Friendly Matches 1890-1891

Date	Home			Away	Match Details
4.9.1890	Melton Rovers Roberts Lee	2 (1)	5 (1)	Leicester Fountain AN Others	Played [Thursday] on a field lent to the Rovers by Mr C Holmes. Warm weather. Play commenced at 3.30pm.
6.9.1890	Ansty Rovers	0	1	Wigston Wesleyans H Smith	
6.9.1890	Boston Town AN Others	4	7	Leicester Fosse E Johnson Webb (2) Nuttall AN Others	The "first field day" of the football season.
6.9.1890	Shepshed Forest United FC	5	2	Barrow Town	Weather was "more suited to cricket than the good old winter game."
6.9.1890	Syston Wreake Valley	1 (1)	9 (2)	South Wigston	Practice match. Both sides were well represented. The play of new half-back, Lambert [Wigston] was very good. Ratcliffe excelled for Syston.
13.9.1890	Beeston AN Others	3 (3)	4 (1)	Loughborough FC Val Smith Rogers Freestone Kelham	A fifth goal was claimed by Loughborough but was disallowed.
13.9.1890	Leicester Fosse Perry Webbe (2) E Johnson AN Other	5	3	Singer & Co. (Coventry) Bird (2) Mobley	Mill-lane, Leicester. 2,000 spectators. Special train from Coventry. "Since last season the Mill-land Ground has undergone such improvement, and thus the convenience of sectators is now nearly complete."
13.9.1890	Measham Town	5	0	Gresley	
13.9.1890	Shepshed Forest United FC	5	2	Barrow Town	Weather more suited to cricket than the good old winter game.
18.9.1890	Grantham Half-Holiday XI Smith (2) Atter (2) Plant Bailey og	7	1	Melton Rovers AN Other	
20.9.1890	Ashby Ivanhoe	5	0	Anslow	Game played as part of the Ashby Amateur Athletic Sports held in Mr Brickstock's field off Derby-road. Spectators numbered 500. The prizes were "six bags" – one for each member of the winning team. Ashby Volunteer Band played a selection of music.
20.9.1890	Coalville Town	1	1	Castle Gresley	Waggon and Horses Ground, Coalville
20.9.1890	Doncaster Rovers	4	0	Loughborough Town	
20.9.1890	Hugglescote Robin Hood	3	4	Swadlincote	
20.9.1890	Leicester Fosse Lomas (3) Johnson (3) Atter (3) Nuttall	10	0	Northampton Town	Mill-lane, Leicester. 1,000 spectators
20.9.1890	Melton Swifts XI	7	2	Melton Swifts XV	Mr Hodson's field. 'A rather quarrelsome game.'

20.9.1890	Sparrow-Hill Sunday School Goodwin Orringe Taylor AN Other	4 (2)	2 (2)	Loughborough Victoria AN Other	
20.9.1890	Wigston Wesleyans	5	0	Nelson	Nelson brought a weak team.
27.9.1890	Derby Teachers	2 (2)	2 (2)	Leicester Teachers (the "Wasps")	
27.9.1890	Hugglescote Robin Hood J Marriott Pool Gent	3	2	Shardlow AN Others	
27.9.1890	Leicester Fosse Lomas Webbe (2)	3 (1)	0 (0)	Notts Mapperley	Mill-lane, Leicester. Large company of spectators. Warm weather. Fosse's 5th consecutive victory. "Grand play by Flint, Lomas, Nutall, Webbe, Atter and Perry roused the enthusiasm of the spectators to high pitch."
27.9.1890	Leicester Teachers Reserves	3	0	St Mathew's	Evington-lane Ground, Leicester.
27.9.1890	Loughborough Reserves	1	3	South Wigston	
27.9.1890	Midget Minstrels	2	0	Mill Hill-lane High School	Victoria Park, Leicester.
27.9.1890	Sheffield Club			Loughborough Town	
27.9.1890	Syston Wreake Valley 1st J Walton (3) G Sharpe	4 (3)	0 (0)	Belgrave St Michael's	
27.9.1890	Syston Wreake Valley Reserve	4	3	Abbey Park	
27.9.1890	Wellingborough Town	4	0	Leicester Fose Reserves	Fosse reserve's opening game of the season. On the previous visit by Fosse, Wellingborough won 8-2. Fosse were heavily handicapped – Owen missed the train and Streeton was injured after the game had been in progress for just a few minutes. A substitute was found – but "he was of no use whatsoever."
?.10.1890	Midget Minstrels	3	0	Mill Hill-lane High School	Victoria Park, Leicester. Game commenced at 3.30 pm.
4.10.1890	Hugglescote Robin Hood J Marriott Pool Gent	3 (2)	2 (0)	Shardlow AN Others	
4.10.1890	Leicester YMCA Nelson Tyler (2) Jones	3 (2)	0 (0)	Hill-street	Evington-lane, Leicester.
4.10.1890	London-road SS Harris Booth	2 (0)	2 (2)	Leicester Victor AN Others	Victoria Park, Leicester. Victor played the second half with 10 men.
4.10.1890	Melton Swifts	6 (5)	0 (0)	Oakham Rovers	Oakham took a poor team and suffered a crushing defeat.
4.10.1890	Nuneaton St Nicholas	8	1	Hinckley Association	
4.10.1890	Oakham Amateurs	2	2	Melton Rovers	

4.10.1890	St John's	8	1	Markfield	Recreation Ground, Hugglescote.
4.10.1890	St John's Institute Reserves	6	0	Wigston Nelson	Welford-road Recreation Ground, Leicester.
4.10.1890	St Paul's 1st	2 (0)	7 (4)	Leicester Teachers' Reserves	Private Ground. Teachers played with the wind in the first half – and led 4-0 at half-time.
4.10.1890	St Paul's Reserves	1	1	St Mary's Swifts	
4.10.1890	Syston Wreake Valley J Watson (3) G Sharpe	4	0	Belgrave St Michael's	
4.10.1890	Syston Wreake Valley Reserves	4	3	Abbey Park Rangers	
11.10.1890	East End Victoria Reserves	4	2	St Mark's	
11.10.1890	Excelsior	11	0	Victor Reserves	
11.10.1890	Leicester Fosse Atter E Johnson Webb	3 (2)	2 (2)	Long Eaton Rangers Reserves Thorpe Bestwick	Mill-lane, Leicester. Good number of spectators. The game was very close and exciting nature throughout, and some brilliant play was witnessed on the part of both teams.
11.10.1890	Leicester Fosse Reserves Squires (2)	2 (2)	0 (0)	Leicester Victor Reserves	Spinney-hill Park, Leicester. Good number of spectators Victor's first match of the season. A very fast and well-played game. After a heavy charge one of the Victor half-backs had to retire midway through the first half.
11.10.1890	Leicester YMCA	1	1	Melton Swifts	Evington-lane, Leicester. First match between these sides. Nelson Tyler [YMCA] met with an accident just before half-time and had to leave the field
11.10.1890	London-road	3	0	Wigston Wesleyans	
11.10.1890	Loughborough Reserves	8	1	Stapleford	One-sided game.
11.10.1890	Loughborough Swifts	0	6	Fosse Rangers Owen (2) Lisle (3) West	
11.10.1890	Newby-street A Veal (2) Simpson	3	0	Curzon-street 2nd	
11.10.1890	Oakham School	0	2	Oakham Amateurs Veazey Mossop	
11.10.1890	Shepshed Town Waring (2) Jordan Savage AN Other	5 (5)	1 (1)	Kegworth AN Other	Brillant weather. Shepshed's first home game of the season. Large number of spectators. Game commenced 45 mins after the advertised time due to the late arrival of the visitors.
11.10.1890	Staynes & Smith's	1	0	Abbey Park Rangers	The Pasture, Leicester.
11.10.1890	St Andrew's	4	2	Hill-street	
11.10.1890	St Mary's 2nd	1	1	St Mary's Swifts	
11.10.1890	St Matthew's Vicarage	6	1	St John's 2nd	
11.10.1890	St Michael's	4	0	St Margaret's Wanderers	
11.10.1890	St Paul's King E Stanger (2) G King (2)	5	0	Oxford-street	
11.10.1890	St Saviour's	3	0	St Margaret's	

16.19.1890	Bottesford	3	1	Notts Waverley	Waverley arrived 2 men short and had to find substitutes. Boisterous wind.
18.10.1890	Ashby Ivanhoe Robey	1 (1)	2 (1)	Ashby Albion Mansfield Knight	At Ashby Ivanhoe's ground. Played in a gale.
18.10.1890	Bottesford Town	5	6	Grantham Rangers	Rough game. Grantham did not take their full team and were much smaller than the home team but lead all through the game.
18.10.1890	Coalville United	3 (1)	2 (0)	Leicester Teachers' Reserves	The Teachers played uphill and against the wind in the first half – and had matters all their own way – erratic shooting spoiled all chances of scoring. Coalville only had one opportunity in the first half and scored.
18.10.1890	Craven-street	2	0	Wigston Rovers	Wigston scored a disputed goal.
18.10.1890	East End Victoria Reserve	5	0	Newby-street	
18.10.1890	Fosse Rangers	0	0	Ansty	Victoria Park, Leicester.
18.10.1890	Grantham Rovers Colts Allen (2) Wilkinson (3) AN Others	7 (6)	2 (0)	Melton Swifts AN Other	Harlaxton-road, Grantham. Moderate attendance. Grantham had the advantage of a strong wind in the first half.
18.10.1890	Highfield Swifts	5	1	Wigston Congregational	
18.10.1890	Leicester Fosse Reserves	1 (0)	4 (4)	Kettering Hawks	Mill-lane, Leicester. W Johnson [Fosse] retired after just 5 mins play.
18.10.1890	Leicester Victor Reserves	4	3	St John's	
18.10.1890	Leicester YMCA	1 (0)	1 (1)	Leicester Cycle Association	Evington-lane, Leicester. YMCA were without their regular centre half-back, Giles, which somewhat handicapped them. "The game was not an enjoyable one, owing to disputes and rough ply on the part of the visitors."
18.10.1890	Loughborough Grammar School AN Other Bemrose	2	1	Victor A Shenstone	For the third time in succession the School proved themselves "victors" by the same margin in each case of one goal. Victor claimed an equaliser but the decision of "just over" was given. An interesting and pleasant game.
18.10.1890	Stamford Town	2	6	Oakham School	
18.10.1890	Staynes & Smith	4	3	East End Victoria	
18.10.1890	St Matthew's Vicarage	6	0	St Saviour's Reserves	
18.10.1890	St Mary's Swifts	7	1	Holy Trinity	One of St Mary's goals was disputed.
18.10.1890	St Paul's Reserves	3	1	Curzon-street	
18.10.1890	Syston Swifts	3	2	Anstey Rovers	
18.10.1890	West-end Rovers	3	0	Belgrave Guild	
18.10.1890	Wigston Nelson	2	3	St John's Institute Reserves	A well-contested gam.
23.10.1890	Melton Half-Holiday	1	6	Old Buffaloes	Mr Shillings ground, Leicester-road, Melton.
25.10.1890	Bottesford Town AN Others	5 (1)	6 (3)	Grantham Rangers Barnes Collishaw Fillingham Summerby Brittain	Rough game

25.10.1890	Coventry Singer's Reserves Briggs AN Others	3	3	Leicester Fosse Reserves Thompson (2) AN Other	Fosse were without 3 of their selected team. In the second half E Johnson [Fosse] had to leave the field and Gardner [Fosse] being hurt went into goal.
25.10.1890	Fosse Rangers	6	3	Wycliffe	Victoria Park, Leicester.
25.10.1890	Grantham Rovers Colts	7	2	Melton Swifts	Harlaxton-road, Grantham
25.10.1890	Highfield Swifts	4	1	Anstey Town	
25.10.1890	Hinckley Trinity	7	0	Staynes & Smith	
25.10.1890	Leicester Association	0	1	Birmingham Association	At Coalville 300 spectators. The only goal of the game was scored 5 mins from time.
25.10.1890	Leicester Fosse Atter Flint Webbe Lomas	4 (1)	1 (1)	Wellingborough Grammar School McAlpin	Strong team from Wellingborough met one from moderate strength of the Fosse. The School scored first.
25.10.1890	London-road Sunday School Tims Booth Andrew Allen	2	1	Leicester Victor 2nd Costello	Victoria Park, Leicester.
25.10.1890	Melton Swifts	2	1	Leicester Victor	This match was to have been played at Leicester, but to oblige the Swifts, Victor journeyed to Melton but arrived with only 10 men.
25.10.1890	St John's Institute Reserves	7	0	Hill-street	Welford-road Ground, Leicester. The Hill-street backs were worked, or the score would have been greater.
25.10.1890	St Margaret's Wanderers	2	1	St John's	
25.10.1890	St Mary's	3	1	Cyclist's Association	
25.10.1890	St Matthew's Vicarage	1	1	St Mary's Swifts	
25.10.1890	St Saviour's Reserves	1	0	Wigston Rising Star	
25.10.1890	Syston Wreake Valley AN Other	1 (1)	2 (1)	Leicester YMCA Tyler Joy	
25.10.1890	Syston Wreake Valley 2nd	6	3	Leicester Excelsior	
25.10.1890	Teachers	3	6	Coventry Singer's	Evington-lane, Leicester. The Teachers were without Lineker, Taylor and Wilkes. Most of the team owing to this, had to take different places in the field, and thus the combination was destroyed.
1.11.1890	Ashby Albion Knight	1	0	Swadlincote Town	Late in the second half, the Swadlincote forwards brought the ball in front of the Albion goal, where a foul was committed. The referee allowed the claim for "hands," but after the whistle had already blown, Swadlincote shot the ball into the net and claimed a goal. When the referee dismissed their claim, the Swadlincote team walked off the field in protest, ten minutes before the final whistle.
1.11.1890	Ashby Ivanhoe	9	1	Ibstock	This was Ivanhoe's sixth game and their first victory. One-sided game.
1.11.1890	Bottesford Town	A	A	Melton Swifts	Following a dispute the Melton team left the ground before time.
1.11.1890	Coalville East End	0 (0)	2 (2)	Fosse Rangers Simpson (5 min) Robinson (30 min)	
1.11.1890	Craven-street	4	0	St Saviour's	

1.11.1890	Curzon-street	4	0	St Saviour's 2nd	
1.11.1890	East-End Victoria Reserves	7	0	Hill-street	
1.11.1890	Hill-street	2	2	Belgrave St Michael's	The Pasture, Leicester.
1.11.1890	Hinckley Town Eggleston	1 (1)	3 (0)	Leicester Fosse Reserves Gardner Knight West	At Hinckley. Good attendance.
1.11.1890	Leicester Cycle Association	1	1	St Margaret's	The Pasture, Leicester. A very exciting game. The Cycles had considerably the best of the game.
1.11.1890	Leicester Fosse Webbe Atter AN Other Murdoch	4 (3)	0 (0)	Beeston	Mill-lane Ground, Leicester. Beeston were holders of the Notts cup. Fosse scored 3 goals in the opening 15 mins.
1.11.1890	Leicester YMCA Tyler Giles Maul	3 (3)	1 (0)	Leicester Teachers 'A Team'	Evington-lane Ground, Leicester.
1.11.1890	Leicester YMCA Reserves Widdowson Brown Parsons Walters	4	1	Wigston Congregational AN Other	Evington-lane Ground, Leicester.
1.11.1890	London-road Sunday School	1	4	Abbey Park Rangers	Victoria Park, Leicester.
1.11.1890	Loughborough Athletics	2	2	Coalville	Coalville arrived nearly an hour late.
1.11.1890	Melton Swifts	2	1	Bottesford Town	Capital game.
1.11.1890	Northampton Association	2 (2)	4 (0)	Wellingborough Grammar School	County Grounds, Northampton. Large gate.
1.11.1890	Oakham Rangers	4	0	Melton Victoria	
1.11.1890	Rugby Gerontes AN Others	2 (0)	3 (3)	Leicester Teachers Rowntree (3)	The Teachers were minus 5 of their best players. Rowntree scored a first-half hat-trick. A further goal by Rowntree was ruled offside.
1.11.1890	St Andrew's	6	1	St Paul's	
1.11.1890	St Matthew's Vicarage	8	0	Holy Trinity	
1.11.1890	West-end Rovers	0	3	St Mary's Swifts A Sharp (2) Glover	Rovers were determined and pressed hard but were overmatched by the Swifts.
1.11.1890	Wycliffe	3	0	St Mary's	Victoria Park, Leicester.
8.11.1890	Croft rising Star	2	0	Nuneaton St Nicholas	
8.11.1890	Fosse Rangers	2 (1)	1 (0)	Coalville East End	Victoria Park, Leicester. Owing to the late arrival of the Coalville team, the game did not commence until 4.10pm
8.11.1890	Highfield Swifts	3	10	Barrow	Welford-road, Leicester.
8.11.1890	Hill-street	4	2	Cycle Works	The Pasture, Leicester.
8.11.1890	Holy Trinity	0	1	Hill-street	Welford-road Ground, Leicester.
8.11.1890	Hugglescote Robin Hood Cross	1 (1)	0 (0)	Leicester Teachers'	Garner's Ground, Hugglescote. Teachers arrived late and the game did not commence until 4.00 pm.
8.11.1890	Leicester Fosse Reserves	P	P	Shepshed	Mill-lane Ground, Leicester. Shepshed failed to arrive much to the disappoint of the Leicester team and the spectators who had turned assembled to watch the game.
8.11.1890	Leicester Victor	1	1	Hinckley Town	Spinney Hill Park, Leicester

					First-ever time these teams had played each other. Heavy ground. Hinckley were late in arriving and were two players short. Substitutes were found on the ground, one of whom (Barrowcliffe) was instrumental in scoring their goal. One hour duration
8.11.1890	London-road Sunday School Booth	5	0	Wycliffe	Victoria Park, Leicester.
8.11.1890	Nottingham YMCA	0 (0)	4 (3)	Leicester YMCA (The "Reds") Maul Wormleighton Giles Jones	A late start was made, and rain came down during the play.
8.11.1890	Notts County Rovers Archer Cornelly Jackson	3 (3)	4 (2)	Leicester Fosse Murdoch (2) Webbe Flint	Trent Bridge Ground, Nottingham. Rovers played a very strong team; Fosse also played their full-strength lineup.
8.11.1890	Oxford-street AN Others	3	4	St Mary's Swifts Glover (3) Howkins	
8.11.1890	Stapleford	2	0	Loughborough Reserves	Early in the game Kilburn got hurt, reducing Loughborough to 10 men.
8.11.1890	St John's Institute Reserves Watters Underwood Lee	3	0	Wigston Wesleyans	At Wigston. A well contested game.
15.11.1890	Ashby Ivanhoe	3	1	Tamworth Swifts	
15.11.1890	Coventry Singers	8 (0)	0 (0)	Leicester Teachers	Teachers played with 10 men. After 20 minutes Bingham [Teachers]- received a kick on his back and was practically useless for the rest of the game. Soon after Jones in goal, fractured a rib and left the field, further weakening the visitors. It was only then that Coventry began to score!
15.11.1890	Highfield Swifts	5	0	London-road	Welford-road Recreation Ground, Leicester.
15.11.1890	Hill-street 2nd	1	0	Holy Trinity	Welford-road Ground, Leicester.
15.11.1890	Leicester Fosse AN Other Webb	2 (1)	3 (3)	Aston Villa Reserves Bradbury Garvey (2)	Mill-lane Ground, Leicester. "Good exhibition of the Association game." Villa played several first team players.
15.11.1890	Leicester YMCA	0	0	Ravenstone Druids	Owing to the late arrival of the Druids, play in this math lasted only 30 mins.
15.11.1890	Leicester YMCA Reserves	3	0	John Richardson and Co.	
15.11.1890	Notts St George's	0 (0)	4 (3)	Leicester Fosse Reserves Lomas (2) Meddings AN Other	Laceville, Nottingham. St George's nicknamed the "dragons."
15.11.1890	Quorn Havelock AN Other	4 (1)	1 (1)	Leicester Victor Skeffington	"The field of play was not so nice, being decidedly "sloping" and the grass long." Fair number of spectators. Quorn's second goal was a "soft" one and the third from a "high bounce."
15.11.1890	Sharman and Ladbury	1	2	Evans and Hill	Played on Melton Rovers ground. A collection for the Leicester Infirmary realised £1 2s 9 ½ d.

15.11.1890	Staynes and Smith Tildesley (2) Perkins (2)	4	2	Fleckney	The Pasture, Leicester.
15.11.1890	St John's Institute Reserves	1	2	St Andrew's	Welford-road Ground. Fast and exciting game.
15.11.1890	St Margaret's Wanderers	1	0	Belgrave St Michael's	The Pasture, Leicester.
15.11.1890	St Mary's	3	1	Wycliffe	Victoria Park, Leicester.
15.11.1890	St Mary's	5	2	Cycle Association	The Pasture, Leicester. St Mary's played with 10 men in the second half
15.11.1890	St Matthew's Vicarage	1	1	Leicester Victor Reserves	Spinney Hill Park, Leicester.
22.11.180-	Finedon	4	4	Wellingborough Grammar School	
22.11.180-	Hill-street 2nd	3	1	Wigston Rovers	Welford-road Ground, Leicester.
22.11.180-	Hinckley Institute	0	1	Nuneaton St Nicholas	
22.11.180-	Leicestershire Football Association	5 (1)	1 (1)	Huntingdonshire Football Association	Fosse Club ground. In spite of the "formidable counter attraction by the Rugby match", there was a large attendance. Leicestershire side was to all intents and purposes a good Fosse team, with a substitute – R Smith, of Melton – taking the place of Murdoch.
22.11.180-	Leicester Fosse Reserves Robinson Lisle	2	2	Leicester Victor AN Other	Victoria Park, Leicester. Return match. Victor who were minus 3 of their best players, looked upon matches with Fosse reserves as one of their strongest tests.
22.11.180-	Leicester YMCA Wormleighton	1 (1)	0 (0)	Leicester Teachers A Team	Evington- lane, Leicester. YMCA were without key players -Olivera and Giles and for a time played only 10 men.
22.11.180-	Leicester YMCA Reserves	2	1	Wycliffe	Evington- lane, Leicester.
22.11.180-	London-road Sunday School Arthur Giles	1 (1)	0 (0)	St Mary's	Victoria Park, Leicester.
22.11.180-	Loughborough Reserves Cayliss Angrave	2 (1)	1 (1)	Leicester Fosse Reserves Lomas	Loughborough Athletic Grounds. Fosse played with 10 men. In the second half
22.11.180-	Staynes and Smith S Perkins (2) Tildesley Dore	4	0	Hill-street	The Pasture, Leicester.
22.11.180-	Wellingborough Grammar School	4	4	Finedon	
6.12.1890	Barrow Primitives	2	0	Quorn Havelock	Quorn brought "seven Cup men and four reserves"
6.12.1890	Craven-street	3	1	St Saviour's Reserves	The Pasture, Leicester.
6.12.1890	Hinckley Town Harrison (og) AN Other	2 (2)	0 (0)	Leicester YMCA	Visitors started with 9 men
6.12.1890	Leicester Fosse Webb (2) Atter	3 (0)	1 (0)	Derby County Wanderers Holmes	Mill-lane, Leicester. Large number of spectators. The visitors arrived one man short, and a substitute had to be provided. As a consequence of having to return to Derby by an early train the match was considerably shortened. All Fosse's goals were scored during the last few minutes.
6.12.1890	Leicester YMCA A Team	1 (1)	2 (1)	London-road Sunday School	Evington-lane, Leicester. Winning goal scored 5 minutes from time.

	Widdowson Rogers			Booth (10 min)	
6.12.1890	Loughborough	2	2	South Wigston	
6.12.1890	Melton Vics	1	0	Oakham Rovers	
6.12.1890	Nuneaton St Nicholas	5	0	Nuneaton St Nicholas	
6.12.1890	Oakham Amateurs	5	0	Melton Swifts	Swifts sent a weak team.
6.12.1890	St Mary's Swifts	2	3	St John's	
6.12.1890	St Mary's 2nd J T Carvell	1	0	May Villa	Welford-road Ground, Leicester.
6.12.1890	St Matthew's Vicarage	0	0	Syston Fosse	Spinney Hill Park, Leicester.
6.12.1890	Syston Wreake Valley	1	0	Melton Rovers	Very rough game.
12.12.1890	Press Men and Printers	0	2	Old Buffaloes	Played on Half-Holiday Grounds, Melton.
13.12.1890	Ashby Albion Robey Dolman (2)	3 (1)	0 (0)	Woodville	Game commenced at 3.30 pm. Ground hard and frost bound. Play as a consequence was rather dangerous.
	Ashby Ivanhoe	3	0	Burton Crusaders	Good and exciting game.
	Hinckley Trinity	0	2	Nuneaton St Nicholas	
13.12.1890	Lancastrian FC	2	2	A Cutler's Eleven	
13.12.1890	Leicester Fosse Murdoch	1	1	Loughborough Town Cross	Mill-lane, Leicester. 3,000 spectators. A large number of Loughburians came over by train to support their favourites, and the "scratching" of the Rugby match induced a great many people to visit the Mill-lane ground. "....when the spectators reached the ground, a thick fog was found to be prevailing, which increased in density as the afternoon passed, and during the latter part of the game it was utterly impossible to see halfway across the field. The result was that the game was spoilt for both spectators and players, and a full description of the play is out of the question. The last portion of the game was an utter farce, it being impossible for the players to shoot with any degree of correctness, while only those spectators who were for the time being within a score of yards of the ball knew anything of what was going on."
13.12.1890	Leicester YMCA Joy Worleighton Jones (2) Tyler og	6 (4)	0 (0)	Victor	Ground was hard and slippery and "somewhat dangerous." Home team were kept waiting, the visitors only being able to muster 8 men – 3 of their best players "being too late to play."
13.12.1890	Loughborough Reserves AN Others	2 (1)	1 (0)	Leicester Fosse Reserves Lomas	Loughborough played the second half with 10 men owing to the Armstrong retiring hurt. Referee disallowed a second Fosse goal. Much of the second half was played in thick fog.
13.12.1890	Melton Swifts	0 (0)	2 (2)	Melton Rovers	Good attendance. "Play commenced in rough style and continued a run-rush-and-tumble style."
13.12.1890	Rugby Gerontes	4	4	Leicester Teachers	
13.12.1890	Sparrow Hill SS FC	1	0	Victoria FC	
13.12.1890	St John's	1	1	St Margaret's	Welford-road Ground, Leicester. Played in dense fog. A well-contested game.
13.12.1890	St Mary's	1	1	Hinckley Church Institute	Welford-road Recreation Ground, Leicester.
13.12.1890	St Paul's King	1 (0)	2 (0)	London-road Sunday School Harris	Hinckley-road Ground. The winning goals was scored5 minutes from time.

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20.12.1890	Lancastrian FC	2	2	Cutler's eleven	Recreation Ground
20.12.1890	Leicester Fosse	1	1	Loughborough Town	
20.12.1890	Sparrow Hill Sunday School	1	0	Leicester Victor	
20.12.1890	Shepshed	1 (0)	3 (2)	Hucknall	When the game commenced at 2.35 pm, the ground was covered in several inches of snow. "…. visitors were heartily congratulated on their pluck in turning out in such inclement weather to fulfil their fixture."
26.12.1890	Hugglescote St Johns		W	Hugglescote Robin Hood	Annual match between the two Hugglescote clubs. Played in the snow.
26.12.1890	Loughborough AN Other Kelham Freestone Smith	4	2	London Casuals AN Others	Athletic Ground, Loughborough. 1,000 spectators.
27.12.1890	Leicester Fosse Cotterill	1	0	London Casuals	Mill-lane, Leicester. Volunteers cleared away the snow in the morning to allow the game to take place. Large number of spectators. Fosse had Murdoch and Johnson away, their places filled by Panter (Kettering) and W. Johnson. The Casuals team included W J Seton, that season's goalkeeper for Oxford University.
29.12.1890	Leicester Fosse Lomas	1	1	Loughborough Lowe	Belgrave-road Grounds, Leicester. This match came about after the match on 13 December was ruined by fog and was organised by a local newspaper reporter. 3,000 spectators. Played in aid of the "Suffering humanity" fund – about £30 was raised.
3.1.1891	Kettering			Leicester Fosse	Result not known.
10.1.1891	Melton	2	5	Gresley Rovers	
17.1.1891	Coalville East-End	0 (0)	1 (0)	Hinckley Town	Hinckley arrived 2 men short and had the assistance of Mattocks and Nicholls of the Town club. Ground covered with ice and the players had great difficulty in keeping on their feet.
17.1.1891	Measham	2	0	Wilnecote	
17.1.1891	Melton Rovers AN Other	2	6	Fosse Reserve Nuttall (2) Lomas (3) Atter	Southern-lane ground. Fosse Reserves had the assistance of Atter, Nuttall, and Perry. Nuttall made his debut as a forward. Rovers were assisted by Belton and Richardson of the Swifts. Atter scored the fifth for Fosse and then had to leave to catch a train.
24.1.1891	Gresley Swifts	5	1	Ashby Albion	Church Gresley. Swampy ground. Swifts had the assistance of 3 Gresley Rovers players.
24.1.1891	Leicester Fosse				
24.1.1891	Leicester YMCA Jones	1	1	Nottingham YMCA AN Other	Evington-lane, Leicester. Leicester were without 4 regular first team players.
24.1.1891	St Paul's First	0	5	Teacher's Reserve	The Teachers played only 10 men, but by some clever passing they easily won a one-sided game.
24.1.1891	Wigston Wesleyans	1	1	Enderby	
31.1.1891	Evan & Hill	10	0	Mr Whaite's Team	Southern-lane ground, Melton.
31.1.1891	Hill-street J Wheatley	2	0	Ravenstone Druids	The Pasture, Leicester.

	og [Ravenstone's goalkeeper]				
31.1.1891	Hinckley Town	1	1	Victor	Holy Well Ground, Hinckley. Fair number of spectators. Result was a draw for the second time this season.
31.1.1891	Leicester Fosse Atter Webbe (3) Murdoch (3) Flint	8 (7)	0 (0)	Leicester Teachers	Mill-lane Ground. Fair number of spectators. Very slippery conditions. Fosse scored their first goal after 15 mins.
31.1.1891	Little Bowden	10	0	Welford	
31.1.1891	London-road SS Davis (3) Harris Rogers	5 (2)	2 (2)	Huncote	London-road's first game in 8 weeks.
31.1.1891	Staynes & Smith's	3	2	Melton Swifts	The Pasture, Leicester.
31.1.1891	St John's	5	3	St Andrew's	YMFS Challenge Shield.
31.1.1891	St Mary's Buswell (2) Toone	3	2	Hearth & Co.	
7.2.1891	Church Institute [Hinckley]	0 (0)	2 (0)	Belgrave St Michael's	Glorious weather.
7.2.1891	Coalville Albion	0	0	Measham	
7.2.1891	Coalville East-End	0	2	Gresley Swifts	
7.2.1891	Hinckley Town	0	0	Coventry Singers	Holy Well, Hinckley. Good number of spectators
7.2.1891	Kegworth	1	0	Easte Leake FC	Mr Wass's ground. Good number of spectators, amongst who was an old football veteran over 80 years of age.
7.2.1891	Little Bowden	3	0	Leicester Teacher 2nd	A few minutes before full-time, the Teachers' goalkeeper, Carter, attempted to throw the ball out but was accidentally run into by James. James, who had just kicked the ball, was rushing forward in an attempt to force it through the goal. The force of the collision knocked James backward and broke Carter's collarbone.
7.2.1891	Loughborough Smith Freestone AN Other	3 (0)	1 (1)	Leicester Fosse	Athletic Grounds, Loughborough 2,500 spectators. A special train arrived from Leicester conveyed at least 1,500 followers of the Fosse.
7.2.1891	Melton Swifts	4	0	Melton Vics	
7.2.1891	Staynes & Smith's	2	1	Highfield	Welford-road Recreation Ground, Leicester.
7.2.1891	St John's Reserves	0	5	St Mary's Swifts	Welford -road Ground, Leicester.
7.2.1891	Victor	0	3	Quorn Havelock	Spinney-hill Park, Leicester. A very fast game.
7.2.1891	YMCA	3	0	Hill-street	Evington-lane, Leicester.
14.2.1891	Church Institute [Hinckley] G Moore Eggleton AN Others	4 (4)	2 (1)	Earl Shilton Excelsior	Recreation Ground, Hinckley.
14.2.1891	Craven-street	0	1	South Wigston Rovers	The Pasture, Leicester.
14.2.1891	Hinckley Great Meeting	4	4	Burbage Wanderers	

14.2.1891	Leicester Fosse	0	2	Stafford Rangers	Mill-lane, Leicester.
14.2.1891	Little Bowden	0 (0)	2 (2)	Teachers 2nd Seddon (2)	Proceeds of the gate devoted to assisting one of the Bowden players who was badly hurt the previous week. Game commenced at 3 pm.
14.2.1891	London-road SS ("The Roadsters")	0	1	Ansty Town	Victoria Park, Leicester.
14.2.1891	Loughborough Grammar School	0 (0)	3 (2)	Loughborough Athletic	
14.2.1891	Loughborough Swifts Jones Fisher (2)	3	0	Victor	Tyler's Ground, Loughborough. First-ever meeting between the teams. Loughborough [Junior Cup finalists] scored 3 goals within a few minutes. The Victor were missing Martin, their goalkeeper and doubtless accounted largely for the result.
14.2.1891	Ravenstone Druids AN Other	1 (1)	4 (2)	Ashby Albion Robey (2) AN Others	Return match Albion had won the previous encounter 10-0. Game kicked off at 3.30pm.
14.2.1891	St Matthew's	0 (0)	1 (1)	St Paul's	St Paul's scored within the first 10 mins. St Mathew's played rough. An exciting game.
14.2.1891	West-end Rovers Williams (2) King	3	0	St Mary's Swifts	
14.2.1891	YMCA Tyler	1 (1)	1 (0)	Hinckley Town AN Other	Evington-lane, Leicester.
17.2.1891	Messrs Matthew Mills and Sons	0	4	Costock FC	Matthew Mills and Sons – were basket manufacturers and Costock were based in Leake. Ground was very soft. Both teams displayed good football talent.
21.2.1891	Birmingham and District	5	1	Leicestershire Football Association	Singer's Ground, Coventry. Fourth encounter between these two associations. Good crowd. Leicestershire found themselves at the eleventh hour with a man short
21.2.1891	Broughton Astley	1	0	Cosby	This was the return match, the one at Cosby being won by that club.
21.2.1891	Hinckley Town Eggleston Tansey	2	3	Hinckley & District Farnell Briggs Lingard	Holy Well ground. Benefit game for the Leicester Infirmary. Weather was "raw and cold, and fog prevailed." Town Band was present. District team included players from Leicester Fosse, Coventry Singers 17th Regiment) Kick-off was announced for 3 pm but owing to the late arrival of 2 or 3 players, it was an hour later before the game began. Game ended in a draw – so an additional 20 mins was played to settle the game. Total proceedings £4 16s and after deducting expenses, the sum of £3 3 was left for the infirmary.
21.2.1891	Loughborough Forest Tansley Handley Kidger	3	0	Loughborough & Nottingham Manufacturing Co.	Forest pressed most of the game.
21.2.1891	Loughborough Swifts	3 (0)	4 (3)	Hugglescote Robin Hood	Hugglescote had the wind in their favour in the first half.
21.2.1891	Sileby Rangers	8	3	T Crick and Co.'s Employee's	Benefit game for a memorial to 3 young men who had recently drowned. 500 spectators. Game commenced at 3.15 pm.

					Silby Town Brass Band kindly gave their services and played a selection of music throughout the match. Total sum raised was $10 – of which the firm generously gave £5.
21.2.1891	Stoney Stanton	1	0	Croft Rising Star	Large number of spectators. Both teams were at full strength. A spirited and well-contested game. "Honours would have been equal had not the Croft goalkeeper failed to handle the ball just at the opportune moment."
26.2.1891	Ashby Dawson	1 (1)	0 (0)	Leicester Thursday	Ashby Bath Grounds, Ashby. Large attendance. Splendid weather.
	Leicester Fountain Heeley E Johnson Brown Atter	4	0	Coalville	Mill-lane Ground, Leicester. Fair number of spectators. Pougier, the crack Leicestershire cricketer made his football debut, playing full-back. Nothing could be said of his play for the simple reason that he did nothing except take a few goal kicks all through the match. Players had at times difficulty in keeping their feet, the ground in some places being rather heavy.
28.2.1891	Hinckley Town	0	2	Fosse Reserve	With Meddings and Owen missing their train, Fosse played with 10 men and a makeshift substitute for the duration of the match. Lomas [Fosse] received a severe charge, which incapacitated him for the and he had to leave the field with 30 mins remaining.
28.2.1891	Leicester Fosse	3	3	Notts County Rovers	Mill-lane, Leicester.
28.2.1891	Little Bowden	10	0	Welford	
28.2.1891	Loughborough Kelham Smith (3) Plackett Freestone	7	0	Beeston	
28.2.1891	Market Bosworth Grammar School Jones	1	6	Burton AN Others	"Burton forwards scored whenever they got away with the ball…."
28.2.1891	Nuneaton Rangers	1 (1)	2 (0)	Hinckley Great Meeting	
28.2.1891	Oakham Rovers Adcock	1 (0)	0 (0)	Melton Swifts	
28.2.1891	Quorn Disney Orson	2 (0)	2 (1)	Teachers Reserves Callaghan Waverley	Quorn equalised with 5 mins to go. Teachers claimed that Orson was standing in an offside position when he got possession and shot through for the equaliser.
28.2.1891	South Wigston A	0 (0)	1 (0)	London-road SS Rogers	YMFA Challenge Shield Late start was made
28.2.1891	St Margaret's	3	1	St Mary's	The Pasture, Leicester.
28.2.1891	YMCA Jones AN Others	6 (1)	0 (0)	Wreake Valley	Evington-lane, Leicester.
4.3.1891	Stoneygate School Jacques (2) Lawford Jameson	4 (2)	1 (1)	Higham-on-the-Hill Luce AN Other	Victoria Park, Leicester. Jacques dribbled the whole length of the field and scored his second goal with allow fast shot.
7.3.1891	Burbage Wanderers	3	2	"Picked Team"	
7.3.1891	Burton Athletic	1 (0)	2 (0)	Ashby Albion	Game commenced at 3.30pm

7.3.1891	Grantham Rovers	3	2	Leicester Fosse Webb	
7.3.1891	Loughborough	5	1	Derby St Luke's	
7.3.1891	Loughborough Grammar School	0 (0)	5 (2)	Leicester YMCA AN Others Jones Davies	
7.3.1891	South Wigston Medley AN Others	4 (0)	0 (0)	Victor	South Wigston were "by far the heaviest and strongest."
7.3.1891	Staynes and Smith's Rowland Cosgrove	2	0	St Matthew's	Forest-road Ground, Leicester.
7.3.1891	St Peter's Bell Potterton Wright	3	0	St Margaret's	Church of England YMFS semi-final. Victoria Park
7.3.1891	St May's	3	2	Excelsior	The Pasture, Leicester.
11.3.1891	Stoneygate School EM Jameson (2)	2 (0)	1 (0)	Mill Hill House School Fowler	Victoria Park, Leicester, Snow fell heavily. Fowler [Mill Hill] scored the equaliser with a long shot after dribbling up the centre of the field. The winner was scored by Jameson [Stoneygate] after dribbling through the whole of the opposing backs.
11.3.1891	Stoneygate School 2nd W Franklin Wright	2	1	Mill Hill House School 2nd	Victoria Park, Leicester. Each side played one player short.
12.3.1891	Leicestershire Johnson	1 (0)	6 (5)	Northamptonshire ("Light Blues") Henfrey (3) Elson Stanley	Mill-lane, Leicester. Cold weather. Dreadfully heavy and sticky ground. 500 spectators. Game commenced at 3.20 pm.
14.3.1891	Ashby Ivanhoe	4 (3)	1 (0)	Sherwood Foresters (45th Regtl. Depot, Derby) FC	Ivanhoe field off Woods-street (Mr Vinrace's) Fair number of spectators Game commenced at 4 pm.
14.3.1891	Excelsior	4	0	Wigston Wesleyans	
14.3.1891	Hinckley Association	2	4	Nuneaton St Nicholas	
14.3.1891	Loughborough Lowe (2) Cross	4 (2)	0 (0)	Matlock	Athletic Ground, Loughborough. Large number of spectators. A shot by Lowe [Loughborough] was "too terrific" and landed in a garden on the Nottingham-road.
14.3.1891	Loughborough Swifts AN Others			Leicester Fosse Reserves Meddings	Fosse Reserves should have journeyed to Kettering to meet the Hawks. But owing to the semi-final in the Kettering Charity Cup being fixed for that day the Hawks decided not to play. A match was hastily arranged with the Swifts. With only eight Fosse players catching the train, the team was forced to recruit local guest players to fill the side. Handford [Fosse] appeared after 10 mins play.
14.3.1891	Melton Rovers Hill	1	1	Oakham Amateurs AN Other	Southern-lane, Melton.
14.3.1891	Melton Swifts Tyler AN Other Plant	3 (2)	3 (2)	Staynes and Smith's [Leicester] T Bunn Tildesley AN Other	Leicester-road, Melton.
14.3.1891	Oakham Amateurs	1	1	Melton Rovers	

14.3.1891	St Margaret's Bell Potterton Wright Bower	4	2	St John's Shirley Bridge	Final of the YMFS Shield Competition. Victoria Park, Leicester.
14.3.1891	St Mary's Swifts Rawnsley Howkins	2	0	Newby-street	
18.3.1891	Willoughby	3	6	Loughborough Half-Holiday FC	Return game. Played in a heavy snowstorm.
18.3.1891	Wyggeston School (Association)	1	3	Bosworth Grammar School	YMCA ground, Leicester. Strong wind.
21.3.1891	Excelsior	0 (0)	1 (1)	Cycle works	The Pasture, Leicester.
21.3.1891	Hinckley Town	3 (1)	1 (0)	17th Regiment	
21.3.1891	Kettering AN Others	2 (0)	3 (0)	Loughborough Freestone Val Smith Plackett	Good number of spectators
21.3.1891	London-road SS AN Other Percy Smith Jones (2)	4 (1)	0 (0)	St Saviour's	Victoria Park, Leicester.
21.3.1891	Melton Rovers	2	1	South Wigston	These team had met twice already this season – both games ending in draws – 3-3 and 2-2.
21.3.1891	Melton Swifts	1	1	Victor	Very strong wind. "The wind was the principal player."
21.3.1891	Staines & Smith's	4	0	East-End Victoria	The Pasture, Leicester.
21.3.1891	Wyggeston School	?	?	Bosworth Grammar School	YMCA ground, Evington-lane, Leicester. Score was 2-1 – uncertain due to the quality of the report which team won.
28.3.1891	Ashby Albion	2 (0)	2 (2)	Coalville Town	Large number of spectators. In the first match at Coalville, the Albion opposed Town Reserves which ended in a 1-1 draw. Coalville played their Coalville and District "cup team."
28.3.1891	Hinckley Town "Club"	2	0	Hinckley Town "Outsiders"	Hinckley Town should have played Coalville on the Holywell ground, but Coalville failed to arrive. A friendly game was played instead.
28.3.1891	Leicester Fosse	5	0	Notts Olympic	Mill-lane, Leicester.
28.3.1891	Londonn-road SS Booth Rogers Widdowson	3	1	St Paul's AN Other	Victoria Park, Leicester.
28.3.1891	South Wigston	0 (0)	(3 (0)	YMCA Wormleighton (2) Jones	
28.3.1891	Victor G Shaw AN Other A H Shenstone (3)	6 (4)	0 (0)	Loughborough Grammar School	Match took place on the YMCA ground, Evington-lane, kindly granted to the Victor for this game. Victor –"blue and reds" Woodward Loughborough] had to retire from an accidental injury. The Victor captain consented to a substitute, but the School "with characteristic pluck" declined, and played till the call of time with one short. Paget's [Loughborough] "long kicks were a "treat to witness." Victor played a short passing game.
30.3.1891	Hinckley Town Lomas	3 (0)	1 (1)	St Mary's Recreation Club, London	Holywell ground [Monday afternoon]. St Mary's were a team of the London Football Association who were

	Spencer Eggleton			AN Other	on tour. The result was a surprise to the London club who were expected to easily win.
	Kegworth St Andrew's	?	?	Kingstone	A young man [Kingstone] met with a serious accident, having his collar bone broken, and one of Kegworth players got kicked in the mouth.
	Leicester Fosse	2	2	Burton Wanderers	Mill-lane Ground, Leicester.
30.3.1891	Melton Swifts	4	1	Leicester Teachers' Reserves	Large company of spectators. Though bitterly cold at kick-off the sun shining, but during the first half, for about 20 mins, snow fell, and the spectators were driven away, the players being "almost lost to view."
30.3.1891	Nuneaton St Nicholas	2	0	Croft Rising Star	
30.3.1891	Leicester Fosse	1	0	Nottingham Forest Reserves	Mill-land, Leicester.
1.4.1891	Loughborough	3	0	Bury Wanderers	Athletic Grounds, Loughborough. 600 spectators. Benefit game in aid of the Loughborough Hospital.
4.4.1891	Coalville East End	4	2	Hugglescote St John's	Fox and Goose Ground, Coalville.
4.4.1891	Leicester Fosse	2	3	Sheffield Attercliffe	Mill-lane Ground, Leicester. Pitch was very treacherous.
4.4.1891	Loughborough Freestone A PLackett	2	2	Long Eaton Holwell AN Other	"One of the smartest matches witnessed on Loughborough enclosure this season."
4.4.1891	Melton Swifts	2	0	YMCA 2nd Team	The ground was in a very bad state I consequence of the rain.
11.4.1891	Leicester Fosse			Kettering	Mill-lane, Leicester. Fosse played two games (mixed fixtures) in a day.
11.4.1891	Long Eaton Athletic	0	3	Leicester Fosse Bennett (2) Atter	Perry [Fosse] failed to appear at the railway station, so F Gardner filled the vacancy. Owing to injuries, Webb and E. Johnson were unable to make the journey; their places were taken by 'new blood,' tried with a view to strengthening the team for next season.
11.4.1891	Matlock	2	1	Loughborough	Loughborough played part of the time with their centre forward [Freestone], who retired hurt.
11.4.1891	Staynes and Smith's	8	1	St Paul's	The Pasture
11.4.1891	Victor W C Shenstone	1 (0)	0 (0)	Victor Reserves	Evington-lane, Leicester. 40 mins played each half.
13.4.1891	Fosse	2	1	Scratch Team (Teachers/YMCA)	Tuesday evening, Fosse ground. 300 spectators. Gate receipts given to the YMCA FC. Scratch team was composed of players from the Teachers and YMCA clubs.
18.4.1891	Ally Sloper's XI	4	2	"The Clubs of Melton"	Large number of spectators. Novelty game – one side was representatives of Ally Soper (image), his family and friends. The majority wore "long sleeves" (likely long nightcaps or hats), which during the game were more frequently off than on their heads, being used at other times as especially good marks at which to shoot with the ball. When Ally marshalled his companions, he was greeted with peal after peal of laughter. The game was conducted without vulgarity and was amusing throughout – Leicester Journal – 24 April 1891

18.4.1891	Leicester Fosse	1 (1)	0 (0)	Stafford Rangers	Mill-lane Ground, Leicester. Third time these sides had met this season – the results being 2-o to Stafford and a draw. 3,000 spectators
25.4.1891	Leicester Fosse	5	0	Burton Alma	
25.4.1891	St John's	4	12	Coalville East End	Tillson's ground.
25.4.1891	West Leigh Juniors	3	0	Leicester Forest	
27.4.1891	Leicester Fosse Webb Hulton	2	2	Notts County Lyle Carnelly	Fosse's attempt at popularising the Association game in Leicester. Notts County -finalists in the English Challenge Cup – played a full-strength team. "Far and away the largest crowd ever seen on the Fosse ground." Fosse went one behind and led 2-1 until Carnelly – who would play for both Loughborough and Fosse equalised. Atter [Fosse] had a goal disallowed and hot the post.
18.5.1891					Ashby Friendly Societies Athletic Sports Football Contest. Held in the beautiful Ivanhoe Bath Grounds – 4,000 visitors. First prize, £3; second £1 10s. eight teams competed – first prize was won by Swadlincote; Burton Crusaders were runners-up.
19.5.1891					Measham Athletic Sports Football Contest. Held on a 10-acre field on the Bosworth-road. Prize £2 2s. three clubs competed – Swadlincote Town, Ashby Ivanhoe and Moira Red Rose. The prize was won by Swadlincote.