MATCH DETAILS 1934-5 to 2008-9

1934-35

PR: 15/9/34

OLLERTON COLLIERY (0) o BOSTON (1) 3

Edwards Eagle Clements Bradbury Anthony Ellis, Sid Dixon Baxter, Jimmy **Butler** Cringan Bugg Munnings: 5 Dunnicliffe Jackson Trinder Stocks Bolstridge Bungay: 50,80

Albon Earle

Washington Marshall, Billy

Attendance: 1,401

Referee: J. Perry (Nottingham)

Match report

Boston dominated from the start and could have inflicted a heavier defeat. The game was played at a fast pace on a very hot day. United took the lead after 5 minutes when Stocks dribbled past four defenders and transferred the ball to Munnings. The winger scored from an oblique angle with a splendid shot.

5 minutes into the second half Bungay scored after a goalmouth melee. 10 minutes from the end Marshall set up Bungay for the third. He was punched in the face by the keeper in doing so but returned to the field a few minutes later.

1Q: 29/9/34

BOSTON (3) 6 NEWARK TOWN (0) 2

Eagle Thompson Bradbury Bartram Ellis, Sid Hunt Baxter, Jimmy Dean Cringan Fell Smith Bugg Munnings: 37 Ashley: 68 McConnell: 89 Cowley Bungay: 15,35,61 Dennett: 60 Earle Ashton Marshall, Billy: 55 Hull

Attendance: 2,536

Referee: T. Wilson (Spalding)

2Q: 13/10/34

RANSOME AND (0) 2 BOSTON (1) 2 MARLES

Buxton Eagle Cocking **Bradbury** West Ellis, Sid Lowings Baxter, Jimmy Clarke Cringan Holmes Bugg Munnings Watson Bradbury Stocks Hall: 75,90 Bungay: 52 Wilson McConnell: 3 Stoakes Marshall, Billy

Attendance: 2,100

Referee: C. Walmsley (Nottingham)

2Q REPLAY: 18/10/34

BOSTON (2) 5 RANSOME (0) 1 AND MARLES

Eagle **Buxton** Bradbury Cocking Bogg West Baxter, Jimmy Lowings Simmonds Clarke Bugg **Holmes** Munnings Watson **Bradbury** Stocks Bungay: 3,25,72,89 Hall: 70 McConnell: 74 Wilson Marshall, Billy **Stoakes**

Attendance: 1,200

Referee: C. Walmsley (Nottingham)

3Q: 27/10/34

GRANTHAM (1) 1 BOSTON (1) 1

Walker Taylor, George Wilson Bradbury Wilbourne Ellis, Sid Baxter, Jimmy Gregory Swaby Cringan Clayton Bugg Munnings Quinn Stocks: 22 Stocks Bungay: 35 **Bycroft** McConnell Pringle Burgon Marshall, Billy

Attendance: 3,300

Referee: H. Lees (Stamford)

3Q REPLAY: 1/11/34

BOSTON (2) 3 GRANTHAM (1) 1

Taylor, George Walker Bradbury Wilson Ellis Sid Wilbourne Baxter, Jimmy Gregory Cringan Bycroft Bugg Clayton Munnings: 28 Quinn Stocks Stocks Bungay: 5 Wright: 30 McConnell: 85 Pringle Marshall, Billy Burgon

Referee: H. Lees (Stamford)

4Q: 10/11/34

BOSTON (2) 5 KING'S LYNN (0) o

Taylor, George Brumpton Bradbury Henry Ellis, Sid Massingham Baxter, Jimmy Snow Cringan Walker Bugg Raper Munnings: 37,60,62 Sizeland Stocks Edrich Bungay: 11,46 Reynolds McConnell Pearman Marshall, Billy Francis

Attendance: 2,400

Referee: A. Clarke (Nottingham)

1P: 24/11/34

DARWEN (1) 1 BOSTON (1) 2

Rimmer Taylor, George Heath Bradbury Jenkinson Ellis, Sid Heywood Baxter, Jimmy Leeming Cringan Lord Bugg Robinson Munnings Reid: 3 Stocks Bungay: 15 Preedy Gates McConnell

Shaw Marshall, Billy: 87

Attendance: 4,000

Referee: C. Abbott (Sheffield)

Match Report

A goal 3 minutes from time gave United a deserved victory in the most exciting and hardest game they had been involved in that season. Darwen had slightly more of the play in the first half but in the second Boston completely outplayed their opponents. Only excellent work by the Darwen goalkeeper saved the Lancashire side from a heavy defeat.

Following a foul by Baxter in the 3rd minute Darwen were given a free-kick near the corner flag. Taylor couldn't hold Shaw's shot and Reid put in the rebound. Boston equalised after 15 minutes when Bungay scored with a first time drive after tricking two defenders.

Darwen players tired as the game wore on and United wasted many opportunities. With the end of the match looming, Munnings again made a splendid solo run down the right wing. He centred to Marshall who put in a shot that gave Rimmer no chance.

2P: 8/12/34

BATH CITY (1) 2 BOSTON (1) 1

Prout Taylor, George Bradbury Howson Ellis, Sid Sambridge Hall Baxter, Jimmy Hicks Cringan Miles Bugg McMillan Munnings Prentice: 89 Stocks Coombs: 35 Bungay: 20 Lloyd McConnell Marshall, Billy Thomas

Attendance: 7,000

Referee: G. Denton (Northampton)

Match Report

United played the better football throughout the whole game and a draw would have been a fairer reflection of the play. The ground was in a terrible condition - the Boston players experienced great difficulty in keeping their feet whereas Bath were more at home on the slippery turf.

Play was scrappy, with chances going begging at both ends before Bungay scored in the 20th minute with a glorious first time drive. The home side equalised after 35 minutes when Coombs netted after a mis-kick by Taylor.

Mid-way through the second half Bradbury brought down Coombs and Taylor brilliantly saved Hicks' spot-kick. Both sides pressed hard for the winner but with less than a minute to go Prentice scored after a goalmouth melee.