

HEROIC EFFORT BY MUNRO FOR BRENTFORD

By Clifford Webb

AFTER a terrific two-hour struggle there was still no score in the Brentford-Luton game at Griffin Park and it would have been pretty tough on the losers had it ended differently.

Out of the mass of exciting incidents I pick the incredible miss by Brentford centre-forward, Bill Dare, after 35 minutes play, as being the most notable.

Dare ran on to a bad back-pass from Aherne, which failed to reach Stretton in the Luton goal, but, with the posts yawning widely only a few yards in front of him, Dare hooked the ball wide.

Near things

Brentford on the balance of near things ought to have won—Dare and Greenwood hit the woodwork half a dozen times between them—but Luton also had their moments and in Stobbs they had just about the most progressive forward on the field.

The half-backs on both sides got through an amazing amount of work in appalling conditions and there should be a special award for Munro, Brentford's left-back and skipper who battled out 75 minutes in obvious pain from a pulled thigh muscle.

The second replay has been fixed for next Monday at Highbury.

The Rugby Union county championship final between Middlesex and Lancashire will be played at Twickenham on March 8.