

# IT'S A GAME OF TWO HALVES

As the new football season is about to start, let's appreciate the entertainment value of those who work off pitch...

**"I can't really remember the name of the clubs we went to."** Duncan Ferguson - Everton striker reply to an enquiry about whether he had visited the Parthenon during a club trip to Greece.

**"You lads line up alphabetically by height."** Archie Knox - Ex. Rangers assistant manager.

**"If we played like that every week we wouldn't be so inconsistent."** Bryan Robson, Man Utd, 1990

**"I was saying the other day, how often the most vulnerable area for goalies is between their legs."** Andy Gray, Sky Sports

Richard Keys: **"Well Roy, do you think that you'll have to finish above Manchester United to win the league?"** Roy Evans: **"You have to finish above everyone to win the league, Richard."**

**"It's now 1-1, an exact reversal of the score on Saturday."** Radio 5 Live

**"Dumbarton player Steve McCahill has limped off with a badly cut forehead."** Tom Ferrie

**"And I honestly believe we can go all the way to Wembley unless somebody knocks us out."** Dave Bassett

**"And Arsenal now have plenty of time to dictate the last few seconds."** Peter Jones



**"What I said to them at half time would be unprintable on the radio."** Gerry Francis

**"If there weren't such a thing as football, we'd all be frustrated footballers."** Mick Lyons

Jimmy Hill: **"Don't sit on the fence Terry, what chance do you think Germany has got of getting through?"** Terry Venables: **"I think it's fifty - fifty."**

**"Love is good for footballers, as long as it is not at half-time."** Richard Moller Nielsen, Denmark coach

**"This is an unusual Scotland side because they have good players."** Praise for the Under-21s from Javier Clemente, Spain's coach.

**"It took a lot of bottle for Tony to own up."** Ian Wright on the Arsenal captain's confession to alcoholism.

**"I can see the carrot at the end of the tunnel."** Stuart Pearce (1992)

**"Nobody in football should be called a genius. A genius is someone like Norman Einstein."** Bill Shankly - Ex. Liverpool manager.

**"He's a lad who gets up at 6 o'clock in the morning regardless of what time it is."** Mo Boreham - Ex. youth coach at Sheffield U. on a player's training regime.

**"We can't win at home, we can't win away. As general manager, I just can't figure out where else to play."** Jock Brown - Celtic General Manager.