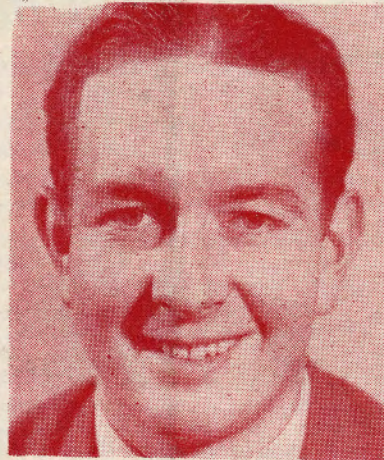


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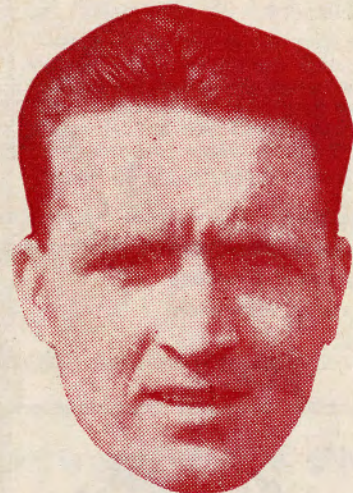
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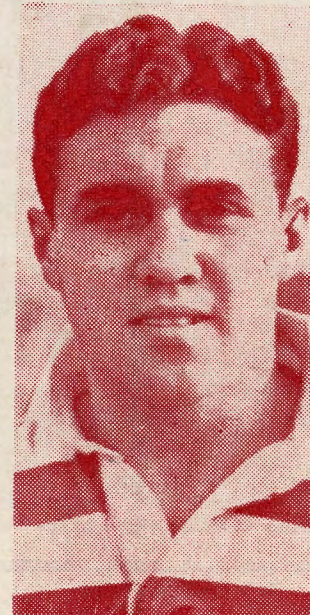
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Not Quite a "Repeat" of Last Season's Final

TODAY'S Scottish Cup Semi-final between Glasgow's famous East End rivals is not exactly a replica of last year's Final. There have been team changes, and these make a difference when weighing up the prospects.

John Bonnar, Frank Meechan, Jock Stein and John McPhail were in the Celtic team last season, and Clyde had Ken Hewkins in goal, Tom Anderson at centre half, and George Brown at inside left.

The full teams in the replayed Final tie of 1955 were:—

Celtic—Bonnar; Haughney and Meechan; Evans, Stein and Peacock; Walsh and Fernie; Fallon; McPhail and Tully.

Clyde—Hewkins; Murphy and Haddock; Granville, Anderson and Laing; Divers and Robertson; Hill; Brown and Ring.

The Clyde team was unchanged for the replay, while Celtic preferred Walsh to Collins at outside right, and Fallon was brought on at centre forward for McPhail, who went to inside left, the position occupied by Walsh in the first tie.

NEWCOMERS

There are quite a number of Clyde players new to a Scottish Cup Semi-final tie. Watson, Gallacher, Keogh, Innes, Billy McPhail, and Kemp have not been in this game before.

The only Celtic player who has not experienced Hampden on such an occasion is Dick Beattie in goal.

Beattie can exchange congratulations with Kemp at outside left for Clyde. Both boys came up from Duntocher Hibs last year. Pretty good going that.

Innes, at left half, a player some folks regard as one of the leading discoveries of the season, was also a Junior last season. He came from Ashfield.

Here are the Clyde players and their former clubs:—

Player	Former Club	Signed
M. Watson	St. Roch's	1953
J. Gallacher	Falkirk	1954
H. Haddock	Renfrew	1949
D. Laing	Hearts	1954
B. Keogh	Maryhill	1951
N. Innes	Ashfield	1955
A. Hill	Jeanfield Swifts	1952
A. Robertson	Glencairn	1947
W. McPhail	Queen's Park	1947
T. Ring	Ashfield	1948
J. Kemp	Duntocher Hibs.	1955

FROM THE RECORDS

Diving into the records we see that, since the start of the Scottish Cup, Celtic and Clyde have contested nine national ties, and of these Celtic have won seven.

The first one between the East End rivals was as far back as 1889, when Clyde won by a goal, only to have Celtic successfully protest against them.



CLYDE'S 1955 CUP-WINNING TEAM

In the replay Celtic won by nine goals to two.

And the last occasion they met was in the Final last season when Clyde won the replay by Tommy Ring's goal. They've been at it for 67 years!

Here is the list of Celtic and Clyde Scottish Cup ties:—

1889—5th Round	Celtic 9 Clyde 2
(After protested tie which Clyde won 1-0)	
1907—1st Round	Celtic 2 Clyde 1
1909—Semi-final	Celtic 2 Clyde 0
(After draw 0-0)	

1910—4th Round	Clyde 3 Celtic 1
1911—3rd Round	Celtic 1 Clyde 0
1912—Final	Celtic 2 Clyde 0
1914—1st Round	Celtic 2 Clyde 0
(After draw 0-0)	

1937—Semi-final	Celtic 2 Clyde 0
1955—Final	Clyde 1 Celtic 0
(After draw 1-1)	



Mr. P. TRAVERS,
Manager, Clyde F.C.



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SIXTH ROUND

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(Divers)

SEVENTH ROUND

QUEEN OF SOUTH 2 CLYDE 4
(McGill, Patterson) (Ring 2, Robertson
(p), McPhail)

Goals For, 10; Against, 2

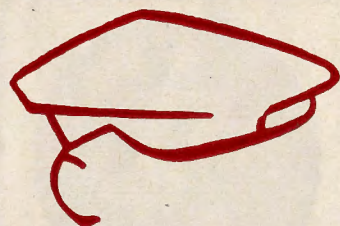
Scorers—Ring 5, Lennox 2, Divers,
Robertson, McPhail

Semi-Final

CLYDE CELTIC

THE INTERNATIONAL

Early arrivals at the Scotland v. England game on April 14 will not lack entertainment. The Band of the Scots Guards and pipers from the 1st Battalion Scot's Guards will supply the music, Robert Wilson will lead the community singing, there will be two displays—one by the Glasgow Keep Fit movement, and the other by the Scottish Country Dance Society, and two track events—both with an international flavour.



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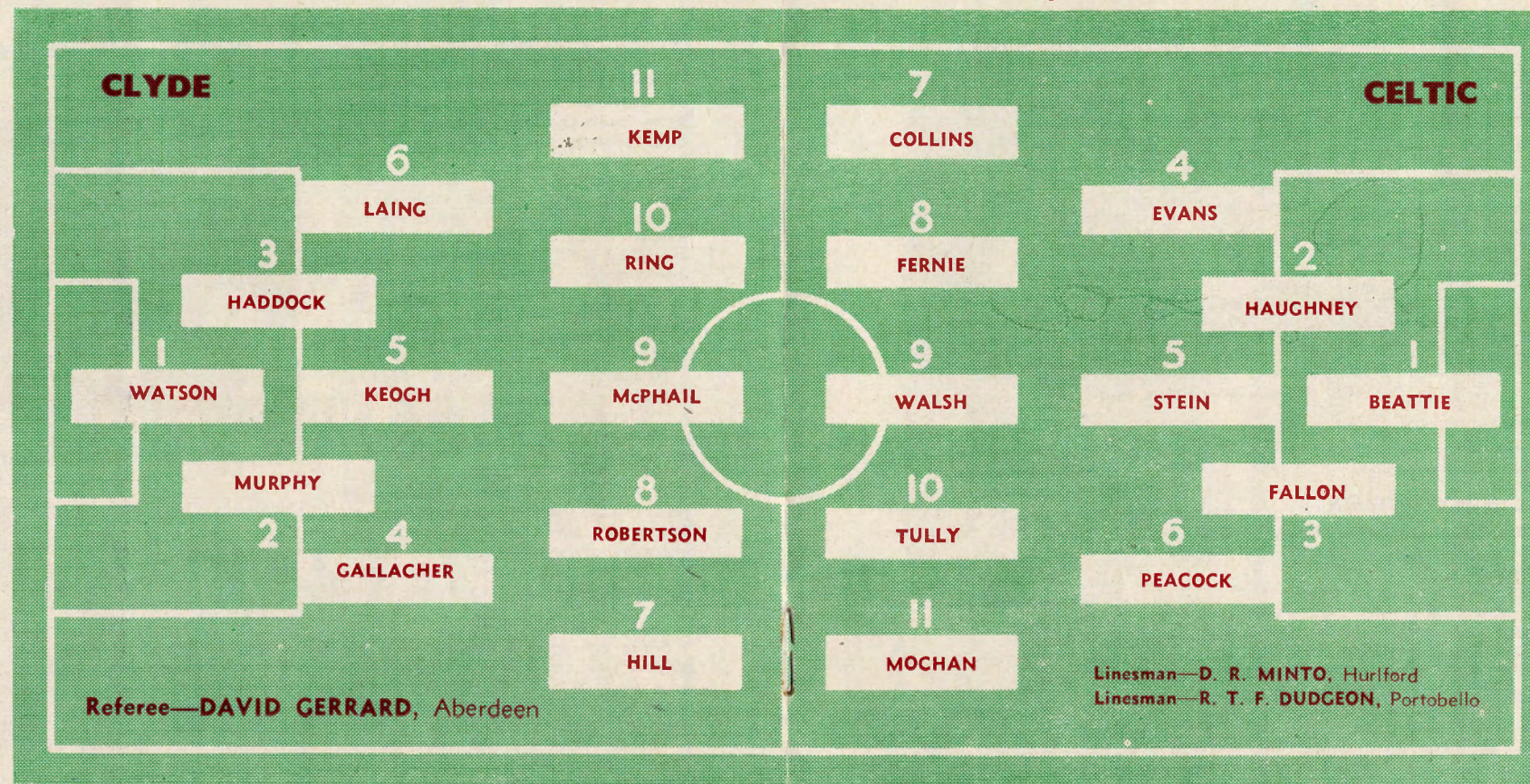
OBTAINABLE

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OUTFITTERS

The Line-up For To-day's Tussle



Four Celtic players hold two Scottish Cup medals each—Fallon, Evans, Tully and Peacock.

Centre half Tommy Anderson, who skippered Clyde to their Scottish Cup triumph last season, is making good progress towards recovery from the leg injury that he kept him out recently.

George Hunter, who kept goal for Celtic when they beat Motherwell in the 1950-51 Scottish Cup Final, is now doing good work with Exeter City.

Among the occupations of present-day Senior players, that of Clyde's Billy McPhail "tops" the lot—he is a ladies' hairdresser.

Dick Beattie, the Celtic goalkeeper, was in the Duntocher Hibs team that was defeated by Kilsyth Rangers in the Scottish Junior Cup Final replay last season. He hopes to step a step nearer a Scottish Cup winner's badge today.

Barry Keogh of Clyde was rated a

first-rate boxing prospect before he switched over to football.

Outside right John Higgins, who shared in Celtic's Scottish Cup triumph in 1953-54, is hoping to resume playing soon. He has been out with a knee injury for which he underwent an operation. He is now in light training.

Celtic's Route

FIFTH ROUND

MORTON 0 CELTIC 2
(Tully, Collins)

SIXTH ROUND

AYR UNITED 0 CELTIC 3
(Collins 2, Mochan)

SEVENTH ROUND

CELTIC 2 AIRDRIE 1
(Collins, Tully) (Baird)

Goals For, 7; Against, 1

Scorers—Collins 4, Tully 2, Mochan 1

Semi-Final

CELTIC CLYDE

The improved "T" Football used in this match was supplied by Sportsman's Emporium Ltd., Glasgow, and manufactured by William Thomlinson Ltd., Glasgow.

Jimmy Delaney and Willie Buchan, who formed the right wing in the Celtic team that gained a 2-1 victory over Aberdeen in the 1936-37 Scottish Cup Final, are still on active duty. Jimmy is with Cork Athletic. Willie is with East Stirling.

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CELTIC have reached the Semi-final stage with 14 players.

Their most changed position has been centre forward where Sharkey, McIlindon and Walsh have all "had a shot". Beattie in goal and Haughney at right back have been through the campaign and Goldie and Fallon have been the left backs.

Evans and Boden have played right half and centre half, and Peacock has been unchanged at left half.

In front Collins at outside right and Tully and Mochan on the left wing have been through the previous ties in those positions.

The inside rights have been Fernie and Smith.

CELTIC'S MEN

Player	Former Club	Signed
R. Beattie	Duntocher Hibs	1955
M. Haughney	N'tongrange Star	1949
S. Fallon	Glenavon	1949
A. Boden	D'tocher Boys' Guild	1947
R. Evans	St. Anthony's	1944
R. Peacock	Coleraine	1949
R. Collins	Pollok	1949
W. Fernie	Kinglassie	1949



CELTIC'S 1954 CUP-WINNING TEAM

J. Walsh	Bo'ness United	1950
C. Tully	Belfast Celtic	1948
N. Mochan	Middlesbrough	1953

CLYDE'S TWENTY

On their way to the Semi-final Clyde have used 20 players in the three ties. The twenty are:—

Goal, Watson; right back, W. Currie and Gallacher; left back, Haddock; right half, Granville, Laing (and Gallacher); centre half, Murphy, Anderson and Keogh; left half, Innes (and Laing); outside right, Brown, Divers and Hill; inside right, Robertson, D. Currie; centre forward, Lennox and McPhail; inside left, Carmichael, (Innes and Ring); outside left, Kemp (and Ring).

Fellows in brackets signify they played in more than one position.

It is a goodly number of three games, but it demonstrates the struggle the Shawfielders have had to find their best formation. They have had a puzzling season—but, for all that, here they are again, with a chance of retaining the coveted trophy.

CUP FACTS

The Scottish Cup was first played for in 1873-74. Queen's Park F.C. were the first winners—in fact, they won it for the first three years. The record holders are Celtic who have held it on 17 occasions.

Summary of the Parkhead successes—

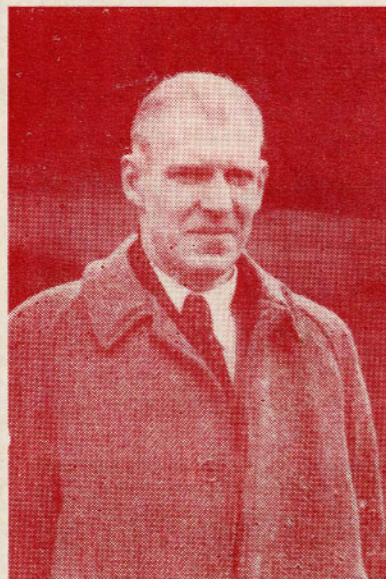
1892—Celtic	.....5	Queen's Park...	1
1899—Celtic	.....2	Rangers	.....0
1900—Celtic	.....4	Queen's Park...	3
1904—Celtic	.....3	Rangers	.....2
1907—Celtic	.....3	Hearts	.....0
1908—Celtic	.....5	St. Mirren	.....1
1911—Celtic	.....2	Hamilton	.....0
1912—Celtic	.....2	Clyde	.....0
1914—Celtic	.....4	Hibernian	.....1
1923—Celtic	.....1	Hibernian	.....0
1925—Celtic	.....2	Dundee	.....1
1927—Celtic	.....3	East Fife	.....1
1931—Celtic	.....4	Motherwell	.....2
1933—Celtic	.....1	Motherwell	.....0
1937—Celtic	.....2	Aberdeen	.....1
1951—Celtic	.....1	Motherwell	.....0
1954—Celtic	.....2	Aberdeen	.....1

We must also recall Celtic's great achievement in winning the Coronation Cup.

CLYDE'S FINALS

Altogether Clyde have figured in the Final on five occasions. Their first appearance in quest of the coveted medals was in 1909-10 at Ibrox Park when Dundee were the victors 2-1. In 1911-12, also at Ibrox, Celtic put paid to their hopes, also by 2-1.

But it was third time lucky for them in fielders were at Hampden, eager to repeat their pre-war success, but they encountered a Rangers side in rampant mood and it was humble pie for the east-end—the score 4-1.



Mr. ROBERT KELLY J.P.,
Chairman, Celtic F.C.

Men Behind The Scenes



Mr. A. DOWDELLS
Trainer, Celtic F.C.

Celtic are rightly rated one of the fittest teams in football. Which fact is quite a tribute to trainer Alec Dowdells. He is now practically an automatic selection when the Scottish selectors announce their teams to meet other countries.

Alec never reached Senior status as a player, but served an apprenticeship as trainer with Shettleston before being appointed to his present role with Celtic.



Mr. DAWSON WALKER,
Trainer, Clyde F.C.

Dawson Walker first came into the limelight when he was given the honour of training the all-star Rest of Europe XI that met Great Britain in 1947. He was not then attached to any Senior club.

Since joining Clyde as trainer, Dawson has come rapidly to the forefront and is now considered one of the top men in his sphere.

Cup Final Plans

THE Scottish Cup Final tie at Hampden on April 21 will be all-ticket. Prices are:—

Stands—21s.; 10s. 6d.; 7s. 6d.; 5s.

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Terraces—2s. 6d.

Boys' Enclosure—1s. 6d.

The competing clubs are entitled to 20 per cent of tickets at all prices. That means that each of the finalists can claim about 27,000 tickets, a figure based on a Hampden limit of 135,000.

After the finalists, official bodies and travel agencies are given quotas, the remainder of the tickets will be on sale to the general public.

REPLAYS

Replays (if any) in today's Semi-finals must take place on the same venues. Kick-off time in replays has been fixed for four o'clock, but that could be changed in the case of Hearts and Raith Rovers if they drew today and want to replay under the Easter Road lights.

UNDER THE LIGHTS

For the first time in the Scottish Cup story one of the semi-finalists—Raith Rovers—reached the second last stage after playing one tie by floodlight. In the fifth round they took advantage of the new playing conditions, to which official approval was given this season, and played Hibernian in a fifth round tie under Easter Road's brilliant lights. A crowd of 27,000 saw the Rovers returning a draw of one goal each.

East Fife and Stenhousemuir also played a fifth round tie under lights.

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„ 21—Scottish Cup Final at Hampden

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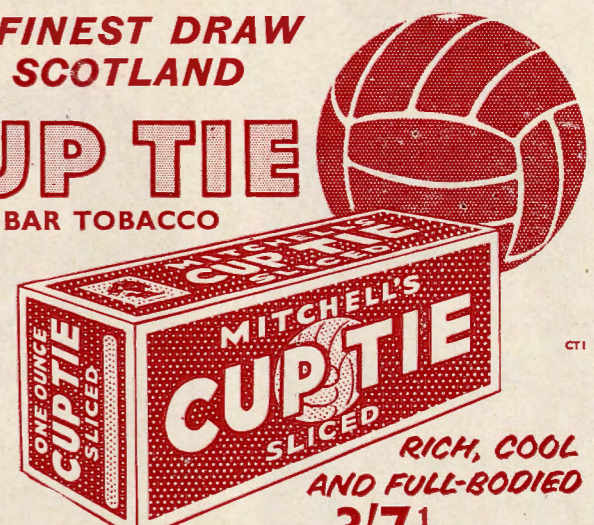
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