LUTON PAIR SENT OFF

Lang A

HARTLEPOOLS 2, LUTON 0

Lat Hartlepools . . beaten, and with two men sent off—two booked and two cautioned.

And in a grim affair Hartlepools skipper Ambrose Fogarty, who tomorrow begins a 14-day suspension, was cautioned along with colleague Gill.

Peter Thompson gave Hartlepools an early lead and then Luton's Bruce Rioch was injured in a clash with Grant and Tony Read came on.

Within ten minutes Read was sent off after a clash with Fogarty.

And the second-half exploded as tempers became frayed. Fred

Jardine was cautioned and a few minutes later was involved in a tussle with Gordon Wright and was sent off.

Tom McKechnie and Moore had their names taken while John Reid and Colin Tinsley were cautioned.

And with only nine men Luton could make no headway. Wright scored an overdue goal from a Bill Bradley cross to complete Luton's gloom.

HARTLEPOOLS: Green 6; Grant 6, Drysdale 6; Ashworth 7, Gill 7, Storton 7; Wright 7, Thompson 7, Phythian 7, *FOGARTY 8, Bradley 7.

LUTON: Tinsley 7; Riddick 6, Jardine 6; Reid 6, Woods 7, Moore 6; Pleat 6, McKechrie 6, *O'ROURKE 8, Rioch 6, Whittaker 7. Sub.: Read.

Referee: C. M. Cot in (Blackburn) 7.