



MALCOLM MACDONALD
... will shake Div II
defences

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Mighty Mac is key-man

Bolton 4 Luton 2

TERRY WHARTON missed a "sitter" in the second minute and then went on to hit a hat-trick for Bolton — two of his goals coming from the spot. But newly-promoted Luton should not worry.

Malcolm Macdonald will be a handful for many a Second Division defence, but only Mike Keen provided the sort of service he thrives on. Don Givens will make his mark, too.

Wharton hit his first penalty goal in the 18th minute.

Keen equalised after 26 minutes with a shot which Syd Farrimond failed to clear, but a tremendous 25-yard Roy Greaves drive ten minutes later gave Bolton a 2-1 lead.

John Byrom set up Wharton's second after 62 minutes. The former Blackburn forward raced clear and left Wharton to fire home from an acute angle.

Wharton's third came in 77 minutes after Byrom had been hauled down in the penalty area by Terry Branston and Alan Starling.

Macdonald hit Luton's second — again from a penalty — after Farrimond had fouled Jimmy Ryan in the last minute.