TOWN HAD JUST TWO

MINUTES TO SPARE

By Chiltern

Town Are Satisfied

Reserves Are Well

Among The Leaders

THERE should be a bigger-than-average crowd for a Combination match at Kenil-

worth-road on Saturday, when the

Town Reserves will have attrac-tive visitors in Chelsea.

of this competition, and are only

one point behind the joint leaders,

Chelsea have been less success-

ful, but they beat Leicester last Saturday, and can call on a

Lewis Led Chelsea

Reserves' Attack

amateur international, Jim Lewis,

Sillett, transferred from South-

The Town have not yet settled

on their side, but it is likely to be little changed from the one

that did so well to win at High-

Probability is that Wally Shanks will be on twelfth man

duty with the League side again.

Are Vauxhall Near

A Team Record?

lost nine of their 13 matches.

Team: D. Johnstone;

rence, R. Brandham, E. James,

Local "Derby" In

F.A. Youth Cup

DAVIS HELD,

BUT STILL LEAD

With the top teams in the Psemies Division and Division

of the South Midlands League

involved in Bedfordshire Senior

Cup matches, the spotlight was on Division II on Saturday.

Here, Davis Athletic and Rootes

Sports went further ahead and

they now enjoy a four points lead.

They are level on points, but

Davis have a superior goal average

and also a game in hand.
Surprisingly, Davis were held to
a draw by Flitwick, but Rootes
beat lowly Britannia Works, al-

though they had to fight hard. Kent's Athletic continued their up-

ward trend when they drew with

wade moved into third place be-hind Baldock and Shefford when

they beat AC-Delco. Ampthill dropped another point, this time

Favourites for the Division I

title, Vauxhall Motors, im-proved their chances with a 4-2

By a coincidence the first teams

victory over Leighton United.

hell proved the stronger side.

Histon 2. Letchworth Town 0

PREMIER DIVISION

Biggleswade Town 6, AC-Deko 1 Cranfield United 2, Ampthill Town 2

DIVISION I

DIVISION II

KEEN GAME IN

YOUTH LEAGUE

BOYS' CLUB JUNIORS 3 (Jackson,

Holdstock, Corey), VAUXHALL MINORS 9 (Gerach 2, McGill 4,

to Cranfield.

United 1

Shelton 0

the 14-16 section.

Williamson 2. Crew)

In the Premier Division, Biggles-

ampton, and Tickridge, formerly

of Spurs, were the full-backs.

regular first team places.

West Ham and Norwich City.

team of experienced players.

With nine points out of 12, the Town are well among the leaders in their first season in Division 1

UNCHANGED TEAM TO FACE STIFF TEST

Partly because of injuries and partly due to the mid-week floodlit matches, the Town's announcement of their team for Saturday has invariably been delayed until Friday in recent weeks. However, with neither of these factors to worry about

this week. Manager Dally Duncan, with a certain amount of satisfaction yesterday, was able to make his team decision for the visit to Doncaster.

Naturally enough, after last Saturday's home win, there was no disposition to upset a winning team and an unchanged side has the touch that put up such a good fight against England recently. been selected for the tough task to be undertaken at Belle Vue on Saturday.

Just how difficult this is likely to be is shown by the fact that of the nine visitors to the Rovers' ground so far this season, seven have left without any reward and only two, Rothernam, who won there 3-1, and Lincoln, who forced a 1-1 draw, have escaped

Vital Match For Both Teams

WITH the Town now having a settled team, and the forward line, while not scoring so fluently as we would like, but doing enough to keep the unbeaten run going, and promising better things in the scoring line, the Town should go into this match in a

confident frame of mind. A glance at the relative positions of the teams in the League table is all that is needed to show the vital nature of the result of

this match, A win to the Town would draw them a good deal nearer to the promotion fight and narrow the gap between them and the Rovers to only three points,

Further Rest Ordered For Leslie Jones

SO the Town will be making the longish trip north hopefully and with the following team: Streten; Dunne, Aberne; Morton, Owen Watkins; Davies, Turner, Pye, Cummins, Mitchell.

Leslie Jones, who might have been considered for a place had he been fit, is still on the injured list with the groin trouble that occurred during the floodlit match with Admira, and he has been ordered further rest until the end of the week.

Only other player who is not available is Alan Thompson, who is well on the way to recovery.

Doncaster Likely To Be Unchanged

Nottingham last Saturday, when they wiped out the Forest's two-goals lead to gain a draw, Doncaster's team is unlikely to be changed much, but they are delaying final choice until tomorrow morning In view of the fact that they

are untroubled by injuries, it meets Vauxi seems fairly safe to assume that Youth Cup. this will be the line-up: Hardwick; Makepeace,

Graham; Brown, Paterson, Tensdale; Tindill, Lawlor, Harrison, McMorran, Walker.

BACK IN TOP

PLACE AGAIN

Dartford 0, Luton Town "A" 1 Back to the top of the Metropolitan League went the Town "A" as the result of a narrow victory at Dartford, where they had already won and lost on previous visits this Vital goal came five minutes

from the end from ALLEN, always a hard worker, and it followed closely on the sending off of Bennett, the Town's outside-right, and German, of Dartford. Earlier, defences had been on

top to a marked degree, but the Town's football was the more constructive, for much of Dartford's attempts to get going savoured of the kick-and-rush

variety. Dallas was outstanding in the Luton defence, and Williams made a number of fine saves. Although Bennett and Adam made many centres, the attack

as a whole could not settle down against the hard, first-time tackling of the home defenders. Hockey

SIX MORE GOALS FOR THE O.D.s R.A.F. Halton 3, Old Dunstablians 6.

For the third time this season Old Dunstablians scored six goals -this time at the expense of R.A.F. Halton.

In a dramatic start Halton took the lead within thirty seconds but half a minute later A. B. McKELVIE put the Dunstablians on terms with a fast cross shot. The same player scored an identi-cal goal to give the Old Boys the lead and further chances were wasted before the interval.

The second half saw the Old

Boys in complete control and goals came at regular intervals. First BLAKE scored with a brilliant effort and ANNESS and BROWN made it five.

The home side hit back with a sharp raid in which they reduced their arrears but just before the end LEWIS scored a sixth goal for the visitors.
HOCKEY RESULTS
Enfield 2, Luton 1

Kent's 0. Bedford "A" 1 Old Dunstablians II 4, College of Old Dunstablians III 3, Tring 2

Rugby

OPENING SPELL BROUGHT

This was Luton's first win of

the season. Until this meeting, neither team had won, so the clash had added interest.

The home pack worked well, giving their backs plenty of the

ball and they responded by show-

ing more energy and ideas than

Luton attacked from the start and were soon in the Fullerians "25," but

they did not score until the game was 15 minutes old. Then Bob Jones cut through to touch down between the

posts. He added the extra points him-

Jones increased Luton's lead to ten points when he scored another similar

Old Fullerians came into the game

A good dribble by May resulted in

him going over for a try in the corner and this was followed by tries from

In the closing minutes the visitors railled and scored a geat try which they

Of Luton's hard-working pack May

and Davies deserve special mention.

"DOUBLE" OVER

DUNSTABLE

Luton completed a fine "double" over Dunstable Grammar School when they beat them by a try and a penalty to nil at Dunstable.

Although the home side attacked for most of the first half Luton were three points ahead at the interval for Gurney touched down after he kicked over the full-back's head and followed up. His kick hit the post and went wide.

Gurney kicked a penalty for Luton in the second half to complete the seconds.

The Luton pack was reduced

seven players in the closing stages, but played very we'll and the three-quarters defended strongly, especially Doodson whose covering was excellent.

before the interval but could not score and the second half saw Luton on the

try and again converted.

offensive again.

Davies and Temple.

O.B.s DOUBLE eventually their efforts were rewarded when they were awarded a penalty from which they scored. Old Lutonians 11 Loughborough College Vandais 9 FIRST WIN Old Lutonians played well to achieve the "double" over OF THE SEASAON the strong Loughborough side, Luton 19, Old Fallerians 5

but their victory was due mainly to an inspired opening They maintained a terrific pace for the first fifteen minutes and

scored twice during that period. Afterward Loughborough re-vived and the Lutonians had to play hard in order to hang on to their lead. First score came when Adkins. a front row forward, gave Thorpe a

chance to cut through and score between the posts. Adkins converted and then a grand, orthodox passing movement enabled Thurlow to go over in the corner. Then came the Loughborough revival and just before the interval one of their forwards broke through the Luton

pack and forced himself over for an unconverted try. Loughborough scored again soon after the start of the second half and

for a spell the Lutonians were kept on the defensive.

Thorpe went over for another try for the Lutonians after Edmonds dribbled a loose ball through the defence but again Loughborough threw everything into attack. A fine tackle by Heanue prevented them from scoring another try but

FOOTBALL

LUTON TOWN F.C.

Combination League, Div. I SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 28th LUTON RESERVES versus CHELSEA

RESERVES Kick-off 2.30 p.m. ADMISSION: Centre Stand 2/-; Wing Stand and Enclosure 1/6, Boys 1/-; Bobbers' Stand 1/3, Boys 10d. (separate entrance);

Ground (not covered) 1/-, Boys 9d.

their players who have been honoured by the county this sea-son, and will be fielding a very

Vauxhall, too, have a very smart combination and their team

C. Lake; J. Chrk, B. Hedge; T. Floyd, A. Blund, G. Motto: R. Sinfield, M. Graves, M. Toni-linson, A. Gregory, L. Franklin. Luton-Watford Clash

In Schools Shield HOPING to qualify for the divisional final, which will entail a visit to either Leicester or Peterborough, Luton School-boys will be meeting Watford on

the Town ground on Saturday morning.

Some switching has been done in the defence, with Summerfield moving from right-back to centre-half, Dillon to left-back, and Black taking over at right-back.

Team; Kershaw (Tech); Black (Denbigh-road), Dillon (Old Bedford-road); Davie (Denbigh-road). Summerfield Hetherington (Grammar). (Stopsley); Westwood, Chance, Hills (Grammar), Whitby (Old Bedford-road), Mardle (Ick-

Reserves: Tompkins (Icknield), Chambers (Challney), Dean (Old Bedford-road).

Old Boys' Team To Meet Vauxhall

CLASH of local rugby rivals A takes place on Saturday when Old Lutonians entertain Vauxhall Motors, and will be represented

by the following:
Reed; A. N. Other, Thorpe,
Matthews, Thurlow; Edmonds,
Bracey; Shepherd, Knapp,
Adkins, Young, Heanue, Cato,
Fensome, Kelly. AGAINST Leicester, their for-wards were led by the and Campbell and Smith (R.) were other members of the attack who have held down For Luton, there is a visit to Bedford to meet Queen's Works,

> ing team: Cannon; Davies, J. Jones, H. G. Jones, Burton; Temple, Henman; Powell, Peirson, May, Boswell, Beechener, Swala, Pearce, P. Oakley.

> and they have chosen the follow-

VAUXHALL THROUGH SAFELY

Only Luton club still left in the Bedfordshire Senior Cup are Vauxhall Motors, who beat Leigh-

VAUXHALL MOTORS must be well on the way towards ton United decisively in their first round match on Saturday.

In the next round, to be played in January, Vauxhall will meet Stotfold who caused one of the biggest surprises on Saturday by beating Potton 5-1.

The Cup-holders, Shefford setting up a club record for the number of times they have been

able to field an unchanged team, and they will do so again for their home match with Hoddesdon in the Spartan League. This should bring them two Town, had an easy win over Electrolux while Arlesey reversed more points, for the visitors have

a recent South Midlands League decision when they bear Kent's Burgess, K. Startin; J. O'Neill, J. Humphrey, F. Bunning; C. Firmin, G. Todd, W. Law-Athletic. Arlesy and Shefford are due to should be one of the hardest-

fought games in the competition. There is plenty of confidence in the Dunstable camp and they stand a good chance of a place in KEEN tussle is expected at the semi-finals for they entertain Wootton Blue Cross in the next Vauxhall on Saturday mornround. ing when the Town's youth XI Langford and Waterlow's drew

meets Vauxhall Colts in the F.A. their match and will meet again to see which will travel to meet Houghton Rangers. Second Round Draw, Dunstable Town v. Wootton B.C.; Houghton Rangers v. Langford or Water-low's; Stotfold v. Vauxhall Motors; Arlescy Town v. Shefford

RESULTS

Vauxhall Motors 6. Leighton United 0 Shefford Town 5, Electrolux 2
Kent's Athletic 1. Arlesey Town 3
Dunstable Town 4, Bedford Avc. 2
Queens's Works 2, Houghton Rangers 3
Langford 1, Waterlow's 1
Stotfold 5, Potton United 1
Wootton B.C. 2, Kempston Rovers 1 Scott Downie, Taylor.

EDDIE McMORRAN. Doncaster's bustling Irish inter-national inside-forward, who is one of their danger-men.

ARSENAL

Fine Victory

A resolute, gallant defensive display, in which Baynham and

ressure in the second half at Highbury on Saturday. Earlier, they had shocked the

forwards found their stride, and they went ahead in six minutes when TAYLOR met a centre from Scott and sent the ball into

Fourteen minutes later another shot by Taylor rebounded off a post to MOORE, who beat Swindin, and, with exactly half an hour gone, McJARROW headed

period Scott, the most dan-gerous forward, might have not his name in the marksmen's list,

forcibly with goals in quick succession from WALSH and GORING.

second-half pressing.

It was then that the Town

Taking the game right through, the Town just deserved their Arsenal team.

and his handling of the ball was clean and confident throughout.

forwards, with much less of the ball, were not nearly so much in

100 Per Cent Shaw & Kilburn Shattered Rivals' Record

South Beds League's Premier Division.

of both these clubs met in the Senior Cup and, here too, Vauxnot without a struggle at Totternhoe, where the home team did not have much luck with their shooting.

Peartree Old Boys 1. Dunstable Town 5 Eaton Bray United 3. Tickford Spotus 1 Leighton United 2. Vauxhall Motors 4 Skefko Athletic 4. Percival Athletic 2 Marston Shelton 5, Bletchley B.B.O.B. AC-Delco 2, Kent's Athletic 2 Bedford North End 5, Cranfield the division.

Curiously enough, the most convincing win of the cay was recorded by the bottom dogs. Dag-

Athletic, who strengthened their hand by beating Luton O.B., who were in second place. They will do well, though, to One of the best matches in

Luton Youth League on Saturday keep an eye on Leagrave B.L., unbeaten so far, and on Bells Park, highly creditable winners at was the meeting between Biscot Mill B.C. and Luton Hotspur in Shillington.

Change of leadership came in Division II where Hockliffe, after building up a three goal lead, could not stave off a gallant rally by Lilley, who rescued a point after being in an apparently hopeless position.

LIMBURY O.B. 8 (Grange 5. Thomas, Clarke, Head)
OLD BEDFORD - ROAD 4 (Prime 2. win took Davis to the top, but their lead amounts to only a single point and they have played two matches more than Hock-liffe and Luton Social Reserves, Woodcraft, Lewis), BOYS' BRIGADE JUNIORS 0.

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LUTON TOWN YOUTH XI 3.

VAUXHALL JUNIORS 0 who are level on points.

> beaten in this division. Quite a battle is going on in Division III where Caddington "B" increased their slight lead as

position.

and Kilburn won their top-of-the-

2 (Weston 2). TODDINGTON ROVERS 5 (Conquest

DIVISION I

Coles), HOCKLIFFE 3
Burgess, Kingham),
NAPIER SPORTS "A" 2 (Eaton,
Snelgrove), OLD LUTONIANS 2
(Tildesley, Northcott),
DAVIS ATH. 6 (Upton 2, Horsier,
Stimpson, Barford, Henderson),

Watson, Geary) DIVISION III

ENGLISH ELECTRIC & (Dorrington J. Francis J. Whithread 2), BID-WELL 1 (Pyper).

CRESCENT UNITED 1 (opponent).
LEAGRAVE ATH. RESERVES J.
LEAGRAVE B.L. RES. 2 (Bishop,



GUNS SPIKED

By Reserves Amenal Res. 2, Luton T. Res. 3

Hall were outstanding, enabled the Town to hold on grimly to their lead against all-out Arsenal

Gunners by scoring three times in the first half an hour, during which period their forwards showed both speed and finishing Right from the start the Town

the roof of the net.

through after the ball had come back off the crossbar.

With a bit of luck during this

Then Arsenal, almost for the first time, began to come into inc game as a dangerous attacking force, and they struck back

These successes brought a distinct change in the situation, with the initiative passing to Arsenal, who did most of the

defence had its greatest test, and they did extremely we'l to prevent the home forwards from

narrow success against this strong Several times Baynham drew applause from the crowd of 5,393.

Both Hawkes and Pemberton came through creditably, and there was strong backing for Hall from Kelly and McJarrow. After their early successes the

the picture, and Scott, too fast for Fotheringham, was the main-spring of the front line. ARSENAL RES: Swindin; Wade, Smith; Shaw, Fothering-

LEADERS FOUND THEIR WINNING FORM AGAIN

The leaders, Napier Sports, regained winning form, but

Moore), BARTON ROVERS RES.
4 (Horsler 4)
LUTON BREWERY 2 (F. Grommit
2), ALLIANCE FOUNDRY 3 Proof of the struggle that is going on was contained in the difficulty Glendale found in dis-2), ALLIANCE FOUNDRY 3
(Bowler, Smith. Clewes),
DIVISION IV
BARTON WOODWORKING 3 (Hyde.

posing of Caddington, who scored three times against a team that had the best defensive record in

Flitwick Athletic 3. Davis Athletic 3 Bedford St. Cuthberts 2, Marston nall, who relinquished that unenviable position to their victims of last Saturday, Hitchin-road Lynton Works 1, Peartree Old Boys 1 Rootes Sports 2, Britannia Works 1 Stewarthy Works 2, Elstow Abbey 3. No sign yet of ny cracking by the Division I leaders, Woburn

BISCOT MILL B.C. 3 (Scott, Fedigan, Fensome), LUTON HOT-SPUR 4 (Crawley 2, Cooper,

The loss of that point, com-

In fact, Social share with Hockliffe the distinction of being un-

the result of a heavy win over Sundon O.B. and English Electric jumped from lifth to second Surprise here was the home defeat of Walcot by Hayward Tyler. After a terrific struggle, Shaw

table meeting with Percival Ap-prentices and recorded their eighth consecutive victory.

PREMIER DIVISION

LUTON SOCIAL 1 (Jackson),
SHILLINGTON ATH. 4 (Dilley,
Millard, Brudenell, Flint).

TOTTERNHOE 0, NAPIER SPORTS

2, Buckingham, Crees, Janes), LIM-BURY O.B. 3.
DAGNALL 7 (D. Osborn 3, B. Osborn 3, Munt), HITCHIN - ROAD O.B. 1 (Bird).
GLENDALE 4 (James 2, Jones, Knapton), CADDINGTON 3 (Pain, Fullarton, Mead).

DIVISION I
LEAGRAVE ATH. 2. STOPSLEY
RES. 3 (Clarke 2. Bowles).
LUTON O.B. 3. WOBURN ATH. 5
(Dudley 2, Neale 2. Ealins).
R.A.F.A. 1. WEST PARK 2 (Wesley.

Betts).

ELECTROLUX 1 (Walters). LEAGRAVE B.L. 2 (Conton, Brimmer).

SHILLINGTON "A" 1 (Hare).

BELLS PARK 2 (Burryan 2).

DIVISION II

LILLEY RANGERS 3 (Carr. Payne,
Coles). HOCKLIFFE 3 (Millburn.

Burress Kinsham).

Stimpson, Barford, Henderson), SKEFKO ATH. 0
ROBIN HOODS 5 (Mead 2, Fit 2, Bunyan), EATON BRAY 1 (Smith).
PERCIVAL ATH. 0, GLENDALE RES. 4 (Mead 3, Ward).
LUTON UNITED 2 (Walker, Martin).
LUTON SOCIAL RES. 4 (Ward 2, Ward).

CADDINGTON 'B" 6 (Morgan 2, R. Ginger, W. Ginser, Austin, Upton), SUNDON O.B. 1 WALCOT ATH. 1 (Tingey), HAY-WARD-TYLER 5.

Apart from the fact that Toddington and Shillington each moved up a place at the expense of Caddington, narrowly beaten by Glendale, there was no change in the leading positions of the Luton and

Coyle, Adams), R.A.F.A. RES. 3
(Hayden, Clark, Whiteley).
LUTON O.B. RES. 3, ROOTES
SPORTS RES. 4.
LUMOCO SPORTS 4 (Chamberlain. Wortsley, Armstrong, Smith, TOTTERNHOE RES. 1 (Gore). COCKERNHOE 3, (Ayres, Tring, Winch), VILLA ROVERS 2 (Harry,

WILSDEN ATH. 3 (Pearson, Culling, Hull), HEXTON 2 (Cole, Fossey), PERCIVAL APPRENTICES 1 (Nor-cott), SHAW AND KILBURN 2 Hillier, Gibbs).

Opportunist Mitchell Did The Trick Again LUTON TOWN ... 2 BLACKBURN ROVERS 1 Two minutes to go and the Town look likely to lose yet another home point that should have been safely in the bag long ago. Still hammering away for the winner, they gain a free kick when Cummins is brought down heavily-not for the first time in the

Down goes Mitchell under a flurry of bodies and, for many people on the ground, there is a wait until the heap had sorted itself out before they are certain

who it was has snatched that dramatic winner. Such was the dramatic ending at Kenilworth-road on Satur-

When the excitement died down it was Mitchell who was carried to the touch-line, out to the world, and who was eventually taken to the dressing-room with the cheers of the excited crowd

still ringing in his ears.
So did the Town's left-winger again prove himself to be the winner of a match that if it had had any other result would have

been sheer injustice. Indeed, had the Town really had the run of the ball, or had they taken the fullest advantage of the chances that came their way, they would have whipped Blackburn just as completely as

they did last season, This time, however, things did not go quite so smoothly in front of goal and they did not make the most of the weakness of the

EARLY SIGNS OF PANIC Then, there were definite signs

Blackburn defence early on.

of panic, especially when Pyc was in possession of the ball, and the only wonder is that they managed to keep the score as low as two. From a somewhat unexpected quarter came the first, though the marksman, WATKINS, has given previous examples this season of

his shooting powers. This time, he received the ball from a quickly-taken throw-in by Mitchell, swung in towards goal and beat Elvy with a shot that found its way into the top corner of the net and which was leaving the goalkeeper all the way, For half an hour the Town

produced high-powered football

that looked certain to produce

further goals, but, somehow, did not, and they had to be content at the interval with this Only bad luck prevented Turner from increasing it with a shot that struck the foot of a post with Elvy beaten, and then came the shock of the match.

Blackburn's forwards had

looked a completely innocuous

lot, apart from one or two forays by Briggs, and then suddenly, they were on level terms. McLean picked up the ball just inside the Town half and hit it hard down the middle. Owen and BRIGGS went for it together, and it was the latter who gained possession to go on and drive the ball past Streten as he left his

narrow the angle. In the minutes following that, Blackburn were more dangerous than at any other stage in the match, and the bustling Briggs twice came near to setting the Town struggling against arrears,

THEN, ALL WAS WELL

again, and the Town began seek-

ing the winner that proved so clusive and which seemed further

AGAIN

away than ever after Cummins had had a goal disallowed for off-If the margin had been a little more convincing everybody would have been satisfied with this display but, even so, it would have been difficult to pick out any weak spot in the team,

There was a workmanlike look about it, with the forwards moving well, though they could perhaps have done a little more in the abooting line. From Davies and Turner there

was a lot of go-ahead, thrustful work, with Pyc and Cummins,

although tending to hold the ball overslong at times, doing most of the scheming, much of it success-To the wide-awake opportunism of Mitchell, full credit must be given, and at times he showed Suart a clean pair of heels. This would have happened more fre-

quently had he received more through passes, Apart from that unsettled 10 minutes when Blackburn got on top. Owen made a fine job of holding his old opponent, Briggs.

Dunne scarcely put a foot wrong and with Aherne usually the master of McLean, and Streten effective and confident in goal, the defence, again apart from that ten minutes, was very sound. LUTON TOWN: Streten;

Watkins: Davies Turner, Pye, Cummins, Mitchell, BLACKBURN ROVERS:

LOSS ON THE

Prospect For Next Year Is Brighter

premises, repairs and replace-ments of ground accessories and the cost of putting the ground itself in order for the outure, Luton Town C.C. lost £235 on last season.

rather dismal, they could look forward with certainty that the financial position would be

of score-cards. In the previous season there was an excess expenditure of £125. The bon. secretary, Mr. G. H.

Hawley, drew attention in his

report to the playing records of

and the first eleven went through the season undefeated. There were 17 drawn games, a act that must be disappointing from the spectators' point of "However," said Mr. Hawley, "I am sure our skippers do all

they can to obtain definite results, and perhaps it is often a case of our opponents playing for a draw because they feel they have little hope of a win over such strong sides as ours." As usual, the County had

made several calls on Laton players, and some felt that they could have had more calls goal in a desperate attempt to with advantage to the County. After referring to the disappointment occasioned by the weather preventing the club meet-ing the Pakistan Eaglets, he announced that the tourists would be playing the Club Cricket Con-ference at Wardown on May 5. Officers were elected as follows:

> tary, Mr. A. J. Worboys; hon. fixture secretary, Mr. C. H. Warfixture secretary, Mr. C. H. Warman; hon. publicity secretary,
> Mr. C. W. Gilder; 1st XI captain, Mr. J. A. R. Oliver; vicecaptain, Mr. C. V. A. Colling;
> 2nd XI captain, Mr. P. W. J.
> Webn; vice-captain, Mr. A. J.
> Worboys; Sunday XI captain,
> Mr. J. A. R. Oliver; vicecaptain, Mr. T. D. Matthews;
> Vednesday XI captain and secre-Wednesday XI captain and secretary, Mr. B. G. Satterley; committee, Messrs, C. V. A. Colling, J. Shields, E. A. Fryer, E. H. Pugh, R. West and L. Goring;

hon. auditors, Messrs. Keens, Shav. Keens. Before the meeting began, the chairman, Mr. W. Holiday, referred to the passing of Clir. T. Skelton, whom he said had probably done more than any-

The meeting stood in silence as a mark of respect for "a very





Although he is almost in the inside-right position. Cummins takes the kick himself, cleverly "chipping" the ball over the heads of defenders into an open space where MITCHELL, also out of

position, hurls himself at the ball and heads it into

Morton, captaining the team on his wedding day, and Watkins.

Dunne, Aherne; Morton, Owen,

Elvy: Suart, Eckersley; Smith, Kelly, Bell; McLean, Crossan, Briggs, Quigley Langton. Referee: G. Pankhurst, Warwick. Attendance: 16,269.

Cricket

SEASON BY TOWN

Due in large measure to improvements made on the club

in presenting his report, the hon, treasurer, Mr. J. P. Suthertand, said that although it looked

better next season. There was, too, the fact that the bar had not yielded as much profit as had been hoped, but there was a slight increase in the memb. ship, offset by a drop in reflections and profit on the sale

the first and second teams, who had lost only one of 41 matches,

President, the Mayor-elect; vice-presidents, re-elected, with the addition of Mr. E. A. Fryer; chairman, Mr. W. Holiday; vice-chairman, Mr. A. F. Waller; hon, secretary, Mr. G. H. Hawley; hon, treasurer, Mr. J. P. Sutherland; hon, team secre-Then, suddenly, all was well

body else to get for the club the and there was solid work from all tat entle nan and sportsman.



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