

Match Details

LUTON TOWN 3, CHELSEA 0

Half-time: 1—0

75/76

TOWN: Barber; John Ryan, Buckley, Faulkner, Paul Futcher; King, Anderson, West (Chambers 77); Alston, Ron Futcher, Aston.

CHELSEA: Sherwood; Graham Wilkins (Harris 62), Sparrow, Droy, Dempsey; Bason, Britton, Ray Wilkins; Maybank, Swain, Cooke.

THE GOALS: Peter Anderson, 27 minutes, after Faulkner's header hit a post; Steve Buckley, 46 minutes, penalty, after Bason upended Ron Futcher; Ron Futcher, 57 minutes, after Alston headed back Buckley's free kick.

REFEREE: Eric Read, Bristol; very strict, but handled explosive crowd situation well.

BOOKINGS: Charlie Cooke for arguing with a decision; Steve Buckley for a foul on Britton; Mickey Droy for a foul on Buckley; Ian Britton for a foul on John Aston.

SENT OFF: John Aston, for the first time in his career, for retaliation against Britton.

ATTENDANCE: 19,024: third highest in the second division, but too many of them were animals from the Stamford Bridge zoo.

ENTERTAINMENT: Tremendous from the Town, until Chelsea followers soured the occasion.

VIOLENCE: Pitch invasion by about 200 Chelsea supporters in attempt to get the match abandoned. Keith Barber attacked by spectators. More than 40 people arrested. Another 300 turfed out of the ground. Now, step forward magistrates.