

Watford take revenge

WHAT sweet revenge for Watford in wiping off a twenty-six-year-old score. They last entertained Luton in a Division III game in 1937 and lost 1—3.

Yesterday the Hornets turned those old tables on the Hatters.

It was the wing pair—Howfield in the first half, Harris in the second—who did it for Watford, fielding the same side which four days earlier toppled Crystal Palace.

Watford 2, Luton 0

Harris nearly made it 3—0 eight minutes from the end when he shuddered the Luton crossbar.

Young Pat Jennings, chosen to keep goal for the Rest of UK Youth v. England at Wembley next month, played a brilliant game for the home side. He showed high degree of anticipation and coolness under fire.

Watford played with tenacity and as a well-knit team. The defence, with

right back Bell prominent, packed and distributed well.

Livesey was a lively leader for Watford and after ten minutes drove in a shot which the veteran Ron Baynham managed to fist out for a corner.

McKechnie, always with an eye on goal, had cruel luck when he rapped the goalpost after a shot which skimmed the crossbar.

It was in the fortieth minute that Oliver put the ball over for Howfield to open the scoring. Harris hit the second.