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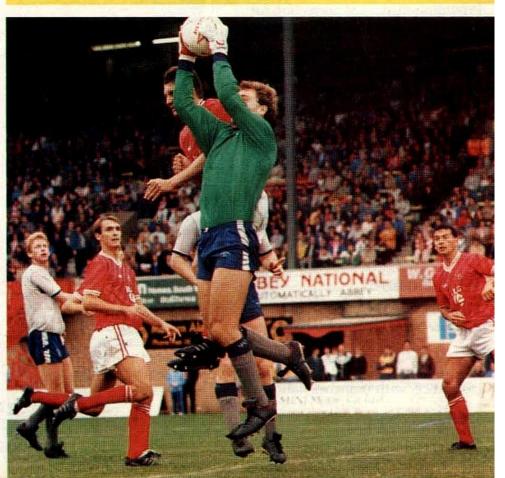
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Good afternoon to you all. Last Saturdays F.A. Cup result is now history and we return to League action with a visit from Middlesbrough. I would like to welcome all connected with the Avresome Park Club to the County Ground.

The mettle of the Tees-side Club was illustrated in their fine performance in holding Everton to a 1-1 draw in the F.A. Cup last Saturday at Goodison Park. We will have to return to our best form to defeat the Ayresome Park Club this afternoon.

Our League programme has been disrupted in recent weeks due to varying degrees of weather conditions. Fog, interrupted our fine performance against Bradford City. To be in a commanding situation where you are leading 3-0 with virtually a quarter of an hour left for play and the match is then abandoned, is fustrating to say the least.

We had some compensation from our Simod Cup win against Chelsea.

A 4-0 scoreline against First Division opposition is an outstanding result.

There was more fustration in store the following Saturday, when we spent a fruitless 24 hours in Hull, only for the match to be postponed at almost the final hour. Fog and snow, two of the winters hazards. We have to accept these situations but it makes it a fustrating experience.

We have two or three matches outstanding and we will probably face a busy end of the season schedule. We also have our Reserve team match schedule to complete and we must also not forget our involvement at Youth team level. and our commitment to the Wiltshire Premier Shield.

Despite the recent rain we did manage to play at Salisbury on Monday January 25th when we recorded a 5-1 win.

Along with the Club Secretary, I recently attended the Extaordinary Meeting called by the Football League to discuss the one man, one Club controversy. Frankly the matter enters the realms of legal jargon and is a complicated issue where league regulations are concerned. The matter will now hopefully rest, and we all hope that the recent constant talk of take-overs will subside and matters concerning the actual playing of the game will prevail.



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Last Saturday at Newcastle we simply did not perform as we can. We allowed them to do the things that will murder a side if permitted. We stood off when we should have denied them space and consequently paid the price with a heavy 5-0 defeat. A lot should have been learnt by the players last Saturday. They could have done better. It was a hard lesson but one that we can reap benefits from.

League results have been nonexistant recently due to abandoned and postponed matches. Although we have not actually suffered in the respect that we have not maintained our League position. What we have experienced is the fact that several Clubs have been able to widen the gap between themselves and Swindon Town. Points gained are always worth more than matches

still to play.

I would like to pay tribute to the emerging Nicky Hammond. Nicky came into the team due to the unfortunate injury that Fraser Digby encountered. Despite the fact that both Tim Flowers and Paul Crichton joined us for loan periods he proved equal to any challenge they could offer. Both of those players have returned to their Clubs and Nicky Hammond is installed in the Swindon Town team. Fraser Digby, when he is fit to return, faces a challenge for what was his first team place. That is the progress that Nicky Hammond has made.

Aston Villa, as I expected, have begun to look clear championship contenders. Their away form is phenominal and they probably only need a slight upsurge in their home form to clutch the title. Behind them the rest of the chasing pack are all clambering for that one guaranteed place to accompany, what I am sure





will be Aston Villa.

It is impossible to state that one Club more than any other will achieve that aim. The rest have their merits and also their deficiencies, that is why they are unable to establish superiority.

Crystal Palace, managed by my former Old Trafford team mate Steve Coppell, have been able to sell the talented Andy Gray to promotion rivals Aston Villa and yet maintain their bid. That is a compliment to Steve's ability to balance his playing staff adequately.

Middlesbrough have had a marvellous season. To move from the brink of extinction, to promotion in the same year was amazing. But to move onto the Second Division scene

and clearly establish a firm bid for First Division status is amazing. Bruce Rioch, a former Scotland team mate of mine was a saviour in time for the Ayresome Park Club.

Of the rest, Ipswich Town have shown their intention by signing John Wark from Liverpool. His return to Portman Road will boost their goal power. Two goals against Watford in the Simod Cup showed that he had not lost that instinct.

Manchester City have added Trevor Morley from Northampton Town to their staff, releasing Tony Adcock in the deal. I have always felt that City needed to stiffen their defence to make themselves worthy contenders for promotion. Leeds Utd. probably regret their poor start to the season, while the heavy spending Millwall have had a good season to date. Blackburn Rovers have begun to improve with the arrival of Steve Archibald at Ewood Park. His signing alone seems to have inspired his team mates.

Keep cheering, maybe you will see a complete game today!

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#### Wiltshire Premier Shield . . .

Following our 5-1 defeat of Salisbury City we now meet Westbury United in the Semi-Final of this competition. The match will be played on the ground of Trowbridge Town F.C. on Monday 22nd February 1988, kick-off 7.30 p.m.

Simod Cup ...

The Quarter Final match against Norwich City will be played on Tuesday February 9th at the County Ground the kick-off will be 7.45 p.m.

This match will not be all ticket and Season Ticket holders must claim their tickets for this match by 4.30 p.m. on Monday February 8th.

Re-Arranged Dates . . .

following Barclay Second Division fixtures have been re-arranged.

Barnsley (Home) . . . the City Ground after his Tuesday March 15th Blackburn Rovers (Away) ... Tuesday April 26th

The Barnsley fixture will kick-off at 7.45 p.m.

Phil Links Up With ... Paul

Phil Bell who recently terminated his trainee contract with the Club has signed for Hellenic League team Fairford Town. The Gloucestershire based Club are managed by former Town midfield player . . . Paul Richardson.

Returned to Forest ... With Thanks ...

Paul Crichton, who was on loan to us from Nottingham Forest, has now returned to

months loan period with us.

**Combination Fixtures for** February ...

Friday February 5th Watford Away Wednesday February 10th Reading Home Wednesday February 17th **Ipswich Town** Home Saturday February 27th **Tottenham Hotspur** Away

**South East Counties** Fixtures for February . . .

Saturday February 6th **Bristol Rovers** Away Saturday February 13th Luton Town Away Saturday February 20th Southampton Away Saturday February 27th Crystal Palace Home

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#### Wednesday January 13th

One of the Town's glory nights in the F.A. Cup! They upset the odds by defeating First Division Norwich City 2-0 at Carrow Road due to two second half goals by Dave Bamber.

On a rain sodden surface they thrill the rain drenched Town fans with their outstanding result.



 Phil King in action against Norwich City.

#### THURSDAY

#### Thursday January 14th

After an overnight stay in Norwich the Town party return to the County Ground in mid afternoon in bouyant mood. The press are waiting for Lou's comments as the Town are the only Club to achieve a success against First Division opposition

#### FRIDAY

#### Friday January 15th

Lou ponders on whether to recall on decision to abandon the Bradford City loan Paul Crichton to the Town goal match to town Manager Lou Macari.

or stand by the rapidly improving Nicky Hammond. Paul Crichton partly solves his problem by reporting that he has a virus. Both Steve Foley and Bobby Barnes will miss the visit of Bradford City due to suspension.

#### Saturday January 16th

Referee David Elleray again plays a prominent part in Swindon Town matches this season. Earlier this season he 'sent off John Kelly when we were defeated 3-2 at Ipswich Town. John's dismissal came after the final whistle. Today he abandons the home match with Bradford City with the Town 3-0 in the lead. Sadly for Swindon Town, the three goals counted for nil, no points and the game did not count towards Bobby Barnes' or Steve Foley's suspensions. Ironically Chris Kamara's booking did and took the Town midfield player to 35 points for the season!

To complete a sad day for the Town the Youth Team tumbled to a 5-1 defeat in their South East Counties match at Brentford.



· Referee David Elleray explains his

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#### MONDAY

#### Monday January 18th

Newly appointed Town coach 'Chic' Bates starts full time at the County Ground. First day for the Shrewsbury Town ex-Manager sees 'Chic' and John Trollope taking the Town senior players for training while Lou Macari and Andy Rowland concentrate on sion to play in midfield and hopethe Clubs trainees.

Lou and 'Chic' then travel to Watford to watch Hull City in action at City this evening. Vicarage Road in their F.A. Cup second replay against Watford. The Humberside Club are the Town's next League opponents.

#### **Tuesday January 19th**

After arrangements had been made to switch the Reserve match to Calne the previous day, the match was switched back to the County Ground for Wednesday.

Town Chairman Brian Hilliar and Secretary Dave King attend the emergency Football League meeting at the Royal Lancaster Hotel in London,

Another night of Cup glory for the Town. Chelsea are the helpless victims. John Hollin's men are like lambs being led to the slaughter. Two goal Steve White and the ever reliable Jimmy Quinn, along with a rare Tim Parkin effort, swamp the Stamford Bridge Club.

### WEDNESDAY

#### Wednesday January 20th

The County Ground jinx continues as our Football Combination team slip to yet another home defeat. A single Crystal Palace goal is enough to seal our fate.

Steve Foley returns from suspenfully impress Town boss Lou Macari to include him in the line-up at Hull

#### Thursday January 21st

While everyone anticipates the Simod Cup draw being held today the draw is held over until next Wednesday, when the Football League anticipate the full complement of teams will be known for the quarterfinals.

#### FRIDAY

#### Friday January 22nd

The squad for tomorrows League match at Hull City leave for an overnight stay. Charlie Henry, Bryan Wade, Alan McLoughlin and the injured Peter Coyne remain behind. The first three mentioned, along with the on-loan Paul Crichton, will supplement the Combination team for the match at Luton tomorrow.

#### SATURDAY

#### Saturday January 23rd

Another frustrating Saturday for the Town. With less than two hours to the kick-off the game is postponed due to snow. The travelling town supporters were probably the most frustrated people on Humberside. The second successive Saturday of no returns.

Meanwhile the Football Combination team lose by the only goal of the game at Luton, who included Lou Macari's former Old Trafford teammate Ashley Grimes in their line-up.

#### MONDAY

#### Monday January 25th

Salisbury City are removed from the Wiltshire Premier Shield in a convincing manner. The final scoreline of 5-1 sees the Town through to a semi-final date. Charlie Henry (2), Bryan Wade, Leigh Barnard and Kieran O'Regan are the Town marksmen. Former AFC Bournemouth striker Ian Thompson scores for the Southern League side.

#### TUESDAY

Tuesday January 26thAt last our Reserve team clinch their first win of the season at the County Ground by 3-1 against Brighton & Hove Albion. Two goals from Steve White, and an own goal, pave the way. The Town are drawn against Westbury United in the Wiltshire Premier Shield semi-final, the match to be played at Trowbridge Town on February 22nd.

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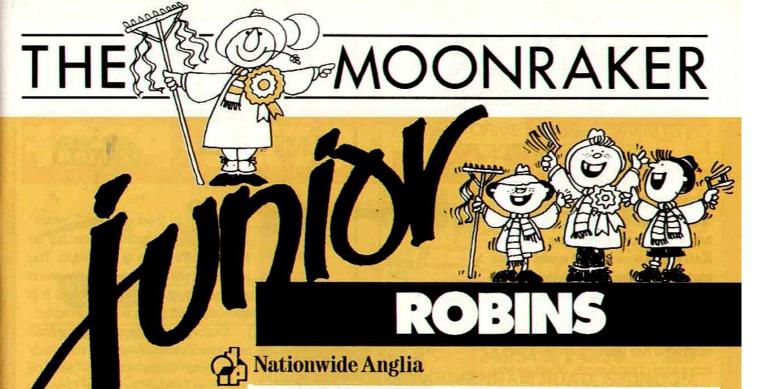
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Ciaran Boyle of St. Mary's, 10 on the 21st.

Richard Kennedy of Greendown, 13 on the 21st.

Catherine Evans of Dorcan, 14 or the 22nd

Robert Noyce of Churchfields, 14 on the 25th.

David Cox of Greendown, 13 on the 25th.

Last but by no means least to Junior Robins Supervisor, John Thomas, who, despite his birthday on the 25th, is still younger than Billy Bonds.

The Transplant Junior Robins Under Eleven team is still in need of a few fixtures so anyone interested in a game is invited to contact John Timms.

February meeting of Junior Robins will be this Monday, 8th February, 1988.

TODAYS MASCOT FROM MIDDLESBROUGH



Address ...... 86 Birch Street
Swindon

Age ..... 7 years

Date of Birth ..... 4.8.1980

School ..... Robert Le King
Junior School

Favourite Teams ... Swindon Town
Middlesbrough

Name ..... Marc Connelly

Marc attends every home match at the County Ground and his interest in Middlesbrough stems from the fact that Marc's father was born there. TODAYS MASCOT FROM SWINDON



Name .... Benjamin Paul Herbert

Address ... Blunsdon

Age ... 10 years

School ... Ferndale School
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Favourite Player ... Bobby Barnes

Favourite Other Player
Fraser Digby

Favourite Team ... Swindon Town

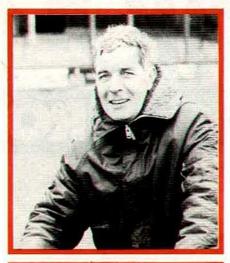
Favourite Other Team ... Spurs

Motorcyclists – keen rates for your mean machine! Hill House Hammond Insurance Brokers. Tel: Swindon 618158 'Singing in the Rain' may have been the favourite song of Gene Kelly, but it certainly could not be stated the same of Swindon Town groundsman Geoff Warren.

While the majority of people have welcomed the mild winter. Geoff is a man who has been presented with a mountain of problems. When he was asked about his concern, he immediately said, "Will it ever stop raining in Swindon?" Geoff then elaborated a little further, "Since I came here it has rained ever since, it's heart breaking."

Geoff, who resides in Clevedon and who has seen similar service with Birmingham City, Walsall and Bristol City, has seen the bast lain plans aborted. "It all started last summer, the play-offs meant that thought and as he explained, he felt work was unable to proceed. Actu- mistakes had been made in the past ally I seeded the County Ground on regarding treatment of the County the day we played Gillingham, far Ground. "The drains beneath the too late really."

problems for the Birmingham born making the ground compact. Water groundsman as he explained. "It is then difficult to release and the facilities." was such a poor summer, it was the ground becomes waterlogged. From first time that I have not had to use my point of view the biggest problem is often accompanied by this two sprinklers at a time when you ex- comes when the ground is played pect to. The amount of rain was upon when it is wet. A lot of spiking phenomenal. I have to be brutally is then required. The middle of the you will soon be aware of their frank and state that any improve- pitch is in poor condition because of invaluable help. Geoff left the office, ment made to the ground has been constant rolling." lost this season. The ground will require more work this summer should all sympathise with at present, but a dispirited Geoff Warren was than last year."



#### **GEOFF WARREN**

Geoff is an advocate of careful surface have been damaged through The summer months presented heavy rolling and all this achieves is

"The ground will require a lot more left to try to sing in the rain!

sand on it in the next 2 to 3 years." Incidentally the sand is taken not far from Geoff's home at Clevedon. The sand is actually taken from the sea is at Holm in the Bristol Channel It is then washed down with fresh water.

"During this close season we shall require 20 tons of sand on the pitch. Providing there are no play-off matches" added Geoff. The Birmingham born groundsman added, tongue in cheek. "Of course if players didn't kick the pitch up I would not have a job.

Geoff gave an insight into the consistency of the County Ground pitch. "The ground is clay based and that is a problem, but most of the grounds are in poor condition this season. What we now need is wind, a drying wind, no frost. If frost prevailed I would then have problems with the Shrivenham Road side of the ground, yet we have only had two frosts todate. It's a difficult job especially with two matches a week. The situation is not helped with no training

You may have noticed that Geoff sons, Stephen and Ian, on a matchday. If you stay behind after a game rain was lashing against the window. Geoffs difficult life, is one we Gene Kelly is now long departed,

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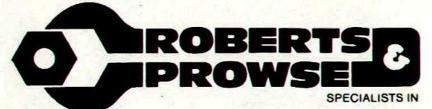


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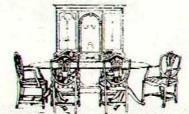
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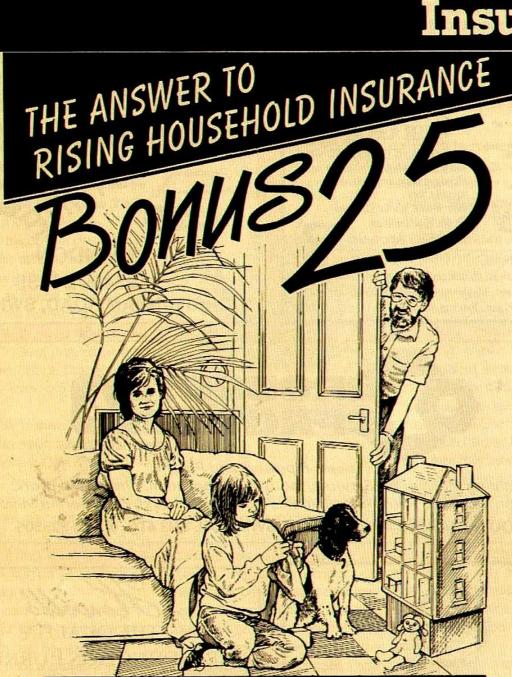


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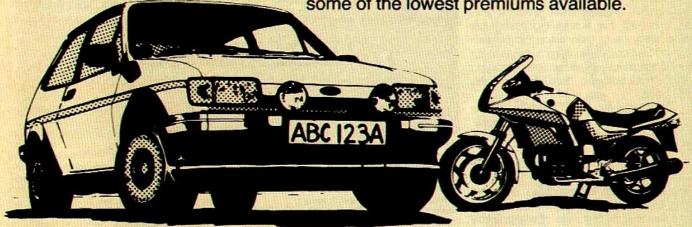
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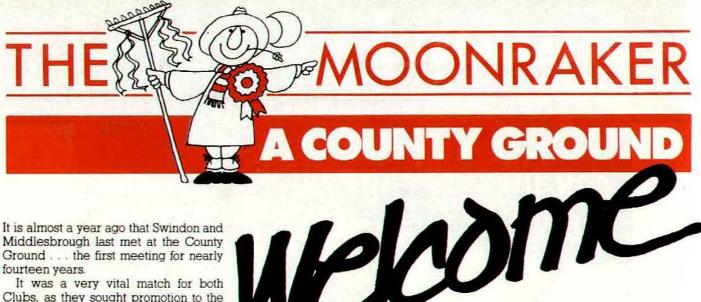








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It was a very vital match for both Clubs, as they sought promotion to the Second Division.

Swindon ran out victors from a 'controversial' Steve White goal in the second half, but it was Middlesbrough who went on to gain automatic promotion to Division 2, finishing as runners-up to Bournemouth. It left Swindon having to win promotion the hard way, via the Play-offs.

To re-gain a place in Division 2 at the first attempt was a remarkable achievement by the 'Boro', and Manager Bruce Rioch.

Ayresome Park, a venue for the 1966 World Cup, had been closed during the summer of 1986 by the official receiver and Manager Bruce Rioch was sacked.

Then began the saga of whether the Club would continue to function. Rioch continued to train the players, but the financial situation was not finally resolved until Middlesbrough had been forced to play their first home League game of the season at Hartlepool.

Hopefully the financial problems are now behind them and this famous Club can once again rise to past glories.

It was only back in 1973/74 that they ran away with the Second Division title with a record 65 points.

The Championship was won with 7 games left to play and in the end the largest margin ever - 15 points. After losing the first game at home they reached top spot in the League, after 8 games, and were never headed again.

Whilst in the 1st Division, Middlesbrough then reached the Sixth Round of the F.A. Cup three times, the Football League Cup Semi-finals once, and won the Anglo-Scottish Cup. The 'boro' finally lost their status in the top flight in 1982. being relegated together with Wolves and Leeds United.

## **MIDDLESBROUGH**

#### MEET THE PLAYERS AND MANAGER

Bruce Rioch (Manager). Appointed Manager at Ayresome Park in February 1986, formerly player/ manager at Torquay United Capped 24 times by Scotland and a member of the ill-fated 1978 World Cup team. As a midfielder saw service with Luton. Aston Villa, Derby, Everton, Birmingham, Sheffield United, Seattle Sounders and Torquay.

Stephen Pears (Goalkeeper). Born in Brandon, County Durham, but was spotted and signed by Manchester United. Joined Middlesbrough on loan after making four League appearances for the Red Devils, Middlesbrough finally managed to sign him permanently in June 1985. Ever-present last season.

Tony Mowbray (Defender). A Teessider, who played rugby at school, but soccer was his number one game. Played for Cleveland County as a junior. Signed as an apprentice for Middlesbrough in 1980 and became full time two year later. Ever-present in last seasons promotion winning side, taking his League appearances to 182.

Gary Pallister (Defender). Born in Ramsgate, but it was at Billingham, as a youngster, that he came to notice. A very tall and commanding player. Missed only two games last season. Has been trailed by the big Clubs, but Middlesbrough have turned away prospective buyers.

Colin Cooper (Defender). A local youngster, born at Sedgefield. Signed for Middlesbrough as a 16 year old in 1983. Impressive form in the reserve side earned him a regular first team place.

Gary Parkinson (Defender). A Middlesbrough lad. He forced his way into the first team squad after his prominent role in the promotion winning Central League side. In his first full season last year, played in all the 46 League games.

Gary Gill (Midfield). A local lad, who signed as an apprentice in 1981 and professional a year later Injuries have limited his first team appearances

Gary Hamilton (Midfield). Born in Glasgow, a former apprentice who has played for Scotland Under-21's. Can play in defence or midfield. Made over 150 League appearances for Middlesbrough

**By Dave Eaton** 

Alan Kernaghan (Forward). An Irish lad, who signed for Middlesbrough as an apprentice in 1983 and as a professional two years later. To the beginning of this season had made 27 League appearances.

Stuart Ripley (Forward). Another local youngster, and another for whom big things are confidently predicted. Only missed two League games last season

Bernie Slaven (Forward). Top scorer North of the Border with 27 goals whilst with Albion Rovers. After being in dispute with the Club at the end of the 84/85 season, he circulated all English Clubs to his availability. Was invited for trials at Middlesbrough. who then signed him on. Top scorer last season. The fifth ever-present in the promotion winning side

Lee Turnbull (Forward). Twenty year old Lee, born in Stockton, is another product of the Boro Youth Policy'. Looks to have a promising future at Ayresome Park - 16 Leage appearances up to beginning of 1987/88 season

Paul Kerr (Midfield). Born in Portsmouth, he was acquired from Aston Villa during the 1986/87 season. Took time to settle in at Middlesbrough but showed promise towards the final run up to promotion. Made 20 League appearances.

Dean Glover (Defender). Born in Birmingham, also acquired from Aston Villa during the 1986/87 season. Signed as cover for central defenders and hoping to force his way into the firt team on a permanent basis.

Brian Laws (Defender). Born in Wallsend, he began his career at Burnley (125 appearances, 12 goals), before signing for Huddersfield. Made over 50 appearances before moving to Teesside. Everpresent last season, until a bad injury in game number 26 against Bristol Rovers ruled him out for the rest of

Paul Proudlock (Forward). Born in Hartlepool, made 15 appearances for his home town Club before joining the Boro. Hoping to command a regular first team place this season.

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Middlesbrough F.C. - Season 1987/88 - First Team Squad

Back Row: Carl Kerr, Gary Parkinson, Ronnie Coyle, Tony Mowbray, Gary Gill, Stephen Pears, Stuart Ripley, Lee Turnbull, Brian Laws, Archie Stephens, Tommy Johnson (Physio).

Front Row: Paul Proudlock, Colin Cooper, Alan Kernaghan, Bernie Slaven, Colin Todd (1st Team Coach), Bruce Rioch (Manager), Brian Little (Reserve and Youth Coach), Dean Glover, Gary Pallister, Gary Hamilton.

#### **PREVIOUS MEETINGS BETWEEN** SWINDON TOWN AND MIDDLESBROUGH

#### FOOTBALL LEAGUE

At The County Ground

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03.04.1965 LO-1		13,672	21.11.1964	LI-4	East	14,948
04.03.1967 W4-1	Own goal, Rogers 3	14,200	15.10.1966	1.0-4		8,126
14.04.1970 LO-3		16,443	16.09,1969	D0-0		15,632
24.10.1970 W3-0	Rogers, Horsfield 2	15,219	06.03.1971	10-3		20,813
30.10.1971 LO-1		13,541	19.02.1972	LO-2		18,205
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#### F.A. Cup

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# OONRAKER

Our South East Counties Youth team defeated Bournemouth on Saturday January 9th at Lydiard Park 2-1.

It was the visitors who took the lead in the 31st minute through Mark Taylor. It was not until the second half that our Youth team drew level when Paul Hunt latched onto a through pass from Bull and beat Hartley in the Bournemouth goal. The winning goal came when Gary Marshall had a shot saved at the expense of a corner which he took for Gavin Sandrey to head home via the underside of the crossbar. Our Youth team had a lucky escape twelve minutes from time when Tony Flood's free kick crashed against the upright.

Team: Dowding, Barnett, Marshall, Hammersley, Morgan, Bell, Trollope, Sandrey, Hunt, Summerbee, Fletcher. Substitutes: Lea (for Fletcher in the 77th min.) Izquierdo (for Hammersley in the 67th min.)

Our 'Abbey National Building Society' sponsored Youth team won their Midland Youth Cup Second Round match against Wolverhampton Wanderers 4-3 at the County Ground on Monday January 11th.

A thirty-first minute penalty by Paul Hunt started the avalanche of goals. Fitzroy Simpson who had been fouled for the penalty award then crossed the ball for Dave Barnett to head a second goal for the Town. In the 36th minute Paul Hunt's centre from the left found Fitzroy Simpson at the far post and he beat goalkeeper Molyneux with ease.

Complacency crept into the Town's second half display and Jason Brice conceded an own goal with a 20 yard lob over Paul Dowding's head!





A brilliant run by Adrian Viveash down the left gave Dave Barnett his second goal in the sixty-fourth minute.

Richard Morgan conceded a freekick which Mark Freeman drove home to reduce the arrears in the 70th minute. Only seven minutes later the unmarked Steve Owen reduced the arrears further but the Town clung on to reach the next min.) Izquierdo (for Sandrey in 65th round.

**Abbey National Support** Swindon Town and sponsor the Youth team.

Dean Casserly was taken off injured early in the match and his ability was sorely missed in the second half

Team: Dowding, Bell, Marshall, Barnes, Sandrey, Casserley, Morgan, Brice, Hunt, Simpson, Viveash, Substitutes: Summerbee (for Brice in 84th min.) Fishlock (for Casserley in the 15th min.)

Fielding their youngest team of the season was the main reason for our South East Counties Division Two team losing 5-1 at Brentford on Saturday January 16th.

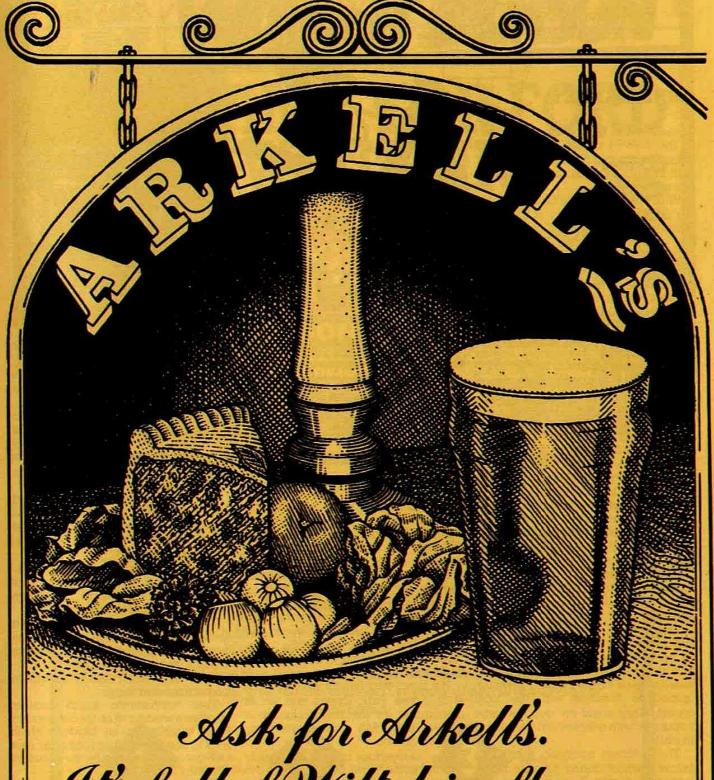
It was an ordeal for fifteen-year-old Robert Hoare from Cornwall on his debut in goal for the Town. Gale gave the 'Bees' a seventh minute lead and poor defensive play in the 31st minute saw Gale add a second. A deflection off Richard Morgan from Haig's centre minutes later, added to the Town's misery. Three minutes before half time Haig made it 4-0 to the home team.

Paul Hunt reduced the arrears just after half time when following a superb solo run he beat Peter's in the Brentford

Haig scored his second goal in the 72nd minute with a shot that went into the net off debutant Hoare's body.

Team Hoare, Lea, Viveash, Gassner, Morgan, Sandrey, Trollope, Barnett, Hunt, Summerbee, Hammersley. Substitutes: O'Neill (for Gassner in 46th min.)

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#### CHRIS RAMSEY

The self-styled 'Rambo' and terrace hero of the 1985/86 championship winning side, Chris began his footballing career with Bristol City as an apprentice in the late seventies.

With the Ashton Gate Club still basking in the reflected glory of their First Division status, Chris found opportunities few and joined Second Division newcomers Brighton for the 1980/81 season. Ironically two years later, City were languishing in the Third Division and Ramsey was preparing to turn out at Wembley for Brighton in the F.A. Cup Final.

Though settled for this auspicious occasion, Chris' appearances for the 'Seagulls' were somewhat scarce during his four year spell at the Goldstone Ground.

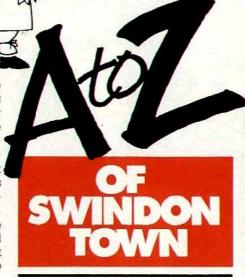
His first campaign brought only three opportunities and in 1981/82 he failed to appear at all. In the 1982/83 season as Brighton confounded the form book to reach the F.A. Cup Final. Chris made 23 League appearances but was unable to share in the Clubs greatest day

Within minutes of the start of the game against Manchester United Chris Ramsey's career lay in ruins as he was stretchered off Wembley's lush turf in

Brighton went on to draw 2-2 after extra time with the 'Red Devils' but in the replay went down 4-0 with Chris a mere spectator. .

The severity of his injury is emphasised by only four appearances in 1983/ 84 and Brighton's willingness to allow him the chance to rebuild his career elsewhere on loan to Swindon Town. An immediate favourite with the local crowd, Chris could not gain the same popularity with referees and was soon in trouble

The referees notebook seemed to follow 'Rambo' during his nine match loan period with Swindon, whether it was Ramsey himself or an opponent confronting him, there was rarely a dull moment on the Shrivenham Road side when he played.



#### By Michael Scott

Doubts about his temperament and style caused Lou Macari's interest to wane for a time, but by December Ramsey was back and tackling as hard as ever.

Ramsey proved another shrewd signing, costing only £5,000 in Swindon's shoestring success story.

1985/86 brought glory back into the Birmingham born defenders career as Swindon Town marched to the Fourth Division title. His contribution that season even included goals in both the record breaking home and away win sequences.

Chris' sweetest goalscoring moment though, must have come in the First Round of the F.A. Cup at his old workplace - Ashton Gate as the 'Town' were finally defeated in a stop-go-stop tie for the Club.

His nonchalant header in the 3-0 win at St. James' Park, Exeter, was just as memorable for the fans though, as it sealed their fifth consecutive away League victory.

The tremendous night at the County Ground as the 'Town' beat Chester 4-2 to clinch promotion also saw Chris receive one of the biggest cheers as the players appeared in the North Stand after the game. The chilling chant of 'Rambo! Rambol' scared many opposition for-



wards, but brought more humour that night and inspired a somewhat dodgy photo session as Ramsey appeared on Stratton Bank with headband, machine gun and scantily clad model.

The fantastic achievements and laughs of that season were soured somewhat as Chris' strong will resulted in him choosing to miss the sides get-together at Grittleton Manor and thus remove himself from the historic game at Mansfield.

His disappointment was total and signalled the beginning of the end of his association with the Club as he remained in dispute throughout most of the following season.

Despite the slightly sour ending to Chris' career at the County Ground, his rich character added much to Swindon Town during his time with the Club.

The memories of his relatively short spell are many, but his diving header, an inch from the ground, last season and his incident with Denny Mundee of Northampton in 1984/85 season to endure longer than most.

That Northampton match brought Mundee's sending off on the Shrivenham Road touchline in an incident which HTV almost captured and one of the best own goals ever, scored by the Cobblers Wakeley Gage.

These days seem near and yet so far as we push towards the First Division with Chris Ramsey having left for Southend and facing challenges of his own to once again rebuild his career.

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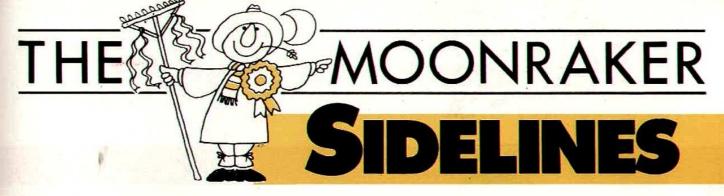
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#### THE FINAL LINE-UP Group I

June 10 - West Germany v Italy, Dusseldorf. June 11 - Denmark v Spain, Hanover, June 14 - West Germany v Denmark, Gelsenkirchen; Italy v Spain, Frankfurt. June 17 -West Germany v Spain, Munich; Italy v Denmark, Cologne.

#### Group II

June 12 - England v Republic of Ireland, Stuttgart; Netherlands v Soviet Union, Cologne. June 15 -England v Netherlands, Dusseldorf; Republic of Ireland v Soviet Union, Hanover. June 18 - England v Soviet Union, Frankfurt. Republic of Ireland v Netherlands, Gelsenkirchen.

Semi-finals: June 21 - winner Group I v runner-up Group II. Hamburg; June 22 - runner-up Group I v winner Group II, Stuttgart. Final: June 25 - Munich.

#### Planning to visit West Germany? If so this may help you.



#### Did You Know? . .

That there are nine Clubs who are current members of the 'Barclay' met in a League match...

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#### League TV Switches On ...

The Football League's own television company has won a contract to provide Granada television with a package of recorded soccer match highlights.

If the League's TV interests expand, the success could be used as a lever in negotiations with the B.B.C. and I.T.V. when the current £6.2 million agreement runs out.

#### In Over-Drive? . .

BRETT ANGELL's soccer career may be going into overdrive but he still hasn't got out of neutral when he gets behind the wheel of a car.

The 19 year old Cheltenham hotshot has just failed his driving test for the second time in two months and now hopes it will be a case of third time lucky.

"Scoring goals is much easier than Football League who we have never passing driving tests" quipped Angell.

> Meanwhile, he has to rely on the goodwill of family and friends to take him from his home in Kintbury, Hungerford to training sessions and matches in Cheltenham.

#### Not Quite Fools Day! . .

When we play Leicester City here at the County Ground on April 2nd it will be 37 years to the date from when the first floodlit game was played at the County Ground!

That was on the evening of Monday April 2nd 1951 when we met Bristol City in a friendly match. A crowd of 3.171 saw the Town win 2-1 with Willie Miller scoring both our goals.

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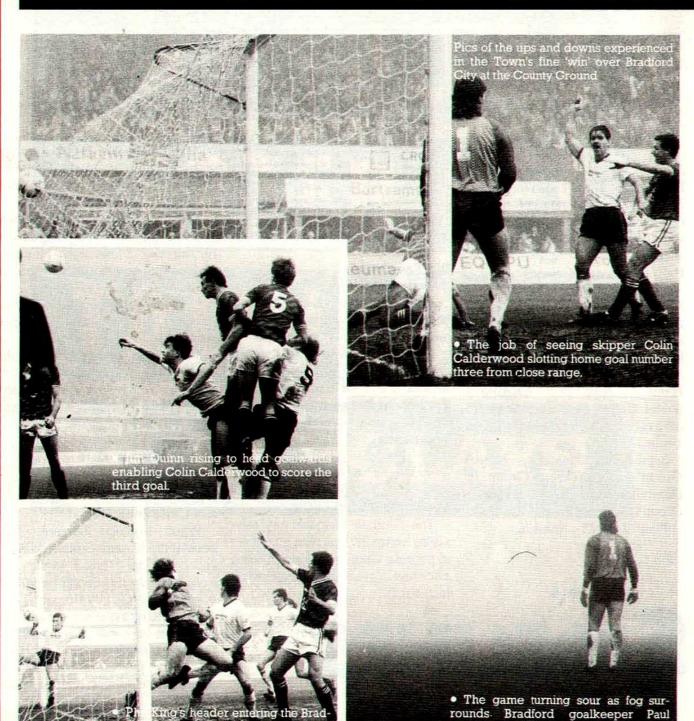
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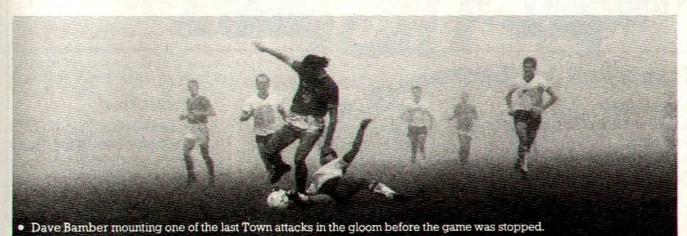


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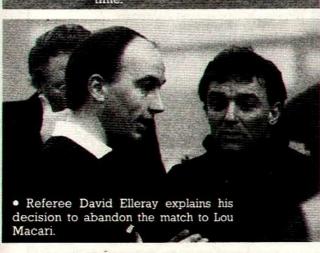


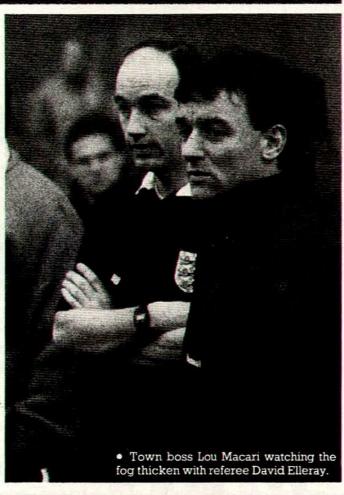
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prepare his column in this manner, with this observation in Monday January 25th's edition.

Swindon will begin their preparations for Saturday's FA Cup fourth round tie at First Division Newcastle by tonight taking on slightly less exhalted opposition . . . Salisbury.

Lou Macari's side meet their county neighbours in a Wiltshire Cup clash at the non-Leaguers ground.

It's the final first team game before the St. James's Park showdown and Macari will be keen to get his players back into action after a three-hour snow storm put paid to Saturday's match at Hull.

The Swindon party, who had travelled up to Humberside overnight, never even left their hotel while supporters coaches got within six miles of Boothferry Park before hearing the bad news via the radio.

The on-going ban of Bobby Barnes was a feature for the 'Daily Express'.

#### **BARNES WEATHER BEATEN**

Bobby Barnes will miss Swindon's FA Cup clash at Newcastle because of a sending-off and bad weather

of a sending-off... and bad weather.

Barnes, the 25-year-old freescoring winger was dismissed agains
West Brom on New Year's Day for
allegedly making a 'V' sign to a
linesman.

But although photographic evidence showed his fingers were the other way round – and he was signalling that he'd had two goals disallowed – he was refused a personal hearing and got an automatic two-match ban.

#### ABANDONED

The first game of his ban was against Bradford, but that was abandoned after 73 minutes because of fog and didn't count.

He did miss the Simod Cup win over Chelsea and would have completed the suspension with Swindon's visit to Hull last Saturday – but that was snowed off.

Barnes's bad luck, however, could let in Steve Foley who has just completed a suspension.

Former Swindon Town player, Gary Nelson, was the topic of Price's People in the Western Daily Press later in the week as Brighton prepared to meet Arsenal.

The south coast Club's leading goalscorer was surely in trepidation of the visit, considering his own previous visits to Highbury.

#### NELSON AIMS TO BURY THAT ARSENAL JINX

Garry Nelson flew off to Spain at the weekend in search of a sunshine cure for his Arsenal blues.

The former Swindon Town winger couldn't believe his luck when Brighton pulled out the Gunners as their FA Cup fourth round opponents. The Seagulls 20-goal top scorer thought he'd seen the last of George Graham's side after being on the receiving end of an amazing 23 goals in three games.

#### THUMPED

Nelson was first blasted 10-1 when he played for Swindon reserves against Arsenals first division side.

Then last season he travelled from Plymouth as the star of Dave Smith's cock-a-hoop West Country side, only to get thumped 6-1 in the same stage of the competition.

"I thought that was it. I'd never have to come up against Arsenal again. I wasn't sorry," said Nelson.

"Then I signed for Brighton and, bang, the boss only arranged for us to play a pre-season friendly against ... Arsenal.

"Charlie Nicholas smashed a hattrick and we lost 7-1

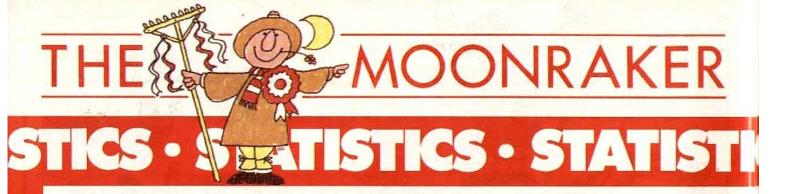
#### DESTROYED

Those three hammerings have left their mark and Nelson was grateful for being whisked off to Marbella with the rest of the team for a fourday cup break.

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18.8.87	TUE	BRISTOL CITY 7.45 (LC)	H	6,807	3-0	Digby	O'Regan	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Kelly	Gitten
22.8.87	SAT	SHEFFIELD UNITED	H	8,637	2-0	Digby	O'Regan	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood (	) Bamber	Kelly
25.8.87	TUE	BRISTOL CITY (LC)	A	7,013	2-3	Digby	O'Regan	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Coyne*	Berry
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31.8.87	MON	HULL CITY 7.45	H	9,600	0-0	Digby	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	Berry
5.9.87	SAT	MIDDLESBROUGH	A	9,344	3-2	Digby	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber (1	) O'Reg
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15.9.87	TUE	BARNSLEY	A	7,773	1-0	Digby	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber (1	) O'Reg
19.9.87	SAT	IPSWICH TOWN	A	11,460	2-3	Digby	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	O'Reg
22.9.87	TUE	PORTSMOUTH 7.45 (LC)	H	9,878	3-1	Digby	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	White
26.9.87	SAT	READING	H	10,073	4-0	Digby	Hockaday	King	Kamara (2)	Parkin(1)	Calderwood+	Bamber	Henry
29.9.87	TUE	SHREWSBURY T.	H	8,261	1-1	Digby	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	Henry
3.10.87	SAT	MILLWALL	A	7,108	2-2	Digby	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	O'Reg
7.10.87	WED	PORTSMOUTH 8.00 (LC)	A	8,727	3-1	Digby	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber (2	) O'Reg
10.10.87	SAT	OLDHAM ATHLETIC	H	8,160	2-0	Digby	Hockaday	King?	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber (1	) White
20.10.87	TUE	STOKE CITY	H	9,160	3-0	Digby	Hockaday	King+	Kamara	Parkin†	Calderwood	Bamber	White
24.10.87	SAT	CRYSTAL PALACE	A	9,077	1-2	Digby	Hockaday	King	O'Regan	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	White
28.10.87	WED	WATFORD 8.00 (LC)	H	13,833	1-1	Hammond	Hockaday*	King	O'Regan*	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	White
31.10.87	SAT	MANCHESTER CITY	H	11,536	3-4	Hammond	Hockaday+	King	Barnard	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber (1	) White
3.11.87	TUE	WATFORD 8.00 (LC)	A	12,286	2-4	Hammond	Hockaday	King	O'Regan†	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	Kama
7.11.87	SAT	LEICESTER CITY	A	8,346	2-3	Hammond	Hockaday	King	Barnard	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	Kama
10.11.87	TUE	BLACKBURN R. (Simod)	A	3,638	2-1	Hammond	Hockaday	King	Barnard	Parkin (1)	Calderwood	Bamber	Kama
14.11.87	SAT	PLYMOUTH ARGYLE	H	9,616	1-1	Flowers	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	Barna
21.11.87	SAT	LEEDS UNITED	A	15,457	2-4	Flowers	Hockaday	Kingt	Coyne	Gittens	Calderwood	Bamber	Barna
28.11.87	SAT	A.F.C. BOURNEMTH	H	7,934	4-2	Flowers	Hockaday	King	O'Regan	Cittens	Calderwood	Barnes (1)	Bamb
1.12.87	TUE	<b>HUDDERSFIELD T. 7.45</b>	H	6,963	4-1	Flowers	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Gittens	Calderwood	Bamber	White
5.12.87	SAT	ASTON VILLA	A	16,127	1-2	Flowers	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Gittens	Calderwood	Barnes	Bamb
20.12.87	SUN	SHEFFIELD UTD. (11 am)	A	7,248	0-1	Flowers	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Gittens	Calderwood	Barnes	Bamb
3.12.87	WED	DERBY C. 7.45 (Simod)	H	8,133	2-1	Hammond	Hockaday (	l)King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	Gitter
26.12.87	SAT	READING (11 am)	A	8,939	1-0	Crichton	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Gittens	Calderwood	Barnes	Bamb
28.12.87	MON	IPSWICH TOWN (3pm)	H	12,429	4-2	Crichton	Hockaday	King (1)	Kamara	Gittens	Calderwood	Bamber (1	) Parki
1.1.88	FRI	WEST BROM. (3pm)	H	12,155	2-0	Crichton	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber†	Gitter
2.1.88	SAT	BIRMINGHAM CITY	A	7.829	1-1	Crichton	Hockaday	King	Kamara†	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber†	Gitter
9.1.88	SAT	NORWICH (FACup) (3pm)	H	12,807	0-0	Hammond	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bambert	Gitter
13.1.88	WED	NORWICH (FACup)	A	12,501	2-0	Hammond	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber (2	() Gitter
19.1.88	TUE	CHELSEA 7.30 (Simod)	H	12,317	4-0	Hammond	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin (1)	Calderwood	Bamber	Oitter
30.1.88	SAT	NEWCASTLE (FA Cup)	A	28,599	0-5	Hammond	Hockaday	King	Kamara	Parkin	Calderwood	Bamber	Gitter
6.2.88	SAT	MIDDLESBROUGH	H	n Name of		A STATE OF		114 100 100	HOUSE E		200		Mr.
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13.2.88	SAT	HUDDERSFIELD T	A	I auto									
20.2.88	SAT	SHREWSBURY T.	A										
27.2.88	SAT	MILLWALL	Ħ	8 9 1 8		T	he Hi	ckm	an (	win	don) L	td	
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15.3.88	TUE	BARNSLEY	H	R 4 18	MIN NO	BANK BANK		Goal	Scorin	g Leag	rue		
19.3.88	SAT	MANCHESTER CITY	A			Jimmy C	hiinn	24 Goals				Goal (pen)	
27.3.88	SUN	CRYSTAL PALACE	H			Steve W		11 Goals			n Calderwood		

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Jimmy Quinn	24 Goals	Steve Berry 1 0	Goal (pen)
Steve White	11 Goals	Colin Calderwood	1 Goal
Dave Bamber	10 Goals	Jon Gittens	1 Goal
Bobby Barnes	8 Goals	Dave Hockaday	1 Goal
Steve Foley	5 Goals	John Kelly	1 Goal
Tim Parkin	3 Goals	Phil King	1 Goal
Leigh Barnard	2 Goals	Own goal	! Goal
Chris Kamara	2 Goals		

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9	10	11	12	14
Quinn	Kelly*	Kamara	Barnard	Henry†
Quinn (3)	Barnber	Barnard	Coyne	Henry†
Quinn(1)	Berry	Barnard	Henry	Foley
Quinn	Bamber (1)	Barnard	Foley	Henry*
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Quinn	Foley	Barnard	Henry	Coyne†
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Quinn	Foley	Barnard	Coyne	Kelly+
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Quinn (p)	Foley	Barnard	White	Gittens†
Quinn(1)	Foley	Barnard	White	Cittens†
Henry	Foley(1)	Barnard	White	Quinn (1)+
Quinn	Foley*	Barnard	White(1)=	Henry†
Quinn	Foley	Barnard	Kelly!	Henry
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Gittens	Barnard†	Barnes	Coyne	Henry+
Quinn (1)	Foley	Barnard	Henry	Gittens†
Quinn <sup>†</sup>	Foley (1)	Barnes(1)	O'Regan†	Henry?
Quinn (1)	Foley (1)	Barnard	White+	Kelly
Quinn (1)	Foley	Barnes (1)	O'Regan	White
White†	Gittens(!)*	Barnes	Henry+	Foley*
Quinn?	Foley!	Barnes	O'Regan!	White†
Quinn	O'Regan	Barnes (2)	Henry?	White
Quinn (1)	Foley	White (2)	Henry	Coyne
Quinn (1)	Foley (2)	Barnes (1)	O'Regan	Wade
Quinn (p)+	Foley	White	Parkin*	Wade†
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Quinn (1)	Foley	Barnes	White	Henry
Owinn†	Foley	Barnes	White(2)+	Henry†
Quinn	Foley	Barnes (1)	White†	O'Regan*
Quinn	Foley	White†	O'Regan	Wade†
Quinn	Barnes	O'Regan	White	Henry
Quinn (1)	O'Regan	White (2)	Wade	Henry
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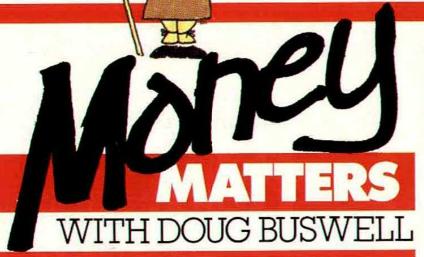
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				HOME				1	WA	Y		
	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	Α	Pts
Aston Villa	. 30	- 5	7	3	20	13	11	3	e la	28	11	58
Blackburn R,	29	9	4	2	24	12	6	5	3	18	15	84
Middlesbrough	. Z9	10	3	1	26	8	5	4	6	14	15	52
Crystal Palace	. 30	11	1	2	34	16	S	3	8	29	31	52
Millwall	. 29	- 11	1	2	31	12	5	3	7	18	24	52
Bradford City	. 28	9	2	3	28	16	5	4	5	- 14	19	48
Hull City	. 28	9	5	0	24	12	4	4	6	17	22	48
Leeds United	. 30	10	2	3	25	13	3	6	6	17	25	47
Ipswich Town	. 29	11	2	5	28	10	2	5	7	12	19	46
Man. City	. 29	6	2	7	35	23	6	4	4	22	20	42
Swindon Town .	. 26	8	3	2	30	13	4	2	7	18	23	41
Barnsley	27	8	2	4	31	20	3	4	6	11	16	39
Plymouth A		8	3	4	34	21	3	3	8	12	24	39
Stoke City	. 29	7	4	4	23	17	4	2	8	13	22	39
Oldham Ath	- 29	7	3	5	19	16	3	4	7	16	22	37
Birmingham C.	. 29	5	6	3	15	15	4	2	9	15	30	35
Bournemouth	. 28	5	5	6	26	24	3	2	7	11	21	31
Sheff Utd	. 29	5	5	5	19	22	3	1	10	13	29	30
Leicester C	. 28	5	4	5	21	16	2	3	9	14	26	28
Shrewsbury T	. 30	3	6	5	15	16	2	5	9	11	25	26
West Brom. A	. 30	6	3	6	22	21	1	2	12	12	33	26
Reading	. 28	3	2	8	12	16	3	4	8	18	34	24
Huddersfield T.	. 29	3	4	6	12	20	1	4	-11	19	48	20

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Dave Bamber	26		5	3	-	2	6		3	3	_	_
Colin Calderwood	26	-	1	3	-	-	6		1	3	-	-
Phil King	26	-	1	3	-	-	6	-	-	3	_	-
Dave Hockaday	25	=	=	3	_	-	4	-	-	3	-	1
Jimmy Quinn	24	1	14	3	-	-	6	-	8	2	_	2
Chris Kamara	22	-	S	3	-	-	8	-	-	3	-	=
Tim Parkin	21	1	1	3	-	-	6	-	-	3	-	2
Steve Foley	21	-	4	2	-	-	4	-	1	1	1	-
Fraser Digby	14	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-
Leigh Barnard	14	-	2	-	-	-	6	-	-	1	-	=
Bobby Barnes	14	=	8	1	_	-	=	-	-	2	3-	=
Jon Gittens	11	2	-	3	=	-	1	1	=	3	14	1
Kieran O'Regan	. 9	3	-	2	-	2	5	1	-	1	14	
Steve White	8	3	8	1	=	-	2	2	1	2		2
Tim Flowers	5	_	_	-	4	=	-	-	-	-	-	-
Charlie Henry	4	7	=	2	-	-	_	4	-	-	1	-
Paul Crichton	4		No.	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
John Kelly	3	4	- 1	$\pm$	-	-	1		-	-	-	R ==
Steve Berry	3	_	-	_		-	-1	-	p.	-	-	_
Nicky Hammond	3	-	-	3	-	-	2	=	=	3	~	-
Peter Coyne	S	3	-	-	_	-	1				-	-
Bryan Wade	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	=	-	-	-	-







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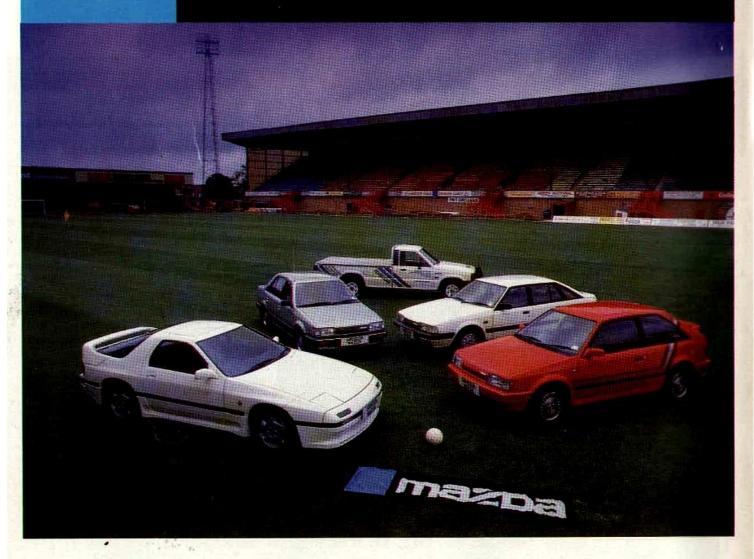
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