

FOOTBALL NEWS

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BACK TO WINNING WAYS WITH 8-2 VICTORY AT ST MICHAELS.

LANGFORD AND MANSLEY SCORE HAT TRICKS

Last saturday saw us gain an easy win against St. Michaels. However, this game must be put into perspective as the opposition was not particularly strong and at no time were we under pressure from the home side.

After 1 minute Langford broke clear and hit the ball hard across goal whereupon Warburton scored from close range. Minutes later Warburton crossed from the left and Mansley cracked the ball home from the inside right position, ten yards out. Before St. Michaels had settled down in muddy conditions the game was virtually over as a competition when Regan cleverly worked the ball down the left flank and centred. At first Langford fumbled with the ball but the defence allowed him to recover and Langford does not need too much time when close to goal. 3-0.

A slightly complacent approach by our defence allowed St. Michaels to pull a goal back after 7 minutes, this being a good goal, Chelley having no chance. Institute continued to push forward, a pleasing factor being Mansley's clever use of the drier right flank. He showed a turn of speed and direct attacking flair. Regan was distributing the ball well and again Mansley beat the full back and crossed the ball into the danger zone. After 18 minutes Harrison took a corner and Warburton, unopposed, met the ball and scored his second goal. Shortly after the best move of the game came when Langford pushed the ball out to Mansley who quickly moved down the right wing. His hard cross was met by Langford who had made good ground and the score was now 5-1.

Occasionally our defence got itself into a bit of a muddle but 5 minutes from the interval Mansley laid on a 6th goal which Langford gratefully accepted. Langford's hat trick again showed that the most basic movement in football can be the most important; good sharp shooting. Just before half time Mansley's good work on the right wing was rewarded when he banged home number 7 from a suspiciously offside position. Chelley saved well right on the stroke of half time.

The second half started quietly, there being little need for urgency. Harrison, playing well on his return sent across 2 very good corners and Nancollis by now was settling down well, giving the defence a little extra height. After 15 minutes Regan sent in a good cross and Mansley scored a good opportune goal to record his own hat trick. Diable and Johnson came on for Bennett and Langford in the last 15 minutes but by now the 'drive' had gone out of the game.

St. Michaels scored a second goal when Chelley was left 'stranded' by a ball that 'stuck' in the mud and Warburton almost became the 3rd hat trick player, being denied by a good save by the home goalkeeper. Woods again impressed with hard direct football and we must now prepare ourselves for several tough games in the near future.

APPEARANCES AND GOALSCORERS.

A Team.			B Team		
Name.	App.	Goals.	Name.	App.	Goals.
Chellew	12	-	Roberts	4	-
Bennett	11	-	Ventre	3	-
Freckleton	10	-	Hassell Jnr.	1	-
Harrison	1	-	Stuart	4	-
Hooper	7	-	Lawson	3	4
O'shaughnessy	12	1	Bestock	4	-
Johnson	12	1	Furlong	2	-
Nancollis	1	-	Phair	2	-
Woods	8	1	Woods	2	1
Hanlon	5	-	Hanlon	1	-
Bestock	3	1	McGee	4	-
Regan	10	2	Diable	1	1
Diable	12	7	Mansley	4	5
Langford	10	17	Rogers	2	2
Warburton	11	9	Hassell Snr.	4	3
Rogers	7	-	Pimblett	4	5
Halewood	11	7	Hamilton	4	1.
Mansley	1	3			
Hassell	2	1			

Including appearance as sub. Up to and including Sat. Nov. 29th.

STOP PRESS.

- With so much rain around it will not be known if this weeks games will be played, until probably Friday. For late news watch the notice board.
- In the near future I hope to take photographs of the A team and B team. These will then be available for purchase.
- It is hoped that the cup game will be played on Sat. Dec 13th. A second side will then be picked to play Speke on the same day.

MEMORY CORNER.

HOLT 1 INSTITUTE 2

REGAN HITS WINNING GOAL IN EXCITING CUP TIE AT HOLT.

Institute fought back hard after an early setback and are now in the quarter finals of the cup competition. This was a close hard game in which all players concerned gave one hundred per-cent effort. The pitch was very wet indeed and large mud patches were visible in the goal areas. The weather was wet and windy. Holt had the obvious advantage of playing at home and they were shouted on by a large crowd of spectators. This further illustrates the fine manner in which the side came back from behind and never let up in their efforts. In the first 5 minutes Institute were clearly in control and could easily have gone several goals ahead. However, after this initial burst the game settled into a hard close competition. Holt played the offside game to perfection, and although Institute got the ball into the net half way through the first half it was disallowed for offside. Then with only minutes to go to the interval, one of the Holt forwards lobbed the ball over Chellew's head and the home team took the lead. Just before this Chellew had brought off a brilliant save when he dived at a forwards feet, and took the ball when all seemed lost.

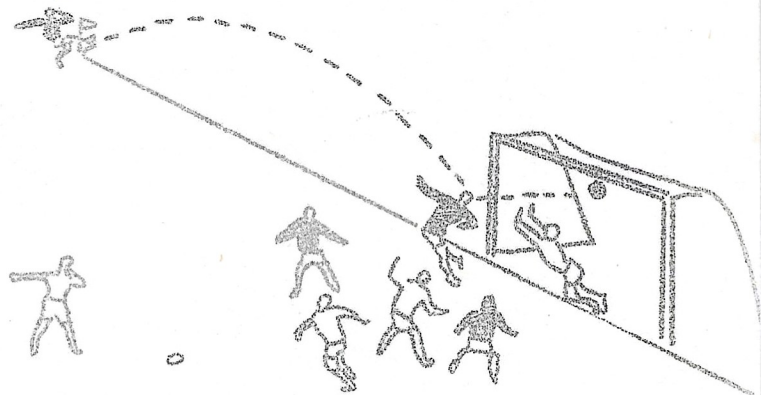
In the second half Institute continually got themselves into offside

positions and although they were fighting hard things were beginning to look black. Hanlon replaced Woods and added a little punch in midfield, but again the offside trap struck when Diabolo had a brilliant headed goal, disallowed. To try and solve this problem Hamilton was sent on and about ten minutes from the end the persistent efforts of the Institute players were rewarded when Regan moved onto the ball and scored a fine goal from ten yards. Indeed this is the goal that gave me most satisfaction in the whole of last season. The game was now wide open and Institute were managing to break clear and marginally avoid the offside whistle. From such a break Regan found himself clear and after a tussle with the goalkeeper he cracked the ball home. With just 3 minutes remaining Holt had no time to counter attack and to the dismay of the many home supporters Institute ended on top. This was an extremely hard fought game played with much enthusiasm. The defence played very well with Bennett and Freckleton tackling hard and passing accurately. Halewood played well in midfield.

KNOW THE GAME.

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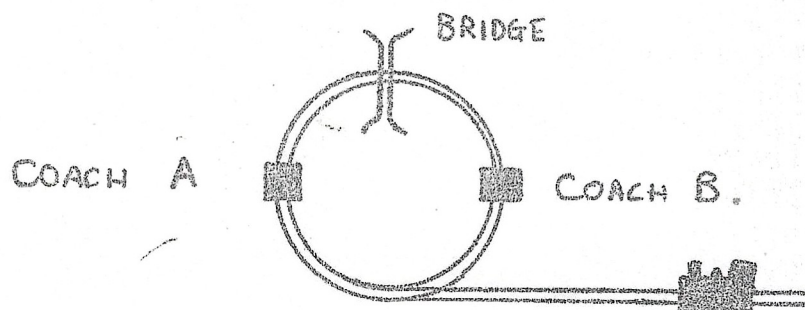
A PLAYER CANNOT
BE OFFSIDE IF HE
RECEIVES THE BALL
DIRECT FROM A
CORNER KICK.



2. When the referee awards an indirect free kick he shall signal it by raising his arm and this signal must precede the blowing of the whistle for the free kick to be taken; no signal is required in the case of a direct free kick.

PUZZLE THIS ONE OUT.

Switch the positions of the two coaches, finishing with the engine back in the siding. The engine can pass under the bridge, but neither of the coaches can. How can this be done. (a small model using matchsticks might help.)



The kick off time,
at half past nine,
and both teams stood on the half-way line.

The captains tense,
with expectation,
and on the line someones relation.

Chellew, Hooper, Bennett, Johnson,
Diable, Regan, Woods, Warburton,
O'shaughnessy, Langford,
Freckleton, Halewood,
all on the line they solemnly stood.

A coin flipped high above their heads,
came down and in the mud soon unveils,
to have gone down and come up tails,
Institute have lost the toss,
the wind against us as well,
means a hard job for goalie Chell.

The whistle blown starts off the game,
Their centre forward passes right,
Warburton starts the long long fight,
he tackles well and passes left,
where Halewood takes control,
running on towards the goal.

Diable ready for a centre,
waits in a space that seems good,
a wait in vain for in comes Langford,
he runs to Halewood who needs aid,
2 men on him he is nearly beat,
till on comes Langy nice and neat,
a little chip comes to his leg,
he races on to have a shot,
but as he kicks the goal is not,
a foot in its way has been,
the ball hits the crossbar,
it thuds to the ground like a brick on wet tar.

Half time now 45 minutes gone,
the teams go off nil nil,
they talk with our ace reporter Brunskill,
on the field again,
play starts and they attack,
but Bennett's defence soon knocks it back.

A pass upfield starts a build up,
O'shaughnessy heads it up to Johnson,
who soon passes on,
Diable has possession,
yards and yards he goes,
unchallenged by the foes.

The ball is in the back of the net,
Institute cheers,
the referee nears,
he blows his whistle,
as the box he does enter,
he points to the centre.

A loud, loud cheer goes up,
the match now over we have won the cup.

A prize for the first completed answer sheet.

DIVISION ONE. (General)

- 1) Who was the first Labour party Prime Minister of Britain?
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- 2) What is the equivalent army rank to a navy Rear Admiral?
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- 3) What does the abbreviation F.A.A. stand for?
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- 4) If it is 60 degrees centigrade what is the fahrenheit temp.?
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- 5) What is a Misericord?
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DIVISION TWO. (Sport)

- 1) In what year did Tottenham win the cup and league double?
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- 2) How many test wickets did Fred Trueman take?
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- 3) Who won the Wimbledon mens singles championship in 1956?
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- 4) Who was the first man to climb the mountain Nanga Parbat.
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- 5) Who was the first man to swim the English Channel?
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DIVISION THREE (History)

- 1) Who was the longest reigning English Monarch?
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- 2) Who was the first Plantagenet king of England?
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- 3) How did Richard I die?
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- 4) What is a hauberk?
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- 5) What weapon was responsible for the British victory at the Battle of Crecy?
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DIVISION FOUR (Geography)

- 1) Which is the highest mountain in Europe?
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- 2) Where are steamers to be found 12,500 feet above sea level?
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- 3) Where is the highest tide in the world?
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5) What is the monetary unit of Peru ?

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DIVISION FIVE (General)

1) Who said Brevity is the soul of wit.?

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2) Name the three Trolls in the Hobbit by J.R.R. Tolkien.

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3) In the book Great Expectations what is the married name of Pip's sister.?

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4) How many stomachs has a cow ?

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5) Who asked for more. ?

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Answer sheets to Mr. Cooke Room 33 . Even if you cannot answer all the questions hand in your paper if you have done well. Closing date break monday next.

Puzzle this one out.

3 men were travelling from Podunk to Schwenksville with their wives . Between these two towns was a river which could only be crossed by boat. There was no bridge across the river and the currents were too strong for any of them to swim across. Now, there was only one boat available ,and that only had room for two people. Since the husbands were jealous ,no woman could be left with a man unless her husband was present. How did our intrepid travellers cross the river ? (hint : it took eleven crossings in all) .

Finally:

Given below are some samples of encoded abbreviations. Crack the code and then encode RSVP.

Abbreviation.	Encoded form.
R.S.P.C.A.	LYNYS
U.S.A.	DSA
U.S.S.R.	NTTS
U.N.E.S.C.O.	DSLCLN
O.H.M.S.	NRSE.

You may find these puzzles difficult , but stick with them . More next week. Also there will be a crossword next week.