

**NORTHAMPTON  
TOWN  
FOOTBALL  
CLUB**

# **Birmingham City**

**versus**

# **Luton Town**

**Football League Cup, 2nd Round  
(second replay)**

**TUESDAY, 19 SEPTEMBER**

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# Birmingham City F.C.

Known as the Blues, Birmingham City commenced operations as long ago as 1875, becoming a professional outfit in 1885 and a limited company three years later. During their life the club has had three grounds and three names, initially being known as Small Heath Alliance becoming Birmingham in 1905 adding City to the name in 1945. Never first division champions, the Blues finished 6th, their best position in season 1955/56, although they have been 2nd division champions on four occasions. F.A. cup success has eluded them although the reputation as dour fighters has enabled them to defeat many a higher placed club over the years and they are well respected. Success has come to the club in the Football League Cup competition when they ran out winners in season 1962/63, when Aston Villa were defeated 3-1 at St. Andrews' and a 0-0 draw resulted at Villa Park. Ken Leek was the Clubs and the competitors top scorer that season with eight goals in the seven rounds. Birmingham have ventured into Europe being finalists in the European Fairs Cup on two occasions. The record transfer fee paid

is the £80,000 Carlisle United received for Ex-Cobbler, Bob Hatton.

The present Manager is Fred Goodwin who will be well remembered as a player with Leeds United and Manchester United; Alan Instone is the Secretary and Willie Bell, also ex-Leeds, the club Coach.

## Pen Pictures

**LATCHFORD, Dave.** One of three famous brothers all playing in 1st Division. Brum his only club.

**CARROLL, Tommy.** Born in Dublin; previously with Ipswich Town. Now in his second season with club.

**PENDREY, Gary.** Local lad. Very consistent performer. Made over 100 appearances.

**CAMPBELL, Alan.** Scottish born player who has previously served Charlton Athletic.

**HYND, Roger.** Tall defender, came from Crystal Palace. Previously in Scottish Football with Rangers.

**PAGE, Malcolm.** Welsh International, now back in the side following illness.

**BURNS, Kenny.** A Glaswegian recently invited to join the Scottish international squad yet only 18.

**FRANCIS, Trevor.** Young striker subject of many headlines. Born at Plymouth. Shows abundant promise.

**LATCHFORD, Bob.** Recent scorer of hat-trick against Manchester City. One club man.

**HOPE, Bobby.** Close season signing from West Bromwich Albion. Another Scotsman.

**HATTON, Bob.** Bought from Carlisle for £80,000, also with Wolverhampton and Northampton.

member of the Hatters Board, and is a man, who, despite his accepted humourous background, is very serious as regards his football in general and Luton Town more particularly. Harry Haslam is the Club's Manager and Bob Readhead, the Secretary.

## Pen Pictures

**BARBER, Keith.** London born, Keith was with Dunstable Town before joining Luton 5' 11" tall, weighs 10st 12lbs.

**RYAN, John.** Another Londoner. Free transfer from Fulham.

**THOMPSON, Bob.** Ex-English International. Previously with Birmingham. Player with wealth of experience.

**ANDERSON, Peter.** One time forward. Previously an amateur with Hendon. Luton his only professional club.

**FAULKNER, John.** Amateur Cup winner with Sutton United who then joined Leeds, thence to Luton replacing Chris Nicoll.

**GARNER, Alan.** Came to Luton on a free transfer from Millwall. Like Faulkner a six-footer.

**RYAN, Jim.** Bought from Manchester United for £20,000. No relation to John. Scottish by birth.

**FEARN, Rodney.** Luton's Costliest buy from Leicester for £50,000. Played in Leicester's losing Cup Final in 1969.

**BUSBY, Viv.** Born at High Wycombe for whom he was an amateur. Had spell on loan to Newcastle.

**HALOM, Vic.** Now with his fourth club. Bought from Fulham for £30,000 following MacDonalds transfer.

**ASTON, John.** Ex-Manchester United. £30,000 secured his transfer for whom he made more than 150 appearances.

**SLOUGH, Alan.** (Substitute). Local born. Alan cannot get back into side following injury. Made 250 plus appearances.

# Teams

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## Birmingham City (1)

- 1 **DAVE LATCHFORD**
- 2 **TOMMY CARROLL**
- 3 **GARY PENDREY**
- 4 **ALAN CAMPBELL**
- 5 **ROGER HYND**
- 6 **MALCOLM PAGE**
- 7 **KENNY BURNS**
- 8 **TREVOR FRANCIS \***
- 9 **BOB LATCHFORD**
- 10 **BOBBY HOPE**
- 11 **BOB HATTON**
- 12 **WHITEHEAD**

## Luton Town (0)

- 1 **KEITH BARBER**
- 2 **JOHN RYAN**
- 3 **BOB THOMPSON**
- 4 **PETER ANDERSON**
- 5 **JOHN FAULKNER**
- 6 **ALAN GARNER**
- 7 **JIM RYAN**
- 8 **RODNEY FEARN**
- 9 **VIV BUSBY**
- 10 **VIC HALOM**
- 11 **JOHN ASTON**
- SUBSTITUTE ALAN SLOUGH**

## Today's Referee

### E. JOLLY

**Middleton, Manchester**

An instructor for Manchester County F.A. and began refereeing in 1949 in the Middleton Youth League. He progressed through the Blackley League, the Manchester League and the Lancashire League to the League Line in 1959. He was promoted to the Referees List in 1969.

Married with two children, he is an Insurance Agent. In 1971 he took charge of the Youth International between Northern Ireland and Wales and was a Linesman for the League Cup Final between Chelsea and Stoke last season.

### Linesmen

**R. K. CLAY**

Gainsborough

**R. W. RIDDEN**

Colchester

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