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Revolution in Polish Soccer Historiography. The Story of the Fuji Football Encyclopedia Project

Between 1991 and 2007 over 50 volumes of the FUJI Football Encyclopedia were issued in Poland by the GiA Publishing House. The authors offered a radically new approach to the history of the game in the country, free of censorship interferences. They also rectified lots of widespread factual errors that had been committed by generations of football historians. The aim of the present paper is to estimate the reception of the new vision among the Polish soccer gurus and fans.