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Club Notes

This is the last programme of the 1957/58 season. May we therefore thank you all for your wonderful support throughout the whole year. The average gate has improved by almost 4,000 in number.

In programme No. 1, 24th August 1957, we wrote "Today is the opening of a new season, probably one of the most momentous in the history of the Club." Truly, it has been momentous, and may even yet be more so. We still have a faint chance of promotion. But frankly, how many of us, when we began the season last August, thought the time would come when, with only three more matches remaining to be played, we should be in keen competition with three other clubs for the top place in Division III.

Again we quote from the first programme "Thank you ladies and gentlemen for your support. May you have a happy season, and may we see you often, both at First Team and Reserve matches."

Finally, on behalf of you all, can we say to Mr. Head, the two trainers, and all the players—

"Good Luck! Let us see some good games, and above all, please finish in the top half of the Table."

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We take this opportunity to wish the team success on its close season tour. The players leave for Germany on May 8th, where they play two games. The first against Stuttgart Kickers on May 10th and the second against Reut Lingen on May 11th. The team will then travel to Switzerland to play Fribourg on May 15th, and the final game is at Dieppe in France on May 19th.

Today we are fortunate to have a visit from the Newark Imperials Carnival Band. The Band is performing free of charge, and it relies entirely on the collection at half-time to cover its expenses, so please be as generous as you are able. Thank you!

Many of you will have read in the press that we purchased a double deck stand from the Tattoo Ground at Aldershot. Work on its removal will commence shortly and it is expected to be re-erected on the Shrivenham Road side of the ground for the opening match next season.

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BRIGHTON		41	22	10	9	78	60	54
NORWICH	***	43	19	15	9	73	64	53
SWINDON		43	19	14	10	76	49	52
BRENTFORD		42	21	9	12	74	53	51
SOUTHAMPTON	***	42	19	10	13	101	64	48
BOURNEMOUTH		42	19	8	15	73	67	46
SOUTHEND	***	41	18	10	13	76	50	46
NEWPORT		42	16	13	14	69	63	45
QUEENS PARK R.	444	43	16	13	14	56	62	45
COLCHESTER	14972	42	15	13	14	67	72	43
PORT VALE		42	16	- 9	17	61	46	41
CRYSTAL PALACE	***	43	14	13	16	63	62	41
NORTHAMPTON		42	17	6	19	80	69	40
WATFORD		42	12	16	14	55	65	40
SHREWSBURY		42	14	10	18	48	64	38
ALDERSHOT		43	11	14	18	54	86	36
COVENTRY		42	12	11	19	55	75	35
WALSALL		43	12	9	22	53	70	33
EXETER	***	43	11	9	23	56	95	31
MILLWALL		43	11	8	24	61	86	30
TORQUAY		42	11	10	21	45	69	30
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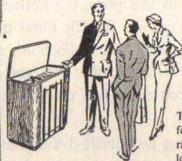
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C		Aston Villa	v.	Sheffield Wed.
D	_	Blackpool	v.	West Bromwich A.
E		Bolton W.	v.	Newcastle U.
F	_	Leeds U.	V.	Chelsea
G	_	Leicester City	v.	Tottenham H.
H	_	Luton Town	V.	Portsmouth
1	_	Manchester Utd.	v.	Birmingham
J	_	Wolverhampton W.	v.	Preston N. E.
K		Blackburn Rovers	v.	Leyton Orient
L	_	Bristol City	V.	Huddersfield
M	_	Derby County	V.	Grimsby Town
N		Ipswich Town	V.	Charlton A.
0	_	Lincoln City	v.	Rotherham U.
P	_	Notts County	v.	Doncaster Rovers
Q	_	Sheffield United	v.	Middlesbrough
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