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FOOTBALL LEAGUE DIVISION TWO  
**LUTON TOWN**

FRIDAY 10 MARCH 1978

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# Welcome to Ian Salter

25 year old Ian from Islington has been associated with our youth team for some considerable time and Bobby Campbell was delighted to appoint him Fulham's full-time youth team coach. This is an indication of the accent on youth which must be our policy for the future. Ian played senior amateur soccer for Epping Town and Edmonton and is the holder of the F.A. Preliminary Coaching Badge.

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# Cottage Comment

Luton Town are, and always have been, formidable opponents at Craven Cottage. In recent years games here have been keenly and closely fought with odd-goal victories quite often resulting. This season should be no exception – the match at Kenilworth Road last October resulted in a 1-0 victory to our visitors in a game full of excellent football. Two points in the bag from Tuesday's match were most welcome and although the goals were hard to come by it was pleasing to see the way the boys fought for every ball.

Once again illness prevented our match being played last Saturday and we are now building up quite a large back-log of away fixtures. The Black-pool match has been re-arranged for Tuesday 18th April at Bloomfield Road – kick-off 7.30 p.m.

We are delighted our youngsters have reached the semi-final of the Southern League Floodlit Cup, and will meet Millwall at Craven Cottage soon for the right to play against Ipswich Town in the Cup Final on a home and away leg basis. When the semi-final date is known we hope you will come along and sample the splendid football served up by our young players and cheer them on to a cup final.

Tony Gale was in the England Youth XI in Paris last week where the result was a 0-0 draw which means that England have reached the finals of the 'Little World Cup' series to be played in Poland. England had a lead of 3-1 from the first leg. By all accounts, although the game was not over exciting, Tony acquitted himself well – which is just as those of us who see him regularly would expect.

Fulham have signed Gordon Davies from Merthyr Tydfil in face of strong competition. Gordon scored 30 goals last season and we look forward to seeing him in the first team soon. No doubt he will prove to be yet another of Bobby Campbell's excellent plums – both in ability and value. Elsewhere in the programme you will see details of the prices for Season Tickets for next season's campaign. Basically, we want all our regular fans to benefit, yet at the same time we feel the club itself should benefit, and not the spivs, when we pull in extra large gates from name visitors. We are certain you will agree with such an approach. For that reason we reserve the right to increase the price of individual seats next season.

If you watch our Reserve side you will want to know that the match against Orient on Saturday 18th kicks off at 11.00 a.m.

All of us here at Fulham were sad at the loss of a good friend Vic Railton for many years Top Sports writer of the Evening News. He was a man of immense ability who could be relied on to report the news fairly and with common sense. We will miss him.



*Physiotherapist Ron Woolnough in action tending to John Margerrison.*

# WELCOME

# LUTON TOWN



Back row standing (left to right): Ken Gutteridge, P. Fuccillo, D. Carr, P. Price, G. Heale, J. McNichol, A. Knight, M. Aleksic, A. Judge, T. Smith, P. Driver, N. Johnson, M. Sperrin, J. Faulkner, A. West.  
Middle Row (left to right): G. Jones, R. Hill, J. Husband, P. Futcher, David Pleat (Manager), R. Futcher, P. Boersma, B. Stein, G. Ingram, Reg. Game (Physio).  
Front Row (left to right): G. Sisman, T. Stewart, R. Eaton, T. Wilkinson, M. Pacey, A. Currie, A. Pearson, W. Turner, L. Harriott.

**MILIJA ALEKSIC:** Luton paid £20,000 to Plymouth in January 1977 for Aleksic's services, and the fee turned out to be a bargain. Aged 24, he was unsettled at Plymouth, and the move to Luton turned out to be the turning point in his career. Son of Yugoslav parents, but born in the North of England, he broke into football as a part-timer with Stafford Rangers. He quickly became a firm favourite at Luton, where the locals call him "Elastic" in tribute to his agility and quick reflexes.

**TONY KNIGHT:** Only 18, Knight is one of the many young players Luton have recruited. Several clubs were chasing him when he starred as a schoolboy goalkeeper with Romford Schoolboys. He has been included in England Youth international squads,

and has played a handful of League games for Luton.

**ALAN JUDGE:** Another promising youngster, Judge is another product of Luton's youth programme. He was seen in local football and Luton took him on as an apprentice goalkeeper. He made such rapid strides that after only one year he was upgraded to junior professional, and could soon be competing for a place in the League squad.

**PAUL PRICE:** His hopes of a career in League soccer had to overcome a double disaster before he made the grade — recruited by Luton as a youngster he was on the verge of success when he broke his leg. He fought his way back to fitness, only to break it again. He battled back again, and his performances at right back have made

him Luton's first-choice at right back ever since.

**JOHN FAULKNER:** Luton's senior pro and vice captain, he has given Luton sterling service since they paid £6,000 for him in March 1972. He emerged from obscurity as centre-half in the Sutton United team that played Leeds. Don Revie signed him on, but a broken leg interrupted his career at Elland Road. Strong in the air and a no-nonsense tackler, he has been a regular member of the Luton defence for five years.

**PAUL FUTCHER:** One of the brightest prospects in League football today, Luton risked their record transfer fee when they paid £100,000 for him in the summer of 1974. He was still only 17, and with only a handful of Fourth

## DAVID PLEAT, TEAM MANAGER

After gaining considerable experience as a player, the soccer wheel of fortune turned full circle for David when Luton Town appointed him Team Manager in January 1978. He had been one of their star players a decade previously.

Born and brought up in Nottingham, just across the River Trent from the City Ground, young David was an outstanding schoolboy footballer, and was capped by England at schoolboy and youth level. He joined Nottingham Forest straight from school, and moved to Luton for £8,000 in 1965.

His speed and ball control made him a feared right winger, but his career suffered a major setback when he broke a leg. After three seasons at Kenilworth Road he moved on to Shrewsbury, where Gordon Lee was coach.

He was transferred to Exeter, and while he was there he won his full FA coaching badge. He moved on to Peterborough and then became player-manager of Nuneaton Borough in the Southern League, where his playing career was ended by a back injury.

But his three years of managerial experience stood him in good stead. Luton manager Harry Haslam engaged him as coach to the Kenilworth Road reserve team, and when Luton lost chief coach Roy McCrohan to American club Detroit Express at Christmas 1977 David Pleat was well prepared to step up into the top coaching appointment.

Division games behind him. Luton beat off opposition from bigger clubs to persuade him to leave Chester, his home town club, and he has developed into a brilliant sweeper, cool in defence and far-seeing in setting up attacks. He has already been capped by England at under-21 level, and Luton supporters are convinced that full international honours are just round the corner. Still only 20, he was one of the players described by Don Revie as "an outstanding prospect" when the ex-England manager looked back on his experiences with the national side.

**DAVID CARR:** After learning his trade in defence or midfield in youth and reserve teams, Carr is now competing for regular first-team football. He comes from Margate, and became an apprentice at Luton when he left school in 1973.

### JIM McNICHOL:

Harry Haslam is used to looking for bargains, and defender McNichol rates as one. Ipswich, prolific producers of youth players, allowed him to look for a new club after ending his apprenticeship at Portman Road in the summer of 1976. Haslam nipped in and although Paul Futcher's brilliance is hard to replace, McNichol has filled the sweeper's position with distinction whenever he has been called into the League team.

**GRAHAM JONES:** Watched by a Luton scout while playing as a schoolboy in Manchester, Jones was signed as an apprentice in the summer of 1975. Big and brave, he made rapid strides through Luton's lower teams, and made his League debut at the age of 17. Originally played as a back four defender, he has also sampled League soccer in midfield, and seems equally at home whatever the department.

**PASQUALE FUCCILLO:** Son of Italian parents who settled at Bedford, midfield dynamo Fuccillo — "Lil" to his friends and the Luton fans — joined

Luton as a 16-year-old apprentice in the summer of 1973. Strong on the ball, he made his name with some storming midfield displays, and marked his League debut with a goal and has been a regular marksman ever since.

**ALAN WEST:** Luton's club captain and a brilliant midfield man, West is one of the many stars to emerge from the "production line" of Burnley. An England under-23 international, he joined Luton for £100,000 from Burnley in October 1973. Still only 25, he is capable of turning defences inside-out with accurate passes.

**RICKY HILL:** A midfielder player who has excited attention all over the country, Hill had a fairy-tale start to his League career. Signed as an apprentice from schools football in North London, he made it into the League team within a year and celebrated his debut by scoring once and laying on another goal. Now 19, he has been capped by England at youth level.

**JIM HUSBAND:** Joined Luton in November 1973 with a string of honours already collected with Everton, and has served Luton with distinction. He plays as an attacking midfielder or as a front runner, and has provided a regular supply of goals. A Geordie, he was capped by England as a schoolboy, as a youth, and at under-23 level, and hit 75 goals for Everton before moving to Luton for a £70,000 fee.

**PHIL BOERSMA:** It was the end of a patient search for talent by Luton boss Harry Haslam when he signed striker Boersma from Middlesbrough in July 1977. Three years previously Haslam had tried to persuade Liverpool to part with the player. He failed, and later went to Middlesbrough, and Haslam finally got his man two years later. Middlesbrough used him as a midfielder man but for Luton Boersma operates as a free-running attacker, with goals the main priority.

**GODFREY INGRAM:** A local product of Luton's youth teams, Ingram has been tipped for high honours since his outstanding midfield and attacking talents took him into Luton's reserve team when he was still only 16. Luton signed him on schoolboy forms, and he played for England Schools. He became an apprentice in the summer of 1976, and within a year had been upgraded to junior professional.

**PHILIP DRIVER:** In his first season as a professional after serving his apprenticeship. He is one of the youngsters with a bright future and after many promising performances in the reserve side last season, did enough to persuade the Manager to sign him. Hails from Welwyn Garden City.

**NIGEL JOHNSON:** He is also in his first season as a professional after serving his apprenticeship. Formed a good partnership with Ingram in the reserve and youth sides last year. Is very quick and has two good feet and is always looking for goals. He also comes from Welwyn Garden City.

**RON FUTCHER:** Twin brother of Paul and identical in looks. When Luton paid £25,000 for him it was thought that he had been transferred from Chester because the boys wanted to be together, but Ron soon made his mark with a hat-trick in his second 1st Division game and has since established himself in Luton's front line.

**GARY HEALE:** Now in his second season with the Club after being signed from Canvey Island. Tottenham were very keen to sign him but with the Managers connections in the area, finally persuaded him to join Luton. Good in the air and is a good target man to play to. Big things are expected from him this season.

**TIM SMITH:** Now in his third season with the Town. Plays mid-field but likes to come forward and score goals. Has had one outing in the first team so far but if he plays as well as the Manager knows he can then it won't be long before he will be in the senior side. Hails from Hereford.

**BRIAN STEIN:** Signed as a professional on 19th October 1977 and in less than three weeks had made his debut at Old Trafford in the League Cup replay against Manchester City. Born in Cape Town but educated in London, Brian previously played for Edgware Town in the Athenian League where his speed and skill on the wing prompted Luton to offer him terms.

**MARTIN SPERRIN:** Also signed on 19th October 1977 from Edgware Town, Martin, like Brian Stein, only had a couple of reserve games, scoring two goals before coming on as substitute in the Cup replay against Manchester City. Normally occupies the No. 10 position as his father did for several years with Brentford in the 1950's.

# Bobby Campbell



Wrexham manager and Welsh International inside-forward Arfon Griffiths believes "A Third Division side will get to the F.A. Cup Final at Wembley one day". His team, of course are at home to Arsenal in the sixth round and so are just two ties away from the Wembley target. Wrexham believe they are capable of doing it themselves because of their impressive record in Cup competitions. They eliminated Bristol City and Newcastle from the FA Cup and Bristol City from the League Cup. Last season their victims in the League Cup included Leicester and Spurs, the latter at White Hart Lane.

Since the Third Division was founded 58 years ago, five members have reached the semi-final — Millwall in 1937, Port Vale in 1954, York a year later, Norwich in 1959 and Crystal Palace two years ago. Staunch Millwall supporters still claim that a dubious offside decision allowed Sunderland to get through. Port Vale also disputed a decision, claiming that the foul which led to the penalty from which West Bromwich's Ron Allen scored the winner, was committed outside the area. York took Newcastle to a replay, as did Norwich against Luton, after having much the better of the first meeting. Palace were the only one of the five to be beaten decisively — by Southampton at Stamford Bridge.

All but Norwich were defeated by the Cup winners and the evidence indicates that with luck in the semi-final stage any one of the five could have reached Wembley.

In these days of no-limit wages and soaring transfer fees you would think that the wealthy clubs would corner the talent — and the honours. It would seem that the gulf between

the elite clubs and the rest of the League would have become so wide as to be virtually unbridgeable. But every year giant-killers crop up like Blyth Spartans this season.

Anything can happen in the Cup. Who would have forecast that Fourth Division Colchester would beat Leeds, who fielded 11 Internationals, in 1971? The Cup is a one-off situation. A disease called complacency creeps into it and sometimes big clubs think they have only to put on their shirts to be sure of winning. The little clubs have everything to win, nothing to lose and so raise their game. A Third Division club has to play to its maximum in only eight games to win the Cup. That is not like the First Division, where clubs have to be on song for 42 matches throughout the season.

Fairly recently it was thought that the F.A. Cup Final was the preserve of the First Division. Since the war and up to 1973 only two Second Division clubs had reached Wembley — Leicester and Preston. Sunderland got through in 1973 and beat the favourites Leeds. We at Fulham did the same two years later, losing to West Ham, and a year after us Southampton completed a treble, rounding it off by beating Manchester United.

The big clubs did not take the League Cup seriously at first, but they sat up and took notice when the final was moved to Wembley and entry into Europe was the prize. The first final at Wembley was in 1967 when Third Division QPR met West Bromwich. QPR won. Two years later Swindon got through to meet Arsenal and again the Third Division triumphed. If that can happen in the League Cup, how long before it happens in the F.A. Cup?

## Reserve Review

### READING 1 FULHAM 1 Football Combination

With the 'flu bug still around, Dennis Byatt was the 'old man' of the side, but this did not prevent us from playing some well-controlled attractive football. Declan O'Doherty headed in a cross from Robert Wilson, but was just offside. A Tommy Mason sortie upfield gave Nicky Evans a chance but he shot just wide and 'Wise' had a 30 yarder saved at the foot of the post. Our flowing moves threatened goals but Reading were dangerous on the breaks and they too had a goal disallowed for offside. We took the lead after 58 minutes when Declan finished off a lovely move with Mark Lovell and Nicky Evans by beating keeper Beales from close-in. Perry had to dive at Campbell's feet but we kept going forward and when Paul Miles shook off two challenges to equalise 10 minutes from time it was right against the run of play. The goal inspired Reading and they had another goal disallowed but our youngsters weathered the storm and came close to bagging the winner. A fine all-round performance.

Team: Digweed, Wilson, Byatt, Rains, Mason, Gray, Lovell, Day, Gibson, O'Doherty, Evans. Sub: Corner.

## Junior Jargon

### FULHAM 2 Q.P.R. 2 South East Counties League

The turning point in a thrilling encounter against the League leaders was a magnificent save by Perry Digweed from a perfectly-placed point-blank header from Kenny Tuite. Rangers were already two ahead through Dean Neil and Paul Goddard

and a third just after half-time would probably have killed our chances. As it was, Nicky Evans put us back in the game a minute later with a beautiful chip over keeper Fearon, after a good left-wing run. A quick free-kick sent Nicky away again and his well-flighted cross was helped on by Declan O'Doherty for Brian Gibson to place it accurately past two defenders on the goal-line. The final half-hour, played in heavy rain, brought narrow escapes at both ends but with Tony Rains making a brilliant last-ditch tackle and Mark Lovell settling in well alongside him, our defence were equal to their task. Declan, watched by his father, over from Dublin, headed only just over in the last minute.

Team: Digweed, Wilson, Lovell, Rains, Mason, Corner, Gray, Day, Gibson, O'Doherty, Evans. Subs: Middleton and Judge.

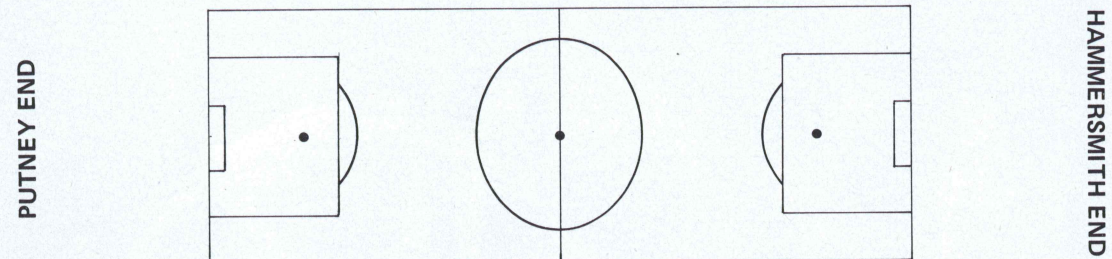
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Queens P.R.	20	16	2	2	51	21	34
Millwall	23	11	8	4	39	26	30
Fulham	24	12	6	6	39	33	30
Chelsea	20	14	1	5	44	17	29
Ipswich T.	19	11	4	4	44	20	26
Arsenal	21	9	3	9	32	32	21
Norwich C.	21	10	1	10	38	41	21
Gillingham	20	8	3	9	24	28	19
Tottenham H.	21	8	3	10	34	42	19
Portsmouth	18	5	6	7	20	19	16
Southend U.	19	6	3	10	31	43	15
Orient	20	7	1	12	28	50	15
West Ham U.	19	6	2	11	27	31	14
* Crystal P.	17	5	3	9	20	23	11
* Charlton A.	19	3	3	13	24	44	9
* Watford	19	3	3	13	17	42	5
* Points Deducted							

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## Ken Coton's PICTURE ROUND-UP

Pictures from our victory over Cardiff last Tuesday evening.

Above left: Tony Gale heads home our goal following a corner.

Above: John Evanson forces a hasty clearance from a defender.

This picture: Brian Greenaway gets in a cracking drive which brings a fine save from the Cardiff goalkeeper.





# LOOK BACK

by Dennis Turner

FULHAM 2 LUTON TOWN 1

September 7th, 1946

On the day before war broke out, September 2nd 1939, Fulham and Luton drew 1-1 at the Cottage: the 1939-40 season was then abandoned. When the League programme was resumed in 1946, Luton were our first visitors and there were 5 survivors of the earlier encounter: Woodward, Rooke and Shepherd, who made his debut in the pre-war game, for Fulham, and Gager and Billington for Luton. One Fulham player who did not return from the war was skipper Jimmy Tompkins. He rose from private to the rank of major, but was killed in France in 1945.

Luton ended the 1946-7 season in 13th place, with 39 points. Although they scored 71 goals, 73 were conceded and only 3 away matches were won. In the Cup, the Hatters went out to Burnley, eventual finalists, in the Fifth Round. A new Kenilworth Road attendance record was set in November when 26,362 saw the home side beat Spurs 3-2. Just before the end of the season, manager George Martin took over at Newcastle. He was succeeded by a player-manager, Dally Duncan, a Scottish International left-winger who had been signed from Derby earlier in the season.

Duke started the season in goal, but amateur international Streten was signed from Shrewsbury and played in the last dozen matches. Beach, Lake or Gardiner were the backs and the half-back line came from Soo, a wartime international, skipper Gager, Cooke or Brice, a future Fulham player. The forward line included Duncan, Daniel, Connelly, Waugh and top scorers Billington, 23 goals, and Driver, 10 goals.

Fulham finished 2 places below Luton with the same number of points. We got off to a bad start, losing 2-7 at Bury, and were never in the hunt for honours. Only 3 away games were won and a mere 9 points taken from the last 14 games. Attendances boomed however: 40,000 saw the Spurs and Newcastle visits and there were 8 other gates in excess of 30,000: the average was 24,500.

Manager Peart used 29 players, including 12 who had been on the books during the war. Goalkeeper Hinton came to the Cottage in 1946 when his club, Distillery, forgot to re-sign him. Freeman was ever-present at right back whilst Bacuzzi and Lewin shared the other berth. The regular half back line was Wallbanks, a Northumberland miner, Watson, signed from Bury in 1945, and Jim Taylor. The forward line was drawn from Buchanan, Stevens or Shepherd on the wings and inside men Nelson, McGibbon, who scored 8 goals, Rooke, 13 goals, and Beasley, 9 goals. Skipper Beasley was signed from Huddersfield and had previously played for the great Arsenal side of the 1930s.

In December 1946, 35 year old Rooke was sold to Arsenal for £1,000 and two players, Nelson and Grant. He had scored 75 goals in 108 appearances since 1936 and was top scorer in each of his 4 seasons with Fulham. He once scored six in a game, against Bury, twice scored four and hit six other hat-tricks. The following season he was the First Division's leading scorer as he helped Arsenal to the League title.

RONNIE ROOKE ▶

## FULHAM SET PACE, THEN SLACKEN Fulham 2 Luton Town 1

Fulham were fortunate to take both points from Luton in their first home game. Beginning in fine style, at half-time they fully deserved their two goal lead, but were lucky in the second half when Luton improved and pressed for a point. Main credit must go to Hinton who followed up his rather shaky showing at West Ham last week with a grand display in goal. His cat-like agility kept out many shots, including a penalty taken by Soo, for which he had to dive full length.

From the kick-off the Cottagers stormed the Luton goal and after several fine efforts by Rooke, opened the scoring when Shepherd seized on a loose ball following a defensive error, coolly running past the goalkeeper Duke. A few minutes later, another blunder enabled Fulham to score again. Gager completely missed a pass to Rooke who ran on, drew Duke out, and then netted without difficulty. For the rest of the half, it was all Fulham who, but for bad finishing, must have netted at least three more goals. Against a non-stop onslaught — thanks to the constructive work of the wing halves — Luton defenders were often sent running the wrong way. Rooke played in close harmony with his wingmen and Woodward and Beasley too were always well in the picture. Taylor went close with a great 25 yard drive to hit the crossbar, the ball bounced precariously on the goal-line; Rooke rushed in but mis-timed and the ball was cleared.

On resumption, Fulham appeared inclined to rest upon their laurels. The forwards did nothing constructive, often contriving to kick the ball out of the ground. Luton came into their own and from a goalmouth scuttle Daniel passed back as Hinton came out of goal for Billington to score Luton's consolation goal.

The highlight of the game was a grand display of sportsmanship by Beasley who jumped clear of the prostrate Duke in the interests of safety when he might have scored.

Article from *The West London and Fulham Gazette*, September 13, 1946.



# FOR THE RECORD

## POST WAR LEAGUE RESULTS AGAINST LUTON TOWN

Date	Venue	Result	Scorers
15.10.77	Kenilworth Rd.	Lost 0-1	
26. 2.77	Craven Cottage	Lost 1-2	Warboys
18. 9.76	Kenilworth Rd.	Won 2-0	Barrett, Marsh
22.11.75	Craven Cottage	Won 2-0	Conway 2
18.10.75	Kenilworth Rd.	Lost 0-1	
5. 3.74	Craven Cottage	Won 2-1	Lloyd 2
26.12.73	Kenilworth Rd.	Drawn 1-1	John Conway
7. 4.73	Kenilworth Rd.	Lost 0-1	
27. 3.73	Craven Cottage	Lost 0-1	
22. 1.72	Craven Cottage	Won 3-1	Johnston 2, Barrett
28. 9.71	Kenilworth Rd.	Lost 0-2	
8. 4.70	Craven Cottage	Lost 0-1	
25.11.69	Kenilworth Rd.	Lost 0-1	
23. 1.60	Kenilworth Rd.	Lost 1-4	Hill
12. 9.59	Craven Cottage	Won 4-2	Leggat 2, Doherty, Hill
12. 3.55	Kenilworth Rd.	Lost 0-3	
23.10.54	Craven Cottage	Won 3-1	Stevens 2, Robson
20. 2.54	Craven Cottage	Won 5-1	Haynes 3, Jezzard, Taylor
3.10.53	Kenilworth Rd.	Won 2-1	Lowe, Jezzard
17. 1.53	Kenilworth Rd.	Lost 0-2	
6. 9.52	Craven Cottage	Won 2-0	Robson 2
18. 4.49	Kenilworth Rd.	Won 3-1	Rowley, McDonald, Thomas R.
15. 4.49	Craven Cottage	Won 4-1	Rowley 2, Thomas R. Stevens
29. 3.48	Craven Cottage	Drawn 1-1	McGibbon
26. 3.48	Kenilworth Rd.	Won 3-0	McGibbon, Ayres
4. 1.47	Kenilworth Rd.	Lost 0-2	Bewley
7. 9.46	Craven Cottage	Won 2-1	Rooke, Shepherd

## SUMMARY IN FOOTBALL LEAGUE POST WAR

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Home	13	9	1	3	29	13	19
Away	14	4	1	9	12	20	9
Total	27	13	2	12	41	33	28

## IN THE FA CUP

4. 1.64	Craven Cottage	Won 4-1	Mullery, Leggat, Howfield, Cook
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## FIRSTS AND LASTS

Fulham Debut vs Luton	Complete Fulham Record League & Cups
S. Malpass 7.9.46	2 appearances 0 goals
P. Shrubbs 27.3.73	1 appearance 0 goals
T. James 18.10.75	17+(3 sub) appearances 0 goals * to start of this season*

## Final Appearance for Fulham against Luton

R. Lowe 17.1.53	72 appearances 0 goals
G. Fisher 12.3.55	8 appearances 0 goals
P. Shrubbs 27.3.73	1 appearance 0 goals
A. Pinkney 7.4.73	11+(1 sub) appearances 0 goals
R. Marsh 26.2.77	89 appearances 28 goals

## Half-time Quiz

- Luton reached the FA Cup Final in 1959. Who did they beat in the Semi-Final?
- Who was Luton's manager prior to Alec Stock?
- From whom did Luton sign Paul and Ron Fletcher?
- Signed for Fulham from Millwall in 1948. Scored 3 goals from 11 appearances before being transferred to Luton Town. His name please?
- Alan Warboys scored 2 League goals for Fulham. One was against Luton, against whom was the other one scored?
- Reg Lowe's final appearance for Fulham was against Luton. From whom was he signed?

Answers at the foot of Friends of Fulham Page.

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## TRAVEL TO ORIENT

For full details of travel plans to Orient on Friday 17th March please call at the Travel Office after today's match.

## BY CAR TO ORIENT

Approximately 8½ miles from Fulham  
Compiled by the Royal Automobile Club

Leave from Lillie Road and continue to the junction with Warwick Road. Turn left and proceed ahead by Holland Road to the roundabout — junction with the M.41. Continue by the M.41 to the Flyover — junction with the A.40(M) — and proceed by the A.40(M) via Marylebone Road, Euston Road and Pentonville Road to the "Angel" at Islington. Turn left onto High Street then right onto Essex Road and proceed to Balls Pond Road. Turn right onto Balls Pond Road and continue — crossing Kingsland Road — to Dalston Lane. Continue by Pembury Road to the junction with Lower Clapton Road. Turn left onto Lower Clapton Road then right onto Lea Bridge Road. Continue ahead to the crossroads — Church Road and Markhouse Road. Turn right and continue via Church Road to Oliver Road and the ground is on the left.....8½ Miles. There is parking space available near the ground but the police control street parking, so watch for any special signs, including diversions. Your nearest RAC offices are at: RAC, P.O. Box 100, RAC House, Lansdowne Road, Croydon CR9 2JA; or, RAC Northern Home Counties, 130, St. Albans Road, Watford, Herts.

## MATCH BALL DONOR

Today's match ball has been kindly donated by Mr. Leahy of Oak Garage, NW8.

## BRIGHTON v FULHAM

Saturday 25th March

Please note that there are no seats at all for sale for this match. Brighton are in the enviable position of having sold all their seats to season ticket holders and therefore there are just no seats to be had.

## FULHAM ST. ANDREWS F.C.

Last Sunday, due to the fine weather we were able to complete two matches. In the morning our second team put in a good performance in beating Commercial F.C. 2-0 with goals from Barry Stock and Neil Baugh, this was followed in the afternoon by a fine 14-0 victory against Hampton Rangers with goals coming from Phil Hayes (2) Peter Smith (2) Trevor Pomeroy (3) Tony Osborne (3) Ian Went, Mike Forde, Chris Towers and Steve Quilty.

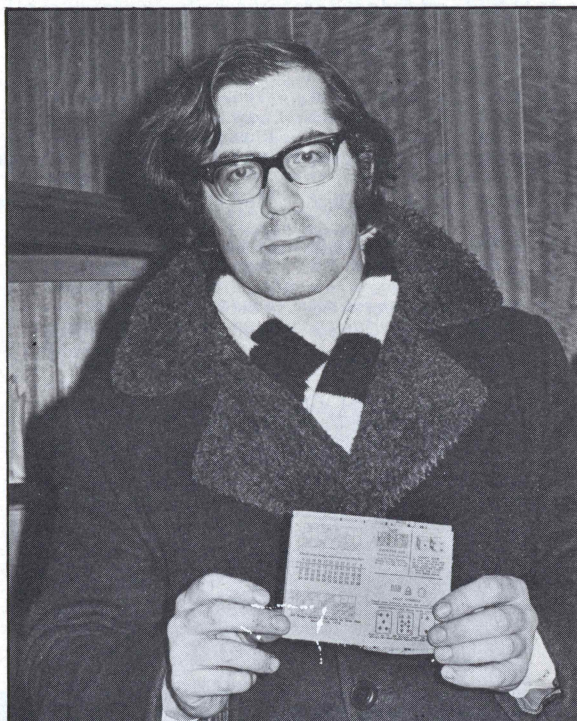
This Sunday our first team play Putney Heathens at King Georges Park, Manor Drive, Morden k.o. 10.30 a.m.

## Disco Dance

Wednesday 15th March, 7.30 — 11.30. Bar closes 11 o'clock in the Riverside Suite. Tickets £1 — obtainable by post only. Please ensure you enclose a stamped addressed envelope.

## PEN PALS

Two young ladies who are looking for Fulham supporter pen pals are Miss Joan Cawson of 2 Cordys Lane, Trimley St. Mary, Ipswich, Suffolk P10 OUD and Miss Debby Hynes of 47 Hogarth Road, Ipswich, Suffolk. Anyone interested in swapping information please write direct.



Seen above is Agent No. 261, Mr. Duke of Southall, holding a full house winning ticket. Mr. Duke is keeping his fingers crossed that it is the only claim. If it is then he will receive £20 and the lucky winner who bought the ticket, Mr. Hitchcock of Hayes, will receive £200. If you would like particulars of how to become a Pools Agent then why not call in and see Mike Smith in the Pools Office or drop him a line.

## BLACKBURN ROVERS v FULHAM

Wednesday 15th March K.O. 7.30

Depart Euston 15.00

Arrive Preston 17.59

Coach to and from the ground

Depart Preston 22.33

Arrive Euston 02.28

Price: £6.50 Voucher holders £5.50 (voucher 'T')

## Blackburn v Fulham

Please send me.....train tickets for the above. I enclose cheque/postal order value.....

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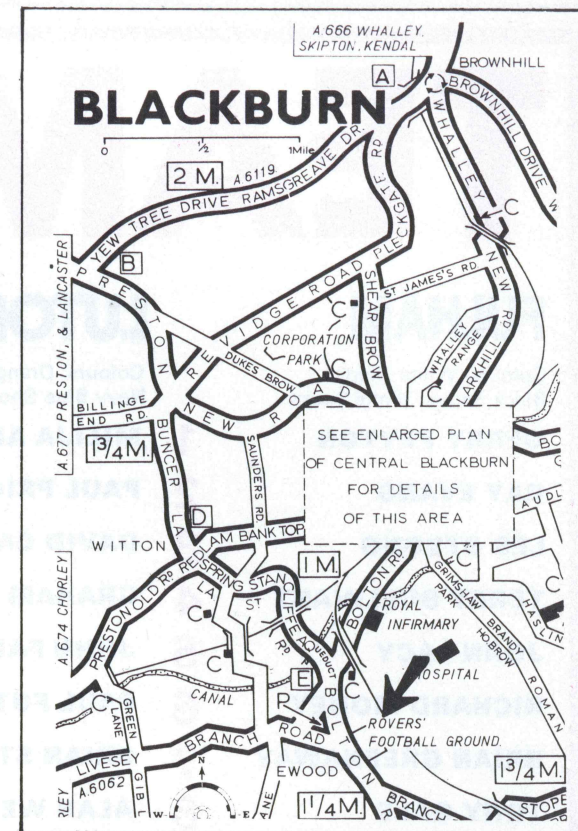
## BY CAR TO BLACKBURN ROVERS

Approximately 237 miles from Fulham

Compiled by the Royal Automobile Club

Leave by Westway and Western Avenue to the junction with the North Circular (A.406). Turn right and follow the A.406 to the roundabout at Staples Corner. Follow the signs to the start of the M.1 and continue northward to Intersection No. 19. Proceed by the M.6 to Intersection No.31 then follow the signposted route "Blackburn A.59" to the junction with the A.677. Continue by the A.677 to Blackburn . . . 237 miles. Enter Blackburn by Preston New Road (A.677) and continue — keeping right — to the junction with Buncer Lane and Revidge Road. Turn right onto Buncer Lane and continue ahead via Spring Lane, Stancliffe Street and Aqueduct Road to Bolton Road and the ground is on the left.

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# TEAMS

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**RAY EVANS**  
**LES STRONG**  
**TERRY BULLIVANT**  
**JOHN LACY**  
**RICHARD MONEY**  
**BRIAN GREENAWAY**  
**TONY GALE**  
**JOHN MITCHELL**  
**JOHN EVANSON**  
**JOHN MARGERRISON**

## LUTON

Colours: Orange with Stripe Shirts  
Navy Blue Shorts Orange Socks

**1 MILIJA ALEKSIC**  
**2 PAUL PRICE**  
**3 DAVID CARR**  
**4 GRAHAM JONES**  
**5 JOHN FAULKNER**  
**6 PAUL FUTCHER**  
**7 BRIAN STEIN**  
**8 ALAN WEST**  
**9 RON FUTCHER**  
**10 PASQUALE FUCCILLO**  
**11 PHIL BOERSMA**  
**12 GODFREY INGRAM**



### REFEREE: A W GREY (*Gt. Yarmouth*)

Commenced refereeing in Norfolk in 1960 and via the Football Combination qualified for the Football League full list in 1972. Was an F.A. Cup Final and European Cup Semi-Final linesman last year, and an F.A. Amateur Cup official in 1972. Refereed the F.A. Youth Cup Final in 1977. Appointed to the F.I.F.A. panel this year. A married man, with two sons, he is Cold Store Superintendent for a frozen food company.

Linesmen: W A WHITTINGTON (Bexhill-on-Sea) Red Flag  
E J SCALES (Cheshunt) Yellow Flag

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