

Woodward hits

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Sheffield Utd 2 Luton 1

HONOURS in a great promotion battle went squarely to Sheffield United.

Before the game, Luton goal-getter Malcolm Macdonald said: "We're the best side in the Second Division. We are going to Sheffield with one aim—not to lose."

United in fact deserved to win far more handsomely, especially as Tony Currie hit the crossbar with a 78th-minute penalty after Mike Keen brought down Alan Woodward.

Woodward, in fact, got both United's goals, the

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first in the 47th minute after Gill Reece had passed on a centre from David Ford, and the second in the 65th minute when his own corner kick was played back by Currie.

Two minutes later Jimmy Ryan scored for Luton after an Alan Slough free kick.

Luton, one of the best sides to visit Bramall Lane for a long time, were just not allowed to show their attacking ability.