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BELFAST CELTIC FOOTBALL CLUB

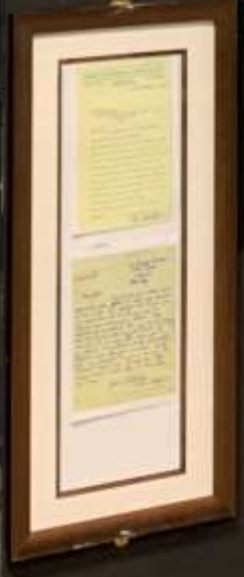


FORMED AT 88 FALLS ROAD IN 1891,
NAMED AFTER "OUR GLASGOW FRIENDS"
OUR AIM SHOULD BE TO IMITATE THEM
IN THEIR STYLE OF PLAY, WIN THE IRISH CUP,
AND FOLLOW THEIR EXAMPLE,
ESPECIALLY IN THE CAUSE OF CHARITY."



1891



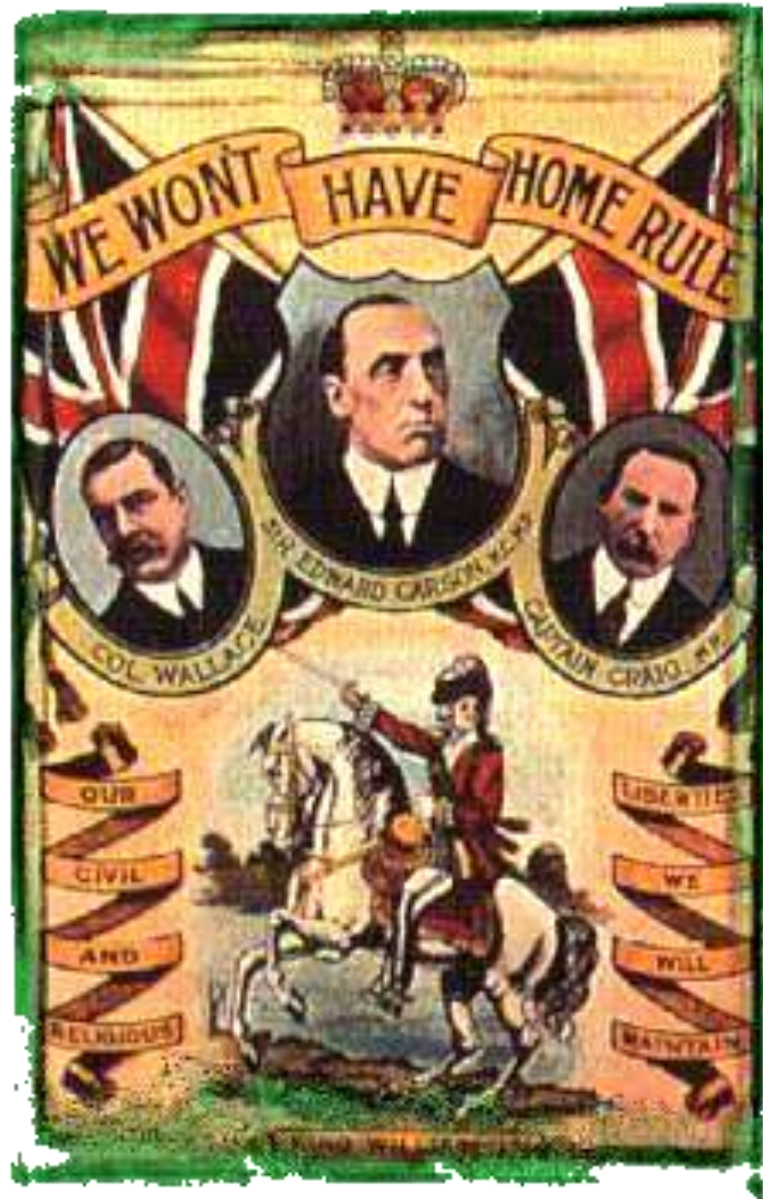




PARADISE LOST AND FOUND
The Story of Belfast Celtic



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Fainthearted Demonstration Against Mr. Winston Churchill in Royal Avenue.

MR. REDMOND'S

**Encouraging Speech
National**

SIR E. CARSON GIVES

**Impressions of the Occasion
Points of View.**

FIRST LORD'S DEPARTURE

The eagerly awaited visit of the
Lord of the Admiralty to Belfast
matter of history. After
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his puerile exhibition was
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Celtic Park, the tram
unction at intervals of
regularly besieged. The
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arrival of a specie
with a party of Home
and various prom
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rain-washed streets con
display of anti-Home Rul
was made, the placin
of a Union Jack and
keep the old flag flying
exhibits of the kin

HOTEL.

Royal



The legendary Elisha Scott was the finest goalkeeper of his era. Capped 31 times by Ireland, he made over 450 appearances for Liverpool.



North Regional League.
25th January, 1941.

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Beltic v Glenavon.

J. Breen.	Goal
W. McMillan	Goal
B. Fulton.	Goal
H. Walker.	Goal
J. Vernon.	Goal
J. Leatham	Goal.
R. Kernaghan	Goal
S. McElroy.	Goal
P. O'Connor.	Goal
J. McAlinden	Goal
G. McElroy.	Goal.

Result 13-0.

Scorers P. O'Connor. eleven Goals
and individual club & Irish Record
Leatham 1. G. McElroy 1.

Referee. W. O'Neill. Satisfactory





SAVAGE ATTACK ON CELTIC PLAYERS AT WINDSOR

Vigorous Protest by Celtic Directors

THE OUTRAGEOUS ATTACK ON THE CELTIC TEAM WHEN LEAVING THE PLAYING PITCH ON THEIR WAY TO THE PAVILION AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE IRISH LEAGUE MATCH v. LINFIELD AT WINDSOR PARK COMPELS THE CELTIC DIRECTORS, IN THE INTERESTS OF THEIR PLAYERS, SUPPORTERS, AND FOOTBALL IN GENERAL, TO ISSUE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT:—

"The attack, the directors feel, in its gravity is without parallel in the annals of football. In the course of it the players were thrown to the ground and kicked. Jimmy Jones, the Celtic centre-forward, received multiple injuries, including a broken leg, which may totally incapacitate him from football.

"During the whole of this concerted attack, the protection afforded to the unfortunate players may be fairly described as quite inadequate.

"In the circumstances, the directors wish to make the strongest possible protest against the conduct of those responsible for the protection of the players in failing to take measures either to prevent the brutal attack or to deal with it with any degree of effectiveness after it developed."

AMALGAMATED BLUE SUPPORTERS' CLUB.
ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

Hon. Secretary:

Mr William McKechnie,
14 Mountstuart Road,
Dallas.

Meets first Tuesday each month.

Date 6/1 1949

Dear Sir

At the monthly meeting of the above committee I was instructed to write to you regarding what happened at Windsor Park on 27th Dec 1949. I would have wrote to you sooner but I wanted to contact the different clubs of the Amalgamated of which we have 34 clubs I have been assured by these clubs that ^{not} one of them had anything to do with what happened and are deeply concerned at what happened and through you extend our deepest sympathy to all players and hoping F. Jones will have a speedy recovery.

I am Dear Sir
Yours Truly

Wm McKechnie Hon Sec



THE STAGE A POST-WAR Preview

BILLY ROSE'S DIAMOND HORSESHOE

FANNY & KITTY
WATSON ★ **REVUE** ★ FRANK & JEAN
HUBERT
An Opulent and Dazzlingly Beautiful Show

★ KEN WHITMER ★ BILLY WELLS & FOUR FAYS ★
ELAINE JORDAN - SHORTY HOWELL - PAULETTE KNIGZ - FRANK FULTON - DUKLEY - HARRY WEEHAN
AND A CAST OF 50
Including AMERICA'S MOST
BEAUTIFUL GIRLS

A POST-WAR PREVIEW
— BILLY ROSE'S —
AMOND HORSESHOE REVUE



BELFAST CELTIC F.C.

-1946-

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GOLD CUP COMPETITION



