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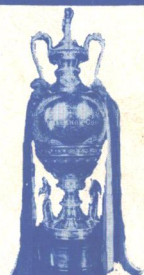
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LEAGUE CHAMPIONS (36)

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, 1975,
1976.

* In 1891 the championship was shared with
Dumbarton.

SCOTTISH CUP WINNERS (21)

1894, 1897, 1898, 1903, 1928,
1930, 1932, 1934, 1935, 1936,
1948, 1949, 1950, 1953, 1960,
1962, 1963, 1964, 1966, 1973,
1976.

LEAGUE CUP WINNERS (8)

1947, 1949, 1961, 1962, 1964,
1965, 1970, 1975.

OTHER STATISTICS

Glasgow Cup (39); 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 (28);
2nd XI Cup (23); Reserve League Cup (7).

LET'S HAVE A FINAL FLING!

MATCH MAGAZINE SLANT

TONIGHT starts a run of three quick-time home games for Rangers . . . a sequence that provides the ideal set-up for a Scottish Cup Final boost.

Thistle tonight, Ayr United on Saturday and Motherwell next Wednesday—all at Ibrox—should supply the right kind of opposition to help tune the Light Blues up for the big meeting with Celtic at Hampden on May 7.

has been a bit like a fun-fair roller coaster—but at the moment the feeling in the Ibrox ranks is that the team is on the ascendancy . . . just in time to retain the Cup.

All that's needed is for the players to take a quarter of the chances that have been made and missed in so many games

this season, and the Cup could be on its way back to the Ibrox trophy room.

The three home games present an opportunity for the forwards to sharpen up on the shooting . . . and the defence to stay tight.

For Thistle, Ayr and Motherwell all still want points to make sure there are no last-minute slip-ups in their respective battles to stay in the Premier Division.

So they will be out to test the Rangers defence—as well as blunt the Ibrox attack.

The double challenge is there for Rangers in the next week—get goals, give none.

Let's see how the players respond to this challenge in the bid to round the season off with a Final flourish.



No way through. Derek Parlane and Derek Johnstone can't get past Alan Hansen and Alan Anderson in the meeting between Rangers and Partick Thistle at Firhill in January 1975. Rangers won 4-0.



A good run by Bobby McKean is finished with a quick pass inside to Tommy McLean (just out of picture) as the Thistle defence is caught on the hop in the match at Ne'erday. Rangers won 1-0.

• MEET RANGERS OPPONENTS •

**The Jags
win their
long, hard
battle...**

BERTIE Auld's Partick Thistle side are fighters. Rangers have every reason to know that.

For in three League meetings so far this season, Jags have won twice, and Rangers have won only once.

And on each occasion, there was just one goal in it—Thistle winning 2-1 and 4-3 at Firhill, Rangers getting a 1-0 victory at Ibrox.

Jags have surprised quite a few teams this season. The main aim at Firhill was simply to consolidate a place won in the Premier Division by virtue of a title-taking performance last season in the First Division.

As part-timers, Thistle knew it would not be easy. But manager Auld had confidence both in the ability and courage of his players . . . faith that was proved right, but only after a long hard battle.

Thistle look safe now for another crack at Premier soccer next season—although they are not taking that for granted yet, which will make them a tough team to beat tonight.

So perhaps like so many other sides, they will go on from this first nerve-wracking

season to develop even further the bright aggressive football they have shown against Rangers and against many other clubs in the past few months.

In which case, Jags will be a really pleasing side to watch and welcomed by fans up and down the country.

Manager Auld has a team with a fine balance of experience, youth and international class.

The addition recently of former Motherwell and Celtic striker Dixie Deans, a full internationalist, will undoubtedly give added goal punch. The stocky Dixie, a favourite with fans everywhere, has been a prolific scorer with every club right back to his junior days at Neilston.

He will share the scoring duties with Youth internationalist Jim Melrose, an 18-year-old apprentice electrician who joined Jags from Glasgow amateur side Eastercraigs a couple of seasons ago, and burly ex-Ayr and Falkirk man Doug Somner.

Also standing by for a place in attack are the mercurial Denis McQuade, ex-Montrose

player Harry Johnston and long-striding winger Bobby Houston.

In midfield, the Thistle gang-show is run by little red-haired John Craig, signed from Aberdeen a couple of years ago and possessor of one of those educated left feet that can make the ball do magic.

He is joined by former internationalist John Hansen, occasionally by the other Hansen brother Alan, an Under-23 cap; former Southend player Alastair Love and this season's new discovery Ian Gibson, who was signed in 1974 from Coltness.

In defence Thistle have the tall Brian Whittaker at left back, a player of great promise, and in the centre the experienced Jackie Campbell links up with former Petershill player John Marr.

And right at the back Thistle have the current No. 1 choice for Scotland in goal—Alan Rough. A big, likeable keeper with a lot of character as well as ability, he has had an outstanding season for Thistle and Scotland.

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4. Ban the use of obscene language.
5. Have the greatest respect for residents in the vicinity of football grounds. Do not be a public nuisance.
6. Put an end to members urinating at the roadside when travelling.
7. Set a good example to the youngsters who are travelling.
8. Impress on youth the importance of good behaviour.
9. Have respect for women who attend matches.
10. Notify Ibrox Stadium of any sign of hooliganism both home and away.

The Club, Police, Local Authorities and S.F.A. will back the supporters' association in these measures.

HALF-TIME QUIZ

Who's hit four against the Jags?

1. Who knocked Partick Thistle out of the Scottish Cup this season?
2. With which English club did Dixie Deans guest for a few weeks this season?
3. From which club did Jags sign him?
4. How many points did Thistle finish in front of Kilmarnock to win last season's First Division championship—three, six, eight?
5. How many goals has Kenny Watson scored against Thistle this season?
6. Which Rangers player has hit four goals against Jags so far this term?
7. Who beat Thistle in the play-off for third place in the Tennent Caledonian Cup at Ibrox at the start of this season?
8. What position did Bertie Auld hold in football before becoming manager at Firhill.
9. Which English club plays at the Gigg Lane ground?
10. In which country does the Setubal club play?

ANSWERS ON PAGE 17

TENNENT'S



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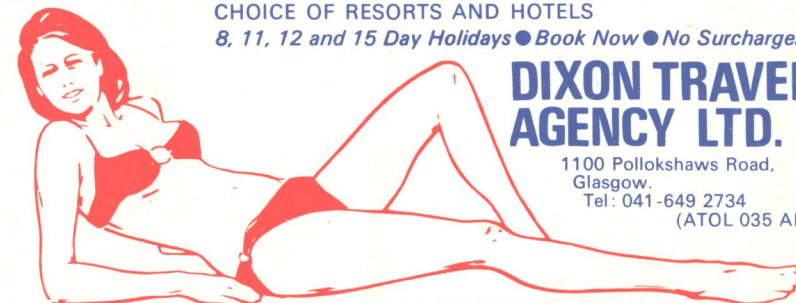
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FLASHBACK... FLASHBACK... FLASHBACK...

WHAT A GAME THIS WAS!

- You only have to go back a month to find the last Thistle-Rangers encounter... and what a game that was. Jags won 4-3 in a game which tingled with excitement right from the start.
- Points were vital to both teams—Rangers for their title hopes, Jags in their relegation fight.
- To the delight of the home crowd, Harry Johnston shot them into a 20th minute lead after a shot from Alan Hansen had been parried by keeper Stewart Kennedy.
- Then in 32 minutes Rangers equalised with a Derek Johnstone header, with Thistle protesting for offside.
- But back came Jags and in the 54th minute Doug Somner beat off a Tom Forsyth challenge, rolled the ball across goal and young Jim Melrose shot home.
- However back bounced Rangers with two goals inside five minutes to set themselves up for what looked victory. First of all Kenny Watson thundered home a free-kick of great power from the edge of the box in 59 minutes and in 64 minutes Derek Parlane shot home after a rebound.
- Thistle were stunned—but not knocked out. Within three minutes big Alan Hansen strode up to meet the ball coming over from a corner to shoot the equaliser and then five minutes from time the same player banged in a penalty after Melrose had been downed by keeper Kennedy in the chase for a faulty pass-back.
- Jags also won the earlier League match at Firhill—again with a late winner. This time the game had just gone into injury time when full back Brian Whittaker met a pass at the edge of the box and fired in an unstoppable winner.
- Kenny Watson had put Rangers in front in 53 minutes, but then Doug Somner headed the equaliser in 74 minutes.

● Today's game is the 140th League meeting between the two clubs. Rangers have won 100 of the previous meetings, lost 17 and drawn 22.

● In the process, Rangers have scored 340 goals and conceded 133.

● Only five times have Thistle won a league game at Ibrox dating back to 1897-98.

● Their victories were in 1906-07 (2-1), 1914-15 (1-0), 1915-16 (1-0), 1937-38 (3-1) and 1950-51 (3-1). So it's more than quarter of a century since Thistle last left Ibrox with both points.

● Thistle's greatest victory over Rangers was 5-2 at Firhill in 1915-16.

● Rangers' best win over Jags was 9-0 at Ibrox in 1902-03. They also won 8-1 in 1904-05 and have seven times taken six goals off Thistle.

● Thistle have never won the top League—but won the First Division title in 1975-76 and have three times been Second Division champs.

● They won the Scottish Cup in 1921, beating Rangers 2-1 in the Final and lost 2-1 to the Light Blues in the 1930-Final after a 0-0 draw.

● They beat Royal Albert 16-0 in the first round of the Scottish Cup in 1931 and their heaviest defeat was 10-1 by Dunfermline in 1958-59.

**IT'S A
FACT**

● Thistle won the League Cup in 1971-72, beating Celtic 4-1 at Hampden.

● They were founded in 1876, moving to Firhill in 1909.

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- 2 JARDINE
- 3 GREIG
- 4 FORSYTH
- 5 JACKSON
- 6 WATSON
- 7 McLEAN
- 8 HAMILTON
- 9 PARLANE
- 10 MacDONALD
- 11 JOHNSTONE
MILLER
ROBERTSON

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- 4 CAMPBELL
- 5 MARR
- 6 A. HANSEN
- 7 MELROSE
- 8 DEANS
- 9 GIBSON
- 10 SOMNER
- 11 CRAIG
LOVE
JOHNSTON

CHEERS! IT'S THE TENNENT'S CUP AGAIN



THE news that Tennent Caledonian are to once more sponsor the highly-successful four-club tournament which set off this current season will delight the fans.

Southampton, last year's winners by virtue of beating Rangers in the Final, will be back to defend along with one of the other top English clubs.

And there will be a queue of Scottish clubs eager to make up the quartet.

TONIGHT'S SCORECHECK

A AYR UNITED
KILMARNOCK

E BRECHIN
STENHOUSEMUIR

B DUNDEE UNITED
ABERDEEN

F CLYDE
STIRLING ALBION

AND AT IBROX

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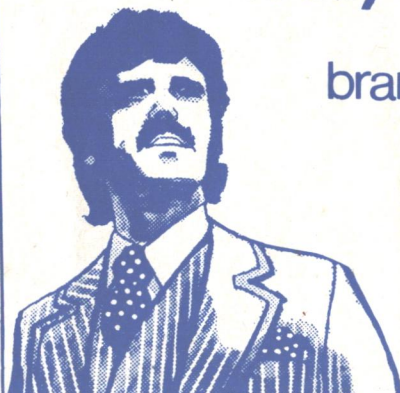
FIRST TEAM SCORERS

FIRST TEAM SCORERS—Code: Friendlies (F); Tennent Caledonian Cup (TC); Glasgow Cup (GC); League Cup (LC); League (L); European Cup (EC); Scottish Cup (SC); Substitute (s); Total games played—55. Not including Sat. 9/4/77 Results

	F	TC	GC	LC	L	EC	SC	Total
Johnstone	4	2		5	9		1	21
Parlane		1		2	14	1		18
MacDonald				3	6		2	11
Jardine			1	6			2 (1p)	9
McKean	2			1	2		1	6
O'Hara	3				2			5
Miller			1 (p)	2 (p)	3 (p)			6 (p)
Jackson			1		4		2	7
Hamilton	1			1	2			4
Henderson	1			1				2
Watson	1				3		1	5
McLean				1	1		1 (p)	3 (1p)
Munro				1				1
Greig				1				1
McDougall	1							1
Total	13	3	3 (1p)	24 (2p)	46 (3p)	1	10 (2p)	100

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● SANDY JARDINE

SANDY— FORM BOOST —WITH GOALS

NOTHING has made the Rangers fans happier in recent weeks than the welcome return to his best form by right back Sandy Jardine.

Injuries made last season a poorish one for Sandy, who played in only half of the full games possible.

But this term he has missed only a couple of games and has shown his old drive and skill on the overlap.

He's playing it low-key at the moment, and prefers not to say too much about his fine form. But you can tell he's happy by the quiet smile!

And as a bonus, Sandy has popped in nine goals to date—not including any he happened to net against Hearts on Saturday—and that puts him well up the Ibrox scoring charts.

He stepped back into the role he formerly occupied as first choice penalty-taker against Hearts last week—and demonstrated he still has the spot touch by slamming the second goal past Jim Cruickshank.

But it is attacking drive alongside wee Tommy McLean on the right wing which is making the supporters appreciative. Sandy and wee Tam team up in a formidable partnership which combines skill and speed—and provides a few goals for the forwards.

Sandy himself is eager to get into double figures. But he still has a long way to go to match the 18—including eight penalties—he hit in season 1974-75 when he was joint second top scorer for the club.

Mind you, there are a few games to go yet and Sandy wouldn't mind getting one in that Hampden meeting with Celtic on May 7!

COLTS SNATCH THREE VITAL CHAMPIONSHIP POINTS

A YOUNG Rangers reserve team will just be returning from France about this time after taking part in a special Easter tournament at Roubaix.

Details of how much progress they made will be given in later Match Magazines.

But last week before Joe Mason left with his youngsters, the Ibrox coach was reasonably happy to watch his team pick up three vital points from two away matches.

First of all the Colts went to Broomfield and beat Airdrie 1-0, then they travelled through to Easter Road and got a point against a strong Hibs team in a hard-fought 2-2 draw.

SCOTTISH RESERVE LEAGUE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Rangers	27	21	2	4	79	24	44
Aberdeen	24	15	7	2	58	54	37
Partick Thistle	25	15	4	6	55	36	34
Clydebank	23	14	3	6	50	34	31
Celtic	24	12	6	6	65	44	30
Hibs	26	11	6	9	51	36	28
Dundee United	25	11	4	10	38	34	26
Motherwell	22	11	2	9	44	35	24
St. Mirren	24	9	5	10	34	40	23
Kilmarnock	24	7	9	8	29	54	23
Airdrie	22	9	2	11	46	52	20
Dundee	23	9	2	12	31	39	20
Dumbarton	25	8	4	13	29	50	20
Hearts	21	7	4	10	29	40	18
Ayr United	24	6	2	16	29	45	14
Raith Rovers	24	4	6	14	25	44	14
Queen's Park	25	5	4	15	20	42	14
QOS	19	2	6	11	30	52	10

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RESERVE



REVIEW

"These three points at that stage put us level with Aberdeen at the top of the table," says Joe.

"For although we are eight points in front of them, I'm not ignoring the fact that Aberdeen have four games in hand. We've got to anticipate they can win these matches to pull level with us again.

"So we cannot be complacent—we've still got to go all out to win our remaining matches. We have a much superior goal difference so even if it came down to a tie on points we would be o.k.

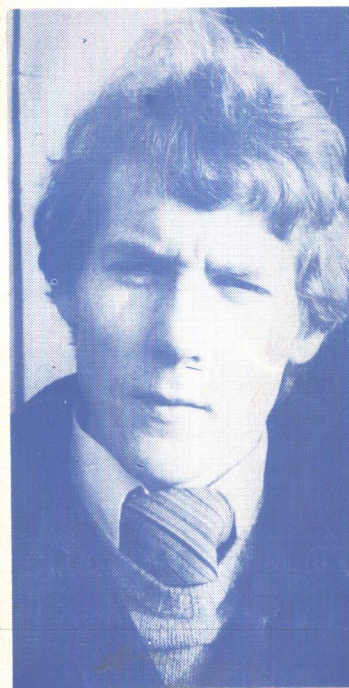
"But just in case—I want the team to keep on winning, and winning well".

The Colts had to come back from being a goal down at half time to get the point from Hibs—but still could have won, feels coach Mason.

"We had the chances—a lot more than Hibs—but didn't take advantage," he says.

Ian McDougall put the Reserves level in the second half and then Chris Robertson got his customary goal to edge Rangers in front.

"But a bad defensive mistake let Hibs in for an equaliser," says coach Mason, who was happy with the form of Bobby McKean and Chris Robertson.



● CHRIS ROBERTSON

The team at Easter Road was:

McCloy; A. Boyd, Miller; Denny, Morris, Armour; McKean, McDougall, Robertson, Henderson, Munro. Alex O'Hara came on as substitute for Alan Boyd.

Against Airdrie, the scorer of the vital goal was, naturally, that fine marksman Chris Robertson who has now hit 23 goals in 26 games for the Reserves.

The team at Broomfield was:

McCloy; A. Boyd, Dawson; Denny, Morris, Munro; McKean, Brand, Robertson, Stein, G. Boyd.

Alex O'Hara came on as substitute for Gordon Boyd and Davie Armour replaced Colin Stein.

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4. Be particularly careful on the exit stairs, and avoid jostling as much as possible.
5. Abide by Stewards' and Police instructions.

QUIZ ANSWERS

1. Hibs at Easter Road.
2. Carlisle United.
3. Luton.
4. Six points.
5. Two.
6. Derek Johnstone.
7. Manchester City.
8. He was Hibs coach.
9. Bury.
10. Portugal.

APPEARANCES, SCORERS

FIRST TEAM APPEARANCES—Total games played—55.

	F	TC	GC	LC	L	EC	SC	Total
McCloy	3	2	1	7	5	2		20
Miller	4	2	1	10	13 s8	2		33 s8
Greig	4	2	1	11	27	2	4	51
Forsyth	4	2	1	8	19	2	4	40
Jackson	3	2	1	4	26 s7	1	4	41
MacDonald	4 s1	2	1	11	24 s1	2	4	47 s2
McKean	3	2	s1	6 s2	15 s5	1 s1	1	28 s9
Hamilton	3 s1	1		2 s2	15 s2	1	2	24 s5
Henderson	4	1 s1		1 s2	4 s2			10 s5
McLean	3	2	1	10	30	2	4	52
Johnstone	3 s1	2	1	8	20	2	4	40 s1
Jardine	3 s1	1 s1	1	11	30	2	4	51 s2
Parlane	2 s1	1	1	11	25 s2	2	3	45 s3
Dawson	s1			1	1			2 s1
Munro	4	s1	1	6	4 s1			15 s2
Denny	1			8 s1	5	1 s1		15 s2
Kennedy	2			4	25		4	35
Watson	1 s1			2 s1	24		4	31 s3
McDougall	s1						1	2 s3
Robertson	s1				5 s3		1	6 s4
Steele					5			5
Stein					1 s1			1 s1
Morris	1				1			2
O'Hara	1 s1				5			6 s1
Brand	1							1

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RESERVE APPEARANCES—Total games played—44.

	F	RLC	RL	2C	Total
Kennedy	3	6	4	1	14
Arnour	3 s1	7	19 s4	2	31 s5
Dawson	4	7	17	3	31
McDougall	4	6	16 s3	s2	26 s5
Denny	3	2	19	1	25
O'Hara	4	7	21 s3	1	33 s3
G. Boyd	2 s2	6	12 s5	s2	20 s9
Robertson	1	8	15	2	26
Stein	3	3	16 s2	2	24 s2
Watson	3	4	9	1	17
Munro	3	2	24	1	29
Henderson	3 s1	3	15 s1	2	23 s2
Morris	1 s3	8	22 s4	3	34 s7
Hamilton	1	2	9	2	14
McKean	2	1	10		13
A. Boyd	2	7	13	1	23
Strickland		s1	1 s2		1 s3
Brand		4 s1	17 s2	2 s1	23 s4
Jackson			2		3
O'Neill			1 s5	1	2 s5
McCloy		2	18	2	22
Lowrie	1		5		6
Russell			2		2
Lee			1		1
MacDonald			2	1	3
Steele			1		1
Johnstone			3		3
Forsyth		1	3		4
Miller		1	7		8
Jardine			1		1
Greig			1		1
McLean			1		1
Parlane			1		1
Marshall		1			1
McTurk			1		1
J. McDonald			s1		s1

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RANGERS MATCH RECORD

Date	Opponents	Competition	Venue	F	A
Aug. 10	Celtic	Glasgow Cup Final	Parkhead	3	1
Aug. 14	St. Johnstone	League Cup	Ibrox	5	0
Aug. 18	Hibernian	League Cup	Easter Road	1	1
Aug. 21	Montrose	League Cup	Ibrox	4	0
Aug. 25	Hibernian	League Cup	Ibrox	3	0
Aug. 28	Montrose	League Cup	Links Park	3	0
Sept. 1	St. Johnstone	League Cup	Muirton	1	0
Sept. 4	Celtic	League	Parkhead	2	2
Sept. 11	Kilmarnock	League	Ibrox	0	0
Sept. 15	F.C. Zurich	European Cup	Ibrox	1	1
Sept. 18	Hibernian	League	Easter Road	1	1
Sept. 22	Clydebank	League Cup Q.F.	Ibrox	3	3
Sept. 25	Hearts	League	Ibrox	4	2
Sept. 29	F.C. Zurich	European Cup	Zurich	0	1
Oct. 2	Ayr United	League	Somerset Park	1	1
Oct. 6	Clydebank	League Cup Q.F.	Kilbowie	1	1
Oct. 16	Aberdeen	League	Ibrox	1	0
Oct. 18	Clydebank	League Cup Q.F. (Rep.)	Ibrox	0	0
Oct. 19	Clydebank	L.C.Q.F. (2nd Rep.)	Firhill	2	1
Oct. 23	Motherwell	League	Fir Park	1	3
Oct. 27	Aberdeen	League Cup S.F.	Hampden	1	5
Oct. 30	Partick Thistle	League	Firhill	1	2
Nov. 9	Dundee United	League	Ibrox	3	0
Nov. 13	Kilmarnock	League	Rugby Park	4	0
Nov. 20	Hibernian	League	Ibrox	1	1
Nov. 24	Celtic	League	Ibrox	0	1
Nov. 27	Hearts	League	Tynecastle	1	0
Dec. 26	Motherwell	League	Ibrox	1	0
Jan. 1	Partick Thistle	League	Ibrox	1	0
Jan. 8	Kilmarnock	League	Ibrox	3	0
Jan. 11	Celtic	League	Parkhead	0	1
Jan. 19	Aberdeen	League	Pittodrie	3	3
Jan. 22	Hearts	League	Ibrox	3	2
Jan. 29	Falkirk	Scottish Cup 3rd round	Ibrox	3	1
Feb. 5	Ayr United	League	Somerset Park	2	0
Feb. 12	Dundee United	League	Ibrox	2	3
Feb. 16	Hibernian	League	Easter Road	0	0
Feb. 19	Aberdeen	League	Ibrox	1	0
Feb. 26	Elgin City	Scottish Cup 4th round	Ibrox	3	0
Mar. 5	Motherwell	League	Fir Park	2	0
Mar. 8	Dundee United	League	Tannadice	0	0
Mar. 12	Motherwell	Scottish Cup Q.F.	Ibrox	2	0
Mar. 15	Partick Thistle	League	Firhill	3	4
Mar. 19	Celtic	League	Ibrox	2	2
Mar. 23	Ayr United	League	Ibrox	1	1
Mar. 26	Kilmarnock	League	Rugby Park	0	1
Mar. 30	Hearts	Scottish Cup S.F.	Hampden	2	0
Apr. 2	Hibernian	League	Ibrox	2	1
Apr. 9	Hearts	League	Tynecastle		
Apr. 13	Partick Thistle	League	Ibrox		
Apr. 16	Ayr United	League	Ibrox		
Apr. 20	Motherwell	League	Ibrox		
Apr. 23	Dundee United	League	Tannadice		
Apr. 30	Aberdeen	League	Pittodrie		
May 7	Celtic	Scottish Cup Final	Hampden		

Tennent Caledonian Cup:
Rangers 2 Partick Thistle 0; Rangers 1
Southampton 2.

Friendlies:
Werder Bremen 3 Rangers 1; St. Pauli 2
Rangers 1; Aston Villa 2 Rangers 0;
Inverness Clach 0 Rangers 8; Morton 2
Rangers 3.

	SCOTTISH LEAGUE—PREMIER DIVISION									
	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts			
Celtic	28	18	7	3	65	32	43			
Dundee United	29	15	7	7	48	33	37			
Aberdeen	29	13	9	7	46	31	35			
Rangers	29	12	10	7	44	30	34			
Hibernian	29	7	15	7	29	29	29			
Partick Thistle	30	8	11	11	32	40	27			
Motherwell	27	8	9	10	40	43	25			
Ayr United	29	9	6	14	36	54	24			
Hearts	28	5	10	13	37	50	20			
Kilmarnock	30	4	6	20	27	62	14			

Not including Sat. 9/4/77 Results