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## CLUB NOTES

Unfortunately, these notes have to be written early, before the result is known of the Peterborough game. May it have been a resounding victory in our favour. Much depends on the outcome. A victory for Swindon will have sent us "well away", with Peterborough dropping back.

Another factor, for which we apologise, is the composition of the two teams. With programmes being printed early in the week and games taking place on Friday, there is every possibility of changes on both sides.

The Easter programme (three games in four days) imposes a great strain on the resources of the clubs. It can also create changes in the league positions.



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## CLUB NOTES - continued

Our opponents today—Colchester United—are at present playing extremely well. We are glad to welcome them back after their spell in the Fourth Division. In previous visits to the County Ground they have not always departed empty-handed, but we hope they do so today. Points are also difficult to obtain at Layer Road, and we still have to make the trip to Essex on Monday, 6th May, 1963.

After the Easter matches, we face another difficult away game on the following Saturday, namely Notts County. We certainly have an old score to pay off, as supporters will remember the five to nil defeat in the League Cup Competition earlier in the season. Then follow two home games against Bournemouth (they often do well on the County Ground) and Carlisle, Saturday, 27th April, and Tuesday, 30th April, respectively.

Finally, to end the season, two "home" and two "away" games.



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Tuesday	£20	147
	£5	6395
Wednesday	£50	12760
	£10	14633
Thursday	£20	10620
	£5	4922
Friday	£20	8140
	£5	10379
Saturday	£100	7281
	£20	2709

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Saturday	£100	4005D
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Wednesday	£20	3049D
Thursday	£20	11922D
Friday	£20	10337D



## OUR VISITORS

This afternoon we extend a welcome to the Directors, Officials and Players of Colchester United. The team has been enjoying a very mixed season; after a poor start the United fought back until they occupy a position mid-way in the League table. Always redoubtable opponents, we have no doubt that this afternoon's game will prove a stern struggle for the points.

Details of the players from whom the team will be selected are given below:—

	Ht.	Wt.	Previous Club	Birthplace
Ames	5. 9	11. 2	Tottenham	Bedford
Rammage	6. 2	13. 5	Third Lanark	Newbattle
Fowler	5. 9	11. 8	Bonnyrigg	Leith
Griffiths	5.10	11. 5	Local	Colchester
Rumney	5.11	11. 6	Local	Abberton
Abrey	5.11	11. 8	Chelsea	Hendon
Brown	5.10	10.12	Dunbar	Edinburgh
Forbes	5.11	10.10	Musselburgh	Edinburgh
Harris	5. 9	11. 8	Local	Colchester
Hunt, R.	5. 9	11.12	Local	Colchester



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	Ht.	Wt.	Previous Club	Birthplace
Miller	5. 9	10. 7	Local	Chelmsford
Baines	5.10	11. 6	Local	Colchester
Coleman	5.10	12. 0	Local	Colchester
Foster	5. 8	10. 3	Leicester City	Leicester
Grice	5. 9	10.12	Coventry City	Woking
Hill	5. 9	10. 7	Easthouses	Edinburgh
Hunt, B.	5.10	11. 7	Local	Colchester
King	5. 9	10. 4	Local	Birmingham
Loughton	6. 0	11. 7	Local	Colchester
McLeod	5. 6	9. 2	Easthouses	Glasgow
Wright	5.11	12. 0	Local	Colchester

For the record: on the occasion of Colchester United's last visit to the County Ground during Season 1960-61, the result was a win for United by 2-0.





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Northampton Town	...	36	17	10	9	79	53	44
Peterborough Utd.	...	37	17	9	11	83	61	43
Coventry City	...	33	15	12	6	66	52	42
Bournemouth	...	35	13	13	9	48	37	39
Southend United	...	34	15	8	11	56	55	38
Notts County	...	35	15	8	12	52	57	38
Port Vale	...	33	15	7	11	53	43	37
Queen's Park Rangers	...	34	15	7	12	57	53	37
Wrexham	...	34	16	5	13	69	65	37
Hull City	...	33	15	6	12	58	54	36
Bristol City	...	36	12	10	14	74	72	34
Colchester United	...	35	12	10	13	55	69	34
Watford	...	34	14	5	16	66	66	33
Shrewsbury Town	...	35	12	8	15	71	70	32
Millwall	...	34	10	12	12	57	61	32
Brighton & H.A.	...	38	11	10	17	53	68	32
Bradford	...	36	11	10	15	56	74	32
Barnsley	...	33	11	9	13	46	50	31
Crystal Palace	...	34	10	10	14	44	47	30
Bristol Rovers	...	34	11	7	16	51	65	29
Reading	...	34	11	6	17	57	61	28
Carlisle United	...	34	8	8	18	46	67	24
Halifax Town	...	34	7	10	17	47	79	24



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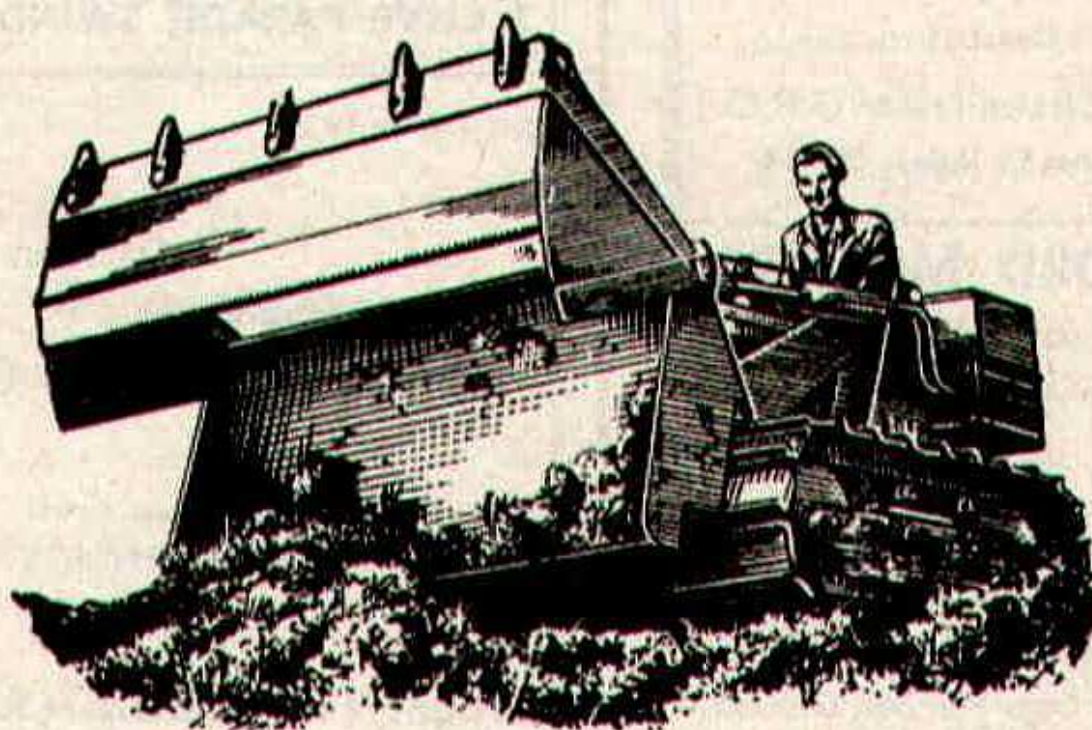
Date	Opponents	Ground	Result
August 18	BARNSELY	(A)	1-1
21	COVENTRY CITY	(H)	4-1
25	NORTHAMPTON TOWN	(H)	2-3
28	COVENTRY CITY	(A)	0-2
September 1	QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS	(A)	2-2
4	BRIGHTON and HOVE ALBION	(A)	1-1
8	HULL CITY	(H)	2-0
11	BRIGHTON and HOVE ALBION	(H)	5-1
15	CRYSTAL PALACE	(A)	0-0
18	CARLISLE UNITED	(A)	0-0
22	WREXHAM	(H)	3-0
25	DARLINGTON (Cup)	(H)	4-0
29	HALIFAX TOWN	(A)	3-4
October 2	BRISTOL ROVERS	(H)	3-0
6	WATFORD	(H)	3-1
9	BRISTOL ROVERS	(A)	0-2
13	BRISTOL CITY	(A)	2-2
20	READING	(H)	1-1
27	PORT VALE	(A)	1-2
November 3	(1) READING	(H)	4-2
10	MILLWALL	(A)	4-3
17	SOUTHEND UNITED	(H)	4-1
24	(2) YEOVIL	(A)	2-0
December 1	NOTTS COUNTY	(H)	3-1
8	BOURNEMOUTH and B.A.	(A)	0-0
15	BARNSELY	(H)	2-1
26	BRADFORD	(A)	0-2
1963			
January 12	QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS	(H)	5-0
19	HULL CITY	(A)	0-0A
26	(3) LUTON TOWN	(A)	2-0
29	(4) EVERTON	(H)	1-5
February 2	CRYSTAL PALACE	(H)	1-0
23	WATFORD	(A)	3-3
27	WREXHAM	(A)	0-0
March 2	BRISTOL CITY	(H)	3-2
8	(6) READING	(A)	2-1
16	PORT VALE	(H)	2-3
23	SHREWSBURY TOWN	(A)	2-1
26	NORTHAMPTON TOWN	(A)	1-1
30	(S.F.) MILLWALL	(H)	1-0
April 2	BRADFORD	(H)	2-1
6	SOUTHEND UNITED	(A)	1-1
12	PETERBOROUGH UNITED	(H)	
13	COLCHESTER UNITED	(H)	
15	PETERBOROUGH UNITED	(A)	
20	NOTTS COUNTY	(A)	
27	BOURNEMOUTH and B.A.	(H)	
30	CARLISLE UNITED	(H)	
May 4	HALIFAX TOWN	(H)	
6	COLCHESTER UNITED	(A)	
14	SHREWSBURY TOWN	(H)	
18	HULL CITY	(A)	



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## SUPPORTERS' CLUB NOTES

The writer of the Official Programme Notes recently remarked on the gate at the Millwall match, which was higher, by some 4,000, than the next attendance in the Third Division; it exceeded three Second Division attendances and was within 300 of the lowest First Division gate.

A few days later, when Bradford visited us, there was a considerably higher figure, and it is reasonable to expect that yesterday's gate will have shown still further improvement.

As the writer said, this is the reward of success, but it is interesting to analyse the figures further.

Discounting the visiting supporters, it must be remembered that a considerable proportion of the support is derived from the surrounding districts. The loyalty of our country friends, to the Town F.C., is very much envied by a number of clubs known to us.

We wonder, therefore, whether something might be done to improve support within the town itself.

It was pleasing to read in our local Press recently, of a new resident in the town, who stated that he had become a regular supporter.

**WE WANT** more of these at the County Ground. Many have said that they are missing the amusements to be found in the places from which they came. They will be made very welcome if they will get in touch with us.

**WE WANT** every schoolboy to endeavour to bring one more friend with him to the matches. We must build support for the future.

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Can we all do something about it? All can help — the Directors, the Management, the Players, the Press, and the rank and file of the general public.

We would not ask anyone to do anything which we would not attempt ourselves.

The writer has been able to introduce the "County Ground" habit to two newcomers to the town, during this season, and they have now become fervid supporters.

Those of us who have been camping at the County Ground for a long time can still do much more to help the Club.

It was pleasing to read that a panel of referees regarded the crowd at Swindon as the best behaved in the South. We hope that we shall never give them cause to change their views.

Before the halo gleams too brightly we should remind ourselves that, probably, the players have helped us to acquire our gentle demeanour (!!!) for, where there is success, there is likely to be less misbehaviour. It is lack of success, and the sense of frustration which follows, which often causes the crowd to become disgruntled and unruly.

The referees themselves, of course, are an important factor in the matter of the behaviour of the crowds, and, in addition, the conduct of the visiting supporters plays a large part, and can either make or mar the reputations of their hosts. Arguments usually generate more heat than light, and are undesirable at football matches.



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## Fixtures and Results to date

Date	Opponents	Ground	Result
August 18	RADSTOCK	(H)	1-1
22	PINEHURST	(A)	1-4
25	STONEHOUSE	(A)	3-0
29	PINEHURST	(H)	1-0
September 1	PURTON	(H)	3-1
8	CALNE	(A)	2-0
15	DEVIZES	(H)	6-1
19	FROME	(A)	1-3
22	TROWBRIDGE	(H)	2-0
29	FROME	(H)	3-0
October 6	WARMINSTER	(H)	3-1
13	PEASEDOWN	(A)	2-1
20	CLANDOWN	(H)	6-0
27	PAULTON	(A)	1-1
November 3	WESTBURY	(H)	5-4
10	MELKSHAM	(A)	0-3
24	CHIPPENHAM	(H)	6-1
December 1	WOOTTON BASSETT	(A)	4-1
8	PAULTON R.	(H)	5-2
15	STONEHOUSE	(H)	4-0
22	PURTON	(A)	5-0
29	CALNE	(H)	P

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January 5	DEVIZES	(A)	P
19	WARMINSTER	(A)	P
26	PEASEDOWN	(H)	20-1
February 2	CLANDOWN	(A)	P
16	WESTBURY	(A)	P
23	MELKSHAM	(H)	P
March 2	CHIPPENHAM TOWN	(A)	11-0
9	CLANDOWN	(A)	1-0
23	RADSTOCK	(A)	1-1
30	TROWBRIDGE	(A)	5-2
April 3	DEVIZES	(A)	3-1
6	MELKSHAM	(A)	



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- B—Blackburn v. W.B.A.
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- G—Notts. F. v. Birmingham
- H—Sheffield Utd. v. Arsenal
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- J—West Ham v. Leicester
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- L—Bury v. Derby
- M—Charlton v. Huddersfield
- N—Chelsea v. Grimsby
- O—Leeds v. Preston
- P—Luton v. Norwich
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- A—Bristol R. v. Coventry
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- H—Bradford C. v. Brentford
- I—Hartlepools v. Doncaster
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# FOOTBALL COMBINATION

## Fixtures and Results to date

Date	Opponents	Ground	Result
August 18	SOUTHEND	(H)	3-1
21	MILLWALL	(A)	1-2
25	BOURNEMOUTH and B.A.	(A)	3-1
September 1	CHELSEA	(H)	0-2
3	WATFORD	(A)	2-2
18	QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS	(H)	3-2
26	SOUTHAMPTON	(A)	3-3
October 23	COVENTRY CITY	(H)	2-0
27	ALDERSHOT	(H)	0-0
November 7	LEYTON ORIENT	(A)	3-6
10	BRIGHTON	(H)	1-0
27	BRENTFORD	(H)	2-2
December 8	CHARLTON	(A)	2-2
11	FULHAM	(H)	6-1
19	PORTSMOUTH	(A)	3-1
22	BIRMINGHAM	(A)	0-3
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January 1	READING	(H)	P
9	READING	(A)	P
15	BOURNEMOUTH and B.A.	(H)	3-1
19	SOUTHEND	(A)	P
29	WATFORD	(H)	P
February 4	QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS	(A)	P
6	CHELSEA	(A)	0-3
9	BIRMINGHAM	(H)	4-2
12	MILLWALL	(H)	3-3
26	SOUTHAMPTON	(H)	0-0
March 6	COVENTRY CITY	(A)	P
9	ALDERSHOT	(A)	P
11	SOUTHEND UNITED	(A)	3-1
19	LEYTON ORIENT	(H)	3-1
23	BRIGHTON	(A)	0-1
April 6	PORTSMOUTH	(H)	1-2
9	BRENTFORD	(A)	
16	CHARLTON	(H)	
22	FULHAM	(A)	
May 7	READING	(H)	
11	QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS	(A)	
18	READING	(A)	
15	WATFORD	(H)	





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**TUESDAY, APRIL 16th, 1963**

FOOTBALL COMBINATION

**SWINDON TOWN**

*v.*

**CHARLTON**

Kick-off 7.30 p.m.

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**TUESDAY, APRIL 23rd, 1963**

WESSEX YOUTH LEAGUE

**SWINDON TOWN**

*v.*

**PLYMOUTH ARGYLE**

Kick-off 7.30 p.m.

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**SATURDAY, APRIL 27th, 1963**

DIVISION III

**SWINDON TOWN**

*v.*

**BOURNEMOUTH**

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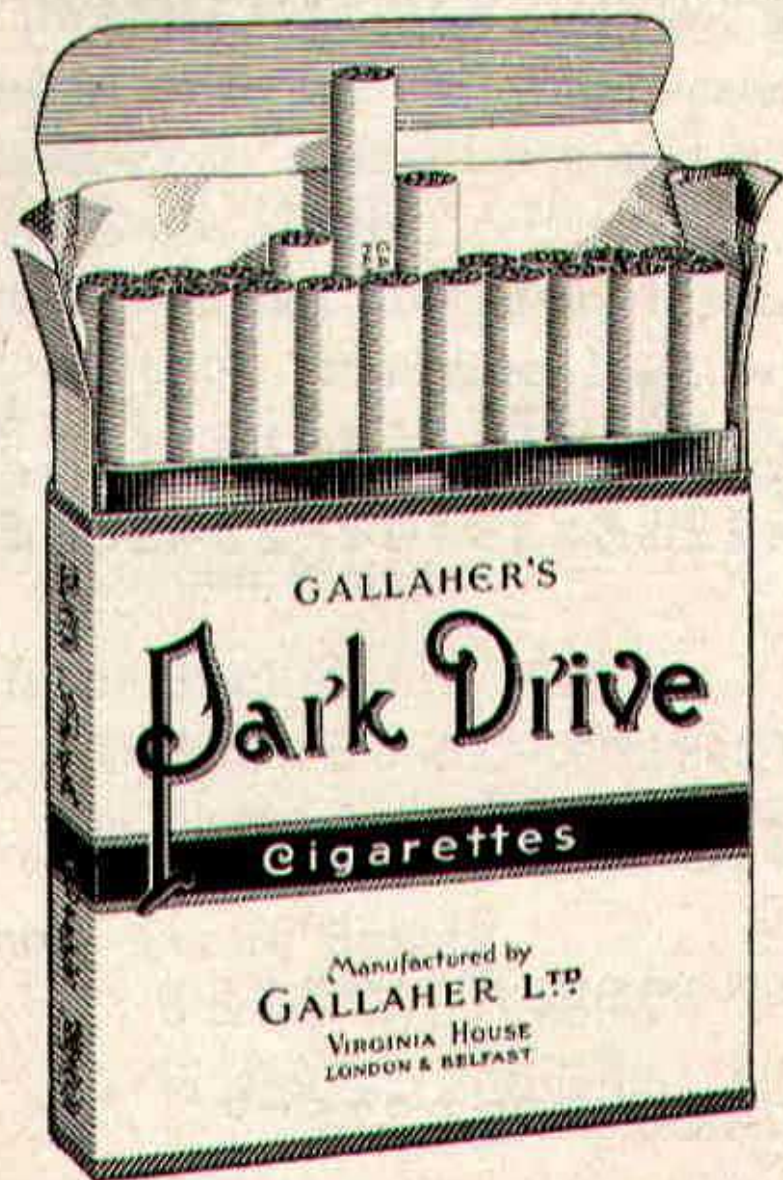
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O'Hara	10	Hicks	4	-
Wollen	21	Turner	7	-
Trollope	35	Hellin	21	-
Morgan	35	Dawson	21	-
Owen	21	Smart	20	4
Woodruff	35	McPherson	8	-
Summerbee	26	Harber	23	-
Darcy	24	Shergold	21	-
Hunt	32	Darcy	4	1
Jackson	34	Stevens	23	20
Smith	35	Leggett	21	4
Smart	7	Weaver	10	4
McPherson	18	Rogers	14	2
Atkins	6	Colsell	4	-
Stevens	4	Atkins	14	7
Rogers	6	Summerbee	4	2
Chamberlain	1	Mellor	3	-
Dawson	9	Leyton	1	-
		Jackson	3	2
		Huxford	14	-
		Owen	5	-
		Peapell	2	-
		Trollope	1	-
		Morgan	1	-
		Woodruff	1	-
		Hunt	1	1
		Chamberlain	7	2
		Smith	1	1
		Tabor	1	-
		Plumb	1	-



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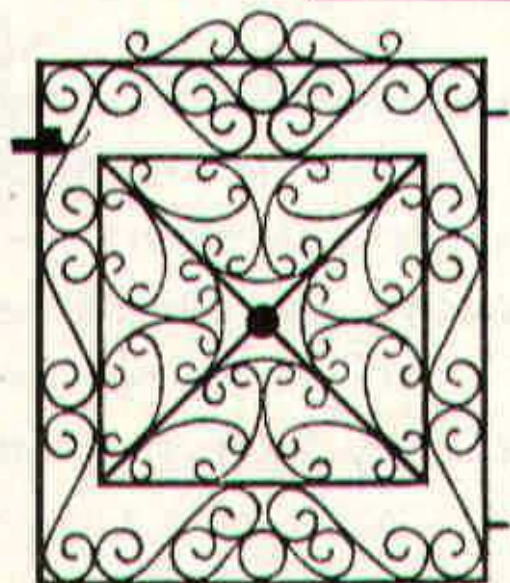
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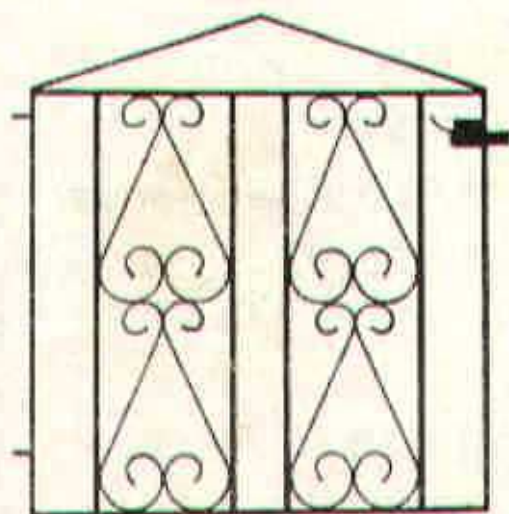




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