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No. 21

Saturday, April 10th, 1965

SOUTHEND UNITED

v

LUTON TOWN

FOOTBALL LEAGUE DIVISION III

KICK-OFF 3.00 p.m.

Future Attractions at Roots Hall

MONDAY, APRIL 12th, 1965

KICK-OFF 7.30 p.m.

SOUTHEND v. THURROCK

(Johnson Cup Final)

FRIDAY, APRIL 16th, 1965

KICK-OFF 3.00 p.m.

HULL CITY (Football League)

FROM THE MANAGER'S OFFICE

CARLISLE

What a great fight our lads put up, pulling back 3 goals to make it 3-3 only to be beaten in the latter part of the game from a tactical error by one of our defenders. There was every reason to believe we were an anxiety to the home side, and could so easily have won. We gained many friends in Carlisle for our display, but the points which we wanted did not mature.

MANSFIELD

Here we met the contenders for the Championship of the Division, and up to half time it was an exciting game. We held them for 35 minutes and during this time there were long faces everywhere; a very doubtful penalty awarded by the Referee gave them fresh heart, but even so we pulled back to 2-1 causing more anxiety. Here again another defensive error gave them an important goal to make it 3-1. With this encouragement the home side over-ran our defence which was weakened by injuries to May and Neal; the forwards were also weakened by injuries to Slater and Woodley, so we had a re-shuffled team and an experimental one at that, to find out what players could occupy other positions with a view to next season's line up. A lot was gained by what we saw at Mansfield.

SCHOOLS FOOTBALL

Southend Schools Football Team who beat Romford 6-0 in their previous match, now play in the Johnson Cup Final at Roots Hall on Monday, April 12th, 1965, their opponents being West Thurrock Schools. This should be an exciting game. A point of interest worth mentioning is that the West Thurrock side includes Bob Hedrick who is a signed player with Southend United, so it will be interesting to see his performance against a local side, and it will give us an idea of his capabilities.

Do come along and give the Southend Schoolboys your support, they have done extremely well this season, and a good crowd would boost their morale in this important Cup match.

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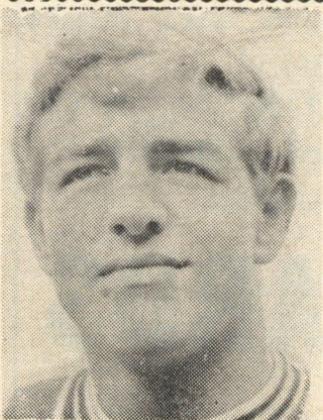
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Up to and including 6th April, 1965

| | P. | W. | D. | L. | F. | A. Pts. |
|-----------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|--------------|
| Carlisle | 42 | 23 | 9 | 10 | 70 | 49 55 |
| Hull | 41 | 21 | 11 | 9 | 80 | 51 53 |
| Mansfield | 41 | 21 | 11 | 9 | 87 | 53 53 |
| Gillingham | 40 | 21 | 9 | 10 | 65 | 41 51 |
| Bristol City | 41 | 21 | 9 | 11 | 81 | 53 51 |
| Bristol Rovers | 41 | 18 | 9 | 11 | 74 | 52 49 |
| Brentford | 39 | 19 | 13 | 12 | 69 | 50 46 |
| Grimsby | 41 | 13 | 8 | 11 | 60 | 59 43 |
| Watford | 41 | 14 | 17 | 12 | 61 | 61 43 |
| Peterborough | 39 | 18 | 15 | 15 | 72 | 64 42 |
| Q. P. R. | 40 | 16 | 9 | 15 | 63 | 69 41 |
| Bournemouth | 40 | 15 | 10 | 15 | 62 | 58 40 |
| Reading | 40 | 13 | 13 | 14 | 57 | 61 39 |
| SOUTHEND | 41 | 16 | 6 | 19 | 64 | 68 38 |
| Scunthorpe | 41 | 13 | 11 | 17 | 57 | 60 37 |
| Shrewsbury | 39 | 13 | 11 | 15 | 65 | 68 37 |
| Exeter | 40 | 11 | 14 | 15 | 46 | 45 36 |
| Workington | 39 | 13 | 10 | 16 | 51 | 65 36 |
| Walsall | 41 | 13 | 7 | 21 | 49 | 71 33 |
| Oldham | 41 | 12 | 8 | 21 | 53 | 74 32 |
| Colchester | 41 | 10 | 10 | 21 | 48 | 77 30 |
| Luton Town | 39 | 9 | 10 | 20 | 43 | 75 28 |
| Port Vale | 40 | 8 | 12 | 20 | 37 | 69 28 |
| Barnsley | 40 | 9 | 9 | 22 | 49 | 76 27 |

FOOTBALL COMBINATION DIVISION II

Up to and including 6th April, 1965

| | P. | W. | D. | L. | F. | A. Pts. |
|-----------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|--------------|
| Oxford | 33 | 21 | 4 | 8 | 68 | 45 46 |
| Southampton | 33 | 18 | 9 | 6 | 74 | 53 45 |
| Coventry City | 33 | 18 | 6 | 9 | 93 | 54 42 |
| Luton Town | 34 | 15 | 10 | 9 | 74 | 64 40 |
| Leyton Orient | 33 | 15 | 9 | 9 | 65 | 56 39 |
| Swindon Town | 31 | 17 | 4 | 10 | 75 | 51 38 |
| Charlton | 33 | 13 | 10 | 10 | 67 | 49 36 |
| Q. P. R. | 33 | 13 | 9 | 11 | 53 | 46 35 |
| Birmingham | 33 | 13 | 8 | 12 | 70 | 54 34 |
| Watford | 32 | 11 | 10 | 11 | 58 | 58 32 |
| Bournemouth | 30 | 10 | 11 | 9 | 46 | 42 31 |
| Aldershot | 34 | 12 | 7 | 15 | 62 | 68 31 |
| Brighton | 31 | 10 | 10 | 11 | 54 | 54 30 |
| Brentford | 31 | 11 | 8 | 12 | 49 | 52 30 |
| Reading | 32 | 9 | 8 | 15 | 56 | 72 26 |
| SOUTHEND | 33 | 10 | 3 | 20 | 69 | 90 23 |
| Notts County | 32 | 6 | 9 | 17 | 48 | 80 21 |
| Millwall | 33 | 5 | 9 | 19 | 33 | 81 19 |
| Bristol Rovers | 30 | 4 | 8 | 18 | 41 | 86 16 |

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LUTON TOWN

Today we welcome Luton Town who have been battling against relegation all season but are now doing much better and improving each match. It will be a tough battle and, of course, we hope to take both points. After today's match we wish them well to the end of the season

Do let us hear the Roots Hall Roar today.

Thank you,

"UP THE BLUES"

TED FENTON

LUTON TOWN PEN PICTURES

CORDON FINCHAM. Transferred from Leicester to Plymouth, and then to Luton in 1963. Is a dominating Centre-half who has proved his value at Luton.

FRED JARDINE. Born in Edinburgh. Played for Dundee for two seasons before joining Luton Town at the end of season 1960-61. Played as an outside-left last season, but now playing well as a Full-back.

THOMAS McKECHNIE. Born in Glasgow and joined The Hatters direct from Rob Roy (Scotland) at the end of season 1960-61. Played consistently in the First XI in the past three seasons, only missing a few games through injury.

JOHN O'ROURKE. John signed for Luton Town in December 1963. He immediately made his mark at Luton and scored 22 goals in 25 League appearances. He has also played for London Schoolboys and the England Youth Team. Previously with Arsenal and Chelsea.

JOHN REID. Previously played for Bradford and Northampton, to whom Luton paid a substantial transfer fee in November, 1963. He is a tireless and energetic worker.

COLIN TINSLEY. Born at Middlesbrough, Colin first joined Grimsby Town, then moved to Exeter City before joining The Hatters in August 1963. He made several appearances in the First XI last season.

DAVID PACEY. Born in Luton, David signed for the Club in 1956. Has played for the F.C. versus the R.A.F. and was also a member of the England under 23 team against Germany and Italy. Very strong player with a liking for getting among the goalscorers.

FIXTURES 1964-65

FOOTBALL LEAGUE DIVISION III

| 1964 | Opponents | Gd. | F. | A. | Gate | Goal Scorers |
|-------|-------------------|-----|----|----|--------|-------------------------------|
| Aug. | 22 Shrewsbury T. | H | 1 | 0 | 10,777 | Beesley |
| 24 | Queen's P. R. | A | 0 | 2 | 6,709 | |
| 29 | Reading | A | 0 | 2 | 7,558 | |
| 31 | Queen's P. R. | H | 0 | 0 | 10,862 | |
| Sept. | 5 Peterborough U. | A | 2 | 4 | 10,404 | Friel (2) |
| 8 | Bristol City | A | 0 | 4 | 11,737 | |
| 12 | Barnsley | H | 2 | 0 | 6,131 | Conway, Ashworth |
| 14 | Bristol City | H | 0 | 4 | 7,945 | |
| 18 | Scunthorpe U. | A | 1 | 2 | 6,171 | |
| 26 | Walsall | H | 0 | 0 | 5,847 | Beesley |
| Oct. | 30 Gillingham | A | 0 | 1 | 13,109 | |
| 3 | Watford | A | 1 | 2 | 8,402 | Slater |
| 5 | Gillingham | H | 3 | 1 | 9,001 | Gilliland, Woodley (2) |
| 10 | Exeter City | H | 0 | 0 | 6,521 | |
| 12 | Workington | A | 3 | 0 | 6,397 | Gilliland (3) |
| 17 | Oldham Ath. | A | 2 | 0 | 8,166 | Gilliland (2) |
| 19 | Workington | A | 1 | 3 | 5,229 | Gilliland |
| 24 | Bristol Rovers | H | 6 | 3 | 6,343 | McKinven (3), Smillie |
| 28 | Grimsby Town | A | 0 | 1 | 5,729 | [Smith 12] |
| 31 | Brentford | A | 1 | 2 | 11,215 | Smith |
| Nov. | 7 Colchester U. | H | 6 | 3 | 6,915 | McKinven (2), Gilliland (4) |
| 14 | Luton Town | A | 0 | 1 | 6,892 | |
| 21 | Carlisle United | H | 1 | 0 | 6,422 | Neal |
| 28 | Luton Town | A | 1 | 0 | 5,020 | Smillie |
| Dec. | 12 Shrewsbury T. | A | 3 | 1 | 4,047 | Smillie (2), Smith |
| 19 | Reading | H | 2 | 2 | 5,326 | Gilliland (2) |
| 26 | Bournemouth | A | 1 | 2 | | Smillie |
| 28 | Bournemouth | H | 2 | 1 | 6,219 | Gilliland, Smillie |
| 1965 | | | | | | |
| Jan. | 2 Peterborough U. | H | 2 | 0 | 6,786 | Costello, Gilliland |
| 8 | (3) Port Vale | A | 2 | 2 | 4,852 | Beesley, Bradbury (P) |
| 16 | Barnsley | A | 4 | 1 | 2,898 | Bradbury, Smillie, Beesley, |
| 23 | Scunthorpe U. | H | 0 | 1 | 7,630 | [Gilliland] |
| 30 | (4) Mansfield T. | H | 1 | 4 | 5,360 | McKinven |
| Feb. | 6 Walsall | A | 3 | 2 | 5,916 | Beesley (2), Smith |
| 13 | Watford | H | 0 | 1 | 7,272 | |
| 20 | (5) Exeter City | A | 1 | 1 | 4,946 | Smillie |
| 27 | Oldham Ath. | H | 6 | 1 | 5,584 | Woodley, Smillie, |
| Mar. | 13 Brentford | H | 0 | 1 | 7,888 | [Bradbury (2), Gilliland (2)] |
| 20 | Colchester U. | A | 1 | 3 | 2,923 | Bullock |
| 26 | Port Vale | H | 2 | 1 | 6,017 | McKinven |
| Apr. | 2 Carlisle U. | A | 3 | 4 | | Bradbury, Slater, Bullock |
| | 5 Mansfield T. | A | 1 | 6 | | Gilliland |
| 10 | Luton Town | H | | | | |
| 16 | Hull City | H | | | | |
| 17 | Bristol Rovers | | | | | |
| 19 | Hull City | A | | | | |
| 24 | Grimsby Town | H | | | | |
| May | 1 F.A. CUP FINAL | | | | | |

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FOOTBALL COMBINATION

| 1964 | Opponent | Gd. | F. | A. |
|---------|----------------|-----|----|----|
| Aug. 22 | Birmingham | A | 0 | 5 |
| 29 | Bournemouth | H | 2 | 1 |
| Sept. 5 | Southampton | H | 2 | 3 |
| 16 | Bournemouth | A | 0 | 2 |
| 19 | Watford | H | 6 | 3 |
| 21 | Queen's P. R. | A | 0 | 3 |
| 26 | Brighton | A | 2 | 1 |
| Oct. 3 | Queen's P. R. | H | 1 | 3 |
| 6 | Coventry City | A | 1 | 2 |
| 10 | Notts County | A | 3 | 5 |
| 17 | Swindon Town | H | 1 | 5 |
| 24 | Luton Town | A | 1 | 3 |
| 26 | Oxford United | H | 2 | 3 |
| 31 | Brentford | A | 2 | 3 |
| Nov. 7 | Bristol Rovers | A | 1 | 2 |
| 14 | Leyton Orient | H | 1 | 4 |
| 18 | Oxford United | A | 1 | 2 |
| 21 | Aldershot | A | 4 | 0 |
| 28 | Charlton Ath. | H | 3 | 3 |
| Dec. 5 | Swindon Town | A | 3 | 6 |
| 12 | Birmingham | H | 2 | 1 |

| | | | | | |
|------|--------|-------------|---|---|---|
| 1965 | Jan. 2 | Southampton | A | 4 | 0 |
| | 9 | Millwall | H | 7 | 1 |

| | | | | | |
|------|----|----------------|---|---|---|
| Feb. | 16 | Coventry City | H | 0 | 5 |
| | 26 | Watford | A | 1 | 4 |
| | 6 | Brighton | H | 3 | 3 |
| | 16 | Millwall | A | 2 | 1 |
| | 20 | Luton Town | H | 3 | 4 |
| | 27 | Brentford | A | 2 | 3 |
| | 13 | Leyton Orient | A | 2 | 2 |
| | 27 | Charlton Ath. | A | 0 | 3 |
| | 29 | Bristol Rovers | H | 5 | 3 |
| Mar. | 3 | Notts County | H | 2 | 1 |
| | 14 | Reading | A | | |
| | 19 | Reading | H | | |
| | 21 | Aldershot | H | | |

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| C | EVERTON | 0 | v. | SUNDERLAND | 1 |
| D | NOTTINGHAM F. | 2 | v. | BLACKPOOL | 0 |
| E | SHEFFIELD U. | 0 | v. | WOLVES | 0 |
| F | BOLTON | 1 | v. | MANCHESTER C. | 0 |
| G | HUDDERSFIELD | 1 | v. | ROTHERHAM | 0 |
| H | NEWCASTLE | 1 | v. | SWINDON | 0 |
| J | NORTHAMPTON | 0 | v. | DERBY | 0 |
| K | IPSWICH | 1 | v. | LEYTON ORIENT | 0 |
| L | GILLINGHAM | 0 | v. | EXETER | 1 |
| M | HULL | 2 | v. | OLDHAM | 0 |
| N | Q. P. R. | 3 | v. | PETERBOROUGH | 0 |
| P | READING | 2 | v. | MANSFIELD | 1 |
| R | WALSALL | 0 | v. | COLCHESTER | 0 |
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