

# JITTERY LUTON FAIL AGAIN

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Luton ..... 0     Carlisle ... 1

There were no promotion pointers from Luton in this stop-go display as they failed to throw off their home hoodoo — no victory at Kenilworth Road since Sept. 16—and fell to a well-drilled Carlisle side that had far more punch.

Even manager Harry Haslem's psychological gimmick of taking the team to a hotel for lunch—to lull them into thinking they were away from home—failed. So, too, did the late substitution of Goodeve for Halom.

Luton had the jitters and no one would have been surprised if Carlisle had gained their first away win by a bigger margin than Owen's superb drive, following a free-kick, midway through the first half.

Manager Alan Ashman told his team to keep attacking, and with Laidlaw, Martin and Owen, prompted by the skilful Balderstone, obeying his instructions to the letter, Carlisle always looked like winning.

**Luton.**—Barber; Ryan (John), Thomson, Slough, Faulkner, Garner, Ryan (Jimmy), Anderson, Fern, Halom (withdrawn), Aston. Sub.: Goodeve (72min.)

**Carlisle.**—Ross; Derrett, Gorman, O'Neill, Winstanley, Tiler, Train, Martin, Owen, Balderstone, Laidlaw.