

Liverpool

ENGLAND BEAT IRELAND

Lofthouse set the game going at Goodison Park. Strong Irish support in the crowd cheered the Emerald Isle but had a big disappointment in the first half-minute, ^{Ireland} giving away the softest International goal for many years. A speculative shot by inside-left Hassell was misjudged by Smythe. In 30-seconds Ireland were one down.

The Irishmen retaliated. England goal-keeper Merrick was lucky to keep them out on more than one occasion. At forward England almost had four passengers. Once again only Matthews at outside-right played up to International standard.

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England led 1-nil at half-time. Nine-minutes after the interval the Sunderland outside-right Bingham centred to McMorran. His shot rebounded off Merrick into the net.

A corner by Mullen looked promising but the Irish keeper managed to smother ~~the~~ shot by Matthews.

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Half-way through the second period Hassell got his head to a pass from Wright - a great goal from 15-yards out.

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15-minutes later Lofthouse headed number three and got a bad cut over his left eye in the process.

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Lofthouse ^{dz B} led off injured; ~~seen followed by~~ Irish goal-keeper Smythe. ^{After him} Then the referee blew the armistice.

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WESTERN ALLIES AND NON-AGGRESSION PACT. WASHINGTON TUESDAY: MR JOHN FOSTER DULLES, SECRETARY OF STATE, SAID AT HIS NEWS CONFERENCE HERE TODAY THAT THE U.S. IS EXAMINING WITH ITS WESTERN ALLIES THE POSSIBILITY OF MAKING A NON-AGGRESSION PACT WITH RUSSIA. HE SAID THAT DISCUSSIONS OF THE IDEA WERE STILL IN A PRELIMINARY STAGE AND THAT THE EXACT CONCEPT HAS NOT BEEN DEFINED.