

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

LUTON V. KETTERING.

■ On Tuesday, Christmas Day, the Luton team visited Kettering with the following eleven :— Ord ; McCurdy and Lindsay ; Williams, Clifford and Holdstock ; Brown, Hawkes, Barker, Saxton and Durrant.

It was an unlucky day for Luton, who had to play for half-an-hour with only 9 men. Lindsay's leg gave way early in the game and he was practically useless, while Holdstock had to be off the field for an injured ankle. Under the circumstances, Hawkes had to play half-back, and did extremely well. There were about 5,000 spectators and the home team, having the wind in their favour, scored after 30 minutes through Roulstone. Midway through the second half, a penalty was awarded against McCurdy. This was a mistake, as Clifford was really to blame, but a penalty should have not been awarded at all. Webb scored after Ord had saved twice from his kick.

Result : Kettering 2, Luton 0.