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SATURDAY, JANUARY 18th

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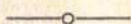


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## **Club Notes**

Following the great win against Exeter, the First Team accomplished a very fine performance in drawing 2—2 at Plymouth. The home team started at a very fast pace and gave the Swindon defence a very gruelling time by their fast raiding. After twenty minutes, Plymouth were leading by two goals, but our team was not dispirited, and led most ably by Captain Maurice Owen, fought back and soon reduced the arrears with a very fine goal by "Andy" Micklewright. Just before half-time he again headed the ball into the net, and many present thought Swindon unlucky to have the goal disallowed.

As the second half wore on, Swindon got more and more on top, but still goals would not come, until in the last few minutes, when many spectators were calling for full-time, Micklewright scored the equaliser from a splendid pass by John Richard. Andy took his goal extremely well, shooting the ball into the far corner from an acute angle as the goalkeeper advanced.

Spectators will no doubt notice that the ring seats have been removed. To those of you who regularly occupied those seats, we offer our condolences, and trust you will secure excellent vantage points inside the fence.

The reasons for the removal are :

(1) We desire to co-operate fully with the wishes of the Football Association that every precaution be carried out to ensure that no unpleasant incidents happen regarding players or officials. That everything is done to encourage the players of both sides to play the game in a most sportsmanlike manner.



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(2) The great majority of the spectators will be able to follow the movements of the players much more clearly against the white background.

(3) The view of the spectators will not be interfered with towards the end of the game by the movement of people around the playing pitch.

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The team is at present in 20th position in the League Table with 20 points from 26 games. The record of 33 goals for and 53 against suggests that the defence is weak while the attack is capable of getting goals.

Details of the team expected to play today:—

		Height	Weight	Previous Club	Born
Goal	AMOS	5 10	11 10	Arsenal	Walton
R.B.	JEFFERSON	5 9	11 7	Dearne A.	Doncaster
L.B.	JACKSON	5 9	12 0	Newcastle U.	Ashington
R.H.	RAINEY	5 9	11 8		
C.H.	PRICE	6 0	12 0	Tottenham H.	London
L.H.	NEAVE	5 8	11 7	Portsmouth	Glasgow
O.R.	WALTERS	5 7	11 0	Tottenham	Edmonton
I.R.	RICHARDSON	5 11	12 0	Southport	Reading
C.F.	LACEY	5 10	13 0	Middlesbrough	Tynemouth
I.L.	WEIGH	5 10	11 7	Shrewsbury	Flint
O.L.	FLINT	5 5	10 8	Tottenham H.	Nottingham

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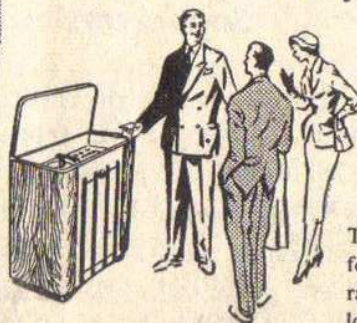
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He also has sets of photographs of well-known footballers for sale (24 in the set). These were purchased from the Spastics Society at a price which, on re-sale, would give us a small profit, but in view of our present good financial circumstances, it has been decided to hand back the profit also to the Spastic Fund.

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During a short lull in the Exeter match, a lady near us was heard to remark that she could stand at her front door, with one foot in Swindon and the other in Stratton, whereupon a deep bass voice remarked : "You shouldn't have such great feet !"

We think all supporters would like to congratulate the team on the result of the match at Plymouth—never one of the Town's happiest hunting grounds. There is a big thrill at the end of a reserve match to hear that the team has done well away from home.

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C —	Nottingham F.	v.	Leeds United
D —	Barnsley	v.	Fulham
E —	Blackburn R.	v.	Bristol Rovers
F —	Bristol C.	v.	Charlton A.
G —	Cardiff City	v.	Leyton O.
H —	Grimsby T.	v.	Rotherham U.
I —	Huddersfield T.	v.	Notts County
J —	Ipswich T.	v.	Lincoln C.
K —	Bournemouth	v.	Brentford
L —	Gillingham	v.	Port Vale
M —	Shrewsbury	v.	Watford
N —	Southend U.	v.	Brighton
O —	Walsall	v.	Torquay
P —	Chester	v.	Carlisle U.
Q —	Chesterfield	v.	Bradford
R —	Mansfield T.	v.	Scunthorpe
S —	Oldham	v.	Barrow
T —	Tranmere R.	v.	Hartlepoons

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