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Rangers' Record

**SCOTTISH LEAGUE CHAMPIONS
(34 TIMES)**

- 1891, 1899, 1900, 1901, 1902,
1911, 1912, 1913, 1918, 1920,
1921, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1927,
1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1933,
1934, 1935, 1937, 1939, 1947,
1949, 1950, 1953, 1956, 1957,
1959, 1961, 1963, 1964.

*In 1891 the championship
was shared with Dumbarton.

SCOTTISH CUP WINNERS (19)

- 1894, 1897, 1898, 1903, 1928,
1930, 1932, 1934, 1935, 1936,
1948, 1949, 1950, 1953, 1960,
1962, 1963, 1964, 1966.

LEAGUE CUP WINNERS (7)

- 1947, 1949, 1961, 1962, 1964,
1965, 1970.

OTHER STATISTICS

Glasgow Cup holders 36 times;
Charity Cup (32) Southern League,
(4); Southern League Cup (4)
Emergency War Cup and Scottish
Regional League (1939-40) Victory
Cup 1946. Reserve League
champions (25) 2nd XI Cup (23);
Reserve League Cup (5).
In Europe—Runners-up European
Cup Winners' Trophy 1961, 1967.

FRONT PAGE PICTURE: The kind of miss Rangers won't want against Celtic today — inside forward Alex MacDonald is just a fraction too late to get a touch to the ball in front of goal in a Rangers raid in the Old Firm match at Ibrox a fortnight ago.

Picture by courtesy of Scottish Sunday Express.

TODAY'S TEAMS

RANGERS

McCLOY
JARDINE
MATHIESON
GREIG
McKINNON
JACKSON
McLEAN
CONN
STEIN
D. JOHNSTONE
W. JOHNSTON
MacDONALD

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CELTIC

WILLIAMS
McGRAIN
HAY
MURDOCH
McNEILL
CONNELLY
JOHNSTONE
HOOD
DALGLISH
CALLAGHAN
HUGHES
LENNOX

Referee — W. Anderson, East Kilbride.
Linesmen — J. S. Byars, Paisley, W. W. Campbell, Irvine.

GURKHAS ON PARADE

Playing at Ibrox today are some of the most famous military musicians in the world — the massed bands of the Brigade of Gurkhas. Altogether there are almost 150 members in the band, which features pipes and drums as well as a Military Band and Buglers.

The Gurkhas, of legendary fighting fame in the last war, are in Scotland for the Edinburgh Military Tattoo. They will play before today's match, then at half-time before being whisked swiftly back to Edinburgh for two performances at the Tattoo.

Today is Gurkha Appeal Day in Glasgow, and a collection will be made to help the appeal.

The bands will be under the direction of Captain H. C. R. Bently, A.R.C.M., of the 2nd King Edward VII Own Gurkha Rifles.

RESERVE REVIEW

The Rangers Reserves drew their third League Cup tie in succession when they went to Methil and played out a 3-3 draw with East Fife last Saturday. But, as in the other two games against Celtic and Ayr United, it was a match the Colts should have won.

"The main point, however, is that they played really well — the best so far" says Ibrox assistant manager Willie Thornton.

"Our second goal was a great one. Six players were involved in 1-2 movements before Willie Semple finally made the opening for Derek Parlane to crash in a fine shot.

"It was a most encouraging performance. With our remaining games at home I'm confident we can win the section".

The Reserves were a goal down, then fought back to get a 2-1 lead. They were pulled level again by the Fifers, but the Ibrox boys nosed in front again with an Andy Penman free kick 'special' — he bent the ball round the defensive wall.

However, a last-minute slip-up by the defence allowed East Fife through for an equaliser.

Andy Penman, who also scored the first goal, has now netted seven in all so far (including friendlies).

The team was : Neef; Alexander, Miller; Donaldson, Smith, Morrison; Fyfe, Penman, Parlane, Semple, Struthers.

On Monday the Reserves meet Celtic at Ibrox and finish up their Section with another home game against East Fife next Wednesday.



Derek Parlane

Reserve League Cup Section Four.

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Celtic	3	1	2	0	5	3	4
Rangers	3	0	3	0	5	5	3
E. Fife	3	0	3	0	5	5	3
Ayr	3	0	2	1	2	4	2

Reserve appearances

- 5 — Neef, Miller, Smith, Morrison, Penman, Parlane.
- 4 — Alexander, Pirrie, Donaldson.
- 3 — Semple, Denny.
- 2 — Struthers, Fyfe.
- 1 — McCallum (s1), Walker.

Scorers

- 7 — Penman (2 pen).
- 2 — Parlane.

* Not Including Wednesday's game v Ayr.

KEEPING UP WITH THE NEWS

Rangers News, the official club newspaper for the fans, continues to soar in popularity. And little wonder. Packed into its 12 pages are plenty of stories, pictures and features to delight the Ibrox fans — including a special boys page, competitions and a coaching column from Jock Wallace. Demand is great — so make sure you get your copy by making a permanent order with your newsagent.

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The unclaimed prizes are programme No. 1311, which was the number selected for the match against Ayr United at Ibrox on March 18, and No. 68 which was the winning number in the game

against Morton on Saturday, August 21.

If you bought a programme at either of these games and still have it, check the number in the box in the bottom right hand corner of the front page. You could be due £50.

Should one, or both, prizes fail to be claimed by Wednesday of next week, September 1, then the money will be carried forward. **THIS WILL MEAN TWO £50 PRIZES WILL BE OFFERED AT EACH OF THE NEXT TWO HOME MATCHES.**

This is the system, which is regarded as fairest, put into operation on a similar occasion last season.

Today's lucky winning number is featured in the box on the front page. The number will be announced over the loudspeakers at half-time, and displayed on boards round the track.

PRIZE PIX, carries stand tickets as prizes. Study the pictures on the opposite page. They were taken at the League Cup tie against Morton last Saturday.

If you are featured inside one of the white circles . . . then you have won TWO free stand seats. Bring your magazine with you to the main entrance where, after suitable identification, you will receive your prize.

SPECIAL VOUCHERS are inside a number of today's magazines.

These can be exchanged for a copy of 'Rangers - The New Era' the book which contains the history and records of the club.

If you find a voucher inside your programme bring it with you to the main entrance where you will receive your copy of the book.

SCORECHART

A	HIBS MOTHERWELL	
B	KILMARNOCK DUNDEE UNITED	
C	CLYDE FALKIRK	
D	DUNDEE ABERDEEN	
E	AIRDRIE DUNFERMLINE	
F	ST. JOHNSTONE HEARTS	
G	MORTON AYR UNITED	
H	CLYDEBANK BERWICK	
J	COWDENBEATH QUEEN'S PARK	
K	STIRLING ALBION DUMBARTON	
L	ARBROATH PARTICK THISTLE	
M	EAST FIFE RAITH ROVERS	
N	MONTROSE ST. MIRREN	
P	STRANRAER ALBION ROVERS	



PRIZE PIX



FOR SAFETY'S SAKE

Rangers Football Club ask all fans to co-operate and make sure that everyone leaves the ground with the maximum of comfort and safety by following this procedure at the end of the game :

1. Take your time leaving the Stadium.
2. If you see that passages or stairways are becoming jammed — hold back. You will only be delayed for a few moments.
3. Help any youngster, old person — anyone, in fact — if you think they are having difficulty.
4. Be particularly careful on the exit stairs, and avoid jostling as much as possible.
5. Abide by Stewards' and Police Instructions.

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"KENSINGTON" 408 Paisley Road West
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"FOUNTAIN" 252/254 Paisley Road West
"PARKWAY" 1593/1599 Paisley Road West
"JEANIE DEANS" Paisley Road Toll
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THE DEFIANT DANE



Erik Sorensen, the former Rangers goalkeeper who flew back from retirement in his home country of Denmark last week to help his old club Morton out of a keeper crisis. And help them he certainly did against his other former colleagues . . . Rangers. Erik had a superb match against the Light Blues at Ibrox last week and it was thanks to some of his fine saves that Rangers only gained a 2-0 victory. Here the defiant Dane goes stretching up to tip a long-range shot over the bar, with Colin Stein pounding in just in case there is a chance going.

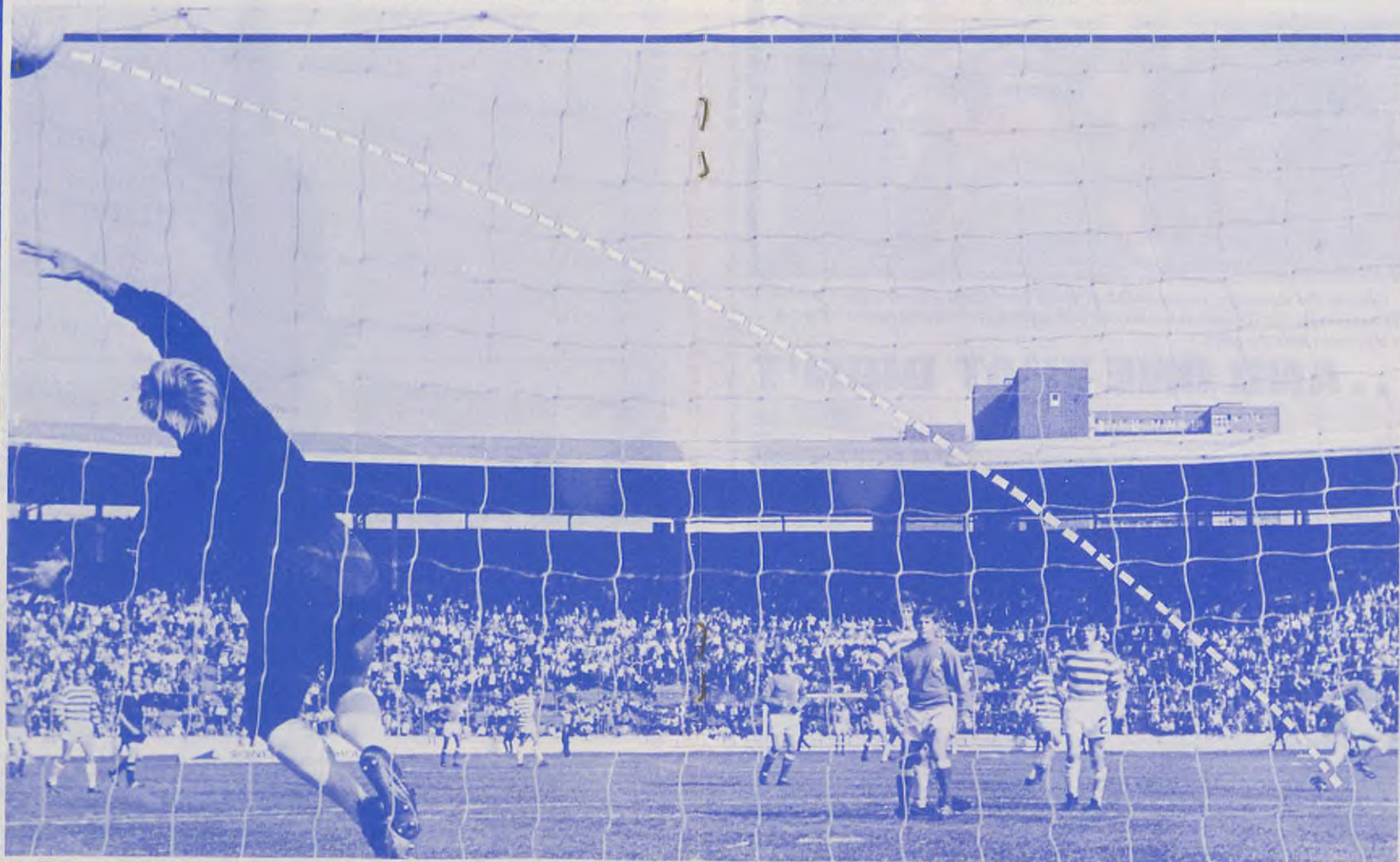
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CRACK!
its a goal
to remember

Goals are the lifeblood of football. The fans love 'em . . . as many as they can get. And if they can get a really great goal thrown in, so much the better. And the unanimous agreement is that Alex MacDonald's second goal for Rangers against Morton was one of the best seen for some time . . . a cannonball shot from 30 yards which left the goalkeeper with no chance. Here the camera captures the drama.

MAC'S SUPER SHOT THRILLS THE FANS

Picture by courtesy of Beaverbrook Newspapers Ltd.



ONE THAT GOT AWAY...



Despite the seemingly happy looks of Ibrox men Colin Jackson and Colin Stein, there was no joy for Rangers in this second half goalmouth incident against Morton... the ball went past the post.

...AND ONE THAT DIDN'T



No mistake this time as young Derek Johnstone bangs the ball home for Rangers opener against the Greenock side. Goalkeeper Sorensen is left grounded.

Pictures by courtesy of Scottish Sunday Express.



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Spotlight on...

RENNES

Although French club football has fallen in stature since the days of the great Kopa and company in the 1950's when clubs like Rheims (twice beaten in the European Cup Final by Real Madrid) could match the best, there will be no complacency at Ibrox about the forthcoming battle with Rennes in the European Cup Winners' tournaments.

Rennes are French Cup holders — and that is a fair enough indication that they are a team with fighting qualities.

And they can also play a bit, as Ibrox manager Willie Waddell saw when he spied on them in a League match in France recently.

Rennes . . . or Stade Rennais as the club is properly known, was founded in 1901. They have never won the French premier championship — indeed their best performance has been to finish fourth on two occasions.

They have been relegated twice, and won the Second Division championship in 1956. But it is in Cup competitions that Rennes seem more at home.

Apart from last season's win, Rennes also won the trophy in 1965 and have been beaten finalists twice. Their record



Raymond Keruzore



in other Cup competitions is good.

However, in their only other venture into European competition – in 1965 when they were in the Cup Winners tourney – Rennes ran into the redoubtable Czech cracks Dukla Prague and were eliminated in the preliminary round. The French side lost 2-0 in the first leg away from home but managed a 0-0 draw in the return . . . which is another warning to Rangers.

The club are now managed by a former Rennes and France internationalist Jean Proff, who returned to his old club after directing the football affairs of the Polish international side and later the great Belgian club Standard Liege.

Rennes have a number of fine players in the side, as manager Waddell saw in his recent spy trip.

The Ibrox boss drew comparisons between the French club's talented left half Raymond Keruzore and former Rangers and Scotland man Jim Baxter. And to come into that class, the Frenchman is obviously good. He's just 22, and a very stylish player.

Others who caught the eye of the Ibrox boss were outside right Terrier . . .

Danger Man



French international midfield player Andre Betta, 27, is a man pinpointed by manager Willie Waddell as a threat to Rangers when the Ibrox team visit France on September 15 for the first leg of the European Cup Winners tourney tie.

who seems well named . . . and on the left wing local man Daniel Periault.

In defence, Rennes have a couple of tough customers in sweeper Rene Cedolin, an experienced 31-year-old internationalist and team skipper Louis Cardiet, a 28-year-old full internationalist.

ANOTHER POOLS BOOM

Rangers Pools, the biggest attached to a football club in Britain, achieved another record last week when the number of clients shot up by a staggering 47,000 from the previous week.

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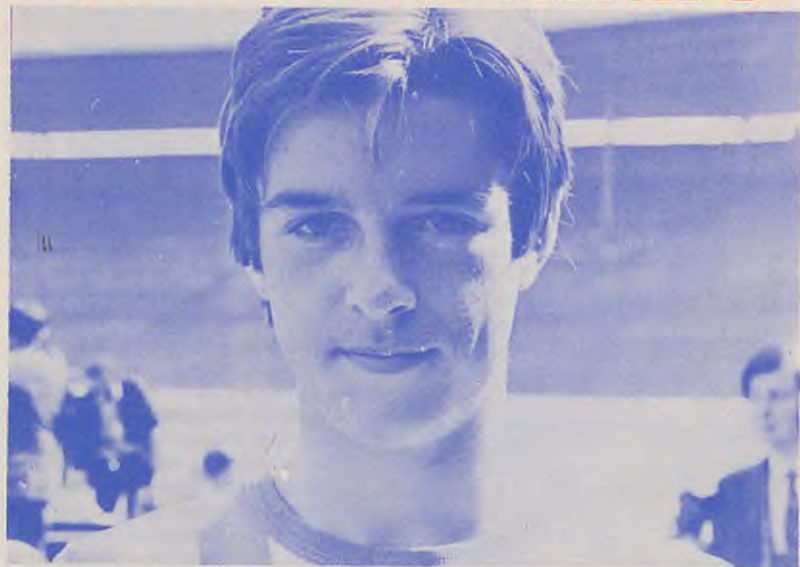
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Face of the future



Alex Morrison

Born – 12.2.1953 in Dumbarton.

Lives – Clydebank.

Height – 5ft. 9in.

Weight – 9st. 10lbs.

Joined club – August, 1970 from Drumchapel Amateurs.

Taste in food – scampi.

Taste in music – Cream.

Favourite films – anything with Brigitte Bardot in it.

Footballing hero as a schoolboy – Jim Baxter.

Favourite current footballer – Franz Beckenbauer (Bayern and Germany).

Happiest soccer memory – coming on as substitute for the first team against St. Mirren on Boxing Day last year.

Blackest football memory – being in the reserve sides which lost heavily to Celtic at the end of last season.

Ambition – to be a first team regular.

Biggest influence on his career – Mr. Eddie McDonald, coach with Drumchapel Amateurs.

Alex has played in many different positions for the Ibrox reserves, but prefers right half . . . attacking right half, of course.