BRISTOL CITY 71/72 FOOTBALL CLUB - ASHTON GATE



Friday, March 31st at 3 p.m.
SWINDON TOWN
No. 18

OFFICIAL PROGRAMME INCLUDING THE FOOTBALL LEAGUE REVIEW



PROTECT YOUR BONUS AND OVERTIME DURING ILLNESS BY ASSURING WITH THE

Ancient Order of Foresters Friendly Society

FULL PARTICULARS OF BENEFITS AND CONTRIBUTIONS FROM

THE SECRETARY, 3 KING SQUARE, BRISTOL BS2 8JF

.... should have a good look at the state of their windows. We are specialists in the replacement of old windows, the installation of double glazing, and supply and fitting of new patio doors. - Whatever your requirement, write or phone



Windowglaze (Western) Ltd., 159 Whiteladies Road Bristol 8. Tel. 311327.

NAME

ADDRESS

please send details of-Replacement Windows Double Glazing PatioDoors

TELEPHONE 663778 D. MUSSELWHITE

NEWS · CONFECTIONERY TOBACCO - STATIONERY

LEGO, AIRFIX, TRI-ANG SCALEXTRIC, CORGI

123 NORTH STREET BEDMINSTEP

XMAS CLUB - ALL YEAR

"In Business for Fun"

Bedminster Sports Co. Ltd.

44 NORTH STREET, BEDMINSTER BRISTOL BS3 1HS

Tel: 664483

Official Suppliers to Bristol City F.C.



Alan Dicks

WE enter the Easter programme in the midst of a very good run which compares with the winning form we showed during our best period earlier in the season.

With two home games, against Swindon Town today and Preston tomorrow, we have a chance of improving our League position even more, although the big test is likely to come on Easter Tuesday when we visit Norwich.

In the last four weeks we have taken seven of the eight points at stake and have achieved doubles over Watford and Sheffield Wednesday. This has been done with a young team and we are looking for this kind of standard to be maintained next season.

If I were to pick out one player for special mention, it must be Ray Cashley who has proved himself a most capable goalkeeper since his return to the side six matches ago.

He started off with a clean sheet against Charlton and, although being beaten twice at Fulham, he made some amazing saves. In his next three games he again kept the opposing forwards out and he conceded only his third goal at Hull last Saturday.

I wouldn't like to select one save as his best during that time. But in the last match here against Sheffield Wednesday he saved a penalty taken by Tommy Craig. No penalty save is easy, but Ray excelled with his dive and was at full-length when he tipped the ball away.

Three reflex saves at Hull in the period shortly before half-time made the difference between defeat and a draw, as far as I was concerned.

He even stopped one shot with his head when he dived bravely forward. One feature about his game which is not often mentioned is his long-distance kicking. I recall one kick from his hands at Hull that almost produced a goal chance in the second half.

Our second-half fight-back at Hull shows the character of the team at the moment. Trevor Tainton equalised with a particularly well-taken goal and I think a draw was a fair result.

I shall have more to say about the Under 23 international in my programme column tomorrow, but I'm wondering whether the 1-0 win of the East German side has yet been reported in their own country.

The chairman and I were invited by the local football writers, Roger Malone, Peter Godsiff, Herbert Gillam, Graham Russell and Robin Perry to a lunchtime reception and buffet at Harvey's on the day of the match. The occasion was to welcome members of the German press covering the match. But there weren't any!

We were all quite mystified by their absence—especially as the club had laid on three special telephones for them as well. I don't know the set-up of the German press coverage, but I bet the players themselves were a bit sore at not having their great win fully reported in their own country.

By the way, we didn't let the absence of the German press upset our lunch which went ahead as planned.

COVER SHOT

Sheffield Wednesday's defence is caught standing still as PETER SPIRING judges his perfectly-timed header to score the only goal in the last home match. Goalkeeper PETER GRUMMITT is powerless to save after a well-executed free-kick move. Pictures: Richard Hudd.

BRISTOL CITY FOOTBALL CLUB LTD.



Registered Office: Ashton Gate, Bristol. Tel. 66-4093, 66-5428

Registered Office: Ashton Gate, Bristol. Tel. 66-4093, 66-5428
Chairman: H. J. DOLMAN, O.B.E.,
Vice-Chairman: O. F. L. BROWN.
Directors: W. G. GARLAND, G. GRIFFITHS, A. R. HOBBS,
N. B. JONES, S. F. KEW, J. E. LINDNER.
Secretary: A. R. SULLY. Manager: A. V. DICKS. Assistant
Secretary: T. D. BUSH. Assistant Manager: A. N.
COLLINS. Coach: J. C. SILLETT. Physiotherapist:
L. BARDSLEY, M.C.S.P., S.R.P. Hon Medical Officers:
Dr. D. B. FOWLER; Dr. J. ANDREWS.
Formed 1897. Elected to Football League 1901. Honours:
F.A. Cup. Runners-up 1908-09. Semi-finalists 1919-20. F.L.
Cup. Semi-finalists 1970-71. Football League: Division I
Runners-up 1906-07. Division II Champions 1905-06. Division
III (South) Champions 1922-23, 1926-27, 1954-56. Division
III Runners-up 1964-65. Record Attendance: 43.335 versus
Preston N.E. (Cup) 1935 Record receipts: £13,963 versus
Tottenham (L. Cup) 1970.

Apprentice professional Vivian Fear was rushed to hospital a couple of weeks ago with appendicitis. An emergency operation was succesfully performed and he is now recovering at home.

He will not be able to play again for the rest of the season. His elder brother, Keith, captained the reserves for the first time in the 0-0 draw at Chelsea a fortnight ago.

Trialist John Ware, the midfield player signed on a month's loan from Southern League Ashford, has now returned to his former club.

Ashford is becoming quite a haven for Bristol City players. Former youth team player Neil Howell is now with them. He has been joined by two other younger players, Kevin Griffin and Greg Myatt, who are on loan.

Greg, incidentally, returned to Ashton Gate after a six-week stay at his Plymouth home because he lost his appetite for football. But he came back and has been signed as a professional for the remainder of the season.

So far in 34 Football Combination games this season 35 different players have worn Bristol City shirts. Last Saturday for the home game against Birmingham, 15-year-old apprentice COLIN LEE made his reserve-team debut.

CLUB NEWS IN BRIEF

Les Wilson also had his first outing in the reserves-playing at right-backafter recovering from a groin injury which sidelined him for three weeks.

Receipts from the Under 23 inter-national last week totalled £8,500 from the 20,000 attendance. As host club we were allowed to deduct 15 per cent of the gross 'gate' which meant £1,275.

Almost 10,500 of the specially-prepared souvenir programmes were sold, giving a profit of about £600 for the club, so it was a satisfactory night all round.

The Gloucestershire Professional Cup Final will now take place at Ashton Gate on Tuesday, May 9th at 7.30 p.m.

The game was put back a week because Bristol Rovers had a congestion of fixtures owing to the power dispute. The referee will be Don Biddle of Bristol, a Football League official.

COME AGAIN TOMORROW PRESTON N.

Second Division — Kick-off 3

HOW THEY LINE UP

FOOTBALL LEAGUE. SECOND DIVISION

BRISTOL CITY V SWINDON TOWN

Col	ours: Red shirts White shorts	Col	ours: Blue shirts Blue shorts
1	Ray CASHLEY	1	Peter DOWNSBOROUGH
2	Trevor JACOBS	2	Rod THOMAS
2 3	Brian DRYSDALE	3	John TROLLOPE
4	John EMANUEL	4	Ray BUNKELL
5	David RODGERS	5	Frank BURROWS
6	Geoff MERRICK (captain)	6	Joe BUTLER
7	Trevor TAINTON	7	Terry HUBBARD
8	Peter SPIRING	8	Roger SMART
9	John GALLEY	9	Arthur HORSFIELD
10	Gerry GOW	10	
11	Danny BARTLEY	11	Don ROGERS
11	Danny BARTLEY	11	Don RUGERS

12 Gerry SWEENEY

Referee: C. THOMAS (Treorchy)

Linesmen: H. B. WORMAN (Redditch) Red Flag
O. M. MULLARKEY (Exeter) Orange Flag



Substitute

TODAY'S BALL DONOR
Mr. and Mrs. H. Frain,
Robins Cafe,
65 Ashton Road,
Ashton Gate,
Bristol 3.

FO	R	TI	Н	E	R	E	C	O	R	D

Substitute

12

WARNING: NO PERSONS MUST TRESPASS ON THE PITCH AT ANY TIME BEFORE, DURING OR AFTER THE MATCH.

MAY WE INTRODUCE Swindon Town



SWINDON TOWN team group. Back row (left to right): Roger Smart, Peter Downsborough, Roy Jones (now Mansfield), Don Rogers. Middle row: Chris Jones (now Walsall), John Trollope, Frank Burrows, Arthur Horsfield, Joe Butler. Front row: Rod Thomas, Steve Peplow, Dave Mackay, Peter Noble.

FTER winning the Football A League Cup, two Anglo-Italian Cups and promotion to the Second Division three seasons ago, Swindon Town are in the process of rebuilding under the player-managership of Dave Mackay, successor to Fred Ford at the County Ground.

several old-established Although favourites remain the cornerstones of the side, several youngsters have been drafted in during the past few months.

Swindon, a mid-table side this season, have failed to find consistent scoring form. Don Rogers has netted only six goals and Peter Noble the same number. Arthur Horsfield is the leading marksman with 10 goals, but Swindon have scored only 34 goals in 33 matches so far.

In the first match between City and Swindon earlier in the season a Peter Spiring goal brought a 1-0 win.

Here are details of players expected to be in the side today:

DON ROGERS (outside-left) Born Paulton. He was signed by Swindon when only 15 and quickly

came to the fore. Gained many England Youth international caps and subsequently played in the England under 23 international team. Represented the Football League. Top score with 20 goals last season.

PETER NOBLE (inside-forward) Born Sunderland. Signed from Newcastle for £7,000 in January 1968 for whom he played for four years, Prefers to play an attacking role. Passed his century of League appearances last season and a regular for four years.

ARTHUR HORSFIELD (centre forward) Born Newcastle. Signed for £17,000 from Newcastle United three seasons ago. Previously played for Middlesbrough whom he joined as a youth international. Top goal scorer two seasons ago with 18 goals.

JOE BUTLER (midfield) Born Newcastle. Joined Swindon from Newcastle United in August 1965 where he graduated to the senior ranks through the club's junior team. A tenacious player whose speed and ability amply make up for his lack of inches. Ever present last two seasons.

JOHN TROLLOPE (left-back)

Born Swindon. A local player who joined the Swindon ground staff from school. He was selected for the first team at the begining of the 1960-61 season when he was just 16-years-old, and was ever present during that season and has played over 500 games.

FRANK BURROWS (centre-half)
Born Larkhall, Scotland. Joined the club from Scunthorpe United for £13,000 for whom he played for three seasons. Formerly with Raith Rovers. A strong defender who has made his mark in the first team. Since his arrival has made more than 150 appearances

appearances.
PETER DOWNSBOROUGH

(goalkeeper)

Born Halifax. Signed in August 1965 from Halifax Town where he was a product of local football. Regular member of promotion winning side of season 1968-69 and played in the League Cup Final. Has made more than 250 appearances for Swindon.

ROD THOMAS (right-back)
Born Glyncorrwg. A former youth
player with the club. He was signed
from Gloucester City in July 1964.
Has gained Welsh Under 23 caps and
full Welsh caps. Played in the League
Cup Final. Has just returned after
a long absence through illness.

ROGER SMART (midfield)
Swindon-born, joned the club from
the local schoolboys side. Started
at 17 as a centre-forward but has
since dropped back. He was a member
of the successful side of late '60's
but lost his place as a regular last
season and is just back in the side.

RAY BUNKELL (midfield)
Born at Tottenham, he played reguarly
in the Spurs Football Combination side
until the end of last season when he
was granted a free transfer. Aged 22,
he was interviewed by several clubs—



• FRANK BURROWS

including Bristol City—before deciding to join Swindon. A former England youth international, he is now establishing himself as a regular in the Swindon side.

TERRY HUBBARD (forward)
Made his first senior appearance as
substitute against Queen's Park Rangers
last season. Newport-born, he joined
the club as an apprentice before being
taken on as a full-time professional
in 1969. Has made several League
appearances this season as Swindon
re-build for the future.

I'm in charge

(Treorchy)

Clive Thomas from the Rhondda started refereeing at the age of 16 after playing for Norwich City for a short time. Promoted to the Football League line from the Welsh League in 1964 and became a Football League referee in 1966. He is also a member of the F.I.F.A. list.

Some of the more important matches he has officiated in are: 1968 Inter Cities Fairs Cup—Hibernian v. Leeds United; 1969 Inter Cities Fairs Cup—Arsenal v. Glentoran and Coleraine v. R.S.C. Anderlecht; 1970 Under 23 International—England v. Scotland; 1970 Welsh Cup Final—Cardiff City v. Chester; 1971 Scotland v. England at Hampden.

Mr. Thomas, general secretary of the Boys' Clubs of Wales, is married with two

daughters. His hobbies are basketball and table tennis.

GRAND HOTEL

- BORDEAUX ROOM
- RESTAURANT
- 3 SPECIALITY BARS
 Telephone BRISTOL 21645

FOUR STARS A.A. R.A.C.

- COCKTAIL BAR
- RESTAURANT
- DINNER DANCE

Telephone BRISTOL 38955

GRAND SPA HOTEL

HELP! HELP!

We of the Bristol City Promotion and Development Association are trying to raise more money for the Club, by increasing the sales of our

INSTANT BINGO TICKETS

This appeal is to those dedicated supporters who would be willing to give that little extra help to the club, by selling these tickets. OUR TARGET is £500 per week, so we do need all the help we can get. CAN WE COUNT ON YOURS? For details Telephone 66-5428 or call at the Bingo Office—TED PACKER

FREEMAN SPORTS

(D. P. Freeman Ltd.)

16 NELSON STREET BRISTOL 1

Tel: BRISTOL 21349

"The Robins rely on us for football kit—why don't you?"

TRAVEL BY

Wessex Coaches

AND BE THERE FOR THE KICK-OFF

TELEPHONE ENQUIRIES
34001

Personality of the week

Born Bristol

Age 20

Signed Professional July 1969.

Previous Club Bath City (as an amateur)

Debut v. Leicester City (F.L. Cup, Nov. 3, 1970)

Country played in France

Most memorable match His debut when he scored a goal

Honours
Bristol Boys (captain),
England Boys, Bristol
Senior Schools

Ambition
To become established in the first team and reach the top in football

Other sports
All sports, especially cricket and golf

Player most admired Bobby Charlton

Appearances up to this season Nine

Goals One



No. 18 - DAVID RODGERS

HALF-TIME SCOREBOARD

A	MANCHESTER CITY WEST BROMWICH	K	BRIGHTON TORQUAY
В	TOTTENHAM COVENTRY	L	TRANMERE HALIFAX
С	WEST HAM SELECTION SELECTI	M	YORK ROTHERHAM
D	CHARLTON ORIENT*	N	ALDERSHOT CAMBRIDGE
E	MIDDLESBROUGH LUTON	P	BRENTFORD CHESTER*
F	MILLWALL / PORTSMOUTH O	R	COLCHESTER NORTHAMPTON
G	OXFORD BIRMINGHAM	S	CREWE EXETER
Н	WATFORD Q.P.R.	T	GRIMSBY READING
J	BLACKBURN SHREWSBURY	U	SOUTHEND DONCASTER

*Starred matches full-time scores.

YOUTH KNOCK-OUT COMPETITION

At the end of the season—probably in the second week in May—a youth touranment is being arranged for Ashton Gate under the auspices of the Somerset and Gloucestershire Football Associations.

Bristol City will sponsor the competition, which should become an annual event, open to Leagues in both counties willing to enter a team of Under 17year-olds.

Matches will be of 20 minutes each way and, in the event of a draw, a sudden death penalty competition would decide the result. The competition will be run on a knock-out basis.

A Management Committee has been formed — completely independent of Bristol City — to run the competition. The club has devised the idea to foster a closer relationship with amateur clubs and leagues.

Doug Cummins, the chairman of the Somerset F.A., was elected chairman with Chris Willcox, the G.F.A. chairman as his deputy. Another meeting was held at Ashton Gate last night to take the arrangements a step further.

?CityQuiz?

- 1 Name the England Under 23 international on-field player who was a goalkeeper until this season.
- 2 Who is Bristol City's chief of the local scouts?
- 3 Name Bristol City's apprentice professional goalkeeper.
- 4 Tomorrow's visitors, Preston, recently bought two Manchester City players. Who were they?
- 5 Name the two former City players who are now at Bath City.
- 6 Who won last season's Gloucestershire Professional Cup Final?
- 7 Name John Galley's previous League clubs.
- 8 Who were the two former Bristol City players capped at Under 23 level by England?

Answers on page 15

13

Down Memory Lane

SIX weeks or so ago, I received from an ardent supporter of Bristol City, a most interesting letter in which he recalled the early days of the Robins and also Swindon Town. His name Mr. John Hawkins of Portishead and here are extracts of what he wrote:

"Which club, Bristol City or Swindon Town have the prior claim to be known as 'the Robins?' On my yearly pilgrimage to Swindon it always irks me to see 'The Robins' prominent on their programme and they have the cheek to play 'Red Red Robin' as their anthem.

"Certainly for the fifty years or so that I've followed the City I have always thought and spoken of them as 'The Robins'. Possibly this 'Babes' business was derived from the cry of 'Come on my babbies' which from time to time one still hears at Ashton Gate.

"It would be interesting to know if Swindon ever played in any other colours than red or red and white. In any case, they didn't join the Football League until 1920—they do say imitation is the sincerest form of flattery."

I have every reason to believe that Mr. Hawkins's letter will arouse much interest and that I shall be hearing from City fans, particularly the elderly supporters of the club for I don't know the answer myself.

ORIGINAL MEMBERS

From one of my record books—the Football Encyclopaedia—I have been able to find facts concerning the City and Swindon. The Wiltshire club is the oldest as it was founded in 1881 and adopted professionalism in 1894.

Swindon were one of the original members of the Southern League joining three years before the City who changed their name at the time.

It is stated that the first-ever match played by the City—then known as Bristol South-End was on September 1st 1894 when they received Swindon Town who were billed as 'The Champions of the West'. The admission fee was 3d, enclosure 3d extra.

The City remained in the Southern League for four seasons—being runners-up three times. They first competed in the Football League—then known as the English League—in 1901 and finished in sixth position, so made a promising start.

by Bill Pinnell "The Traveller" of the Green Un

Swindon won the Southern League championship in 1911 and again three seasons later. During the period between 1907-14 they never finished lower than fifth in the table. It was not until 1920 that Swindon became members of the Football League.

Like the City they have had some good runs in the F.A. Cup competition in which they first competed in 1907. Three years later, Swindon reached the semi-final in which they were beaten by Newcastle United.

Many outstanding players of the good old days have worn Swindon's colours and among them was first and foremost Harold Fleming. A well known critic once described him as: "An artist with the ball, a weaver of patterns, with a subtle swerve and a great goal getter, always attractive and ever dangerous. Capped for England nine times he remained true to his first club and his name will always be coupled with Swindon Town".

Another of the Wiltshire club's outstanding players was Grenville Morris, also an inside-forward, who played for Wales on 21 occasions.

And a third of those outstanding players was centre-half **Fred Hawley** who was transferred to Bristol City for a very substantial fee after he had also played for Sheffield United and Birmingham before moving to Swindon

Town.

Hawley, I believe, played for the City's first team in the last 10 League games of that successful promotion season of 1922-23 and did exceptionally well at centre-half.

Action...Action...Action



TREVOR TAINTON bursts past DAVE CLEMENTS to get in a shot against Sheffield Wednesday.



GERRY GOW stands guard over PETER GRUMMITT after the Sheffield Wednesday goalkeeper had made a tumbling save. Pictures: Richard Hudd.

Games..Goals..Gates..

FOOTBALL LEAGUE SECOND DIVISION

Date	Opponents	Ground R	esult	Scorers	endance
1971 Aug.	14—Millwall 17—Plymouth Argy (F.L. Cup 1st Rr		3—3 0—1	Gow, Sweeney, Garland	12,612 11,248
::	21—Sheffield W. 28—Middlesbrough 31—Cardiff City	A H H	5—1 2—1 2—0	Galley (3). Emanuel, Garland Wimshurst, Garland (pen.) Galley, Gow	12,738 16,474 23,460
Sept.	4—Burnley 11—Hull City 18—Birmingham C. 25—Norwich C.	A H	1-1 4-0 0-1 0-1	Galley (2), Fear (pen.), Gow	13.593 16,659 28,745 18,748
	28—Blackpool	н	4—0	Galley, Tainton, Wimshurst, Gow (pen.)	20,352
Oct.	2—Swindon Town 9—Watford 16—Millwall 20—Portsmouth 23—Orient 30—Charlton A.	A A A	1-0 2-1 1-3 1-1 5-3 0-2	Spiring Spiring, Galley Spiring Spiring Rooks, Galley (2), Tainton, Spiring	21,383 18,100 14,039 12,575 17,772 10,074
Nov.	13-Q.P.R	H	1—2 0—3 1—4 1—1	Galley Gow Wilson	17,295 14,898 13,123 15,655
Dec.	4—Luten Town 11—Oxford United 18—Burnley 27—Preston N.E.	(2) A H A	0—0 0—0 0—2 0—1		12,921 8,056 12,909 19,738
1972 Jan.	1—Birmingham C. 8—Middlesbrough 15—Preston N.E. (F.A. Cup 3rd	A Rnd.)	1-0 0-1 2-4	Galley Spiring, Wilson	17,457 13,117 13,619
**	22—Blackpool 29—Portsmouth	A	0—1 1—1	Galley	9,923 10.949
Feb.	12—Orient 19—Charlton A. 26—Fulham (5)	A	0—2 2—0 0—2	Galley, Tainton	13,112 10,207 9,276
Mar.	4—Q.P.R. (L.C.F. 11—Watford 18—Sheffield W. 25—Hull City 31—Swindon T.	A A A	2—0 2—0 1—0 1—1	Rodgers, Galley Bartley, Galley Spiring Tainton	11,105 5,384 12,568 11,700
April	1—Preston N.E. 4—Norwich City 8—Carlisle U. 15—Sunderland (S.I. 22—Luton Town 26—Cardiff City 29—Oxford U.	7.) H			

A.B.C. CINEMA

SUNDAY 2nd APRIL-Seven days

Matinees Daily This Week
THE LOVE BUG U 1.20, 4.55, 8.35
Dean Jones, Michele Lee,
David Tomlinson

THE STORY OF ROBIN HOOD U 3.10, 6.50. Richard Todd Appearances: Merrick 36, Drysdale 36, Tainton 35 (1), Gow 33, Sweeney 32 (1), Galley 31, Wimshurst 27, Rooks 26, Emanuel 26, Cashley 22, Spiring 21, (4), Wilson 12, Gibson 12, Jacobs 10 (1), Bartley 8, Bruton 7 (2), Fear (K) 6 (5), Rodgers 5, Garland 4, Broomfield 3, Bond 2, Griffin 1 (1), Burnside 1, Parr (3).

Goalscorers: Galley 17, Spiring 7, Gow 5, Tainton 4, Garland 3, Wilson 2, Wimshurst 2, Rodgers 1, Emanuel 1, Bartley 1, Fear 1, Sweeney 1, Rooks 1.

Follow the Reserves

FOOTBALL COMBINATION

Date	Opponents	Ground R	tesult		
1971 Aug.	14—Swansea City 16—West Ham U. 21—Swindon T. 24—Bournemouth	Å	3—0 1—2 2—3 5—0	Bartley (2), Woods Bruton Spiring, Broomfield Bartley (2), Broomfield (2), Spiring	962 872
Sept.	4—Southampton 8—Chelsea 11—Leicester City 14—Ipswich T. 25—Birmingham C	H A A	0—1 4—1 1—1 1—3 1—0	T. Ritchie (2), Spiring, Broomfield Bartley Griffin Woods	895 942
Oct.	2—Swansea City 9—Swindon T. 23—Bristol Royers 27—Oxford U 30—Crystal Palace	H A A A	0—1 0—0 0—0 0—1 2—1	Woods, Broomfield	545 <u>-</u> 1,082
Nov.	6—Fulham 10—Tottenham H. 13—Q.P.R. 27—Arsenal	A H H	2—0 1—3 1—1 1—2	Broomfield (2) Jacobs Delve (o.g.) Bartley	954 2,502
Dec.	11—Oxford U. 18—Norwich City 27—Plymouth A.	H	2—3 2—1 4—2	Symes, Woods Fear, Bartley Fear (2), Broomfield, Parr	857
1972 Jan.	1—Southampton 8—Reading 15—Ipswich 19—Cardiff 22—West Ham	A	2-0 2-1 4-4 1-0 2-1	Broomfield, Fear Broomfield, Woods Broomfield (3), Fear Emanuel Woods, Parr	708 — 928
Feb.	8—Tottenham 12—Bristol Rovers 26—Fulham 29—Bournemouth	H	0—2 0—1 1—0 1—0	Broomfield Broomfield	1,023 1,045 827
Mar.	4—Q.P.R. 11—Leicester City 18—Chelsea 25—Birmingham Cit	H	1—3 2—2 0—0 1—0	Fear (pen.) Bruton, Woods Woods	800 872
Apl.	1—Plymouth Argyle 6—Norwich City 15—Arsenal 19—Crystal Palace 22—Cardiff City	H		Appearances: Ritchie (T) 27, B field 27, Woods 25, Bartley 24, Pa Ritchie (S) 22, Cottle 20, Bruto Fear (K) 16, Jacobs 13, Collier 12,	rr 23, n 19,

BALL DONORS

The club gratefully acknowledge the support of the following ball donors for the last four matches: R. G. Crouch Esq., The Boot Inn, Chipping Sodbury; C. W. Duke and Son, Builders and Decorators, Bristol 1; Cotham Hill Garage Ltd., Bristol 8; and Mr. and Mrs. H. Frain, Robins Cafe, Bristol 3.



To be arranged: Reading

Appearances: Ritchie (T) 27, Broomfield 27, Woods 25, Bartley 24, Parr 23, Ritchie (S) 22, Cottle 20, Bruton 19, Fear (K) 16, Jacobs 13, Collier 12, Bond 12, Howell 12, Gibson 9, Graham 8, Griffin 8, Cashley 8, Burnside 8, Emanuel 6, Myatt 6, Brown 6, Spiring 6, Symes 5, Merrington 4, Menmuir 4, Ware 4, Wimshurst 3, Rodgers 2, Wilson 1, Rooks 1, Milne 1, Fear (V) 1, Lee 1, Gover 1, Carnaby 1.

Goalscorers: Broomfield 15, Woods 7, Bartley 7, Fear (K.) 6, Spiring 3, Ritchie (T.) 2, Parr 2, Bruton 2, Griffin 1, Jacobs 1, Symes 1, Emanuel 1, own goal 1.

APPRECIATION

The club wishes to express its appreciation to the following bodies:—the Evening Post for the continuing assistance in the production of the programme, the St. John Ambulance for their voluntary services on the ground, the Bristol Hospital Broadcasts Society who relay commentaries on home matches to 26 hospitals, to the match-ball donors.

Supporters'Club Page

CONGRATULATIONS to Miss Yvonne Crees of Portishead who was elected "Miss Bristol City" at a function held in the club room on Wednesday, March 15th.

Yvonne, who is a cash receptionist at an electrical store in Portishead, will represent the club at the South West Area final of the National Football Queen competition to be held at Ilminster on Friday, June 2nd.

Tickets for this event are now on sale at the Supporters' Club Office, price 60p. She will also attend functions organised by the club during her year of office, the first one being the end of season draw on Wednesday, April 19th at 8 p.m. followed by a free draw for all members present and a memento of the occasion for the first 100 arriving at the club.

The evening will end with entertainment provided by the Two plus

ENTERTAINMENT

Every Friday — Bingo; Saturday, April 1st: — Bingo followed by entertainment by the Somerdales; Sunday, April 2nd — Cabaret time with Barry O'Brien, (multi - instrumentalist), backed by the Roy Osborne Sound. Compere Arthur Price.

Monday, April 3rd — Bingo followed by entertainment by The Two Plus Two; Saturday, April 8th — The M.J.Q. Band; Sunday, April 9th — The Fabulous Barton Brothers, with the Roy Osborne Sound. Compere Arthur Price. Cover charge 20p.

TRAVEL

The club will not be operating a coach trip to Norwich on Tuesday next.

A coach trip has been arranged to Carlisle on Saturday, 8th April.

??City Quiz??-Answers

- 1 Gordon Nisbet (West Bromwich).
- 2 Cliff Morgan.
- 3 Bob Wardle.
- 4 Neil Young and David Connor (for a reported £85,000).
- 5 Roger Seyburn and Robin Fry.
- 6 The Cup was shared after a 1-1 draw at Eastville.
- Wolves and Rotherham.
- 8 John Ateyo and Chris Garland.

Coaches depart from the City Ground 5.30 a.m., Canons Marsh 5.40 a.m., and Temple Meads Post Office 5.50 a.m. Fare: Adults: £2.30p, Children under 15: £1.50.

Renew your membership now for season 1972/73. Don't forget your application for participation in the ballot for Cup Final and international tickets.

Staff are urgently required to assist in the canteens situated around the ground for about an hour before the match and during the interval. A free seat to watch the match is given in return for services rendered.

Agents for our weekly lottery are wanted in all districts. Special privileges are given to all agents. Please apply at the office.

The committee extend their sincere thanks to the following artists who gave their services free for the Terry Bush Testimonial evening on 15th March:—The Roy Osborne Sound, The Somerdales, The Two Plus Two, Margaret Manns, Dave and Derek, Len Thomas, John Moore, Roy Hurley and Arthur Price.

Also to the following traders, Watney Mann (West) Ltd., Cantrell and Cochrane, Gilbey Vintners, Coca-Cola, Dayland Stores, Zohrer the Baker both of North Street, Spear Bros. & Clark, Mr. Murphy, John Knight of Two Mile Hill, John Wynn, Gem Stores, Parson Street, Roy Ashton, Ron Veale of Francis Coiffeur, and Stan Shakespeare.

			ND ME		IV oa				·	C	oals	
	P			L	F		w		L		A	
Norwich	34	ii	7	0		14	6	5	5		17	
Millwall	34		775623564336	Ö	33	16	4	9	3		22	
Birmghm	33	12		ŏ	40	12	1	10	5	10		41
Sundrind	33	9	ä	ĭ	32		4	8	5	19		
QPR	33	12	5	i	30	9	9	0	7		18	39
Midlsbro	34		0	î	27	11	42356	9 2	11	16	30	39
Carlisle	35	10	5		29	16	1	3	10	22	27	38
	34	8	0	9		11	ä	ĭ	ii	19	30	
Blackpool	34	9	- 4	2 4	34	21		9	10	19	24	
Burnley BRISTOL C.	34	10		4		18	53122	2 5 8		13	21	
	33	10	0	4		12		0	9 7	17	24	
Preston			0	2	17.5	14	0	0				
Oxford U.	35	9	0	4	60	17	2	5	11 11	13 23	32	
Portsmth	34	9 7	6 5 6	24		11		4	8	14	26	
Swindon	33	6	9				4	5				
Sheff W	33	8968	0	2 2 4 5 3	26	18	2 3 2 2 1	5 2	10	17		
Charlton	33	3	2	4		16	9	2	12	20	40	31
Luton	34	0	1	4	21	18	2	8	7	13	21	31
Hull City	34		0	D.	29	20	2	4	10	13		29
Orient	32	10	57535	- 0	28		1	4	11	13	34	29
Fulham	34	8		4	24		1	1	14	13		26
Cardiff	32	6	5		25	18		6	10	17		
Watford	33 (U)	4 t		10 [ar		22	th'	2	13	7	37	14



Printed by Lawrence-Allen Ltd., Gloucester Street, Weston-super-Mare.