



*The English Game* is a British historical drama television miniseries developed by Julian Fellowes for Netflix about the origins of modern association football in England. The six-part series was released on 20 March 2020.

#### Episode 1

Arthur Kinnaird is \_\_\_\_\_ and star \_\_\_\_\_ of the Old Etonians, an upper-class football club. Their opponents in the 1879 FA Cup quarter final are Darwen FC, a working-class \_\_\_\_\_ team. James Walsh, the \_\_\_\_\_ of Darwen FC and the associated \_\_\_\_\_ decides to secretly pay two \_\_\_\_\_ players, Fergus "Fergie" Suter and James "Jimmy" Love to join his team in a bid to secure the FA Cup (which at the time is exclusively for \_\_\_\_\_). At halftime the Old Etonians \_\_\_\_\_ 5-1, however Darwen recover with a progressive adjustment (spreading out their \_\_\_\_\_ and focusing on \_\_\_\_\_) to \_\_\_\_\_ 5 all. The Old Etonians, who also happen to be FA Board members, decide that since \_\_\_\_\_ was not previously agreed, then the \_\_\_\_\_ final will be replayed instead. The mill has financial \_\_\_\_\_ and townsfolk pitch in to help pay for the \_\_\_\_\_. The replay is handily won by Old Etonians who \_\_\_\_\_ more on shutting down Suter and Love rather than playing their own \_\_\_\_\_. Darwen FC are greeted positively for their \_\_\_\_\_ by the town.

#### Word Bank :

amateurs	_____
captain	_____
draw (v)	_____
efforts	_____
extra-time	_____
finals	_____
focus (v)	_____
football	_____
formation	_____
game	_____
issues	_____
lead (v)	_____
mill	_____
owner	_____
passing	_____
player	_____
quarter	_____
Scottish	_____
team	_____
trip	_____