

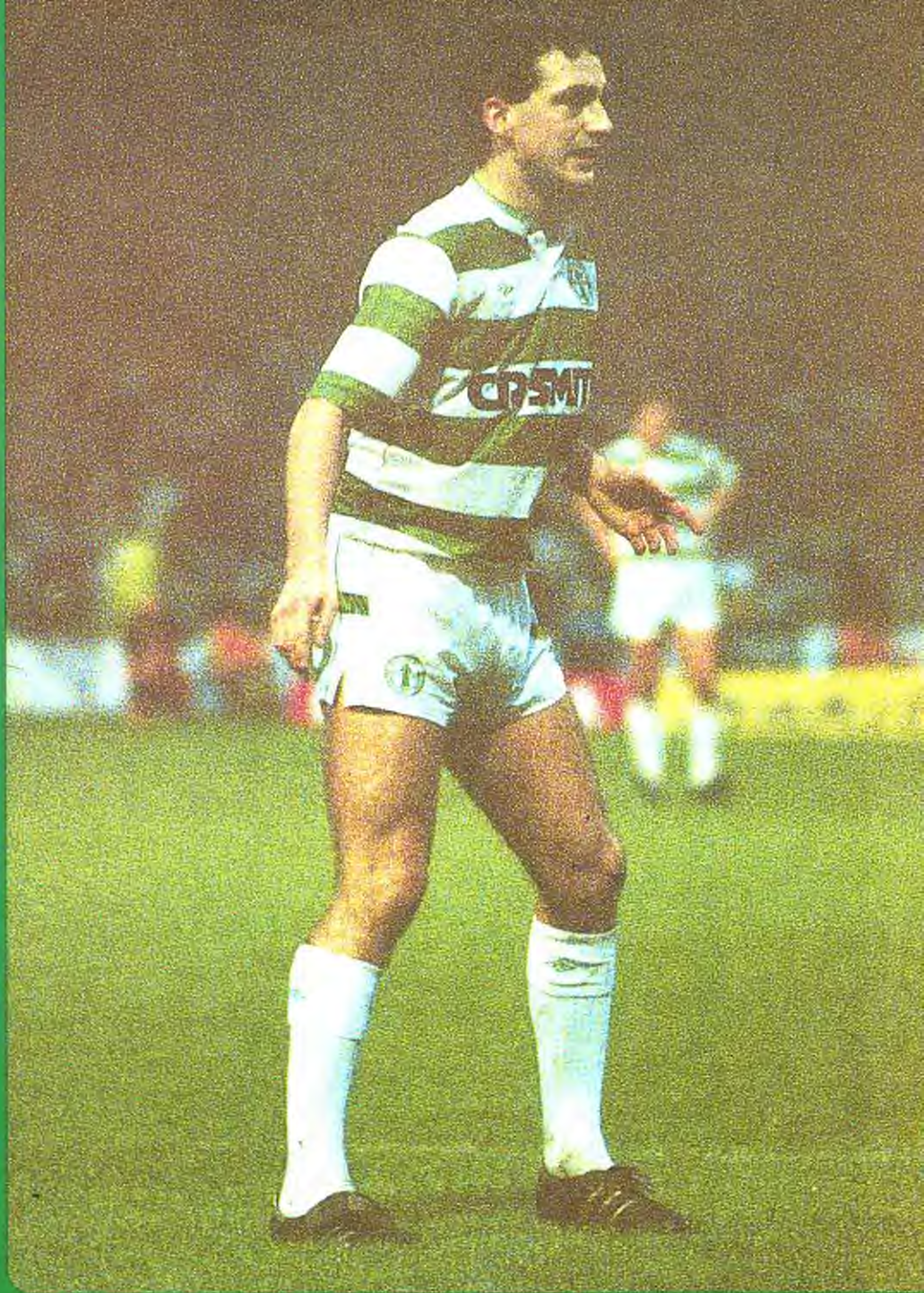
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THE CELTIC BOSS SPEAKS OUT

LAST Saturday's emphatic win over Rangers was very satisfying for several reasons; firstly it was good to get two points against our ancient rivals to revive our title interests this season which had waned somewhat after an indifferent beginning.

The win also fostered confidence in the squad for the challenges ahead. In the days before the match many people were commenting that Celtic had more or less lost the league. But no-one enlightened my players about this opinion. Consequently they went on to outplay everyone's favourites for the title. Rangers have had a very good start to the domestic season and perhaps several people felt they were well nigh unbeatable. So as well as doing ourselves a lot of good I think we showed other teams that the league will not be a one horse race this season.

One of the clubs which will be doing its utmost to make sure that is indeed the case visit us this afternoon.

Hibs have made a great start to the season and have shown a lot of vision and adventure which has transformed Easter Road. They too have taken up the challenge which has faced those clubs who would call themselves ambitious.

Some very astute boardroom moves allied to some good vision by Alex Miller has produced a formidable team at Easter Road.

This afternoon though, we aim to bring them back to earth with a bump. Its no use us outplaying Rangers one week and then undoing all our good work the next. The Rangers result will fade very rapidly from the memory if we do not get a result against Hibs today. And by a result I mean a win. The players' pride should also be a motivational

factor against Hibs. Earlier in the season they were on the receiving end of a 3-1 defeat in which we failed to play to form at all. The memory of that should spur them to a comfortable win today.

After that game at Easter Road I was critical of the way the defence had lost preventable goals. But in our four most recent matches they have reacted positively at the criticism being levelled at them and have produced some excellent performances. This has allowed the midfield to get on with their game job of supplying the forwards with ammunition.

Naturally I was disappointed at going out of Europe early once more. But I saw enough in the return leg against Werder Bremen to show me that we are on the right road to producing a side that can perform well not only in Scotland but in Europe.

This is not a one year or even two year process. In many ways a lot of re-education has to be done at all levels and a great deal of thought must be given to moves the club and moves for players. Its the long term future of this club I have at heart. I'm not interested in a style of management which papers over cracks.

Front Cover: Paul McStay

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Mark McGhee
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Billy Stark
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Dundee v Rangers
Hamilton v St Mirren
Hearts v Dundee United
Airdrie v Raith Rovers
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Forfar v Queen of South
Meadowbank v St Johnstone
Morton v Falkirk

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FIRST DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Falkirk.....	14	9	2	3	26	15	20
Morton.....	14	9	2	3	21	13	20
Airdrie.....	14	6	6	2	27	13	18
Clydebank.....	14	6	6	2	30	18	18
St Johnstone.....	14	7	3	4	24	17	17
Dunfermline.....	14	7	3	4	21	16	17
Forfar.....	14	5	5	4	19	18	15
Meadowbank.....	14	5	4	5	13	14	14
Ayr United.....	14	4	5	5	19	22	13
Clyde.....	14	4	5	5	19	23	13
Raith Rvs.....	14	4	3	7	16	21	11
Kilmarnock.....	14	2	4	8	16	29	8
Partick Th.....	14	2	3	9	20	32	7
Queen of Sth.....	14	1	3	10	11	31	5

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DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Rangers.....	14	10	2	2	25	10	22
Aberdeen.....	14	5	9	0	19	13	19
Dundee Utd.....	15	6	6	3	19	10	18
Hibernian.....	15	6	6	3	16	10	18
Celtic.....	15	8	1	6	34	22	17
St Mirren.....	15	6	5	4	15	17	17
Dundee.....	14	4	5	5	15	18	13
Hearts.....	15	2	6	7	15	20	10
Motherwell.....	15	0	7	8	12	22	7
Hamilton.....	14	2	1	11	8	36	5

SECOND DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Stirling A.....	14	9	2	3	32	21	20
Albion R.....	14	8	3	3	25	20	19
Arbroath.....	14	6	5	3	26	17	17
Stranraer.....	14	6	5	3	23	18	17
Cowdenbth.....	14	6	5	3	18	19	17
Brechin.....	14	6	4	4	21	16	16
Montrose.....	14	6	2	6	22	20	14
Queens Park.....	14	4	6	4	17	15	14
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Alloa.....	14	4	5	5	19	20	13
Stenhousemuir.....	14	4	3	7	17	24	11
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NEWS BEAT

AN unveiling ceremony is taking place before this afternoon's match with Hibs.

A magnificent new portrait of Jock Stein has just been completed by two Celtic fans who have been in the news recently. The portrait will be unveiled at 2.30pm in the Jock Stein members lounge. It was commissioned by Celtic and painted by Tommy and Patrick Canning, the Celtic-made brothers whose cartoon history of Celtic, *The Will to Win*, was published recently. They are justifiably proud of the painting and of the fact that it will be admired by generations of Celtic fans to come.

TODAY, Celtic's midfield star Billy Stark could be set to reach an astonishing personal milestone. For if he scored in today's clash it will be his 100th Premier League goal. Already he is the highest-scoring midfielder in the history of the Premier League but to reach three figures would set the icing on the cake. Billy has scored seven goals in the league this season and two in cup competitions. His full record of Premier League goals is as follows:

77-78	St Mirren	7
78-79	St Mirren	9
79-80	St Mirren	8
80-81	St Mirren	5
81-82	St Mirren	10
82-83	St Mirren	4
83-84	Aberdeen	6
84-85	Aberdeen	15
85-86	Aberdeen	8
86-87	Aberdeen	12
87-88	Celtic	8
88-89	Celtic	7
Total		99



IN today's programme we are offering our readers the chance to win the new Celtic single, the Celtic Rap. We have the record in 7" version and 12" version. The first two correct entries received will win a copy. Just answer this question. Name every senior club Mark McGhee has appeared for in his career to date. Answers on a post card please to: Celtic Rap, Celtic View, 18 Kerrydale Street, Glasgow G40 3RW.



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League Cup Winners (9 times):
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Empire Exhibition Cup: 1938.

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European Cup: 1967.

Record victory: 11-0 v Dundee (Division 1) October 1895.

Record defeat: 0-8 v Motherwell (Division 1) April 1937.

Most individual League goals in a season: 50 James McGrovy (1935-36).

Highest aggregate score: James McGrovy 397 (1922-1939).

Most capped player: Danny McGrain 62 times for Scotland.

EURO SPOTLIGHT

By Roddy
Stewart

Michel

ALONG with Emilio Butragueno Michel of Real Madrid remains the brightest star of Spain's 'new generation' of footballers. An elegant player of no little skill he rose to prominence for both club and country in a short space of time. For many Spanish observers he bears all the hallmarks of quality that were stamped through the legendary Real team of the late fifties and is regarded as a vital component to the aspirations of not only his club but also the national team.

Having been christened Jose Miguel Gonzales Maria Del Campo it is easy to understand why Spanish commentators refer to him as Michel. In 1978 at the age of fifteen he joined one of Real Madrid's youth teams and made steady progress despite annoying many of his coaches with his over confidence and precociousness.

Promotion

Three years later he progressed to the Bernabeu club's Second Division junior team Castilla and quickly established himself on the right wing. His ability came to the attention of the under 21 selectors and in the spring of '84 he was an influential member of the Spanish team that narrowly lost in the European Under 21 Final.

Michel's excellent form brought him promotion to Madrid's first team squad and within months he had secured a first team place. An ordering off against Hercules of Alicante brought about a three match ban in addition to a club fine

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Gonzalez
Maria Del
Campo...
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Michel*

of £500. More significantly this misdemeanour cost him his first team place.

His talent could only be shifted temporarily and before the end of the season he had re-established himself justifying the decision to bring him back by destroying Videoton of Hungary in the first leg of the 1985 UEFA Cup Final. Michel scored the first goal and created the other two for Valdano and Santillana.

Disappointing Start

The following season saw Michel in exuberant form and a friendly international against Austria provided his debut for his country although it ended in a disappointing scoreless draw. A month later he really signalled his international arrival with a brilliant goal from



25 yards and he has remained a fixture for Spain ever since.

Twelve months later Real Madrid won the Spanish title for the first time in six years and retained the UEFA Cup in traditional washbuckling style. It was now generally accepted that such success owed a lot to the influence of Michel.

World Cup Finals

The end of the season took Spain to Mexico for the World Cup Finals and Michel became the centre of controversy when in their opening match his shot against Brazil clearly rebounded from the underside of the bar and over the line only for the goal to be disallowed.

For all followers of Real Madrid the ultimate ambition is to see the European Cup return to the Bernabeu Stadium. In the last two seasons Michel and his team mates have suffered disappointment failing at the penultimate stage in matches with Bayern Munich and PSV Eindhoven. Equally for the talented Spaniard only a European Cup medal will satisfy his ambitions and as he approaches his peak only a foolish man would bet against him succeeding.



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ON THE SPOT



DEREK WHYTE

CELTIC'S young central defender Derek Whyte achieved a personal milestone recently and in doing so set a club record that is unlikely to be broken.

When he lined up against Dundee United at Celtic Park in Celtic's 1-0 win on October 12th it was his 100th first team appearance for the club. And that made him the youngest player since the war to have reached the total. The record is unlikely to be broken because Whyte had the benefit of two extended league campaigns to help him make that incredible total. In 1986s-87 and in 1987-88, 44 matches were played in a 12-team Premier League. And as it's unlikely that the league will revert to such a format again young Whyte's achievement seems safe for all time.

But notwithstanding the internationalist's special feat, the fact remains that this season has been a bitter-sweet one for him.

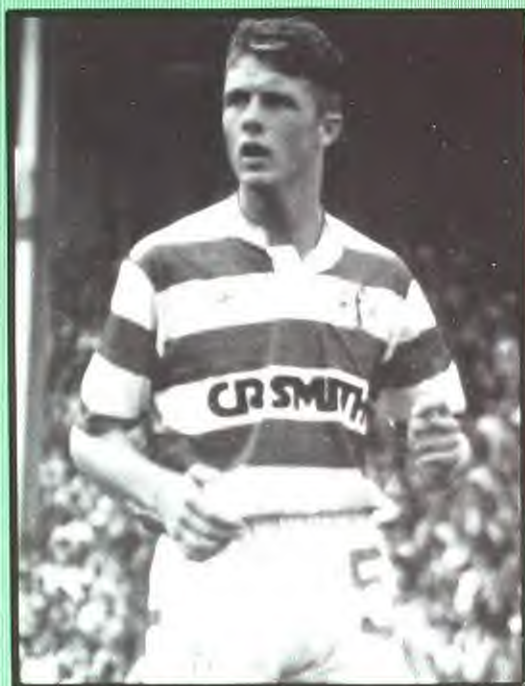
For perhaps the first time in a short but sparkling career the young defender has had to cope with criticism as Celtic's defence went one better than the three wise men by bearing gifts on every journey.

But Whyte has shown maturity and character by taking the brick-bats on the chin and going on to perform admirably against the likes of Aberdeen, Werder Bremen and Rangers in recent games.

He remains philosophical though about this, taking the praise and the criticism in his stride:

"If I am to go on and develop a career at the top of football then I must learn to cope with criticism. Better players than I have undergone jibes and insults, but you would probably find in most of those instances that they never allowed it to affect their game or their self-belief. Anyway supporters are entitled to criticise and it's my job to try to prove them wrong in the long term," said Whyte.

Nor does the fact that he has achieved so much in his career in such a relatively short space of time. Already he has to his credit two league



championship medals and a Scottish Cup winners medal as well as three full international Scotland caps. But Whyte says: "It's an honour just to play for this club. I don't think it adds any more pressure to me because of my age and what I've won. I don't set myself any goals, only to play well in every game. I'm lucky enough to play in a good team so honours are bound to come, as much down to the efforts of the great players we have at Celtic than to any of my own efforts."

Nor does Whyte accept that Celtic's season is over: "Obviously we made a bad start to the season but that is history now. I now believe we are back to something approaching our best and I think we can go on to overhaul Rangers lead. They will have received a real fright with our 3-1 win and as we still have to play them twice more we obviously feel we can overtake them."

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IF there was the football equivalent of the British Industry Award for Enterprise Hibs would surely win it this season.

Its taken them a while but Hibs seem finally to have taken up the challenge of Wallace Mercer at Hearts who, for the last six years have lorded it over their Easter Road rivals.

Not so long ago Alex Miller was not the Hibs fans most favourite personality at Easter Road. His sides would always make it difficult for visiting teams, but not difficult enough. For when the European spots were allocated at the season's end Hibs were conspicuous by their absence.

Its almost a certainty that the grand old Edinburgh club will rectify that situation this season. And much of the credit for that must go to Alex Miller whose astuteness in dealing in the transfer market and with his existing staff, has given a solid look about his side.

He has, of course, been backed by an enlightened Hibs board headed by David Duff and James Gray. Their priority has been to make Hibs good enough and big enough to make a lasting challenge to Celtic, Rangers and Aberdeen.

The first signs of Hibs ambitions came towards the end of last season when they were able to secure the services of John Collins by offering him a contract

attractive enough to keep a host of big clubs, who were interested in the talented midfielder man at bay.

This season has seen Stevie Archibald return to the Premier League and Hibs' audacity in securing his gilt-edged signature has been handsomely rewarded. His eight goals this season have only been part of the contribution he's made. His most telling attributes in his years with Aberdeen, Spurs and Barcelona were his strong running and keen sense of anticipation. He makes others play around him.

Andy Goram, Hibs other big-money buy has also been an outstanding success this season. He is currently the most consistent keeper in the Premier League.

HIGHLIGHTS

Highlights of Hibs best start to the season in the Premier League ever have been the 1-1 draw early in the season at Ibrox, the emphatic 3-1 home win over Celtic at Easter Road and last Saturday's 2-1 win at Tynecastle.

The back four of Hunter, Sneddon, Orr and Rae have been among the toughest in the league. Kane and Evans, partnering Stevie Archibald are also in form while midfielders Hay, Collins, Milne and McIntyre have proved that they have the necessary commitment to complement their undoubted ability in this arena.

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FACE TODAY



Andy Goram dives to his right to touch Peter Grant's shot to safety as Frank McAvennie waits anxiously to pounce on any mistakes made by the Hibernian 'keeper.

A PREVIOUS CLASH ... A PREVIOUS CLASH ...

Celtic 5 Hibernian 1

29th October 1983

Att: 13,777

CELTIC went in to this match trailing joint leaders Aberdeen and Dundee United by a single point after having lost at Pittodrie the previous week.

As always the home side attacked from the first whistle and after only 8 minutes took the lead. Frank McGarvey and Davie Provan combined down the right flank and Brian McClair headed home the wingers cross. Celtic continued to put pressure on the Hibs defence but they held firm mainly due to the excellent form of a certain Alan Rough.

However the second period was a different story and the collapse of the Hibernian rearguard started in the 48th minute when Provan scrambled home number two and on the hour Brian Whittaker made it 3-0 with a spectacular overhead kick. The Hi-Bees though managed to pull one back in the 77th minute when Billy Thomson headed past Peter Latchford who was making his first league appearance for nearly 3½ years. However a minute later Murdo MacLeod restored Celtic's three goal lead and with only three minutes left McClair scored with a fine volley to make the final score 5-1.

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Celtic goalkeeper Pat Bonner had every reason to celebrate last Saturday's 3-1 win over Rangers.

For unfortunately, the big Irish Internationalist missed last seasons two home wins over Rangers, but Celtic's skilful display against their Old Firm rivals more than made up for that disappointment.

Celtic recorded their 19th Premier League home win against Rangers thanks to goals from Terry Butcher, Mark McGhee, and Billy Stark.

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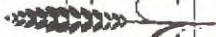
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Reserve Scene



THE STARS OF TOMORROW



By Bobby
Lennox

PETER GRANT continued on his road back to full match fitness with a useful 90 minutes against Rangers reserves at Ibrox on Saturday afternoon. And he made the most significant contribution as the reserves almost managed to pip Rangers at the post.

Celtic had opened this game brightly and it was no surprise when Alec Mathie scored the first goal after fine leading up play by the midfield. With Grant involved in most of Celtic's good moves the reserves found several opportunities to increase their lead at this stage.

But with their failure to capitalise on these Rangers grew in confidence, and although their goals from Nisbet, McSwegan and Rouse were deserved, Celtic could count themselves unlucky to be down by 3-1.

BOMBARDED

But in an all-action grandstand finish Celtic bombarded the Rangers goal which was leading a charmed life late in the game. Gerry Britton, after coming on as a substitute, popped up to make it 3-2 with only 10 minutes remaining.

It was a case of too little too late by them although the young Celts could count themselves a shade unfortunate not to have levelled the scores.

Celtic: Rough, Traynor, Balmer,

McNally, Elliot, Shepherd, Grant, Fulton, Mathie; McCarrison, Creaney. Subs: Britton, McStay.

On Monday night the Reserve League West side recorded a comfortable if uninspiring 3-1 win over a plucky Dumbarton side at Celtic Park.

Christie, Shepherd and Miller scored the goals that mattered. A full report on this match will appear in next Wednesday's *Celtic View*.

NEGOTIATED

Celtic's youngest members of staff aided by a few trialists negotiated a tricky first round B.P. Youth Cup match against Airdrie at Broomfield on Wednesday 9th of November.

Although there was some good football on display from both sides in the opening exchanges, the play became more tawdry and ill-tempered as the game progressed.

In the end Celts were well worth their 2-0 win through goals either side of half-time from Donnachie and Stobbie. But they will not feel so good at the numerous good chances which went begging.

Celtic will now face the Clyde youth team at a date yet to be decided at Celtic Park. Clyde disposed of Morton 2-0 in the first round.

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Small figures denote goalscorers.

Date	Comp	H/A	Opponents	Result	Bonner	Morris	Rogan	Aitken	McCarthy	Whyte	Miller	McStay	McAvennie	Walker	Grant	Burns	Stark	McGhee	Archie	Rough	Baillie	Traynor	Fulton	Andrews
Aug 13	PL	H	Hearts	1-0		2	3		5	4	7	8	9 ¹	10	6	11	12	14						1
Aug 17	Skol Cup	H	Ayr Utd	4-0		2	3		5	4	7†	8	9 ¹	10 ²	6	11 ¹	12	14†	1					
Aug 20	PL	A	Dundee Utd	0-1		2	3	4	5†	6	14†	8	9	10	11	12†		7†						1
Aug 24	Skol Cup	H	Hamilton Accies	7-2		2	3	4	5		7	8	9 ²	10 ²	6	11 ¹	12 ¹		14 ¹					1
Aug 27	PL	A	Rangers	1-5		2	3	4	5	12†	14†	8	9 ¹	10	6	11†	7†							1
Aug 31	Skol Cup	A	Dundee Utd	0-2		2	3	4	5	14	7	8	9	10	6	11	12							1
Sept 3	PL	H	Hamilton Accies	2-1		2	3	4	5		7† ¹	8	9 ¹	10	6	11	12		14†					1
Sept 7	Euro Cup	A	Honved	0-1		2	3	4	5	6		8	9	10	11	7								1
Sept 17	PL	H	Aberdeen	1-3		2	3	4	5	6†	7 ¹	8	9	10†	11	12†		14†						1
Sept 24	PL	A	Dundee	0-1		2	3	4		6	7†	8	9	10		11	14†		12†	1	5†			
Sept 28	PL	H	Motherwell	3-1		2	3	4		14	12	8	9 ²	10 ¹		11			7	1	5	6		
Oct 1	PL	A	Hibernian	1-3		2	3	4		14†	12†	8	9	10 ¹		11†			7†	1	5	6		
Oct 5	Euro Cup	H	Honved	4-0		2	3	4	5	6	7†	8	9 ¹	10 ¹			11 ¹	12 ¹		1				
Oct 8	PL	H	St Mirren	7-1		2	3	4	5	6	7 ¹	8 ¹	9				11 ²	10 ³	14	1			12	
Oct 12	PL	H	Dundee Utd	1-0		2	3	4	5	6	11 ¹	8	9				7	10	12				14	
Oct 22	PL	A	Hearts	2-0	1	2	3	4	5	6			9 ¹	10		11	7	8 ¹	12		14			
Oct 26	Euro Cup	H	Werder Bremen	0-1	1	2	3	4	5		7	8	9		11	6	10							
Oct 29	PL	H	Dundee	2-3	1	2	3	4		5	7	8	9			11	6	10	14	12				
Nov 2	PL	A	Aberdeen	2-2	1	2	3	4	5	6	12	8	9			11	7 ²	10	14					
Nov 5	PL	A	Hamilton Accies	0-8	1	2	3	4	5	6	12 ¹	8	9 ³			11	7 ¹	10 ³	14†					
Nov 12	PL	H	Rangers	3-1	1	2	3	4	5	6	12	8	9			11	7 ¹	10 ¹			14			
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Jan 14	PL	H	St Mirren																					
Jan 21	PL	A	Hibernian																					
Jan 28	Scot Cup																							
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Feb 25	PL	A	Dundee																					
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May 6	PL	H	Hibernian																					
May 13	PL	A	St Mirren																					
May 20	Scot Cup																							

SOMETIMES we know soccer is more than just a game. At Celtic Park yesterday 60,113 fanatical fans came out in swirling, misty rain and, long before the first and last whistles, they sang and they sang as though life itself depended on 22 men chasing a bag of wind.

It was pulsating, it was irresistible, it was mainly well behaved and from a Celtic point of view it was the ultimate in revenge. They had waited since August when Rangers had totally outplayed them to win by 5-1 in the Premier Division. They had gone behind yesterday, and yet the match belonged to them and the victory was so comprehensive that it deserved to exactly match the August scoreline.

Those of us who think we have seen stirring derbys on Merseyside and in Manchester needed to accept that in football terms Scotland is another country. They are still allowed in Europe, although both clubs came to this encounter from being beaten by West German opponents in midweek.

Celtic Park is also something of a throwback to English eyes; at least two-thirds of its accommodation is terracing, while the south of the border are so convinced that it takes plush executive boxes to fill a ground. Not here; here it takes action on the field, action with no respite, no bracing space, no time for thought. Sweat and muscle there certainly was and spontaneity, particularly from Celtic, simply could not be suffocated.

Celtic needed all their fighting qualities from an early stage for, after the first frenetic give and take of 19 minutes' football, they went a goal down. It came from the penalty spot by Mark Walters, who had earlier been denied what looked to my eye a perfectly obvious penalty. In the first instance, Walters, whose old Aston Villa fans will remember for his elegant balance and his sudden change of pace, had been nudged in the penalty area by McCarthy.

Certainly there was contact, but perhaps because Walters sought to make too certain of the penalty or because he threw himself to the ground instead of waiting for the foul to make its own imprint, he convinced Mr Smith that this was no spot kick but a dive.

Having denied that penalty to Rangers, the referee made amends in the 19th minute with an altogether softer decision. This time a centre from Walters bounced up awkwardly, McCarthy once again was the principal defender and clearly handled the ball. Instantly he hung his head in shame, making absolutely no attempt to pretend.

On the other hand, with the recent legacy of police prosecutions for actions on the field likely to lead to violence on the terraces, McCarthy and all the rest were without doubt, at that point, behaving in exemplary manner so far as dissent was concerned.

In any event, Walters had absolutely no trouble tricking Bonner, the goalkeeper dived right, and Walters emphatically buried the ball inside the netting to his left.

That cool goal asked everything of the mettle of Celtic, and the response was to the entire joy of this

We reprint here the report by Rob Hughes on the Old Firm game which appeared in the Sunday Times last week. It is printed with the kind permission of the Sunday Times.

Old Firm derby. Even before the reverse we had seen hints of that terrific old Celtic flavour, the relish with which they ping the ball around from feet to feet, the long rein given to their instincts, above all the effervescence with which little men chase and scurry into forward positions as if the opposition is non-existent.

Time and again it was McAvennie and Burns, a couple of daring pimpernels, who were pulling Rangers out of joint. And how bemused this Rangers defence, the costliest in the whole of Britain, became. In the 28th minute Burns guided a free kick into the heart of the Rangers defence, a slanting and deceptive ball and one which so baffled Butcher that the big England defender glanced it into his own net for the equaliser.

"Nice one Terry, nice one son. Nice one Terry, let's have another one!" rang out the instant chants.

idle defence

Mind you, he and his colleagues earned the mirth. They were alarmingly static, like beached whales whenever the Celtic forward line clicked into rhythm. And after 37 minutes the entire Rangers defence was standing idly by, ball watching no doubt, when a throw-in was allowed to lead to the second goal.

McGhee, a forward whose doggedness he won't acknowledge the favour he seemed to have lost at Parkhead, was standing with his back to goal. When the ball came he was allowed a full, ponderous-looking turn, but with no opponent attempting to make the tackle he converted that into a very pleasant, graceful left-foot shot which somehow bounced its way through the blue shirts and past Woods.

And then it became three, Anton Rogan, the left-back, became as adventurous as Morris. He danced towards the Rangers penalty box, he dropped first the right shoulder and then the left, and Gary Stevens, the £1m. full back, bought both dummies. The rest was simple. Rogan flicked the ball to McGhee, McGhee moved it on a few yards and Billy Stark was able to sneak in to score from eight yards.

Not only was revenge turning the screw on Rangers, but that club's Englishmen were losing their cool. Just on the half-time Ray Wilkins spoiled the entire atmosphere with a dreadful stamping on Burns. Mr Smith was adamant in showing the yellow card.

And moments after the restart Butcher was also booked, also for a totally unnecessary piece of violence. Not for the first time Butcher found himself outwitted by McAvennie and his reaction was to scythe down the Celtic player.



HELPING THE GAME

There is an organisation which receives £9 million annually from the Spotting-the-Ball competition run by Littlewoods, Vernons and Zettlers and spends it all on projects which benefit football throughout the United Kingdom.

It pays £4.5 million to the Football Grounds Improvement Trust to help League clubs meet the demands of the Safety of Sports Grounds Act and improve their stadia.

It has set aside £2.3 million to ensure that all grounds in Scotland and England are covered by closed circuit television systems. It has allocated over £1 million to fund Football and the Community schemes at clubs throughout the UK.

The organisation is also injecting £1.25 million to assist 'non-League' clubs with essential safety work, paying over £1.3 million every year towards policing costs at League matches and investing £750,000 to improve transport facilities for football supporters.

The name of this organisation is THE FOOTBALL TRUST.

By the end of the year Spotting-the-Ball will have generated almost £70 million for The Football Trust and its sister organisation the Football Grounds Improvement Trust.

The body uniquely brings together representatives from all areas of the game and draws its membership from the Scottish Football League, the Scottish Football Association, the game in England, the PFA, local authorities, the police and pools firms.

The Football Trust's annual income of £9 million is in addition to the £6.5 million the Pool Promoters Association pay to the football authorities for the reproduction of the copyrighted fixtures on the pools coupons, thus making them the game's largest benefactor by far.

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During the past year The Football Trust has been committed to developing Scottish football at every level. Its initiatives range from supporting an educational trust for Scotland's professional footballers to providing kit for unemployed teams; new terracing at Kirkintilloch Rob Roy to a new artificial pitch for community use at Stirling Albion; the UK's most extensive closed circuit television system at Hampden Park to portacabins at the Hill of Beath Ramblers; developing football in the Scottish Isles to a £250,000 safety programme at the national stadium; new coach park at Ibrox to covering 35% of policing costs at B&Q League matches.

The Football Trust works closely with the Scottish Football League, Scottish Football Association and the Scottish Sports Council.

WARNING!

At the beginning of the season more than 110 League grounds in Scotland and England will be equipped with CLOSED CIRCUIT TELEVISION which has been funded by The Football Trust.

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CLOSED CIRCUIT TELEVISION

SAFETY FIRST

Football grounds in Scotland have reached their highest ever level of safety thanks to the £7.5 million invested by the Football Grounds Improvement Trust since 1976.

Almost every League club has been assisted with essential safety work and further substantial sums have been invested to enable them to improve facilities.

In the past year alone FGIT grants to Scottish clubs totalled:

	£
Safety	416,385
Improvements	770,561

In addition to its safety programme, FGIT has also allocated £1 million to build or improve family and disabled facilities at League grounds during 1988.

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Celtic v Hibernian full league record:

	Pld	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Home	95	63	18	14	231	91	144
Away	96	46	25	25	175	114	117
Total	191	109	43	39	406	205	261

Our 8-0 win at Hamilton equalled the biggest ever win in the Premier League but it was a record away win. In fact Celtic's biggest ever away win is 9-1 against Clyde in 1897/98.



Our 2-2 draw at Aberdeen a couple of weeks ago created a few records. It was our 100th draw in the Premier League and that result earned us our 700th Premier League point. Also, Aberdeen's second goal scored by ex-Celt Charlie Nicholas was the 500th Premier League goal we have conceded.



When Hibs beat us at Easter Road earlier in the season it stopped our best ever unbeaten run there of 12 games. Before this season the last time they beat us in the league in Edinburgh was on the 27th of February 1982 when an 18th minute Gordon Rae goal gave them a 1-0 win. In the 12 games that followed Celtic won 10 and drew 2.



Andy Walkers goal in the 3-1 defeat earlier in the season was



Hibs reached the semi final of the very first European Cup in 1955/56 but they lost to the French side Reims, who in turn lost to the great Real Madrid 4-3 in the Final in Paris.



In the 13 year history of the Premier League, Celtic are well ahead on the goalscoring front with 1012 goals. Aberdeen are second with 874 and Rangers third with 816. Hibs are in 6th place with 517. (Does not include matches played on 12.11.88).

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ALL eyes were upon Celtic Park last Saturday, and not just because it was Old Firm day yet again.

Teams like Aberdeen, Dundee Utd and Hibernian were all hoping for a Celtic win to put the anchors on Rangers seemingly inexorable march to the Premier League title.

The fact that Celtic did so with unexpected ease made everyone realise that this could be one of the closest Premier League title races in years.

Celtic showed by their win that their start of season horrors are now a thing of the past and that they intend to fight all the way to retain their title. Aberdeen, Dundee Utd and Hibs are all still within striking distance too.

In this writer's opinion this underlines the changes for the better which have occurred in Scottish football since the advent of the Premier League. With the old first division there were realms of absolutely meaningless fixtures in a top or bottom-heavy league. Within weeks of the season beginning you could tell what ten teams were going to be floating around in a mid-table void, waiting their turn to entertain either Celtic or Rangers at home and a bumper pay-day.

Of course the ten-team Premier League was always going to be more cut-throat but teams like Dundee Utd and Aberdeen rose to that challenge to buffet Celtic and Rangers traditional hegemony.

Recently Hearts and now Hibs have reached for the skies too, and now you have six clubs from ten who will provide stiff opposition for each other, who are capable of holding on to good players and bidding for top-class stars.

Spectator interest has increased considerably a fact borne out by the only major western European soccer-playing nation whose attendance figures have continued to increase.

There are those however, who have argued



Mike Galloway

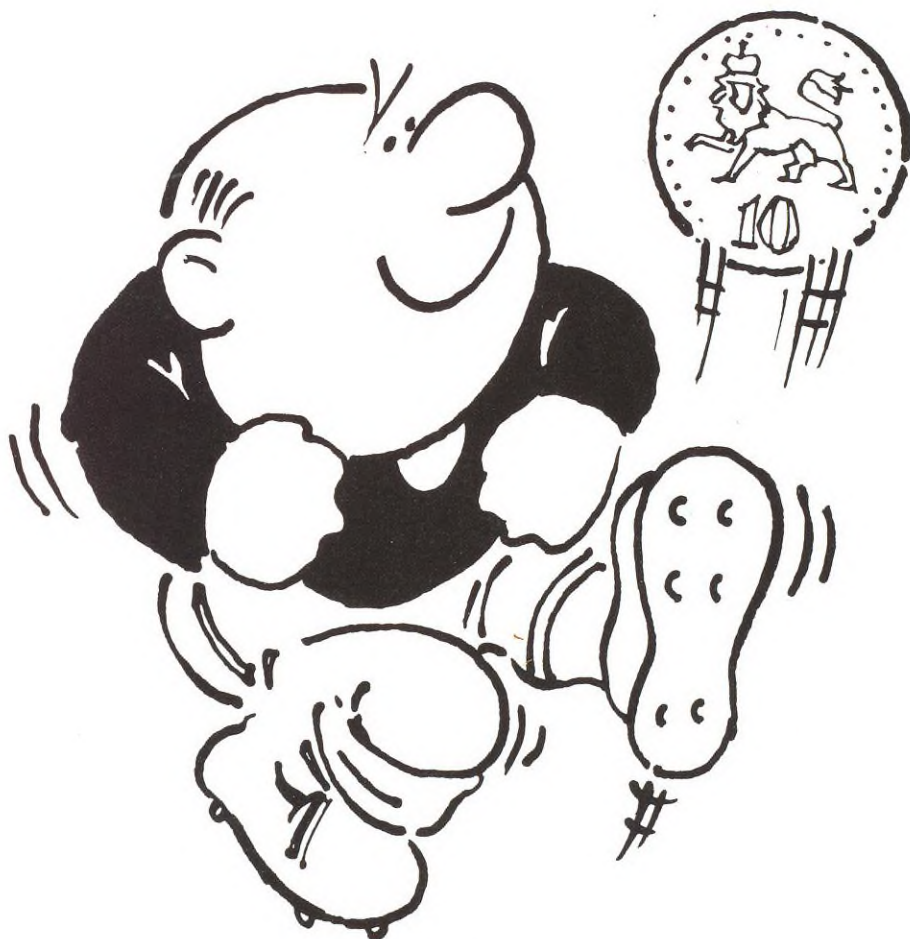
that the take-no-prisoners, no-room-for-manoeuvre football allegedly fastened by such a competitive league has left our top club at a disadvantage in European competition. These fears were most recently articulated after Scotland's last four Euro representatives recorded dismal first leg results in their recent European ties. It seems to have been forgotten though that in the old first division only Celtic, and to a lesser extent Rangers, could sometimes hold their own against Europe's best.

In the last six years both Aberdeen and Dundee Utd have carved out a niche for themselves. Despite a barren last couple of seasons both these teams will again do well against the continent's finest.

Hearts and Hibs have both embarked on long-term plans to provide themselves with a solid base from which to make a worthwhile foray into the big-time.

In the last decade Scotland's allocation of places in Europe has risen from four to five and I can foresee a time in the not too distant future when we will be allowed six representatives in the European Cups.

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