

LUTON FIGHTING ON—BANG FIVE

Luton 5, Barnsley 1

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DON'T write off struggling Luton as certain candidates for the drop into Division Four!

Inspired by a twelfth minute goal by Ted Phillips, the ex-Ipswich and Leyton Orient hot-shot, they gave one of their best displays of the season in this thriller at Kenilworth-road last night.

Barnsley, bottom of the table and now seemingly doomed to relegation, equalised through Colin Bettany two minutes later, but in the second half there was no holding Luton.

In the 53rd minute keeper Bob Williamson could only parry a David Pleat cross and Tommy McKechnie shot Luton in front.

Then, after Phillips had hit the bar, came a fantas-

tic three-goals-in-eight-minutes spell.

McKechnie was on target again in the 70th minute before Phillips blasted in the fourth from fully 25 yards for the best goal of the match.

Recalled inside forward John O'Rourke wrapped it up with goal number five in the 78th minute.

Luton are still in danger . . . but, in this mood, they may yet survive.