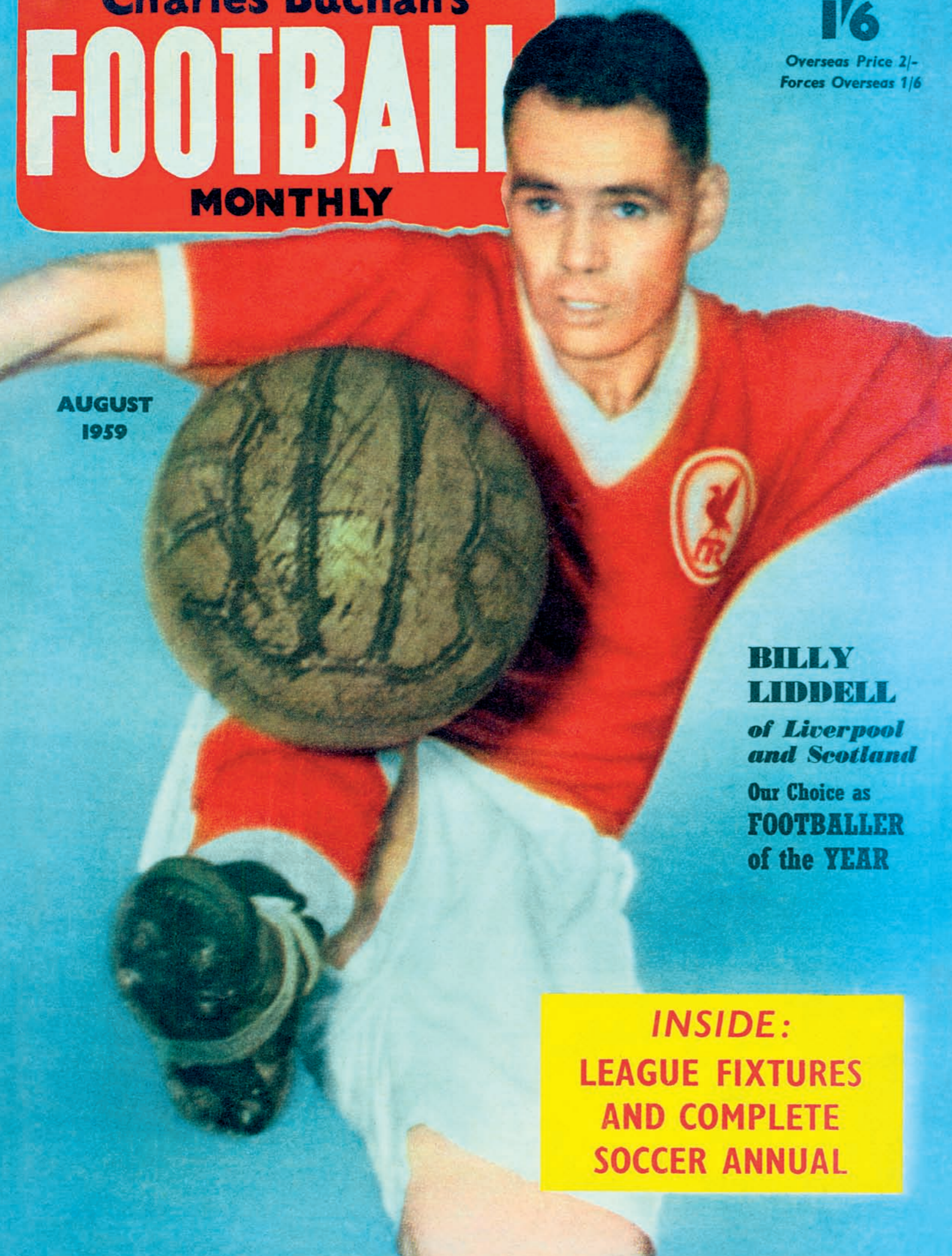


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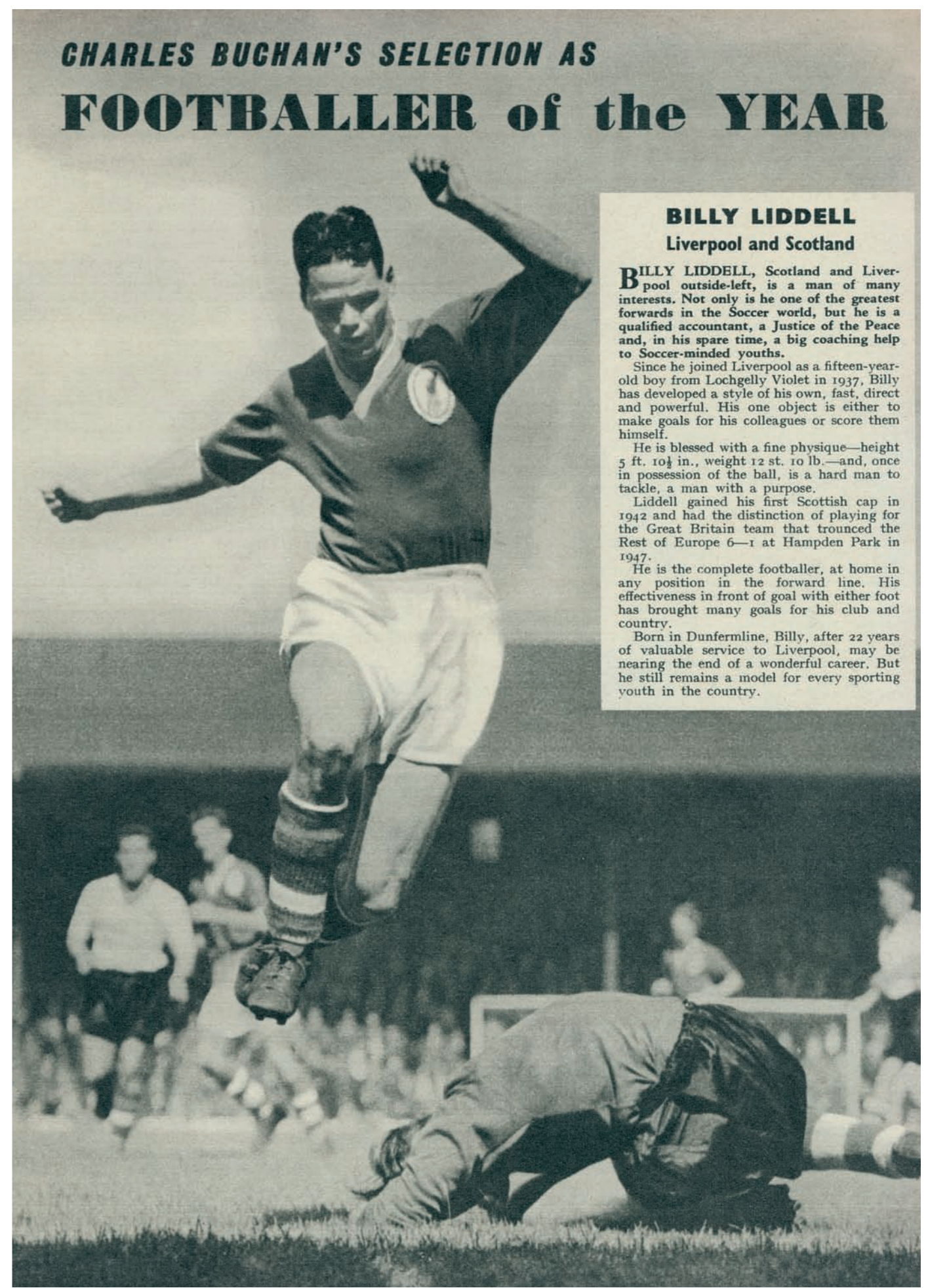
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## CHARLES BUCHAN'S SELECTION AS **FOOTBALLER of the YEAR**

### **BILLY LIDDELL** Liverpool and Scotland

**B**ILLY LIDDELL, Scotland and Liverpool outside-left, is a man of many interests. Not only is he one of the greatest forwards in the Soccer world, but he is a qualified accountant, a Justice of the Peace and, in his spare time, a big coaching help to Soccer-minded youths.

Since he joined Liverpool as a fifteen-year-old boy from Lochgelly Violet in 1937, Billy has developed a style of his own, fast, direct and powerful. His one object is either to make goals for his colleagues or score them himself.

He is blessed with a fine physique—height 5 ft. 10½ in., weight 12 st. 10 lb.—and, once in possession of the ball, is a hard man to tackle, a man with a purpose.

Liddell gained his first Scottish cap in 1942 and had the distinction of playing for the Great Britain team that trounced the Rest of Europe 6-1 at Hampden Park in 1947.

He is the complete footballer, at home in any position in the forward line. His effectiveness in front of goal with either foot has brought many goals for his club and country.

Born in Dunfermline, Billy, after 22 years of valuable service to Liverpool, may be nearing the end of a wonderful career. But he still remains a model for every sporting youth in the country.

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