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SUNDAY 24 MARCH 1991

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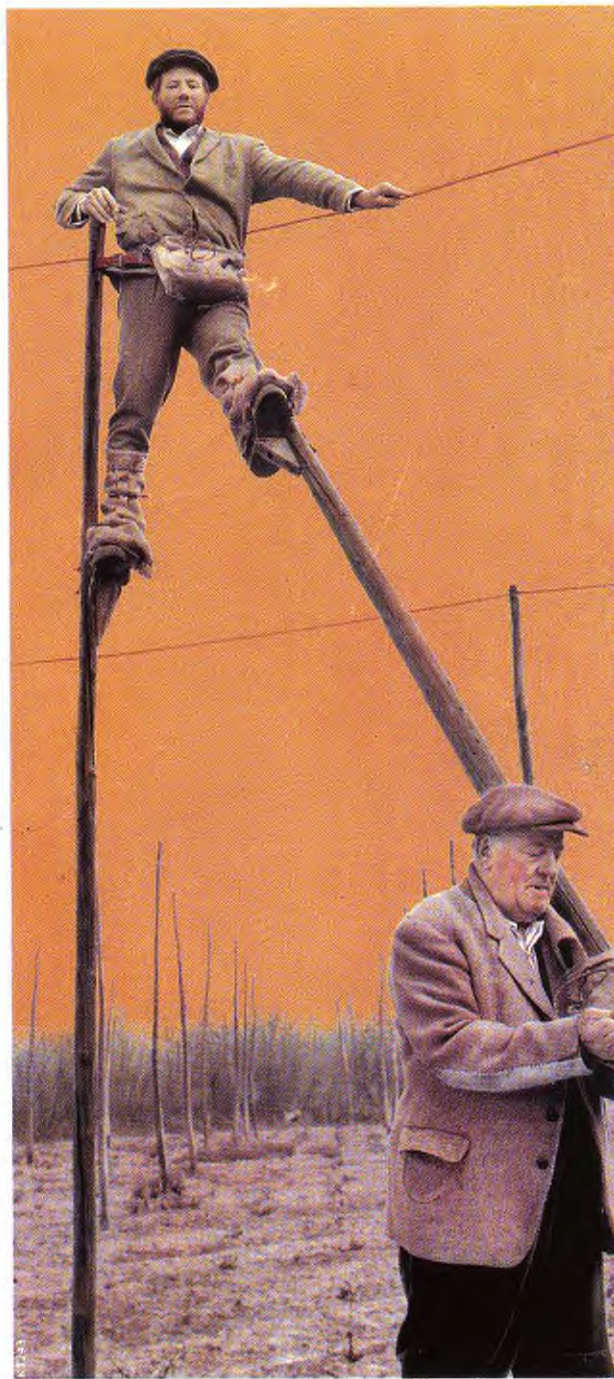


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MORE OF THE SAME TODAY ...

OBVIOUSLY, last week's Scottish Cup victory against our visitors of today was an immensely satisfying one for everyone at the club.

We simply had to win to keep our hopes of silverware this season alive and the manner in which we triumphed made it all the more enjoyable.

However, last Sunday has to be filed away as history while we turn our attentions to today's game which is now every bit as important.

Our excellent recent run of results has seen us overtake St Johnstone in the Premier Division table and open up a gap over the Perth club and Hearts.

This has been encouraging because, at the turn of the year, we were six or seven points adrift of Alex Totten's men and seemed to have little hope of catching them.

Now we have to set our sights on Dundee United, who occupy third spot in the table.

The best way of making serious inroads in a league competition is to beat teams above you in the table and that is an opportunity which presents itself today.

Last weekend's victory will have no bearing whatsoever on today's game and neither will the fact that it is almost two and a half years since Celtic defeated Rangers in the

Premier Division.

There will be changes to the line-ups of both sides as a consequence of last week's events and the outcome of the game will depend upon which side adapts better to the specific demands of the day.

The happenings of the Scottish Cup game initiated much media comment but I will remember it for the good football we played and the composure and discipline exercised by my players.

I felt that we were thoroughly entitled to our victory which was achieved with significant contributions from every member of the team.

The backing of our fans was also absolutely magnificent and I am hoping for the same participation from them today as the game assumes similar importance.

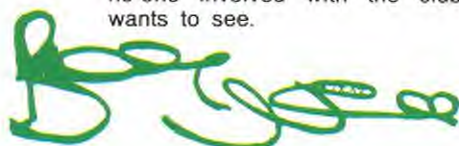
The supporters' impeccable behaviour was also a feature of last weekend's encounter and I will only

mention briefly the importance of this.

Any indiscretion by fans at an Old Firm game will be seized upon gleefully by the media so it is up to the supporters themselves to ensure that they do not provide the press with the sort of headlines no-one involved with the club wants to see.



THE BOSS SPEAKS OUT



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Honours

League Champions (35 times)
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Scottish Cup Winners (29 times)
1892, 1899, 1900, 1904, 1907, 1908, 1911, 1912, 1914, 1923, 1925, 1927, 1931, 1933, 1937, 1961, 1954, 1965, 1967, 1969, 1971, 1972, 1974, 1975, 1977, 1980, 1985, 1988, 1989.

League Cup Winners (9 times)
1957, 1958, 1966, 1967, 1988, 1989, 1970, 1975, 1982.

Empire Exhibition Cup: 1938.

St. Mungo Cup: 1951.

Coronation Cup: 1953.

European Cup: 1967.

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RANGERS

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 PETER HUISTRA
 JOHN SPENCER



No.

Patrons are reminded that the Upper Stand is a No Smoking Area.

Passageways should be kept clear at all times and care should be taken on entering and leaving the ground.

TODAY'S OFFICIALS ...

REFEREE: G. G. SMITH (Edinburgh)
 Linesmen: A. M. Hardie (Clydebank) & C. Craig (Bearsden)



NA, na, na, na, na...BACKMAN! Yes the Caped Crossroader with the famous insignia will be at Celtic Park today.

Shaun Carter is the man behind the mask and his get-up which borrows more than from the famous comic strip character, has been donned in order to help him complete a task as heroic as any undertaken by Bruce Wayne's alias.

For the 34 year old publican will set off from Celtic Park today in a planned backward walk all the way to London.

Shaun hopes to raise £1.5 million on behalf on Leuka 2000, a leukemia charity which provides funds for leukemia units all over Great Britain.

Celtic and Rangers are only two of the many football clubs who will help Shuan on his way in a walk which is planed to end on FA Cup final day, May 18 at Wembley.

● *Anyone wishing to contribute can take donations to the Glasgow branch of Barclays Bank or send cheques to Leuka 2000, PO Box 2191, Darkes Lane, Potters Bar, Herts.*

'TIC TALK...

EILEEN O'NEIL takes pride of place in our Gallery Slot today with a very individualistic impression of Joe Miller.

Eileen of 44 Albion Street in Coatbridge is to be thanked for her efforts and it is perhaps a reminder that the art slot in the programme is open to everyone who wants to draw or paint a picture of their Celtic heroes.

So take note, and send your work in to the address given below.



SHORTS...

CHALLENGE MATCH

● Pre-match entertainment will be provided this afternoon in the form of a challenge match between the under-14s teams of Celtic Boys' Club and Barrow Celtic AFC.

HAMPDEN DATE

● Celtic's reward for defeating Rangers last week will be a Hampden date against Motherwell on April 3. The match will have a 8.00pm kick-off.


FREE TICKET WINNERS

● Sitting in the stand today will be Julie Geddes of Barrhead in Glasgow and Mike Rogerson from Edinburgh who each one themselves a free pair of tickets for this match by entering last week's programme competition.

They identified Paul Elliott as the last Celtic league scorer against Rangers and November 12 1988 as Celtic's last league victory over their Ibrox rivals.

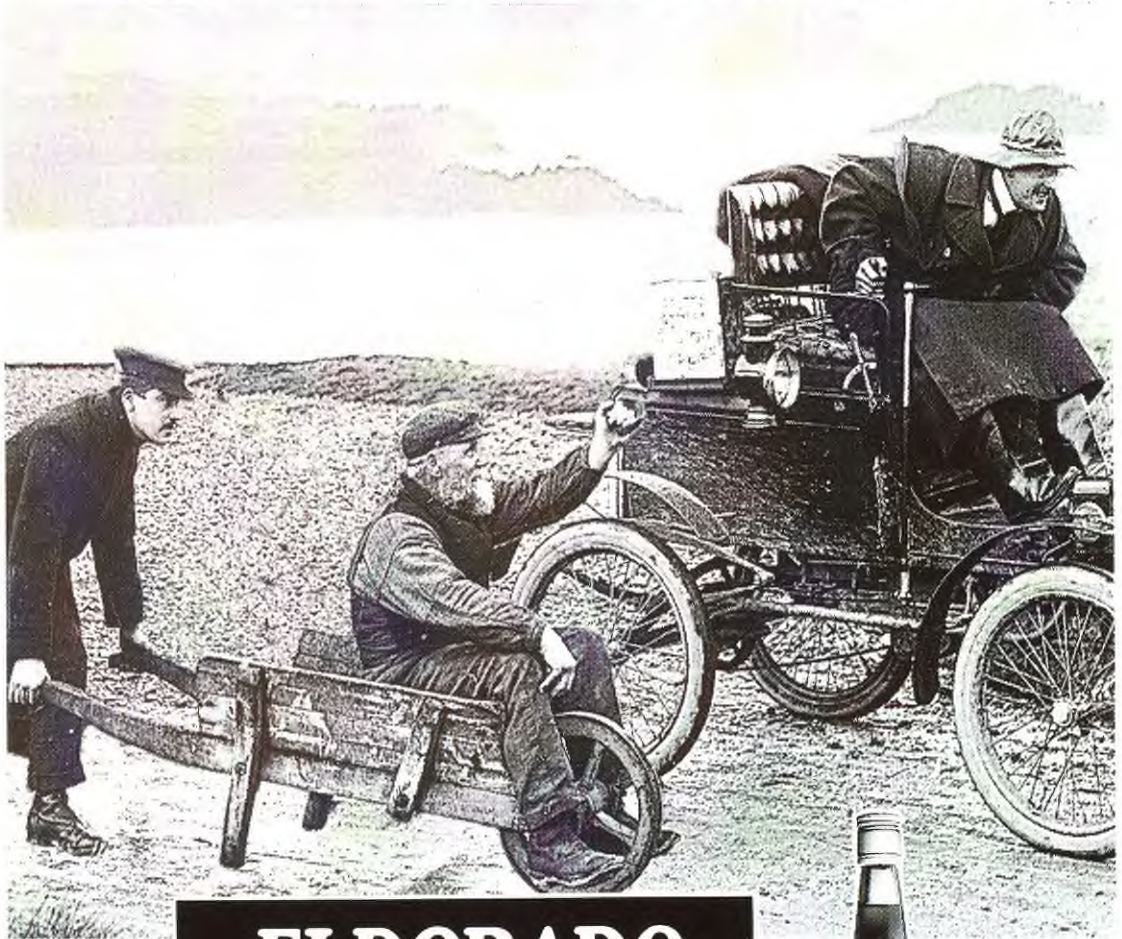
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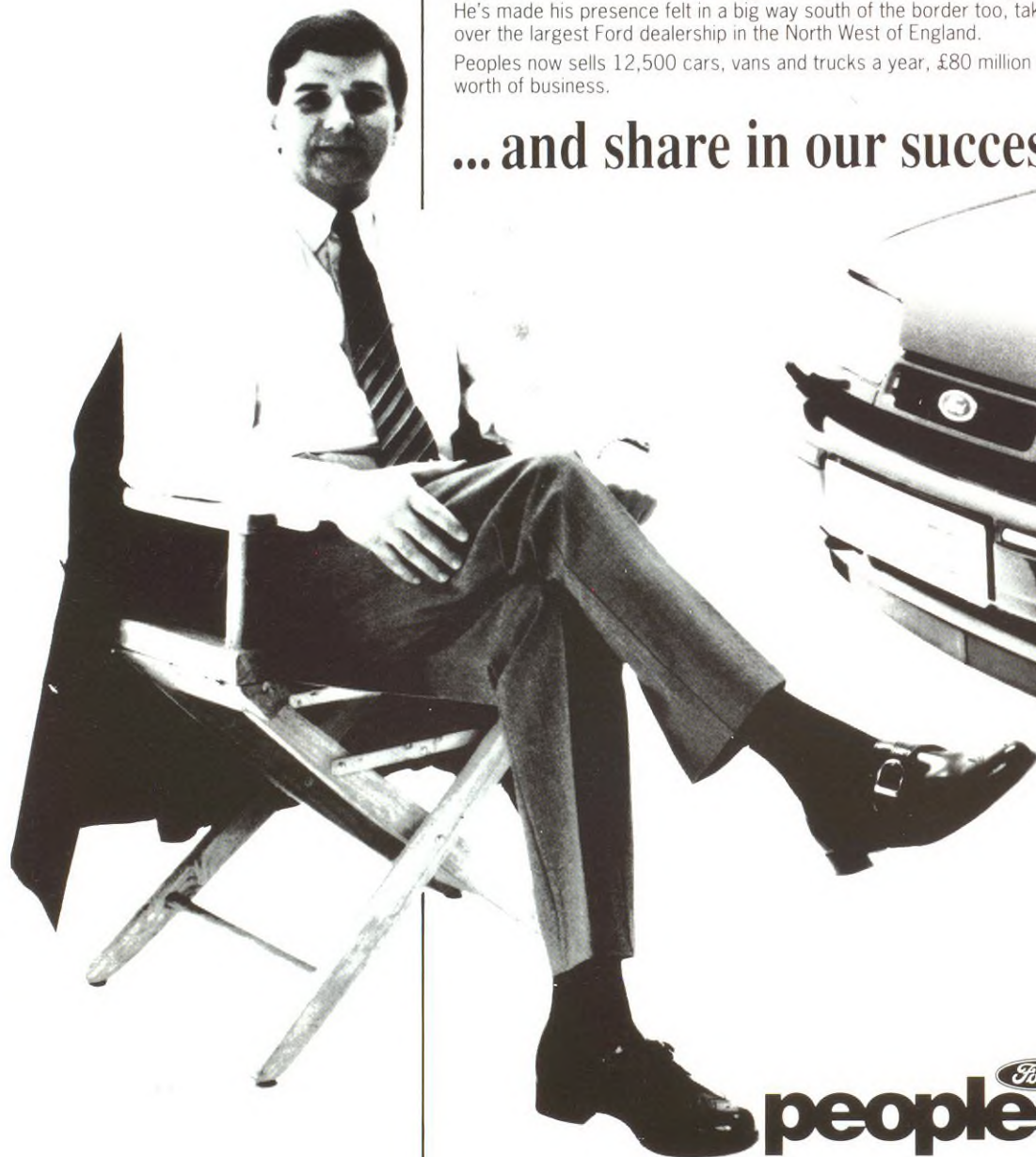
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