

WEMBLEY - ENGLAND v. SCOTLAND.

A capacity crowd are at Wembley to see England - in the white shirts - gain their biggest win ever over Scotland.

At first Scotland attack, but right back Meadows heads away. Johnstone shoots. The ball runs loose to inside left MacMillian, but he balloons it over the bar.

England now move into the attack, and the Scottish goal-keeper fails to hold a high ball. It goes to Lofthouse. He pushes it to Wilshaw who cracks England's first goal in sixty seconds.

The hero of the match, Stanley Matthews, toys with his opponents. Having passed, he moves into position to take the return. When it comes, he seems to have all the time in the world to pick the spot for his centre.

Matthews again. To Revie, who slips it to Lofthouse. He beats his man, and with a great drive gets England's second. The game only six minutes old and already England are two up.

Nothing can stop Matthews, the incomparable maestro, playing one of his greatest games. And now it's to Revie again. Revie, to Lofthouse, but that goes astray and is collected by left back Haddock, who puts Scotland on the attack.

MacMillan has it and Scotland are right on the offensive. The ball runs to Reilly, and it's a goal! Scotland are only two one - down after thirteen minutes.

England attack again and it's a near miss, but there's no one there to follow up.

A minute or two later and Revie makes it three for England.

Matthews skips past two players before passing again to his inside partner Revie, who, can't get past Haddock, but Matthews is there, and so is his famous sprint. Back the ball comes to Lofthouse and another goal. And England lead at half time by four goals to one.

From the restart, England keep up the pressure.

Lofthouse is unable to stop his rush and takes a header over the pressmen.

They haven't much to cheer about now.

Matthews serves up another perfect centre to Wilshaw and it's 3-1.

A few minutes later and a repeat performance. 6-1.

No one would believe he's forty. Over again to Revie - to Wilshaw - and another goal. This is Wilshaw's fourth of the match. He is the first man to score four in a big match at Wembley.

It seems that everyone is cheering, but it's a sad blow for some. But Scotland never give up and they come back on the attack.

Dockerty takes a free kick and it's a goal from 60 yards. A defiant last minute gesture by a team unlucky enough to have met England and Matthews at their best.