



● *THAT'S IT. . . . Part-timer Jackie Lunn (dark shirt), lobbs the ball over Luton 'keeper Jim Standen—and Third Division Barnsley are through to the sixth round of the Cup for the first time since 1936.*

LUNN'S LOB LAMS LUTON

Barnsley 1, Luton 0. By TOM HOLLEY

COLLIER joiner Jackie Lunn, Barnsley's part-time left-winger, was having one of those nightmare games which professional footballers dread. Nothing was going right for him—until left-half Billy Houghton pushed a shrewd pass through Luton's hesitating defence. Lunn swooped on the ball and, as Standen came out, lobbed it neatly over the goalkeeper's head into the net.

That goal took Barnsley into the sixth round for the first time since 1936, and I was playing in the Oakwell side that year. When Stoke were defeated in round five, the victory brought memories flooding back to me.

But Barnsley could have had the game sewn up by half-time. After Fleming and Ashworth had failed narrowly but dismally with good chances in an early spell of Luton pressure, the Oakwell men took a real grip on the game.

After two Oliver headers had crashed against the bar, Standen made a magnificent save from Houghton and a Tindill hook was cleared off the line by Dunne.

Standen was almost constantly in action as Barnsley, with Tindill wandering away from the middle and Oliver and Bartlett acting as spearheads, almost completely overran the Luton rear-guard, of which Groves, Morton and Dunne were the best.

Main driving force behind Barnsley's superiority was right-half Wood, whom the club once put on the transfer list.

Wood kept Allan Brown in almost complete control and found the time to surge up in front in support of his forwards.

The Barnsley defence, scarcely troubled in the first half, came into its own in the second when Luton piled on the pressure.

Brookes, the 16-year-old amateur left-back, looked completely at home in the heat of the thrills, and Sharp's determination broke up a lot of promising midfield work by Luton.

Desperate switch

The visitors switched their wingers and dropped Brown back to half-back, with Groves at inside-forward, in their desperate effort to pull the game out of the fire.

But Barnsley's second-half hero was goalkeeper Williams, who has been pressed into service in the last two Cup games because of injury to Leeson.

Luton never displayed the urgency of their opponents and their forward line, of which Turner was the best, never got moving with any real rhythm.

BARNSELEY.—Williams 8; Swift 7. Brookes (E) 7; ★WOOD 9, Sharp 8, Houghton 7; Smillie 8, Bartlett 7, Tindill 7, Oliver 8, Lunn 7.

LUTON.—Standen 8; Dunne 7, Bramwell 6; Morton 7, Kelly 7, ★GROVES 9; Noake 6, Ashworth 6, Turner 8, Brown 6, Fleming 6.

Referee: R. E. Smith (Newport) 7.