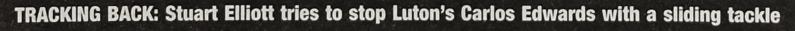
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WE'VE DONE IT: Luton's players celebrate Steve Howard's winning goal in front of their fans



FRUITLESS DAY'S WORK: Hull City's Nick Barmby is watched by Luton's Russ Perrett

# CRUNCH TIME

In all the 90 minutes there weren't too many bad tackles to shout about, but when Danny Coles landed awkwardly on his left foot and twisted his knee it looked like a nasty injury. Hopefully, it won't be too serious for him.

# **KEY CONTEST**

# Boaz Myhill v Marlon Beresford

For the first 45 minutes both keepers pulled off some brilliant saves to keep their respective sides in the game. Boaz Myhill was the more impressive of the two, even if beaten late on.

# **COME ON REF!**

Although he wasn't always clear in his decisions, he didn't give a handball from Andy Dawson which should have been a penalty. He also managed to disallow a goal for the Hatters, so City were lucky really.

# ONE TO WATCH

Luton captain Kevin Nicholls dominated the game from midfield and impressed from start to finish in what was a great display from the Hatters' skipper.

# **TOUCH OF CLASS**

In the second half, Chris Brown was being closed down tight in the left hand corner, but he managed to wriggle his way away from the two defenders, beat another man and put a great cross in the penalty area.

# THE BANTER

It may not be banter, but it was a good show of support when the Hull City fans chanted "Come on City, come on City" to desperately try to encourage their team to go that extra mile to secure a point.