

OFFICIAL MATCH PROGRAMME

# CELTIC



## HIBERNIAN

SCOTTISH PREMIER LEAGUE

Saturday,  
16 March, 1985  
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# DAVIE HAY



ON Wednesday night we beat Dundee in the replay of the Scottish Cup quarter final and we now face Motherwell in the semi final.

We did well in the first half to break down a good Dundee side who came to Celtic Park to defend and hit us on the break.

At the start of the second half the sending off and the Dundee equaliser caused us to lose a bit of concentration and composure and it wasn't until Tommy Burns came on that we really started to pose a threat again.

Fortunately we managed to score a second goal and moved into the semi final.

We picked up a few knocks

on Wednesday but nothing serious and Pierce O'Leary, Tommy Burns, Danny McGrain, Frank McGarvey and Tom McAdam were all in the treatment room on Thursday morning.

This may force us to make a change for today or we may make a change for the sake of freshening the side up.

One very pleasing factor in Wednesday's game was that although things were not going our way for a long spell, the players kept battling, they showed great commitment and a great attitude.

Today we are on league duty and our visitors are Hibernian. It is imperative that we win today to keep up our

challenge in Scottish football's biggest competition — the Premier League.

I am confident of a good turnout as the Celtic support have been magnificent recently. Ever since our victory over Aberdeen they have been turning out in great numbers for every game and their enthusiasm is tremendous.

On a personal note I would like to congratulate Murdo MacLeod. This is his 200th league game for Celtic this afternoon, that is a tremendous milestone for any player to reach.



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1916, 1917, 1919, 1922, 1926, 1936,  
1938, 1954, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969,  
1970, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1977,  
1979, 1981, 1982.

#### Cup Winners (26 times)

1892, 1899, 1900, 1904, 1907, 1908,  
1911, 1912, 1914, 1923, 1925, 1927,  
1931, 1933, 1937, 1951, 1954, 1965,  
1967, 1969, 1971, 1972, 1974, 1975,  
1977, 1980.

#### League Cup Winners (9 times)

1957, 1958, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969,  
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St. Mungo Cup: 1951.

Coronation Cup: 1953.

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## PREVIOUS CLASHES WITH ...

# HIBERNIAN



### CELTIC and Hibs have contested many league and cup matches and have met in several Cup Finals.

The first time they met was in the Scottish Cup competition of 1894-95. Hibs won the match 2-0, but Celtic successfully protested that the Edinburgh side had fielded an ineligible player and the game was replayed. This time Celtic won 2-0.

Perhaps the most famous meeting of the clubs was on May 20, 1953 in the final of the Coronation Cup at Hampden Park. In front of 117,060 spectators Celtic won 2-0 and the trophy stands in the Celtic cabinet to this day.

During the 1960's the teams often run up high scores between them and two examples of this are the league matches whose programmes are shown here.

The first was played on December 16, 1961 and a Celtic team of: Haffey, McKay, Kennedy, Crerand, McNeill, Price, Chalmers, Jackson, Hughes, Divers, Carroll won 4-3 at home. A Divers hat-trick and one from Hughes provided the Celtic goals while Falconer (2) and Fraser replied for Hibs.

Our other match on October 8, 1966 also saw Hibs score three times through Cormack, McGraw and a Davies penalty. Joe McBride scored four for Celtic and Stevie Chalmers added one to make it 5-3 to Celtic. The Celtic team that day was: Simpson, Gemmell, O'Neil, Murdoch, McNeill, Clark, Johnstone, McBride, Chalmers, Auld, Hughes. Bobby Lennox was the unused substitute.

## CELTIC ABROAD

THIS week we follow Celtic to Hungary and the first leg of the European Cup quarter final.

The opposition this time was provided by Újpest Dozsa and the match was played on March 8, 1972. The Celtic team was: Williams, McGrain, Brogan, Murdoch, McNeill, Connelly, Hood, Hay, Dalglish, Macari, Lennox. Subs. Connaghan, Quinn, Callaghan, V. Davidson, Wilson.

Újpest player Horvath had a mixed night, scoring for both sides. Lou Macari added to the o.g. to make it 2-1 for Celtic. The second leg ended 1-1 and Celtic went on to meet Inter Milan in the semi final.





# Our Visitors

## HONOURS:

League Champions:  
1902-03, 1947-48, 1950-51,  
1951-52.

First Division Champions:  
1980-81.

Scottish Cup Winners:  
1887, 1902.

Scottish League Cup  
Winners:  
1972-73.



*Some previous clashes: A — Bertie Auld, in his first game against Celtic, watches Alec Edwards receive treatment. B — Roy Aitken on the attack. C — Harry Hood scored as Bobby Lennox looks on. D — Stevie Murray aims for goal at Easter Road watched by Danny McGrain, Dixie Deans and Kenny Dalglish.*



# FACT FILE ON ...

## HIBERNIAN

**ALAN ROUGH.** Born Glasgow. Ht. 6ft 1in. Wt. 13.5. Age 33. Joined Partick Thistle from Sighthill Amateur club in 1969 and quickly established himself for club and country. His 51 full caps are a record for any Scottish goalkeeper. He joined Hibernian in the summer of 1982, and is the first choice goalkeeper, playing 27 league games last term.

**ALAN SNEDDON.** Born Baillieston. Ht. 5ft 10in. Wt. 11.5. Age 26. Starting his career with Larkhall Thistle before joining Celtic, where he made his league debut against St. Mirren in February 1978. A full-back, he moved to Hibernian in 1981 and quickly established himself in the side. Missed only one League game in 1983-84.

**ERICH SCHAEGLER.** Born Biggar. Ht 5ft 9in. Wt. 11.5. Age 35. Started his career with Stirling Albion then played more than 150 games for Hibernian before transferring to Dundee in 1977 in an exchange with Bobby Hutchison. Rejoined Hibs in September 1981 and is the regular choice at left-back, where he made 29 league appearances in 1983-84.

**WILLIAM JAMIESON.** Born Barnsley. Ht. 6ft 0in. Wt. 12.4. Age 21. Joined Hibernian from Tynecastle Boys' Club in 1979 as a striker and scored on his league debut against Motherwell in September 1980. Since then he has converted to central defender, although he sometimes makes an appearance in the midfield.

**ALISTAIR BRAZIL.** Born Currie. Ht. 6ft. Wt. 11.3. Age 26. A former Under 21 international for Scotland who signed on for Hibernian in 1976 and made his league debut against Aberdeen in April the following year. Has played in every defensive position, but is usually to be found in the centre of the defence.

**GORDON RAE.** Born Edinburgh. Ht. 6ft. Wt. 13.5. Age 26. Joined Hibernian from Whitehill Welfare in 1977 and scored on his league debut in August 1977 against

Rangers. Has played in a variety of positions with Hibs, but is usually fielded as a central defender.

**BRIAN RICE.** Born Glasgow. Ht. 5ft. 11in. Wt. 11.1. Age 21. Signed in 1980 from Whitburn and started to establish himself in the first team during the second half of the 1982-83 season. Made 25 league appearances last season, scoring five goals in the process, including one from the penalty spot.

**RALPH CALLACHAN.** Born Edinburgh. Ht. 5ft. 11½in. Wt. 11.6. Age 29. Started his career with rivals Hearts before signing for Newcastle United for £80,000 in February 1977. Made only nine league appearances for United before transferring to Hibernian in 1978, since then he has been a regular choice on the right side of midfield.

**PAUL KANE.** Born Edinburgh. Ht. 5ft. 8½in. Wt. 9.9. Age 19. A product of the Salvesen Boys' Club, he signed professional forms for Hibernian in 1982 and is now starting to establish himself in the first team, making 13 league appearances in 1983-84. Is expected to add to this total in the 1984-85 season.

**WILLIE IRVINE.** Born Whitburn. Ht. 5ft. 11in. Wt. 11.7. Age 28. Started his career with Alloa, transferring to Motherwell in 1979 where he was a great success as a striker. Moved to Easter Road during the 1982-83 season and continued the scoring run. In 1983-84 he played in all 36 league games and finished as the club's top league scorer with 18 goals.

**COLIN HARRIS.** Born Sanquhar. Ht. 5ft 11½in. Wt. 10.10. Age 23. Signed from Dundee this season in a deal that took Graham Harvey to Dens Park.

Also in the Hibs pool will be **JOE McBRIDE** son of the former Celtic favorite, 5ft. 4in tall **MICKEY WEIR** who has caught many people's attention on the Hibs wing this season and 18-year-old defender **KEVIN McKEE.**





# SPOTLIGHT



## TONY SHEPHERD

*Full name:* Anthony Shepherd.

*Favourite current player:* Bryan Robson.

*Date of birth:* November 16, 1966.

*Favourite other team:* Manchester United.

*Height/Weight:* 5ft 8ins/11 st.

*Football hero of childhood:* Jimmy Johnstone.

*Nickname:* T.

*High point in career:* Signing professional for Celtic, playing for Celtic reserves and Scotland Youth team.

*Teams supported as a boy:* Celtic and Manchester United.

*Low point in career:* Any time we lose.

*Best players ever faced:* Jimmy Johnstone and Bobby Lennox in training — they can both still be brilliant.

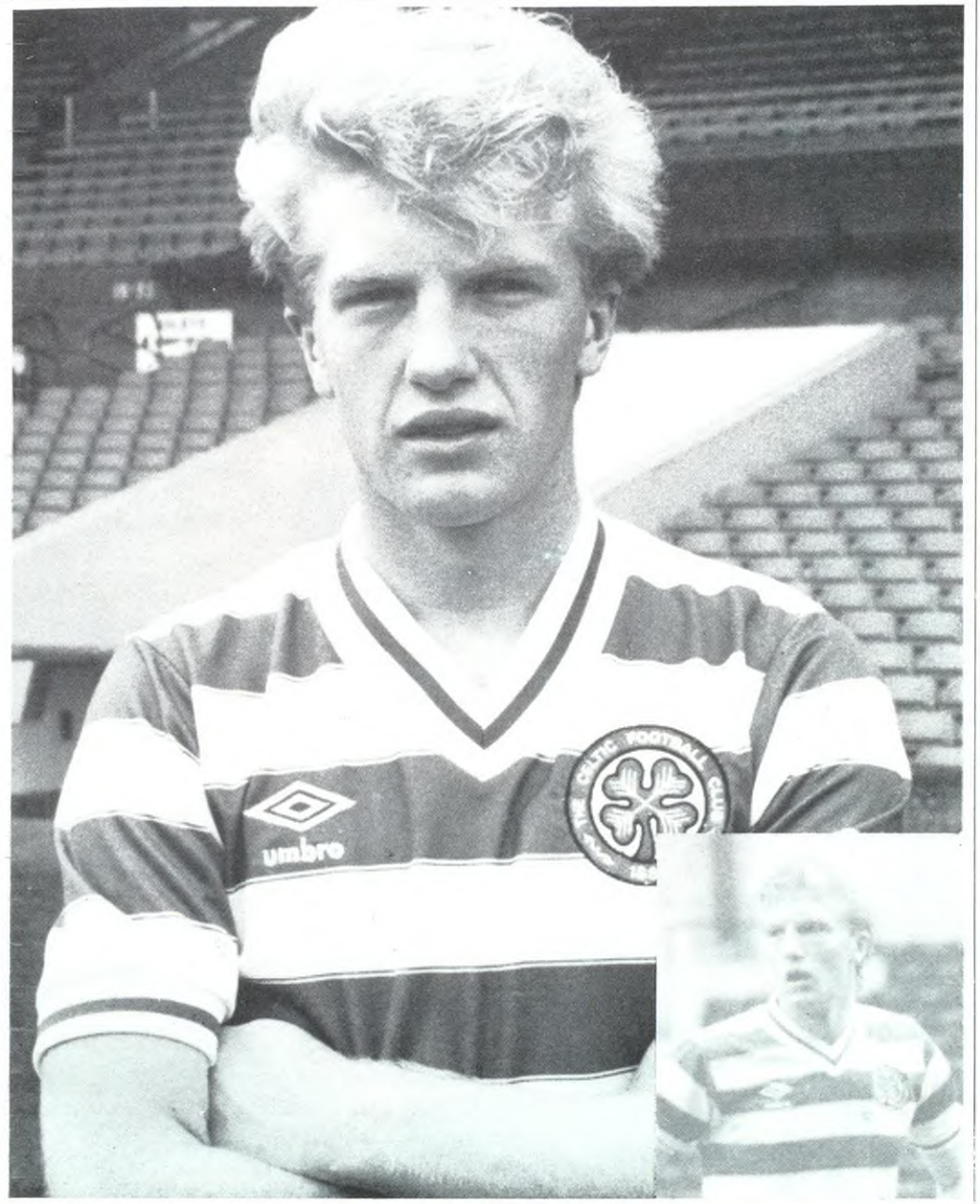
*Best goal scored:* For Scotland against Wales at Gwymbran.

*Best goal seen:* Ari Haan for Holland against Italy World Cup 1978.

*Players for the future:* Derek Whyte and Dougie McGuire.

*Best stadium played in:* Wembley or Giants Stadium, New York.

*Favourite other sport:* Snooker.



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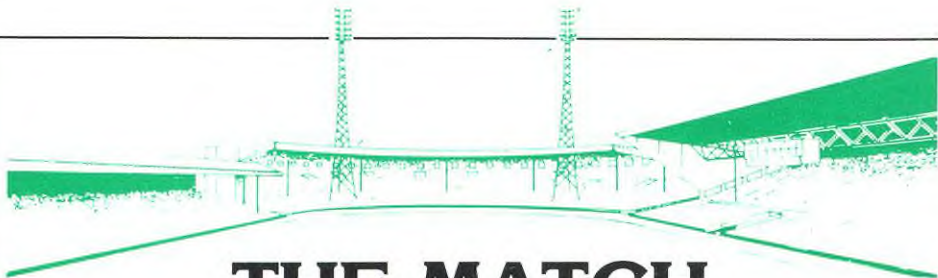


1. Paul McStay against Morton ... 2. ... and against Aberdeen. 3. Murdo MacLeod in action at Dens Park. 4. Davie Provan faces Dundee.









# THE MATCH

## CELTIC



Pat BONNER

Danny McGRAIN

Mark REID

Roy AITKEN

Tom McADAM

Peter GRANT

Davie PROVAN

Paul McSTAY

Maurice JOHNSTON

Murdo MacLEOD

Frank McGARVEY

Tommy BURNS

Brian McCLAIR

John COLQUHOUN

## HIBERNIAN



Alan ROUGH

Kevin McKEE

Alan SNEDDON

Erich SCHAEGLER

Alistair BRAZIL

Gordon RAE

Michael WEIR

Paul KANE

Willie IRVINE

Willie JAMIESON

Colin HARRIS

Brian RICE

Joe McBRIDE

Ralph CALLAGHAN

# BELL'S SCOTCH



# SCORECHECK

<b>A</b>	DUMBARTON MORTON	
<b>B</b>	DUNDEE ABERDEEN	
<b>C</b>	HEARTS DUNDEE UTD	
<b>D</b>	ST. MIRREN RANGERS	
<b>E</b>	AYR UTD EAST FIFE	
<b>F</b>	BRECHIN CITY HAMILTON	
<b>G</b>	FALKIRK CLYDE	
<b>H</b>	FORFAR ST. JOHNSTONE	
<b>I</b>	MEADOWBANK KILMARNOCK	
<b>J</b>	MOTHERWELL CLYDEBANK	
<b>K</b>	PARTICK THISTLE AIRDRIE	
<b>L</b>	QUEENS PARK DUNFERMLINE	

## MATCH OFFICIALS

Referee:

**K. J. HOPE**  
(Clarkston)

Linesmen:

**R. M. Henderson**  
(Dumfries)

**J. Hamilton**  
(Stranraer)



## THIS TIME LAST YEAR ...

... we were on Scottish Cup duty at Fir Park, Motherwell, playing the local side for a place in the semi final.

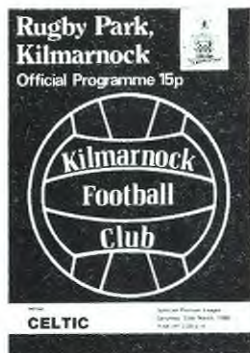
Celtic went on all out attack from the start and it only took us three minutes to take the lead. Davie Provan and Paul McStay between them set up Mark Reid with the chance to shoot home from 20 yards. In the 32nd minute we went two up when Tommy Burns carried the ball from the halfway line and made no mistake with a fine left foot drive. Six minutes later we went three up when Brian McClair flicked the ball home after keeper Sproat failed to hold a Frank McGarvey shot. Nine minutes into the second half we scored again when, from a Roy Aitken head flick, Murdo MacLeod netted with a good header. Brian McClair scored his second and Celtic's fifth in the 65th minute when he headed home a Davie Provan corner. Frank McGarvey celebrated his birthday in style by scoring Celtic's sixth 12 minutes from time when he sent a Davie Provan cross low into the net.

Just to complete Motherwell's misery, with six minutes left Andy Harrow missed a penalty which left the final score: Motherwell 0, Celtic 6. Attendance 14,795.

# WHISKY BELL'S



# LOOKING BACK



## FIVE YEARS AGO . . .

*Saturday, March 15, 1980*

CELTIC got off to the worst possible start after just one minute at Rugby Park and found themselves a goal behind. Kilmarnock attacked down the right and although the cross seemed to be missed by the forwards Allan Sneddon and Peter Latchford got into a fumble and with the help of Street the ball ended up in the net. Despite almost non-stop Celtic pressure the interval arrived with the 1-0 Kilmarnock lead intact.

The second half followed the same pattern with Celtic camped in the Kilmarnock half of the park but unable to get an equaliser. Killie brought on Doherty for Gibson and Celtic hearts missed a beat when he raced through and shot past Latchford only to see the ball come back off an upright. Both Roy Aitken and Johnny Doyle missed scoring chances as Celtic continued to launch attack after attack on the Killie goal. George McCluskey who had taken a knock was replaced by Bobby Lennox and it was the wee man who saved the day for the Celts. After a really good build-up in the 86th minute the veteran cracked a great left foot shot high into the net to give Celtic a well deserved equaliser.



## TEN YEARS AGO . . .

*Saturday, March 15, 1975*

CELTIC were at home to Dundee United in a league match and lost by the only goal of the game which was scored by Gray. The Celtic side that afternoon was: Latchford, McGrain, McCluskey, McDonald, McNeill, Callaghan, Johnstone, Glavin, Dalgligh, Hood, Lynch, Subs. Deans, who replaced Callaghan, and Wilson, who came on for McCluskey.

After the defeat, Jock Stein told the *Celtic View*: "The strain seems to have told on too many players at the one time and their recent form has only been a shadow of what we expect.

"We brought back Jimmy Johnstone on Saturday and he showed some fine touches, but he didn't see a lot of the ball".



## FIFTEEN YEARS AGO . . .

*Saturday, March 14, 1970*

CELTIC travelled to Hampden to play Dundee in the semi final of the Scottish Cup and details were: Dundee 1 (Wallace), Celtic 2 (Macari, Lennox). Celtic: Williams; Hay and Gemmell; Murdoch, McNeill and Brogan; Johnstone and Macari; Wallace; Callaghan and Lennox. Twelfth man Auld.

Celtic's reserve team played two games both at Celtic Park, and collected three points. They hammered Dundee United 6-2 on Thursday March 12 and on Saturday they drew 1-1 with Morton. Jimmy Quinn scored the Celtic goal and Joe Jordan scored for Morton.



## IT'S A FACT

- ☆ OUR 1-0 win at Easter Road in December was our 100th league win over Hibs. We have faced each other 177 times with Celtic winning 100, drawing 40 and losing 37. Scoring 378 goals and conceding 195.
- ☆ **CELTIC have won 11 out of the last 12 matches against Hibernian.**
- ☆ THE last time Hibernian beat us in the league or either of the cups was in February 1982 when they won 1-0 at Easter Road.
- ☆ **HIBERNIAN have only had one league win at Celtic Park in the last 15 years, though they nearly made it two, because in 1975-76 they were leading 2-0 with only ten minutes left when the match was abandoned because of fog. The replayed game ended in a 1-1 draw.**
- ☆ CELTIC are only two goals short of scoring 50 Premier League goals against Hibs at Celtic Park.
- ☆ **HIBERNIAN'S last appearance in any of the European competitions was in the UEFA Cup in 1978-79 when after beating Norrköping of Sweden 3-2 in the first round they were eliminated by Strasbourg of France, losing 2-1 in the second round.**

## QUICK QUIZ

1. Which was the only one of Hib's Famous Five to play in England?
2. Who was the last Hibs player to be capped by Scotland?
3. Which player in the history of Hibs has won most Scottish caps?
4. Hibs played in the first European Cup competition and reached the semi-finals where they were defeated by which club?
5. Alan Rough the Hibs goalkeeper won his last Scottish cap against which country?
6. John Colquhoun made his league debut for Celtic against which club?
7. Which team defeated Liverpool in the World Club Championship in December?
8. Which Hibs goalkeeper travelled to Munich in 1974 as part of the '74 World Cup squad?
9. Which club knocked Hibernian out of this years (84-85) Scottish Cup?
10. Against which club did Murdo MacLeod score his first league goal for Celtic?

### ANSWERS:

1. Bobby Johnstone (Manchester City); 2. John Blackley (1976); 3. Lawrie Reilly (38); 4. Rheims 5. Russia (June '82); 6. Hearts (December '83); 7. Independiente; 8. Thompson Allan; 9. Dundee Utd.; 10. Hibernian (November '78).



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# RESERVE SCENE

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## PREMIER RESERVE LEAGUE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Celtic .....	26	22	2	2	70	21	46
Rangers .....	27	19	3	5	78	31	41
Aberdeen .....	28	14	3	11	56	51	31
Dundee Utd .....	25	13	4	8	56	32	30
Hibernian .....	28	12	4	12	45	40	28
Dundee .....	26	10	3	13	39	55	23
Hearts .....	25	8	6	11	32	44	22
St Mirren .....	24	8	2	14	34	59	18
Morton .....	26	5	6	15	34	61	16
Dumbarton .....	26	1	5	20	28	73	7

**THIS league table shows the position our lads have put themselves into with hard work from the first whistle of the league season and the mood in the camp is that the work wont end until the last ball is kicked.**

All our lads want success, but not just for themselves — for Celtic. With a game in hand to second placed Rangers we are five points ahead. That is a good position to be in but we still have ten games to play and no one is taking anything for granted.

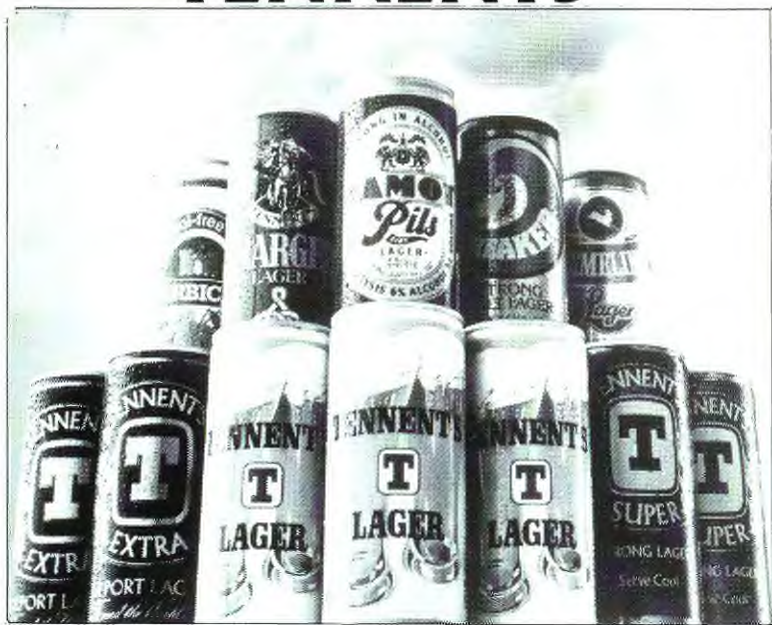
Our two drawn matches were against Dundee Utd. and Rangers in the second and third matches of the season.

We've only lost two league games, one against Aberdeen a few weeks ago and this afternoon we pay a return visit to the scene of that first defeat — Easter Road where we lost 2-0 on October 11.

A victory is our aim today and that is what we'll be aiming for in every match between now and the end of the season.



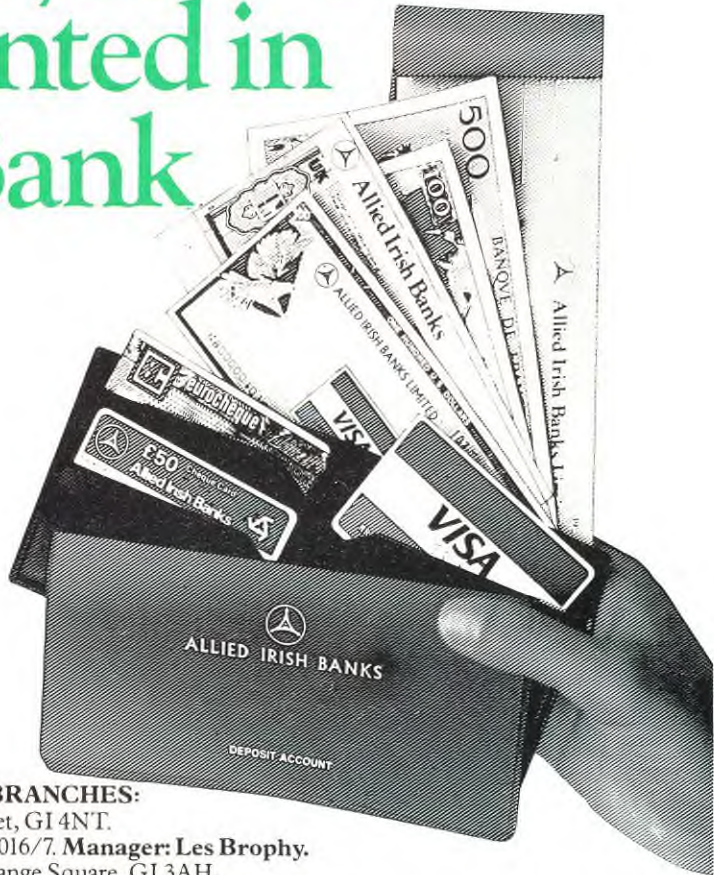
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# FACTS and

DATE	OPPONENTS	H/A	COMP	ATT	F/A	GOALSCORERS
August 11	HIBERNIAN	A	PL	16,000	0-0	
August 18	DUNDEE UNITED	H	PL	19,000	1-1	McClair
August 22	DUNFERMLINE	A	LC	9,000	3-2	McClair (2), McNally
August 25	RANGERS	A	PL	43,000	0-0	
August 29	AIRDRIE	A	LC	11,411	4-0	Burns, McNally, Grant, McClair
September 1	MORTON	H	PL	12,123	5-0	McClair (2), McGarvey (2), Grant
September 5	DUNDEE UNITED	A	LC	21,182	1-2	McNally
September 8	DUMBARTON	A	PL	8,416	1-1	McGarvey
September 15	HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN	H	PL	16,000	1-0	McGarvey
September 19	GHENT	A	ECWC	20,000	0-1	
September 22	ST MIRREN	A	PL	12,500	2-1	McClair, Colquhoun
September 29	DUNDEE	A	PL	13,761	3-2	Grant, Colquhoun, Burns
October 3	GHENT	H	ECWC	32,729	3-0	McGarvey (2), Paul McStay
October 6	ABERDEEN	H	PL	31,418	2-1	McGarvey, Provan
October 13	HIBERNIAN	H	PL	27,865	3-0	Grant, Burns, McClair
October 20	DUNDEE UNITED	A	PL	16,378	3-1	MacLeod, Johnston, Grant
October 24	RAPID VIENNA	A	ECWC	16,000	1-3	McClair
November 3	MORTON	A	PL	8,500	1-2	Johnston
November 7	RAPID VIENNA	H	ECWC	48,813	3-0	McClair, MacLeod, Burns
November 10	DUMBARTON	H	PL	13,792	2-0	McGarvey, Johnston
November 17	HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN	A	PL	20,191	5-1	Johnston, McClair (3), Burns
November 24	ST MIRREN	H	PL	16,418	7-1	P, McStay, McGarvey (3), Burns, Provan, McClair
December 1	DUNDEE	H	PL	15,887	5-1	Johnston (3), Burns, McGarvey
December 8	ABERDEEN	A	PL	23,000	2-4	Johnston, McGarvey
December 12	RAPID VIENNA	N	ECWC	52,000	0-1	
December 15	HIBERNIAN	A	PL	10,000	1-0	Johnston
December 22	RANGERS	H	PL	43,743	1-1	McClair
December 29	DUNDEE UNITED	H	PL	22,894	1-2	Burns
January 1	RANGERS	A	PL	44,000	2-1	Johnston, McClair
January 5	MORTON	H	PL	Post.		
January 12	DUMBARTON	A	PL	Post.		
January 19	HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN	H	PL	Post.		
January 30	HAMILTON ACAS.	A	SC	10,000	2-1	McGarvey (2)
February 2	ST MIRREN	A	PL	14,025	2-0	Johnston, Burns
February 9	DUNDEE	A	PL	14,000	0-2	
February 16	INVERNESS THISTLE	H	SC	14,927	6-0	McGarvey, P, McStay (3), Johnston, MacLeod
February 19	MORTON	H	PL	10,000	4-0	P, McStay, McGarvey, Provan, Chalmers
February 23	ABERDEEN	H	PL	48,874	2-0	Johnston, P, McStay
March 2	DUNDEE UNITED	A	PL	16,493	0-0	
March 9	DUNDEE	A	SC	21,301	1-1	Johnston
March 13	DUNDEE	H	SC	33,790	2-1	Johnston, McGarvey
March 16	HIBERNIAN	H	PL			
March 20	HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN	H	PL			
March 23	MORTON	A	PL			
March 30	RANGERS	H	PL			
April 4	HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN	A	PL			
April 13	Scottish Cup semi-final	N	SC			
April 20	ST MIRREN	H	PL			
April 27	ABERDEEN	A	PL			
May 4	DUNDEE	H	PL			
May 11	DUMBARTON	H	PL			
May 18	Scottish Cup final	N	SC			



# FIGURES

## APPEARANCES and GOALS

	Premier League		League Cup		ECWC		Scottish Cup		Total	
	A	G	A	G	A	G	A	G	A	G
PAT BONNER	25	—	3	—	5	—	2	—	35	—
GRAEME SINCLAIR	5(2)	—	2	—	(3)	—	—	—	7(5)	—
MARK REID	14(2)	—	1	—	2(3)	—	2	—	18(5)	—
TOM McADAM	21	—	3	—	4	—	3	—	31	—
PAUL McGUGAN	1	—	—	—	—	(1)	—	—	1(1)	—
MURDO MacLEOD	21(2)	1	—	—	5	1	3	1	29(2)	3
JOHN COLQUHOUN	13(8)	2	3	—	1(4)	—	—	—	17(12)	2
PETER GRANT	16(3)	4	3	1	5	—	2	—	26(3)	5
BRIAN McCLAIR	21(2)	11	3	3	5	2	1(1)	—	28(3)	16
TOMMY BURNS	20(1)	7	3	1	4	1	1(1)	—	28(2)	9
FRANK McGARVEY	25(1)	12	(1)	—	5	2	2(1)	3	34(3)	17
ALAN McINALLY	2(9)	—	2(1)	3	(2)	—	1	—	4(13)	3
JIM McKECHNIE	(1)	—	(1)	—	—	—	—	—	(2)	—
ROY AITKEN	23	—	3	—	5	—	1	—	32	—
WILLIE McSTAY	3(10)	—	1(2)	—	2(2)	—	1(1)	—	7(15)	—
JIM MELROSE	—	—	(1)	—	—	—	—	—	(1)	—
DANNY McGRAIN	24	—	3	—	4	—	3	—	34	—
PAUL McSTAY	23	3	2	—	5	1	3	3	33	7
DAVIE PROVAN	13(8)	3	—	—	3(1)	—	3	—	19(9)	3
PETER LATCHFORD	1	—	—	—	(5)	—	1	—	2(5)	—
PAUL CHALMERS	(1)	1	—	—	(3)	—	—	—	(4)	1
MAURICE JOHNSTON	16	12	—	—	—	—	3	2	19	14
PIERCE O'LEARY	5	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	7	—
OWEN ARCHDEACON	—	—	—	—	—	—	(1)	—	(1)	—

\*Figures in brackets denote substitute appearances

### Championship Placings

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Aberdeen	28	20	4	4	64	21	44
<b>Celtic</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>38</b>
Dundee United	27	14	6	7	47	25	34
Rangers	28	11	11	6	36	26	33
Heart of Midlothian	27	12	4	11	37	41	28
St. Mirren	28	12	4	12	32	42	28
Dundee	27	10	6	11	37	37	26
Hibernian	28	6	5	17	29	48	17
Dumbarton	27	5	7	15	27	47	17
Morton	28	4	1	23	22	78	9

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### RESERVES RESULTS

Aug. 11 Hibernian	H 4-1 (L)	Dec. 1 Dundee	A 3-0 (L)	<b>B.P. YOUTH CUP</b>	
Aug. 18 Dundee U.	A 2-2 (L)	Dec. 8 Aberdeen	H 2-1 (L)	Dec. 19 Clyde	A 2-0
Aug. 22 Rangers	H 1-1 (L)	Dec. 15 Hibernian	H 2-0 (L)	Feb. 28 Hearts	H 2-0
Sept. 1 Morton	A 6-0 (L)	Feb. 2 Stranraer	H 5-0 (Cup)		
Sept. 11 St. Mirren	A 3-2 (RLC)	Feb. 7 Morton	A 4-1 (L)		
Sept. 15 Hearts	A 2-0 (L)	Feb. 9 Dundee	H 2-0 (L)		
Sept. 22 St. Mirren	H 5-2 (L)	Feb. 12 Hearts	A 4-0 (L)		
Sept. 29 Dundee	H 3-1 (L)	Feb. 16 Dundee Utd	A 2-1 (L)		
Oct. 6 Aberdeen	A 2-1 (L)	Feb. 18 Dumbarton	A 1-0 (L)		
Oct. 11 Hibernian	A 0-2 (L)	Feb. 23 Aberdeen	A 1-2 (L)		
Oct. 15 Dundee U.	A 2-3 (RLC)	Mar. 2 Dundee Utd	H 3-2 (L)		
Oct. 20 Dundee U.	H 3-2 (L)	Mar. 6 Falkirk	H 3-2 (Cup)		
Oct. 27 Rangers	A 1-0 (L)				
Nov. 10 Dumbarton	A 5-2 (L)				
Nov. 17 Hearts	H 3-0 (L)				
Nov. 24 St. Mirren	A 1-0 (L)				
Nov. 26 Morton	H 5-0 (L)				

## North and South

*Footballing stories that made the headlines throughout Britain this time last year*

**March 1.** FA Chairman Bert Millichip says, "most of our crowds don't want to watch the sort of football the French played". Billy Bremner signs a new three year contract at Doncaster. Partick Thistle's game against Ayr Utd. is called off because the have seven players with flu, four injured and two suspended.

**March 2.** The whole of Europe is talking about Karl Heinze Rummingge's proposed move from Bayern Munich to Fiorentina for £3 million. Celtic deny they are to buy Charlie Nicholas back from Arsenal.

**March 3.** Gordon Strachan scores his 100th goal for Aberdeen.

**March 4.** Kenny Dalglish celebrates his 33rd birthday and helps Liverpool's reserves to a 2-1 win at Southport in the second of his comeback games.

**March 6.** It is announced that Brazil will receive a duplicate Jules Rimet trophy at a ceremony later in the month.

**March 8.** Davie Wilson takes over as Dumbarton manager for the second time in six years.

**March 9.** Eric Geretes, the Belgian international who admitted bribing players to lose a game while playing for Standard Liege has his contract with AC Milan terminated.

**March 12.** FIFA announce that they will investigate the crowd trouble at the recent France v England international.

**March 14.** England withdraw their 1990 World Cup bid in deference to Italy and USSR. Scotland's Under 21s are inspired by Mo Johnston, scorer of 17 goals since his move to Watford.

**March 15.** Doncaster sign Stirling defender John Philliben for £70,000, a club record fee and Celtic midfielder Jim Dobbins for £25,000.



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# IN MY VIEW

## by **MURDO MacLEOD**

TODAY, if I play from the start, will be the 200th times I've started a league game for Celtic. I'm delighted to have got this many appearances and I'm told that less than 50 other players have passed this mark, but now I am aiming for the 300 mark, even less players have achieved that.

Appearances is something I don't pay an awful lot of attention to, I tend to think more about the games I miss, and gladly I haven't missed too many during my time with Celtic.

This season I've been called on to play in defensive roles, as sweeper and left back. I like being up around the oppositions box but when I'm asked to help out the team by staying back I am glad to do so.

I haven't scored as many goals this season as I normally do and I think being asked to play in defence has a lot to do with that, but football is a team game and I'd rather be part of a successful Celtic side than score a lot of goals and not be in a winning side. To be honest I think I am having one of my best seasons yet in a Celtic jersey this year.

I actually scored my first goal for Celtic in a league match against Hibs, it would be nice to score against them again today, to celebrate my 200th appearance in the league.

Wednesday night's game was a tough one and the lads did well to keep going and win in the end. Dundee have definitely become a very good football side and I hope they play as well against Aberdeen this afternoon as they did against us on Wednesday.

Throughout my career the Celtic support has been tremendous but they have been remarkably



good in recent weeks. They've been turning out in great numbers and this has put a bit of a buzz around Celtic Park.

It's as if they can sense that there could be a cup and a league flag on their way to Celtic Park this season. The feeling among the players is that we definitely can do the double.

To you, the fans, I would simply say: *Thanks for the great support.*

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