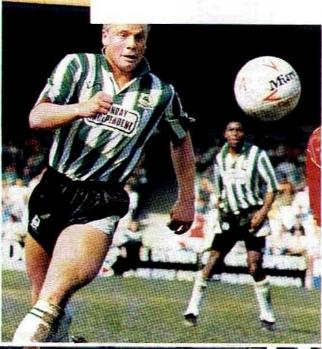
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Club Colours: Green and white striped shirts, Black shorts, White socks with green trim.

St Johns Ambulance Brigade are in attendance at every match at Home Park.

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# EMP'S OLUMN



In the three matches since my last programme notes we have continued to panic when in sight of the winning post - a trend which is most frustrating after you have done all the hard work just to throw it away at the death.

At Southend we pulled back to 1-1 and with 10 minutes to go panic set in and we gave away a silly goal.

It is so annoying to see sides gifted goals and not earning them, nobody seems to gift us our goals, we have to earn them the hard way.

The next match saw us entertaining Middlesbrough, and let's not forget that they are, at present, run-away leaders of the second division.

Once again, after making them look second best for long periods of the match, we panicked and were left hanging on for a point.

But last Saturday, at Oxford, was the real choker, when after going behind to an early goal from Nogan, we fought back in style to take the lead. In fact we were encamped in their territory for most of the second half and it came as no surprise when Mark Fiore and Martin Barlow scored to give us a thoroughly deserved lead.

But once again two lapses of concentration and we end up losing a game we should have won comfortably.

We are playing well at the moment and the results will come if we can just learn to live with the thought that we are winning a game and convince ourselves that we are capable of holding on to a lead.

This season has seen us get more than our fair share of injuries and the current crop include Rhys Wilmot, Jock Morrison, Danis Salman and, of course, Kevin Hodges.

Kevin is slowly making his way back to match fitness and Rhys's thigh injury is making good progress but Jock's ankle ligaments are going just that bit slower and Danis's groin continues to give him problems.

Today's opponents Swindon have quietly gone about their business and Saturday's 3-1 victory over Watford saw them rise to fourth place in the table.

So we will be meeting a team who are on top form and in their player/manager, Glenn Hoddle, have a world class player who is coping very well with the problems of managing and playing.

Daniel Verf



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Answers from Portsmouth Programme

- 1. Colin Clarke and Martin Kuhl
- Nicky Jennings, Norman Piper, Micky Lill, Steve Perrin, Richard Reynolds, Alan Rogers
- 3. Alec Govan (1958) and Harry Penk (1957)
- 4. Oxford United
- 5. Crystal Palace
- 6. Leeds United and Norwich City
- 7. Alan Knight (401)
- 8. Once (1939)

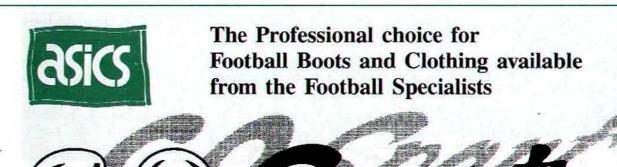
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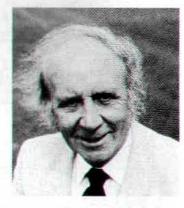
Bernard R. Ashley - Club Shop and Travel Manager



Above: Joyce (left) and Jill (right) demonstrating the range of Rugby Style Shirts. £17.50 - £19.99.

Right: Carol showing the PAFC Tabard in all it's glory at £9.50. The goal posts and football are optional extras.

BERNARD ASHLEY







### TRAVEL CLUB

Travelling Supporters Information: — Saturday 12th October 1991 — Cost £13.00 Kick Off 3.00pm — Depart 7.00am

#### GROUND INFORMATION

Away Supporters' Entrances: Darwen End

Turnstiles

Away Supporters' Sections: Darwen End

(mostly covered)

Family Facilities: Location of Stand

In Walkersteel Stand Capacity of Stand: 629

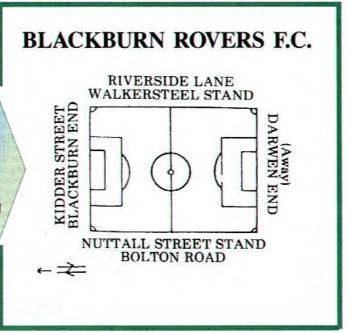
DISABLED SUPPORTERS INFORMATION

Wheelchairs: Disabled Section in Walkersteel

Stand

Disabled Toilets: In Disabled Section
The Blind: Commentary availabe by

arrangement



Routes: From North, South and West: Exit M6 Junction 31, or take A666, follow signs for Blackburn then for Bolton Road, after 1½ miles turn left into Kidder St.

From East: Use A679 or A677 and follow signs for Bolton Road (then as above).

Travelling Supporters Information: — Saturday 19th October — Cost £7.00. Standing only at £5.00. Tickets available from PAFC Booking Office no tickets available to Away Supporters on the day. Kick Off 3.00pm — Depart 11.00am

#### **GROUND INFORMATION**

Away Supporters' Entrances: Bristol End Away Supporters' Sections: Bristol End Family Facilities: Location of Stand Family Enclosure Terrace — Bath End

New Family Stand at side of Main Stand —

Opening December 1991

Capcity of Stand: 652

#### DISABLED SUPPORTERS INFORMATION

Wheelchairs: accommodated Family Stand Disabled Toilets: Family Stand (Dec. 1991)

The Blind: Commentaries by arrangement

# BRISTOL ROVERS F.C HOME ENCLOSURE (COVERED) BRISTOL END (Away) MEMBERS ENCLOSURE MAIN STAND WAIN STAND

Routes: Take the A36 into Bath city centre. Follow along Pulteney Road, then right into Claverton Street and along Lower Bristol Road (A36). Left under railway (1½ miles) into Twerton High Street and ground on left.

#### ATISTIC

#### FIRST TEAM

#### LEAGUE TABLES

#### **DIVISION 2**

Up to & including 28th Sept	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Middlesbrough	11	8	1	2	18	8	25
lpswich	10	6	2	2	18	15	20
Cambridge	9	6	1	2	19	13	19
Swindon	9	5	2	2	21	13	17
Wolves	9	5	2	2	16	11	17
Leicester	9	5	1	3	13	13	16
Portsmouth	9	4	3	2	9	7	15
Tranmere	9	3	5	1	15	12	14
Chariton	9	4	2	3	13	12	14
Southend	9	4	2	3	9	8	14
Grimsby	9	4	2	3	16	16	14
Brighton	10	4	2	4	15	15	14
Derby County	10	3	4	3	12	11	13
Bristol City	10	3	4	3	13	15	13
Blackburn	9	3	3	3	7	8	12
Millwall	9	3	2	4	16	14	11
Sunderland	10	3	2	5	17	17	11
Watford	9	3	1	5	11	13	10
Port Vale	11	2	4	5	9	13	10
ARGYLE	9	2	2	5	12	17	8
Barnsley	11	2	2	7	9	19	8
Oxford	9	2	1	6	12	17	7
Newcastle	10	1	4	5	14	20	7
Bristol Rovers	9	1	2	6	11	18	5

#### **GREAT MILLS**

Up to & including 28th Sept	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Tiverton	8	8	0	0	33	5	24
Clevedon	8	8	0	0	24	2	24
Weston-S-Mare	9	7	0	2	31	15	21
Paulton	10	6	2	2	20	10	20
Bideford	9	6	H	2	31	13	19
Mangotsfield	8	4	4	0	15	5	16
ARGYLE	10	4	2	4	23	19	14
Torrington	9	4	2	3	14	12	14
Exmouth	10	4	2	4	21	26	14
Minehead	10	4	2	4	17	25	14
Liskeard Ath	9	3	4	2	14	12	13
Saltash Town	8	4	0	4	11	10	12
Elmore	12	3	3	6	20	26	12
Taunton Town	8	2	3	3	15	12	9
Dawlish	9	3	0	6	13	14	9
Chard	10	2	3	5	12	16	9
Chippenham	10	2	2	6	10	33	8
Bristol MF	9	2	1	6	7	18	7
Welton	8	2	1	5	5	17	7
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Ottery St. Mary .	10	1	0	9	11	39	3

#### MAN IN BLACK

Keith Cooper is a 43-year-old Mobility Officer who is married with two sons.

He commenced refereeing in 1969 in the Pontypridd and District League and progressed through the South Wales Amateur League and the Welsh League before being accepted onto the League Linesman's list in 1976. Six years later in 1982-83 he was accepted onto the League Referees List and has since refereed the 1986 Welsh Cup Final and the Dubai Super Cup between Everton and Rangers in 1988.

Football is his main love and he even lists his interest and hobby as football coaching.

#### FIXTURES/RESULTS

#### S W COUNTIES

	Mon	9	San	Exeter CityH	
	Wed		COP	Torquay Utd (CUP)A	2-0
		25	Sep	Swansea CityH	3-0
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	Wed		Oct	Yeovil2.00pm	H
	Wed	23	Oct	Bournemouth2.00pm	A
	Wed	30	Oct	Bristol City2.00pm	Н
	Mon	4	Nov	Bristol Rovers7.30pm	A
	Mon	11	Nov	Exeter City (CUP)2.00pm	н
	Wed	20	Nov	Cardiff City2.00pm	н
	Tue	26	Nov	Cheltenham Town7.30pm	A
	Tue		Dec	Exeter City2.00pm	A
	Mon	6	Jan	Hereford Utd2.00pm	н
	Wed	29	Jan	Swansea City2.00pm	A
	Wed	12	Feb	Torquay Utd2.00pm	A
	Mon	24	Feb	Yeovil Town2.00pm	A
	Wed			Bournemouth2.00pm	
	Wed	11		Bristol City2.00pm	
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#### **GREAT MILLS**

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Wed 21		Dawlish TownA	1-3
Sat 24	Aug	Bideford TownH	4-1
Wed 28	Aug	Liskeard AthH	4-0
Sat 31	Aug	Mangotsfield UtdA	1-4
Mon 2	Sep	Saltash UtdH	3-0
Sat 7	Sep	Ottery St Mary POST	- A
Tue 10	Sept	Exmouth TownA	2-3
Sat 14	Sep	Weston Super MareH	1-3
Mon 16		Chard TownH	3-1
Sat 21		Paulton RoversA	2-2
Mon 30		Torrington	н
Sat 12	Oct	Minehead	Н
Sat 19	Oct	Tiverton Town	A
Sat 26	Oct	Chippenham Town	A
Sat 2	Nov	Welton Rovers	A
Wed 6	Nov	Bideford Town - GMLC	A
Sat 9	Nov	Elmore	Н
Wed 13	Nov	Saltash Utd	A
Sat 16	Nov	Frome Town	A
Mon 18	Nov	Dawlish Town	Н
Sat 23	Nov	Bristol Manor Farm	A
Sat 30	Nov	Clevedon Town	Н
Tue 3	Dec	Liskeard Ath	A
Sat 7	Dec	Weston Super Mare	A
Sat 14	Dec	Exmouth Town	Н
Sat 21	Dec	Taunton Town	A
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Sat Sep 28	A Oxford United	3-2	3,726
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#### Sat Dec 28 A Millwall Wed Jan 1 H Portsmouth

#### Sat Jan 4 FAC3

#### Sat Jan 11 H Leicester City Sat Jan 18 A Barnsley

#### Sat Jan 25 FAC4

#### Sat Feb 1 H Bristol Rovers

#### Sat Feb 8 A Watford

#### Wed Feb 12 RCSF(1)

#### Sat Feb 15 A Sunderland FAC5

#### Sat Feb 22 H Brighton & Hove Albion

#### Sat Feb 29 A Ipswich Town RCSF(2) Wed Mar 4

#### Sat Mar 7 H Derby County FAC6

#### Tue Mar 10 H Bristol City

#### Sat Mar 14 A Wolverhampton Wdrs

#### Sat Mar 21 H Tranmere Rovers

#### Sat Mar 28 A Port Vale

#### Tue Mar 31 H Grimsby Town

#### Sat Apr 4 A Chariton Athletic

#### Sat Apr 11 H Southend United

#### Sat Apr 18 A Middlesbrough

#### Mon Apr 20 H Oxford United Sat Apr 25 A Swindon Town

#### Sat May 2 H Blackburn Rovers

#### Sat May 9 FA Cup Final

TBA	Portsmouth

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# **PILGRIMS PAST**

#### **SWINDON**

#### 5 YEARS AGO — SEASON 1986-87

Argyle were left without a fixture on the Saturday when Sheffield United were allowed by the Football League to postpone the match on Friday because they had a number of players down with a virus.

But the unexpected break in Argyle's fine start to the season didn't affect the players as three days later they travelled to Balckburn and won 2-1.

Kevin Summerfield pounced on a mix-up between Derek Fazackerley and Chris Price to score Argyle's first goal and seven minutes later Darren Rowbotham beat three men in a jinking run to shoot home from twenty yards via the upright for the winning goal.

#### 10 YEARS AGO - SEASON 1981-82

Argyle's dismal start continued with a 2-0 home defeat by Chesterfield before a Kevin Hodges goal earnt them only their second point of the season against Reading at Home Park in front of a paltry crowd of 2,745.

This was followed by a 3-0 defeat at Southend but on a brighter note a David Kemp goal in the 2-1 defeat at Middlesbrough gave the 'Gyles hope for the second leg at Home Park.

#### 20 YEARS AGO — SEASON 1971-72

Les Latcham's fifth goal in eight games gave Argyle victory at Oldham but three days later a Steve Davey own goal doomed them to a 3-2 defeat at Rochdale. Kinsella and Cross were the home sides scorers with Jimmy Hinch and Don Hutchins replying for Argyle.

Argyle's next game was at Home Park against leaders Bournemouth, who were just two points ahead of The Greens.

Derek Rickard gave Argyle the lead but Scott equalised for the league leaders in front of a crowd of 15,559.



# ILGRIM'S ROGRESS by GRAHAM HAMBLY

#### **GRIMSBY 2 v ARGYLE 1**

Saturday September 14th 1991

Some uncertain defensive work proved costly for Argyle, who might still have taken a point had it not been for a controversially disallowed goal in the closing stages.

Summer signing Morrys Scott was called up for his full debut in place of the suspended Robbie Turner, but Argyle were short of power in attack.

That made it all the more important they kept things tight at the back. Although it was not a disappointing overall performance, isolated errors enabled Grimsby to take a two-goal lead early in the second half.

The first goal came in the eighth minute when the defence failed to react smartly enough to a Grimsby free kick and midfielder Kevin Jobling was eventually left with the simple task of steering the ball into an unquarded net.

Thirteen minutes after the interval Argyle were caught napping again and Murray Jones increased the Grimsby lead with a close range header.

Argyle deserve some credit for hitting back when Adrian

Burrows connected with a right wing cross by Martin Barlow 10 minutes later and it looked as if they had salvaged a point when Barlow whipped the ball home five minutes from the end.

His effort was disallowed by referee Roger Pawley, who claimed that Dwight Marshall had handled, although the striker stenuously denied the offence.

**Grimsby:** Sherwood, McDermott, Jobling, Futcher, Lever, Dobbin, Watson (Smith 34), Gilbert, Jones, Agnew, Woods (North 64).

Argyle: Walter, Salman, Spearing, Marker, Burrows, Morgan, Barlow, Marshall, Scott (Clement 80), Morrison, Edworthy (Fiore 52).

Goals: Grimsby: Jobling (8), Jones (58).

Argyle: Burrows (68).

Referee: Roger Pawley (Cambridge).

Attendance: 5,432.

#### **SOUTHEND 2 v ARGYLE 1**

Tuesday September 17th 1991

Goalkeeper Dave Walter save Argyle from what could have been a heavy defeat at Roots Hall, so it was all the more disappointing for him that he played for a part in gifting Southend a later winner.

Argyle were 11 minutes from holding out to take a 1-1 draw when the ball ran harmlessly into the Argyle penalty area.

Walter thought it was going out of play for a goal kick and was allowing it to run through when Steve Tilson went chasing after the ball and forced Walter into a late challenge which resulted in a Southend corner.

Argyle failed to clear the flag kick and home skipper lan Benjamin gratefully slammed home the vital goal.

Earlier Walter's fine work had restricted Southend to a 1-0 interval lead through Brett Angell's 31st minute shot. Argyle could not have complained if they had been three or four goals in arrears at the break.

It was a different story in the second half, however, with Argyle coming more into the game and Dwight Marshall demonstrated his opportunisim once more to grab his fourth goal in seven games in the 71st minute.

Manager David Kemp re-organised his defence with Andy Morrison joining Adrian Burrows and skipper Nicky Marker at the back. Danny Salman switched into midfield with Andy Clement and Tony Spearing filling the attacking full back positions.

But again, Argyle were punished for isolated defensive errors.

**Southend:** Sansome, Austin, Powell, Sussex, Scully, Prior, Ansah, Cornwell, Tilson, Benjamin, Angell. Subs: Hall, Edwards, not used.

Argyle: Walter, Salman, Spearing, Marker, Burrows, Morgan, Barlow, Marshall, Evans, Morrison, Clement. Subs: Scott, Fiore not used.

Goals: Southend: Angell (31), Benjamin (79).

Argyle: Marshall (71).

Referee: Mike James (Horsham)

Attendance: 4,585.

#### 1991/92 SCORERS AND APPEARANCES 1991/92

#### FIRST TEAM

#### **APPEARANCES**

Division 2: Barlow 8 (1 sub), Burrows 8, Clement 6 (3 sub), Cross 2 (1 sub), Damerell (2 sub), Edworthy 2 (2 sub), Evans 3 (1 sub), Fiore 3 (3 sub), Marker 9, Marshall 9, Morgan 9, Morrison 7, Quamina 3, Salman 5 (1 sub), Scott 2 (4 sub), Spearing 9, Turner 6, Walter 5, Wilmot 4.

Rumbelows Cup: Barlow 2, Clement (2 sub), Cross 2, Evans (1 sub), Fiore 2, Marker 2, Marshall 2, Morgan 2, Morrison 2, Salman 2, Scott (1 sub), Spearing 2, Turner 2, Wilmot 2.

#### GOALS

Division 2: Marshall 4, Burrows 3, Barlow 1, Fiore 1, Salman 1, Turner 1, Wood (Millwall own goal) 1. Rumbelows Cup: Barlow 1, Morrison 1, Turner 1.

#### SW COUNTIES

#### **APPEARANCES**

Adcock 1 (1 sub), Clement 2, Cross 1, Damerell 2, Edworthy 2, Evans 1 (1 sub), Garner 2, Hodges 1, King 2, Maxwell 1 (1 sub), Morris 1, Pickard 1 (1 sub), Quamina 1, Rowbotham 2, Scott 1, Turner 1, Walter 1.

S.W. Counties Cup: Cross 1, Damerell 1, Fiore 1, Garner (1 sub), Hodges, Jones S (1 sub), King 1, Maxwell 1, Morris 1, Pickard 1, Quamina 1, Rowbotham 1, Turner 1.

#### GOALS

Damerell 2, Pickard 2 S.W. Countles Cup: Damerell 1, Pickard 1

#### **GREAT MILLS**

#### **APPEARANCES**

Adcock 3 (1 sub), Balfour 4, Benigno 1, Bull 2, Burrows 3, Clode 2, Cross 3, Damerell 5, Draper 1, Edworthy 3, Evans 4, Flore 1, Garner 6, Hodges 8, Jones G. 1, Jones S. 6 (1 sub), King 4 (1 sub), Maxwell 4 (1 sub), Morgan J, 2 (2 sub), Morris 5, Nisbet 4, Quamina 3, Pickard 6 (2 sub), Richardson 4 (2 sub), Roberts 1 (2 sub), Robotham 5, Soott 2, Smith 2, Sullivan (3 sub), Twiddy 1, Walter 2, Widger 5 (4 sub), Wotton 6 (1 sub).

#### GOALS

Damerell 4 (inc. 1 pen), Garner 3, Scott 2, Adcock 1, Balfour 1, Benigno 1, Clode 1, Cross 1, Evans 1, Hodges 2, King 1, Morgan J. 1, Pickard 1, Twiddy 1, Widger 1, Butt (Chard) own goal.

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## TODAYS OPPONENTS

The club was formed in 1881 by a clergyman, the Reverend Pitt but there is no firm evidence that he called the club Swindon Town. It was not until 1883 when his own club Spartans decided to amalgamate with another local club St Marks that the name Swindon Town came into being. The club engaged professionals in 1894, and were accepted as one of the original members of the Southern League Division 1 in which it had with Southampton and Millwall continuous membership from the leagues inception in 1894 until 1920, when they with fellow league members became the founders of Division 3 of the Football League.

It was not until season 1962/3 that Swindon won promotion from Division 3 to Division 2, and since then promotion and relegation between the two divisions have occurred at regular intervals, and in 1982/7 they spent five seasons in Division 4.

The first major success came to the club in 1968/9 when they reached the final of the League Cup now known as the Rumbelows Cup.

They met the favourites Arsenal, who the season previous had been defeated by Leeds United by 1-0 in the final for the same competition.

After a very exciting ninety minutes the scores were level at 1-1 bringing the game into extra time. With Don Rogers excelling on the wing for Swindon during this period they scored two more goals, and emerged 3-1 victors.

Season 1985/6 saw Lou Macari take over the managership of the club, and mastermind the phenomenal rise of the Wiltshire club with promotion in two successive seasons. In 1985/6 the club won the fourth division championship with a record 102 points, and the following season they won promotion to Division 2 after a series of play offs.

Two seasons later they once again finished in a play off position in Division 2 but were defeated by Crystal Palace.

The following season they again qualified for the play offs, and after overcoming Blackburn Rovers in the first two games, they were set to meet Sunderland in the final at Wembley.

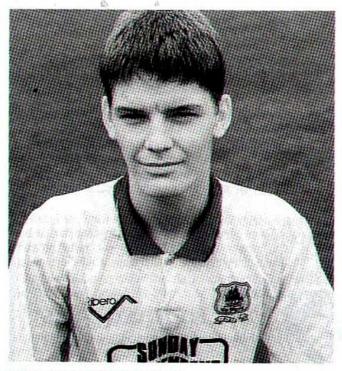
Swindon took an interval lead with a goal by McLoughlin which they held on to during a very exciting second half. The club were in Division 1 for the very first time, and as could be expected their players and supporters were jubilant. But a few days later a dark cloud decended on the club with the news that the Football League had found certain members of the club guilty of illegal dealings, and they would be demoted to Division 3 instead of promotion to Division 1.

On appeal the club were allowed to continue in Division 2 but last seasons near miss of relegation to Division 3 displayed the disappointment carried over from this bad decision.

This season with Glenn Hoddle now taking on a playing role as a sweeper, and coaching the team to play the game he knows will be appreciated by supporters home and away, the club look to be on course for Division 1, which they richly deserve.

Fred Lee

# RESERVE & YTS PROFILE



HARRY RICHARDSON

Date of Birth: 20th December 1973

Place of Birth: Plymouth

Married: No

Height: 6'0" Weight: 11 stone 11 lbs

Favourite other Player: Pele

Favourite other Team: The Brazil side of the 1970s

Most difficult opponent: Every one

Most memorable match: The semi-final played at Old Trafford against Salford in the English Schools

Cup

Biggest thrill: Signing as an apprentice Biggest disappointment: Nothing at present

Best Country Visited: Spain Favourite Food: Steak Likes: Football and Driving

Dislikes: Smoking

Favourite TV show: Only Fools and Horses

Favourite Actor: David Jason Favourite Singer: Prince

Biggest influence on your career: My Family and

Youth Team Manager
Joined Argyle: 1989
Hobbies: Snooker and Pool

Professional ambition: To become a professional

and play in Division 1

Personal ambition: Play for England

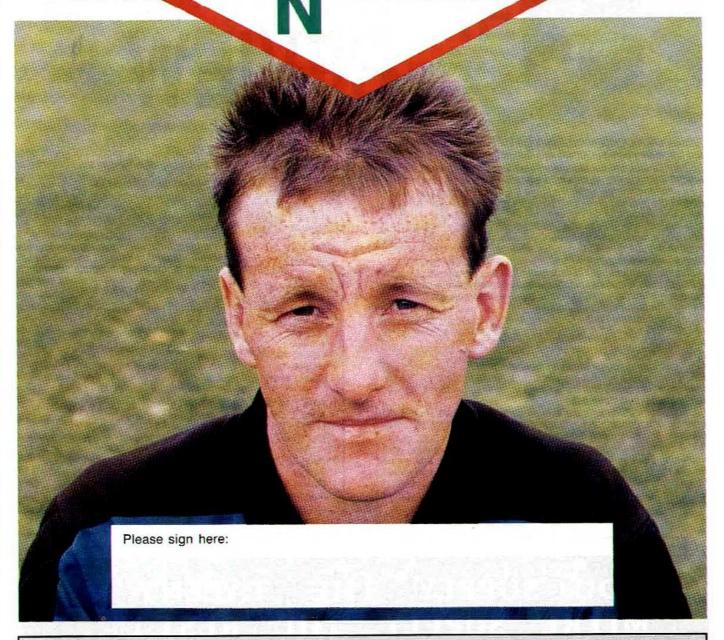
If you weren't a footballer what would you have liked to have been: To become a doctor or anything

to do with sport

Was educated at Devonport High School, and was invited to Home Park for trials. Signed Schoolboy Forms and in 1990 was given an apprenticeship. Now in his second year.

# SPOTLIGHT

STEVEN MORRIS



#### **FACT FILE**

Name: Steven Morris

Age: 25

Date of Birth: July 20th 1966

Place of Birth: Tredegar, Gwent

Married: No.

Career: Played local football at Under 12 level for a local side called Ashvale, but never played again until he was 16 years of age when he was signed for Ebbw Vale playing in the Welsh League. He remained with the club for three seasons, before joining Cardiff City as a non contract player.

Later joined Newport County which was to prove to be their last season in the Football League. He returned to Cardiff City, and later rejoined Ebbw Vale in the Welsh League. During this time he was approached by Merthyr Tydfil who asked him if he would play one game for them in the Vauxhall Conference League. He remained at Merthyr, and was recommended to Plymouth Argyle by Gordon Nisbet who saw

him play for the Welsh Club in a South West Counties League game against Argyle.

While at Ebbw Vale he played two games in the Welsh Cup against Cardiff, the first a 0-0 draw, and the replay lost by 1-0. It was after this game that the Cardiff manager Frank Burrows signed him for the club.

He would like to take this opportunity of thanking Gordon Nisbet and his close friend in Wales - Martin Williams for all their help in enabling him to move to Home Park in July 1991, and hopes he can prove a success.

He follows the fortunes of Nottingham Forest, and is keen on most sports. Like all good Welshmen regards Wales his best country visited.



# **GREAT MILLS** REVIEW

There are two Great Mills League games to report on in this issue, and home game versus Chard and the away trip to Paulton Rovers.

Chard Town were our visitors on Monday 16th September to play against a strong Argyle side who eventually ran out 3-1 victors.

As with most visiting sides, the Home Park surroundings and playing against the Pilgrims gives their players a lift and they treat the game like a Cup Final. It is only to be expected, and at times it is difficult to break down a side that is "charged up". However a pattern is emerging in these home games and patience and good football usually ensures a thrilling last 30 minutes when our players can use their fitness and skill to win the "battle".

This was the case against Chard who had come back into the game at 2-1 with twenty minutes left. Sustained pressure enabled us to press home our advantage and Kevin Hodges sealed victory with a superb

Goalmouth activitiy at the Chard end was frantic and we should have had more to show for it in the end, but a comfortable three points nonetheless.

Away to Paulton on the 21st was a surprising reversal of the trend described above. Argyle taking an early lead through Ryan Cross and Adam King, with a stiff breeze and a slope to our advantage. Several chances were missed and the half time score would have not flattered our hosts if it had been 5-0

On a poor surface with the advantage to Paulton, 2-0 should still have been enough, but two goals by the home side put us under pressure and in the end 2-2 was a bit of a relief.

The players including myself were incensed by the second goal scored by Paulton when Steve Morris who had an excellent game caught the ball and was thundered into by an opponent and ended up six yards away in the back of the net, face down! Everyone including the opposition bench thought a foul was in order, but a smiling referee awarded a goal.

A good test of discipline for our players who did not over-protest and got on with the job in hand.

We do not seem to be very popular on our travels with officials, which confuses me as we have the best disciplinary record in the league and don't get players booked for dissent. It is because we are professionals? I will keep you posted on my thoughts on this subject as the season progresses, to see if this worrying trend continues.

Gordon Nisbet

ARGYLE RES 3 CHARD TOWN 1: Teams - Argyle: Bull. Rowbotham, Edworthy, Maxwell, Cross, Hodges, Jones S, Garner (Wotton 83), Widger (King 45), Pickard, Damerell. Chard Town: Edwards, Deeks, Hounsell, Butt, Baddoo, Coombs, Behan, Oliver (Cottrell 56), Crabb, Clarke, Dang. Sub not used: West.

Goals: Argyle - Damerell (38), Steve Butt own goal (58),

Hodges (87).

Chard Town - Baddoo penalty (74).

PAULTON ROVERS 2 ARGYLE RES 2: Teams - Paulton Rovers: Selway, Woodman, Dicks, Jefferies, Staines, Hooper, Cutler, Ford, Murden, James, Minall. Subs: Colburn, McKelvaney.

Argyle: Morris, Rowbotham, Wotton, Maxwell, Cross, King, Hodges, Garner, Pickard, Evans, Jones S, Subs: Richardson, Widger.

Goals: Paulton Rovers - Cutler (49), Staines (80).

Argyle: Cross (3), King (35).

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# **SOUTH WEST** COUNTIES REPORT

Argyle Reserves took on Swansea City in the South West Counties League on Wednesday 25th September at Home Park. Due to their Rumbelows Cup comitements of playing Tottenham Hotspur on the Wednesday evening, Swansea City brought a fairly weak reserve side to Argyle on this afternoon therefore, Argyle dominated the proceedings but for all their control of the game they only came away with three goals to show for it. Steve Morris the Goalkeeper was hardly tested, but had to make a smart save later on in the second half, when one of the Swansea forwards burst through to maintain a clean sheet. Cross and Edworthy always looked in control and were well backed up by Rowbotham and Clement at full back. Clement even emerged to have 5 or 6 shots. Unfortunately, none of them were on target but his work rate and ability to join in the play were very good. Mark Damerell responded well to the call up to the first team, all be it as substitute in the previous game, and had a very good game even by his standards. He produced a lot of telling crosses and was very good on free kicks and corners. He scored the opening goal in the first half following a very good cross by Jason Rowbotham and a good flicked header by Owen Pickard which the keeper knocked out and Damerell scored from the rebound. People who were at the game might be interested in the fact that the Argyle side stayed on the pitch at half time and Gordon Nisbet and myself spoke to the players, trying to keep them concentrating on their job, and not letting their performances drop, as it had done in the last two home performances, where we came in after a good first half but the second half tended to tail away in a disappointing fashion. Today, because of the opposition, the performance carried on from the first half and we scored another goal from Pickard although really we were fairly disappointed because we felt we could have perhaps scored a few more goals.

Having been at Argyle for a little less than two seasons, it may be difficult for the life-long supporters to think that I understand the hopes and desires of the Argyle fan. The set up in the club is better now and relations with the town and junior leagues are vastly improved and with the staff that the Manager has brought in, we are improving the quality of players at every level in the club.

I deal with many letters from various charities who write in and Argyle always support their local ones in some shape or form.

But what the supporters judge the club by is the first team, we are improving this but it does not happen overnight. The Manager demands more performances, like the Middlesbrough match, which everyone said was a good and exciting game. We are still working to improve the quality of our game.

Something else which is 100% better is the spirit throughout the club from the players and staff. Everyone is now pulling together for the good of Argyle and it is rare now to experience games like the Charlton home game, where the players know they let the supporters and themselves down.

Professional Football clubs are now in a new era, we can all rememeber the good old days where there were better players and better games, cheaper prices and bigger crowds, unfortunately those days have gone and clubs have to market the game and themselves differently, but be assured everyone at Argyle are working for a better future for all concerned.

Alan Gillett

#### ARGYLE RES 3, SWANSEA CITY RES 0

Teams: Argyle: Morris, Rowbotham, Clement, Edworthy, Cross, King, Hodges, Garner, Turner (Evans 35), Pickard,

Damerell, Sub not used: Maxwell.

Swansea City: Bracey, Vowles, Freeman, Trick, Philpott (Barnhouse 70), Davies, Twose, Denham, Moran (Elsey 56), Bishop, Coates.

Goals: Argyle: Damerell (34), Pickard (42, 85).

For the actively energetic of you amongst today's crowd, (and there must be some) you may be interested to know, the THE FAR POST CLUB are actively looking for quality players to join the club's energetic sports teams. In other words, Darts on Monday and Pool on Wednesday and Thursday, in the Plymouth and District and Whitbread Leagues respectively.

This years Darts team will again be captained by Paul "Happy" McFarlane; Paul is referred to as "Happy" for his superb impression of being permanently miserable. On a more serious note the team would welcome quality players, to represent the team, as we are fed up, with permanently being wooden spoon winners!!

The Wednesday Pool team will have a new captain in Gary "Physco" Williams so called because of his resemblance to Vinny Jones. He will be ably backed up by Ladies Devon Pool Player, Sheila Cameron, who doesn't have a nickname because if she did, no one would dare dream of using it! The Whitbread Pool team on Thursdays will be captained by Plymouth Player Steve Chilvers, backed up Secretarial-wise by Nigel "Hitman" Welch so called because of his love of Liverpool, mention anything derogatory, and yes, you get Hit!

If any of you in today's crowd would like the opportunity to participate in the club's teams, membership of THE FAR POST CLUB is still available, and application forms are available from the secretary.

Let's hope we have a successful season on and off the pitch.

Paul Thomas





Robert Lee (Charlton) slips past Tony Spearing in the recent 2-0 defeat at Home Park.



Dwight Marshall finds his route to goal blocked by Colin Walsh (left) and Scott Minto (right)....



Martin Barlow makes sure he gets his body between the ball and his marker.

### RESERVES IN ACTION



Owen's Double... Above - Argyle striker Owen Pickard heads past Swansea City 'keeper Lee Bracey for his first and Argyle's second goal in the recent 3-0 Clifton Stockbrokers victory at Home Park.

**Below** - Pickard shows perfect poise as he shapes to hit home his second from 20 yards in the same match.

Photographs courtesy of Rob Howarth, Evening Herald.



### FAR POST CLUB



And we think we've got problems — 7-year-old Argyle supporter Dean White, who has had two liver transplants rejected by his body, pictured during his recent visit to Home Park. The visit was arranged by the Far Post Club and manager Gordon Ward said: "Dean's bravery should be an example to us all".



Mark Damerell smiles as he opens the scoring against Swansea but 'keeper Lee Bracey curses his luck after seeing his spectacular one-handed save count for nothing. 

Photograph courtesy of Rob Howarth, Evening Herald.

### TODAYS OPPOSITION



Back Row: From L to R. Colin Calderwood, Adrian Viveash, Richard Green, Fraser Digby, Shaun Taylor, Nicky Hammond, David Mitchell, Nestor Lorenzo, Steve White.

Middle Row: From L to R: John Trollope (Youth Team Manager), Nicky Summerbee, Darren Hall, Paul Trollope, Edwin Murray, Fitzroy Simpson, Shaun Close, Steve Foley, Martin Ling, Andy Rowland (Reserve Team Manager).

Front Row: From L to R: Kevin Morris (Physiotherapist), Paul Hunt, David Bennett, Ross Maclaren, Duncan Shearer, Glenn Hoddle (Manager), John Gorman (Asst. Manager), Tom Jones, David Kerslake, Micky Hazard, Eddie Buckley (Kit Manager).

#### SWINDON TOWN

Glenn Hoddle (Manager). Born Hayes. November 27th 1957. Glenn moved to the County Ground during the late part of last season, and was faced with the task of keeping the club in Division 2. This was accomplished by a two point margin over relegated West Bromwich Albion. This season he has been playing himself in a sweeper position, and with his experience and passing skills the club have greatly benefitted, and are one of the divisions early challengers.

Fraser Digby (Goalkeeper). Born Sheffield. April 23rd 1967. Height 6'1". A highly rated goalkeeper who has played for the England Under 21 side. Spent two loan periods with Swindon before joining the club from Manchester United. Has been out of the side recently with an injury, and his deputy Nicky Hammond is making it difficult for him to regain his position.

Nicky Hammond (Goalkeeper). Born Hornchurch. September 7th 1967. Height 6'0''. Served his apprenticeship with Arsenal, but never made a first team league appearance for The Gunners. Had loan spells with Bristol-Rovers, Peterborough and Aberdeen before moving to Swindon in 1987/8. Has been unable to command a regular first team place because of the excellent form of Fraser Digby, but always performs well when called upon for first team duty.

Adrian Viveash (Defender). Born Swindon. September 30th 1969. Height 6'1". Made the breakthrough to first team football last season after joining the club as a trainee, and has made a very favourable impression.

Tom Jones (Forward). Born Aldershot. October 7th 1964. Height 5'10". Joined Aberdeen from Weymouth Town in 1987, and made 28 league appearances for the Scottish club. Moved to the County Ground in the close season of 1987/8, and became a regular first team player. Has been playing in a more defensive role during the start of the present season.

Colin Calderwood (Defender). Born Stranraer. January 20th 1965. Height 6'0". Joined Swindon in July 1985 from Mansfield Town. Captained the club during their two consecutive promotion seasons, and has now completed over 200 league appearances for the club.

Mike Hazard (Midfield). Born Sunderland. February 5th 1960. Height 5'7'. An experienced player who previously played for Tottenham and Chelsea, before moving to Portsmouth. Never settled at Fratton Park, and failed to produce his usual form, but since joining Swindon he has produced some fine performances. An attacking midfielder who last season scored eight league goals.

Duncan Shearer (Forward). Born Fort William. August 28th 1962. Height 5'10". Joined Chelsea in 1983/4 from a Scottish non league club, but was later allowed to move to Huddersfield where he developed into a prolific goalscoring forward. Was signed by Swindon in 1988, and has maintained an excellent goalscoring record, being last season's club top goalscorer with 22 league goals.

Fitzroy Simpson (Midfield). Born Trowbridge. February 26th 1970. Height 5'8". After joining the club as a trainee, he has worked his way through

the junior and reserve sides, and is now a regular first team member.

Nestor Lorenzo (Defender). Born Argentina. February 28th 1966. Height 5'10". Was brought to the County Ground by Osvaldo Ardiles from the Italian club Bari. Made 20 league appearances last season but has been missing from the side in recent matches.

Ross MacLaren (Midfield). Born Edinburgh. April 14th 1962. Height 5'10". When given a free transfer by Glasgow Rangers he joined Shrewsbury Town, but in July 1985 he moved to Derby County and was part of their promotion winning teams from Division 3 to Division 1. Moved to Swindon in August 1988 for a reported fee of £140,000, and have provided the necessary experience in midfield.

Steve White (Forward). Born Chipping Sodbury. January 2nd 1959. Height 5'11". Joined Bristol Rovers from non league Mangotsfield. For a reported fee of £200,000 he moved to Luton Town but failed to produce his early form at Kenilworth Road, and moved on to join Charlton. During his short stay with the London club he had loan spells with Lincoln and Luton and the following season rejoined Bristol Rovers. Moved to the County Ground in 1986/7 and can be relied upon to score goals on a fairly regular basis each season.

Steve Foley (Midfield). Born Liverpool. October 4th 1962. Height 5'8". An apprentice with Liverpool, but was released in 1984/5 to join Grimsby Town where his potential was spotted by Sheffield United who took him to Bramall Lane. Spent two seasons with The Blades before moving to Swindon where he became a regular first team player. Currently out of the side injured.

Martin Ling (Forward). Born West Ham. July 15th 1966. Height 5'7". Now in his second spell with the club joining them on loan during the later part of last season, but later signing a permanent transfer. Has performed well this season when called upon for first team duty. Previously played for Exeter City and Southend United.

Shaun Taylor (Defender). Born Plymouth. March 26th 1963. Height 6'1". Developed into an outstanding player with Exeter City after joining them from non-league Bideford. Was recently signed by Swindon and could prove to be a valuable acquisition.

Nicky Summerbee (Forward). Born Altrincham. August 26th 1971. Height 5'11". Has developed through the clubs youth training system, and is now on the verge of making a serious claim for regular first team football. Nicky is the son of Mike Summerbee who performed so well for the club before joining Manchester City during the 1960s.

David Kerslake (Midfield). Born London. June 19th 1966. Height 5'8". Spent his early footballing career with Queens Park Rangers where he developed from an apprentice into a top class midfield player, being selected for England Under 21. Moved to Swindon in November 1989 for a fee of £110,000, and has been a regular first team member.

David Mitchell (Forward). Born Glasgow. June 13th 1962. Height 6'1". Made 26 league appearances for Glasgow Rangers before moving to Europe to join Feyenoord. Has represented Australia at International level, and was later persuaded to join Chelsea. First team chances were very limited at Stamford Bridge, and last season he spent a loan period with Newcastle United. Signed for Swindon during the close season, but an early injury has curtailed his progress.

Fred Lee

#### PREVIOUS MEETINGS SINCE 1978

Season	Di	v At Home Park
1978/9	3	Argyle (1) 2 Bason, Binney Swindon (0) 0
1979/80	3	Argyle (1) 2 Trusson, Sims
		Swindon (0) 0
1980/1	3	Argyle (0) 0
		Swindon (0) 0
1981/2	3	Argyle (2) 2 Hodges, Cook Swindon (0) 1 Rowland
1987/8	2	Argyle (1) 1 Evans Swindon (0) 0
1988/9	2	Argyle (3) 4 Marker, Tynan, McCarthy 2
1989/90	2	Swindon (0) 1 Jones Argyle (0) 0
		Swindon (2) 3 White 2, Shearer

2 Argyle (2) 3 Morrison,

Shearer 2

Salman, Viveash o.g.

Swindon (1) 3 Hazard,

At The County Ground Swindon (1) 1 Carter Argyle (0) 3 Trusson, Binney 2 Swindon (2) 2 Mayes, Rowland Argyle (0) 1 Kemp Swindon (0) 3 Carter, Greenwood, Rowland Argyle (0) 0 Swindon (0) 0 Argyle (0) 2 Rogers 2 Swindon (1) 1 Barnes Argyle (1) 1 Evans Swindon (1) 1 Shearer Argyle (1) 1 Evans Bodin

Swindon (1) 3 Jones, King, Argyle (0) 0 Swindon (0) 1 Foley

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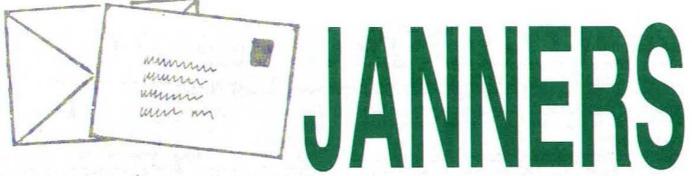
#### This was Argyle's first win at Home Park for two months when they defeated today's visitors by 4-1. From a long throw by David Byrne the Swindon goalkeeper was caught unawares, and dropped the ball for Nicky Marker to tap it home. A few minutes later Ross MacLaren made a dreadful back pass to his goalkeeper and the alert Nicky Marker was pulled down by goalkeeper Digby when running on to the ball. Tommy Tynan converted the penalty. Sean McCarthy netted two more goals for Argyle, but after this goal burst they seemed to lose their way during the later stages of the second half, allowing Jones to shoot home from the edge of the penalty area.

#### PREVIOUS MATCH FACTS

Monday 27th March 1989 Football League Division 2 Plymouth Argyle (3) 4 Swindon Town (0) 1 Attendance: 8,487

Argyle: Wilmot: Brown, Uzzell: Burrows, Marker, Smith: Matthews, McCarthy, Tynan (Campbell), Byrne, Stuart.

Swindon: Digby: Hockaday, Bodin: Jones, Gittens, Calderwood: Foley, Shearer, McLoughlin, MacLaren,



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# Postbag

#### BY THE FANS, FOR THE FANS

Dear Mike,

I've written a little poem about our favourite team and thought perhaps that you might like to include it in the programme sometime, it goes like this...

#### PLYMOUTH ARGYLE

Thankyou Plymouth Argyle, for bringing joy to me When I hear you winning, it brings a smile to me Standing near the touchline, I wait so anxiously For the final whistle, assurance of victory.

The season yet is early, I know this to be true But through hard work and cunning, Dave can pull you through

If you ever lose a match, do not get depressed Your fans who stick by you, know you are the best.

To watch you play football, so skillful is a treat
Amid tension and excitement, I cannot keep my seat
To foil your opponents, you try so very hard
And if they get too close, just show a yellow card.

Plymouth is behind you, you are our football team
We fought the Spanish Armada, with ease it did seem
So get out on that pitch lad's, and do the best you can
And even if you lose, at least you know you ran!

Cheers

Andy Almond

Any Advances - Editor.

Dear Mr Sampson,

I would be interested to know why Plymouth programmes are not available at leading newsagents the day before or on the morning of the match.

Many people do not like to buy programmes on matchdays because they have to carry, fold or roll them thus damaging them.

If the reason is because of team selection an alternative would be to copy the England programme and print the entire squad names with beside the names two columns one headed probable the other actual; printing shirt numbers

for probable team in appropriate column leaving the other column blank to be filled in, in the event of team changes.

I also think it would be interesting to read in the programme a statistic list of previous game/s e.g. shots at goal; shots on target; fouls for; fouls against; number of set plays i.e. free kicks; corners; number of goals scored as a result of set play; time ball in play; actual game played including injury time; amount of away fans that visit Plymouth at each match; amount of Plymouth fans that attend each away game.

Eventually keeping a record of such statistics which could be published at the end of the season.

I hope to contribute regularly to the Janners Postbag as I think this is a very small step in the right direction.

> Yours thankfully, D. Mavin

For the programmes to be delivered to shops in the City Centre on a Thursday evening (for sale on Friday) then we would lose all the previous weekends results and statistics. This is because the copy deadline for the printers would be Friday of the previous week.

There would also be the added problem of collecting unsold programmes from the shops in time to sell them at Home Park before the match.

Argyle cannot afford to print the programme in its thousands if they are not to be sold.

On the subject of statistics, yes it would be nice, but the programme would need a full-time editor and not a part-time one.

If we have any unpaid volunteers who have several hours to spare to compile the statistics then I would be glad to hear from them.

Finally, thanks for your letter and please do keep contributing.

Editor

### **NEWS AT TWO**

Second Division clubs competing in the second round first leg of the Rumbelows League Cup last week had mixed fortunes with only four of the twenty sides from the division managing to overcome their opposition.

Port Vale provided the only shock with a 2-1 win over First Division New Boys Notts County at Vale Park, Summer signing Martin Foyle grabbed his fifth goal of the season for Vale although an 88th minute strike by County's U21 striker Tommy Johnson has left the tie wide open. The attendance of less than 5,000 was disappointing although it was a reflection of a poor turn out all round.

The other victorious Second Division sides were Bristol City who triumphed over rivals Bristol Rovers by 3-1 at Twerton Park, Wolves who swept aside Third Division Shrewsbury 6-1 at Molineaux with Steve Bull grabbing two goals, and Newcastle who beat Fourth Division top scorers Crewe Alexandra 4-3 at Gresty Road. There was an amazing turn around at Crewe where the home side took an early three goal lead before Gavin Peacock scored a hat-trick for the Magpies to earn manager Ossie Ardiles only his second win of the season. The Tyne Side will be looking to make progress into the third round in order to draw one of the top sides to ease their growing financial difficulties. The club are reportedly £5 million in debt and are planning a second rights issue in order to gain some much needed cash.

In fact Newcastle, despite this win are a club in crisis. Manager Ossie Ardiles, reported to be receiving a salary of £120,000 a year is unable to sort his side's problems out by investing in new talent due to the club's debts "It does not make my job any easier, I have to work with the players I have got. I do what I believe in and I believe it will be successful. The players have to keep believing too. We are playing some good football but not quality football. If we were we would be winning. But there is no crisis and the supporters, who are superb, accept that. They are getting the message that it will take time".

There were several credible draws involving Second Division sides with none less than Leicester City's 1-1 draw with champions Arsenal at Filbert Street. The prospect of viewing new Gunners striker lan Wright who was signed from Crystal Palace only two days earlier attracted 20,679 fans to Filbert Street and the gate receipts of £126,596 were a club record. In fact Wright opened the scoring for Arsenal in the first half before City defender Steve Walsh equalised from a header after a set piece.

The largest crowd of the round was at Old Trafford where 30,934 fans saw Manchester United take on team of the moment Cambridge United. Despite an encouraging first half display, John Beck's side went down 3-0 although their share of the receipts together with the prospect of a capacity 10,000 crowd at the Abbey Stadium next week should have softened their disappointment. Beck was less than happy with his side's display and particulary scathing of his star striker Dion Dublin who was substituted at half time. An angry Beck said after the game "Dion was not doing it and he is like any other player at the club. If he doesn't play it our way with enthusiasm, I'm afraid he is not going to get in the team. If he doesn't work hard and get across keepers, win headers, run wide and get a sweat on, then he won't play, it's as simple as that." Dublin redeemed himself however with two goals in United's 5-1 thrashing of Leicester City at the Abbey last Sunday.

One of the best results of the evening was gained Grimsby Town who held Aston Villa to 0-0 draw at Blundell Park in front of 13,835 fans. Middlesbrough who were surprisingly held at home by Third Division Bournemouth, and Derby who were also held to 0-0 by visitors Ipswich. There were two other all Second Division clashes which ended all square with Swindon drawing 2-2 at struggling Millwall and Oxford who travelled to Fratton Park to draw 0-0 with Portsmouth.

Pompey Jim Smith has seen his side make a disappointing start to the season but considers that this is due to their inexperience saying "Over the last couple of weeks our young lads have found the going hard and although that is something that we anticipated, I feel in all honesty that some of our experienced players like Clarke, Whittingham and Kuhl have not really produced the form they are capable of to help the youngsters out."

One of the sides defeated in their first leg, Sunderland who lost 2-1 at Roker Park to Third Division Huddersfield, have lost the services of England B international forward Marco Gabbiadini who has been signed by Crystal Palace for £1.8 million. Gabbiadini, who joined Sunderland from York City for a modest fee has scored 74 League goals for the North East club in just over 150 appearances. Manager Denis Smith immediately delved into the transfer market and signed Everton's winger Peter Beagrie on a months loan. Another striker swapping clubs is Manchester City forward Wayne Clarke who has joined Wolves for a month's loan spell.

Russell Moore

#### League Division Two Table

	Р	W	D	L	F	Α	W	D	L	F	Α	Pts	Av Att	TOP SCORERS (League Only)
Middlesbrough Ipswich Cambridge Swindon Wolves Leicester Portsmouth Tranmere Charlton Southend Grimsby Brighton Derby County Brist. City Blackburn Millwall Sunderland Watford Port Vale ARGYLE Barnsley	11	6	0	0	12	1	2	1	2	6	7	25	16,354	
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Swindon	9	4	1	0	12	5	1	1	2	9	8	17	10,306	
Wolves	9	2	1	1	6	5	3	1	1	10	6	17	16,309	
Leicester	9	4	0	0	9	1	1	1	3	4	12	16	14,799	Gibson 3, 4 players with 2
Portsmouth	9	3	1	0	5	0	1	2	2	4	7	15	8,589	
Tranmere	9	2	2	0	9	7	1	3	1	6	5	14	9,426	
Charlton	9	3	0	2	8	7	1	2	1	5	5	14	6,297	Lee 5, Nelson 3, Leaburn 2
Southend	9	2	1	2	6	6	2	1	1	3	2	14	6,256	
Grimsby	9	1	2	2	9	10	3	0	1	7	6	14	6,414	Woods 3, 4 players with 2
Brighton	10	2	1	2	9	8	2	1	2	6	7	14	8,056	Codnor/Byrne 3
Derby County	10	2	1	2	7	6	1	3	1	5	5	13	11,944	
Brist. City	10	3	2	1	8	7	0	2	2	5	8	13	12,453	
Blackburn	9	2	2	1	4	3	1	1	2	3	5	12	10,081	
Millwall	9	2	0	2	8	6	1	2	2	8	8	11	9,519	Rae/Kerr 4
Sunderland	10	1	2	1	5	4	2	0	4	12	13	11	17,881	Gabiadini 5, Armstrong/Owers 4
Watford	9	1	0	3	4	7	2	1	2	7	6	10	10,532	
Port Vale	11	1	4	0	5	4	1	0	5	4	9	10	6,698	
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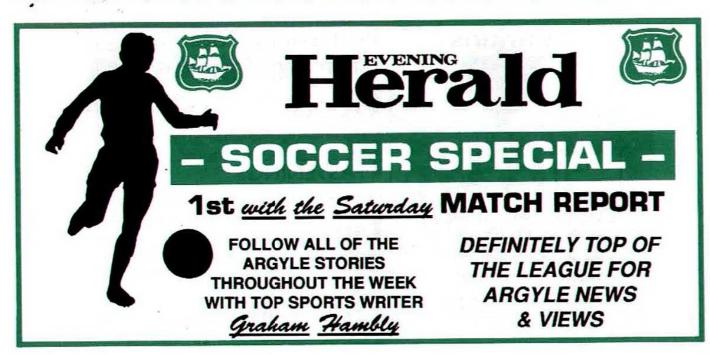
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#### TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE

- Which Football League Club has scored the most goals in a season?
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- 5. What are the maximum dimensions of a football pitch? .....
- 6. Name two players that Argyle signed from Swindon Town since 1960.....
- 7. Name four teams who have made a record eleven appearances in the FA Cup Finals
- 8. Which club plays at Edgar Street?

Questions very kindly compiled by Mr Brian Quance. Answers will appear in the Watford programme.



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Roy's hard, unrelenting work has made the Devon Junior and Minor League the largest Youth League in the country thus enabling more youngsters in our area to enjoy competitive football. Roy will be sadly missed by everyone including myself because he gave me enormous help over the years especially since I've been in my present post.

The School of Excellence has now started and we are looking forward to coaching the boys and hopefully improving their general standards and techniques. The above picture shows one of the boys in a typical School of Excellence session.

We have also started our weekly Thursday night sessions with the Associated Schoolboy Squad and apart from the boys who have already signed for us we will try to include a few new boys, to assess them for future schoolboy forms with the club. From this squad we will pick our YTS Boys for next season. Two of our schoolboys Chris Twiddy



and Jamie Morgan have already played in the Great Mills Team this season

Last Sunday we took two teams, under 14's and under 16's to Bristol to play against Bristol City. (The results are not available at the time of going to print). This was the start of competitive matches against League Clubs for this season.

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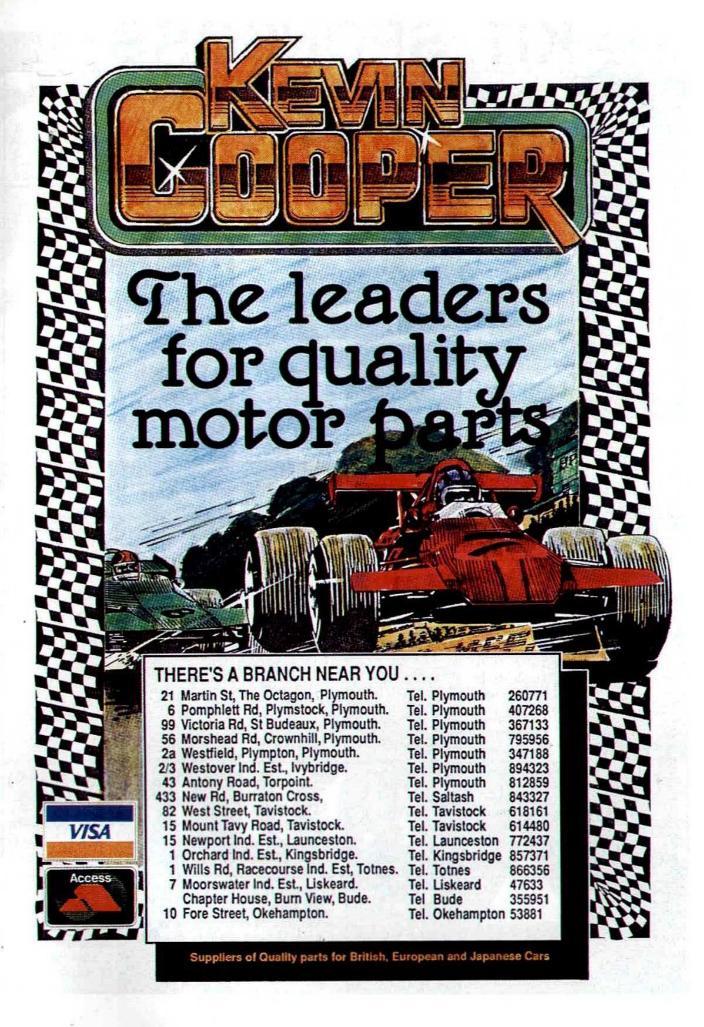
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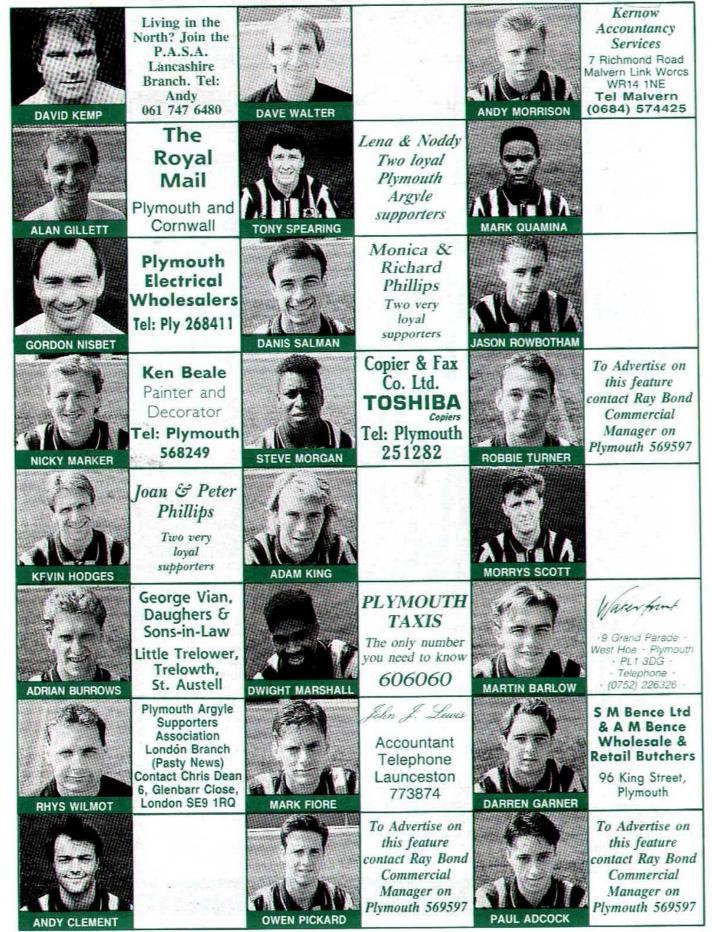
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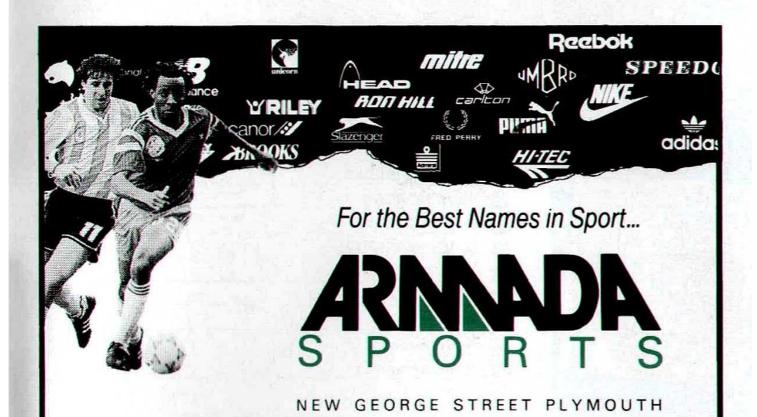
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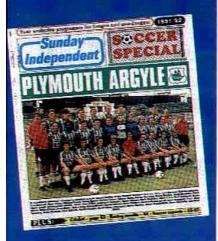


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