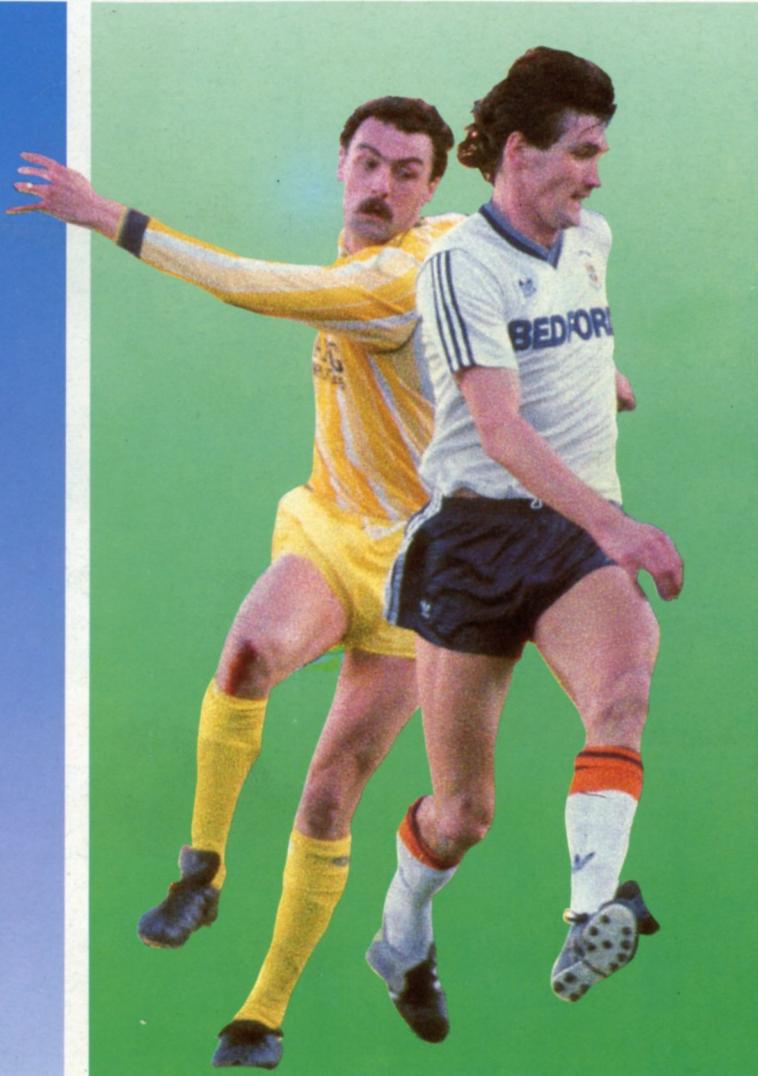


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• **Foiled again:** John Lukic saves at the feet of Mick Harford who had a frustrating match at Arsenal. The 2-1 defeat was our first loss in 10 games.

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• **Breaking through:** Mark Stein, who pulled a goal back in the last minute, tries to find a way through the Arsenal defence.



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RAY'S REVIEW



Welcome to Oxford United. This afternoon is a big occasion with Wembley the prize. Let us hope the football is worthy of the setting and the audience which will include the armchair millions. Our meetings this season have been entertaining with plenty of goals. But, as I am sure Maurice Evans would agree, a tight contest is more likely today.

The first leg was an even and closely-fought game. We would have settled for a 1-1 draw before the start and could not complain at the outcome on the night. Since then, of course, we have travelled to Arsenal, Everton and Queen's Park Rangers and met QPR again, at home, last Wednesday in an FA Cup replay. During that period, the senior players and those who have stood in when required, have shown a high level of professionalism – as they have done all season. Our record since October proves this and has already earned the lads a deserved place in the Football League's Centenary celebrations at Wembley in April.

Last Monday, our youth team clinched a place in the Southern Junior Floodlit Cup final with a 4-2 semi-final win at Aston Villa. We are the holders of the trophy and will be playing in our second successive final, another creditable achievement which proves the club has promising youngsters coming through. On Tuesday, our exciting season will continue with a Simod Cup quarter-final here against Stoke City. Enjoy today, give the lads your full support and come again.

Ray Harford.

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Mailbag

Write to The Editor, Luton Town F.C., Kenilworth Road, Luton by Tuesday a.m.

Keep me informed

Dear Sir,
Hi! My name is Delroy McCarol and I was from Luton until six months ago. That is when I came to Nottingham University to study. I'm 19-years-old and I'd like to ask all "Hatters" fans to write to me, so I can keep in touch with Luton news and views and keep up with news within the Town.

I'd really appreciate it.

Thank-you

Delroy McCarol
"Butlin River Cottage"
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Special thanks

Dear Sir,

I am writing to thank the staff and players for their sympathy telegram in the sad loss of our brother Len Ridley who died of cancer on 19th February aged 47.

With four members of the family all being Town supporters, we regularly would bring Len to the ground which he has known for 25 years. Even though his blindness prevented him seeing. We would commentate to him. But as the last year went, he had to listen to your local radio Bedford whilst we went and gave him a report



•England cap: See page 23.

Sincere thanks

Dear Sir,

The Committee of the Luton and District Branch of the Parkinson's Disease Society would like to offer sincere thanks to the Board and Management of

on the game later that evening. We can truthfully say we have not missed a game at Luton for four years and we in London cannot understand why the locals still stay away - anyway thanks for a great afternoon and hoping for Wembley for our brother Len and four dedicated Luton Supporters.

Yours sincerely

A. Ridley

34 Bonness House,
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London SE15.

Luton Town FC for allowing a fund raising collection to be made at the home fixture with Liverpool.

The sum of £488.39 was raised and we extend our gratitude to all those generous persons who kindly donated. The money will go towards our dual stated aims, namely assistance of local patients and their families and national research into Parkinson's Disease. In fact £2,000 has been donated to research from branch funds during the last two years and also a further £1,000 pledged to Addenbrooke's hospital for use in their new Parkinson's wing. The new funds will greatly assist in similar future projects.

We hold monthly meetings at Hockwell Ring Day Center, Luton on the second Friday of every month (7.30pm), all are welcome. For any other information interested parties should contact Mrs Joan White (Luton 27833).

We hope, like 'The Town' to establish ourselves in the 1st Division of charity fund raising and, eventually, discover a cure for this disabling disease.

Yours T P Hunt

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CHIT CHAT



Me and my old boater

Was it really before the Beatles and Coronation Street took the country by storm, before J F Kennedy was assassinated and man made his historic visit to the moon? Yes, it really is nearly 30 years since Luton Town made it's one and only appearance in a final at Wembley.

I was still a lad, but who could forget the excitement of that day. Too nervous to sleep the night before - and how many times did we check that morning to make sure we hadn't forgotten our tickets.

We made our way to the coach pick-up point, boarded and waited with an uneasy patience for the driver to start us off on our road to Wembley. Once we were on our way, it seemed everybody was talking about the game, but nobody was listening. We were all too wrapped up in our own deep thoughts of what lay in store for us on that day!!

"Win or lose one thing's certain, Luton Town can boast the best dressed supporters ever to grace a Wembley final". Such were the words of a

commentator on that Saturday in May in 1959. Who can argue with that statement? Men, women and children as far as the eye could see, strolling down Wembley way dressed in a sea of black and white, and all supporting the famous "straw boater".

Have you still got yours? I have, and in 1985 I was so nearly removing it from its resting place, dusting it off, and taking it on a pilgrimage back to the twin towers. Everton put paid to that.

But here we are again only one match away from another possible visit to the capital of football. Everyone seemed pleased with the semi-final draw of the Littlewoods Cup, and why not? But no football supporter would be naive enough to under-estimate the uncertainty of a football match, especially a cup game. One look at a deteriorating 30-year-old straw hat will emphasise that point.

Having said that, I just feel that this could be the year when I find out whether or not it still fits me.

Ron Horne

Anyone wanting to contribute to Chit-Chat, please write to:
The Editor, Luton Town F.C., Dunstable Road, Luton, Beds.

Luton News

PICTURE QUIZ

- Ashley Grimes is just one of the Town men hoping today will see us through to a Wembley Cup Final. But he has been there before, and to win a fiver in our free quiz competition tells us who with, and in which competition.

Answers to the Sports Editor (Comp), Luton News, Grosvenor House, Alma Street, Luton LU1 2PL by noon on Saturday. The first correct entry drawn out will win £5, so don't forget to include your name and address. Results will be published in the Luton News, along with all the best match coverage and pictures from today's game.



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RANGERS HELD

Queen's Park Rangers 1 Luton Town 1
Mick Harford headed his 16th goal of the season after 65 minutes at Loftus Road last weekend to equalise for the Town against QPR. The goal cancelled out an earlier strike by the Londoners' Warren Neill and secured the draw which brought both teams back to Kenilworth Road last Wednesday night.

The goal was Mick's first in the FA Cup this term, but the Town deserved to draw after performing with patience and intelligence on a difficult surface. For an hour there was little to choose between the teams although QPR enjoyed most possession. Mark Stein was unlucky not to score when a shot was scrambled away and his rebound effort came back off a post.

The Town defence was in superb form with Steve Foster holding the dangerous Mark Falco well and Mal Donaghy, who was back from Greece only 24 hours earlier together with fellow Northern Ireland international Danny Wilson, also playing excellently. Brian Stein also caught the eye with several smooth runs between midfield and attack in his cunningly-played role of withdrawn striker.

Teams: Luton Town - Sealey, Breacker, Grimes, McDonough, Foster, Donaghy, Wilson, B. Stein, Harford, M. Stein, Allinson.
QPR - Johns, Dawes, Neill, Parker, McDonald, Maguire, Allen, Falco, Bannister (Byrne 45), Fereday, Brock.

Referee: A. Gunn (Burgess Hill).

1st Team ACTION



• Loftus Road action: Mark Stein, Brian Stein and Ian Allinson are pictured trying to find a way through the QPR defence last week. Danny Wilson is the first to join Mick Harford's celebrations after scoring the equaliser. Pictures by Josh Levy of Apex Photography.

FOOTBALL FOCUS

Danny Wilson



Last week's Greece v Northern Ireland international match in Athens turned into a test of more than just football skills for Town stars Danny Wilson and Mal Donaghy who played for their country in their 3-2 defeat. For after the game they discovered their scheduled return flights to London had been cancelled because of an industrial dispute in Greece. It led to a nerve-wracking 24 hours for both lads and Town officials who were planning ahead for our fifth round FA Cup tie to Queen's Park Rangers. Danny explains what the two Town players did to while away their time:

Greek washing and a tour of the city in Athens

"After the match - they beat us with a very late goal in the last few seconds after we had led 1-0 and 2-1 - we found out about the problems. We had no idea before. Luckily, the Greek FA had sorted out the hotel arrangements and we were able to stay on. We heard about it before rushing off which was a good thing too.

"Our hotel was up a back street in Athens and I had a great view of the washing hanging out in the backs of all the houses. I got to know it all pretty well the next day when there was not much to do except hang around. We did go on a coach tour of the city - Billy Bingham, our manager, knew Athens well as he used to work there - for a few hours. But most of the time we were just playing cards and waiting to find out if we were going to get home in time.

"You might think we had a good time and it was like a holiday, but I can assure you it wasn't. It was certainly different. But that is all you can say. At one stage we didn't know if we were going to get back at all. Mind you, in a funny sort of way, it was a good thing because it took our minds off the FA Cup tie at QPR. Mal and I tried hard to find out what the score at Everton was in the Simod Cup, but we couldn't find out.

"Eventually, of course, we did get our flight back. And it was a very smooth one too on Olympic Airways. We were glad to get away as it was pretty boring really hanging around all that time... and we were never sure what was going on.

"For me, it was my first visit to Athens. I have never been before. The match gave me the chance to win my sixth cap - so I have some way to go to catch up with Mal who has won 62 caps now, I think. I reckon Mal will probably be one of the lynchpins in our next bid to reach the World Cup finals, but we have a tough group with Spain, Hungary and the Republic of Ireland as well as Malta in our section.

"Mind you, Mal will do well to survive at the rate he is going. He is certainly battle-scarred these days. He's had a bump on the head, bruised his ribs and had six stitches in his shin in the last few weeks! But he is a tremendously versatile player and has loads of experience too.

"It was a strange experience in Athens. But it did take our minds of worrying about the matches coming up. Just as the replay against QPR did too - that one kept our minds off today's match against Oxford. Sometimes too much time means too much tension."

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The best support you can give our team is a **vocal one**.

Please support this important request by **not going on the pitch**.

Thank you

REPLAY ARRANGEMENTS

If this afternoon's semi-final results in a draw, after extra time, the competitor's regulations state that a replay will be played at a neutral ground.

After consultation between the two clubs and the Football League and in the best interests of the travelling public, this will take place at Highbury on Wednesday, March 9, 1988. Kick-off 7.45pm, subject to any outstanding FA Cup replay.

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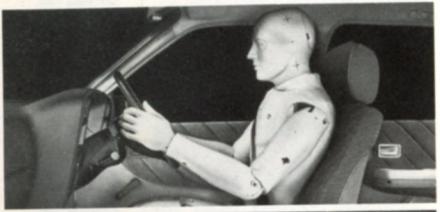
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• League action: Danny Wilson and Ian Allinson (top) and Mick Harford (below) in action during our memorable clash with Oxford here on February 6.



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IN PROFILE..... KINGSLEY BLACK



• **Talented winger:** Kingsley Black in action at Loftus Road earlier this season.

Youngster with a silky touch



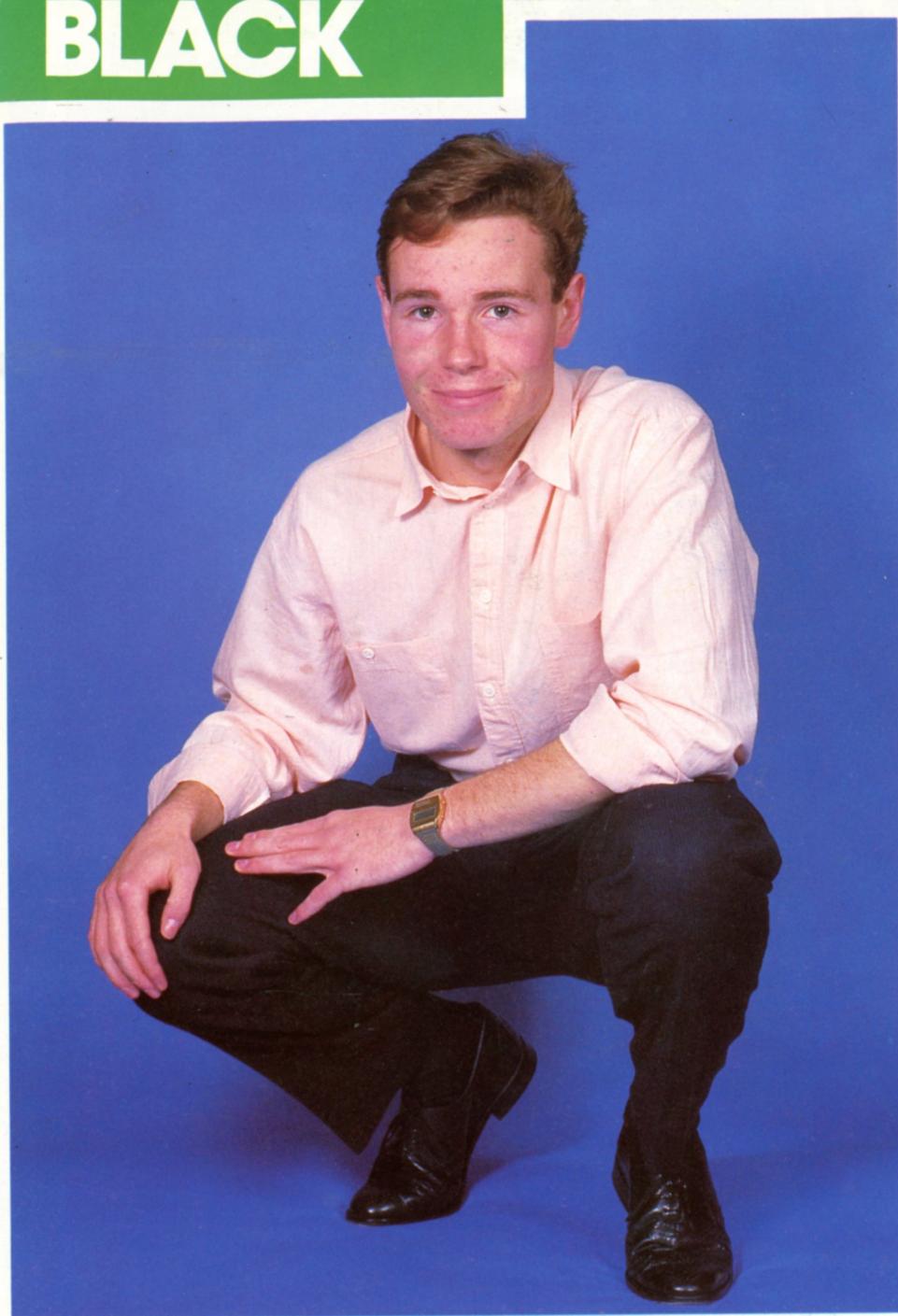
• **Skilful:** Kingsley Black.

Kingsley Black has broken into the first team squad this season and won several admirers with his skilful displays on the left side of midfield and on the left wing, particularly during our vital Littlewoods Cup ties against Ipswich Town and Bradford City when he had deputised for Ian Allinson.

Now 19, Kingsley was born in Luton and has progressed through the ranks with the Hatters in the last 18 months. Unusually for a professional, he continued his academic studies until 'A' levels before turning to football full-time and signing full forms. He studied maths and economics.

A former terrace fan, Kingsley was a supporter at Kenilworth Road during the promotion season 1981-82 and he feels especially honoured to wear a Luton Town shirt. He is a left-footed player with a fine touch and lots of skill and enjoys playing in midfield and on the left wing.

KINGSLEY BLACK



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DRESSING ROOM TALK

with Mick Harford

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England cap

"It was obviously a great honour and a great experience for me. I has always been one of my two ambitions to win a full England cap. Everyone wants to play for their country and I have been very lucky to achieve that ambition. I can now only hope and keep my fingers crossed that I will get another chance in better conditions! The pitch was really terrible. My other main ambition, of course, is to play at Wembley in a cup final... so, with luck on our side, I might even cap my most successful season as a player by achieving both of my two main ambitions.

"I got the news of my call-up on my 29th birthday but I must say my first thoughts went to Cyrille Regis who was ruled out by injury. I feel very sorry for him, but I was very pleased and very proud to be picked for the squad. I enjoyed playing for the England 'B' team in Malta and was lucky enough to score the goal in that game. I did not hear any more from England after that and I was starting to think my chance might have gone, but I did keep on hoping.

"I've waited a long time for my chance and to get the news on my birthday made it even better. It is definitely the highlight of my career even though it was not a very good game. The strange thing was the conditions were great for the first two and half days we were there. It was beautiful. Sunshine all the time. The only thing was you couldn't get a suntan because you were working and running all the time! Then on the day of the match it just poured.



• Full England cap: Mick Harford.

Patience needed

"When I came on I saw quite a bit of the ball, but could have done with a few more crosses. I didn't have a chance to have a crack at goal. But it was good experience. You have to be more patient in international football. Bobby Robson said he thought I showed a few nice touches and he said it was difficult to come on with only 20 minutes left in such bad conditions.

"I knew quite a few of the England lads of course from playing against them and I roomed with Chris Waddle, who I've known for a few years going back to Newcastle days. We get on alright. There was not much time for relaxing or anything really. It was a serious trip with the full England team. But it was a really great experience... and I would love the chance to do it again."

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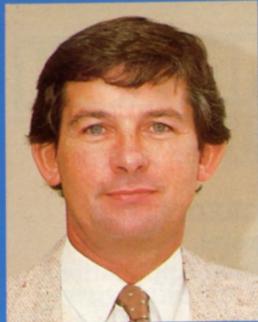
Because of the need for effective segregation of visiting supporters inside and outside the ground, please use the Kenilworth Road and Main Stand turnstiles ONLY.

Oak Stand Supporters - Normal Entrance

Kenilworth Stand Sections K2 & K3 - Normal Entrance

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Terraced Supporters Section - K1 of the Kenilworth Stand.



CLUB COMMENT

John Smith, Chief Executive

Much controversy surrounded the Price Structure announced last season for season 1987/88 resulting, according to many, in a drop in this seasons attendances.

During the past month, the Management of the club have been considering the price structure for League matches only next season. Before finalising this at our Board Meeting on 17 March, we are undertaking a public consultation exercise, asking members' views on our proposed changes. We, therefore, invite you to let us have in writing your considered views on the revised structure to reach us no later than Wednesday, 9 March, for final recommendation to the Board on March 17.

One important point to consider is that there will be 19 home First Division games.

The proposals are:
(FIGURES IN BRACKETS REPRESENT CURRENT PRICES)

Season Tickets

	Renewals Prior to 30/6/88	Renewals From 1/7/88
Main Stand (A-E)		
Adult	135 (135)	153 (155)
Junior/OAP	65 (65)	80 (80)
Main Stand (F)		
Adult	105 (105)	119 (120)
Junior/OAP	45 (65)	51 (80)
Main Stand Enclosure		
Adult	105 (105)	119 (120)
Junior/OAP	45 (65)	51 (80)
Blocks B and J	75 (105)	85 (120)
Oak Stand		
Adult	105 (105)	119 (120)
Junior/OAP	45 (45)	51 (50)

In the Oak Stand, there will be a special family discount of 20% off season tickets purchased. To qualify, the minimum

requirement will be at least two adults, plus at least one juvenile under 16, all of whom must be of the same family.

Kenilworth Stand

Adult	67.50 (75)	76.50 (85)
Junior/OAP	38.50 (45)	43.50 (50)

League Match Day Prices

	Adult	Junior/OAP
Main Stand A-E	9 (9)	5 (5)
Main Stand F	7 (7)	3 (3)
Main Stand G	5 (5)	3 (3)
Main Stand Enclosure	7 (7)	3 (3)
Main Stand Enclosure Band J	5 (5)	3 (3)
Oak Stand	7 (7)	3 (3)
Oak Stand Restricted View	5 (5)	3 (3)
Kenilworth Stand	4.50 (5)	2.50 (3)
Kenilworth Stand - Members		.50p
under 8 (if accompanied by an adult)		

Families - Oak Stand

The special family discount of 20% is applicable to the match day prices with the same qualification.

Membership

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Guests

Guests will be charged the same prices detailed, except for the special 50 pence in the Kenilworth Stand which is only available to members.

Star Games

These were discontinued during the season and will not be re-introduced next season.

Comments

Please send to:

Price Structure Comments, c/o Luton Town Football Club, 179-185 Dunstable Road, Luton, LU1 1BT.

Closing Date: Wednesday 9 March 1988.



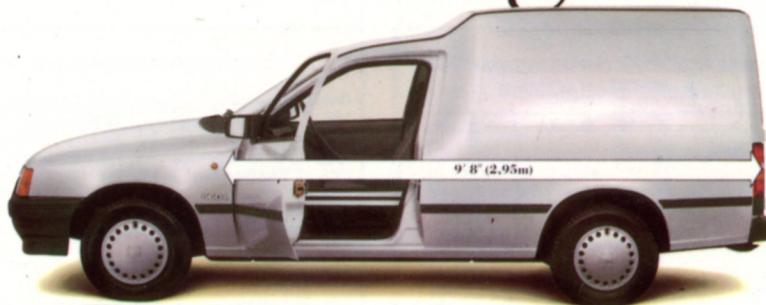
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•**Winning youngsters:** Darren McLean and Julian James played in our 4-2 win at Villa Park last Monday.

SUNDAY MIRROR COMBINATION 1987/88

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Tottenham Hotspur	22	15	3	4	51	25	33
Watford	19	15	1	3	44	14	31
Queens Park Rangers	23	13	4	6	48	28	30
Luton Town	24	12	6	6	51	40	30
Arsenal	22	13	3	6	51	21	29
Norwich City	20	11	6	3	43	23	28
Southampton	25	10	8	7	50	31	28
Ipswich Town	22	10	7	5	45	31	27
Portsmouth	20	10	4	6	39	37	24
Chelsea	22	9	4	9	39	35	22
Millwall	22	7	6	9	34	29	20
West Ham United	20	8	4	8	35	32	20
Swindon Town	22	8	3	11	36	50	19
Charlton Athletic	21	6	5	10	25	37	17
Oxford United	23	7	2	14	45	64	16
Fulham	22	5	5	12	31	62	15
Brighton & Hove Albion	20	5	3	12	20	49	13
Reading	21	4	2	15	32	55	10
Crystal Palace	20	4	2	14	14	45	10
Bristol Rovers	20	3	2	15	30	55	8

SUNDAY MIRROR COMBINATION 1987/88

Date	Opponents	Result	Date	Opponents	Result
1987			1988		
Aug 22	Reading	3-1	Jan 11	Reading	3-2
Aug 29	Ipswich Town	3-2	Jan 13	Ipswich Town	1-4
Sept 5	Charlton Ath	2-0	Jan 19	Charlton Ath	2-2
Sept 9	Oxford	4-3	Jan 23	Swindon	1-0
Sept 12	Arsenal	1-1	Jan 26	OXFORD	5-2
Sept 19	West Ham	1-0	Feb 6	West Ham	1-0
Sept 26	Chelsea	0-2	Feb 13	Arsenal	2-2
Sept 29	QPR	0-4	Feb 16	Chelsea	1-2
Oct 13	Bristol R	7-0	Feb 27	QPR	
Oct 20	Fulham	3-3	Mar 2	Bristol R	
Nov 4	Millwall	3-2	Mar 5	Portsmouth	
Nov 14	Tottenham	0-1	Mar 16	Fulham	
Nov 20	Norwich City	1-3	Mar 19	Swindon	
Nov 28	Crystal Palace	5-0	Mar 22	Tottenham	
Dec 5	Watford	1-4	Apr 2	Millwall	
Dec 12	Southampton	1-1	Apr 9	Norwich City	
Dec 16	Brighton	1-1	Apr 13	Crystal Palace	
			Apr 23	Southampton	
			Apr 30	Watford	
			May 7	Brighton	



•**Winning striker:** Paul Gray, our Northern Ireland youth cap.

COACHES' CORNER



FINE WIN AT ASTON VILLA CARRIES YOUTH TEAM INTO FINAL

One of our finest performances of the season and a memorable victory over Aston Villa secured the Town's youth team a place in the Southern Junior Floodlit Cup final. As holders, the Town youngsters performed with great pace, energy and skill in defence of their trophy, beating a talented Villa side which contained several youth internationals 4-2 in the semi-final played at Villa Park last Monday.

"The first half performance in particular was very good," said coach John Faulkner, who was delighted with the young Hatters. "We really pushed them back and led 4-1 at the interval. It was great stuff, one of our best shows of the season."

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The Town took an early lead through Kurt Nogan, but Villa quickly equalised with a goal that raised suspicions of offside among the Town followers. Then after 20 minutes Nogan struck again during a period in which he and Paul Gray had the Villa central defenders in turmoil. The third goal soon followed when Mick O'Brien thundered in an unstoppable shot from 25 yards and the fourth arrived shortly before the interval courtesy of a Jason Rees penalty after a handling offence.

Villa enjoyed more possession in the second half and pulled a goal back but the Luton youth team was able to hang on and enjoy the luxury of a passage to their second successive appearance in the final of this competition. Final score Villa 2 Luton Town 4.

Team: Edworth, Poutch, Pembridge, O'Brien, James, Alpress, Shanley, Gray, Nogan, Rees, McLean. Subs: Crawshaw, Gillard.

Footnote: Paul Gray for the Town in this fixture and then travelled to turn out for the Northern Ireland under-18 team against Wales the following night.

& YOUTH

INTRODUCING...

OXFORD UNITED

For the fourth time this season, we find ourselves meeting Maurice Evans' Oxford United. It remains to be seen if today's Littlewoods Cup semi-final tie follows the pattern of our goal-laden league games, in which we have shared 18 goals or the much-tighter first leg in which we forced a 1-1 draw at the Manor, writes *Geoff Allman*.

Though they have existed since 1896, Oxford are of course relative newcomers to the Football League. In fact, as Headington United, they were an amateur team in the Spartan League for many years, turning professional in 1949 and winning the Southern League three times.

'elected to the league in 1962'

In 1960, they changed their name to Oxford, reached the third round of the FA Cup in 1960-61 and were elected to the Football League in 1962 after Accrington Stanley had gone out of business. Since then, quite a number of well-known names have been connected with them.

Arthur Turner was the manager who not only took them into the Football League, but also led them to the last eight of the FA Cup in 1964, the first Fourth Division club to get that far. Their team, at that time, included Ron Atkinson, Maurice Kyle and Cyril Beavon in defence and Arthur Longbottom and Colin Harrington up front. By the time they reached Division Two in 1968, after promotion twice in four seasons, Republic of Ireland international David Sloan was one of their key men up front while Jimmy Barron had taken over in goal.

During their eight-season spell in Division Two, both Ron Saunders and Gerry Summers had spells as manager. Hugh Curran was their most consistent scorer while John Shuker

took his appearance tally past the 600 mark.

During their eight seasons back in Division Three from 1976 to 1984, Peter Foley emerged as a major goalscorer, Malcolm Shotton and Tim Smithers followed in the Oxford tradition of consistent defenders and Roy Burton gave great service in goal.

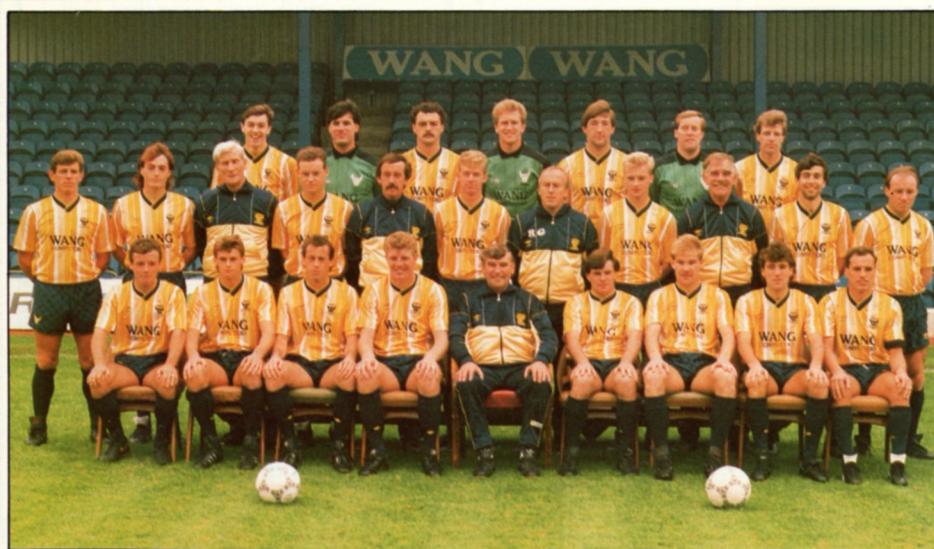
There was then a transformation when Robert Maxwell took the club over in January, 1982. Jim Smith was appointed manager and they topped Division Three in 1983-84 and Division Two in 1984-85. Their stalwarts at that time were strikers John Aldridge and Jeremy Charles, John Trewick in midfield and Bobby McDonald in defence.

In due course, Jim Smith moved to QPR and he had the traumatic experience of seeing his new club beaten 3-0 at Wembley by his former club in the 1986 Milk Cup final.

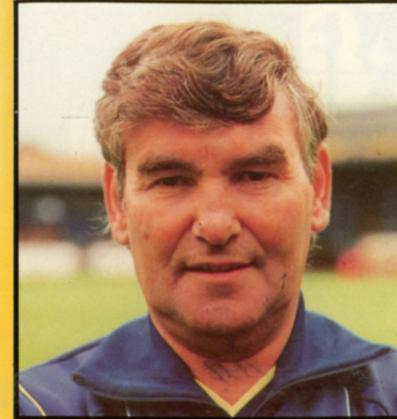
'a remarkable home record in this competition'

Though they have kept up their remarkable League Cup record of remaining unbeaten at home for some 30 ties, Oxford have, in general, been rather inconsistent this season. At the time of writing, their defensive record is the worst in the First Division. Apart from heavy defeats by us, they have gone down 5-2 at home to Wimbledon and 4-2 at Bradford City in the FA Cup. But, recently, we have been the only visiting team to score at Manor Park with Manchester United in Division One and Leicester in the FA Cup both losing 2-0 and Spurs being involved in a goalless draw.

Dean Saunders, who in recent weeks has scored two penalties and missed one against us is obviously a man to



Back Row: John Dreyer, Alan Judge, Gary Briggs, Peter Hucker, Billy Whitehurst, Steve Hardwick, Trevor Hebbert. Middle Row: David Leworthy, David Bardsley, Ken Fish (Physiotherapist), Sean Reck, David Fogg (Reserve Team Manager), Robbie Mustoe, Ray Graydon (Assistant Manager), Paul Swannack, David Coates (Chief Scout), Peter Rhoades-Brown, David Langan (now Bournemouth). Front Row: Les Phillips, Neil Slatter, Martin Foyle, Tommy Caton, Maurice Evans (Manager), Ray Houghton (now Liverpool), Richard Hill, Dean Saunders.



Oxford manager Maurice Evans (above) played all his football for Reading before joining Andover as player-manager. He returned to the league at Shrewsbury before taking over as manager before moving back to Reading as coach, then manager. In 1984, he was dismissed and moved to Oxford as chief scout, eventually succeeding Jim Smith when he moved to QPR. A widely-respected coach and judge of players, Mr Evans is one of the game's true gentlemen and a friend of Town boss Ray Harford.

look out for as he completes his first year since moving from Brighton. **Martin Foyle** (ex-Southampton and Aldershot) also arrived last season and both he and former Bristol Rovers defender **Neil Slatter** scored against us in September, while ex-Birmingham midfielder **Les Phillips** and **Richard Hill** (scorer of 33 goals for Northampton last season) scored in the league game here earlier this month.

Others to keep an eye on are long-serving former Southampton midfielder **Trevor Hebbert**, who may be linking up with busy **Gary Shelton** (ex-Walsall, Aston Villa and Sheffield Wednesday) and former Chelsea man **Peter Rhoades-Brown**.

In defence, **Gary Briggs** has played nearly 500 games since moving from Middlesbrough and was last season joined by **Tommy Caton** (ex-Manchester City and Arsenal) and home-grown **John Dreyer** while, this season, **David Bardsley** has arrived from Watford. In goal, **Steve Hardwick**, one of many good goalkeepers to begin their careers with Chesterfield, arrived via Newcastle and has now played well over 200 games.

OXFORD FORM-GUIDE

FA

Jan 20	LCS	Man Utd	(H)	2-0	Briggs, Saunders
Jan 30	FAC4	Bradford City	(A)	2-4	Rhoades-Brown, Saunders
Feb 6	BL	Luton Town	(A)	4-7	Hill, Foyle, Phillips, Saunders
Feb 10	LCSFL	Luton Town	(H)	1-1	Saunders
Feb 13	BL	Tottenham	(H)	0-0	-
Feb 20	BL	Derby C.	(H)	0-0	-

Leading scorers: Saunders 18, Foyle 8.

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JUNIOR HATTERS!

BY BRIAN STEIN

EVENLY-BALANCED CONTEST IN PROSPECT

To-day is the big one! With the TV cameras here as well, the lads are all prepared for today's game. We have trained hard all week. Trying out different moves so that it will help us, and give us another chance of playing at Wembley.

As Easter is only a few weeks away, I am going to give away 12 easter eggs to the first 12 Junior Hatters who can make as many words as they can out of the names "Brian & Mark Stein," by using only four letters in each word.

I will start you off with one of the words - it is (rain). This competition is only open to Junior Hatters members, all entries to be sent to Bev Tyler by Wednesday March 23rd, you must put

your membership number on your entry please.

Today's lucky Junior Hatters membership number is J004946. The winning member should contact Bev Tyler in the Sports Shop at Oak Road with his or her membership card for two free tickets to one of our home matches.

To-day the Junior Hatters have been playing football with the junior supporters of Oxford as pre-match entertainment. We welcome all junior supporters who have travelled to cheer their team to-day

Have a good time and I will see you at our next home game. Support the team today.

ESCAPES



Andrew Russell



Gary Dawkins

MASCOT



Mark Jennings

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QUIZ TIME

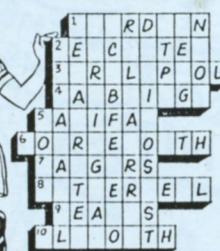
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The answers to the last Quiz Time are:
Soccer Girl is an Arsenal supporter.

Star is Born: Kenny Dalglish was born in Glasgow.

Junior Spot: 1-D; 2-G (spiders); 3-B; 4-H; 5-C; 6-E (Jam Tarts).

The answers to today's Quiz Time will appear in our next full home game programme.

'KIN'ELL JONES GOES WEST! AN EVENING WITH THE LEGENDARY

JIMMY JONES

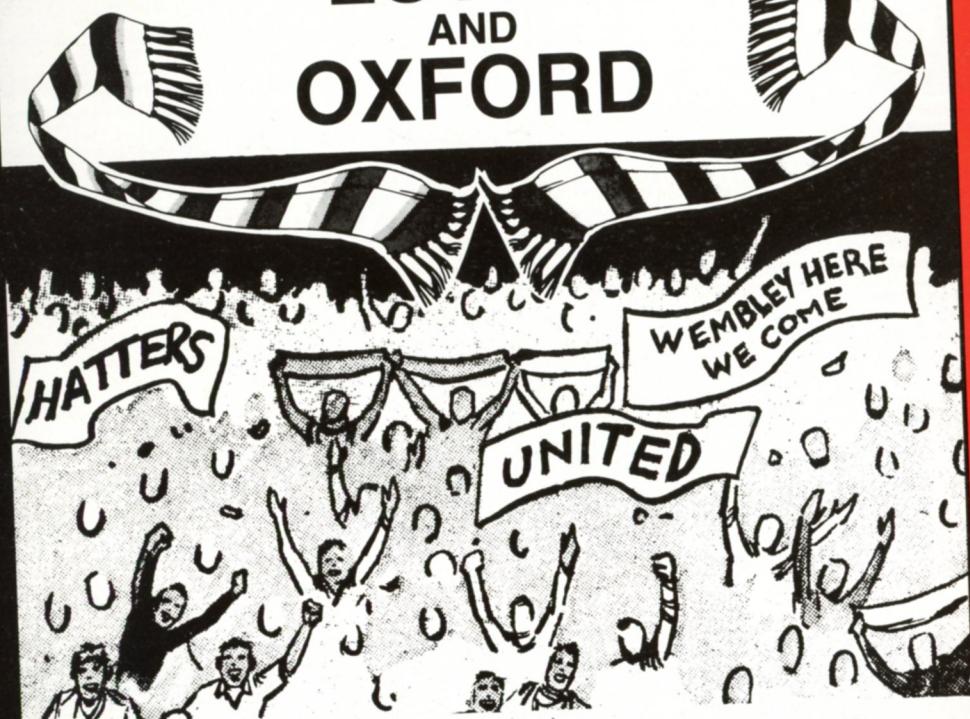
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Views from the media

NEW CAP HARFORD GRABS GLORY

Mick Harford was the Town hero at Loftus Road, heading our equaliser and his 16th goal of the season after returning from Tel Aviv where he made his full England debut. Here is a selection of comments from the national press after last Saturday's FA Cup fifth round clash:

Sunday Times: "Luton Town, last seen at Wembley in 1959, remain on course for no fewer than four appearances there this season. Already through to April's League centenary jamboree, well set in the Littlewood's Cup and, rumour has it, the Simod Cup, they stayed in the competition which really matters yesterday thanks to a goal by Mick Harford which Johns, the Rangers goalkeeper, really should have saved.

"For Harford, given his first England cap on Wednesday, it crowned a good week but was surely one of the weakest headers he has ever scored from. Although he appeared to make only modest contact with Allinson's free kick, Johns, who is still deputising for Seaman, could do no more than help the ball on its way."

Sunday Telegraph: "Mick Harford's 16th goal of the season and his first in the FA Cup gave Luton a reprieve at Loftus Road in the match billed as the Plastic Pitch Cup final."

Mail on Sunday: "Luton's four-pronged assault on Wembley was kept alive when England new boy Mick Harford scored his 16th goal of the season in a gripping fifth round tie at Loftus Road."

Daily Telegraph: "Luton comfortably ensconced in eighth place in the First Division can concentrate fully on their involvement in three cup competitions without worrying about more mundane league matters."



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LUTON TOWN GOAL'DEN OLDIES

EIGHTEEN YEARS OF MEMORABLE NIGHTS IN THE 'OTHER' KNOCKOUT TOURNAMENT

As far as Luton Town were concerned, the Football League Cup was a natural successor to the Southern Professional Floodlight Cup which had proved fairly popular during the period 1955-1960, writes club statistician Roger Wash.

The Town were quite happy to enter but only lukewarm response was received initially from the bigger clubs and it was not until ten years after the competition started that all 92 teams entered.

For their first game, on 19th October 1960, the Town had the unenviable task of travelling to Anfield to take on the then not quite so mighty Liverpool. A crowd of 10,502 saw Luton gain a creditable 1-1 draw with the Towns second-half equaliser being scored by Dave Brogan.



• **Frustration:** Malcolm Macdonald was thwarted by Bob Wilson against Arsenal, but is pictured in action against Clyde in 1969.

'Bruce Rioch scored twice as Luton beat Charlton'

The replay saw an early exit from the competition with Roger Hunt scoring a hat-trick for the Reds in a 5-2 win at Kenilworth Road before a crowd of 6,125.

Luton went one better the following season for after disposing of a Terry Branston-inspired Northampton at Kenilworth Road, the Town succumbed to Rotherham in the next round after a replay.

1962-63 proved to be the Towns most successful in the competition until 1978 with the fourth round being reached before an unfortunate 1-0 defeat at Manchester

City put paid to the hopes of reaching the two-legged final.

Defeat by Coventry at the first attempt in the following season and by Aston Villa in Round Two in 1964-65 were par for the course as the Town sank down into Division Four and it was not until 1967-68 that a spot of giant-replay was on the cards as Charlton were beaten in a replay at the Valley.

The first game at Luton had ended 1-1 - a result that flattered Second Division Charlton - and an early goal by Matt Tees, later to play for the Town, in the replay looked like ending our hopes for another season. Bruce Rioch, however, scored an equaliser and went on to bang in the winner in extra time to earn the Town a trip to Leeds.

Leeds were at their strongest at the time and although the Town were beaten 3-1 they were not disgraced and received an ovation from the crowd of 11,473.

With the Town back in Division Three the following season and the club on the crest of a wave, a crowd of 20,167 turned up at Kenilworth Road to see local rivals Watford hammered 3-0. After seeing off Brighton in a replay the next time out on an away visit to mighty Everton was the reward in round three.

Everton were at their irresistible best and the crowd of 30,405 saw the Blues take a 2-0 lead before the Luton players broke sweat. The game finished 5-1 but it is doubtful whether any team could have lived with Everton that particular evening.

1969-70 saw Luton draw 1-1 at Peterborough in the first round before winning the replay 5-2 and then win 1-0 at Millwall, again in a replay - the fluke goal being scored by Keith Allen in extra time much to the annoyance of a Den crowd of 14,125.

In the following year, the Town easily disposed of Gillingham and Workington (who had a certain John Burridge in goal) in the early rounds before being drawn at home to Arsenal in round three.

Although Arsenal won the double that season, it is doubtful whether they had a tougher game during that campaign. How they kept their goal intact only Bob Wilson could answer as shot after shot rained on him with Malcolm Macdonald the Luton player most frustrated.

As so often happens when a team has the lion's share of play, they are caught out by a 'sucker' goal which is what happened when George Graham scored with a soft effort to win the game and send the majority of a crowd of 27,023 home miserable.

Defeat the first time out at Crystal Palace in 1971-72 was followed by a three-game epic against First Division Birmingham in 1972-73. The deciding game was won by the Blues at neutral Northampton courtesy of a goal by a certain Trevor Francis.

In the Town's promotion season of 1973-74, a hash was made of a relatively easy home game against Grimsby - a 1-1 draw being the result. The replay finished 0-0 and because the Town lost the toss of a coin the second replay was also played at Grimsby. This time a Hatters win by 2-0 was the happy outcome with goals from Tom Finney and John Faulkner earning another easy tie at home to Bury.

Another hash was made with the match finishing 0-0 and the Town were severely troubled in the replay before scraping through 3-2.

After these marathon cup-ties, it was rather surprising that the Town succumbed quite easily at Millwall in round four losing 3-1 in a game played on a Wednesday afternoon because of the deprivations caused by the three-day-week.

The Town had enough on their plate trying to stave off relegation in 1974-75 and decided they did not want to win the League Cup. They lost in round three at Sheffield United, but kept the act going for a couple of seasons losing at Darlington first time out in 1975-76 and Sunderland in 1976-77.

The duck was broken in 1977-78 with a fine 3-1 win at Wolverhampton in round two before a 1-1 home draw with Manchester City appeared to end the Town's chances for another season. The Hatters however did remarkably well to hold out for a scoreless draw after extra-time and in the second replay, at Old Trafford, were actually ahead with a much weakened side before eventually bowing out bravely 3-2.

Season 1978-79 proved to be pretty dismal as far as League form was concerned but in the League Cup the Town advanced nearer to Wembley than ever before by reaching the fifth round.



• **Cup scorer:** Brian Stein has a knack of scoring important cup goals as he did at Aston Villa in 1978.

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1987-88

HOME		AWAY		W	D	L	F	APts
26	12	2	0	36	3	0	27	9
29	7	5	1	19	11	Manchester United	8	5
26	7	3	2	28	11	Nottingham Forest	7	4
26	10	2	1	25	5	Everton	3	5
27	8	2	4	25	12	Arsenal	5	4
27	8	3	3	21	11	Queens Park Rangers	4	4
27	6	6	2	21	13	Wimbledon	5	3
26	8	4	3	29	15	LUTON TOWN	3	1
28	8	1	5	20	17	Sheffield Wednesday	3	3
28	7	3	4	20	16	Tottenham Hotspur	2	5
27	4	5	4	16	16	Southampton	4	4
26	4	4	5	14	17	Newcastle United	4	5
27	4	6	4	16	17	West Ham United	3	5
28	6	6	1	19	12	Chelsea	2	1
28	4	3	6	17	18	Norwich City	4	3
28	4	7	4	18	19	Portsmouth	2	5
26	3	5	4	13	17	Coventry City	4	3
26	3	3	6	11	12	Derby County	3	4
27	5	3	6	19	24	Oxford United	1	4
28	4	5	6	16	20	Charlton Athletic	1	4
27	3	3	7	9	17	Watford	2	5
APPEARANCES AND GOALSCORERS (1987/88)								
League		Lift Cup	FAC	Cup	FA Cup	Simod Cup		
Aps	Gls	Aps	Gls	Aps	Gls	Aps	Gls	
Ian Allinson	14(1)	3	-	-	4	1	-	
Kingsley Black	4	-	1(1)	-	-	-	1	-
Tim Breacker	26	1	6	-	4	-	1	-
Gary Cobb	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Andy Dibble	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Mal Donaghy	24	-	6	-	4	-	-	
Steve Foster	26	1	6	1	4	-	1	-
Paul Gray	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Ashley Crimnes	20(1)	-	3	-	2(1)	-	1	-
Mick Harford	18	9	3	6	3	1	-	
Richard Harvey	-	-	1	-	-	-	(1)	-
Ricky Hill	14(1)	2	1	-	-	-	-	
Marvin Johnson	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Rob Johnson	7(4)	-	5	-	2	-	-	
Darron McDonough	18(3)	3	5	1	4	1	-	
Ricky McEvoy	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Mike Newell	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Stacey North	(1)	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Emeka Nwajobi	8(3)	2	1	-	-	-	-	
David Oldfield	-	-	(1)	-	-	-	1	2
David Preece	9	-	1	-	-	-	-	
Brian Stein	23	7	6	2	4	1	-	
Mark Stein	11(5)	9	3	2	4	-	-	
Les Sealey	26	-	6	-	4	-	-	
Michael Weir	6(1)	-	3	2	1	1	-	
Danny Wilson	24	3	6	-	4	-	-	
Robert Wilson	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	

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Aug 15 Derby County	0-1	17204	-	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	Hill	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(R. Wilson)	(Preece)	[MN/DM]
Aug 18 Coventry City	0-1	7506	-	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	Hill	Foster	McDonough	D. Wilson	Harford	Newell	(R. Wilson)	Preece	[EN/SN]
Aug 22 West Ham United	2-2	8073	16	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	Hill	Foster	(McDonough)	D. Wilson	Cobb	Newell	Nwajobi	Preece	[SN/EN]
Aug 29 Chelsea	0-3	16075	19	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	Donaghy	Foster	R. Wilson	Hill	Cobb	Newell	Nwajobi	Preece	KB/SN
Aug 31 Arsenal	1-1	8745	18	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	Hill	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Preece)	[MS/R]	
Sept 5 Oxford United	5-2	6804	14	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	Hill ¹	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Preece)	[MS/R]	
Sept 12 Everton	2-1	8124	16	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	Hill ¹	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Preece)	[MS/R]	
Sept 19 Charlton Athletic	0-1	5003	12	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	Hill	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Preece)	[MW/R]	
Sept 22 Wigan Athletic (LC2R 1L)	1-0	5018	14	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	Hill	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Preece)	[EN/SN]	
Sept 26 Queens Park Rangers	0-2	11175	14	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	Hill	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Preece)	[MS/R]	
Oct 3 Manchester United	1-1	9137	14	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	Hill	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Preece)	[MS/DM]	
Oct 6 Wigan Athletic (LC2R 2L)	4-2	4240	14	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	Hill	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Preece)	[MS/R]	
Oct 10 Portsmouth	1-3	12391	16	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	Hill	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Preece)	[DMC/EN]	
Oct 17 Wimbledon	2-0	7018	14	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Oct 24 Liverpool	0-1	12452	14	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Oct 27 Coventry City (LC3R)	3-1	11448	16	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Nov 7 Newcastle United	4-0	7638	17	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Nov 14 Sheffield Wednesday	2-0	16960	16	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Nov 17 Ipswich Town (LC4R)	1-0	15643	12	Sealey	Breacker	Harvey	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	R. Johnson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Nov 21 Tottenham Hotspur	2-0	10091	12	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Dec 5 Norwich City	1-2	7002	13	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Dec 12 Watford	1-0	12152	9	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Dec 18 Southampton	2-2	6618	9	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Dec 26 Everton	0-2	32242	11	Sealey	Breacker	(Grimes)	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Dec 28 Charlton Athletic	1-0	7243	9	Sealey	Breacker	Johnson	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Jan 1 Chelsea	3-0	8018	8	Sealey	Breacker	Johnson	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Jan 2 West Ham United	1-1	16716	8	Sealey	Breacker	Johnson	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Jan 9 Hartlepool (FAC3)	2-1	6187	8	Sealey	Breacker	Johnson	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Jan 16 Derby County	1-0	7175	8	Sealey	Breacker	Johnson	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Jan 19 Bradford City (LC5R)	2-0	11,022	8	Sealey	Breacker	Johnson	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Jan 30 Southampton (FAC4)	2-1	10,009	8	Sealey	Breacker	Johnson	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Feb 6 Oxford United	7-4	8063	8	Sealey	Breacker	Johnson	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Feb 10 Oxford (LCSF1)	1-1	12943	8	Sealey	Breacker	Johnson	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Feb 13 Arsenal	1-2	22615	8	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	McEvoy	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Feb 16 Everton (Simod Cup)	2-1	5204	8	Dibble	Breacker	M. Johnson	McEvoy	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Feb 20 Q. Park Rangers (FAC5)	1-1	15856	8	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Feb 24 Q. Park Rangers (FAC5R)	1-0	10854	8	Sealey	Breacker	Grimes	McDonough	Foster	Donaghy	D. Wilson	B. Stein	Harford	(Black)	Weir	
Feb 28 Oxford United (LCSF2)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Mar 1 Stoke City (Simod QF)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Mar 5 Wimbledon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Mar 8 Simod Cup (SF)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Mar 12 Portsmouth (FAC 6)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Mar 15 Coventry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Mar 26 Liverpool	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Mar 27 Simod Cup (Final)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Apr 2 Newcastle United	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Apr 4 Sheffield Wednesday	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Apr 9 Tottenham Hotspur (FACs/f)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Apr 23 Nottingham Forest	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Apr 24 LC Final	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Apr 30 Norwich City	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
May 2 Watford	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
May 7 Southampton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
May 14 FAC Final	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

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Luton Town 2

- 1 Les Sealey
- 2 Tim Breacker
- 3 Ashley Grimes 1
- 4 Darron McDonough
- 5 Steve Foster
- 6 Mal Donaghy
- 7 Danny Wilson
- 8 Brian Stein 1
- 9 Mick Harford
- 10 Mark Stein
- 11 Kingsley Black

Subs

Oxford United 0

- 1 Alan Judge
- 2 David Bardsley
- 3 John Dreyer
- 4 Gary Shelton
- 5 Gary Briggs
- 6 Tommy Caton
- 7 Trevor Hebbard
- 8 Martin Foyle
- 9 Dean Saunders
- 10 Les Phillips
- 11 Peter Rhoades-Brown

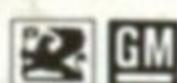
Subs

Referee: L. SHAPTER (Torquay) Linesmen: R.L. BIGGER (Red Flag) A.V. STONE (Yellow Flag)
Reserve Official: D. COLE

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