Gutteridge and we extend to Ken, too, a very sincere welcome back to Sussex.

League Cup

We would be out of order not to mention this afternoon the League Cup Quarter-Final match at Nottingham Forest. The lads did the club proud as many millions will have seen on television on Wednesday evening. Forest are justly proud of their League Champions title and also of the League Cup that they won at Wembley earlier this year.

They confidently expect to return to the twin-towered stadium again in March to defend the Cup and with a two-legged semi-final to come their chances of doing so must be better than even money.

It takes two to make a game and Alan Mullery had said before the game that Albion would entertain and we certainly played our part in making it a match to remember and an occasion too that won't easily be forgotten by all at the City Ground.

Supporters

Our thanks are due to the many thousands of our supporters who made the trip North and the team certainly appreciated their moral and vocal support. Our commiserations go to the loyal fans who had the misfortune to find themselves marooned in two of the special trains somewhere north of London. Currently British Rail are investigating the circumstances surrounding what was a tremendous disappointment for all involved and the club is well aware of how upsetting it must have been.

FA Youth Cup

Any of our regulars who braved the weather 10 days ago here at the Goldstone will undoubtedly have been impressed with the performance of our Youth Team against Gillingham. So too were the Directors who attended the match and the club management. The 3-0 scoreline took the lads into the last 32 of the competition and they have been drawn away to either Portsmouth or Staines in the next round.

The tie is scheduled to be played during the week ending Saturday, January 13 but the date won't be fixed until we know our opponents.

FA Cup

The draw for the Third Round of the FA Cup will be made this evening at 5.10 p.m. and will be broadcast live both on Radio 2's Sports Report and on television. If we are drawn at home then Season Ticket Holders will have until next Friday at 4.45 p.m. to claim their tickets and after that any remaining seats will be available to other supporters again by personal application.

Our allocation being sold on a first come first served basis.

Should we receive an attractive home draw it is possible that a decision would be made to make the home match all-ticket. In this event an announcement will be made on Monday both in the local press and on BBC Radio Brighton as to how tickets would be sold.

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As usual at this time of year the *Evening Argus* is running its Christmas Appeal Fund for the needy. This appeal runs every year at this time and has become recognised as one of the most successful of its type in the country. It can only continue to be so with your support.

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Scene Around the Goldstone

Our pre-match entertainment continues to be highly successful and supporters seem to be enjoying the innovation. We hope to bring a few novel forms of entertainment here in the future and for Boxing Day we will be presenting on the pitch the Ray Shields Orchestra from America who will be playing some really swinging big band sounds.

Appropriately for the New Year weekend, on Saturday, December 30 the lassies on the pitch will be the London Girl Pipers and their music should thrill any Scots present among our supporters.

Royal Marines

Today we are honoured to have with us arguably the top Military Band in Britain. The Band of the Royal Marines have played all over the world both for ceremonial and other occasions and the men have served in almost every type of ship in the Royal Navy. Their appearances for the Royal British Legion Festival of Remembrance have delighted millions on television and they've made many broadcasts.



Albion History

The book published two weeks ago and written by *Evening Argus* football writer, John Vinicombe is selling very well and makes an ideal Christmas present for any keen Albion Fan. The party held in the Goldstone Boardroom to launch the book

was a great success with BBC Television South giving coverage to proceedings during the Friday Evening 'South Today' programme.

It was good to see so many faces from days gone by here for the evening. Eight of the side that gained promotion to the Second Division in 1958 were present. And joining the reminiscences were Johnny McNichol, Joe Wilson, Billy Lane, Roger Cook (son of the great Tommy) and many others.

Watneys

Helping with that evening were Watneys (Southern) who provided all the drink and the same company has got together with the club to introduce a new form of help with football in schools. During the spring term nearly 20 local schools will be visited, each by two of our first team players.

The idea is to cement relationships between the club and the local schools and at the same time help to improve football skills among the kids. Watneys are particularly keen that they can add something to the community in this way and Alan Mullery has given the idea his whole hearted backing.

The scheme will be launched on January 4 at an informal Press reception here at the Goldstone.

Christmas

We would like to draw the attention of everyone to the range of goods available from the Club Shops which could make ideal Christmas presents. The 'Splash it On' deodorant and talc etc. is available in an attractive package and a novel idea is a full size 24 by 16 in. cartoon sheet of all the First Team Squad and Manager Alan Mullery . . . these are on sale at 60p each in an attractive Blue and White . . . the designer is Brighton's American Basketball star, Kevin Kallagher . . . and some of the characterisations have to be seen to be believed.

Stork Around the Goldstone

The Stork has visited the Goldstone portals once again with Graham and Liz Moseley having the addition of a little boy to the family. Liz was one of the more energetic dancers at Kings early last week and it wasn't long after that the young Gareth Moseley was born . . . judging by the energy of Liz he should certainly be a pretty fit footballer 20 years hence to join elder brother Vaughan.

ALBION AT BLACKBURN

The point gained at Ewood Park last Saturday could well prove invaluable come the final countdown in the Second Division in May. Many newspaper reports claimed that possibly we might have had two but credit is due to the home side for their fight-back and the draw took us to within two points of the third placed side in the table and as we've said before . . . 'Three go Up'.

The game could hardly have started more sensationally for our lads. In the second minute Malcolm Poskett collected the ball fractionally inside the Blackburn half. Faced with men between him and goal he laid the ball square to the on-rushing Brian Horton, first time Nobby moved it forward to Peter Ward who in turn found Peter O'Sullivan.

Sully squared to the overlapping Chris Cattlin whose drive



into the middle amid a cluster of players reached Ward again. 'Wiz' dragged the ball away from Butcher, the Rovers' 'keeper and Gerry Ryan was left the easy task of netting from point blank range his sixth goal of the season, it's Ryan in the thick of the action among Rover's defence in the left-hand picture.

The confidence boost of the goal was obvious and our lads played fluent and aggressive football. Poskett headed only just wide after Ryan had made the opening and a great shot on the turn from Ward brought an equally great save from Butcher.

Strangely the initiative was surrendered and both Cattlin and Horton made timely interceptions. Pitch conditions became anything but easy. Snow, ice and rain during the week had prevented the ground staff working on the surface and in parts it was bumpy and uneven which led to passes going astray.

Free Kick

A goal which revitalised the home side came spot on 25 minutes after Gary Williams had scythed down Rovers' Noel Brotherston fractionally outside the area. Talented full-back Kevin Hird placed a free kick with precision and in came former England international John Radford to nod the ball past Graham Moseley and it was 1-1. Radford had only days before been appointed player-coach at Blackburn and this was his way of celebrating.

The shock goal stunned Albion and almost immediately the home side might have scored again. A run by John Bailey saw his cross just elude the lunge of Garner at the near post and our lads breathed again.

The usually immaculate Mark Lawrenson produced an unusually ill-timed tackle on Craig and was booked for his trouble and he was later to be joined in referee Farley's book by his defensive partner, Andy Rollings who's boot was adjudged to have threatened the good looks of John Radford in a goalmouth melee, the prelude to which is seen top right.

Just before the interval Gerry Ryan robbed a hesitant Kevin Hird to give a goal chance to Poskett . . . the striker decided instead of shooting to lay the ball back to all-action Brian Horton and his effort only produced a corner from the deflection.

Second Half

A lively first half with two goals could hardly have led the 8,046 spectators to expect a second-half which lacked entertainment and provided little in the way of good football. The best action in fact came within two minutes of the restart.

A timely slide by Gary Williams stopped Brotherston and

from John Bailey's flag-kick Moseley produced the save of the match from Radford's header and showed just how much his confidence has grown in recent weeks.

Saves from Enthwistle at Sunderland, Chatterton at home to Millwall and the one from Radford in this match have literally been world class and must have made the backroom staff at Ewood Park wonder just why Graham was allowed to leave Blackburn where he served his early days as an apprentice.

A timely interception and some fine skill by Fowler thwarted Peter O'Sullivan close to goal while at the other end a sliding tackle by Mark Lawrenson on Garner saved the day for Albion. There was another narrow escape when Andy Rollings appeared to handle in the area but referee Farley ignored Rovers' appeals.

Graham Moseley missed a Bailey corner in the six-yard box but Keeley headed over with 23 minutes left and immediately Alan Mullery replaced Poskett with Teddy Maybank who had missed the start of the game for the first time this season.

Defensive

The majority of Sunday papers criticised Albion for adopting a defensive policy in the second-half and with Blackburn in dire relegation trouble they too were accused of being happy to settle for a draw. Pitch conditions though, were far from easy and our lads would of course been only too pleased to win. Nevertheless Alan Mullery after the match was very pleased with a point and the atmosphere in the dressing room after the game was cheerful and spirited and of course with Wednesday's big day in mind the news that Notts Forest had been beaten at Anfield was greeted with almost as much enthusiasm as the running results service from the Second Division from Commercial Manager, Ron Pavey.

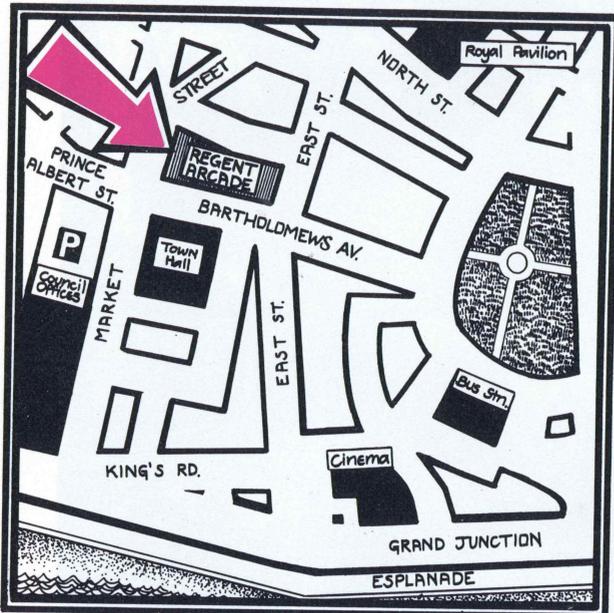
The match marked an encouraging return to form of skipper Brian Horton in mid-field. Graham Moseley was again class personified in goal while the two Peters, O'Sullivan and Ward each looked distinctly sharper following their recent first team absences - Ward is seen bottom right just failing to reach the ball.

The absence of Teddy Maybank from the starting line-up left only Mark Lawrenson, Gary Williams and Brian Horton as this season's ever present players.

The empty terraces of relegation threatened Blackburn gave the obvious thought that this was, the lull before the storm, the dress rehearsal for a certain ground and a certain team on Wednesday. That certainly a day not to be forgotten . . .



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FLASHBACK



Andy Rollings and Chris Cattlin, Albion's two longest serving defenders, make sure that the Seagulls' goal remains intact against Orient. Cattlin was playing his first League game of the season at right back having twice worn the Number 11 shirt during Peter O'Sullivan's suspension.

A Brian Horton penalty was all that separated Albion and Orient until Peter Sayer netted a second seven minutes from time. He timed his run to perfection as Malcolm Poskett made the pass and as John Jackson advanced made the most of the chance to score his second goal of the season.





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DIVISION 2 NEWS

By Tony Pullein

Luton Problems

Luton, who until recently were so invincible at home and so indifferent away, seem to have turned the tables. Last Saturday's 2-1 home defeat by Preston was their third reverse in their last four home games. Yet, after failing to win any of their first seven away games of the season, they went proudly up to Leeds on Wednesday for the League Cup quarter-final with two away victories out of three behind them — like Albion though they were beaten.

The Hatters astounded everyone by winning their previous League Cup tie 2-0 away to Aston Villa and then they broke their duck in the League by winning 2-1 at Charlton.

West Ham found themselves struggling at Wrexham where they conceded four goals for the first time this season and lost 3-4. Even without Mike Thomas, recently sold to Manchester United for £300,000, Wrexham looked in killer mood with young John Lyons hitting his first hat-trick in top class football. Two of his goals came from penalties.

The Hammers' visit drew Wrexham's biggest crowd of the season — 15,787.

In spite of the fact that they have scored seven goals, and collected two points, in the two matches they have been without Thomas, Wrexham were ready this week to spend £95,000 on Birmingham left-winger Steve Fox as a replacement for Thomas.

Wrexham have been playing good football all season but until recently they had not been scoring many goals. Now manager Arfon Griffiths seems to have solved that one, the Welshmen are creeping nicely up on the promotion challengers. Last weekend they were only two points behind West Ham — with a game in hand.

There is an inherent fear at the Racecourse, however, that promotion too soon to the First Division could prove disastrous. Though their football is of First Division quality, Wrexham are only now enjoying their first-ever season of Second Division football and it is feared that the administration and the present structure of the club is not yet ready for life at the very top. Ideally, Wrexham would like to go up in about three years time.

'Pop' Robson scored for West Ham in the last minute of that 3-4 reverse at Wrexham to keep himself well clear at the top of the Second Division scorers:

	League	L/Cup	Total
Robson (West Ham)	15	1	16
Randall (Bristol Rovers)	13	—	13
Rowell (Sunderland)	13	—	13

	League	L/Cup	Total
Stein (Luton Town)	9	3	12
Biley (Cambridge)	10	1	11
Bruce (Preston)	8	3	11
Cross (West Ham)	11	—	11
Flanagan (Charlton)	9	2	11
Robinson (Charlton)	8	3	11

It was a jittery time for all the leaders last weekend. Wrexham being the only one of the leading eight clubs to win. Stoke City slipped again, this time at Newcastle. It was quite a day for Newcastle debutant Alan Shoulder, who was working down the mines until a fortnight ago.

He joined Newcastle last week and had a hand in both their goals against Stoke. Shoulder saw two shots rebound from the goalkeeper and each was picked up by a colleague to score on the rebound.

Stoke themselves have unhappy thoughts about Shoulder. Last season he was a member of the non-League Blyth Spartans' side which knocked the Potters out of the FA Cup!

Richie Morgan was appointed manager of Cardiff City an hour or so before their home game with Sunderland. He had been acting as caretaker since the departure of Jimmy Andrews but he was doubtful about getting the job when he heard that Terry Yorath, of Coventry and Wales, might be offered the player-managership.

That deal didn't come off so Mr Morgan, who has been with Cardiff since his schooldays and who was recently in charge of the commercial side of the club, now moves into the hot-seat.

It was a happy enough start, with Cardiff taking a point from promotion-chasing Sunderland in a 1-1 draw at Ninian Park. But Mr Morgan will be anxious to see the club's recent run of lack of success — they have failed to win in their last seven attempts — quickly ended.

Particularly as Millwall, the club directly below them, seem to be on the road to recovery. Millwall ran up their first away win of the season by hitting Bristol Rovers 3-0. This followed immediately upon their 2-0 win over Cardiff the previous week and manager George Petchey was wearing a smile for the first time in a long while.

Another reason for Mr Petchey's delight was the fact that last week he signed a five-year contract with the Lions.

A little less happy was Rovers' boss Bobby Campbell. 'Our worst home display since I became manager,' he stormed.

LUTON TOWN

This is the Hatters ninth visit to the Goldstone since the war but only their fifth in the quest for Second Division points. Last season's game at Hove was particularly memorable – in the floodlit mid-week game on September 27. Gerry Fell came on at 65 minutes for the injured Steve Piper and scored twice, the other goal coming from Peter Ward for the Seagulls to win 3-2 and go joint top of the table with Spurs.

Teams: *Albion:* Steele, Tiler, Cattlin, Horton, Winstanley, Lawrenson, Potts, Ward, Mellor, Piper, O'Sullivan. Sub: Fell.

Luton: Aleksic, Price, Buddey, Carr, Faulkner, P. Fletcher, Husband, Hill, R. Fletcher, Fuccillo, Boersma.

Sub: G. Jones.

Luton scorers: R. Fletcher, Husband. Attendance: 25,232.

LAST SEASONS RECORD COMPARED

	Goals			
	W	D	L	F - A Pts
Albion 4th	22	12	8	63 38 56
Luton 13th	14	10	18	54 52 38

Ron Fletcher was top scorer with 9 League goals, Phil Boersma hit 8 and Jimmy Husband 7 – the three players have now left the club.

Previous results at Hove:

Division Two:
1972/73: Brighton 2 (Beamish 2), Luton 0.
1961/62: Brighton 2 (Goodchild, Laverick), Luton 1.
1960/61: Brighton 1 (Thorne), Luton 0.

Division Three:

1969/70: Brighton 1 (Bell), Luton 2.
1968/69: Brighton 1 (Wilkinson), Luton 0.

Football League Cup:

1968/69, 2nd Round: Brighton 1 (Lawton), Luton 1.
1965/66, 1st Round: Brighton 1, Luton 1.

The teams for that first Second Division meeting here on November 12, 1960 were:

Albion: Baker, McNicol, Little Bertolini, Jennings, Burtenshaw, Tiddy, McNeil, Nicholas (debut), Thorne, F. Jones.

Luton: Standen, McNally, Bramwell, Pacey, Groves, McGuffie, Spencer, Ashworth, Turner, Brogan, Tracey.

Today's visitors have the remarkable record of playing in all four Divisions of the League in 11 seasons. The highlight was the 1975/76 season spent in Division One after being in the Fourth from 1965/68.

ALL CHANGE

Manager David Pleat, a former England Schools' and Notts Forest winger, has made radical changes since he took over from Harry Haslam last January.

He sold the Fletcher twins Paul and Ron to Manchester City for £435,000, Phil Boersma to Swansea for £30,000 and Jimmy Husband to American football

New centre-half Chris Turner arrived from Peterborough for £110,000, Dave Moss from Swindon for the same figure, and the much travelled striker Bob Hatton came from Blackpool for £45,000. Last month Pleat went to Everton to sign goalkeeper David Lawson for £30,000, but many reckon that his shrewdest investment was in getting 21-year-old Mal Donaghy from Larne, last March.

THE BIG MATCH

Notts Forest, Albions opponents last Wednesday night, beat Luton 2-1 in the 1959 FA Cup Final.

The Luton side that day was: Baynham, McNally, Hawkes, Groves, Owen, Pacey, Bingham, Brown, Morton, Cummings, Gregory.

Luton reached eighth place in Division One in the 1957/58 season and they were runners-up in Division Two in 1954/55 and 1973/74.

THOSE WERE THE DAYS

The Albion completed the double over Luton when the teams first met in the 1898/99 season 5-0 at Hove and 5-3 at Dunstable Road. Luton won a Sixth Qualifying Round FA Cup tie here 1-0 in the 1919/20 season. When the clubs met at Hove in Division Three, South games in 1930/31 and 1931/32 Albion won 2-0 and 3-2.

ALBION LINKS WITH

LUTON - Tie ups

Defender Ken Goodeve was Brian Clough's first signing for the Albion for £20,000 in 1973.

Another Luton defender, John Moore, came on loan to the Goldstone as did centre-forward Barry Butlin for a brief spell.

Albion signed inside-forward Bob Hacking from Kenilworth Road just after the war and full-back Jim Mulvaney arrived in August 1950 along with winger Peter Walsh.

Luton was also one of Dave Sexton's clubs – Albion centre-half Ken Whitfield became the Hatters trainer when he hung up his boots and former Luton manager Harry Haslam played in Albion sides in the late forties.

Canadian Jackie Whent left the Goldstone in 1950 to play wing-half in their Second Division side and forwards Bernie Moore and Peter Small also played for both clubs.

Albion's former assistant manager Ken Guttridge, who worked under Peter Taylor and Alan Mullery, joined the Hatters at the start of the season.

PEN PICTURES

Jake Findlay

Twenty-four-year-old Scottish goalkeeper who was signed from Aston Villa just three weeks ago. At a fee of £100,000 he immediately

replaced David Lawson in the Luton League side.

Paul Price

Luton's longest-serving player, recruited from youth soccer in 1971. On the verge of the League scene in 1974, he broke his leg but fought his way back to fitness, only to break it for a second time. The second comeback was permanent, and he has been a regular member of Luton's First team for the past three years.

Mark Aizlewood

In April 1978, Luton splashed out £50,000 to bring him out of the Fourth Division, where he was playing for Newport County, still only 18. He is a former Welsh Youth international skipper.

Ricky Hill

A midfield player of talent, was signed as an apprentice from school-boy football in North London as a 16-year-old. Within a year earned a place in Luton's League side while still only 17. Now 20, he has been capped by England at Youth level.

Chris Turner

Experienced central defender who moved to Kenilworth Road after being at Peterborough for nine seasons. Luton paid £95,000 for his signature in the close season.

Mal Donaghy

Northern Ireland Under-21 international centre-half who signed in the summer. Luton secured his transfer from Larne.

Alan West

A brilliant creative player in midfield. One of the many young stars to come from Burnley. An England Under-23 international, he moved to Luton in October 1973 for £100,000.

Pasquale Fuccillo

Son of Italian parents who settled at Bedford – 'Lil' to his friends and the Luton fans – signed as a 16-year-old apprentice in the summer of 1973. Broke through into the League side within three years, and his power and regular goals have kept him in there ever since.

Brian Stein

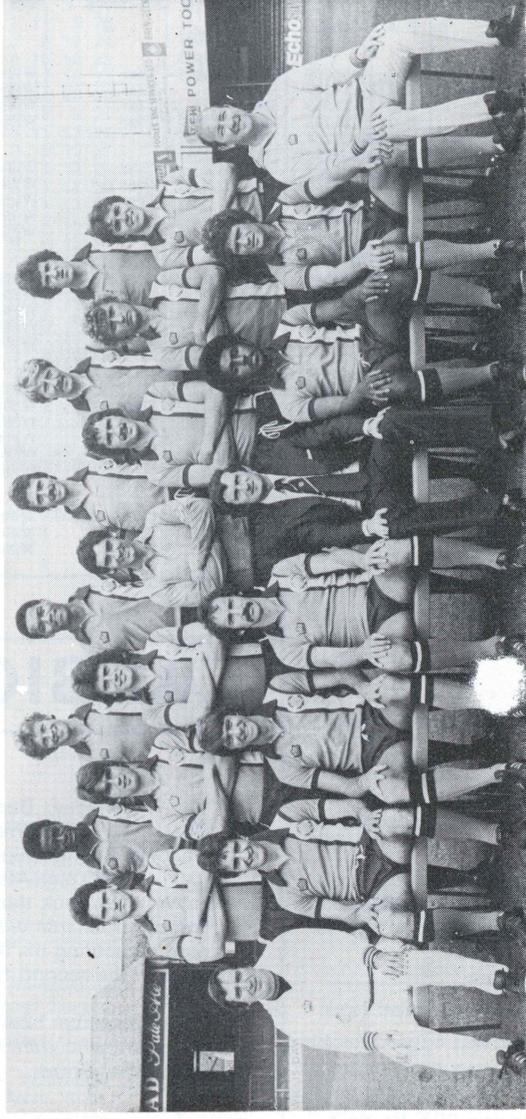
Twenty-one-year-old South African striker who joined Luton from non-League football with Edgware Town. Signed professional forms in October last year.

Bob Hatton

One of the most experienced strikers in the game. Luton signed him in the close season for £50,000. Service with Birmingham, Carlisle and Blackpool.

David Moss

Played for Swindon in the Third Division before moving up a division last summer. He was leading scorer with the Wiltshire club before his £110,000 transfer in the close season.



Front Row: K. Gutteridge (Assistant Manager), P. Fuccillo, A. West, R. Hatton, D. Pleat (Manager), R. Hill, P. Boersma (transferred to Swansea), R. Johnson (Physiotherapist). **Middle Row:** M. Aizlewood, J. McNicol, G. Jones, M. Aleksic, C. Turner, P. Price, M. Donaghy. **Back Row:** G. Ingram, K. Stephens, B. Stein, D. Moss, D. Carr, S. Sherlock.

First-Team Appearances, Goalscorers, Results and Attendances

Date/Opponents	F A	Gate	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
August 1978											
19 Wrexham	0-0	14,008	Moseley	Tiler	Williams	Horton	Winstanley	Lawrenson	Sayer*	Ward	Maybank
22 Cambridge United	0-2	21,527	Steele	Tiler	Williams	Horton	Winstanley†	Lawrenson	Sayer	Ward	Maybank
26 Sunderland	2-0	19,959	Steele	Tiler	Williams	Horton	Rollings	Lawrenson	Towner	Ward ²	Maybank
29 Millwall (LC2)	1-0	16,723	Steele	Tiler	Williams	Horton	Rollings	Lawrenson	Towner*	Ward	Maybank
September											
2 Millwall	4-1	9,238	Steele	Tiler	Williams	Horton ¹	Rollings	Lawrenson	Towner	Ward*	Maybank ²
9 Oldham Athletic	1-0	19,709	Steele	Tiler	Williams	Horton	Rollings	Lawrenson	Towner	Ward	Maybank
23 Leicester City	1-4	14,307	Steele	Tiler	Williams ¹	Horton	Rollings	Lawrenson	Towner	Ward ¹	Maybank ¹
27 Stoke City	2-2	22,203	Steele	Tiler	Williams	Horton	Rollings	Lawrenson	Ryan	Ward ¹	Maybank ¹
30 Preston North End	5-1	19,182	Steele	Tiler	Williams	Horton	Rollings	Lawrenson	Ryan ¹	Ward ¹	Maybank
October											
3 Burnley (LC3)	3-1	9,076	Steele	Cattlin	Williams	Horton	Rollings	Lawrenson	Sayer	Ward ²	Maybank ¹
7 Crystal Palace	1-3	33,685	Steele	Tiler*	Williams	Horton ¹	Rollings	Lawrenson	Ryan	Ward	Maybank
14 Fulham	3-0	24,576	Moseley	Tiler	Williams	Horton ¹	Rollings	Lawrenson	Ryan ²	Ward	Maybank
21 Burnley	0-3	10,127	Moseley	Tiler	Williams	Horton*	Rollings	Lawrenson	Ryan	Ward	Maybank
28 West Ham United	1-2	32,589	Moseley	Tiler	Williams	Horton	Rollings*	Lawrenson	Ryan	Ward	Maybank
November											
4 Sheffield United	1-0	16,683	Moseley	Tiler	Williams	Horton	Winstanley	Lawrenson	Ryan*	Poskett ¹	Maybank
7 Peterborough (LC4)	1-0	21,866	Moseley	Tiler	Williams	Horton	Winstanley	Lawrenson ¹	Sayer	Poskett	Maybank*
11 Wrexham	2-1	19,641	Moseley	Tiler	Williams	Horton ¹	Rollings	Lawrenson	Ryan ¹	Poskett	Maybank
18 Sunderland	1-2	22,738	Moseley	Tiler	Williams	Horton	Rollings	Lawrenson	Ryan	Poskett ¹	Maybank
21 Millwall	3-0	19,382	Moseley	Tiler	Williams	Horton	Rollings	Lawrenson	Ryan ¹	Poskett ²	Maybank
25 Notts County (1)	0-1	8,851	Moseley	Tiler	Williams	Horton	Rollings	Lawrenson	Ryan*	Poskett	Maybank
December											
2 Orient	2-0	16,609	Moseley	Cattlin	Williams	Horton ¹	Rollings	Lawrenson	Poskett	Ward	Maybank
9 Blackburn Rovers	1-1	8,046	Moseley	Cattlin	Williams	Horton	Rollings	Lawrenson	Ryan ¹	Ward	Poskett
13 Notts Forest (LC5)	1-3	30,672	Moseley	Cattlin	Williams	Horton	Rollings	Lawrenson	Poskett	Ward ¹	Maybank*
16 Luton Town (2)											
23 Charlton Athletic											
26 Cardiff City											
30 Newcastle United											
January 1979											
1 Bristol Rovers											
6 FA Cup 3											
13 Oldham Athletic											
20 Stoke City											
27 FA Cup 4											
February											
3 Leicester City											
10 Preston North End											
17 Crystal Palace (5)											
24 Fulham											
March											
3 Burnley											
10 West Ham United (6)											
17 Sheffield U (LCF)											
24 Cambridge United											
31 Notts County (SF)											
April											
7 Orient											
13 Charlton Athletic											
14 Cardiff City											
16 Bristol Rovers											
21 Luton Town											
28 Blackburn Rovers											
May											
5 Newcastle United											
12 FA Cup Final											

ALBION 25 YEARS AGO

On Wednesday, December 16 the Albion drew 1-1 with Wrexham in an FA Cup Second Round Replay at the Goldstone, kick-off 2.00 p.m. Attendance: 15,681.

Wrexham took the lead after 16 minutes through Richards with Albion outside-right Gordon scoring his third goal of the season early in the second-half to ensure a second replay.

On December 12 Albion had drawn 1-1 at Wrexham who were in the Northern Section of Division Three.

Jimmy Leadbetter gave Brighton the lead after 33 minutes. Bannan levelled the score at 59 minutes. Alec South and Jimmy Langley starred for Albion.

Teams:
Albion: Gill, Tennant, Langley, McIlvenney, South, Wilson, Gordon, Mundy, Addinal, Leadbetter, Howard.
Wrexham: Egglestone, Speed, Fisher, Jones, Capper, Tapscott, Hughes, Hewitt, Bannan, Tilston, Richards.

DIVISION 2 LEAGUE TABLE

	HOME					AWAY					Pts	
	P	W	D	L	F A	P	W	D	L	F A		
Crystal Palace	19	6	2	1	16	6	3	6	1	14	9	26
Stoke City	19	5	3	1	17	8	4	3	3	8	11	24
West Ham United	19	6	2	1	22	6	3	3	4	16	15	23
Sunderland	19	6	2	1	18	8	3	3	4	12	15	23
Notts County	19	5	4	1	11	7	3	2	4	14	23	22
Wrexham	18	5	4	1	16	7	2	3	3	8	9	21
Brighton	19	7	0	2	19	6	2	3	5	11	17	21
Fulham	18	5	3	2	15	7	3	2	3	9	12	21
Newcastle United	19	7	2	1	13	5	1	3	5	5	13	21
Charlton Athletic	18	3	4	3	15	11	4	2	2	17	12	20
Burnley	18	6	1	1	19	11	1	5	4	11	17	20
Bristol Rovers	18	8	1	1	26	15	0	2	6	3	19	19
Luton Town	18	6	1	3	28	10	1	2	5	6	13	17
Orient	19	5	2	3	15	9	2	1	6	7	15	17
Cambridge United	19	2	6	2	12	11	2	3	4	8	13	17
Oldham Athletic	18	4	3	1	12	7	2	2	6	13	24	17
Leicester City	18	2	3	4	9	11	2	5	2	6	6	16
Preston North End	18	3	3	2	15	11	2	1	7	11	24	14
Sheffield United	18	3	1	4	13	11	1	3	6	9	18	12
Blackburn Rovers	18	1	6	2	13	12	2	0	7	7	21	12
Cardiff City	18	3	3	3	13	15	1	1	7	9	25	12
Millwall	19	3	1	5	11	16	1	2	7	6	17	11

First team appearances and goalscorers to date (up to and including December 9)

Player	Appearances	Goals
Lawrenson	22	1
Williams	22	1
Horton	22	5
Maybank	21 (plus 1 sub)	4
Tiler	19	
O'Sullivan	18	1
Clark	17 (plus 2 sub)	1
Rollings	18	
P. Ward	15 (plus 4 sub)	6
Steele	10	
Sayer	11 (plus 7 sub)	2
Moseley	12	
Ryan	12 (plus 1 sub)	6
Towner	5 (plus 3 sub)	
Poskett	9 (plus 3 sub)	5
Winstanley	4	
Cattlin	5	
Ruggiero	1 (sub)	

Defenders: 3 goals
 Hurst (Oldham Athletic)
 Baxter (Preston North End) 2

RESERVE TEAM
 The game scheduled to have been played at Brentford on Tuesday in the Mid-Week League was postponed due to a waterlogged pitch. Last week Southend came to the Goldstone and completed a double against our lads with a 1-0 victory.
Team: Steele, Kerslake, R. Cox, S. Ward, Winstanley, Vessey, Elliott, Ruggiero, Ring, Clark, O'Sullivan. Subs: Geard (for O'Sullivan, 60 minutes), Stevens (for Vessey, 46 minutes).

MID-WEEK LEAGUE FIXTURES 1978/79

Kick-off 7.15 p.m.

Home matches in bold

1978			
August			
Wed 23	Cambridge United		3-3
September			
Tues 5	Northampton Town		2-0
Mon 11	Peterborough United		4-0
Tues 19	Watford		5-4
Wed 27	Watford		1-0
October			
Tues 3	Gillingham (LC)		0-1
Tues 17	Northampton Town (LC)		7-1
Tues 24	Northampton Town (LC)		1-0
Tues 31	Cambridge United		2-2
November			
Tues 14	Portsmouth		4-1
Wed 22	Gillingham (LC)		2-0
Tues 28	Southend United		0-3
December			
Tues 5	Southend United		0-1
Tues 12	Brentford		postponed
Tues 19	Wimbledon		
Wed 27	Portsmouth		
1979			
January			
Wed 3	Gillingham		
Wed 17	Millwall		
Tues 23	Gillingham		
February			
Tues 6	Charlton Athletic		
Tues 20	Brentford		
Tues 27	Charlton Athletic		
March			
Tues 6	Northampton Town		
Tues 20	Millwall		
April			
Tues 3	Wimbledon		
Wed 11	Peterborough United		

Next home fixture
 Football League Division 2
CARDIFF CITY
 Tuesday, December 26, 1978
 Kick-off 3.00 p.m.

Personality Parade



KEN TILER

Yorkshire has always been a breeding ground for footballers and the game is played at various levels on almost every spare piece of land in that highly industrialised part of the country. Twenty-eight years ago in Sheffield one such Yorkshire product started life.

Son of a chemical process worker, Ken Tiler started life in the industrial city the second child of his family. At the age of five he started school at Aughton Primary School and being a bright lad he moved on to Woodhouse Grammar School after passing the then 11+ examination.

His interest in football was always apparent at school and of course he played for the school team but was never selected for any representative honours.

He left school at 16 to embark on a four-year apprenticeship as a turner and during this time he obtained his City and Guilds qualification and began to play for Chesterfield as an amateur while continuing his training for industry.

The manager at Field Mill then was Jimmy McGuigan, now at Rotherham, and he signed Ken on as a part-time professional and with the apprenticeship complete he became a full-time professional at the age of 20. McGuigan had first spotted him playing representative football for the Rotherham FA soon after leaving school.

After four more years at Chesterfield Peter Taylor signed him for Albion in 1974 and Ken and the family moved south to

set up home at Peacehaven where they lived until moving to their current home at Mile Oak.

Wife Gillian who Ken married in Rotherham soon after signing professional was almost unique in that she didn't have to change the pronunciation of her surname on marriage, only the spelling as before getting married her name was Gillian Tyler.

The Tiler offspring currently numbers two, eight-year-old Carl and four-year-old Angie. Carl is already a talented footballer and plays for the fourth year team at his school in Mile Oak, a year ahead of his age group.

Carl is an orthodox left-winger and says his dad '... already has the skill to beat me all ends up ...'. Ken's prime ambition in fact is one day to play a competitive match in the same team as Carl. He says he doesn't mind at what standard, just simply to be able to have done it would be tremendous.

Ken himself was quite a cricketer before coming south and he says with pride that Carl is also qualified to play for Yorkshire and is a left-hand batsman, perhaps indeed set to follow that famous left-handed Yorkshireman who played for England both at Football and Cricket, Willie Watson.

For relaxation Ken coaches Courthope in the Sussex Sunday League First Division and he holds the Football Association preliminary coaching badge. This qualification enabled Gillian and himself recently to enjoy an expenses paid trip to Jersey for a weekend's coaching together with Eric Steele.

Ken's all-round sporting interests abound. He plays snooker, squash and golf to a handicap of 18 and he plays pool for the Eclipse pub. Apart from sport his hobbies are music and collecting LP's.

His ambition in life is quite simply to be happy and he is certainly one to make provision for his future. Apart from his engineering qualification he has bought a shop in Sheffield so already has at least two strings to his bow.

He is very happy in Sussex and loves the county. Wife Gillian enjoys home life at Mile Oak and is kept very busy with the two kids but Ken says when his Albion days are over he'll certainly return to his native Yorkshire.

Whenever that is he'll be missed. In the last four years he's earned genuine popularity here at the Goldstone and is a true warm hearted Yorkshire personality who'll always be welcome in Sussex.



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ALBION QUIZ No. 12

- Against whom did Peter Ward win his England Under-21 cap in September 1977?
- For how many clubs has Lammie Robertson played since leaving the Albion?
- Name the Football League clubs which Tommy Docherty has managed.
- Which ex-Albion player now manages a Norwegian League side?
- There was recently a 5–5 draw in the Second Division. Between which clubs?
- Which ground housed the biggest attendance at a Third Division (South) match?
- In the autumn of 1966, the Albion had a League Cup run which took them to the fourth round. It was ended by a heavy defeat in a replay. Which club inflicted that defeat and what was the score?
- Which former Albion player resigned as a manager in October, and which club did he leave?
- A British side reached the final of the predecessor to the UEFA Cup in 1958, yet no club lists the runners-up position as one of its honours. Explain.
- When the Albion beat Ipswich in the League Cup two seasons ago, who scored the winning goal?
- Which club had the lowest aggregate home attendance in the Football League last season?

CROSSWORD - No. 12

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Clues Across

- No point in having this in one's hand? (6, 5).
- Slight movement of chin gives boxer extra reach! (4).
- Velvet touch not suitable in the ring (3, 5).
- Peter . . . former Chelsea and England Centre Forward (6).
- This road to Leeds (6).
- John . . . BBC sports reporter (6).
- Sounds as though he's 'been' moving about the garden (6).
- The captain says he's had enough (8).
- Descriptive of Ramsey; he knew his onions anyway (4).
- Various 'cheers' coming from this pavilion! (5, 6).

Clues Down

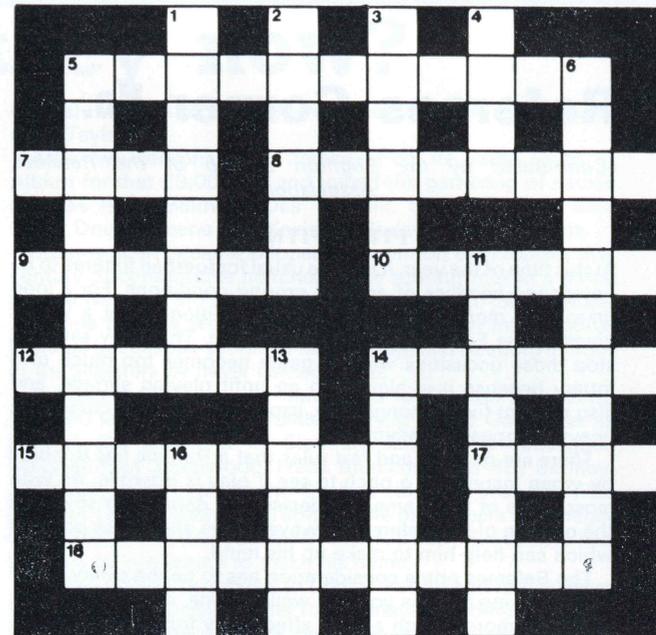
- Comfort surrounds to a table (8).
- Scored from a mis-hit, or maybe holed in one (6).
- Former American tennis star – he could move a bit (1, 5).
- Slip up in the autumn (4).
- Minister of Sport (5, 6).
- Ex-Liverpool soccer star, now in Hamburg (not cooked) (5, 6).
- They keep in touch running out of touch! (8).
- It may sound tiring but it's one advantage of a half-size billiard table (2, 4).
- North Eastern holiday resort, popular with racegoers (6).
- He peers over his domain at Burnley! (4).

Solution will appear in next home match programme.

ANSWERS TO ALBION QUIZ No. 11

- Pat Saward, left-half for Aston Villa in their 2–1 win over Manchester United.
- Stockport County.
- Their FA Cup quarter-final with West Brom on March 11, 1978.
- John Boyle; was a 'loan' player for the Albion in the 1973/74 season.
- Clydebank (Scottish League Division One).
- Peter Downsbrough.
- Fluminense of Rio, who won 2–1.
- 1962/63, when Hearts beat Kilmarnock 1–0.
- Duncan McKenzie has played for both clubs.
- Four. Preston (1889), Aston Villa (1897), Spurs (1961), Arsenal (1971).
- Middlesbrough.

Albion Quiz Winner No. 11: Sheona McArthur, 6 Surrenden Road, Brighton.



Crossword entries should be submitted to the Promotions Office at the Goldstone Ground. Cabaret tickets will be awarded to the person submitting the first correct entry opened on Tuesday morning following a Saturday match or Friday following a mid-week match.

SOLUTION TO CROSSWORD No. 11

Across

- | | |
|-----------------|---------------------|
| 5 Neil Malpass. | 12 Ransom. |
| 7 Over. | 14 In bath. |
| 8 R. Emerson. | 15 A dab hand. |
| 9 A. Roche. | 17 Nail. |
| 10 Scraps. | 18 E. F. Goolagong. |

Down

- | | |
|------------------|-----------------|
| 1 Big races. | 6 Shot Putting. |
| 2 Smirke. | 11 Robinson. |
| 3 Flames. | 13 Meadow. |
| 4 Farr. | 14 Indian. |
| 5 Never Say Die. | 16 Bags. |

Crossword Winner No. 11: David Schildkamp, 11 Gableson Avenue, Brighton.

Referees Corner No. 12

(Contributed by the Brighton Branch of the Referees Association)

PITCH FITNESS

At this time of the year, it is quite usual for football fixtures to be postponed because of adverse ground conditions. For a long time now, many pundits have been petitioning for a winter break in the Football League programme. This, they say, will stop those occasions when a game becomes too much of a lottery because it is played on an unfit playing surface, and also prevent fixture congestion, especially amongst clubs with heavy European commitments.

There are no hard and fast rules that a Referee has to abide by when inspecting a pitch to see if play is possible. As with most Laws of the Game, the decision is dependant solely on the opinion of the Referee. However, there are certain pointers which can help him to make up his mind.

The Referees prime consideration has to be the safety of the Players taking part. As you can well imagine, danger to players would be more real on a pitch affected by frost than a surface that had become water-logged. 'A bit of mud never hurt anyone', though not always the case, is fair comment, whereas a pitch that is frozen solid and more suitable for ice-hockey than football creates a serious threat to players safety. A headlong tumble could easily result in broken bones; pity the poor goal-keeper diving around on a surface like concrete, even if he is wearing track suit bottoms. Ankles can easily be turned and sprained or broken by uneven, frozen ruts. Pitches that are not rolled flat before a heavy overnight frost become treacherous when frozen, with many dangerous peaks and ruts resulting from where the pitch was churned up during the previous game.

Would the game become a farce if played?, a further important consideration for the Referee. Pools of water lying on the surface would obviously affect the game, as the ball would quickly be stopped, as it would if there were deep, boggy areas on the pitch. Mud in the eye when heading the ball is a common occurrence on wet pitches, uncomfortable even if not dangerous. In games played in senior leagues, the Referee does have a duty to you, the paying customer, who have come along to be entertained, and not to see 22 players slipping and sliding all over the place while chasing after a ball that won't roll more than a yard or two. Pitch markings can

become churned up and hard to see. Did that foul take place in the penalty area? It can sometimes be very hard to tell if markings are not absolutely clear. (The Referee can have lines re-marked if he feels it is necessary.)

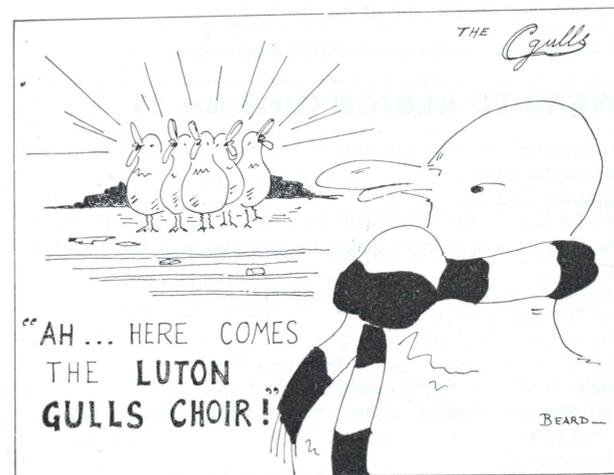
The idea of taking a mid-season break to alleviate these problems does seem to have its merits, but apart from any other reasons against it, what on earth would all we Referees and you supporters do on a Saturday afternoon. Go Christmas shopping in Churchill Square? Not blooming likely!!

Question: If a match is temporarily suspended by the Referee, for say bad visibility because of fog, does he have to restart the match within a certain time before finally postponing it completely, if conditions do not improve.

Answer: No. This would be at the discretion of the Referee, who in certain cases would consider the safety of large crowds, or any other relevant factor.

Any person interested in taking the Referees course should write to Allen Head, c/o Referees Corner, Goldstone Ground, Hove.

CARTOON CORNER



where are they now?



JOHNNY McNICHOL

Just over 30 years ago a dark and handsome Scot signed for Albion from Newcastle. His signature had been negotiated by then Albion manager Don Welsh at a fee of £3,000 and the agreed wage was £12 per week with a win bonus of £2 and £1 if the team drew be it home or away.

The skills of Johnny McNichol were soon to delight the fans at the Goldstone as he played over a century of consecutive matches and when he was transferred by Billy Lane to Chelsea four years later few Albion regulars were very happy.

John was born in Kilmarnock as one of a family of eight the son of a local brickworks worker and times were hard as his father died when he was only five. He went to school at the local St Joseph's and left at the age of 14 to spend the next two years working in a drapery shop before learning to be a motor mechanic, a trade he learned while playing part-time professional football.

He had played for his school and for the local District Schools side at inside-forward and joined Hurlford United in the Western Junior League in Scotland to play virtually for peanuts although at that time with war starting anything was welcome.

In 1943 he joined the Fleet Air Arm being stationed at Macrihanish in Scotland and while there guested for Inverness Caledonian and regular wartime football brought on his talents to such a degree that on demobilisation he was signed by Stan Seymour for Newcastle United where he played in the

Central League side alongside the likes of Jackie Milburn and Ernie Taylor.

After two seasons at St James's Park he came south to Albion for that £3,000 fee and joined the gathering of names such as Harry Baldwin, Des Tennant, Stan Willemse, Billy Reed, Dougie Keene and Kevin McCurley in Albion's side.

Johnny soon became skipper and went on to complete that century of consecutive matches, once scoring four in a game against Newport in 1952 shortly before leaving to join Chelsea.

At one time he was on the verge of Scottish International honours but despite scoring a hat-trick against Reading in front of the selectors he never gained a cap.

In August 1952 he was transferred to Chelsea for around £15,000 with Jimmy Leadbetter coming to the Goldstone as part of the deal and at Stamford Bridge his colleagues included Ron Greenwood, Frank Blunstone and Roy Bentley. John was in fact part of the Chelsea side that won the First Division Championship in 1958 and he remembers a teenager on the staff a few years earlier by name, Bobby Smith who had to move to Tottenham to make his name.

In March 1958 he moved to Crystal Palace and in five years at Selhurst Park played under four managers ending his career in League Football when he broke his jaw in a game against Notts County.

He lived in Hove throughout this period running the Newtown Road Post Office just a stones' throw from the Goldstone and played with Tunbridge Wells in the Southern League where he also acted as manager.

He returned to Palace as Lottery organiser in 1967 and has been there ever since. John has two children, Margaret and John junior. Margaret lives in Hove and is married to a successful owner of such greyhounds as 'Watchit Buster' and 'Watch it Sunbeam' and John also lives in Hove where he works as an artist.

After the death of Margaret, John senior married Connie nearly four years ago and they live comfortably in a bungalow at Saltdean. Being involved at Palace he sees plenty of football and says that at the top he feels standards are higher than in his day. He feels that this is mainly because tactics and organisation are better but the game itself is less entertaining.

Football will always be in the blood of Johnny McNichol and although a Scot through and through he's firmly settled in Brighton, is very happy and visits his home at Kilmarnock just for holidays.

ALBION PROMOTIONS

by Commercial Manager
RON PAVEY



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