

F.A. CUP THIRD ROUND.

Blackpool v. York City.

Blackpool, playing at home, kick-off against York City. According to all the rules this should be a walk-over for Blackpool, the 1953 Cup winners, and besides they've got Matthews (number 7) on the wing. But York City, a third division team, are soon showing they're not the slightest bit overawed, and are playing a cool, skilfull game right from the word "go".

Matthews has it again, but Sterey robs him, and Howe carries on the good work to set the York attacking machine in motion.

Arthur Botton back-heels neatly. Looks dangerous, but Garrett is there to clear. Now Fenton takes over for York.

And Blackpool are glad to kick the ball out. With 38 minutes of play gone, Sterey throws in for York. Watch Sterey carefully as he takes the ball again and gets set to centre.

Farn's completely beaten! A sensational goal to York City:

Now Matthews rather subdued in this match, leads Blackpool into battle. His pass finds a team-mate unmarked. A tremendous long-range shot at York's goal looks mighty dangerous, but it smacks the cross-bar. And that's about the nearest thing to a Blackpool goal during the first half. Perry throws in to start a second half move by the home team, but York are off again.

Centre forward Wilkinson to Fenton who coolly pops it into Blackpool's net! Two-nil now!

Blackpool rally their forwards to make a raid, but time and again their plucky opponents blunt their drives.

A chance comes Blackpool's way with a free kick taken by Taylor. Perry slams the ball into York's net, but its not a goal. The ref disallows it. Then comes chance number two; a penalty kick, taken by Kelly. Forgan took a hard knock when he saved, but not nearly so hard as that taken by Blackpool. With the final score at 2-nil, York City, the giant-killers, move on into round four.

