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TODAYSGAME CAMELON O.V.D. CUP When the Port Prog hinted earlier this season that the Cumnock manager's jacket was on a shakky nail, little did we, or any one else for that matter, envisage that the appointment would spark off Ayrshire's own brand of fireworks at the beginning of November. This is how 'SCOTLAND ON SUNDAY' reported the matter.

HERE used to be just one doubt about Willie Knox - Auchinleck Talbot fans would have an agreeable argument over the precise number of trophies the manager had won in 17 years with the club.

Knox has the honours jotted down on an index card. It is crammed with writing, but the tally appears to be 44. So much silverware ought to have bought the permanent affection of the supporters.

Now though, Knox has provoked the Ayrshire village to a fury which is likely to obliterate any fond memories. There was consternation when he resigned the manager's job just before the start of this season.

That was an improbable event, but Knox has trumped it with the unthinkable. Last Sunday, he agreed to take charge of neighbouring Cumnock. Some liken this manoeuvre to Liam Brady reemerging as Rangers' manager. So far as Ayrshire people are concerned, though, Old Firm enmity is just a tiff compared to the feuding of Auchinleck and Cumnock.

Never mind name-calling, it is a fixture which also features sticks and stones. Even the occasional golf ball would be hurled at the goalkeeper. Two years ago, Cumnock vicepresident Jock Burns hit an Auchinleck player with the corner-flag after a game. How could Knox agree to work for Burns and his committee?

"We have been nose-to-nose, shouting and bawling at one another," says Knox, "but we agreed we are the best thing for one another at this moment. Cumnock were my main opponents for 17 years. Because the villages are only a mile apart we were always looking over the wall at each other.

"That helped Auchinleck because it always motivated us



KEVIN MCCARRA

on a man branded a traitor in the village where he was once revered

to try and improve the side. They were our fiercest rivals. I wouldn't say I ever hated them but I did envy the success they enjoyed in the past and the potential Cumnock still had."

Few others are capable of such calm appraisal. Jamesie Kirkland, now with Darvel, has managed both Auchinleck and Cumnock, though not in direct succession. The experience taught him that only a very precise form of achievement could keep him in his post.

"With Cumnock," he recalls, "I thought that winning a trophy a year would be satisfactory. It wasn't. Pollok knocked us out of the Junior Cup in 1986 but Auchinleck beat them in the final. When I went to the Cumnock agm that summer there were a lot of complaints. even though we had just had a good season.

"I knew then that my only hope was to win the Cup the next year so we could match what Auchinleck had just done. We were knocked out in the fifth round. I was sacked the

very next day. The rivalry means everything. Go into a pub in Cumnock and say Auchinleck are not a bad team and you'll get the head knocked off your shoulders."

The villages are so close that they simply rub one another up the wrong way. Cumnock, by far the larger community, found Auchinleck's domination, which included five Junior Cups under Knox. insufferable. For the smaller village, ruined by the death of the mining industry, this mastery was a source of joy.

Recent upheaval has blighted relationships. In his job with an engineering firm. Knox is in the uneasy position of working beside Henry Dumigan, the Auchinleck secretary. Elsewhere, Malcolm Dunnachie, former president and committee member for 23 years, is still trying to rearrange his emotions after the upheaval.

"Willie is still a personal friend of mine but I am saddened by the manner in which this has happened. It would have been more acceptable if he had retired when he left Auchinleck. He is a free agent and can manage whichever club he likes but I would never have believed he could do this.

"Cumnock are supposed to come here for a match at the turn of the year. I would advise Willie just to send his team and stay at home himself."

Knox, though, will be in the dug-out directly in front of the Auchinleck support on that day. "He's unflappable," says Kirkland. "He will just look at them all and say, 'You've got short memories'."

Knox will not be feeling contrite. "I'll go there with my head held high," he declares. "I don't owe Auchinleck a single thing."

Beneath all the rage and

resentment there is a puzzle. The precise reasons for Knox's departure from the club this summer are not a matter of public record. The talk in Auchinleck is of plots and betrayal.

It appears that the manager was at loggerheads with key members of the club's committee. Locals believe that he was denied funds to strengthen a side which had lost important players. There are doubts about

the financial position of the club.

The precise facts will never be established but Knox's resentment is not in doubt. At the age of 56 he was unable to accept the summer's events as a proper conclusion to his life in football.

"I would have gladly retired in my own time but it was a situation with the officials which forced me to resign. The reasons behind my leaving were unsavoury. We couldn't





shake hands and say goodbye. It was a dirty divorce.

He found he had become a restless man. On Saturdays he would watch games only to realise they meant nothing to him. Back home, Knox was on the phone to Dunnachie, checking up on the Auchinleck result and noting their line-up.

The club had gone but the manager's instincts were still in full working order. "I missed all the patter at training as well as the matches. I know you can

feel pressure and get carried away but I think of football as an outlet. It gets me away from the grind of the working week."

Only a distinctive man could regard the Cumnock post as a form of recreation. The club were bottom of Ayrshire's First Division and had not collected a single point prior to yesterday's match with Saltcoats. At least Knox had no selection problems. There were only eleven fit players.

Cumnock, Junior Cup winners in 1989, are, however, capable of far more and Knox, despite an unassuming manner, does not really suffer from meekness: "I have faith in my own ability. When I first arrived at Auchinleck there were only 20 people in the ground,"

If Auchinleck's inhabitants are irate it may be because they are still afraid of Knox's powers.

Do those fans dread that history will repeat itself, this time in the wrong village? M. W. All Very

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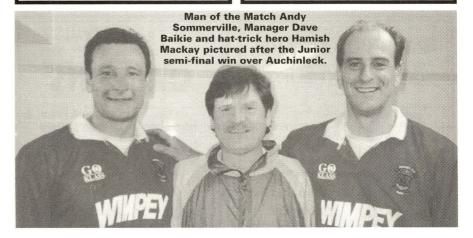
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Good afternoon to the Port Support and a warm welcome to the players and officials of Camelon Juniors to the Canniepairt.

In our last issue of the Port Prog I think I mentioned something about " keeping my fingers crossed for a good draw in the Scottish". So I suppose I've got to believe what everyone who witnessed last week's encounter at Camelon is telling me, that it was "a good draw". But for who, I've got to ask myself. Was it a good result for Tayport? At half time I probably would have accepted "the draw" if it was on offer. Why? Because of the way we approached the opening 15 - 20 minutes and the way we lost the two goals left me very disappointed indeed.

But then after 15 - 20 minutes of the second half, I'm saying to myself "no way am I accepting the draw". 3 - 2 ahead, could and should have been more - only to see it thrown away again.

So, at the end of the day, there were no losers, but a lot of winners. 850 or so to be precise. At times I ruminate and ponder about what it would be like to be one of those onlookers. Just to go along , have a few drinks, watch and enjoy a real ding-dong Scottish Junior Cup tie. See half a dozen goals, go home knowing I could go along to the replay and see it all again. Then I come back to reality and say secretly to myself , "to hell with it. A boring 1 - 0 win for Tayport will do me !"

Today's game will, I'm sure , give everyone pleasure. Camelon Juniors are a very capable side. If our players didn't know it before last week, they certainly know now. I say to them now, there can be no room for complacency. Only commitment. To advance in this Cup and to achieve what was within touching distance back in May, Tayport must dig deep and really show the character that can take us into the next round

Support The Port, Dave Baikie.

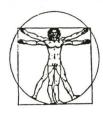
OVD SCOTTISH JUNIOR CUP 2nd ROUND REVIEW

The second round of the OVD Scottish Junior Cup last Saturday produced its usual quota of surprise results. The biggest upset was at Petershill where the Central League Champions were knocked out 2-1 by Lochee Harp. Jeanfield's hopes of cup glory were dashed by Oakley who won 3-1 in Fife. Newtongrange Star, prospective members of the Scottish League and riding high in the East Region were dumped 1-0 at home by Culter. Aberdeen and North based sides, generally, didn't do particularly well. Lewis went out 2-1 at St. Andrews, Stonehaven went down 3-0 at Armadale, Sunnybank lost by the only goal at Harthill and Bon Accord were beaten 2-1 by Downfield.

There were some dreadful hammerings for the North teams. Newcomers to the Junior ranks, Portgordon, still to taste a league victory, lost 13-0 at Ardrossan, Burghead lost 12 goals without reply at Ormiston, Dyce lost 9-0 at Bonnyrigg and Nairn returned from Shettleston, losers by 7-0. RAF Lossiemouth spared themselves possible similar ignominy by scratching thus saving Kello Rovers potentially the longest trip in the competition. Forres Thistle, though, saved some face, recovering from being two goals adrift to force a 3-3 draw and a replay today at Larkhall.

Holders Glenafton overcame Dunipace by 3-0 while Arbroath S.C.'s miserable time of recent weeks continued at Lesmahagow where the locals won by the same margin. Kelty were surprisingly heavy losers at home, going down 4-1 to Glencairn but no such problems for Hill of Beath who defeated Baillieston by the same scoreline. Our fellow Taysiders, Newburgh, shrugged off memories of their recent Fife & Lothians Cup defeat by Camelon to beat Maybole by 3-1.

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When Roy Anderson returned to Carmuirs Park as secretary one of his first moves was to appoint Brian Fairley as manager. Ex-East Fife Fairley, who was a Junior Cup winner with Bo'ness at Ibrox in 1984, has patiently rebuilt the Camelon side into an outfit which is generally regarded as the top side in the East Region at the moment.

Last season there was a very slim line between success and failure for Camelon. Eliminated from the OVD Cup by the only goal of the game at Glenafton, they were edged out of the Fife & Lothians (Charlie Bain) Cup on penalty kicks by Hill O' Beath. In local cup ties they lost out at the semi final stage on three occasions.

Fairley knew however that he was still short of some of the ingredients required to turn his 'nearly' men into winners and he made several astute close season signings. The new blend has proved to be a winner with Camelon boasting a run which has seen them go 15 games unbeaten since the start of the season.

The travelling Port Support witnessed a superb Carmuirs Park pitch which is a perfect stage for a side which likes to play football. This was surely a contributory factor last Saturday when Camelon's largest crowd for a long time was treated to a supremely entertaining tie.

Boss Brian Fairley is assisted by older brother GEORGE who doubles up as sweeper/coach and is the lynchpin of the Camelon side. 33 year old George signed three seasons ago from Whitburn where he wore the Burnie colours for 13 years.

Camelon, who have fielded an unchanged line-up for the past four games, will have 29 years old ALAN BANNER in goal. Banner was at Carmuirs as a youngster having been farmed out by St Mirren from which club he joined East Fife before moving back to the Mariners. Ex-Cowdenbeath defender GARY SMITH will wear the No.2 jersey. Smith became a bit disillusioned with life in the Seniors but has regained his appetite for the game playing alongside Fairley whom, he acknowledges, has been a major influence in his impressive displays this season. Centre half GRAHAM WOOD is one of the new boys. Wood (26) was signed from East of Scotland side Civil Service Strollers. Left back will be DEREK HASTON (32) a very experienced defender who is in his first season at Carmuirs following 10 successful seasons at Whitburn.

Midfielder BOBBY BARR(29), scorer of the opening goal last week, signed from Stenhousemuir two seasons ago. Sustained a broken leg in a clash with Rangers' Terry Butcher whilst with Hamilton Accies in the Premier League. RONNIE SCOTT (32) signed last season from East Champions Fauldhouse. Strong reliable midfielder. TOM MACDONALD (27) signed from Auchinleck Talbot two seasons ago. Missed out on an OVD medal through injury whilst with Talbot.

Up front it was 28 years old CHRIS MACKENZIE who took the eye last week. The diminutive winger is in his first season with the club after signing from Fallin Amateurs. Mackenzie was capped for Amateur Scotland last season. ALAN MCGONIGLE notched two of the Mariners' goals last week, showing just why he is one of the Region's most feared strikers. Signed from Linlithgow Rose during the close season. SCOTT HENRY (25) striker in his second season. Signed from Alloa Athletic. Like McGonigle, Henry is a prolific marksman. Henry was substituted last week by PAUL SIMPSON (25), a 6'5" striker signed three seasons ago from Pumpherston. If Camelon are to make their first change in four weeks, it could be to introduce Paul. PETER MACARTHUR (29). Substitute last week. Signed nine years ago from Stenhousemuir. Peter, a defender or midfielder, is the club's longest serving player.

Others in the pool today are JAMES ELLIS (22) signed this season from Dunipace Amateurs. FRASER GUTHRIE (27) signed from neighbours Bonnybridge. A midfielder who rarely missed a game whilst with Bonnybridge, but since his transfer, has been a regular on the treatment table. SCOTT MACINTOSH (25). A fullback in his third season. Recently back in training after a short spell on the sidelines. Completing the pool is MARTIN FERRIE (29), a midfielder signed only last week from Bonnybridge Juniors.

TAYPORT JUNIORS - Match Stats Match Stats Match Stats

Date	Opposition	Result	1	2	3	4	5	
Aug 16	ST JOSEPHS (H)	W 2-0	Mann	P. Reilly	Paterson	Spalding	Sommerville	Wilk
Aug 18	ST JOSEPHS (L)	W 4-1	Mann	P. Reilly	Paterson	Spalding	Sommerville	Wilk
Aug 21	FORFAR W.E. (L)	W 5-1	Mann	P. Reilly	Paterson	Spalding	Sommerville	Wilk
Aug 25	Lochee Harp (L)	W 3-0	Mann	P. Reilly	Paterson	Spalding	Mackay	Wilk
Aug 28	DOWNFIELD (L)	W 3-0	Mann	P. Reilly	Paterson	Spalding	Mackay 1	Wilk
Sept 4	NORTH END (L)	W 5-1	Mann	P. Reilly	Paterson	Spalding	Mackay	Wilk
Sept 11	Jeanfield (L)	L 2-3	Mann	Miller	Paterson	Spalding	Mackay 1	Wilk
Sept 18	Kinnoull (L)	D 0-0	Mann	P. Reilly	Paterson	Spalding	Mackay	Wilk
Sept 25	ARBROATH V. (L)	W 4-1	Mann	P. Reilly	Paterson	Spalding	Mackay 1	Will
Oct 2	KINNOULL (P)	D 1-1+	Mann	Malone	Paterson	Spalding	Sommerville	Cov
Oct 9	Dundee Violet (L)	W 2-0	Mann	P. Reilly	Paterson	Spalding	Sommerville	Will
Oct 16	CARNOUSTIE (L)	W 4-0	Mann	P. Reilly	Paterson	Spalding	Sommerville	Wilk
Oct 23	ARBROATH SC (L)	W 4-1	Mann	P. Reilly	Paterson	Spalding	Sommerville 1	Will
Oct 30	KIRRIE TH. (Z)	W 5-1	Mann	Miller	Spalding	Lamont 1	Sommerville	Wilk
Nov 6	Broughty Ath. (L)	W 2-1	Mann	Miller	Paterson	Spalding	Sommerville 1	Mac
Nov 13	Camelon (S)	D 3-3	Mann	P. Reilly	Spalding	Hunter	Sommerville	Wilk
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Kinnoull		12	6	3	3	24	16	15	Sean Wilkie	22- 8-90
North End		10	6	2	2	18	15	14	Jimmy Hunter	25- 1-91
Jeanfield Swifts		11	5	3	3	18	16	13	Jackie Devine	20-6-91
St Josephs		13	5	2	6	30	21	12	George Malone	22- 8-90
Arbroath S.C.		11	5	2	4	19	31	12	Kevin Thoms	22-8-90
Forfar West End		11	4	3	4	25	22	11	Paul Reilly	29-3-91
Dundee Violet		12	3	4	5	23	27	10	Frank Dolan	22-8-90
Lochee Harp		11	4	2	5	13	23	10	Hamish Mackay	28- 3-92
Forfar Albion		12	2	3	7	21	28	7	Graeme Irons	30-9-90
Broughty Athletic		12	1	4	7	16	25	6	Dave Baikie	22-8-90
Arbroath Victoria		12	0	1	11	15	41	1	Grant Miller	5-6-93
									Ewan Cameron	5-6-93



PORT PROG EXTRA

OVD SCOTTISH JUNIOR CUP THIRD ROUND DRAW



Officials of Junior clubs gathered at Bonnyrigg Rose's Social Club last Sunday afternoon to see the draw being made for the third round of the Cup.

With seven ties to be determined today there were a number of 'ifs & buts' in the draw. Even after today there could be second round replays taking place next Saturday at the same time as the third round ties.

Clear cut third round ties which take the eye are Arthurlie v Ardrossan, Shotts v Cumnock, Linlithgow Rose v Irvine Meadow and Kilbirnie v Renfrew. An other tie of the round will undoubtedly be that between today's winners here on the Canniepairt and Armadale Thistle. Holders Glenfton have an intriguing game at Harthill Royal.

The full draw is: - Lochore Welfare v LOCHEE UNITED; Arthurlie v Ardrossan Winton Rovers; Rutherglen Glencairn v Culter; Beith or NORTH END v Newburgh; DOWNFIELD v ARBROATH VICS.; Ormiston v Haddington; Whitburn or Dunbar v Muirkirk; Cumbernauld v Blackburn; Greenock v Turriff; Kirkintilloch Rob Roy v Hill of Beath; Crossgates v Inverurie; Banchory St Ternan or MONTROSE ROSELEA v Benburb; Maryhill v Dundonald; Linlithgow v Irvine Meadow; Vale of Clyde v ST JOSEPHS or Auchinleck Talbot; Lesmahagow v Tranent; Harthill Royal v Glenafton Athletic; Kilbirnie Ladeside v Renfrew; TAYPORT or Camelon v Armadale Thistle; Blantyre Vics v Kello Rovers; Pollok v Sauchie; Kilwinning Rangers v St Andrews United; Hall Russell United v KINNOULL or BROUGHTY ATHLETIC; Bonnyrigg Rose v Forres Thistle or Larkhall Thistle; Glasgow Perthshire v Hurlford United; Shotts Bon Accord v Cumnock; Wishaw v Banks o' Dee; Oakley United v KIRRIE THISTLE; Neilston v Shettleston; Saltcoats Vics v Dalkeith Thistle; Bathgate Thistle v Clackmannan; Largs Thistle v St Anthony.

TODAY'S TIES

Tayside clubs are spread the length of the country this afternoon in pursuit of OVD Cup glory. North End travel to north Ayrshire to meet Beith. Beith will be boosted by their Jackie Scarlett Cup final win over Auchinleck in front of 1658 fans at Somerset Park a week past Wednesday. Like the North End tie in Dundee the game finished goalless but Beith came out on top in the penalty shoot out. Beith were happy to leave Dundee with a replay. According to their local newspaper they "...were pleased to have left Tayside relatively unscathed after withstanding a physical barrage, which resulted in five bookings for the home side "

Auchinleck Talbot may still have their reputation but recent reports suggest their slip is showing. Beaten in the Jackie Scarlett Final, they are also out of the West of Scotland Cup, beaten by Benburb and a report of a recent game commented that "...Talbot appeared to run out of steam". The chance of a St Josephs victory when the teams meet at Fairfield Park today is definitely on.

At Perth , Kinnoull await Broughty Athletic. Kinnoull were less than chuffed when the game was first postponed at the last minute two weeks ago. Despite their improved form this season Kinnoull will be wary of a Broughty side, five of whose seven defeats this season have been by the odd goal.

Montrose Roselea travel north to replay against Junior newcomers Banchory St. Ternan. Word from the north suggests that Banchory have done the hard bit and will finish the task second time round. Montrose will have other ideas.

LAST SATURDAY'S RESULTS

Perthshire Advertiser Cup 2nd Round - Arbroath S.C. 2(Russell, Gill) Scone Thistle 1(Penton); Carnoustie 3(Cranston 3) Lochee Harp 0; Division 2 - Kirrie Thistle 1(Moss) Bankfoot 1(Robertson).

TAYPORT JUNIORS The Club Records

Overall			
Biggest Home Win	11 - 1	v. Kinnoull (League)	10 10 00
Biggest Away Win	11 - 1	v. Kinnoull (Zamoyski Cup)	10-10-92
Biggest Home Defeat	1-4	v. Pollok (Scottish Cup)	CC 2 2 2 2 2
Biggest Away Defeat	1-3	v. Glenafton (Scottish Cup)	9-3-91
Longest Unbeaten Run	33 games	19- 9-92 to 8- 5-9	
Longest Winning Sequence	12 games	30-11-91 to 29-2-	
Longest Losing Sequence	2 games	9- 3-91 to 16-3-9	
Evilgent Evalling Dequence	2 garnes	15-5-93 to 23-5-9	
Longest Run Without Win	3 games	19- 8-91 to 24-8-	
Longest Sequence of Scoring	58 games	15- 8-90 to 19-8-	
Longest Sequence of Failing to Score	2 games	12- 6-93 to 16-6-9	93
Longest Sequence Without Losing Goal	5 games	4- 4-92 to 29-4-9	92
		1- 2-92 to 29-2-9	92
-		13-3-93 to 14-4-9	93
Scottish Cup			
Biggest Home Win	7 - 1	v. Blackburn 2 - 2-	91
	7-1	v. Cumbernauld 31-10-	92
Biggest Away Win	5 - 0	v. Lewis United 30-11-	91
Biggest Home Defeat	1 - 4	v. Pollok 9 - 3-9	91
Biggest Away Defeat	1 - 3	v. Glenafton 28 - 3-9	92
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League			LOUIS OF LAND
Biggest Home Win in Division I	11-1	v. Kinnoull 1992/9	3
Biggest Away Win in Division I	6 - 0	v. Bankfoot 1991/9	2
	6-0	v. East Craigie 1991/9	2
Biggest Home Win in Division II	9-0	v. St Joseph's 1990/9	1
Biggest Away Win in Division II	7 - 1	v. Balbeggie 1990/9	1
Biggest Home Defeat in Division I	0 - 1	v. Forfar Albion 1992/9	3
Biggest Away Defeat in Division I	2 - 3	v. Jeanfield Swifts 1991/9	2 & 1993/94
	1 - 2	v. Forfar West End 1991/9:	2
Biggest Home Defeat in Division II	2 - 3	v. Kirrie Thistle 1990/9	1
	1 - 2	v. Arbroath Vics 1990/9	1
Biggest Away Defeat in Division II	1 - 2	v. Kirrie Thistle 1990/9	l
Longest Winning Sequence	11 games	8- 2-91 to 8- 6-9)1
Longest Losing Sequence	1 game		
Longest Sequence of Scoring	25 games	15 -8-90 to 19- 8-9	
Longest Sequence without Losing Goal	7 games	14-12-91 to 25-4-9)2
Most Goals in One Match	D D '11		
Wides Goals in One Match	Dave Reilly		1990/91 (L)
Players who have scored Hat-tricks	Hamish Ma	,	1992/93 (L)
a myers who have scored mat-tricks	Dave Reilly		
Percent County II Com D			Ewan Cameron - 1
Record Crowds Home - 2,187 v. Do	wnfield (3-4	1-93) Away - 6,500 v. Gl	enafton (23-5-93)

PORT PROG EXTRA UPDATE

for Saturday 4th December 1993

WHEN we were drawn to play Camelon in the 2nd round of the OVD Scottish Junior Cup on 13th November, little did we think that, four weeks later the tie still wouldn't be resolved. Following the draw at Camelon, it was all systems go for the replay on 20th November only to be inconvenienced by that 11th hour postponement.

THE match programmes were retained for the following week(27th Nov.) updated by the addition of an insert. Here we go again. Same programme but what you are reading is update No.2. Some of the info. in the original programme is, of course, a bit dated by now but, as you will appreciate, there's little we could do about it. I am reliably assured that, unlike the programmes, the pies are not three weeks old. We had to get fresh ones, the originals walked out on us ten days ago.

A postponement during the 17 years football has been played at the Canniepairt is rare but postponements in successive weeks is unknown. Many a time matches have been played here when the rest of the country has succumbed to the weather. If postponements in successive weeks are unknown, then so too are postponements in November. Let's hope it is not a sign of the rest of the winter to come. With Christmas and New Year falling at the weekend, we can ill do with losing any further Saturdays. We understand, however, that the League will slot in a fixture the Monday after

THE only Tayside club which managed any competitive action last week was North End but, after their 4-1 defeat by Beith, they'll be wishing that they had been snowbound like the rest of us.

FEELINGS were high in the North End camp over the condition of the playing surface at Beith and their sentiments were echoed by Tayside's Match Secretary, Jock Myles, who was present and was quoted in the press as saying "I was surprised the tie got the go-ahead. The park looked a lot worse than the one at Tayport the previous week". Nobody told Jock he's supposed to vote with the Establishment!

THOSE who proposed the new rule which ensures that OVD ties are completed over two games and that there should be a seven week gap between third round ties in December and fourth round ties in January have every right to feel smug at present. But, even with the new rule the bad weather has caused a backlog with third round ties also due today. It could be the end of January until some third round ties are settled the way things are going.

ARMADALE await the winners of today's tie and are no doubt represented at the Canniepairt this afternoon (If he makes himself known to our match secretary, he'll get a cuppa in the pavilion at half time).

LAST WEEK'S GAMES

Beith 4 North End 1. In the only game featuring a Tayside team, North End were left to rue an early cahnce missed by Smith when Shanaghey put the locals ahead after half an hour. Eddie McAuley, the North End defender was ordered off just before half time and before the Dundee team could get to grips with the game in the second half they were down to nine men, international defender Mike Feeney receiving his marching orders. From the penalty conceded as a result of Feeney's offence, Courtney put Beith 2-0 ahead. A late flurry of goals saw Borthwick and Conlan make it four before Smith grabbed a goal for the Dokens.

Armadale 2 Newtongrange Star 3. Armadale recovered from being 0-2 at half-time to draw level only to have their unbeaten league record dashed when Cochrane got a late winner for Newtongrange.

- **** CHRISTMAS DRAW. The club's annual Christmas Prize Draw takes place on Wednesday 15th December at the Tayport Arms. Top prize is £200 but there are lots of others. Those with tickets are reminded to return the counterfoils and money as soon as possible. Anyone wanting to sell tickets can obtain them from Bert Irvine tel. 553241.
- **** CHRISTMAS DANCE. The Christmas Dance will take place on Saturday 12th February! Venue is Constables in Victoria Street Dundee with a top line band. All welcome. Ticket details soon.
- LUB SWEATERS. We have a supply of club lambswool pullovers in stock. Ideal for Christmas presents. £25. Also replica strips £20.







AMATEURS IN 'SCOTTISH' TOO
The club's amateur side is
also involved in the national
trophy today. Across on the
East Common they meet Plean
Tavern from Stirling in the
3rd round of the Scottish
Amateur Cup. Kick-off there
is at 2mm.

KICK-OFF CHANGE Today's kick-off has been brought forward to 1.15pm.

CHANGE OF LINESMAN

There has been a change of linesman for today's game. Mr M.Cryans from Bellshill replaces Mr Smith.

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PRESS COMMENT

'YOU CAN'T BELIEVE WHAT YOU READ IN THE NEWSPAPERS' is an oft used phrase. However it certainly didn't apply to the report in last week's FALKIRK HERALD of the first tie between Camelon & Tayport. This is what Herald reporter Ian White had to say in the edition of 18th November -

- "This was without doubt one of the finest Cup ties ever seen at Carmuirs Park. In a game that would have graced the OVD Scottish Junior Cup final itself the high excitement from start to finish kept the 1200 crowd rooted to the spot until the final whistle. Defensive lapses may have contributed to five of the six goals but the outfield play from both teams was at times breathless. "
- " Tayport and North End were annoyed at late decisions to call off their Scottish Cup ties. In both cases morning inspections by local referees declared the pitches playable but the match referees decided otherwise. "
- Evening Telegraph(24/11/93)
- " Tayport fans were in angry mood when their second round Scottish Cup tie with Camelon was postponed by the match official just an hour before kick off...Tayport had no doubts about the pitch being playable but Camelon thought otherwise and then the referee decided to call it off "
- Courier(Monday 22/11/93)

Some more on Willie Knox's decision to take the Managerial reins at Cumnock -

- "...Knox who quit Talbot in the summer amid controversy, has been out of the game ever since but always pledged to return despite claiming he had received a death threat if he took the Cumnock job."
- Ayrshire Post 5/11/93
- " I could write a book about this but I don't want to be in a slagging match I feel I've been made a scapegoat for the Cumnock committee's blunders "
- Bobby McCulloch after being dismissed as Cumnock manager and replaced by Willie Knox - Ardrossan & Saltcoats Herald(5/11/93)
- " I haven't been to the ground since the Saltcoats match (Willie Knox's first game in charge of Cumnock) and I won't be back while Knox is there. "
- Cummock's international defender Neil Armour in the Glasgow Evening Times (20/11/93)

ARCHIVES UPDATE

The postponement of last week's tie has given an opportunity to update the 'Flashback Foto' which appears in this programme. The 'unknown' is Henry Lovie. Some of the worthies in the photo are still actively involved with the club. Martin Gourlay is a main collector for the club's Scorepool and Abby Walker is a groundsman here at the Canniepairt. Davie Wilson , Ian Paterson and Huck Phin are season ticket holders. The others aren't too far away. Andy Phin, always a good source of info. advises that Lovie is in Rosyth, Scott is Kingskettle way, Philip in Dundee and John Payne is in St Andrews. Willie Walker and Davie Ross still stay in Tayport.

THE SNOUT

ANY exiled Forres Thistle fans must have been totally confused when they picked up the papers to see how their favourites fared in their OVD Cup replay at Larkhall Thistle. No result in the Sunday Mail or the Sunday Post (there's a surprise now!) while Scotland on Sunday had Forres winning 3-1. Pick up Monday's Courier to find out the 3rd round draw and discover that Larkhall are down to meet Bonnyrigg. Totally confused by now, we pick up the Aberdeen Press & Journal, thinking that they are bound to have it right. What do we find? Larkhall 3 Forres 1. However, in the 'Junior Round-up', We're told that Forres made the trip to Larkhall only to find that the match had been postponed! A glance across the page to the draw. What do we find? Bonnyrigg Rose v Larkhall. You're confused? So was I! I am assured that the game was postponed and will be replayed this week.

DESPAIR....Disaster....Delight.....Delirium...Tayport Amateurs' Stevie Moyas experienced all those emotions on Saturday. Despair when, with his side winning 1-0 with five minutes of the game against Broughty left to play, he handled the ball to prevent a certain goal. Disaster when he was sent off for the offence. Delight when his keeper Kenny McRitchie saved the penalty and Tayport held on to win and finally delirium when he learnt that he was the sole winner of the club's weekly sweepie and collected a cool £500.

THE new ladies and gents public toilets at the Canniepairt were finally operational in time for last week's aborted game. Work to provide this facility, new showers etc. in the home dressing room area and a changeover from electric to gas has been going on for some time. Although the alterations are not all finished, we must thank all those who have been involved but in particular, Tom Webster, who has done a power of work on the plumbing side of things and who refuses to take anything for his efforts. Tom, a keen supporter of the team, can be seen on the cover of the Port Prog, smack in the middle of the photo in the white shirt.

CUMNOCK have been ordered to post a £200 good behaviour bond with the Ayrshire League following trouble at the recent match against Auchinleck. They have also been ordered to have a Police presence at future games between themselves and Talbot. Rumour has it that the SFA's chief of security is to attend the next meeting of the pair.

TAYSIDE Under 23's opened their Scottish Power Under 23 campaign with a 3-0 win over the North Region at Glen Ury Park, Stonehaven last Sunday. North End's Michael Feeney opened the Tayside account with a header after 57 minutes and late goals from Mike Fulton (Kinnoull) in 81 minutes and Raymond Smith (St Josephs) in 83 minutes sealed Tayside's victory. The attendance was 250. Also in the same section is the Fife Region. Ayrshire, Central and East Regions comprise the other section with the top two teams in each section qualifying for the semi finals.

TAYPORT'S NEW SIGNING - FROM THE U.S.A.

The club have just completed the signing of Michael Gray who recently returned to Scotland after four years in the United States of America where he was on a soccer scholarship at the University of Spartanburg in South Carolina. Mike, who plays in midfield, has had his opportunities restricted by work commitments. Part of the recent game against Broughty Athletic and a couple of friendlies are all that Mike has managed to date but Dave Baikie is hopeful that he will be available on a regular basis soon.

...Match Stats....Match Stats....Match Stats....Match Stats...

1	7	8	9	10	11 .	12	14	Att
4	D. Reilly	Coventry	Mackay 1	Cameron 1	Devine	Malone	Hunter (8)	400
3	D. Reilly	Coventry	Mackay 2	Cameron 2	Devine	Malone	Hunter	350
3	D. Reilly 1	Coventry 2	Mackay	Cameron 2	Devine	Malone (5)	Hunter (3)	220
2	Hunter	Coventry 1	Cameron	D. Reilly 1	Devine 1	Miller (7)	Thoms (9)	183
4	Hunter	Coventry 2	Cameron	D. Reilly	Devine	Miller (7)	Thoms (4)	335
	Hunter	Coventry	Cameron 3	D. Reilly 1	Devine 1	Miller (2)	Thoms (11)	288
	Hunter	Coventry	Cameron 1	D. Reilly	Devine	Thoms (8)	A. Dolan (2)	155
2	Hunter	Coventry	Cameron	D. Reilly	Devine	Thoms (10)	A. Dolan (8)	171
	Hunter	A. Dolan 1	Cameron	D. Reilly	Devine 2	Miller (4)	Thoms (9)	203
try	Hunter	A. Dolan	Mackay	D. Reilly	Devine 1	Lamont (6)	Cameron (10)	197
	A. Dolan 2	Coventry	Mackay	D. Reilly	Devine	Cameron (2)	Hunter (11)	106
	Coventry 1	A. Dolan 1	Mackay	Cameron	Devine 1	D. Reilly 1 (9)	Hunter (8)	209
	Hunter	Coventry	Thoms	Cameron 1	Lamont 1	Devine 1 (8)	Miller (4)	176
	Hunter	Coventry 1	Cameron	D. Reilly 1	Devine 2	Paterson (3)	A. Dolan (8)	201
iy	Hunter	Coventry	Thoms 1	A. Dolan	Lamont	Gray (4)	Devine	174
	A. Dolan	Coventry 1	Mackay	P. Reilly	Devine 2	Lamont (2)	Thoms (9)	857

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+ Won on Penalties

L - McEwan's Lager League Division I

S - OVD Scottish Cup

Z - Zamoyski Cup

I - Intersport Shield

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113 + 1

107 + 3

100 + 9

98 +3 93 +7 93 +3

79 + 2

67 +6

68 + 7

17 + 2

5

5

Appear	ances	Goals
107	(shut outs)	56
153	+2	124
149		5
144	+3	8
123	+5	39
107	+17	35

<u>TAYSIDE</u> SHARPSHOOTERS

124		as at 13th November, 1993						
5								
8		Goals	Player	Club				
39		14	Mitchell	Downfield				
35		11	Heggie	St Josephs				
26			Devine	Tayport				
1	7	10	Cameron	Tayport				
7			Kelly	Carnoustie Panmure				
47			Soutar	Forfar West End				
1		8	Coventry	Tayport				
64			Higgins	Lochee Harp				
6			Mailer	Kinnoull				
2			Thomson	Forfar West End				
49		7	Donnelly	Broughty Athletic				
-11			Feeney	Arbroath S.C.				
3			Cranston	Carnoustie Panmure				
_			Markowski	Arbroath Vies				
1			Smith	Dundee Violet				

YOUNG FANFILE

NAME: Cameron Foster

AGE: 14

STAY IN: West Lights, Tayport. Previously lived in

FAMILY DETAILS: Mum- Moira, Dad-Cammy Snr and young brother Tommy (8)

SCHOOL: Madras College. Previously Tayport Primary & Sciennes (Edinburgh)

FAV. SUBJECT AT SCHOOL: P.E., Computer Studies.

LEAST FAV. SUBJECT AT SCHOOL: German.

WHAT DO YOU WANT TO DO ON LEAVING SCHOOL: Something to do with computers.

FIRST TAYPORT GAME SEEN: The first ever Scottish Junior Cup tie versus Larkhall.

BEST TAYPORT GAME SEEN: The Scottish Cup semi final v

BEST TAYPORT GOAL SEEN: Andy Sommerville's overhead kick v Arbroath Vics this

FAVOURITE TAYPORT PLAYER: Jackie Devine.

TEAM YOU DISLIKE MOST: Two, Rangers & Glenafton.

BEST JUNIOR GROUND VISITED: Newlandsfield Park, Pollok.

WORST JUNIOR GROUND VISITED: Thomson Park, Lochee WHY: It's a dump.

WHICH OTHER TEAM'S SCORE DO YOU LOOK FOR FIRST IN THE PAPER: Killie, Tranent.

SENIOR TEAM FOLLOWED: Hearts.

TASTES IN MUSIC: Anything except 'Bad Boys Inc.'

FAV. READING MATERIAL: Gamesmaster Mag., The Game and Port Prog.

FAV. SPORTS: Football, Basketball, Cricket and Tennis.

FAV. HOLIDAY SPOT: France. FAV.FILM: Last Boy Scout FAV.FILM STAR: Patsy Kensit

FAV. T.V. PROG: StarTrek

FAV. T.V. PERSONALITY: Desmond Lynam

FAV FOOD: Pineapple Pizza or Stir Fry FAV SMELL: that of success

AMBITION IN LIFE: To meet Bob Hope (to be rich would be nice ,too)

QUALITIES YOU LOOK FOR IN A GIRL: Good conversationalist & sexy legs !

PERSON YOU WOULD MOST LIKE TO BE: Richard Branson (He's rich !)

WHAT ANNOYS YOU MOST ABOUT YOUR PARENTS: The fact that if I don't say 'nothing', I'm not getting any pocket money for the next 15 years.

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From the Archives

25 YEARS AGO.....

On 23rd November 1968 Tayport Amateurs defeated local rivals Wormit by 3-1 in a Midlands Amateurs Division 2 match on the East Common. That win was marred by a broken leg sustained by Tayport's JIM SCOTT. We'll not dwell on the line-up that day as is normally the case in the Archive' spot, but on Jim Scott. Jim first turned out for Tayport Amateurs as a mere lad in the late 1950's but moved on to play Juvenile and Junior before returning to Tayport for the 1968/69 season. Big Scotty recovered well from that broken leg to play on until 1978, a ten year period during which Jim was the subject matter for many a legendary tale of both on and off the park. Here we reprint an appreciation of Scotty by one of his teammates during that era, an article which first appeared in a club newsletter some years ago in a series 'Players Remembered'. It was titled 'The Colossus of Tayport'.

Paul Daniels, there's a name to cojure with. Jim Scott was also a name to conjure with if you were a Tayport supporter 20-25 years ago. Because of his natural physical attributes Jim's early years were spent at centre half where he performed with some distinction. It was not, however, until Bobby Waddell took over the managerial reins and realised that a creative midfield required a ball winner, that best of Jim was seen at Tayport.

Now, don't get me wrong, I'm not saying that Jim was a dirty player, just that he did not wear a number on his jersey he wore a Government Health Warning. Opposing players bounced off him as if he were armour plated and his tackles made people on the sidelines wince. The only flaw in his play was that, although he won literally 90% of the balls for which he competed, he subsequently gave most of them back in over ambitious passes. Had he been content merely to lay the ball off after winning it he would have been a world beater. Scotty was also a boon when the opposition contained a 'hardnut', as he always protected his midfield partners and took care of the bampots in his own fashion.

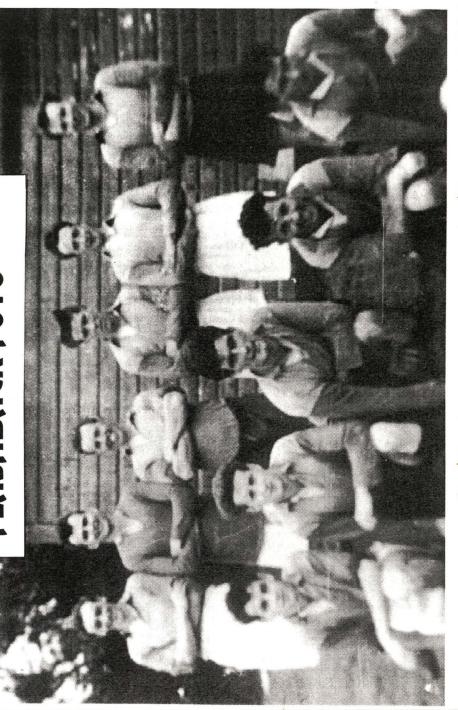
It was not only \underline{on} the field of play that Jim was a man to be reckoned with, and I well remember a trip to Liege where I was just as in awe of his off-the-field feats. Defying Waddell's early to bed curfew one night, he and Spider McLaren had a contest to see how many different bottles they could take a drink out of in the

Kilt bar. Scotty soon left Spider a broken man and went on to have a nip from the lot. With only a couple of hours sleep behind him he was soon heading the ball half the length of the pitch, while Spider tottered around the pitch like a rag doll minus half its stuffing.

It was on the same trip that he took a bet with "Le Bob" Jackson that he would travel all the way from Liege to Tayport on the bus without uttering a single word. When he was stopped at the Customs in France' we all thought that was that but Scotty was made of sterner stuff and he simply shrugged and gesticulated his way out of bother. Needless to say he won his bet.

For a namby-pamby midfielder like myself it was a privilege to play beside Jim, even although he only passed the ball to me twice in five years. On reflection, he was probably right, he won the bleeding thing so he could do what he liked with it!

NEXT PAGE -A photograph of a motley looking Tayport Amateurs Alliance X1 pictured on 20th September 1959, the beginning of a season which saw the side finish 2nd bottom af Alliance Div.2. Jim Scott is 3nd from the right in the back row. The rest are 1-r M.Gourlay, unknown, W.Walker, Scott, D.Ross, D.Wilson. front-I.Paterson, S.Philip, J.Payne, A.Walker and 'Huckleberry' Phin.



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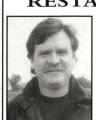
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PRESS COMMENT

- " High flying Camelon
 Juniors turned in an
 impressive performance
 to extend their unbeaten
 run against their Fife
 opponents at picturesque
 East Shore Park " -
- Newburgh 1 Camelon 3 in the Charlie Bain Cup (Falkirk Herald) 28/10/93.

- " ...the victory was far from being as clear-cut as the scoreline suggests, in fact, it was Kırrıe who clearly held the upper hand for the first 60 mins."
- Forfar Despatch (4/11/93)
- " Harp are another side who face a daunting task. They are away to the strongly fancied Petershill "
- Evening Telegraph reviewing the OVD Cup Draw 3/11/93. Daunting it may have been, but Harp produced the goods to record a famous victory.
- ****

 A million to one chance saw local Junior sides Camelon and Dunipace handed the toughest 2nd round ties imaginable when they drew last season's finalists between them in the OVD Scottish Junior Cup. Dunipace head for Glenafton while
- Falkirk Herald (4/11/93.

Camelon are at home to Tayport. "

- " Tayport have class in every department and look set to extend their unbeaten run"
- The Courier on the morning of the day that we scraped through 2-1 at Broughty (6/11/93)
- " There will be no lack of commitment in the Perthshire Derby " The Courier on Kinnoull v Jeanfield match which saw the home side finish with nine men and after match events which will surely have repercussions (6/11/93)
- " Tayport did just enough to maintain their four point lead at the top of the first division but Broughty will be very disappointed that their hard work throughout the ninety minutes yielded no reward "
- Fife Herald (12/11/93) Broughty Athletic 1 Tayport 2
- " Camelon are a strong side and it is a tricky one for us " Dave Baikie in The Courier (13/11/93)
- " There's been a lot of talk about how difficult this game will be for Camelon and that is fair comment. However it will be equally tough for Tayport....it should be a cracking game between two evenly matched sides. "
- Camelon boss Brian Fairley in the Falkirk Herald (11/11/93)
 - " Last season's finalists Tayport were involved in a cracking OVD Scottish Cup second round tie with Camelon and honours finished even at 3-3 "
 - Sunday Post (14/11/93)

Sniffing about with THE SNOUT

BUMPED into a Camelon bairn the other night - Ian Mitchell - he of a Dundee United goal v Barcelona 1967 fame. Mitch tells me that , as a wean , he followed the Mariners throughout their famous Scottish Junior Cup run of 1951/52 which took them to the Hampden final v Kilbirnie Ladeside (Carnoustie Panmure were their semi final victims at Dens). Camelon lost 1-0 and Ian still can't believe that Waggy Ross missed that sitter !

STILL on the subject of that final. The crowd was an amazing 69,959, the second biggest attendance ever at a final. Just as a matter of interest, the keeper for Kilbirnie that day was the father of S.T.V. football pundit Gordon McQueen while at centre-half for Camelon was the father of his B.B.C. counterpart Alan Hansen.

CONGRATULATIONS to Canniepairt groundsman Davie Hughes and his wife Dorothy who celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary this evening.

CONGRATULATIONS to committee member and Amateurs defender Neil McLeod and his wife Karen on the recent arrival of their second son Matthew. Neil celebrated by getting himself ordered off last Saturday!

THE draw for the 3rd Round of the OVD Scottish Junior Cup will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2pm in the Bonnyrigg Rose Social Club.

THE Canniepairt had its biggest crowd of the season to date two weeks past last night when around 1,000 attended the Club's annual bonfire and firework display.

A senior SJFA official commented after the first game at Camelon last Saturday that it was the best Scottish Junior Cup tie that he'd seen in ten years. Pity the last tie we played in the competition hadn't been as good!

WORD has it that there was pandemonium at Fairfield Park last Saturday when the St Josephs v Auchinleck tie was put off just before kick off by the referee, apparently because of frost in the goalmouths. A fruitless and expensive trip for the Talbot faithful. Wonder what the referee thought when he switched on his T.V. to see games going ahead at frost covered McDiarmid Park and Pitoddrie? Still on the Joey's tie, it's understood that some punters were disappointed with the "innovatively created and editorial led" match programme.

RANGERS play some of their reserve games away from Ibrox, using the facilities at Linlithgow's very well appointed Prestonfield Ground. Rose do not do too badly out of the arrangement which allows them to keep the gate receipts and catering. It was a bonus for them earlier this season when 2,000 turned up to see Ally McCoist play for the Reserves as he battled back to fitness.

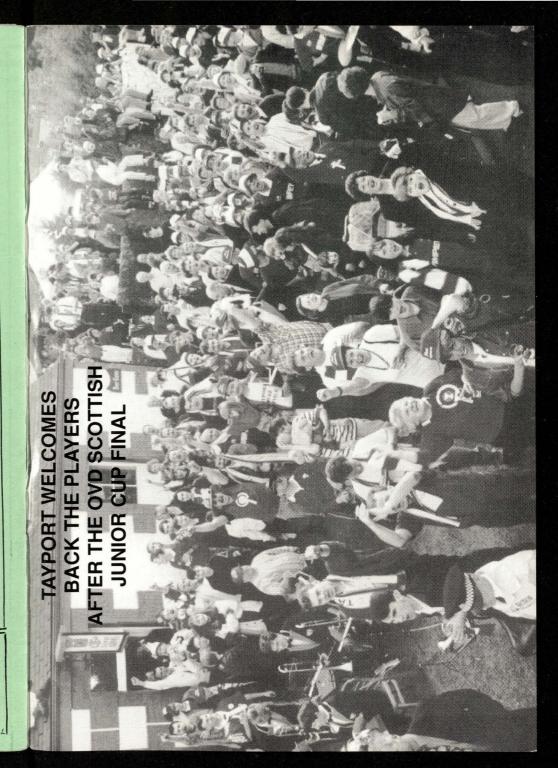
RENEWING acquaintances at last Saturday's tie was former Tayport Amateurs coach and Dundee FC favourite Eric Sinclair and his mucker Big Ringo. Eric lives just down the road from the Camelon ground. Not actively involved in football at present, Eric hasn't ruled out a return to the game in a managerial or coaching capacity.

SPOTTED in Cobie's Bar the other night. Four Tayport Amateurs legends of the 50's & 60's (at least they tell us that they're legends!) - Bill Jellye, Jim 'The Fox' Rae, Ronnie Moyes and Charlie Rennie. As Kenny Thomson, a mere lad by comparison, went over to join them, he was heard to remark " I suppose Fox will be going on about his forty yarder again - it's a yard further out every year".

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