

EBBETS FIELD  
JUNE 18, 1948

OFFICIAL PROGRAM  
TWENTY-FIVE CENTS

# INTERNATIONAL SOCCER MATCH

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A trio of Liverpool's famed team (from left to right)—Billy Liddell, Jack Balmer and Bill Fagan, all top international players.

THE KICK-OFF AT 8:30 P.M.



Above—Nils Cederborg scores a penalty shot in Stockholm Stadium earlier this year.



Left—Hans Stelius, one of Djurgarden's outstanding players, shows his championship form in outwitting a continental opponent.

Goalkeeper Ove Nilsson goes after a ball on the ground with obvious risk of his right arm.



Vengeance-bent Hans Stelius goes after a goalkeeper that stopped one of his attempted goals.

**PROBABLE LINE-UPS**  
**LIVERPOOL**

	Goal C. SIDLOW	
Right Back (2) J. HARLEY		Left Back (3) R. LAMBERT
Right Half Back (4) P. TAYLOR	Center Half Back (5) W. H. JONES	Left Half Back (6) R. PAISLEY
Outside right (7) W. LIDDELL	Inside Right (8) J. BALMER	Center (9) A. STUBBINS
		Inside Left (10) W. FAGAN
		Outside Left (11) K. BRIERLEY
S. NYSTROM (11) Outside Left	N. CEDERBORG (10) Inside Left	H. STELUIS (9) Center
S. CARLSSON (6) Left Half Back	C. J. TORNBORG (5) Center Half Back	B. STENMAN (8) Inside Right
G. PERSSON (3) Left Back		B. MEISER (7) Outside Right
	O. NILSSON (1) Goal	B. REDESTAD (4) Right Half Back
		K. E. ANDERSSON (2) Right Back

**DJURGARDEN**

RESERVES—LIVERPOOL: R. Priday, E. Spicer, L. Hughes, L. Shannon and S. Polk.  
DJURGARDEN: H. Andersson, A. Blomkvist, K. Cronquist, S. Larsson, E. Petersson,  
and B. Garpe  
Referee: J. Donohue. Linesmen: C. Ferro and C. Olsen.

**THE LIVERPOOL SOCCER TEAM FROM ENGLAND**



Left to right—Back row—Jim Harley, Phil Taylor, William H. Jones, Cyril Sidlow, Ray Lambert, Laurie Hughes and Bob Paisley. Front row—Edwin Spicer, Jack Balmer, Albert Stubbins, Bill Fagan and Kenneth Brierley.



The DJURGARDEN F. C. will make its last New York appearance at Ebbets Field the night of July 8 in a match with selected players of the American Soccer League.



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## MAKE-UP OF LIVERPOOL'S GREAT TEAM

CYRIL SIDLOW (goalkeeper). Stands an even 6 feet, weighs 182 pounds and was bought from the Wolverhampton Wanderers for \$20,000 a few years ago. He has played for Wales in the International games against England, Scotland and Ireland and Continental European teams many times since 1945.

JIM HARLEY (right full back). 6 feet, 178 pounds and is a Scottish International. Is a native of Methil, Fifeshire, and the fastest player in soccer on the other side.

RAYMOND LAMBERT (left full back). 5 feet 10, 175 pounds, who signed for Liverpool as a schoolboy internationalist and has played for Wales in the international games eight times. Born in Flint, North Wales.

PHIL TAYLOR (right half back). 5 feet 10, 168 pounds. Was bought from Bristol Rovers for \$20,000. Played for England in all the international games last season and toured the Continent with the F. A. team.

WILLIAM H. JONES (center half back). 6 feet, 170 pounds. Signed from a junior team in Whaley Bridge, Derbyshire, when 16 years old. Has played for the English Football League in Inter-League games.

ROBERT PAISLEY (left half back). 5 feet 8, 165 pounds. Born at Hetton le Hole, County Durham and formerly played as an amateur for Bishop Auckland when they won the Amateur Cup.

WILLIAM LIDDELL (outside right). 5 feet 11, 176 pounds. Has played for Scotland 19 times and has never lost his place since he was first selected. One of the finest wingers the game has ever produced and can play on either wing. Born at Lochgelly, Fifeshire and came to Liverpool as a junior.

JACK BALMER (inside right). 5 feet 9½, 168 pounds. Born in Liverpool and formerly played for Everton as an amateur. Is captain of the team and an English international.

ALBERT STUBBINS (center forward). 6 feet, 184 pounds. Bought from Newcastle United nearly two years ago for the then record price of \$52,000. A great gatherer and juggler with the ball. Scored 31 goals last season and is an English international. Born at Newcastle on Tyne.

WILLIAM FAGAN (inside left). 5 feet 10, 173 pounds. Born at Musselburg, Scotland, and has three Scottish caps. Was bought from Preston North End in 1937 for \$28,000.

KENNETH BRIERLEY (outside left). 5 feet 10, 160 pounds. Only 21 years old and is the youngest member of the team. Secured from Oldham Athletic for \$28,500.

EDWIN SPICER (left half back). 5 feet 11, 174 pounds, Liverpool born and a schoolboy internationalist.

LAURIE HUGHES (center half back). 6 feet one, 178 pounds. Born in Liverpool and previously played for Tranmere Rovers, a very clever header of the ball.

LESLIE SHANNON (center forward) STANLEY POLK (inside forward) and BOB PRIDAY (outside left) all clever utility players.

## THE CLEVER DJURGARDEN TEAM OF STOCKHOLM

OVE NILSSON (goalkeeper). Rated throughout Sweden as the second choice to guard the net in the important games. Has a fine sense of anticipation which has brought him much fame throughout the country. Stands just over six feet and is powerfully built.

KARL ERIK ANDERSSON (right full back). 21 years old, a refrigeration expert and youngest player on the team. Played with the club since 1943 and despite his youth is very hard and effective and very clever at heading the ball. Is an international ice hockey star and played in the Olympics. Stands 6 feet one inch and weighs 160 pounds.

GUNNAR PERSSON (left full back). 26-year-old international star who has played in many of the representative games. Is very fast and never gives up for the entire ninety minutes of the play.

BJARNE REDESTAD (right half back). One of the veteran players on the team and though only 26 years old has been playing for eleven years. Is captain of the squad.

CARL JOHAN TORNBORG (center half back). A 28-year-old lawyer who stands 6 feet 4 inches and weighs 185 pounds. He is captain of the team and a fine physical specimen who is very cool under fire. He has played for Sweden in the international games several times.

STIG CARLSSON (left half back). One of the hardest workers on the team, very fast and a difficult man to get past.

BENGT MEISER (outside right). A young college player who is only 23 years old. A very clever dribbler whose specialty is centering the ball to perfection from the touchline.

BIRGER STENMAN (inside right). A 22-year-old shipping clerk and, although only scaling 157 pounds, owns a terrific shot with either foot.

HANS STELIUS (center forward). The oldest member of the team at 29 but a great leader of the forward line. An individualist of the first order and famous for his rushing tactics.

NILS CEDERBORG (inside left). An engineer by trade and 22 years old. Joined the club in 1945 and is a brilliant player. He weighs only 140 pounds and is 5 feet 8 inches.

STIG NYSTROM (outside left). The fastest player in the First Division in Sweden who has been clocked at 10.8 seconds for 110 yards. He has played on the Swedish National team for the past three years.

ARNE BLOMKVIST (full back). A mechanic by trade who joined the club in 1942. A hard worker and very heady player. 27 years old, stands 5 feet 10 inches and weighs 165 pounds.

EVAN PETERSSON (half back). Has played with the team since 1944. Is a grinder and 30 years old.

STURE LARSSON (center forward). Has played for the club since 1931 and is a painter. Stands 5 feet 11 inches, weighs 156 pounds and is 29 years old.

HANS ANDERSSON. Only 19 years old who has a great future. Is an international ice hockey player and is a mechanic.

BENGT GARPE (half back). An engineer who carries 148 pounds on his 5 feet 10 inch frame.

KJELL CRONQVIST (goalkeeper). A cake baker by trade who has played with the team since 1944. Stands 5 feet 10 inches, weighs 157 pounds and is 27 years old.



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