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NEWCASTLE UNITED v. SUNDERLAND.

White-skirted Newcastle, the mighty cupholders themselves, kick off against Sunderland at St. James' Park. Maybe the stiff breeze is worrying them - but from the start there's little sign of the form which took them to Wembley last year. Here's left-winger Mitchell dodging Anderson - he centres but Sunderland get it away.

Once again Mitchell tries. Goalie Fraser jumps - and drops it! But right back Hedley clears.

Now Sunderland are attacking - but Newcastle defence holds together.

The Sunderland end again. Fraser punches clear, but Newcastle come back. This time it's centre half Daniel who stops them.

And at last the scoring is opened by Bill Holden, the Sunderland centre forward.

Newcastle nil, Sunderland one - and now it's the second half, with Newcastle trying hard to equalise - but the old fire just isn't there. Most of the play is at the Newcastle end, and there isn't much work for the Sunderland goalie now. Only one or two flashes come from the cupholders - but even then the chances are missed.

And a few minutes from time, Bill Holden slips neatly through for Sunderland's second goal.

A sad day for the cupholders - beaten in the sixth round, and without even a goal to show for it!