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THIS afternoon we are delighted to welcome you all back to White Hart Lane for the opening game of the 1989-90 season. Welcome also to Luton Town as we look forward to an entertaining encounter.

At this stage of the season, optimism will be high at both clubs - as it will be at clubs of all levels throughout the country. A good start can make all the difference at the opening of a new campaign and that ambition will be uppermost in the minds of the players today.

EAST STAND

The East Stand development is nearing completion just four months after we played our last home match against Everton in April.

Indeed we had hoped that we would have been allowed to make use of it today, but the Authorities have insisted that it must be totally complete before it can be occupied. Safety is of paramount importance and the works being undertaken are bringing it fully in line with the Safety of Sports Ground Act 1975 and the recent recommendations laid down by the Taylor report.

Bearing in mind the West Stand took nearly 18 months to build we feel sure that supporters will appreciate that the Club is doing all in its power to keep any inconvenience to a minimum.

Plans are currently being prepared for the North Stand and it is hoped that this will be rebuilt in the course of the next few years, followed by the South Stand when we will by then have fully rebuilt White Hart Lane and made it a stadium for all supporters to be proud of and the best in London.

On the playing front, we have enjoyed a testing pre-season build-up with games in this country, Scotland, Norway and Spain. Full details of our games can be found on page 30 of this programme, and as we prepare for the big kick-off, our thoughts turn to Nayim and Chris Hughton whose respective injuries at Ibrox have upset their own personal ambitions for the campaign at a crucial time. We wish both well.

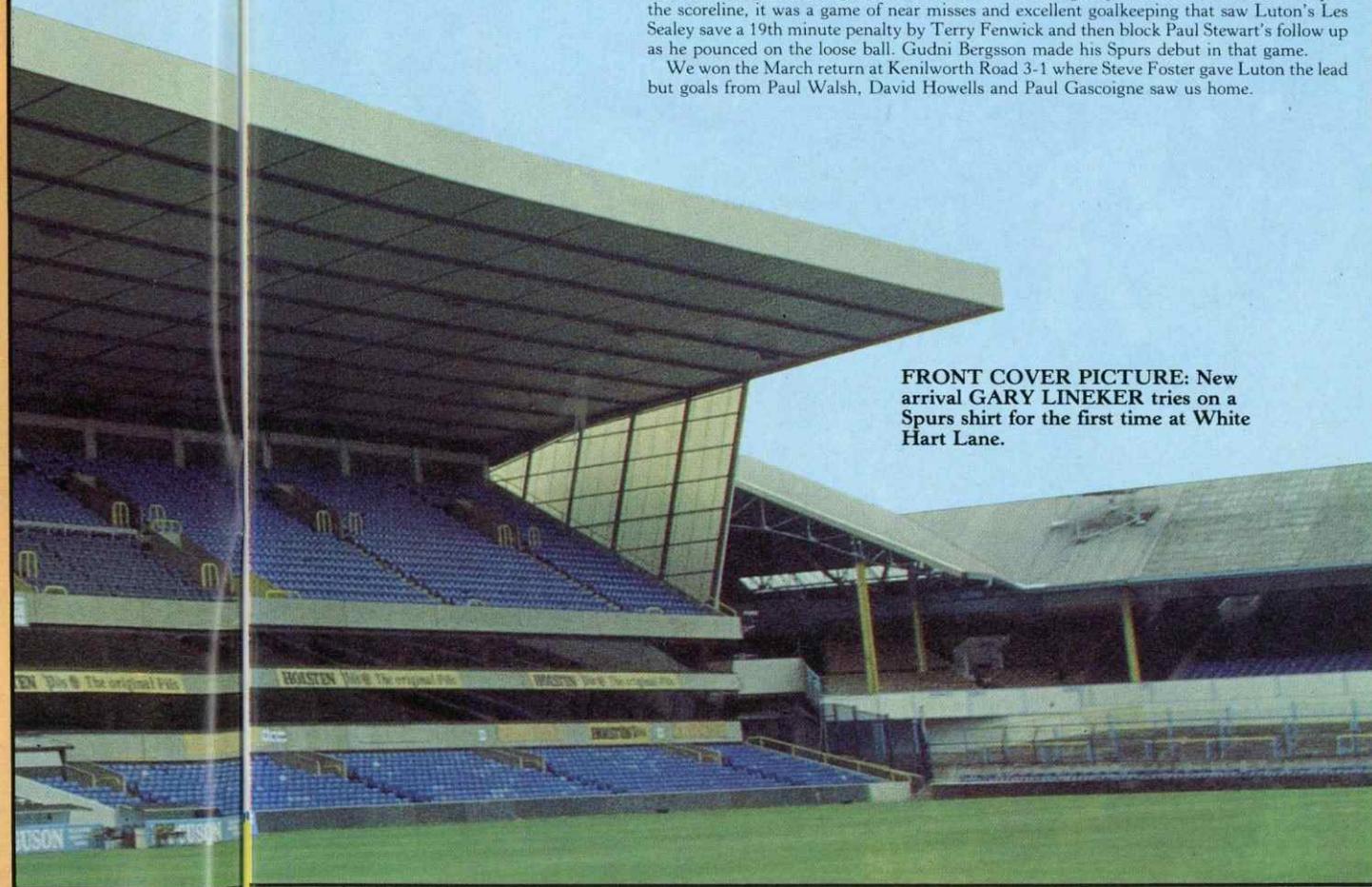
This is the first opportunity we have had to officially welcome summer signings Gary Lineker and Steve Sedgley to the Club. Gary, signed from Barcelona in a deal that saw Nayim complete his permanent transfer here, is featured in our 'Special Report' section on page seven while Steve, who joined us from Coventry City and is pictured in the centre of this programme, will be included in our next issue. We wish both the best of luck in our colours.

EXCELLENT

Last season's game here against Luton Town - on Boxing Day - ended in a 0-0 draw. Despite the scoreline, it was a game of near misses and excellent goalkeeping that saw Luton's Les Sealey save a 19th minute penalty by Terry Fenwick and then block Paul Stewart's follow up as he pounced on the loose ball. Gudni Bergsson made his Spurs debut in that game.

We won the March return at Kenilworth Road 3-1 where Steve Foster gave Luton the lead but goals from Paul Walsh, David Howells and Paul Gascoigne saw us home.

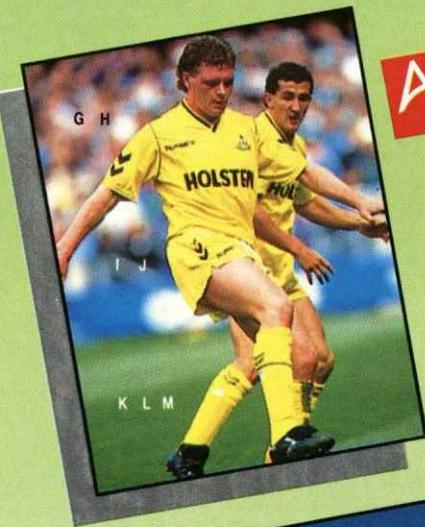
FRONT COVER PICTURE: New arrival GARY LINEKER tries on a Spurs shirt for the first time at White Hart Lane.



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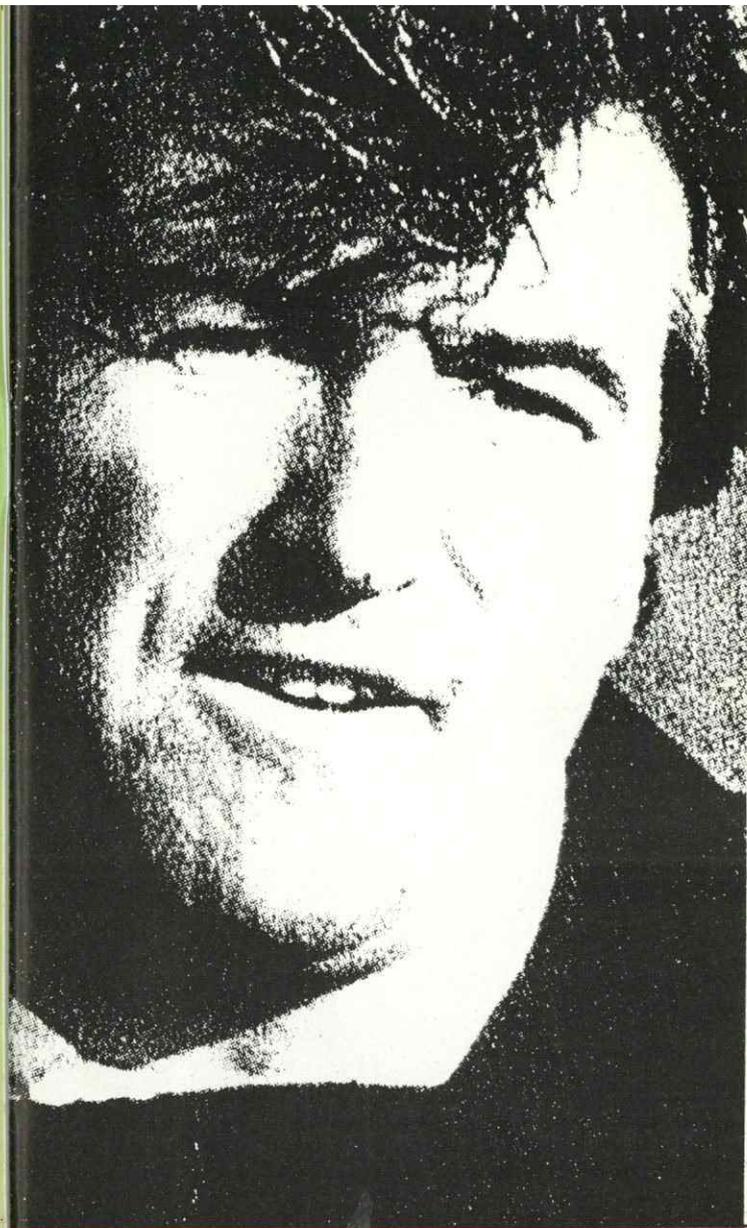


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TERRY VENABLES

Terry Venables

WELCOME to a new season at White Hart Lane. It's a season that promises a good deal for us and one that is eagerly anticipated by all the players.

I am particularly delighted to welcome new arrivals Gary Lineker and Steve Sedgley. Both are proven performers at the highest level and the pair will add an extra dimension to what we are trying to achieve.

Gary, England's current centre-forward, was with me at Barcelona and I am very pleased to work with him again. When I heard that he was available, and keen to move to Tottenham, I was ready to do anything to ensure that his wish - greatly shared by me - became a reality.

We also signed Nayim on a permanent contract as part of that deal and that too was a major boost. He showed during his loan period with us last season that he can live with the best in the First Division and it is marvellous now to have him here full-time.

Despite untimely injuries to the squad, our pre-season preparations have gone well and the response of the players has been very encouraging. We now have keen competition for places all over the field and everyone has worked hard since our return to training mid-way through July.

Steve Sedgley has grafted as well as anyone else and, with his extra defensive awareness, can perform a crucial role in midfield for us alongside the new slimline Paul Gascoigne. Gazza has returned to action in tremendous physical shape and like Paul Stewart, Erik Thorstvedt, Gudni Bergsson and Nayim, will be even better this time as he faces his second season at the Lane.

Our aim this afternoon and in the following weeks and months, must be to pick up where we left off last season. It was unfortunate that we ended the campaign with a defeat at Queens Park Rangers, but our form before that was real Championship stuff.

Having struggled early on and left sitting on the bottom of the table, we discovered our true form and made a remarkable climb that saw us finish with a run of just two defeats in our last 15 games. We showed that we could do it then and there is no reason why we should not do so again.

We must believe in ourselves because we have all the qualities that we need. I am looking for a win today on the back of a good performance.

It is good to have Luton Town here today because they too enjoy playing good football and will play their part in an entertaining game.

In closing, I am sure that all supporters will join with me in wishing Chris Waddle all the best in French football. We will miss him.

The White Hart Lane atmosphere will be different today because the East Stand will not be in use. But I can assure you that the new structure will be well worth waiting for - a stand we can all take great pride in. So get behind the lads and cheer them to victory.

THE fact that manager Terry Venables has now twice signed striker Gary Lineker illustrates the high regard in which he holds the England man. And that respect is mutual.

Indeed, Gary surprised the massed press conference that greeted his arrival at White Hart Lane by announcing that he had made the first moves in the subsequent transfer negotiations that took him to Tottenham.

'Although Terry and I remained friends and dined together in Barcelona and London, we had never spoken on that particular subject because it was never really an issue,' says Gary. 'But then when things moved on I got in touch with him.'

TREMENDOUS COACH

'I suppose that was unusual, and it doesn't happen in England so much, but it was a bit different when it became obvious that Barcelona didn't want me there,' he continues.

'I had worked with Terry at Nou Camp for a year - he actually took me there. He is a tremendous coach and was one of the major reasons for me coming back. We all like to work for a coach that we really respect and one that we have worked with before.'

'In fact everything seemed right with Spurs. Naturally, when I was considering my future, I felt that it had to be a big club, and that is certainly the case. But all the circumstances seemed right here and I was delighted to sign. I'm convinced that we are on the brink of something and I'm hoping that there are special times ahead.'

Gary's tremendous experience with England, Leicester City, Everton and Barcelona will certainly stand him in good stead during the months ahead. And, now completely over the effects of last year's attack of hepatitis, he is determined to quickly get down to the business he knows best - scoring goals.

'Obviously I know what to expect in the First Division but it may take me a little time to adapt to the pace again because the game, in general, is faster over here,' he agrees. 'After being in limbo in Barcelona I can't wait to get going again.'

Gary, whose season in Spain stretched into the summer break being enjoyed by his new Spurs team mates, looked sharp and confident during his build-up to the big kick-off and wants to keep it that way right up to the World Cup Finals in Italy.

'The World Cup certainly played a part in my returning home,' says Gary. 'It is a very special competition and I felt that I had to make sure, as positively as I could, that things went as well as possible for me this season. Moving to Tottenham was ideal in that respect.'

'I'm not going to say that we will win the Championship but there are many quality players here and we will be doing our best. Naturally it would be fantastic if we could, particularly after going so close with Barcelona and Everton.'

DOUBLE DEAL

Nayim, on loan from Barcelona last year, also became a permanent Spurs player in a double deal worked out by Terry with his former club.

Fact file: Gary Lineker was born in Leicester and became a professional with Leicester City in December 1978. He made his debut a year later and then joined Everton in June 1985. He spent one season at Goodison Park followed by three with Barcelona.

He won a Spanish Cup winners' medal in 1988 and last season helped Barcelona lift the European Cup Winners' Cup. He has scored 29 goals in 42 full internationals for England and finished top scorer in the 1986 Mexico World Cup with six goals. He was named Footballer of the Year and Player of the Year in 1986.



by JOHN FENNELLY

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Dear Supporter,

The club has given me an opportunity to speak to you through this programme and I hope now, and in the future, to give you an insight into the problems we face and the methods we use to try and solve them.

The tragic events of last season are still etched in all our memories, and I will start by giving you my utmost assurance that your safety is, and always will be, my highest priority. Many recommendations have been made by Lord Justice Taylor and the Metropolitan Police have recognised all of them. We will be looking to adopt them as a matter of urgency.

Over the last couple of seasons, the fences around the pitch have gradually been removed and this season you will notice that the last remaining fence on the south terrace has also been taken down. We have been able to do this largely through the cooperation of supporters who have benefited by having an improved view of the game. The last thing anyone wants however, is fans running on to the pitch spoiling the enjoyment of others.

Over the last season, apart from a few unfortunate incidents, I have noticed a decline in hooligan behaviour. I recognise that this has always been caused by a small minority, and I know that most of you deplore these actions as much as my officers and I.

I will however, indicate to that minority that disorderly behaviour in any part of the stadium will not be tolerated. Threatening words or gestures, obscene or offensive language are not acceptable in a place to which we are hoping that families and children are coming to enjoy themselves. My officers will deal with such behaviour firmly and without hesitation. As will the local Magistrates, who have been invited by Police and the Club to impose extensive Exclusion Orders of up to two years IN ADDITION to the fine and periods of imprisonment in appropriate cases.

I know sometimes that on the terraces it can get very crowded, particularly during the important matches. I know at times that for these supporters it can become very uncomfortable. You will be pleased to hear that we will be reducing the capacity of these areas from the start of the season. I will also have officers in front of every terraced area looking at any problems which are occurring. You can rest assured that we will deal immediately with any situation which is causing distress to the supporters.

I hope that my comments will become a regular, but not too lengthy feature in the programme and I continue to welcome your own observations.

I wish all of you an enjoyable season and whilst you may never see me openly cheering when Spurs score a goal, I also wish the Club itself a successful one!

Dick STACEY
Chief Superintendent – Tottenham Division, Metropolitan Police.



ITALY are one of the great soccer nations.

Three times the national team have won the World Cup and they were semi-finalists in last year's European Championship.

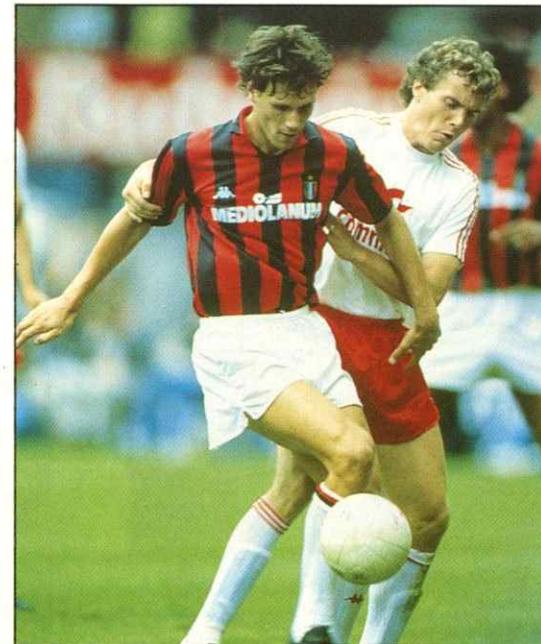
Italian clubs reached the finals of all three European competitions last season and two of them emerged victorious - Ruud Gullit's Milan in the Champions' Cup and Diego Maradona's Napoli in the UEFA Cup.

With all this in their favour, Italy might be expected to find organising the World Cup a simple task. But Scotland and England's fans, players and officials may be disturbed to learn that all is not well.

The fact that Italy have played hosts once before is no guarantee. That was way back in 1934, in the days when football was a very different game - back in the days of Benito Mussolini.

One of the few successes with which the pre-war dictator is now credited, was to make Italian trains run on time. But his influence was also felt in Italy's organisation and victory at the 1934 World Cup.

Before the finals Mussolini summoned General Vaccaro, who was president of the Italian National Olympic Committee, and said: 'General, Italy must win the World Cup.'



Vaccaro replied: 'Of course, Duce, our players will do their very best for the country.'

Mussolini interrupted: 'General, I don't think you quite understand me. I said: Italy MUST win the World Cup...'

Italy do not need another Mussolini. But many of the officials preparing for the 1990 World Cup finals next summer wish there was one politician who could carry a job through effectively.

Consider this catalogue of chaos:

Turin's city council have been told that unless work on the new stadium there is accelerated, Turin - home of Juventus - will be dropped from the list of venues; a fraud inquiry is under way in Rome over the way tenders were sought and allocated for redevelopment work on the Stadio Olimpico which is due to stage the Final; only a thinly-veiled threat from FIFA forced a start to work on a new television centre in Rome; the Napoli city council has resigned *en bloc* in a political row over work on the San Paolo stadium, which will be 'home' to holders Argentina.

And, above all that, are fears of crowd violence and hooliganism when Italy is swarming with foreign fans between June 8 and July 8 next year.

Trying to keep the lid on this explosive mixture is no easy matter. The Spanish organising supremo in 1982, Raimundo Saporta had a nervous breakdown. And this was a man who had helped build Real Madrid into one of the world's top clubs.

Heading up the Italia 90 organisation is Luca di Montezemolo. He is, perhaps, more important to the success of the World Cup than Italy's football manager, Azeglio Vicini.

Montezemolo is the blue-eyed boy of Fiat's millionaire president, Gianni Agnelli. He earned his sports management spurs with no less an outfit than the Ferrari racing car set up which falls, like the Juventus football club, under the watchful eye of Agnelli within the Fiat empire.

That's why Italy's soccer fans have faith. The first batch of tickets have long since been put on sale in Italy - and sold out in two days.

The tifosi obviously believe all problems to be minor. After all, if Argentina, Spain and Mexico could stage World Cups despite the assorted threats of urban terrorism, uncontrollable political in-fighting and an earthquake, there seems no reason to doubt Italy's potential.

Potential is not enough. But then, as Argentina in 1978 and Mexico to a lesser extent in 1986, proved, success out on the pitch can make an awful lot of difference to the way the logistical organisation runs.

The weight of this dual responsibility falls upon the shoulders of Gianluca Vialli, a youngster from Sampdoria of Genoa. If Vialli scores the goals Italy demands and the hosts win the World Cup for a record fourth time, then he can expect a £10 million, world record-breaking transfer to Juventus or Milan.

That is a measure of the sort of money available in Italian football.

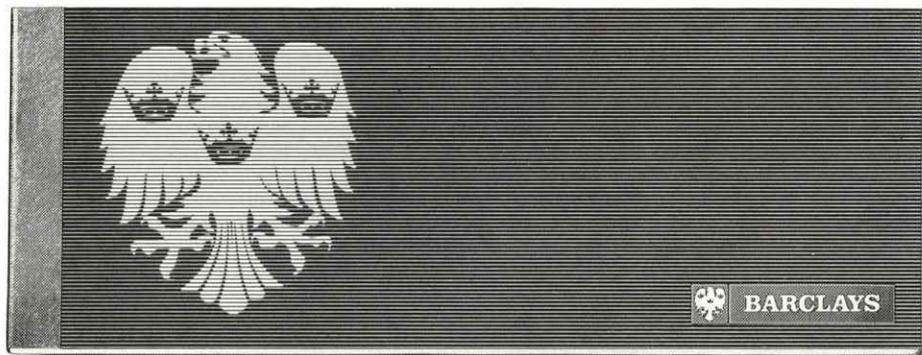
The Agnelli family have run Juventus as a personal plaything since the 1920s; Silvio Berlusconi, the television magnate, spent £20 million turning Milan into European champions (by paying off the club's debts and then signing Holland's Ruud Gullit, Marco Van Basten and Frank Rijkaard); Ernesto Pellegrini, president of Italian champions Internazionale, is a pasta millionaire; Sampdoria's Paolo Mantovani made his fortune with an oil tanker fleet after the Six Day War in the Middle East.

These are all football men who play to win. It's a pity none of them is seriously involved with the World Cup.

By Keir Radnedge



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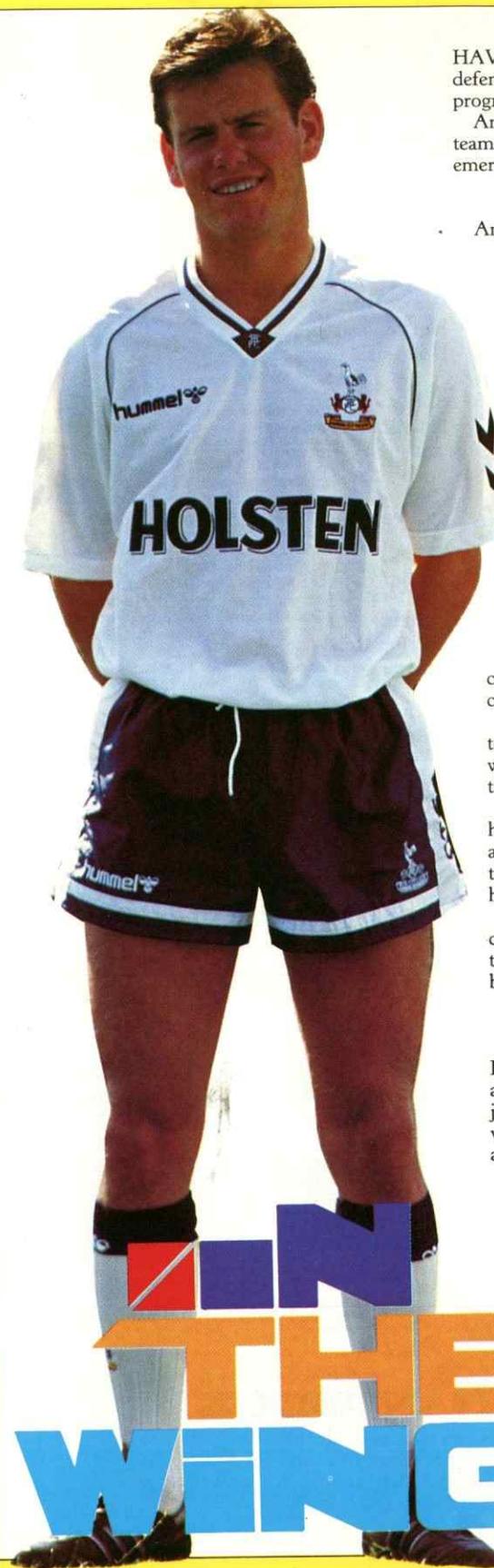
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HAVING finished last season in promising fashion, young defender Andy Polston was so determined to maintain his progress that he trained alone during the summer.

And the fact that he played a consistent part in our first team pre-season arrangements, suggests a sustained emergence by the 19-year-old.

INCLUDED

Andy, whose brother John (21) has already enjoyed his League debut at White Hart Lane, has risen from trainee status to the senior shadows. He was non-playing substitute at West Ham United in December having been included in our Littlewoods Cup squad for the trip to Blackburn Rovers a month earlier.

He played the last 25 minutes of our March friendly with Bordeaux and, in July, joined the first team trip to Ireland where he made substitute appearances against Bohemians and Cork City. Each time he has played right-back and started there again against Brann but then played the second-half at centre-back.

Andy and young central defender Ian Hendon had flown out to join the squad in Stavanger after Nayim and Chris Hughton were injured against Rangers in Glasgow. They stayed with the squad for the subsequent journey to Spain where his graduation

continued with a substitute appearance against host club Atletico Madrid.

'Now I've got to keep it going because my ambition is to make my debut and that will only come if I'm playing well,' says Walthamstow-born Andy. 'The competition is certainly tough here.'

'I accept that I will go back into the Reserves but hopefully I can do well, break through into the squad and go on from there,' he continues. 'My aim is simply to concentrate on my game because the rest is out of my hands.'

'I have to show that I can do the job and I have been comfortable in the games I have played so far. I accept that friendly games are nothing like the First Division but I have been happy with the way I have coped.'

FITTER

'The other lads have helped me a lot, particularly Paul Gascoigne. They have all had time to advise me and I appreciate that because it can be daunting just joining the squad, never mind playing games. In fact, I wouldn't say that I feel part of it when we travel but I am settling in.'

Meanwhile Andy, who became engaged to Joanne in the summer, has returned to training fitter than ever in his quest to make this his breakthrough season.

'I trained quite hard and spent about two weeks running and going over the park with a ball. It will be well worth while if it adds to my performance in any way.'

JOHN FENNELLY

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AWAY DAY TICKET DETAILS

Fixture	Seats	Terrace	Rail	Coach
Everton	£6.30	£3.80 - Park End	-	£12
Manchester City	£5 on day of game only	N/A	£17	-
Aston Villa	£9	£6 - Witton Lane	£11	-
Norwich City	£9	£5 - Barclay Terrace	-	-
Charlton Athletic	£9	£5 - Holmsdale Terrace	-	-
Liverpool	£7.50/£7	N/A	£15*	-
Southampton	£10	£5 - Archers Road	-	-
Crystal Palace	£12	£7 - Holmsdale Terrace	-	-
Manchester United	£7.20	£4 in advance; £4.50 on day†	£16	-
Coventry City	£9.50	£6 - Swan Lane	£11*	-
Arsenal	£7	£5 - Clock End	-	-
Chelsea	N/A	£6 - North Terrace	-	-
Derby County	£10	£5 - Osmaston Terrace	£12	-
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Sheffield Wednesday	£7.50	£4 - if terraces open	£13.50	-
Nottingham Forest	£8/£8.50	£5 - Bridgford End	£12	-
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Wimbledon	£9	£6 - Wandle End	-	-

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* Denotes that this price does not include bus transfer to and from ground.

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By MIKE ROLLO
COMMERCIAL
MANAGER

COMMERCIAL NEWS

It certainly has been a busy summer in the Spurs Commercial Office and we would like to take this opportunity to welcome back our valued West Stand Executive Boxholders and Centenary Club members.

Newcomers in our West Stand Executive Boxes this season are Pritchett Contractors, Dawe Group, Ivanco Group Holdings, British Aerospace and Amcor Packaging. A warm welcome to all their guests.

HOLSTEN

The Club's main sponsors Holsten Distributors commence their new three year association with Tottenham Hotspur today. It certainly is one of the most successful sponsorships in football and we look forward to greeting their guests this season.

NEW SUITES

As mentioned already in today's match programme, our East Stand is well on the way to completion. In the meantime we are entertaining our new East Stand Executive Suiteholders in the Bill Nicholson Suite for today's match. So it's a Tottenham Hotspur welcome to: Henry Jaffe Ltd, Mitie Cleaning, BASF, National Westminster Bank, Contract Clean Ltd, Initial Contract Services, Midland Bank, Jacobson Townsley, Walsham Brothers & Co Ltd, Parceline, Oakwood Plant, Blythe Group Holdings, Delta Crompton Cables and StatOil.

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MATCH SPONSORS

Two companies who took 10 half-match sponsorships each last season return today to sponsor our first match of season 1989/90. Directa (UK) Ltd and Enfield & St Albans Co-op have certainly become familiar names with Spurs supporters and we welcome all their guests to today's game.

HOTSPUR CLUB

A new responsibility this season for the Spurs Commercial Office is the running of the Hotspur Club based in the Chanticleer Restaurant, Paxton Road. Membership of the Hotspur Club includes exclusive use of the Chanticleer Restaurant and Bar before and after each home match. If you wish to become a Hotspur Club member please ring us on 01-808 0281.

SPURSLINE

On Friday, July 31 Spursline received its one millionth call. This popular telephone programme produced direct from White Hart Lane and broadcast 24 hours a day, seven days a week commenced in December, 1986 and since then has endeavoured to give all the news and more from the club you adore. This season the Spursline team of presenters including John Motson and myself has a new member. Nick Callow will be broadcasting up-dates during each of our home and away matches this season so if you cannot attend any of this season's matches give Spursline a call during the course of the game and you'll get an instant score-flash. Remember the number 0898 100 500. Join John Motson on Spursline after today's match to hear interviews after the final whistle.



SPURS ROADSHOW

I hope that you are one of the many thousands of supporters who have enjoyed the Spurs Roadshow during this summer. We have attended 26 events so far. Panini Football Stickers are not only sponsors of our Family Enclosure but also the Spurs Roadshow.

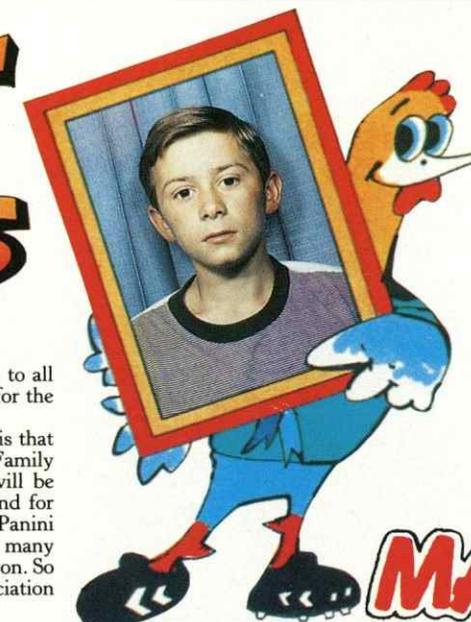
Tomorrow (Sunday) the Roadshow is at the Southgate Show, Broomfield Park, Palmers Green from 2 until 6pm. Hope to see many of you then.



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Our mascot for today's match with Luton Town is 13-year-old Stephen Hope from Stockport in Cheshire. Stephen attends Reddish Vale School and his hobbies include football, swimming and most sports. He plays football for the Reddish Vulcans Under-14 team and his favourite player is Paul Gascoigne.

MASCOT

A warm welcome back to White Hart Lane to all Spurs Members and Junior Spurs members for the start of the new season.

Great news for all Junior Spurs members is that Panini Football Stickers are sponsors to our Family Enclosure in the Members Stand. Panini will be providing a swap shop in the Members Stand for youngsters to exchange stickers for their Panini Football '90 album. There will also be many competitions to enter and great prizes to be won. So it all adds up to a super Spurs and Panini association this season. Watch this space!



**STEVE
SEDGLEY**

VISITORS

by
LESLIE YATES



THE MANAGER

RAY HARFORD has been manager of Luton Town since June, 1987, when he was offered the post vacated by John Moore.

Events have proved that Ray was a good choice for the post. A Yorkshireman from Halifax, he had served Luton as coach and therefore had an intimate knowledge of the players in his charge. It was this knowledge that made his task as manager that much easier than it might otherwise have been.

A man of several clubs as a player, his varied experience in the lower reaches of the League had given him a close insight into the ways and attitudes of players.

A half-back, he played for Charlton Athletic, Exeter City, Lincoln City, Mansfield Town, Port Vale and Colchester United.

Later he became coach to Colchester and then filled the same post for Fulham under the managerial hand of Malcolm Macdonald. That was the final step towards the managerial job he later filled at Craven Cottage.

ALEC CHAMBERLAIN (Goalkeeper). Transferred from Everton to Luton in July, 1988, he was born at March in Cambridgeshire and first appeared in senior football with the Ramsey Town club. After an early spell on the books of Ipswich Town, he moved to Colchester United and made his League debut at home for the Essex club to Hartlepool in January, 1983. After 184 League games for Colchester, he was transferred to Everton.

LES SEALEY (Goalkeeper). Luton signed him from Coventry City in August, 1983. He's a Londoner from Bethnal Green and a cousin of Alan Sealey, the former West Ham United winger. Les developed through the apprentice ranks at Coventry and made his League debut away to Queens Park Rangers in April, 1977. Back in season 1984-85 he played six League matches on loan to Plymouth Argyle.

MARVIN JOHNSON (Defender). Made his League debut for Luton in 1987-88, he's a product of the apprentice ranks at Kenilworth Road, who was upgraded to full professional rank in November, 1986. His birthplace was Wembley.

TIM BREACKER (Defender). Comes from Bicester and is a product of Luton's apprentice ranks having been a full professional with them since August, 1982. He made his League debut away to Ipswich Town in March, 1984 and is an England Under-21 international.

JOHN DREYER (Defender). Comes from Alnwick on the Northumberland coast, and joined Luton from Oxford United in June, 1987. Previously he had played for Wallingford Town. He's been a full professional since January, 1985.

GRAHAM RODGER (Defender). A newcomer to Luton this season, having been transferred from Coventry City

in July. He was born in Glasgow but developed as a junior with Wolverhampton Wanderers. Played one senior game for Wolves before making the switch from Molineux to Highfield Road and at 18 made his League debut for Coventry at home to Liverpool in November, 1985. He's an England Under-21 player.

DAVID BEAUMONT (Midfield). Transferred from Dundee United to Luton last January, and has quickly made his mark at Kenilworth Road. Signed his first forms for Dundee United in 1980, having previously played for a minor team in Kirkcaldy. A Scottish Under-21 player he has quickly adapted his play to English requirements.

ROB JOHNSON (Midfield). He was drafted into Luton's League team four seasons ago and has since acquitted himself well. He was born at neighbouring Bedford and can therefore be classed as a local discovery. He was signed as a full professional in August, 1985.

DANNY WILSON (Midfield). Joined Luton from Brighton and Hove Albion in July, 1987. He's a well-travelled player with a wealth of experience acquired in the service of a number of clubs. He was born in Wigan and started his career with Bury, for whom he made 90 League appearances before signing for Chesterfield. After moving to Nottingham Forest from Chesterfield and making 10 League appearances for the former club, he signed for Brighton. Was on loan to Scunthorpe United. He's a full Northern Ireland international.

DAVID PREECE (Midfield). Born at Bridgnorth and established himself as a League player with Walsall. Developed through the apprentice ranks at Walsall, making 111 League appearances for the Staffordshire club before signing for Luton in December, 1984.

DARRON McDONOUGH (Midfield). Started with Oldham Athletic as an apprentice and went on to make 183 League appearances for the northern club before moving south to Luton. Born in Antwerp.

KINGSLEY BLACK (Forward). A 21-year-old who was born in Luton and joined Town straight from school. He's been a full professional with Luton since July, 1986 and was introduced to League football in season 1987-88. Made a successful international debut with Northern Ireland against France in April, 1986. He was an established reserve team player while still a pupil at Luton Sixth Form College.

MICK HARFORD (Forward). A full England international who joined Luton from Birmingham City in December, 1984. He had joined Birmingham from Bristol City in an unusual 'three-club' deal just before the deadline for transfers in March, 1982. He had signed for the Bristol club from Newcastle United in August, 1981, and it was necessary for him to be registered again with the Tyne-siders before the transfer to Birmingham could be completed. A native of Sunderland, he started his League career with Lincoln City.

ROY WEGERLE (Forward). Joined Luton from Chelsea in July, 1988. He was born in South Africa and, before Chelsea, was with Tampa Bay Rowdies in the United States. Scored 12 League and cup goals for Luton last season and in the previous campaign made seven League appearances for Swindon Town on loan from Chelsea.

RAPHAEL MEADE (Forward). Transferred to Luton Town from Dundee United last March. Born in Islington and well known in North London for his past service with Arsenal. Has also played for Sporting Lisbon.

IAIN DOWIE (Forward). Luton paid a substantial transfer fee to Hendon, the Vauxhall Opel League club, for his services just before Christmas last year.

RICHARD COOKE (Forward). He's the former Spurs player who was transferred to Luton from Bournemouth close to the transfer deadline last March. He had started his League career with Spurs but left White Hart Lane for Bournemouth in January, 1987. In his time with Spurs, he obtained English Youth honours and also played for the England Under-21s. He was born in Islington but lived here in Tottenham before his family moved to Enfield. He achieved a lot of success in schoolboy football, playing for the Enfield, Middlesex and London Boys' teams. As a youngster, he trained for a time with Fulham and also attracted the attention of Chelsea, Brentford, Arsenal and Norwich.

Back Row: Richard Cooke, Mick O'Brien, Julian James, Marvin Johnson, Richard Harvey, Raphael Meade, Kingsley Black, Paul Gray.
Middle Row: Terry Mancini (Assistant Manager), Jim Ryan (Coach), Darron McDonough, Iain Dowie, Graham Rodger, Les Sealey, Alec Chamberlain, Mick Harford, David Beaumont, John Dreyer, John Faulkner (Coach), Dave Galley (Physiotherapist).
Front Row: David Preece, Rob Johnson, Danny Wilson (Captain), Ray Harford (Manager), Roy Wegerle, Tim Breacker, Steve Williams.



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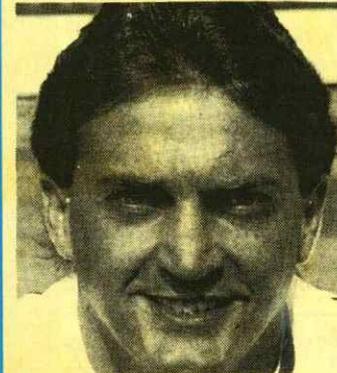
TIMES PAST

By Andy Porter

TODAY we embark on our 71st season of Football League action with Luton Town providing the opposition on the campaign's opening day for the second time.

Luton's previous opening day visit was as recently as August 28, 1982 when the two sides entertained a 39,180 crowd with a 2-2 draw.

Gary Mabbutt and Mike Hazard gave us a 2-0 lead which a John Lacy own goal and Brian Stein strike cancelled out. Mabbutt was making his First Division debut in that fixture as was present day Spur Paul Walsh for Luton.



Gary Mabbutt... Debut.

THE two teams for last season's fixture here on Boxing Day were: Tottenham: Mimms, Butters, Thomas, Fenwick, Bergsson, Mabbutt, Walsh (Moran 81), Gascoigne (Samways 46), Waddle, Stewart, Allen. Luton: Sealey, Johnson R, Harvey, Preece, Foster, Johnson M, Wilson, Wegerle, Harford, Hill, Oldfield. Subs (not used): Breacker, Dreyer.

OPENING our League season with a home fixture has been a rare occurrence in recent years with just two of our last eight seasons incepting at White Hart Lane; versus Watford in 1985 and Luton in 1982.

Overall, however, the fixture computer has been kind to Tottenham giving us 37 home matches as opposed to 33 on opponents grounds.

Spurs biggest win and heaviest defeat on the opening day were separated by 12 months. On August 30, 1930, Reading were beaten 7-1 here with Ted Harper netting five and Billy Cook and Jimmy Dimmock providing one apiece. A year later - on August 29, 1931 - a visit to Wolverhampton Wanderers resulted in a 0-4 defeat.

HARRY Stansfield appeared for both clubs during their Southern League days.

Born at Manchester on July 21, 1878, his career started at Berry's, continued at Preston North End and came to prominence with Stockport County.

Signed for Tottenham when the Cheshire club failed to gain re-election to Division Two in May, 1904, his nine goals in 48 Southern League appearances at outside right reflected his value to the team from the flank.

Following his move to Luton in July, 1908, Stansfield maintained his scoring rate, netting 25 goals in 136 Southern League games during his four seasons at Kenilworth Road.

LUTON Town were on the wrong end of the best individual goalscoring feat by a Tottenham player.

Jack Rowley a regular guest player for Spurs during the last war, notched seven of our goals in an 8-1 South Regional League win over the Hatters on February 12, 1944.

An 11,468 crowd saw two other guest players net the remaining goals, Huddersfield's Pat Beasley gaining our eighth and George H Hunt of Barnsley netting the visitors lone reply.

Rowley and Beasley both won full caps for England and in the 1950s and '60s each turned to management, Rowley with Plymouth Argyle, Oldham Athletic (two spells), Ajax Amsterdam, Wrexham and Bradford Park Avenue and Beasley with Bristol City, Birmingham City and Dover.



Jack Rowley... Guest.

THE LAST TEN

29.09.84	Div 1	H	30,204	W	4-2
02.02.85	Div 1	A	17,511	D	2-2
09.11.85	Div 1	H	19,163	L	1-3
12.04.86	Div 1	A	13,141	D	1-1
04.10.86	Div 1	H	22,738	D	0-0
28.03.87	Div 1	A	13,447	L	1-3
21.11.87	Div 1	A	10,091	L	0-2
04.05.88	Div 1	H	15,437	W	2-1
26.12.88	Div 1	H	27,337	D	0-0
28.03.89	Div 1	A	11,146	W	3-1

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TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR and Luton Town are two of Britain's most attractive attacking outfits. Paul Price had the job of defending against both these attacks, during three seasons here, and 10 at Kenilworth Road.

Paul made over 200 appearances for Luton and captained the side before joining Tottenham for £250,000 in August 1981. In May 1980, he made a spectacular debut for Wales in their 4-1 victory over England. A year after joining us, he was made captain of Wales, on his 28th birthday, and went on to win 25 caps.

'Spurs play skilful football and prefer a nice open game. Whenever I played against Tottenham for Luton, I knew it wouldn't be a defensive battle,' says Paul.

Paul, now 35, made 39 appearances for Tottenham, breaking into the defensive line up when Graham Roberts picked up an injury. He formed part of a defence which conceded only five goals in 10 games.

Paul only played once against Luton whilst at Spurs, injury keeping him out of the team, but he remembers the game well.

'It was in my second season at Tottenham and we beat them 1-0 in the Milk Cup at White Hart Lane. It sort of made up for missing the other matches,' says Paul.

Injuries did not prevent Paul from playing a major part in Tottenham's challenge for four titles in 1982.

'That season was the highlight of my career,' says Paul. 'We finished fourth in the League, runners-up in the League Cup and reached the semi-final of the European Cup Winners' Cup, but the best was beating Queens Park Rangers in the FA Cup Final at Wembley.'

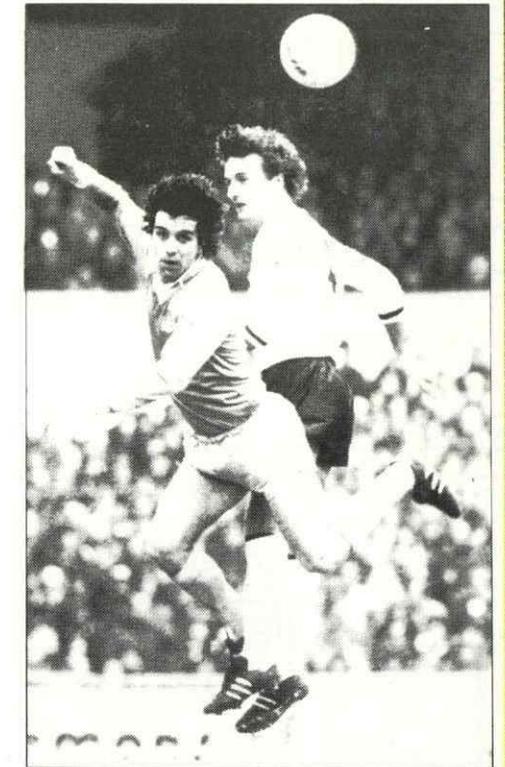
Paul enjoyed his time at both clubs, but says there was a big difference between them. 'In those days Luton lived on a shoestring. Without the money to buy big players we had to have a good team spirit. When I came to Tottenham it was like a different world; international players, big crowds and big matches.'

Since then, Paul had a couple of seasons at Swansea but now plays for Vauxhall Opel League side, Withenhoe Town, near his home in Luton. 'John Lacy, who was with

me at Spurs, plays for us. Last season we finished fourth, just missing promotion to the Premier League.'

In the summer Paul has been coaching youngsters with former Spurs winger Tony Galvin and Arsenal's Brian Marwood, at a Soccer School. 'It's good fun, but hard work too. You lose your voice shouting at kids all day,' says Paul.

He thinks that the key to Tottenham's success this season lies in the opening 10 games: 'If you can get a good first 10 games



Paul Price in Spurs action against Manchester City's Kevin Reeves.

and still be within three or four points of the top, then you have a good chance. If you fall adrift, it's a long hard battle to catch up.

'Though Chris Waddle has left, Gary Lineker and Steve Sedgley have come in. A few early wins and Tottenham will get the continuity they need to challenge for the title.'

YESTERDAY
Once More



COMMUNITY LIAISON COMMITTEE

A Community Liaison Committee has been established to keep interested parties informed about developments at White Hart Lane.

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1988-89 will see The Football Trust increase its commitment by investing further sums in closed circuit television, transport facilities for supporters and projects to bring Football League clubs closer to their local community.

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CLOSED CIRCUIT TELEVISION

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Safety	2,254,723
Improvements	770,561

In addition to its safety programme, FGIT has also allocated £1.5 million to build or improve family and disabled facilities at League grounds during 1988

EVERTON

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SECTIONS FOR AWAY FANS: Park End terracing and stands.

5 YEARS AGO: There was plenty to celebrate for Spurs fans who travelled to Goodison Park for our opening game. After going a goal down in the 16th minute, when Adrian Heath converted a penalty for Everton, we hit back with goals from Mark Falco and Clive Allen to take a 2-1 interval lead. John Chiedo-zie increased our advantage, then Allen scored another as we ran out 4-1 winners.

Luton also opened with a win, Paul Elliott and Frankie Bunn netting in their 2-0 home win over Stoke in a First Division game.

10 YEARS AGO: After a goalless first-half, we were hit by a Middlesbrough hurricane at White Hart Lane. David Armstrong, Micky Burns and Bozo Jankovic all scored for the visitors. Though

Glenn Hoddle pulled a goal back for Spurs 15 minutes from time, the final score remained 1-3.

Luton appeared to be heading for defeat when Alan Biley gave visiting Cambridge the lead 10 minutes from the end of their Second Division game at Kenilworth Road. Only two minutes remained when Dave Moss claimed their equaliser.

20 YEARS AGO: It was a tough opener for Spurs as we travelled to face League Champions Leeds United at Elland Road. Billy Bremner, Mick Jones and Johnny Giles (penalty) all scored for United with Jimmy Greaves showing a token response for Spurs.

Luton, a Third Division club at the time, started with a 3-0 home win over Barrow, Keith Allen, John Collins and Mike Keen getting their goals.

Luton saved themselves from relegation only by winning their last match in May, a Danny Wilson penalty midway through the second-half giving them the 1-0 home win over Norwich which enabled them to escape the drop by just two points.

One of the reasons for their poor showing was a tendency to lose concentration, and concede goals, during the closing stages of their matches.

Eight of the 15 goals conceded in their closing 10 matches of last term came during the final half-an-hour.

As an attacking side, the Hatters were at their most dangerous during the 15 minutes immediately prior to the interval.

Score at:	MINS			MINS		
	15	30	HT	60	75	FT
Manchester United (a)	0-1	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2
TOTTENHAM (H)	0-0	0-0	1-0	1-1	1-1	1-3
Aston Villa (a)	0-1	1-1	1-2	1-2	1-2	1-2
Nottingham Forest (Wembley) (LCF)	0-0	0-0	1-0	1-1	1-2	1-3
COVENTRY CITY (H)	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-0	1-1	2-2
Newcastle United (a)	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
DERBY COUNTY (H)	1-0	1-0	1-0	1-0	2-0	3-0
CHARLTON ATHLETIC (H)	1-0	2-0	4-0	4-0	4-1	5-2
West Ham United (a)	0-0	0-1	0-1	0-1	0-1	0-1
NORWICH CITY (H)	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-0	1-0

No. of goals scored between:					
1-15	16-30	31-45	46-60	61-75	76-90
2	2	4	1	2	3

No. of goals conceded between:					
1-15	16-30	31-45	46-60	61-75	76-90
2	2	1	2	3	5

The artist featured in our first Memory Jerker of this new season is rightly regarded a global superstar. DIANA ROSS had almost reached that status whilst still a member of The Supremes, yet when she went solo in 1970, her first single was only a moderate success in Britain.

The next couple made the Top Ten, but then in April 1971 Radio One Disc Jockey Tony Blackburn picked up on one of her album tracks and made it his 'record of the week'. Motown released it as a single, and it went right to the very top. Incidentally, my old friend Tony is still playing lots of Diana Ross tracks on his shows on Capital Gold - 1548AM.

This afternoon's edition of the Spurs Memory Jerker, at around 2.45pm, goes back to this week 18 years ago when our visitors were Huddersfield Town. Number One in the Charts that week, according to the Guinness Book of Hit Singles, was DIANA ROSS. All the records I play at White Hart Lane are available from branches of OUR PRICE RECORDS, all over the country.



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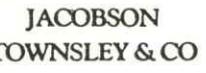


1. PAUL STEWART finds himself surrounded by Rangers players at Ibrox.
2. GARY LINEKER and former Spur Richard Gough keep their eyes firmly on the ball.
3. VINNY SAMWAYS battles with Trevor Steven, scorer of the Rangers winner.

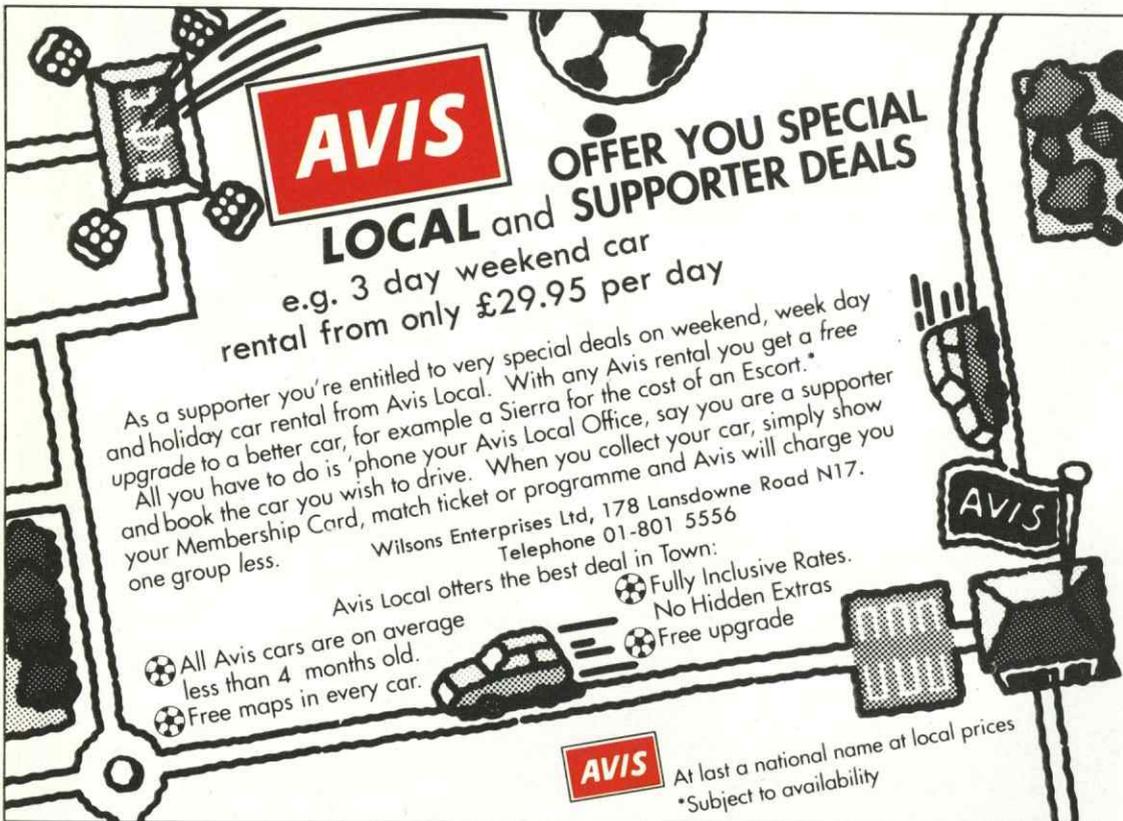


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SATURDAY
SEPTEMBER 16
Kick-off
3.00pm

our next home match



Clive Allen and Chelsea's Colin Pates in aerial action during our 1-3 defeat at White Hart Lane in September, 1986.

CHELSEA, who walked away with the Second Division Championship last season, are due at White Hart Lane on Saturday, September 16 determined to prove they can launch a serious challenge for the League Championship.

There is little doubt that Chelsea have the ability to take the title but it remains to be seen if they have the stamina to last the course. Last season they collected 99 points - an all-time record for the top two Divisions - and were beaten only once in their closing 33 League matches. They scored 109 goals in all competitions.

Chelsea, who were relegated in 1987 after losing in the play-offs, bounced back at the first attempt and all their players are seasoned First Division performers. During the summer, manager Bobby Campbell added one new senior player to his squad - West Ham's former England Under-21 international midfielder man Alan Dickens who will be helping to supply the ammunition for Chelsea's many top strikers.

Back-to-form Kerry Dixon was partnering Gordon Durie and Kevin Wilson at the end of the season. But Mr Campbell also has Australian international David Mitchell making a very strong challenge for a senior place.

Dixon, who had endured a couple of quiet campaigns

following an injury, was back to his old England form last term, leading Chelsea's scoring list with 28 goals. That included a four-goal hit against Barnsley in April.

Scotland international Durie, who scored five in one game at Walsall, contributed 17 goals whilst Wilson, one of only two players with an ever-present record last season, claimed 15.

The other Chelsea player to tot up 46 League games last season was former Spurs' man Graham Roberts, who formed such an impressive central defensive partnership with Joe McLaughlin. Roberts, signed from Glasgow Rangers in the summer of 1988, incredibly finished joint second-highest scorer with Durie! Graham scored 17 times - 13 of them from penalties.

Chelsea created a bit of club history last season by winning the Second Division Championship for the second time. Until then they had won several trophies once - the European Cup-Winners' Cup, the League Championship, the FA Cup, the League Cup and the Full Members' Cup - but had never been able to strike lucky a second time.

Having broken that particular duck, Chelsea now set out to win the League Championship for the second time. They last achieved that honour back in 1955.

Statistics

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1989-90	Opponents	Att	F	A
Aug 19	Luton Town			
22	Everton			
26	Manchester City			
Sept 9	Aston Villa			
16	Chelsea			
23	Norwich City			
30	Queens Park Rangers			
Oct 14	Charlton Athletic			
18	Arsenal			
21	Sheffield Wednesday			
29	Liverpool			
Nov 4	Southampton			
11	Wimbledon			
18	Crystal Palace (FAC.1)			
25	Derby County			
Dec 2	Luton Town			
9	Everton (FAC.2)			
16	Manchester United			
26	Millwall			
30	Nottingham Forest			
Jan 1	Coventry City			
6	FA Cup Third Round			
13	Manchester City			
20	Arsenal			
27	FA Cup Fourth Round			
10	Chelsea			
17	Aston Villa (FAC.5)			
24	Derby County			
Mar 3	Crystal Palace			
10	Charlton Athletic (FAC.6)			
17	Queens Park Rangers			
24	Liverpool			
31	Sheffield Wednesday			
April 7	Nottingham Forest (FAC.SF)			
14	Coventry City			
16	Millwall			
21	Manchester United			
28	Wimbledon			
May 5	Southampton			
12	FA Cup Final			

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PRE-SEASON LINE-UPS AND RESULTS

FIRST TEAM

SPURS 3, FULHAM 1
 July 19, 1989
 Scorers: Howells D 2, Moran
 Team: Thorstvedt (Mimms 45), Fenwick (Bergsson 45), Statham (Mabbutt 45), Butters (Polston J 45), Thomas (Hughton 45), Allen (Nayim 45), Stevens (Samways 45), Gascoigne (Sedgley 45), Robson (Howells D 45), Walsh (Moran 45), Stewart (Johnston 45) (Moncur 65).

BOHEMIANS 0, SPURS 2
 July 23, 1989
 Scorers: Stewart, Walsh
 Team: Thorstvedt, Butters, Hughton, Sedgley (Thomas 45), Bergsson (Howells D 80), Mabbutt (Stevens 45), Samways (Robson 45), Gascoigne (Polston J 38), Stewart (Hendon 80), Lineker (Walsh 45), Nayim.

CORK CITY 0, SPURS 3
 July 25, 1989
 Scorers: Mabbutt, Gascoigne, Lineker
 Team: Thorstvedt, Butters (Stevens 45), Hughton (Hendon 75), Sedgley, Bergsson (Polston A 75), Mabbutt, Samways (Robson 65), Gascoigne (Thomas 65), Lineker, Nayim (Howells D 45).

SPURS 6, AFC BOURNEMOUTH 0
 July 28, 1989
 Scorers: Walsh, Stewart, Gascoigne, Howells D 3
 Team: Thorstvedt (Mimms 45), Bergsson, Mabbutt (Stevens 60), Butters, Hughton (Fenwick 45), Nayim (Allen 45), Gascoigne (Thomas 70), Sedgley (Howells D 45), Samways (Robson 45), Stewart (Moran 65), Walsh.

SPURS 0, SWINDON 1
 August 1, 1989
 Team: Thorstvedt, Bergsson, Mabbutt, Butters, Hughton, Stevens, Gascoigne (Robson 55), Sedgley, Howells D (Moran 75), Stewart, Lineker.

GLASGOW RANGERS 1, SPURS 0
 August 6, 1989
 Team: Thorstvedt, Butters, Hughton (Bergsson 25), Fenwick, Nayim (Allen 60), Mabbutt, Sedgley, Gascoigne, Stewart (Moran 85), Lineker (Walsh 60), Samways (Howells D 70).

VIKING 1, SPURS 5
 August 8, 1989
 Scorers: Stewart, Fenwick (penalty), Gascoigne, Lineker 2
 Team: Thorstvedt, Bergsson, Mabbutt, Butters, Fenwick, Allen, Samways (Gascoigne 60), Sedgley (Robson 60), Howells D, Stewart, Lineker.

BRANN 0, SPURS 2
 August 10, 1989
 Scorers: Lineker 2
 Team: Thorstvedt, Polston A, Stevens (Bergsson 45), Butters (Mabbutt 45), Fenwick (Hendon 45), Allen, Samways (Sedgley 35), Howells D (Gascoigne 45), Robson, Lineker (Moran 45), Walsh.

DYNAMO BUCHAREST 3, SPURS 1
 August 11, 1989
 Scorers: Howells D
 Team: Thorstvedt, Bergsson, Mabbutt, Butters, Fenwick, Allen (Robson 65), Gascoigne (Hendon 75), Sedgley, Howells D, Walsh, Stewart.

ATLETICO MADRID 1, SPURS 0
 August 13, 1989
 Scorers: Fenwick
 Team: Thorstvedt, Bergsson (Polston A 75), Mabbutt, Butters, Fenwick, Allen, Gascoigne, Howells D, Robson (Sedgley 65), Walsh, Lineker.

RESERVE TEAM

SPURS RESERVES 1, LUTON TOWN 1
 July 27, 1989
 Scorers: Allen
 Team: Mimms (Dearden 45), Fenwick (McDonald 60), Stevens (Statham 45), Polston J (Polston A 45), Hendon, Allen, Moncur, Thomas (Garland 45), Robson (Edwards 45), Howells D (Johnston 45), Moran (Gormley 45).

SOUTHALL 0, SPURS RESERVES 2
 July 29, 1989
 Scorers: Allen, Gormley
 Team: Dearden (Guthrie 60), Statham, Hendon (Tuttle 75), Stevens, Polston A, Thomas, Allen (Gormley 45), Moncur (Garland 60), Johnston, Moran, Robson (Edwards 45).

FINCHLEY 1, SPURS RESERVES 4
 August 1, 1989
 Scorers: Walsh, Moran, Johnston, Morah
 Team: Mimms (Dearden 60), Statham, Hendon (Tuttle 65), Polston A, Fenwick, Gormley, Moran, Moncur (Garland 65), Johnston (Morah 80), Walsh, Edwards.

BASILDON 1, SPURS RESERVES 1
 August 5, 1989
 Scorers: Garland
 Team: Dearden, Polston A, Thomas, Tuttle, Hendon, Gormley, Garland, Moncur, Johnston, Robson, Edwards (Houghton 80).

SALISBURY 2, SPURS RESERVES 1
 August 8, 1989
 Scorers: Moncur
 Team: Mimms, McDonald (Smith N 75), Thomas, Statham, Tuttle, Gormley (Hardwicke 45), Garland, Moncur, Johnston, Morah (Dang 45), Edwards.

WOKING 1, SPURS RESERVES 3
 August 12, 1989
 Scorers: Moncur, Morah, Hardwicke
 Team: Mimms (Dearden 60), Statham, Hendon (Tuttle 65), Polston A, Fenwick, Gormley, Moran, Moncur (Garland 65), Johnston (Morah 80), Walsh, Edwards.

KINGFIELD SPORTS GROUND
 August 12, 1989
 Scorers: Moncur, Morah, Hardwicke
 Team: Mimms (Dearden 60), Statham, Hendon (Tuttle 65), Polston A, Fenwick, Gormley, Moran, Moncur (Garland 65), Johnston (Morah 80), Walsh, Edwards.

Home matches and scorers in heavy type. † Number of goals scored. ‡ Own goal. † Penalty. ‡ Player withdrawn. † After extra time. ● Substitute used. FA Cup Rounds in brackets, subject to alteration. Barclays Fixtures are copyright of The Football League Ltd and not to be reproduced without permission.

BARCLAYS LEAGUE DIVISION ONE FINAL TABLE 1988-89

(Final Table - Season 1988-89)

Team	HOME			AWAY			A	F	A	Pts		
	P	W	D	L	F	A						
Arsenal	38	10	6	3	35	19	12	4	3	38	17	76
Liverpool	38	11	5	3	33	11	11	5	3	32	17	76
Nottingham Forest	38	8	7	4	31	16	9	6	4	33	27	64
Norwich City	38	8	7	4	23	20	9	4	6	25	25	62
Derby County	38	9	3	7	23	18	8	4	7	17	20	58
Tottenham Hotspur	38	8	6	5	31	24	7	6	6	29	22	57
Coventry City	38	9	4	6	28	23	5	9	5	19	19	55
Everton	38	10	7	2	33	18	4	5	10	17	27	54
Queens Park Rangers	38	9	5	5	23	21	4	8	7	20	31	53
Millwall	38	10	3	6	27	16	4	7	9	18	22	51
Manchester United	38	10	5	4	27	13	3	6	9	20	27	51
Wimbledon	38	10	3	6	25	26	4	8	7	27	40	45
Southampton	38	6	7	6	25	24	4	5	10	19	34	42
Charlton Athletic	38	6	7	6	25	24	4	5	10	19	34	42
Sheffield Wednesday	38	6	6	7	21	25	4	6	9	13	26	42
Luton Town	38	8	6	5	32	21	2	5	12	10	31	41
Aston Villa	38	7	6	6	28	22	2	7	10	20	34	40
Middlesbrough	38	6	7	6	28	30	3	5	11	16	31	39
West Ham United	38	3	6	10	19	30	7	2	10	18	32	38
Newcastle United	38	3	6	10	19	28	4	4	11	13	35	31

OVENDEN PAPERS COMBINATION 1988-89

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Tottenham	38	23	10	5	90	37	56	3	20	12	64	19	51		
Arsenal	38	22	7	9	77	39	51	3	18	9	3	82	29	45	
Gillingham	38	20	9	9	60	49	49	3	15	7	8	60	43	37	
Watford	38	20	9	9	74	52	49	3	12	13	5	45	43	37	
Chelsea	38	19	10	9	79	46	48	3	10	12	8	48	38	32	
Luton Town	38	18	10	10	90	55	46	3	13	5	12	60	50	31	
Swindon Town	38	20	5	13	70	62	45	3	10	10	10	42	44	30	
Oxford United	38	18	7	13	82	66	43	3	12	3	15	53	64	27	
Crystal Palace	38	16	9	13	55	44	41	3	10	10	10	42	44	30	
Ipswich Town	38	18	5	15	63	62	41	3	9	12	42	53	27		
Norwich City	38	15	7	16	66	67	37	3	9	9	8	13	46	55	26
West Ham U	38	9	10	19	53	72	28	3	8	7	15	36	55	23	
Brighton & HA	38	7	13	18	43	81	27	3	9	4	17	41	69	22	
Fulham	38	10	7	21	49	96	27	3	8	7	15	36	55	23	
Charlton A	38	8	9	21	59	80	25	3	7	5	18	31	55	19	
Portsmouth	38	8	6	24	33	88	22	3	7	5	18	31	55	19	
Queens Park R	38	6	5	27	36	79	17	3	7	5	18	31	55	19	
Reading	38	5	6	27	38	101	16	3	6	6	18	28	52	18	

SOUTH EAST COUNTIES DIVISION ONE 1988-89

(Final Table - Season 1988-89)

Team	HOME			AWAY			A	F	A	Pts				
	P	W	D	L	F	A								
Tottenham	30	23	5	2	64	19	51	2	20	12	64	19	51	
Arsenal	30	18	9	3	82	29	45	3	18	9	3	82	29	45
Gillingham	30	15	7	8	60	43	37	3	15	7	8	60	43	37
Watford	30	12	13	5	45	43	37	3	12	13	5	45	43	37
Queens Park R	30	14	8	8	67	36	36	3	14	8	8	67	36	36
Norwich City	30	10	12	8	48	38	32	3	10	12	8	48	38	32
Chelsea	30	13	5	12	60	50	31	3	13	5	12	60	50	31
Millwall	30	10	10	10	42	44	30	3	10	10	10	42	44	30
Charlton A	30	12	3	15	53	64	27	3	12	3	15	53	64	27
Southend U	30	9	12	42	53	27	3	9	12	42	53	27	3	
Leyton Orient	30	9	8	13	46	55	26	3	9	8	13	46	55	26
Portsmouth	30	8	7	15	36	55	23	3	8	7	15	36	55	23
Ipswich Town	30	9	4	17	41	69	22	3	9	4	17	41	69	22
West Ham U	30	7	5	18	31	55	19	3	7	5	18	31	55	19
Cambridge U	30	7	5	18	31	55	19	3	7	5	18	31	55	19
Fulham	30	6	6	18	28	52	18	3	6	6	18	28	52	18

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Tottenham Hotspur

Manager: Terry Venables. Colours: White Shirts, Navy Shorts, White Socks.

ERIK THORSTVEDT	1	ALEC CHAMBERLAIN
GUY BUTTERS	2	TIM BREACKER
GUDNI BERGSSON	3	DARRON McDONOUGH
TERRY FENWICK	4	DAVID BEAUMONT
PAUL ALLEN	5	JOHN DREYER
GARY MABBUTT	6	DANNY WILSON
STEVE SEDGLEY	7	STEVE WILLIAMS
PAUL GASCOIGNE	8	DAVID PREECE
PAUL STEWART	9	KINGSLEY BLACK
GARY LINEKER	10	ROY WEGERLE
DAVID HOWELLS	11	RAPHAEL MEADE
PAUL WALSH	12	RICHARD COOKE
MARK ROBSON	14	RICHARD HARVEY



Luton Town

Manager: Ray Harford. Colours: All Light Blue.

OFFICIALS

Referee: Mr T J Holbrook (West Midlands)
 Linesmen: Mr S B Fursee (Essex)
 Red Trim
 Mr D Orrel (Lancashire)
 Yellow Trim
 Reserve Official: Mr M A Ewen (Essex)

TODAY'S REFEREE

The referee for today's match is Mr Terry Holbrook from the West Midlands. Mr Holbrook is a manufacturing and service company general manager.

He commenced refereeing in the Walsall Minor League in 1966, and progressed to the Central League via the Staffs County League, before going on to the Alliance League. Mr Holbrook was appointed to the Football League in 1980.

Mr Holbrook is the secretary of a local tennis club and a league tennis player. He also plays squash and enjoys gardening.



NEXT MATCH HERE

Barclays League Division One
 Saturday, September 16, 1989

CHELSEA
 Kick-off 3pm

SCOREBOARD

Today's other First Division matches . . .

Charlton Athletic v Derby County
Coventry City v Everton
Liverpool v Manchester City
Manchester United v Arsenal
Nottingham Forest v Aston Villa
Queens Park Rangers v Crystal Palace
Sheffield Wednesday v Norwich City
Southampton v Millwall
Wimbledon v Chelsea

Tottenham
Hotspur