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Wednesday,
24th August,
1966.

ALDERSHOT
v.
LUTON TOWN

Kick-off
7.30 p.m.

CLUB NEWS AND VIEWS

Manager's Comments.—The 1—1 draw against Hartlepools on Saturday was not as good as we had hoped for, but despite the intense heat Aldershot never gave up and a full ninety minutes effort was given. It appeared that Hartlepools came determined to go back home with a point which they obtained through playing mostly defensive football and at times kept the "Shots" out through sheer desperation. Their Goalkeeper played very pluckily throughout despite an injured shoulder and whilst he had his share of luck, he also was in excellent form. **Jack Howarth** was the scorer for Aldershot.

Our opponents tonight in the Football League Cup 1st Round are well known to us. Luton Town are managed by George Martin, late Manager of Newcastle United, who almost steered Luton to promotion last season. On Saturday last they opened the season with a home victory against Halifax Town, winning by two goals to nil.

Luton Pen Portraits.

Tony Read. (Goalkeeper). Born at Haydock. First club Sheffield Wednesday, joined Peterborough in 1964 and transferred to Luton in March 1965. Last season made 35 appearances in their forward line, scoring 12 goals besides six appearances in goal.

Alan Slough. (Right Back). A Luton boy who graduated through the ranks of schoolboy, amateur and apprentice professional, signing full time in May 1965.

Freddie Jardine. (Left Back). Born Edinburgh. Played for two seasons with Dundee before joining Luton in 1961 as an outside left.

Bobby Thomson. (Right Half). Born Menstrie, Scotland. First came into prominence with Partick Thistle and later transferred to Liverpool for a big fee. Signed for Luton in August 1965.

Alan Rivers. (Centre Half). Born Portsmouth. Played three seasons as an amateur for Luton, turning professional in 1964.

John Moore. (Left Half). In his second season for Luton, coming to them from Motherwell.

David Pleat. (Outside Right). Born Nottingham. Played for England Youth team and for Notts Forest from whom he was secured in August 1964.

Gerald King. (Inside Right). Welshman. Played for his country as a schoolboy and Youth International. Has also played for Cardiff and Torquay.

Gordon Riddick. (Centre Forward). Following a short period of apprenticeship signed professional in 1961. Born at Langlebury.

Bruce Riach. (Inside Left). Born in Aldershot but brought up in Luton and had trials for England Schoolboys. Turned full professional in September 1964.

Ray Whittaker. (Outside Left). A Londoner from Bow, first club was the Arsenal. England Youth Caps in 1962 and 1963. Joined Luton in March 1964.

Substitute. Tony Thear. (Centre Forward). Born Tottenham and joined Arsenal as apprentice professional, can also play centre half.

International Football League Match.

The Football League v. The Irish League at Home Park, Plymouth, on Wednesday, 21st September, 1966. Kick-off 7.30 p.m.

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I should like to extend a warm welcome to our Luton colleagues who are with us this evening. The draw takes place tonight for the Mini car. Tickets from June 6th to August 20th are concerned, week numbers 11 to 15, 1, 2 and 3, and 19, 20 and 21.

If you are not already a member you are missing a great opportunity to win one of the prizes which total £750, plus the opportunity to win a car. Call tonight at our office by the North Stand. Perhaps you would like to become an agent with added incentives.

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Don't forget to book Saturday, September 3rd for our first dance of the season at the R.A.E. Assembly Hall, Farnborough.

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It is with regret we have to record the death of "JOCK" THOM, an ex-Aldershot player, who represented Aldershot for many years including the days when the team played in the Southern League and when they first entered the Football League in the 1932-33 season. "JOCK", who played Centre Forward, has, since his playing days, assisted the Club on match days and always remained a staunch and loyal supporter who made many friends.

We express our sincere sympathy to Mrs. Thom and her family in their bereavement.

MEMORY CORNER

Thirty Years Ago.

On August 29th, 1936, Aldershot played a 3rd Division (South) match on the Recreation Ground, result:

Aldershot 1 — Bournemouth 3
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Sat. 1 **ROCHDALE** ..

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Tues. 11 **BRENTFORD** ..

Sat. 15 **CHESTER** ..

Mon. 17 **TRANMERE ROVERS** ..

Sat. 22 **BRADFORD** ..

Wed. 26 **LINCOLN CITY** ..

Sat. 29 **PORT VALE** ..

NOVEMBER

Sat. 5 **CREWE ALEXANDRA** ..

Fri. 11 **BARROW** ..

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Sat. 19 **YORK CITY** ..

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Sat. 3 **CHESTERFIELD** ..

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Sat. 17 **HARTELEPOOLS U.** ..

Mon. 26 **SOUTHEND UNITED** ..

Tues. 27 **SOUTHEND UNITED** ..

Sat. 31 **HALIFAX TOWN** ..

JANUARY

Sat. 14 **NEWPORT COUNTY** ..

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FEBRUARY

Sat. 4 **LUTON TOWN** ..

Sat. 11 **ROCHDALE** ..

Sat. 18 **BRADFORD CITY** ..

Sat. 25 **NOTTS COUNTY** ..

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Sat. 4 **CHESTER** ..

Sat. 11 **BRADFORD CITY** ..

Sat. 18 **BRADFORD** ..

Fri. 24 **EXETER CITY** ..

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Sat. 1 **CREWE ALEXANDRA** ..

Sat. 8 **BARROW** ..

Mon. 10 **WREXHAM** ..

Sat. 15 **YORK CITY** ..

Sat. 22 **PORT VALE** ..

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OCTOBER

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Thur. 6 **LUTON TOWN** ..

Wed. 12 **MILLWALL** ..

Mon. 18 **QUEEN'S PARK R.** ..

NOVEMBER

Tues. 1 **CHARLTON ATHLETIC** ..

Tues. 22 **WATFORD** ..

Wed. 30 **COLCHESTER UNITED** ..

DECEMBER

Wed. 7 **LEYTON ORIENT** ..

Wed. 14 **LUTON TOWN** ..

Wed. 21 **MILLWALL** ..

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Wed. 25 **QUEEN'S PARK R.** ..

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Thur. 2 **LUTON TOWN** ..

Wed. 8 **LEYTON ORIENT** ..

Tues. 14 **WATFORD** ..

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Tues. 11 **QUEEN'S PARK R.** ..

Mon. 17 **LUTON TOWN** ..

Wed. 19 **COLCHESTER UNITED** ..

Wed. 26 **MILLWALL** ..

MAY

Wed. 3 **SOUTHEND UNITED** ..

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