

LECKIE EARNED THE CHEERS

LUTON FOUND HIM HARD TO BEAT

Luton2 Walsall0
(Attendance 11,000)

THIS could scarcely be called a match, although the crowd were raised to a tremendous pitch of excitement, for Walsall's goalkeeper, Leckie, took nearly all the glory upon himself.

Within a few seconds of the start he made a save that set the crowd roaring.

He maintained his brilliance, and it was not until the light was fading that he was beaten. Even then he had saved grandly from Fellowes, but could not get the ball away far enough to prevent Ball from heading into the net.

Buffeted for 75 minutes, the Walsall defence wavered and conceded a penalty a little later, and Payne easily netted.

Those were the only goals, but time after time the Luton marksmen crashed the ball against the goal framework, and often there were vain cries of "Goal!"

In addition to Leckie, Morgan, Shelton, and Wiles played stubbornly in Walsall's defence, but little was seen of the rest. Luton were a fast, all-round side with scarcely a weak point save for a lack of steadiness at close quarters in attack. Hodge among the forwards, Nelson at centre half. Mackey and Smith were the pick of the winners.

Luton.—Dolman; Mackey, Smith; Finlayson, Nelson, Fellowes; Hodge, Payne, Ball, Roberts, Stephenson.

Walsall.—Leckie; Shelton, Wiles; Richmond, Morgan, Bradford; Bell, Harwood, Cunningham, Green, Bulger.