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MEL SUTTON

Today we welcome Luton Town, one of the most attractive sides in the Second Division, to the Racecourse. We have already played Luton in the League Cup and of course they are back at the Racecourse next Tuesday to complete the second leg.

We managed a 2-0 victory at Luton but we cannot afford to think about that result in today's game. We have got to have the right attitude and give a 100 per cent display because we really must improve our league position.

That has become vital following recent disappointments. It will not be easy with Luton sitting proudly at the top of the table but we have had some exciting games against David Pleat's side and it would be a nice fixture for us to get back on winning lines.

We are all aware of our position — and this week we have been looking hard and long at putting things right. We are playing some good football but that is no good if we don't cash in on the chances we are creating.

We dominated most of the game against Crystal Palace last Saturday but lost. That was very disappointing yet we just didn't look alive to the situations and that is why we have got to be in the right frame of mind today.

Billy Ronson pleased me with his home debut display and I'm sure he is going to be a great asset to the side — and club.

I'm sure you will join me in wishing our youth side the best of luck for their English Youth Cup, 1st round tie at Liverpool on Monday night. The side defeated Liverpool in last season's cup clash at Anfield. Let's hope they can do it again.



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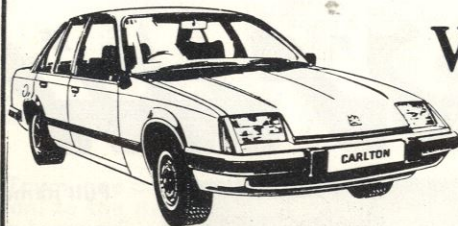
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Saturday, October 31st — Blackburn Rovers. Fare, Adults £3.00; Juniors £2.00. Please book early at Centre Spot.

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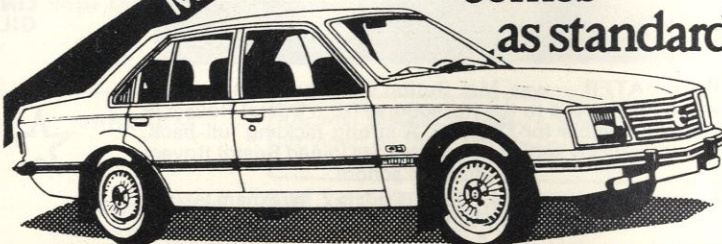
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Wrexham 5 Chester 2
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Wrexham: Parker, D. Young, S. Jones, D. Baker, M. Cartwright, Gareth Davis, R. Hughes, M. Evans, S. Jones, Buxton, Les Cartwright, sub. S. Evans and A. Edwards.

● Verdict: a scrappy game which Wrexham won comfortably.

Saturday, October 10th

WELSH NATIONAL LEAGUE

Wrexham 4 Ruthin 0
(half-time 0-0)

Wrexham scorers — Bradbourne (3), Fitzmaurice.

Wrexham — K. Williams, J. Williams, Cruse, S. Evans, Warriner, D. Evans, C. Jones, Chapman, A. Edwards, Bradbourne, Fitzmaurice, sub. A. Davies.

● Verdict: A good footballing game, Wrexham played within themselves.

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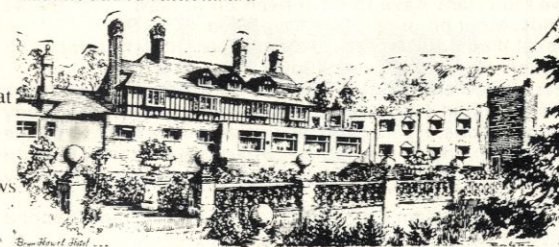
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● Ex-Wrexham defender **TERRY DARRACOTT** is missing football. "I never realised how much I would miss the game but I do. I try to watch Everton as often as possible and keep in touch with people in the game and that helps."

Terry's career was tragically ended last season after

battling against cartilage trouble for 18 months. "I still look for Wrexham's result. I really hope things start to pick up," said Terry who is now training to be a licensee in his native Liverpool. "In this job it's all about meeting people and it helps being an ex-footballer. The only things people talk

about in Liverpool is football, said Terry.

● **LES CARTWRIGHT**, Wrexham's Welsh international midfielder player is fighting fit — and desperate to get back in the first team. Les was injured in the opening match of the season against Queens Park Rangers and since then his way back has been barred by the promotion of

youngster **SIMON HUNT** and more recently the arrival of **BILLY RONSON**.

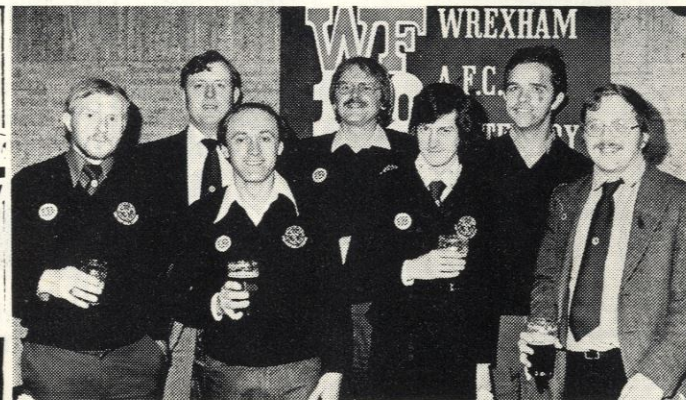
"Playing for the reserves is all right until you are fully fit but there is only one team to be in and that's the first team," said Les.

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Cheers . . . and the toast is the "92 Club" whose members recently held a get together at a Wrexham game. To qualify for membership of this exclusive club, fans have to have been on at least 72 of the 92 league grounds. Most on our picture have been on all 92.

The two local members are **David Price** (second left, front row) and **Alun Owen** (second left, back row).

Manchester United and Everton seem to be the grounds with the best facilities — United's 25p programme being better than many clubs' 40p publications. Halifax and Newport County seem to be the grounds at the other end of the 'table'. "But one has to bear in mind that once grounds do get a bit run down it takes a great deal of money to put it right," said David Price.

And what about Wrexham's ground? . . . "About average Second Division," replied David.

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assistant secretary to be groomed to take over from supreme Mr. Trevor Morris when he retires. Although the post normally goes to an administrator Mr. Morris has proved that a player and former manager can also deliver the goods . . . and it will be interesting to see who applies for the job.

● **JOEY JONES** is tipping Russia to get to the World Cup final — but that doesn't mean he has ruled out Wales' chances for qualifying for the finals in Spain next year. Wales, following their 2-2 setback against Iceland last week, now need to beat Russia away to make the trip to sunny Spain.

"I rate Russia on a par with West Germany and I think they will get to the competition final. We have made it hard for ourselves but football is a funny game and I still think we are in with a chance. We have just got to do something in Russia now," said Joey.

Today's Referee Mr. HOWARD W. KING (Merthyr Tydfil)

Mr. King, a factory worker, started refereeing in 1967. Today he is one of Wales' top referees and is on the F.I.F.A. list. He is interested in cricket, rugby, gardening and wine making. Mr. King is married, with one son.

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IN TOWN TODAY

Luton Town will be hoping its third time lucky for them this season, for in the last two seasons, they have just missed out on regaining their place back in the top flight. On their travels Luton have won many friends with their brand of attacking, entertaining football.

Manager David Pleat sold two of his internationals during the close season, **PAUL PRICE** (to Tottenham) and **TONY GREALISH** (to Brighton) and has made only one buy, **BRIAN HORTON** (from Brighton). However his shrewd transfer dealings in recent years have stood him in good stead with players like **KIRK STEPHENS**, bought from Nuneaton, **MAL DONAGHY** from Northern Ireland and **MIKE SAXBY** from Mansfield shining as The Hatters have stormed to the top of the division.

David Pleat took over as manager in the Spring of 1978 and he made a complete upheaval at Kenilworth Road scouring the lower divisions and non-league for new players and coming up with some really excellent bargain buys.

Mr. Pleat joined Luton in the early 'sixties, appearing in the Luton team for three seasons. A back injury finished his career but he stayed in the game as a coach before becoming boss of Nuneaton. He rejoined Luton as reserve team coach in 1975 and he succeeded Harry Haslam as manager three years later.

At home Luton have beaten Charlton 3-0, Watford 4-1 and, Grimsby 6-0 but have lost to Sheffield Wednesday 3-0 and Cardiff 3-2.

Away from home they have beaten Q.P.R. 2-1, Bolton 2-1, Leicester 2-1, Orient 3-0 and drew at Oldham.



Mike Saxby

JAKE FINDLAY is the number one choice goalkeeper and is rated by many as one of the best 'keepers in the division, and is tipped as a future Scotland 'keeper. He languished in Aston Villa's reserves for nine years before Luton paid their highest ever fee for a goalkeeper £100,000 in November 1979.

There are five candidates for places in the back four **KIRK STEPHENS**, **RADDY ANTIC**, **MARK AIZLEWOOD**, **MIKE SAXBY** and **MAL DONAGHY**.

Stephens was bought from non-league Nuneaton and he rapidly made the transition into full-time football, forcing his way into the first team in no time and has been a regular ever since.

Antic was Luton's first continental buy. A Yugoslav international, he cost £50,000 from Real Zaragossa in Spain. Can play in midfield or defence.

Mike Saxby is a commanding centre-half who joined Luton in the Summer of 1979 for a club record fee of £200,000 from Mansfield.

Mal Donaghy was another of Mr. Pleat's bargain buys snatched from Larne, N. Ireland in 1978 for £20,000. Only 21 he can play anywhere in the back four and is now a N. Ireland international.

Luton Town F.C.



Mal Donaghy

IN TOWN TODAY



Mark Aizlewood cost Luton £50,000 from Newport in the Summer of 1978 and he has been capped for Wales at Youth and Under-21 level.

BRIAN HORTON, **RICKY HILL** and **PASQUALE FUCCHILLO** are likely to make up the midfield.

Horton was signed in the close season from First Division Brighton and was immediately appointed club captain. He had captained Brighton in their rise from Division 3 to Division 1. Also had a long spell with Port Vale.

Ricky Hill was last season's 'Player of the Year'. Made his league debut when he was only 17, in 1976 and marked it with a goal and has been destroying opposing midfields and scoring regularly ever since.

Fucchillo, son of Italian parents living in Bedford. He made rapid progress through the junior teams to claim a regular place. Has been very unlucky with injuries, but has been in fine form this term.

Up front **DAVID MOSS**, **BRIAN STEIN** and **STEVE WHITE** have been scoring regularly.

Moss spent nine years at Swindon before Luton bought him for £100,000 and he was an immediate hit. He makes goals and

takes them and has already passed the 100 total in the Football League.

Brian Stein was a twenty-year-old part-timer with Edgware Town when Luton persuaded him to join them in October 1977. He made his debut within a month and has been knocking goals in ever since. Luton bought Steve White from Bristol Rovers in December 1979 and has been a regular up front this term.



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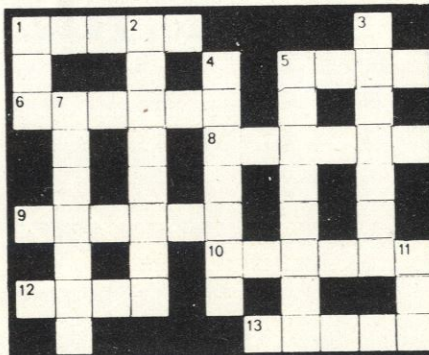
CLUES — ACROSS

- 1 &
13ac Striker who has found the net with regularity over the last few seasons — especially for Sheffield Wednesday and Newport County (5 5)
5. See 4 down
6. Experienced 'keeper who moved to 4 down after service at Burnley, Fulham and Hereford (6)
8. Forward-line (6)
9. Effective striker whose career took in Charlton, Southend, Bradford Park Avenue, Southport (twice), Torquay (twice), Stockport, Blackburn and Oldham (6)
10. Wales Under-23 midfielder of the 1950s-1960s who served Birmingham and Middlesbrough (6)
12. Duncan's first name (4)
13. See 1 across

CLUES — DOWN

1. --- Ward, old Derby and England half-back (3)
2. 'Keeper who joined Crewe from Shrewsbury in 1980 and was a league regular last season (8)
3. It's another ball game to some soccer men! (7)
4 &
5ac South coast ground (7 4)
5. Contemporary of 9 across and another striker who began at Charlton... but then turned out for Newport, Swansea, Gillingham, Northampton, Millwall, Reading and Swindon (3 5)
7. One of the original twelve league clubs (7)
11. Aston Villa's previous First Division title came in nineteen hundred and --- (3)

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(18 goals). 3. Brian Crispsey. 4.



QUIZ TIME

- Which current national team manager played for Luton in the 1959 F.A. Cup Final?
- Who was Luton's leading league scorer last season (1980/81)?
- Which winger did Wrexham sign from Hull City in 1958/59?
- Which club were Britain's first-ever representatives in the European Cup?
- Which goalkeeper did Wrexham sign from Birmingham City in 1966?

Answers — Crossword/Quiz:

Everton. 11. ten.
4 & 5ac. Fratton Park. 5. Pat Terry. 7.
Down: 1. Tim. 2. Mulhearn. 3. cricket.
across.
Fryatt. 10. Orritt. 12. John. 13. See 1
See 4 down. 6. Mellor. 8. attack. 9.
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Born in Swansea in 1931, he joined the Swansea ground staff as a young teenager, but before he was old enough to sign professional he was wooed by that wily manager, Major Frank Buckley, to Leeds United. In January 1949 he signed professional at Elland Road and in the following April made his debut in a goalless draw at Blackburn.

A year later he was making his international debut for Wales against Northern Ireland at Wrexham to become the youngest player ever to represent his country at just 18 years and three months. 1952/3 saw Major Buckley trying him at centre-forward and he responded with 26 goals in his first season there.

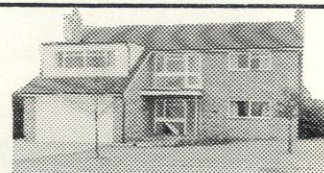
He then set up a Leeds record which still stands with 42 goals in 1953/4. From that point on he alternated between attacking and defensive roles according to the needs of Leeds and Wales, but after captaining his country for the first time in a goalless draw in Belfast in April 1957 he was transferred to Juventus, then struggling near the bottom of the Italian First Division.

The fee was £65,000, a record at the time for a British player and how well John responded to the challenge. In the next four seasons he scored 85 goals as Juventus won the Italian Championship three times and in 1961/2 helped them become the first club ever to beat Real Madrid on their own ground in European competition. Meanwhile he had played for Wales whenever available and had helped them to the World Cup quarter finals of 1958.

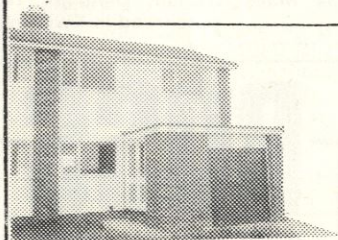
Then came a troubled 1962/3 in which he was first transferred back to Leeds and then sold at a profit to AC Roma, but after a good start he lost form and at the end of the season moved to Cardiff for just £20,000.

After three seasons at Ninian Park he moved to Hereford, then in the Southern League, and the crowds that he attracted became a factor in their gaining Football League status a few years later. As player, player-manager and finally manager up to 1971 he made a major contribution to their development and it is perhaps said that he has not been involved in Football League management.

Out of the limelight he has concentrated on his sports business in Cardiff in recent years. His record is a gigantic one — 172 goals in 377 Football League games; 97 goals in 165 Italian League games; 15 goals in 38 internationals.



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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27th
League Cup second round
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LUTON TOWN
Kick-off 7.30 p.m.

10 YEARS AGO

OCTOBER, 1971

Wrexham plunged deeper into trouble losing 2-1 at Shrewsbury. Ricky Moir and Andrews scored for the home side with Ian Moir getting Wrexham's goal. It was a fine save from Mulhearn that stopped Ray Smith getting the equaliser from a Whittle cross minutes from time.

Shrewsbury: Mulhearn, Morris, Fellows, Dolby, Holton, Bridgwood, Roberts, Andrews, Wood, Moir (R.), Groves.

Wrexham: Lloyd, Mason, Vansittart, Evans, Moir, Park (sub. Tinnion), Moir (I), Whittle, Smith, Kinsey, Griffiths.

Attendance 5,920.

FLASHBACK

20 YEARS AGO,

OCTOBER, 1961

Wrexham's slick side led by Ken Barnes certainly pulled in the fans. More than 30,000 saw two league games at the Racecourse. Wrexham beat Tranmere Rovers 4-0 in front of 16,315 the highest gate for three years. Wyn Davies, Metcalf and a Barnes penalty and an own goal routed Rovers.

Wrexham came down to earth with a bang losing 2-1 to Exeter City. Ron Barnes scored Wrexham's goal his first for the club.

30 YEARS AGO,

OCTOBER 1951

Wrexham again below par losing 2-1 to Scunthorpe at the Racecourse. After a goalless first half the visitors took the lead just on half-time through Powell, who made it 2-0 in the 79th minute. In the 89th minute Tunnicliffe scored for Wrexham.

Wrexham: Connor, Williams, Kelsall, Bannan, Spruce, Jones, Graham, Wooton, Wynn, Hewitt, Tunnicliffe.

Attendance 8,172. Receipts £635.

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| Date | Opponents | | 1982 |
|-----------|---------------------|---------|-----------------------|
| 1981 | | F A | January |
| August | | | |
| 29 | Queens Park Rangers | H 1-3 | 2 F.A. Cup 3 |
| September | | | 9 Leicester City |
| 1 | Swindon T. LC (1L) | H 3-2 | 13 League Cup 5 |
| 5 | Leicester City | A 0-1 | 16 Queens Park R. |
| 12 | Norwich City | H 2-3 | 23 F.A. Cup 4 |
| 15 | Swindon T. LC (2L) | A 2-0 | 30 Orient |
| 19 | Orient | A 0-0 | February |
| 22 | Watford | H 0-1 | 3 League Cup S.F. 1 |
| 26 | Charlton Ath. | H 1-0 | 6 Norwich City |
| October | | | 10 League Cup S.F. 2 |
| 3 | Sheffield Wednesday | A 3-0 | 13 Sheffield Wed. (5) |
| 7 | Luton T. LC 2 (1L) | A 2-0 | 20 Charlton Ath. |
| 10 | Chelsea | A 0-2 | 27 Chelsea |
| 17 | Crystal Palace | H 0-1 | March |
| 24 | Luton Town | H | 6 Crystal Palace (6) |
| 27 | Luton T. LC2 (2L) | | 12 Luton Town |
| 31 | Blackburn Rovers | A | 20 Blackburn R. |
| November | | | 27 Grimsby Town |
| 4 | Cardiff City | A | |
| 7 | Grimsby Town | H | |
| 11 | League Cup 3 | | |
| 14 | Derby County | A | |
| 21 | Barnsley | A | |
| 24 | Cardiff City | H | |
| 28 | Oldham Athletic | H | |
| December | | | |
| 2 | League Cup 4 | | |
| 5 | Cambridge Utd. | A | |
| 12 | Newcastle Utd. | H | |
| 18 | Rotherham Utd. | A | |
| 26 | Bolton W. | H | |
| 28 | Shrewsbury Town | A | |

LANCASHIRE LEAGUE

| | | |
|-----------|------------------|-----|
| August | | |
| 22 | Liverpool 'A' | 2-2 |
| September | | |
| 3 | Everton 'A' | 2-3 |
| 5 | Stockport C. 'A' | 3-2 |
| 12 | Barrow Res. | 1-3 |
| 19 | Rochdale Res. | 2-2 |
| 23 | Oldham Ath. Res. | 1-1 |
| 26 | Rochdale Res. | 0-6 |
| October | | |
| 3 | Bolton W. 'A' | 2-3 |
| 10 | Chester 'A' | 5-2 |

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|----------|-------------------|-----|
| 17 | Manchester U. 'A' | 2-4 |
| 24 | Port Vale Res. | A |
| 31 | Tranmere R. 'A' | H |
| November | | |
| 7 | Chorley Res. | A |
| 14 | Morecambe Res. | H |
| 21 | Carlisle U. Res. | H |
| 28 | Bolton W. 'A' | A |

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FIRST TEAM APPEARANCES AND GOALS:

| | Football League | League Cup |
|-------------|-----------------|-------------|
| | App's Goals | App's Goals |
| NIEDZWIECKI | 9 - | 3 - |
| HILL | 5 - | 2 - |
| J. JONES | 9 - | 3 - |
| DAVIS | 2 - | 1 1 |
| CEGIELSKI | 9 - | 3 - |
| DOWMAN | 8 - | 3 - |
| BATER | 7 - | 2 - |

Football League

| | App's | Goals | League Cup |
|------------|-------|-------|-------------|
| | | | App's Goals |
| CARTWRIGHT | 1 | - | - |
| McNEIL | 7 | 4 | 3 |
| CARRODUS | 9 | - | 3 |
| FOX | 9 | - | 3 |
| EDWARDS | 9 | 1 | 3 |
| VINTER | 8 | 1 | 3 |
| BUXTON | 1 (1) | - | (1) |
| HUNT | 5 (2) | 1 | 1 (1) |
| RONSON | 1 (1) | - | - |

Figures in parenthesis denote substitute appearances.

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| | P | W | D | L | F | A | Pts. |
|------------------|----|---|---|---|----|----|------|
| LUTON TOWN | 10 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 25 | 11 | 22 |
| WATFORD | 10 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 16 | 10 | 22 |
| OLDHAM ATH. | 10 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 16 | 10 | 19 |
| SHEFFIELD WED. | 10 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 11 | 9 | 19 |
| CHARLTON ATH. | 10 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 15 | 11 | 17 |
| CHELSEA | 10 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 14 | 10 | 17 |
| QUEENS PARK R. | 10 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 15 | 11 | 16 |
| LEICESTER CITY | 10 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 14 | 10 | 16 |
| CRYSTAL PALACE | 10 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 10 | 7 | 16 |
| BLACKBURN ROVERS | 10 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 11 | 11 | 16 |
| NORWICH CITY | 10 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 14 | 16 | 16 |
| NEWCASTLE UTD. | 10 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 12 | 8 | 15 |
| SHREWSBURY TOWN | 10 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 12 | 14 | 14 |
| BARNLEY | 10 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 13 | 10 | 13 |
| GRIMSBY TOWN | 10 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 12 | 18 | 13 |
| CAMBRIDGE UTD. | 10 | 4 | 0 | 6 | 11 | 12 | 12 |
| DERBY COUNTY | 10 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 13 | 18 | 11 |
| ROTHERHAM UTD. | 10 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 11 | 15 | 10 |
| CARDIFF CITY | 9 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 11 | 17 | 10 |
| WREXHAM | 9 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 7 | 11 | 7 |
| BOLTON WANDERERS | 10 | 2 | 0 | 8 | 6 | 18 | 6 |
| ORIENT | 10 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 4 | 16 | 5 |

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- 12.



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3. Mark Aizlewood
4. Brian Horton
5. Mike Saxby
6. Mal Donaghy
7. Ricky Hill
8. Steve White
9. Brian Stein
10. Lil Fucchillo
11. David Moss
- 12.

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ATTENDANCE

SCORERS:

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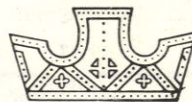
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