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Wednesday, 20th March, 1968

Kick-off 7.30 p.m.

ALDERSHOT v. LUTON TOWN

CLUB NEWS AND VIEWS

Manager's Comments. After an excellent home victory against Chesterfield last Wednesday by 3 goals to nil, the result at Wrexham on Saturday, where we lost by 2 goals to 1, was disappointing to say the least. Wrexham scored their winning goal in the last few minutes. When the score was 1—1 the 'Shots' had the misfortune to miss a penalty which, if it had been converted, could have changed the whole course of the game. Peter Gowans, Alan Burton and Ron Rafferty all missed this game through injuries and the line-up was: Godfrey, Walden, Renwick, McAnearney, Walker, Dawes, Walton, O'Brien, Howarth, Edwards, Priscott. Tony Priscott scored our goal. At the time of going to press the following players were under treatment for injuries: Richard Walden, foot injury. Ron Rafferty, bad heel. Peter Gowans, damaged thigh muscle. Alan Burton, cut leg necessitating stitches. George O'Brien and Dennis Edwards, severe colds. On Friday afternoon last Peter Kearns was transferred to Lincoln City after five years' service with the 'Shots.' We wish him the best of luck.

In the Aldershot Senior Cup 2nd Round game against Hale on the Rec last Saturday, the result was a 2—2 draw. The 'A' Team scorers were Melvyn Mathews and Brian Manktelow.

Tonight's game against Luton Town, twice postponed, is not only a local Derby but is vital to both clubs in their attempt to stay in the promotion race. Luton Town are currently leading the league and should provide attractive opposition. Luton are managed by Alan Brown, formerly of Portsmouth F.C. and Scotland.

Pen Portraits:

Tony Read, goalkeeper. Born Haydock. His first club was Sheffield Wednesday, later going to Peterborough from whom he was secured in March, 1965.

Max Dougan, full back. Cost Luton a sizeable transfer fee in December, 1966. Previously with Queens Park (Scotland) and Leicester City. Gained five amateur international caps while with Queens Park.

Fred Jardine, full back. Another Scot from Edinburgh. Played for Dundee before coming south to Luton in 1961.

Alan Slouth, half back. Born Luton. Graduated through the ranks of schoolboy and amateur football, signing as an apprentice and then as a full-timer in May, 1965.

Terry Branston, centre half. Signed in June from Northampton Town for whom he appeared in all four Divisions of the league.

John Moore, half back. Third season with Luton and a regular player. Previously with Motherwell. Born Hart Hill, Scotland.

Graham French, winger. Born Wolverhampton. Former player of Shrewsbury, Swindon, Watford and Wellington before joining Luton in October, 1965.

Ian Buxton, inside forward. Joined from Derby County earlier this season and has scored 10 goals to date. Born Cromford.

Keith Allen, centre forward. Signed from Stockport in exchange for Derek Kevan in March, 1967. Previously played for Grimsby and Portsmouth. Native of the Isle of Wight.

Bruce Rioch, inside forward. Born Aldershot but has lived in Luton most of his life. Signed as an apprentice in 1963 and full-time in September, 1964.

Ray Whittaker, winger. A Londoner from Bow. Played for the Arsenal with whom he gained England International caps. Joined Luton in March, 1964.

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6 ~~DAWES~~
7 **WALTON**
 EDWARDS
8 ~~O'BRIEN~~
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10 **RIOCH**
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11 **WHITTAKER**

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NEXT HOME MATCH

ALDERSHOT v. SOUTHEND UNITED—

Division IV—Saturday, 23rd March—K.O. 3 p.m.

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SUPPORTERS' CLUB NOTES

We are now going ahead for the installation of extra turnstiles to the ground and we hope these will be ready for next season. Meanwhile, to avoid those queues that form outside the ground until after kick-off, please come earlier so that you can get inside the ground before the game starts. We are pleased to announce that the new gents' convenience put in by the Supporters' Club behind the South Stand will be in operation on Saturday, March 23rd.

We welcome this evening our friends from Luton. Their club now seems certain of promotion and we congratulate their team on their efforts, we can only hope that we may join them, but there is still a long way to go. Our shop behind the North Stand is well worth a visit; we have rosettes, scarves, car stickers for sale, the latter are wonderful value for 2/-. We also have car badges for 21/-. Lapel badges of numerous clubs together with a full stock of programmes and sports literature. Come and see for yourselves.

S. R. HOOKER, Chairman.

LEAGUE DIVISION IV 1967-68

	Home				Away				Goals			
	P.	W.	D.	L.	P.	W.	D.	L.	F. A. Pts.			
Luton T.	34	15	2	0	43	11	4	8	5	24	23	45
Crewe A.	34	11	6	0	37	14	6	5	6	26	24	45
Southend	34	10	6	1	33	16	7	5	5	20	22	45
Barnsley	36	12	5	0	31	11	5	6	8	19	29	45
Bradford C.	36	12	2	4	34	17	7	4	7	21	21	44
Chesterfield	35	13	3	2	41	15	4	5	8	18	23	42
Aldershot	34	9	8	0	31	12	5	5	7	25	29	41
Hartlepool	34	10	6	1	23	8	6	1	10	16	33	39
Halifax	34	9	4	4	29	16	3	7	7	14	22	35
Doncaster	34	9	5	3	28	12	3	6	8	23	34	35
Wrexham	35	12	2	3	36	10	1	7	10	19	37	35
Brentford	36	11	3	5	35	18	4	2	11	16	30	35
Newport	34	8	6	3	27	17	3	4	10	20	34	32
Swansea	33	8	6	2	33	20	4	1	12	18	38	31
Notts Co.	34	9	5	3	19	12	2	4	11	20	46	31
Port Vale	34	8	3	6	34	24	1	8	8	17	32	29
Darlington	34	3	9	5	26	25	5	4	8	13	21	29
York C.	34	7	5	5	29	19	2	5	10	15	27	28
Lincoln C.	35	8	2	7	33	26	2	6	10	19	33	28
Workington	35	7	7	3	31	22	2	3	13	16	44	28
Exeter C.	33	8	4	4	27	24	1	6	10	11	29	28
Rochdale	35	7	7	4	28	23	1	5	11	11	33	28
Chester	34	4	4	9	25	31	3	5	9	18	33	23
Bradford	33	3	7	8	16	23	1	5	9	8	31	20

LONDON MID-WEEK LEAGUE

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.		
Watford	20	10	5	5	54	35	25
Millwall	20	9	6	5	50	37	24
Aldershot	20	10	1	9	35	38	21
Charlton Athletic	22	8	5	9	40	59	21
Queens Park R.	21	9	3	9	49	44	21
Luton Town	20	9	0	11	37	46	18
Colchester Utd.	19	6	5	8	33	36	17
Southend Utd.	22	7	3	12	43	46	17

GOALSCORERS TO DATE

F.A. CUP		LEAGUE CUP			
Walker	..	1	Kearns	..	1
Howarth	..	1	O'Brien	..	1

LEAGUE DIVISION IV

Howarth	..	17	Burton	..	1
Priscott	..	9	Madden	..	1
Gowans	..	7	Renwick	..	1
Walker	..	5	Walden	..	1
Kearns	..	4	Walton	..	1
Rafferty	..	2	Dawes	..	1
McAnearney	..	2	Own Goal	..	4

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Sat. 26	HALIFAX TOWN	1	1
SEPTEMBER			
Sat. 2	BRADFORD CITY	3	1
Wed. 6	WORKINGTON	5	0
Sat. 9	CREWE ALEXANDRA	2	0
Sat. 16	NOTTS COUNTY	1	0
Sat. 23	PORT VALE	2	0
Thur. 28	WORKINGTON	2	3
Sat. 30	CHESTER	5	2
OCTOBER			
Wed. 4	DARLINGTON	0	0
Sat. 7	SWANSEA	1	1
Sat. 14	BARNSELY	0	1
Sat. 21	WREXHAM	3	1
Mon. 23	DARLINGTON	2	6
Fri. 27	SOUTHEND UTD.	1	1
NOVEMBER			
Sat. 11	DONCASTER	0	3
Wed. 15	BRADFORD CITY	3	3
Sat. 18	BRADFORD P. A.	1	1
Sat. 25	BRENTFORD	1	1
DECEMBER			
Sat. 2	ROCHDALE	2	1
Sat. 16	LINCOLN CITY	3	2
Sat. 23	HALIFAX TOWN	2	2
Tues. 26	EXETER CITY	0	0
Sat. 30	EXETER CITY	0	3
JANUARY			
Sat. 20	NOTTS COUNTY	0	0
Sat. 27	HARTLEPOOLS UTD.	2	0
FEBRUARY			
Sat. 3	PORT VALE	3	0
Sat. 10	CHESTER	2	1
Sat. 17	CHESTERFIELD	2	1
Sat. 24	BRADFORD P. A.	1	1
MARCH			
Sat. 2	BARNSELY	1	1
Sat. 9	HARTLEPOOLS UTD.	0	1
Wed. 13	CHESTERFIELD	3	0
Sat. 16	WREXHAM	1	2
Wed. 20	LUTON TOWN	1	1
Sat. 23	SOUTHEND UTD.	1	1
Wed. 27	CREWE ALEXANDRA	1	1
Sat. 30	LUTON TOWN	1	1
APRIL			
Sat. 6	DONCASTER	1	1
Fri. 12	NEWPORT COUNTY	0	1
Sat. 13	SWANSEA	0	1
Mon. 15	NEWPORT COUNTY	0	1
Sat. 20	BRENTFORD	1	1
Mon. 22	YORK CITY	1	1
Sat. 27	ROCHDALE	1	1
MAY			
Sat. 4	YORK CITY	1	1
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Wed. 11	SOUTHEND UTD.	2	4
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NOVEMBER			
Wed. 8	WATFORD	3	0
Tues. 14	WATFORD	4	1
Wed. 22	MILLWALL	1	2
Wed. 29	CHARLTON ATH.	1	2
DECEMBER			
Tues. 5	CHARLTON ATH.	3	1
Wed. 13	MILLWALL	1	3
JANUARY			
Wed. 17	MILLWALL	3	1
Wed. 24	LUTON TOWN	0	3
Wed. 31	SOUTHEND UTD.	2	1
FEBRUARY			
Wed. 7	QUEEN'S PARK R.	1	1
Mon. 12	LUTON TOWN	1	2
Wed. 14	COLCHESTER UTD.	P	P
Wed. 21	COLCHESTER UTD.	1	2
Tues. 27	WATFORD	0	1
MARCH			
Wed. 6	WATFORD	0	5
Thur. 7	LUTON TOWN	3	2
Mon. 11	QUEEN'S PARK R.	1	5
Wed. 30	LUTON TOWN	1	1
Tues. 26	CHARLTON ATH.	1	1
APRIL			
Wed. 3	CHARLTON ATH.	1	1
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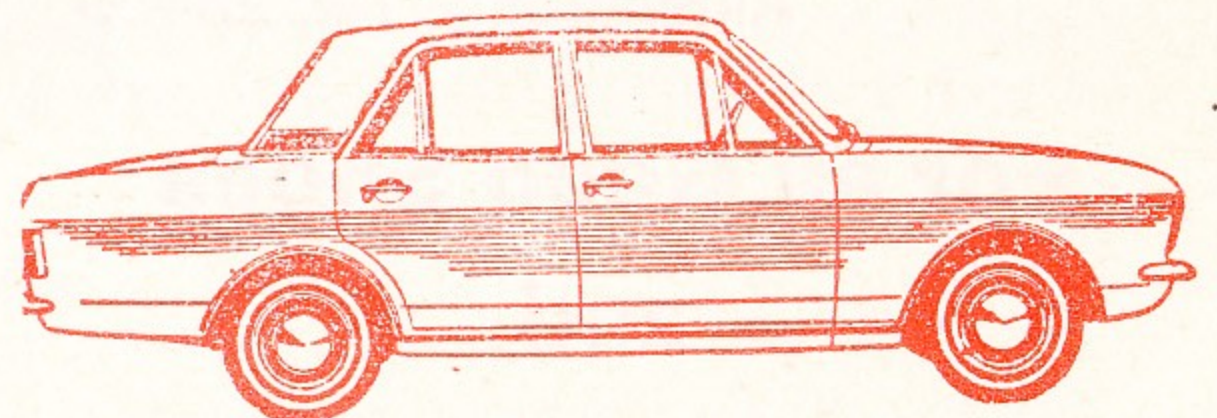
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