FULHAM KNOCKED OUT!

Shock failure in first match of the new Cup

BRISTOL R 2, FULHAM 1

THIS was the opening game in the new Football League Cup competition—the West Ham-Charlton match started fifteen minutes later—and what a shock it provided!

Bristol's speed and skill made nonsense of their poor form in Second Division games, and for long spells they outplayed their more illustrious opponents from the First Division.

Left half Ray Mabbutt sparked off most of the Rovers' attacks, and Fulham goalkeeper Ken Hewkins, standing in for the injured Tony Macedo, was repeatedly in action.

He made two fine saves from Geoff Bradford, and three more shots were kicked off the line by full back Jim Langley and George Cohen.

But Rovers were over-eager near goal and their shooting was wild.

Fulham showed how simple it could be when Johnny Haynes passed to John Key in the ninth minute. Key's precision centre was blasted home by Maurice Cook—well out of goalkeeper Howard Radford's reach.

Rammed In

Rovers equalised after thirty-six minutes. A shot by Alfie Biggs cannoned off the foot of the upright, and new boy Harry Jarman rammed the ball home.

Rovers got the winner when Cohen, harassed by Hooper, made a bad pass back.

Bradford was on the ball in a flash and drew both Roy Bentley and Hewkin before scoring from an acute angle.

Haynes led his team well in a desperate rally during the last ten minutes but the Rovers defence covered up superbly.

● Inside left John Dick (extreme right) peers through the side net as he scores West Ham's first goal in the Football League Cup match at Upton Park last night. West Ham went on to win 3—1.

Skipper Bert let in NINE

WHAT a night for the Football League team's new skipper, Bert Trautmann!

The big Manchester City 'keeper turned out for an All-Star side against a Preston XI last night and let in NINE goals.

It was Tom Finney's benefit match. Tom began it by telling the fans that a knee injury might prevent him lasting out—and then gave them a super-show, scoring two great goals.

Another ex-England hero, Nat Lofthouse, fired in THREE for the All-Stars.

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● FLASH! Torquay were a goal down at Tranmere before they had even touched the ball in their Third Division game.

Keith Williams scored it after Ken Finney had waltzed through Torquay's defence straight from the kick-off.

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● SIX GOALS for new boys Peterborough—their biggest win of the season.

Peter McNamee returned to the side to snatch a brilliant hat-trick and make two of the other goals that sank Doncaster.

Just a scratch to a Swede...

THESE speedway Swedes are tough customers! Olle Nygren, who dislocated a shoulder recently, surprisingly turned up to ride for Southampton at Wimbledon in last night's National League match.

While warming up his machine he dislocated it again!

That didn't stop Olle. He forced the shoulder back into place and went out to score 13 points for his side.

Not good enough, Olle! Southampton lost, 41—49.

CINEMAS

ASTORIA, Ch. X-rd. Too Hot to Handle. X. At 2, 4.10, 6.20, 8.45.

DOMINION, Tot. Ct.-rd. Mus 2156. Todd-AO. Rodgers & Hammerstein's South Pacific. U. Wkdys at 7.45. Sun 6. Mats Tu, Wed, Thurs, Sat, 2.30. Bkble. Theatre and Agents.

LEIC.-SQ. TH.—Surprise Package. U. Progs. 12.55, 3.20, 5.50, 8.20.

METROPOLE, Vic 6208/9. Todd-AO Cole Porter's Can-Can. U. Wkdys 8. Sun. 6. Mats. Tu, Wed, Th, Sat, 2.30. Bkble. Theatre and Agents.

ODEON, Leic.-sq.—Strangers When We Meet. A. Pg. 1.5, 3.30, 5.55, 8.25.

ODEON, M/Arch.—All the Young Men. A. Also Anna of Brooklyn. U.

PLAZA—Clark Gable, Sophia Loren, Vittorio De Sica, IT STARTED IN NAPLES. A. In Technicolor. Programmes at 1.0, 3.25, 5.50, 8.20.

EXHIBITIONS

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HAMMERS SWEEP TO ROUND 2

By RON BEAGLEY

West Ham 3, Charlton 1

WEST HAM comfortably won this first-round clash in the Football League Cup. But their fans' happiness will hardly be shared by the League bosses, for this first "derby" game of the competition pulled in a mere 12,496—half of West Ham's average League gate—and it had none of the tension of an F A Cup-tie.

Hammers, without Welsh international inside right Phil Woosnam and Eire international left back Noel Cantwell, won because they took most of their chances.

But they had a tough struggle at first against a quick-moving attack, and centre forward Stuart Leary put the Second Division side ahead after sixteen minutes.

Charlton looked like getting another, but paid the penalty for over-confidence in the twenty-fourth minute.

With their defence way upfield, West Ham right half Andy Malcolm put a long pass into an open space.

Pounced

Inside left John Dick pounced on it and ran on to score.

After the interval the Hammers gradually got on top.

Left winger Malcolm Musgrove touched in a forty-eighth minute goal and left half Bobby Moore made it 3—1 after a Musgrove corner had been beaten out.

West Ham are away to either Crystal Palace or Darlington next round.

One minute minus Pat = doom

By BEN WRIGHT

Millwall 0, Darlington 1

PAT BRADY, Millwall's cool and efficient left back was off the field for just one minute of this appalling game. But it was time enough for Darlington to grab the goal that won it.

As Brady was dragged over the touchline, in the 73rd minute, winded by a ball in the stomach Darlington right half Ken Furphy took a throw-in that sent Joe Rayment down the vacant right flank.

Fast Thinking

The right winger centred to Bobby Baxter, who whipped it past Reg Davies. A triumph of quick thinking.

This match had everything that is bad in our football: high - flying clearances aimed anywhere, aimless shooting, and lots of petty fouls.

Darlington had a hero in goalkeeper Colin Tinsley, who dealt brilliantly with everything the home side threw at him in a period of intense pressure in the first half.

RESULTS AND TABLES

League Cup

1st ROUND

Bristol R. ..... 2 Fulham 1
Jarman, Bradford — Cook
H.-T. 1—1
20,032

West Ham .... 3 Charlton 1
Dick, Musgrove, Moore — Leary
H.-T. 1—1
12,496

Third Division

Chesterfield ... 1 Walsall 2
Foley — Taylor, Faulkner
H.-T. 1—1 — 8,500

Colchester .... 0 Bury 2
H.-T. 0—2 — Hubbard, Calder
6,560

Halifax ..... 3 Port Vale 3
Whitelaw 2, Large — Portwood, Orcroft, Steele
H.-T. 0—2 — 5,564

Newport ..... 1 Grimsby 1
Dixon — Rafferty
H.-T. 1—0 — 9,332

Southend ..... 1 Shrewsbury 1
Corthine — Rowley
H.-T. 1—0 — 6,801

Tranmere .... 2 Torquay 2
Williams, Finney — Cox, Mills
H.-T. 2—2 — 3,262

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Grimsby	12	7	4	1	21	12	18
Walsall	12	7	2	3	26	18	16
Halifax	12	6	4	2	26	20	16
Bury	11	6	3	2	27	12	15
Walford	11	6	3	2	22	12	15
Q P R	11	6	3	2	18	11	15
Torquay	12	5	4	3	28	18	14
Notts C.	11	5	3	3	25	20	13
Swindon	10	4	4	2	18	9	12
Hull	11	5	2	4	23	20	12
Newport	12	4	4	4	24	26	12
Port Vale	12	3	5	4	24	19	11
Bristol C.	10	4	2	4	19	17	10
Barnsley	11	4	2	5	20	24	10
Coventry	11	3	4	4	20	23	10
Tranmere	12	4	2	6	20	31	10
Brentford	11	3	3	5	16	23	9
Bournemouth	11	2	4	5	17	21	8
Reading	11	3	2	6	17	23	8
Southend	12	3	2	7	16	23	8
Chesterfield	12	2	4	6	15	26	8
Shrewsbury	12	1	6	4	13	23	8
Bradford C.	11	2	3	6	17	22	7
Colchester	12	3	1	8	17	28	7

Fourth Division

Accrington .... 0 Barrow 0
4,631

Exeter ..... 2 Hartlepools 1
Gordon, Wilkinson — Pattison
H.-T. 1—0
5,406

Millwall ..... 0 Darlington 1
H.-T. 0—0 — Baxter
2,734

Peterborough .. 6 Doncaster 2
Dunne, McNamee 3, Halls, Bly — Fernie, Beardsley
H.-T. 3—1
16,290

Stockport ..... 1 Wrexham 0
Forbesus
H.-T. 1—0
10,400

York ..... 0 Gillingham 0
8,530

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Stockport	12	8	3	1	26	9	19
Peterborough	12	8	1	3	33	17	19
Northampton	11	8	0	3	26	15	16
Aldershot	10	7	1	2	25	14	15
York	11	6	4	1	22	13	16
Crystal Palace	11	5	4	2	28	20	14
Bradford	11	6	1	4	26	21	13
Darlington	12	6	1	5	21	20	13
Wrexham	12	6	0	6	15	18	12
Accrington	11	4	4	3	20	26	12
Gillingham	12	4	4	4	26	22	12
Southport	11	5	2	4	14	18	12
Rochdale	11	5	1	5	18	14	11
Workington	11	5	1	5	22	24	11
Barrow	12	4	3	5	12	18	11
Millwall	12	3	3	6	24	27	9
Crewe	11	4	1	6	16	18	9
Exeter	12	3	3	6	13	20	9
Mansfield	11	4	1	6	11	18	9
Carlisle	11	2	4	5	14	23	8
Hartlepools	12	2	3	7	13	19	7
Chester	11	3	1	7	14	25	7
Doncaster	12	2	2	8	13	26	6
Oldham	11	1	2	8	12	33	4

TOM FINNEY TESTIMONIAL.—Preston 9 (Finney 2, Douglas, Mellroy, Thompson 3, Langton, Shankly o.g.). Selected XI 4 (Lofthouse 3, Mortensen). H.T.: 4—2. Att.: 33,157. Rec.: £4,866.

OTHER MATCH.—Dunfermline 3 (McDonald 2, Thomson). Leicester 2 (Riley, Seaward). H.T.: 2—0.

GLASGOW CUP FINAL.—Celtic 0, Partick 3.

F A YOUTH CUP—First Round: Leyton Orient 6, Ford Utd 3.

COLCHESTER TOO PRETTY TO SCORE

Colchester 0, Bury 2

COLCHESTER crashed to their sixth successive defeat against a magnificent Bury side with not one weakness.

Yet Colchester had as much of the game. The trouble was that the tremendous Bury defence never faltered.

The Colchester attack, often good in approach work, fizzled out near the penalty area. Much of their work was spoiled by over-elaboration.

Fortunate

Bury took a fourteenth minute lead through Johnny Hubbard.

Colchester hammered away for an equaliser, but inside forwards Bobby Hill and Martyn King let them down.

And Bury sealed the issue with a rather fortunate seventieth-minute goal. Cyril Hammond pushed a slipshod pass back to goal and winger Bill Calder nipped in to lob the ball over Ames's head.

YOUNG ROGER IS THE STAR

Roger Challis, 16, Gillingham left back making his League debut, was the star of the goal-less draw at York.

SOUTHEND HANG ON

Southend 1, Shrewsbury 1

SOUTHEND manager Frank Broome left his team selection until about an hour before the kick-off—and then posted a much-changed team in a bid to give the side punch and ability to grab goals.

Inspired by the craftsmanship of Peter Corthine and the persistence of Bud Houghton, Southend promised great things early on, but could only score once.

That was when Corthine put them ahead with a fast-rising shot in the twenty-third minute.

One of Southend's best attacks came early in the second half when Houghton for once eluded Joe Wallace and sent in an angled shot.

But the ball rolled along the top of the crossbar and bounced clear.

Shrewsbury then struck a purple patch and inside left Arthur Rowley was in the right place to head the equaliser in the fifty-sixth minute. From then on Southend just managed to save the point.

Five minutes from the end Houghton was booked by referee D. L. Mason, of Aylesford, Kent, after an incident involving Shrewsbury back Norman Hobson.

GREYHOUND RESULTS

HARRINGAY.—7.30: Court Dress, 6-4 f, 4/6; F (2-1) 23/-. 7.49: Demon Chimera, 7-2, 8/6; F (2-6) 75/-. 8.8: Final Echo, 100-7, 25/3; F (2-3) 72/3. 8.27: Sheilas Spirit, 3-1 f, 4/9; F (1-3) 19/3. 8.46: Cool Champion, 7-4, 5/9; F (1-2) 20/-. 9.5: Brindle Regatta, 4-9 f, 2/9; F (4-1) 16/6. 9.24: Greenhill Mona, evens f, 4/3; F (3-5) 19/6. 9.45: Fly Red II, 13-8, 5/-; F (3-2) 8/-. (Balingeldy Wonder ran for Star of Leinster).

HENDON: 7.45: Dixie's Gift, 11-10 f, 4/3; F (1-4) 35/6. 8.2: Rajah, 5-4 f, 4/-; F (6-4) 30/6. 8.20: Trowyn, 9-2, 13/9; F (4-2) 69/9. 8.38: De Beauvoir Spot, 4-6, 8/-; F (1-3) 39/9. 8.56: Right Half Back, evens f, 4/3; F (6-1) 30/6. 9.14: Stylish Sally, 7-1, 16/-; F (2-4) 131/6. 9.32: Striker, 6-4 f, 5/-; F (1-3) 26/3. 9.50: Oakgrove Star, 6-4 f, 2/3; and Rough Glee, 7-2, 4/6, dead-heat; F (3-4) 9/3; (4-3) 14/6.

WEMBLEY.—7.30: Maylin Jolly, 11-4 jt f, 6/3; F (3-6) 21/9. 7.46: Cullen's Mistake, 5-2 f, 7/-; F (1-4) 25/9. 8.3: Desert Rambler, 5-2, 11/6; F (6-1) 29/9. (Belize ran for Bermuda Prince). 8.20: Brookville Boy, 4-1, 7/6; F (3-2) 38/6. (Sherry's Pal ran for Champs Dancer). 8.37: Marie's Darling, 4-1, 10/9; F (3-2) 62/9. 8.54: Spider Hill, 4-5 f, 3/9; F (3-2) 33/6. 9.12: Oregon Prince, 5-4 f, 5/6; F (1-9) 90/3. 9.30: Elated Graduate, 7-4 f, 5/3; F (2-1) 20/3.

● TOP DOG'S FOUR WINNERS included his nap—Spider Hill, 4-5.

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