



SECOND LEAGUE.

LUTON DRAW AT GAINSBOROUGH.

Two years ago Luton won at Gainsborough by 3-2 and last season made a draw of 3 all. On Saturday they drew again in very creditable fashion. The "Athletic News" says: Despite the fact that Luton are this season playing a warm game, Gainsborough Trinity were pretty confident of getting two points at the expense of the "Strawplaiters," and at one part of the game the spectators had counted the feat accomplished, both Johnson and Fenton scoring before half-time, but some determined play by Luton and a little slackness on the part of the home team let in Brock and Fairgrieve, both of whom scored, and thus matters were once more equal. Over and over again during the second half Gainsborough should have retaken the lead, but they suffered the most exasperating luck, and as the result of this Luton again took a point out of a Lincolnshire club when away from home, their first pleasant experience of this kind being at Grimsby. On Saturday they certainly did not deserve the point they gained, as on play the Gainsborough lads were much the better team, and had all the game at the close. Result: Luton 2, Gainsborough 2.

This very satisfactory result puts Luton 9th in the Second League and just above Woolwich Arsenal. Luton have drawn four matches--at Grimsby, Gainsborough, Middlesborough, and at home with Leicester Fosse. This is the largest number of draws of any club in the Second League. Both Luton and the Arsenal possess 8 points, but we have 7 more goals to our credit.