Win At Lincoln Is Needed MOSTLY ONE WAY

TOWN PICK UNCHANGED TEAM

With no injuries to complicate the choice, the manager has had no hesitation in naming the same

team which will do duty for the

Lincoln On Fringe

Of Relegation

Southampton, are certainly on the fringe of the relegation fight and cannot afford to drop home

Gibson and the illness of Wright. Wright and Gibson are expected

to recover by the week-end, but

there is more doubt about Green,

So the Lincoln choice is being delayed until Friday morning.

New Player Will

Make His Debut

ONE thing that is definite is

that Jimmy Munro, signed from Oldham Athletic just before the deadline for transfers to be effective this season, will be making his debut.

Relying Mostly On

Their Promotion Team

this week as part of the Munro

transfer, Lincoln have been rely-

ing lately mostly on the players

who gained promotion for them

In the team beaten 2-1 at

Leeds last Saturday, 10 players were more or less regular mem-

bers of the side when they were in the Northern Section.

Graham; Wright, Emery, Owen; Troops, Garvie, Graver, Finch,

Luton's line-up will be:

This team was: Jones; Green,

Baynham; Jones, Pemberton; Morton, Hall. Owen; Cullen, Turner, Pys, Watkins, Mitchell.

Aherne Will Have To

Pass Thorough Test

CONGRATULATIONS to Bud

Aherne on being chosen again by Eire for their match with

Austria in Dublin next Wednes-

A bit of a problem is presented

here in that Aherne has not played since being injured in the

match with Southampton nearly a month ago, and be will have to

have a thorough test either in a

match or in training before turn-

So far, it has not been decided

whether he will play for the Reserves at Norwich on Saturday

and the decision will probably

depend on a try-out to-morrow

Roy Davies Is

Likely To Play

LIKELY to appear in this match

Manager Will Watch

The "A" Team

DOUBLE attraction at Kenil-

worth - road on Saturday is the charity match between a Beds

and Herts Police XI and the Metropolitan Police in the morn-

amateurs from Langley Park, Co.

afternoon.

Rugby

is Roy Davies, whose ankle

last season.

Kerr.

to return to the side.

third consecutive match.

FOR VITAL MATCH With Sheffield United and Huddersfield Town both having, on paper at any rate, comparatively easy home tasks on Saturday, the Town's visit to Lincoln presents another vital stage in their fight to remain

in the promotion battle. As things stand at the moment, they just cannot afford to drop a point and there will be an all-out bid for victory on the Sincil Bank ground.

Some time and, Sheffield performances, there is no worry United's manager, Reg. Freeman about team selection. fixed the target of points necessary for promotion as 58 and, to reach it, the United have to gain nine points from their remaining eight matches which does not seem to be a tremendous task in view of the fact that they still have formed to play at home.

The fact that they have shaken down into a settled formation again after all the enforced chopping and changing, increases the Town's outside promotion chance and they should face the task on that very good Lincoln pitch with plenty of confidence. have four to play at home.

To equal that tally, the Town would have to take 17 points from their remaining 10 games of which six are due to be played on opponents' grounds.

Fine Away Form Gives

Encouragement WITH five home matches left. and 45 points already in hand, Huddersfield can reasonably expect to be there or thereabouts the United's target figure, so, for the Town to hold a real chance, it will need a remarkably consistent run from them, beginning with victory at Lincoln on

Saturday. Their fine form away from home gives them hope and they can take encouragement from the fact that none of the six away matches is with teams in the top half of the table.

In addition, there is also the salient fact that Huddersfield have won only one of their last five encounters and only avoided defeat at Bury by a goal two minutes from the end.

Remaining Matches Of The Contenders

REMAINING games of the three teams are: Sheffield United: Home—Bury,

Hull, Notts County, West Ham.
Away—Southampton, Nottingham
Forest, Leicester, Fulham.
Huddersfield Town: Home—
Southampton, Leicester, Everton, Fulham, Plymouth, Away-Notts County, Everton, West Ham,

Rotherham. Leton Town: Home — Hull, Bury, Nottingham Forest, Brent-ford. Away — Lincoln, Bury, Blackburn, Everton, Brentford,

Doncaster. Apart from the preponderance of away matches facing them, the

Town's programme does not look quite so difficult as those of the others and Huddersfield may well be tested to the full in four of their home matches.

Chose Unchanged

Team Unhesitatingly ANYWAY, the Town's im-mediate problem is next Saturday and, after their last two

LAST-MINUTE PENALTY DRAMA

Vazzheli Motors 1, Arlescy Town 0. Just how evenly matched these

two tenses are in proved by the fact that after 180 minutes' play in the Bedfordshire Senior Cup contidual there was only one goal difference. Hero of the Vauxhall team was goalkeeper Johnstone, who saved

a last-minute penalty, which was taken by Bottomley, the player who scored Arlessy's last-second equaliser in the first meeting at Shefford.

Shefford.

It was a hard-fought game, and although Ariesey had more of the play territorially, their forwards had no punch and parely got the better of the Motors' defence, in which Johnstone, G o b by and Humphreys were outstanding.

Vauxhall scored in the seventh minute through BRANDHAM, but they spent most of the first

but they spent most of the first Determined to equalise, Arlesey lounched attack after attack after

the interval, only to be thwarted by the first-time tackling of the Motors' defence.

Then, with the referee about to blow for full-time, Athol Street, the South Midlanda League side's dangerous centre-forward, broke away and was fouled by Johnstone.

Bottomley took the penalty, but Johnstone threw himself to the left and made a brilliant save to give Vauxhall a rather fortunate

Golf

WIN FOR SOUTH BEDS LADIES

In a ladies' match played at South Beds against Dunstable Downs on Monday the home team won by 4 games to three. South Beds Mrs Crew ... 1 Mrs Grear ...
Mrs Brown .. 0 Mrs Lyle ...
Mrs Hill ... 1 Mrs Moore ...
Mrs Horsler .. 0 Mrs Stimson .

Mrs Oiney . 1 Mrs Dellar . 0 Mrs Aitken . 1 Miss Bunker . 0 Mrs Thomas . 0 Mrs Saxby . 1 Total BOGEY Total .. 3 Leading returns in a boney com-

on Tuesday were:-Mrs G H Cleveley (19) 1 down; Mrs E H V Jorey (22) 5 down; Mrs Robin-100 (18) 5 down.

LEAGUE

TODDINGTON & DISTRICT

DIVISION "A" PWDLP Dog and Badger ... 23 19 3 1 41
Chequers 23 18 3 2 39
Flying Horse 23 16 2 5 34
Fencott Arms 23 14 2 7 30

Fencott Arms 23 14 Red Lion, Bidwell.... 23 12 George 23 12 3 8 27

Angel 23 10 4 9 24

Groen Man "A" 23 11 2 10 24

White Hart 23 8 2 13 18

Carpensers' Arms 23 6 5 12 17

Houghton Sports 23 6 4 13 16

Swan, Fikwick 23 5 3 15 13

Sow and Piss 23 3 0 20 6

Rising Sun 23 1 1 21 3 ********* * DIVISION "B" Royal Oak, Barton .. 23 19 3 Swan, Tingrith 23 14. 5 4 33 Whentsheaf 23 13 4 6 30

Whentsheaf 23 13 4 6 30 Coach and Horses 23 10 9 4 29 Social and Services 23 12 4 7 28 Royal Oak, Woburn 22 9 8 5 26 Bull 23 9 6 8 24 Red Lion, Toddington 23 9 4 10 22 Crown 23 7 6 10 20 Oddfellows 23 7 5 11 19 Red Lion, Eversholt 23 4 7 12 15 Green Man "B" 22 4 5 13 13 French Horn 23 3 7 13 13 Nag's Head 23 2 3 18 7

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GALVANISED DUSTBINS further reduced to 23/3 Smaller size to 20/6

Durham, play in the "A" team. They are Folwell (left-back), William Bell (left-balf) who had a trial some weeks ago, and Raymond Bell (centre-half) and Williams (outside-left)

Langley Park are a youth team whose players are all under the age of 18.

Vauxhall Leave Well Alone

BACK again to the Spartan League and the need for points to get away from the bottom rungs of the table are Vauxhall Motors on Saturday.

They go to Harrow with whom they drew 3-3 at Luton earlier in the season and are hopeful of at least repeating that performance. Wisely, the selectors are not changing the team that overcame Arlesey narrowly in the Bedford-shire Senior Cup semi-final.

D. Johnstone; J. Burgess, P. Gobby; L. Ward, J. Humphrey, E. Lawrence; R. Chappin, J. O'Neill, G. Todd, R. Brand-ham, A. Morgan.

Chosen By Amateur THERE is another home match

Another Youngster

WHAT they must expect is a great fight by Lincoln, who, while not gravely involved thanks to the failures of Barnsley and in the Spartan League this week for Luton Amateur who will have Epping Town as their visitors. As Tony Rakowski is playing in

points.
Yesterday, their manager was unable to choose his team because of injuries to Green and As Tony Rakowski is playing in the charity match on the Town ground in the morning, he has to be replaced and this will be accomplished by switching Lou Jackson to left-half and introducing another youngster, Ronald Wilkins, at outside left.

Rakowski reports for National Service next work and is unlikely

Service next week and is unlikely to play any more for the Amateur

this season. Team:

A. Janes; B. Hurst, T. Kilby;
P. Smith, B. Spavins, L. Jackson; K. Crawley, A. Allin, G.
Clare, J. Williams, R. Wilkins.

Kent's Home After Spell Away

AFTER three consecutive away A utility forward who can play either at inside or on the wing. AFTER three consecutive away games, Kent's Athletic return to their Waller-avenue ground on Saturday for a match with old rivals, Baldock Town.

Harry Naylor is hoping to return to centre-half in which case, Reg. Noble will revert to left - back Only other doubt concerns Bill Meyrick and if he is available to play at inside left. Munro's position on Saturday has not been decided yet and it may depend on whether Gibson is able Lincoln have now played five

matches without a win, but have drawn three of them, and oddly enough, their last success was in their home match with Sheffield United whom they beat 3—2. is available to play at inside left, this should bring much - needed punch to the attack. Probable C. Middleton; L. Morgan, R. Noble; R. Router, H. Naylor, W. Sing; K. Watts, R. Redding, D. Gunnell, W. Meyrick, T. McCurdie. ALTHOUGH they made some

close season signings, and one of them, McGlen, from Man-chester United, went to Oldham KEPT IN THE

RACE FOR TITLE Amateur Led Twice.

But Dropped A Point Luton Amateur 2, Saffron Walden Town 2

The Amsteur managed to keep in the Spartan League, Division I, promotion race when they held Saffron Walden to a draw at Stockingstone-However, this was a scrambling sort of same and had the Luton side displayed their usual initiative they would probably have ob-

tained both points.

Mid-way through the first half CLARE scored to give the Amateur a deserved lead and although PALMER equalised a few minutes later, SMITH scored again, almost on the stroke of

balf-time. Chances fell to both sides in the second half, but they were mostly wasted.

Ten minutes from the end
PALMER beat Janes again to
give Saffron Walden a share of

the spoils. On the run of the play a draw was a just result.

VITAL MEETING ON SATURDAY Vital match in the 14-18 Division of the Luton Youth League

has made good progress and who came through the private trial on Tuesday most satisfactorily. is due to take place on Saturday when Limbury O.B. and Vauxhall meet at Vauxhall. Both sides will be all out for If there are no reactions from that, then Davies will be in the victory as the result will have a Reserve team on Saturday, So, too, will Wally Shanks,

distinct bearing on the final placings in the League. rapidly regaining confidence after Last Saturday's results went according to the form book. his long lay-off and, barring further casualties, the Town seem to be approaching Easter with the prospect of a blank injured list.

LUTON HOTSPUR 0, ST MAR-GARETS Y.C. 5 (Rushion 2, Glenister 2, opponent) LUTON TOWN YOUTH XI 7 (Southam 4, Tottingham, Chamber-lain, opponent), OLD BEDFORD ROAD 0.B. 2 LUTON CO-OP Y.C. 0, LUTON ARGYLE 8 (Wheelhouse 4. Whitehill, Wilkins, Parrott, Hull).

HART HILL ATH'1 (Tomlin), LIM-BURY O.B. 7 (Evans 2, Simpson 3, Barrett, Wood 2).

ing, and the meeting of the "A" team with Windsor and Eton in the Metropolitan League in the KINGSTON ATH 0, LANGLEY RANGERS 7 (Evans 2, Gersch 2, Jones, Bunce, opposent) LIMBURY O.B. 12, LUTON HOT-Manager Dally Duncan is not going to Lincoln, but is remaining in Luton to watch four young SPUR 0 OLD BEDFORD ROAD O.B. 7 (Brown

3, Hetherington 2, Young, Robson), BISCOT MILL Y.C. 2

half and from a scrum between the

During one Bedford sally, Heanue was penalised for passing off the ground and Anderson kicked the goal

Changing round it was the Old Boys who took the initiative and for long periods penned the Bedford side in

It seemed certain that they would score when Heanue followed up a

cross-kick, but the referee awarded a scrum to the defence for offside.

BETTER FORM

WAS MAINTAINED

Biggleswade 0, Luton 18

Maintaining their improved form, Luton gave one of their best displays of the season at Biggleswade.

The scrum nacked solidly-although their heeling is still not good enough—and the back

Bub Jones opened the scoting with a nest try after a reverse pass from the wing and then Temple started a

defence-splitting move which enabled Jack Jones to score the second try of the match. The same player scored

attacks on the right Hangrond touched

again after a similar movement, Luton were well on top at this juncture and after several strong

division was in top form.

their own half,

PLUCKY FIGHT FAILED TO

KEEP RECORD half and from a scrum between the posts a good heel gave Valentine, their fly-half, a chance for a drop-kick, which was taken beautifully. With the score level Bedford continued to press but they were never safe from a streck. attack. Beaten for the first time this

season, Old Lutonians were far from disgraced and, had they not been deserted by good tack, would probably have beaten the Athletic and thus laid a

"bogey." The Lutonians' forwards played backs, splendidly, but the although having a lot of the ball, did not move smoothly. Main fault was indifferent handling.

Credit must go to the Bedford defence and especially to Anderson, their full-back, who time and again cleared their line with 40-yard kicks During the first ten minutes the Cld

During the first ten minutes the Cld Boys were subdued and hardly left their own half but, taking every change offered, their forwards began penetrating the Bedford defence and were soon pressing. From a quick heel the ball travelled the length of the Old Boys' threequarter line for

Hine to dive over to score, but the not-too-difficult kick falled. Atomed to greater efforts the Bedford forwards took play into the Luton SPEND YOUR EASTER HOLIDAY

IN THE GARDEN!

The home side presented a tightlypacked defence in the second half but, even so, Luton added further points through Hammond and Skinner. DEPLETED TEAM'S

DECISIVE WIN Old Verulamians 0, Vauxhall Motors 24

Although the Motors fielded a depleted side at St. Albans, they were too strong for the Old Boys and dominated the play.

Yet they played with only 14 men and three forward and both half-back positions were filled by "reserves."

First-half tries were scored by Holmes and Waller (2) and Price converted two of them. The second half began with Vauxhall "camping" on the Old Boys' line, but although they 'coked certain scorers on several occasions, they were held off.

Continuing the pressure the Motors did not let up for an instant and even-maily the home defenoe wited and further tries were added by Holmes, Booth and Bland, Price converting one of them.

Man of the match was Booth Play-

ing out of position at screm-baif, he was always in the i-meliant, and started many dangerous movements.



the Town's left-back chosen to play for Elre again, may have a match test with the Reserves at Norwich on Saturday.

DISAPPOINTS

IPSWICH TOWN RES. 4

Seemingly unable to find the form in the Combination Cup that earned them honours in the League competition, the Town Reserves have only four points to show out of 10 so far, and their defeat at Portmanroad, only their third this sesson, was also their heaviest.

get going and showing a lack of "devil" in their play.

Apart from Shanks, whose distribution was good, there was also weakness in the middle line, from which Hall is being missed for Kelly could not master Higgins and Smith was well below his best

ball too long. have done a deal better had he

Streten.

obtained by Ipswich.

The first did not arrive until three minutes from half-time, when HIGGINS scored from close

range, but the second was not long in arriving through DOBSON in the first minute of the second half, Hopes of the Town were finally sunk when FLETCHER coolly

IPSWICH TOWN RES. Callaghan, Marsh.

Inexperienced Barnsley

No Match For The Town

By Chiltern

LUTON TOWN 6 BARNSLEY 0

This very nearly came into the category of the slaughter of the innocents, for Barnsley had far too great a leavening of inexperience to provide anything more than a reasonably serious practice match for the

Or, at least, that was the impression this game left, with the Town winning in a canter and rarely seeming in the slightest danger of conceding a goal. Apart from the satisfaction the |

In keeping a watch on Kaye, Pemberton probably had the hardest task of the Iown de-fenders, but his coolness and shrewd positional play gave no hint of the many changes of position he has "een called upon to make this seeson." fans took from seeing the Town among the goals again after their comparatively barren patch, this was not the sort of meeting the average supporter would want to Once the Town took the lead, to make this season. the exchanges became too one-sided, with the exception of occasional Barnsley breaksaway to be really interesting and the only cause for wonderment at the end was how Barnsley escaped with only six goals to add to their "against" column. On the other flank, Jones had an easy, highly competent match

and Baynham will seldom go through 90 minutes with so little of a difficult nature with which to deal. For the right-wing pair of Cullen and Turner with four goals between them, this was something of a field-day, but due regard should be paid to the work

many attacks going, and his return to the forward line has certainly had the effect of bringing more ordered rlay. LUTON TOWN: Baynham:

BARNSLEY: Hough; Yuell, Thomas: Smith, McNeil, Archer; Kaye, Bartlett, Chappell, Lumley,

Smyllie. Referce, W. Clements, West

25th MATCH WAS FATAL

Unbeaten Run

After playing 24 consecutive South Midlands League matches this season without meeting defeat, Skefko Athletic, leaders of Division II caused a surprise on Saturday by losing at home to Leighton United. As their nearest rivals, Bletchopened up again and Skefko's lead is whittled down to three

Failure of Cranfield at Lang-ford also caused a change in the set-up at the head of Division I, and installed Biggleswade, worthy winners over Bedford St. Cuthbert's, as firm favourites for the Although Electrolux now move

points.

points behind the leaders and have played two matches more.

While Arlessy were making their unsuccessful attempt to qualify for the Bedfordshire Senior Cup Final, Shefford Town were picking up more points to help them in their bid for Premier Division honours...

day's top scorers.

By scoring seven goals, they topped the century mark for the season, a feat which Arlesey have already accomplished.

Shefford's lead is now five points

gained from four more matches than Arlesey have played, and it leaves a quite intriguing position to be settled in the closing weeks of the season. PREMIER DIVISION

Ampthill Tn 3, Potton Utd 2

DIVISION I

Arlesty Tn 2, Houghton Rangers 2 Histon 2, Queen's Works 2 Bedford St. Cuthbert's 0, Biggieswade Tn 3
Langiord 2. Crandeld Utd 0
Percival Ath 2. Storfold 2
St Neots St. Mary's 0. Electrolux 5

DIVISION II Baldock Tn 2, Flitwick Ath 1 Britannia Works 4, AC-Delco 2 Bedford North End 2, Bietchley

Skefko Ath 1, Leighton Utd 2
Marsson Shefton 3, Davis Ath 2
Peartree Old Boys 4, Stewarthy Wks 1
Wootton B. Cross 0, Eintow Abbey 3

Luton Greyhounds RUNNERS AND

SATURDAY 6.30.—410yda: 464 Captain Cutlet; 656 Father's Glory; 644 Lindy; 165 Neapolitan; 353 Piastic; 222 Solitaire. Reserve; 524 Golden Harvest.

6.50.—470yds: 1 Gem Cutters: 554 Leonors: 544 Manor Park; 156 Mary's Son: 633 River Bank; 265 Rockafella, Reserve: 255 Sam's Sons. HARLINGTON 2 (Hull, Pickles),

7.30.—410yds: 56 Biddy (March 14, tp 1, 24.78); 562 Greetines; 445 Here's Hopins: 146 Radwell; 242 River Side; Vio (Feb 19, tp 1, 24.83; Mar 5, tp 2, 24.86), Reserve: 542 Mol.

7.50.—675yds: 133 Black Jack; 423 Mad Swinney: 341 Quick Answer; 412 Scrubber; 131 Sporting Express; 114 CRESCENT UTO 2
DAVIS ATH 8 (Smith 3, Moreton 2.
Kenningham, Barth, opposent),
LUTON BREWERY 0

> (March 14, tp 2, 24,49); 4 Fox Hunter; 551 Gambler; 12 Gold Flash; 5 Ivanhoc; 423 Singer, 8.30.—410yds: 6 Canny; 341 Card-sharp; 114 Echo; 244 Lord Luck; 4 Much Melody; 451 Whiskers.

> 8.50.—410yds: Cynic (March 3, tp 3, 24.62; March 7, tp 1, 24.64); 5 Good Corona (Feb 25, tp 1, 25.06; Feb 28, tp 6, 25.01); 134 Lone Eagle; 252 Mr. Murphy; 5 Tio Pape; 31F Viola, Roserve: 534 It's Easy.

SELECTIONS



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LUTON TOWN RES. .. 1

In addition, this was the most disappointing display they have put up and almost the only crumb

With Sexton looking far from happy on the wing, and Moore still not over the bad patch that cost him his first team place, the right-wing accomplished little, and McJarrow slowed down things by his fondness for holding on to the

inclination to shoot from scute augies. Almost the only players who showed something like normal form were Dunne, Cooke and

Havenga, and Streten had no chance with any of the four goals

the Town's attacks. TWO LOOK WELL SET FOR

Club To Score 100 Goals With not the slightest suspicion of a shock result in the matches in which the leading Luton and South Beds

Sundon Park respectively, seem to be all set for the final run in. Even should Caddington win SKEFKO ATH 1. LEAGRAVE B.L. their four outstanding matches, they could total only 42 points, a Brimmer, Brown)

points, require only four points from their last five matches to make certain of the title. Shillington's win at Dagnall

six to achieve that feat.
At the other end of the scale, Hitchin-road O.B. nighting against tnc DOSSIDILLA gained two valuable points from their meeting with Barton, and bottom team, Electrolux, again

PREMIER DIVESION

FOOTBALL LUTON TOWN F.C.

WINDSOR & ETON

After one or two raids in the early part of the second half, Barnsley were quickly forced to resume their defensive role and YUELL tried to stave off the disaster threatened by another Pye centre. Instead, he crashed the ball past the surprised Hough Scott caught the limelight at the ball past the surprised Hough times, but his passing was to put the Town four up after 61 inaccurate, and Taylor would minutes. There followed a period in which more goals always seemed likely to come the Town's way, but the next suc-cess was delayed for a quarter of an hour. Then, a slip by McNeil left CULLEN facing Hough and he calmly took the ball around the goalkeeper before triumphantly driving it into the net. Four minutes later CULLEN completed the scoring, again from close range and again with Hough lett hopelessly placed after a defensive tapse. This victory marked the com-pletion of the Town's third "double" of the season and, judged on this showing, there was

accepted a chance after 58 minutes, and the fact that MOORE reduced the lead in the closing stages was merely incidental, especially as DOBSON put on the home team's fourth two minutes before the end.

Caddington Are First Premier

League teams are concerned, it is a case of "as you were" at the top of each of the divisions. Not one title has been captured yet but, in two divisions. the Premier and Division IV, Shillington and

tally Shillington can top by

which they are playing.

On the other hand, Sundon
Park, with a clear lead of seven

judging by the consistent way in

scoring four goals, they earned the distinction of being the first Premier Division team to reach a century Shillington still require

Each of the first three teams in Division I. Totternhoe, Leagrave B.L. and Glendale, scored seven goals, but the palm for prolific scoring has to be handed to Divi-sion II lenders, Bells Park, who reached 14 against Warden Hill. Not that that made their place

Luton United. Luton Brewery fielded two teams in this Division and lost both matches, quite decisively. NAPIER SPORTS 5 (Weston 2, Duffy, Hewitt, oppon.), LIMBURY O.B. 2 DAGNALL 1 (Thorne), SHILLING-TON 4 (Saundam & Piller)

DIVISION I
SHILLINGTON "A" 2 (Hare, Aidridge), LAPORTE 1 (Millen)
TOTTERNEDE 7 (Broyd 3, Bowers
2, Waite 2), ENGLISH ELECTRIC 2
GLENDALE 7 (James 2, Kelly 2,
Jones, Knapton, Palmer), PIONEER
CORINTHIANS 0

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Poor Display By Reserves

of comfort for them was that Shanks came through his first test after injury successfully.

Otherwise, it was a most undistinguished showing from the Town, with the forwards failing to see the said of the said of the said showing a lack of

not shown too much of an

Cooke had the better of the tussle with his former colleague,

in command and so such were their visiting inside-forwards under a cloud in the second half that both were able to join in

no weak link in the team.

BLANK SHEET WITHOUT

merely averaging one point from each of their last six matches.

Stopsley, third in the table with eight matches to play, can reach 46 points, but even in the somewhat unlikely event of that happening. Shillington should have plenty to spare at the end, judging by the consistent way in

was a good performance as was that of Caddington in taking full points from Toddington and, by

found that first victory elusive when they drew with Luton Social.

any more tenable, for they are in the position of having to await slips by Chaul End Athletic who are not giving much sign of making them, judging by the way in which they accounted for

DAGNALL 1 (Thorne), SHILLING-TON 4 (Saunders 3, Flim) HITCHIN-ROAD O.B 1 (Allison), BARTON ROVERS 0 ELECTROLUX 2 (Golding 2), LUTON SOCIAL 2 (B Jackson 2) TODDINGTON ROVERS 0, CAD-DINGTON 4 (Thorn 2, Upton,

LUTON TOWN "A"

DIFFICULTY No fault could be found with the re-organised defence which kept a blank sheet without any obvious difficulty and Isall again showed just how unfortunate he has been to have to ut up with such a prolonged spell of reserve McMillan; Feeney, Snell; Fletcher, Clarke, Murchison; Havenga, Dobson, Higgins, team service. Morton and Owen were much LUTON TOWN RES .- Streten; Dunne Cooke: Shanks, Kelly, Smith; Sexton, Moore, McJarrow,

LEAGUE HONOURS NOW

LUTON O.B. 1 (Blythe), WEST PARK 1 (Vince) R.A.F.A. 1 A.F.A. I, HITCHIN-ROAD O.B. DIVISION II LIMBURY O.B. RES 5 (Young 2. Evans 2. Fountain), GLENDALE RES 3 (Mead, Wright, Barnard) BELLS PARK 14 (Woodbridge 5, 5 Femome 4. A Femome 2, King, Ambridge Tobin), WARDEN HILL

LUTON SOCIAL RES 5 (lackson 3. Gearer, Bryce), PERCIVAL ATH 3
CADDINGTON "B" 4 (King 2,
Tomblin. Ginger), BEECHWOOD
Y.C. 5 (G Clarkson 2, Skinner, Hayward Mitchell) LUTON UTD 1 (Harrington), CHAUL END ATH 7 (Beasley 2, Harris 2, Causer, Eyre, Bangs) DIVISION III ALLIANCE FOUNDRY 2 (Cless 2).

ATH 0

OLD LUTONIANS 3

HOCKLIFFE 7 (Minail 4, Milbure 2, Burgess), WALCOT ATH 4 (Pedder, Edwards, Tingey, opponent)
LUTON BREWERY 0, ROBIN HOODS 5 (Fiet 2, Hawker 2, Gale)
BARTON ROVERS RES 1 (Stapleton), HAYWARD-TYLER 0
OFFLEY ROVERS 1 (Walker), LUMOCO SPORTS 1 (Hill)

BEECHWOOD Y.C. RES 0, VILLA
ROVERS 2 (B Taylor, P King)
BIDWELL 4 (Garwood 2, Bird, Pyper),
R.A.F.A. RES 0
HEXTON 1 (Matthewa), ENGLISH
ELECTRIC RES 1
SUNDON PARK 5 (Stransch 2, S
Lersch, Warren, opponent), LUTON
O.B. RES 3 (Saunders 3)
STOPSLEY Y.C. 4 (Ephgrave 2, Perkins, Webb), TOTTERNHOE RES 4 kins, Webb), TOTTERNHOE RES 4 (Witte 2 Hubbocks 2) LAPORTE RES 1 (Sinfield), BROWN AND GREEN 2 (Higgins 2)

HOCKLIFFE 7 (Minall 4, Milbure 2,

Some exuberance by the Barnsley forwards in the early stages, including one slick passing movement that had the Town defence in real trouble for aimost the only time during the afternoon, was amply countered by two quick blows Turner struck in the 16th and 18th minutes. of the two who did not find the net. Pye and Mitchell. Both laid on excellent chances and Watkins was another who set 18th minutes. Before this, the Town had not been moving any too smoothly. Their passing of the lively ball Jones, Pemberton: Morton, Hall, Owen; Cullen, Turner, Pye, Wat-kins, Mitchell. was sending it anywhere but where it was intended, but the successes steadied the line and

began a long spell of good foot-

A switch out to the left-wing by

Pye brought the first and TURNER was waiting by the far

post to head through coolly the

accurate centre when it came

Two minutes later, Mitchell made a drive that Hough found too hot to hold and when the ball ran loose, TURNER was there to tap it into the net.

Then, with 31 minutes gone, a low course by Mitchell found.

low centre by Mitchell found WATKINS unmarked and the inside-left did the rest to score his

first goal since the one he ob-tained at Barnsley in October.

TOO HOT TO HOLD

Bromwich. Attendance: 15,315.

End Of Skefko's

ley B.B.O.B., gained an easy away win, the position has

into second place, they are two

The ir visitors, Letchworth Town, who look like suffering relegation, provided them with an easy task and Shefford became the

Bedford Corinthians 2, Baldock Tn 1
Dunstable Tn 2, Wootton B, Cross 5
Harro'd Utd 2, Kent's Ath 0
Kempston Roy 1, Peartree Old Boys 2
Shefford Tn 7, Letchworth Tn 1

Vauxhall Motors 0, Marston Shelton 2

SELECTIONS FOR

7.10.—410yds; 362 Brown Amber; 433 Half-Pint; 36 Jill; 466 Michael Karl; 466 Princess; 546 The Bride. Reserve; 135 Just Fancy.

BOYS' BRIGADE O. STOPSLEY RES 8.10,-470yds: 14 Flying Saucer

6.30: Sofitaire (Neapolitan, Lindy);
6.50: Gem Cutters (Rocksfella, Mary's
Son); 7.10: Michael Karl (Jill. Princess); 7.30: Vic (Radwell, Greetings);
7.50: Sporting Express (nap) (Tracer,
Quick Answer); 8.10: Singer (Gambler,
Gold Flash); 8.30: Whisters (Much
Melody, Echo); 8.50: Viola (Tio Pepe,
Lone Engie),

... By Chiltern | THE TRAFFIC WAS

CUP FORM