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Luton Town v. Hartlepools United 2-1

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Club Notes

JUDGING by what went on last Saturday when we had an attendance above the average for a Saturday this season, fears about what would happen when the parking restrictions came into force on the Dunstable Road side of the ground were unfounded to a large extent.

Majority of the motorists attending the match approached from the Dunstable Road side where the police who were pleased with the co-operation they received, had plainly signed the roads that were available for use.

There will have been another test today when at least as big a crowd was expected for the first ever visit here of Hartlepools United and continued co-operation between the public and the police will go a long way towards solving the thorny problem.

By the end of this month, there will be a further improvement in the amenities at the ground by the installation of new public address equipment by Rediffusion, who have secured the contract for this type of work at the World Cup matches and who were also responsible for the public address equipment at Wembley.

We have been asked by Port Vale to bring forward the date of our home match with them which, at the moment, is 28th May, so that they can go on a Continental tour.

This we are willing to do because it will mean bringing the end of our season forward by nine days and the present suggestion under consideration is that the match should be staged on Cup Final day, 14th May, with a 7.30 kick off.

We feel that this may well fall in with the wishes of our supporters who will be able to watch the Cup Final on TV and then come to see what we hope by then will be a match vital to us in our struggles for promotion. More than that, the arrangement would remove the necessity for fitting in yet another match in mid-week.

Unfortunately, for the third time our youth team's Southern Junior Floodlight Cup match at Reading, scheduled for Wednesday, had to be called off, this time because of the waterlogged nature of the Elm Park Ground. This match has been hanging fire since well before Christmas and no new date has been fixed yet.

Congratulations to Luton Schoolboys on their feat in reaching the last eight of the English Schools Shield by beating Smethwick 2-0 on this ground on Wednesday. Now, they visit Leeds in the quarter-final.

There is no match next Saturday for the first team, who are due at Newport on Monday week, to avoid a clash with the R. U. match between Newport and Cardiff.

This week, Chris Long, the outside left who has been scoring regularly for the Reserves recently, completed his apprenticeship with us and has been signed as a full time professional.

The ball for today's match was kindly donated by Messrs. G. E. Costin Ltd., Coach Hire specialists of Dunstable, whom we thank most warmly.

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PEN PORTRAITS OF OUR VISITORS

Ken Simpkins (goalkeeper). Signed for the club in March 1964 and was reserve for Welsh Under 23 side v. Scotland last season.

Brian Drysdale (left back). Was signed this close season. His previous club being Lincoln City.

Barry Ashworth (wing half). This player was signed from Southend United and is now in his first full season with the club.

Stan Storton (right back). Joined the club from Darlington in 1964 close season. He was an everpresent in last season's first team. Previous clubs were Darlington and Bradford City.

Clifford Wright (inside forward). Signed from Middlesbrough in the 1964 close season.

Peter Thompson (centre forward). After spells with Derby County and Bournemouth this player rejoined Hartlepools in October 1963.

Ernie Phythian (inside forward). Another of this close season's signings. He was transferred from Wrexham in June 1965. His previous club was Bolton Wanderers.

Ambrose Fogarty (inside forward). The former Sunderland and Eire International joined Hartlepools three seasons ago. His signing resulted in the club paying out the highest transfer fee in their history.

William Bradley (outside left). A Scot who formerly played for Ayr United, signed for Hartlepools and is now in his third season with the club.

William Marshall (left back). Signed from Oldham Athletic in August 1964. Prior to service with Oldham he was with Burnley.

Robert Brass (wing half). Came to Hartlepools from Middlesbrough during last season as a part time player.

Eric Harrison (wing half). Another of last season's signings from Halifax Town where he had played all his previous football. Joined Hartlepools in August 1964.

Alan Fox (centre half). Transferred from Wrexham in July 1964. One of several Ex Wrexham players in the side.

Jim Cooper (outside right). This Scot is a former Brighton player who signed for the club in the close season.

Duncan Robertson (wing half). A local boy who signed part time forms with the club last season.

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LEAGUE MATCHES—Players' Appearances and Goal Scorers

Names	APPEARANCES			GOALS		
	1st Team	2nd Team	'A' Team	1st Team	2nd Team	'A' Team
CALEB	...	20	...	...	2	...
CHESTER	...	7	3	...	2	...
EDWARDS	5	19	...	...	2	...
FRENCH	16	...	...	...	11	...
FRY	7	22	...	...	...	...
GIBSON	8	7	...	...	...	...
HARBER	8	5	...	...	...	...
HYDE	...	2	15	...	...	2
JARDINE	25	...	...	...	3	2
KETTLEBOROUGH	...	15	5	...	11	2
LONG	...	23	5	...	11	1
McKECHNIE	5	16	...	2	11	...
MOONEY	...	3	14	...	...	...
MOORE	24	1	...	4	...	...
NICHOLSON	...	...	15	...	...	...
O'ROURKE	25	...	...	19	5	...
PLEAT	2	10	...	...	...	...
RAMAGE	...	10	...	...	...	...
READ	20	3	...	12	...	...
REID	26	...	...	2	1	...
RIDDICK	10	11	...	...	1	2
RIOCH	11	16	...	1	3	...
RIVERS	12	14	...	...	...	...
SLOUGH	1	23	2	...	...	...
STARK	9	10	...	3	4	...
TINSLEY	27	1	...
THOMSON	20	5
WHITTAKER	25	11
WOODS	16	7
AMATEURS	...	48	154	...	1	13
OPPONENTS	1	3	...

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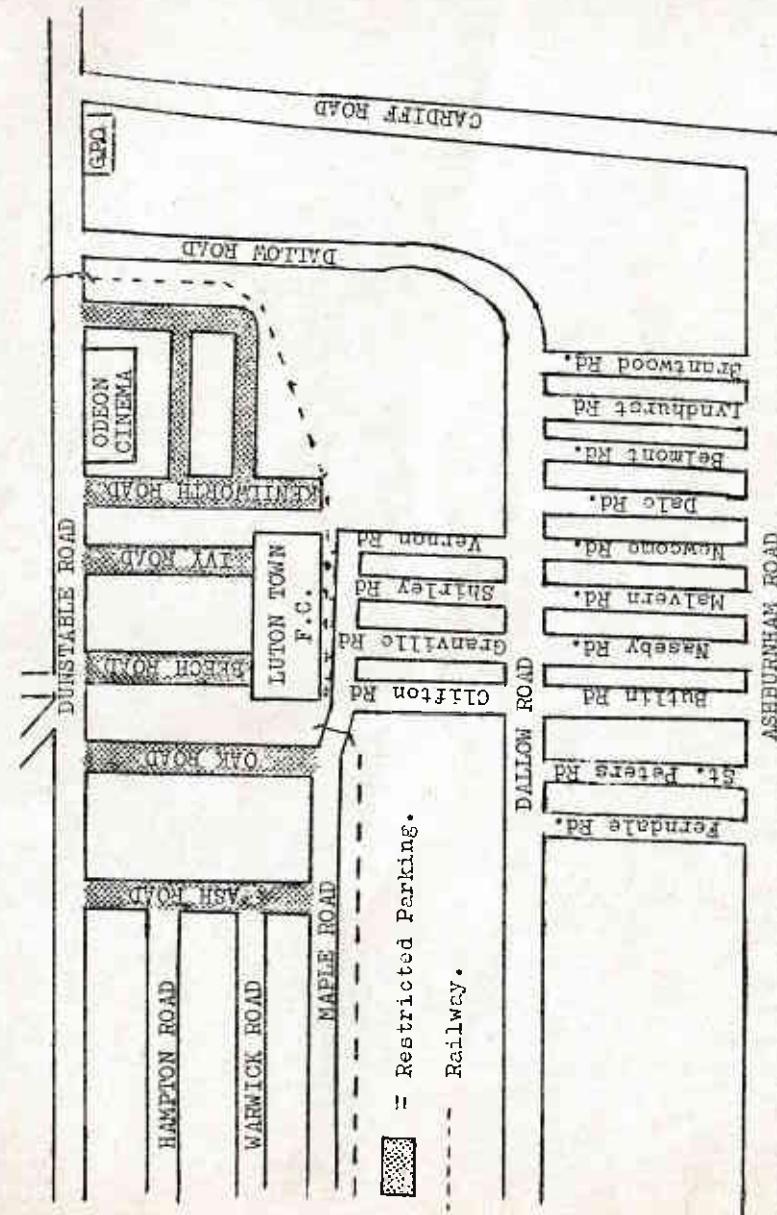


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Today's Half-Time Scores

NOTE. The letter in the Programme corresponds with the letter on the Board—thus A 0-1 means that the first named club has scored 0 and their opponents 1

FIRST LIST

F.A. CHALLENGE CUP — Round 4	
A	Bedford T.
B	Birmingham
C	Bolton Wan.
D	Chelsea
E	Crewe Alex.
F	Hull City
G	Manchester C.
H	Manchester U.
K	Newcastle U.
L	Norwich City
M	Plymouth A.
N	Shrewsbury

SECOND LIST	
A	Southport
B	Tottenham H.
C	West Ham U.
D	Wolves
LEAGUE MATCHES	
E	Liverpool
F	Stoke City
G	Brighton
H	Mansfield T.
K	Peterborough
L	Q.P.R.
M	Reading
N	Southend U.

THIRD LIST	
A	Swindon T.
B	York City
C	Aldershot
D	Barnsley
E	Bradford
F	Chester
G	Darlington
H	Halifax
K	Lincoln City
L	Rochdale
M	Torquay Utd.

League Tables 1965-1966

FOOTBALL LEAGUE — DIVISION FOUR

Up to and including Saturday, 5th February, 1966

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Tranmere Rovers	29	16	6	7	61	41	38
Chester	27	16	5	6	55	40	37
Torquay United	27	15	6	6	43	31	36
Colchester Utd.	27	15	5	7	44	27	35
Darlington	25	13	6	6	39	28	32
Doncaster Rovers	26	13	5	8	46	29	31
LUTON TOWN	27	14	3	10	57	48	31
Barrow	27	11	8	8	51	42	30
Southport	27	10	9	8	41	38	29
Notts. County	25	11	6	8	33	32	28
Bradford	26	11	4	11	55	46	26
Barnsley	26	10	5	11	46	50	25
Chesterfield	26	9	7	10	36	40	25
Rochdale	25	11	1	13	43	45	23
Stockport County	26	9	4	13	41	37	22
Newport County	24	8	5	11	43	46	21
Crewe Alexandra	25	9	3	13	28	37	21
Wrexham	27	9	3	15	46	63	21
Halifax Town	24	7	6	11	38	47	20
Port Vale	25	7	5	13	32	36	19
Lincoln City	25	7	5	13	30	47	19
HARTLEPOOL	26	7	5	14	36	51	19
Bradford City	24	7	5	12	35	57	19
Aldershot	27	6	3	17	40	61	15

FOOTBALL COMBINATION — Division Two

Up to and including Saturday, 5th February, 1966

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Q.P.R.	25	16	3	6	57	36	35
Charlton Athletic	23	13	5	5	46	27	31
Gillingham	20	14	2	4	49	24	30
LUTON TOWN	27	13	2	12	58	58	28
Birmingham City	24	13	1	10	51	39	27
Bristol Rovers	26	10	7	9	58	54	27
Bournemouth	25	10	7	8	49	41	27
Reading	21	12	2	7	41	28	26
Brighton	24	12	2	10	52	44	25
Leyton Orient	21	10	4	7	49	39	24
Oxford United	22	9	5	8	35	28	23
Brentford	22	8	5	9	41	41	21
Bristol City	21	9	3	9	36	37	21
Aldershot	22	8	4	10	29	39	20
Watford	22	4	9	9	26	32	17
Millwall	22	5	6	11	33	48	16
Mansfield Town	20	6	3	11	32	52	15
Notts County	23	5	9	11	29	51	15
Colchester Utd.	21	4	6	11	26	52	14
Southend United	23	4	3	16	40	58	11

SOUTH EAST COUNTIES LEAGUE

Up to and including Saturday, 5th February, 1966

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Tottenham Hotspur	23	12	5	6	85	37	29
Chelsea	21	13	2	6	61	36	28
Leyton Orient	20	13	2	5	60	42	28
Arsenal	20	12	3	5	52	29	27
Q.P.R.	21	13	1	7	60	36	27
West Ham United	21	11	4	6	53	27	26
Ipswich Town	23	10	4	9	50	30	24
Millwall	18	9	3	6	49	41	21
Brentford	20	7	5	8	36	35	19
Crystal Palace	19	6	5	8	41	47	17
Watford	19	6	3	10	39	57	15
Charlton Athletic	17	5	5	7	25	39	15
Fulham	16	5	1	10	29	46	11
Bexley United	18	5	1	12	37	56	11
Brighton	20	4	3	13	32	66	11
LUTON TOWN	18	1	3	14	20	85	5

Division 4 and Football Combination Fixtures :: 1965-66

1965	First XI Div. 4	Attendance	F	A	1965	Football Combination	Attendance	F	A
Aug. 21	Sat. Bradford	6182	H	3 1	Aug. 21 Sat.	Leyton Orient	583	A	1 2
" 23 Mon.	Wrexham	5466	A	0 2	" 28 Sat.	Bristol Rovers	579	H	2 3
" 28 Sat.	Aldershot	5310	A	1 3	Sept. 4 Sat.	Charlton Ath.	416	A	0 2
Sept. 1 Wed.	Brighton (F.L.C.)	3758	H	1 1	" 9 Thurs.	Southend Utd.	571	H	4 0
" 4 Sat.	Newport County	4899	H	2 1	" 11 Sat.	Aldershot	464	A	1 3
" 11 "	Torquay United	3156	A	0 2	" 18 Sat.	Oxford United	548	H	0 3
" 16 Thurs.	Wrexham	4780	H	1 0	" 22 Wed.	Brentford	548	H	2 1
" 18 Sat.	Chesterfield	4905	A	1 2	" 25 Sat.	Bournemouth	548	H	2 1
" 24 Fri.	Rochdale	3692	A	2 1	Oct. 2 ..	Southend United	548	A	1 7
Oct. 7 Thurs.	Doncaster R.	5030	H	4 3	Oct. 2 ..	Q.P.R.	548	A	0 3
" 9 Sat.	Barnsley	5948	A	5 4	Oct. 9 ..	Mansfield Town	579	H	4 1
" 16 ..	Bradford City	2635	A	2 2	Oct. 16 ..	Bristol City	579	A	1 1
" 23 ..	Crewe Alex.	6299	H	4 0	Nov. 1 Mon.	Notts. County	713	H	0 3
" 30 ..	Port Vale	6053	A	2 1	Nov. 13 Sat.	Millwall Ath.	680	A	2 1
Nov. 3 Wed.	Tranmere Rovers	9278	A	0 2	Nov. 20 ..	Reading	414	H	5 2
" 6 Sat.	Halifax	7879	A	4 1	Nov. 27 ..	Gillingham	532	H	6 0
" 13 ..	Cup 1 — Romford	9592	A	1 1	Dec. 4 Sat.	Watford	503	H	3 4
" 18 Thur.	F.A. Cup 1 — Replay	11061	H	1 0	Dec. 11 ..	Q.P.R.	503	A	0 3
" 20 Sat.	Notts. County	6486	H	5 1	Dec. 18 ..	Mansfield Town	579	A	4 3
" 23 Tues.	Doncaster R.	4134	A	1 1	Dec. 27 Mon.	Brentford	548	H	4 3
" 27 Sat.	Lincoln City	2941	A	2 2	1966				
Dec. 4 ..	Cup 2 — Corby	6276	H	2 2	Jan. 1 Sat.	Bristol City	665	H	3 1
" 7 Tues.	Replay — Corby	13284	H	0 1	" 8 ..	Notts. County	579	A	2 1
" 10 Fri.	Stockport	7778	A	1 4	" 15 ..	Millwall Ath.	532	H	4 0
" 18 Sat.	Bradford City	5550	H	2 3	" 22 ..	Brighton	680	H	3 0
" 27 Mon.	Southport	6638	A	2 3	" 29 ..	Leyton Orient	680	H	3 0
" 28 Tues.	Southport	7307	H	2 0	Feb. 5 ..	Bristol Rovers	548	A	4 3
1966					" 12 ..	Charlton Ath.	548	H	
Jan. 1 Sat.	Barnsley	5053	A	0 3	" 19 ..	Aldershot	548	A	
" 8 ..	Chester	6670	H	5 2	" 26 ..	Brighton	548	H	
" 15 ..	Crewe Alex.	3534	A	0 2	March 5 ..	Oxford United	548	H	
" 22 ..	Bradford	6541	A	3 1	" 19 ..	Bournemouth	548	A	
" 29 ..	Aldershot	6822	H	3 1	" 26 ..				
Feb. 5 ..	Hartlepools (4)	21	A		April 2 ..	Gillingham	548	H	
" 12 ..	Newport County	4	A		" 6 Wed.	Reading	548	A	
" 21 Mon.	Torquay United	12	A		" 8 Fri.	Birmingham C.	548	H	
" 26 ..	Darlington	19	A		" 16 Sat.	Watford	548	A	
March 5 ..	Hartlepools U. (5)	26	A		" 23 ..	Colchester United	548	A	
" 12 ..	Chesterfield	19	A		" 30 ..	Birmingham C.	548	A	
" 19 ..	Rochdale	26	A		May 7 ..				
" 26 ..	Tranmere R. (6)	19	A		" 14 ..				
April 1 Fri.	Halifax	8	A		" 21 ..				
" 8 ..	Chesterfield United	19	A		" 28 ..				
" 15 ..	Darlington	11	A						
" 16 Sat.	Notts. County	23	A						
" 23 ..	Lincoln C. (S.F.)	23	A						
" 25 Mon.	Barrow	30	A						
" 30 Sat.	Darlington	7	A						
May 7 ..	Stockport	11	A						
" 16 Wed.	Charlton Ath.	11	A						
" 19 Thurs.	Barrow	19	A						
" 28 Sat.	Port Vale	28	H						

The figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, refer to Cup Tie Dates

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NEXT MATCHES

Saturday, 19th February, 1966

Football Combination Kick-off 3 p.m.

Luton Town Reserves

v.

Charlton Athletic Reserves

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Saturday, 26th February, 1966

Football League — Division 4 Kick-off 3 p.m.

Luton Town

v.

Torquay United

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