

RENNIE'S OPPORTUNISM

Luton Gain Well-deserved Success at Gillingham

Gillingham 1 Luton 3

Making five positional changes from the side beaten by Southend on Saturday, Luton gave a clever exhibition at Gillingham and, following a shaky start, surprised the home team and well deserved their win.

Gillingham threatened to overwhelm the visitors in the opening minutes of the game, but once Luton had settled down to clever combined football Gillingham were beaten. The home halves entirely lost their grip of the game and failed to get the ball to their forwards. They were also faulty in their positioning, and a good deal of work was thrown upon the backs.

McGregor played his usual sound game, but Lester, his partner, was not reliable, and it was his mistake when McNestry scored the opening goal.

Rennie was a source of danger to the Luton men with his subtle passing and powerful shooting. His two goals were the result of fine opportunism. The Gillingham attack was not a cohesive force, and Bethell quite failed to justify his inclusion. Renwick scored Gillingham's solitary goal, but the credit belonged to Williams.

Gillingham: Burnett; McGregor, F. Lester; Beacham, Collins, Bishop; Williams, White, Renwick, Bethell, Scott.

Luton: Imrie; Kingham, Hodgson; Kean, McGinnis, Fraser; Heslop, McNestry, Tait, Rennie, Turner.