

LATHERON	Robert
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<i>Date of Birth</i>	3.7.1879	<i>Place of Birth</i>	Brotton, Yorkshire		
<i>Date of Death</i>	Q3 1957	<i>Place of Death</i>	Luton		
<i>Height</i>	5ft 5ins	<i>Weight</i>	10st 0lb	<i>Position</i>	Winger

<i>Club</i>	<i>Joined</i>	<i>Season</i>	F L		S L		U L		TOTALS	
			A	G	A	G	A	G	A	G
Darlington St. Augustine's										
Grangetown Athletic										
Luton Town	9.1905	1905-06			1	0	6	1	7	1
		1906-07			14	0	5	0	19	0
		1907-08			17	0	2	0	19	0
Blackpool	5.1908	1908-09	1	0					1	0
Croydon Common	10.1909	1909-10			1	0			1	0
		TOTALS	1	0	33	0	13	1	47	1

<i>Internationals</i>	None	<i>F.A. Cup Finals</i>	None	<i>Cigarette/Trade Cards</i>	None
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Jottings

Was the brother of Edwin Latheron, who played for Blackburn Rovers and England and who was killed in action at Passchendaele on 14 October 1917
The Croydon newspapers suggested that he may have been at New Brompton, but no first team appearances are recorded
The 1881 census records him living at 5 Railway Cottages, Brotton with his father John (32), a signalman, his mother Martha (24) and siblings William (7), John (6), and Arthur (4)
The 1891 census records him as living at 93 North Ormesby Road, Middlesbrough, with his parents, his older siblings and new further siblings Selina (9), Annie (6), Edwin (4) and Wilfred (1)
Married Beatrice Ann Kitchener on 20.5.1907
Was apparently known as "Smiler" at Blackpool
Served with the 5th. Bedfordshire Battalion and his attestation papers refer to him as having a fair complexion, light brown hair and blue eyes
When he joined up, he gave his date of birth as 3.7.1884, thus removing five years from his age
He was shot and wounded in France on 2.10.1916
The 1939 Register records him as a chemical process worker living at 220 Legrave Road, Luton with his wife and children Robert and Colin, but he erroneously gives his date of birth as 3.7.1880 ... and some sources record it as 3.7.1878





Luton Town 1906-07

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Blackpool 1908-09