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IT'S HERE AGAIN!

- Sc 1 Big League football comes in on the run, a week earlier than usual and onto pitches hard as concrete. Practice-injuries have been plentiful, and Villa is relieved to start the season with its three star-players in good shape; - Trevor Ford.
- " 7 Full-back George Cummings.
- " 8 And International Leslie Smith.
- " 10 But cricket remains a counter-attraction, and, with the season yet to finish, Arsenal must wait for Denis Compton, leading all-round sportsman.)
- Also with a record season to finish -- (in the hotel-business) -- we find Stan Matthews; but duty calls him often to the training-ground of Blackpool, where Mortenson uses his head in more ways than one.
- " 20 (Cu ball headed)
- Watched by that other wise-head, Manager Joe Smith.)
- " 25 (Arsenal)
- Arsenal, never behind in training-stunts, provides a novel shooting-box, which exercises Lewis and interests the up-and-coming Roper, fresh from Southampton.
- " 30 Training at Highbury in the hot sunshine, we find
- " 33 McCauley, new from Brentford.
- " 34 Bryan Jones, still new from the Mint at fourteen-thousand, with Scott, the international back.
- " 37 Training with Chelsea for another battle on housebuilding is Wallasey's M.P. Ernest Marples, and rumoured in a battle for a transfer is centre-forward Tommy Lawton.
- Middlesborough specializes in its own version of tennis -- head-tennis!
- " 47 Mannion is a star at this! But their goal isn't Wimbledon.. it's Wembley.

Sc 50

(LV Pose)

Wolverhampton, breeding-ground for first-league stars,
looks to the same goal.... .

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Skipped by Wright

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Safeguarded by Goalie Williams, and

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sped by Westcott; scorer of forty goals last season.

So the big ball's away..with a million club-fans to enjoy
it weekly. All we want now is football-pools to pay their
dividends in dollars.