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Schnapper, Whiting, Garfish, Beam,
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"Economist" Gas Stoves**
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Flame top of burner which, while grilling, broasting or roasting
in brazier, also heats top cover for baking roasts, cakes, etc., so
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Church Notices, Mrs. & Miss Walker, Patriotic Attractions, Music, and various church and community announcements.

Advertisement for 'The Leader' newspaper, including subscription rates and contact information for the publisher.

Memorandum: A notice regarding the death of a young man, detailing the circumstances and the family's wishes.

Stott & Bastings: A notice regarding the liquidation of the firm, including details about the assets and liabilities.

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Table with columns for PRINCES BRIDGE TO NORTHCOTE & PRESTON, NORTHCOTE TO PRINCES BRIDGE, and PRESTON & NORTHCOTE TO PRINCES BRIDGE. Includes train numbers, departure times, and arrival times.

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Letter from London.

It was a big shop for a few days ago. It was a big shop for a few days ago. It was a big shop for a few days ago. It was a big shop for a few days ago. It was a big shop for a few days ago.

The Will to Win.

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From Various Sources.

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London Letter. Carmelita Hume, London. London spent a quiet Christmas.

Work for All. What is the best item in the generally London press?

Not One Strike. Mr. Albert Thomas, the French Minister for Munitions, before leaving England for Paris.

Announcements. TOWN HALL ESTATE AGENT, W. FREEMAN & CO.

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Why the War Keeps on. Sir James Keir, M.P. Sir James Keir, M.P., writes an interesting article.

From Various Sources. It is characteristic of young men to believe that all young men are alike.

Ladies' Letter. A woman writes to the editor regarding a letter she received.

An Anzac's Farewell. I am thinking of my dear comrades who are in the front.

THE AUSTRALIAN. The Australian people are proud to have a soldier in the front.

THE GERMAN DUPE. The German people are being duped by their own government.

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NORTHCOTE CITY COUNCIL.

MONDAY, FEB 21.

Present:—Crs. Mason (mayor), Williams, Plant, Glanfield, Cain, Smith, Dennis, Henderson, Gray, Redmond, Roberts, Hayes, Johnson, Bastings, and Schwabeck.

Private Street Law. The Williamson Council forwarded minutes of conference on Full Court judgment to private street construction. It was agreed to support an appeal to the High Court and to ask for an amendment of the Act, whereby all streets set out on private property may be made at the cost of property-owners interested.—Referred to committee of the whole.

Disposal of Nightsoil. The Public Health Department wrote asking what the council was doing in the matter of instituting a double pan system.—The town clerk had replied that the matter was under consideration.

W. G. Swift forwarded minutes of conference with Heidelberg re treatment and disposal of nightsoil.—Referred to committee of whole on the motion of Cr. Bastings.

Electric Light Extension. Mr. Membrey, M.L.A., wrote intimating that he had arranged for deputations to the Minister respecting the utilization of £1200 borrowed for general works for electric light extension.—The town clerk intimated that the deputations had been arranged for Wednesday at 10.30.—The mayor said he hoped to see a full attendance of councillors.

Invitation to Church. E. W. Campbell, secretary Thornbury Presbyterian Church, wrote inviting mayor and councillors to the evening service on the 27th inst., when the newly-inducted minister, Rev. H. Howett, would preach.—Invitation accepted on motion of Crs. Hayes and Redmond.

Cost of Government. The Malvern Ratepayers' Defence Association wrote inviting representatives to conference to consider scheme to bring about a reduction in the cost of Government.—Referred to committee of the whole on motion of Cr. Johnson.

Hutton Street West. Thornbury Park Proprietary Ltd. wrote again requesting that Hutton street be constructed, as a number of owners abutting thereon are anxious to build, and it would facilitate the sale of a number of blocks on the western end of the company's estate. They also desired a brick storm-water drain along Bracken avenue.

Cr. Henderson moved that a reply be sent stating the work cannot be undertaken at present. There were other streets in the ward, the construction of which was of much greater urgency. Cr. Smith seconded.—Carried.

Cr. Smith seconded.—Carried. The matter of the drain was referred to the works committee.

St. George's Road Tram. Central and West Ratepayers' Association wrote giving it as their opinion that an electric tramway was the suitable system for the northern suburbs.—Received.

Northcote Branch P.L.C. wrote urging the starting of operations in connection with the construction of St. George's road tram; also that it be an electric tram.—Received.

Conveniences for High Street. Northcote branch A.N.A. wrote again asking for the conveniences to be erected in High street.—Referred to the committee of the whole on the motion of Cr. Cain.

Cr. Smith asked the provision of such conveniences were a "dire necessity". Request for Meeting Room.

J. H. Green, hon. sec., wrote asking for free use of a room at the town-hall for the meetings of the Northcote Ratepayers' Association's central executive.

Cr. Johnson moved that the request be complied with if a room is available. Cr. Cain seconded.

Cr. Glanfield moved an amendment that the matter be referred to the finance committee.

Cr. Johnson moved that the matter go to the committee, even though his sympathy was with the request.

Cr. Plant asked if the council had power to grant the free use of the hall to an irresponsible body.

Cr. Redmond said if these bodies wanted a room to meet in they should pay for the same as the A.N.A. or any other body.

The matter was referred to the committee.

Complaints From Pender's Grove. Pender's Grove Association wrote again bringing under notice the dangerous practice of riding bicycles on the footpaths; also to the destruction of trees and shrubs in the parks and the breaking of electric light globes.—To be informed that the council had recently put these matters in the hands of the police.

Dangerous Crossing. Pender's Grove Association wrote again drawing attention to the dangerous condition of the crossing at the intersection of Collins and Willmott streets.—To be informed that the matter is now under consideration.

Construction of Sargold Street. A. E. Beecher wrote expressing his surprise and disappointment that nothing had been done towards the making of Sargold street, though the promise had been given months ago that it would be taken in hand. He was considering writing the Board of Health about a case of fever there.

Cr. Henderson moved that a reply be sent that plans are now being prepared.—Carried.

New Tram Proposal. A. E. Chitts wrote expressing surprise that Mr. Stott had asked the council to erect a tramway along Hastings street, Victoria road to Dundas street, at 75 per cent. of the ratepayers would never use it, being well

catered for at present. If the council was anxious to do anything a few motor buses would meet the requirements without loading the land with further taxes.—Received.

Light for Hayes Street. J. M. Brown wrote asking when the electric light was going to be extended to his premises in Hayes street. He and his neighbors had been waiting long patiently for connection for months and they hoped the matter would soon be attended to.

Cr. Redmond said it only meant the erection of a couple of poles to bring them two new customers. They had the poles and wire and it was only a matter of the labor.

Cr. Dennis moved that they be informed that they could have the light on the terms recently laid down.—Carried.

Smoke from Dye Works. John Hartnett said he wished to draw attention to "a most annoying and disgusting nuisance" to the residents of Westgirth street, viz. the volume of smoke and soot that comes from the chimney of Lawrence's dye works. Several days last week the soot came down all over the houses and verandahs in absolute showers, penetrating the rooms in his home, destroying paint work, etc., and causing rain to many things where windows were left open. It was time the council took some drastic action in the matter.

Cr. Dennis moved and Cr. Glanfield seconded that the inspector report to the committee of the whole.—Carried.

Public Works Committee. Cr. Dennis (chairman) submitted the report, recommending that accounts amounting to £919 0s 6d be passed for payment.—Adopted.

Cr. Redmond moved that the matter of putting up street name plates in the central ward be referred to the works committee.

Cr. Schwabeck moved that the matter of putting up street name plates in the central ward be referred to the works committee. Cr. Dennis said the works committee were now endeavoring to get a complete list for the whole town.

Replying to Cr. Smith, Cr. Bastings said he was now in consultation with the chairman of the Metropolitan Board re getting the fence in St. George's road shifted back.

Cr. Redmond moved that the matter of placing a lamp at the corner of Raleigh and Hamilton streets be referred to the works committee.

Cr. Bastings presented schedule of wages adopted by the Metropolitan Board. The minimum was 9s, and 6d per day increase was granted to men working up to 11s a day.

Cr. Redmond moved that the resolution in connection with the construction of lane between Dalby street and Salisbury grove be reconsidered in order that advantage might be taken of the deferred payment system.—Cr. Hayes seconded.—Carried.

Cr. Dennis moved and Cr. Glanfield seconded that the inspector report to the committee of the whole.—Carried.

Finance Committee. Cr. Johnson (chairman) submitted the report, recommending that accounts amounting to £531 18s 11d be passed for payment.—Adopted.

Ordinary Business. Cr. Henderson moved that the asphalt of St. George's road from Kemp street to Beaconsfield parade be referred to the works committee.

Cr. Dennis moved that the matter of repairing the asphalt in Uppalut Walk, Knowler, Jackson, Plant and Cunningham streets be referred to the works committee.

Cr. Williams moved that the matter of a lamp in Whalley street, extension continuing in Hastings street, and continuing the asphalt on the north side of Mitchell street be referred to the works committee.

Cr. Plant reported that he was in consultation with the solicitor re bye-law to fix speed limit of motors.

Cr. Bastings moved that the matter of repairing the asphalt in St. George's road be referred to the works committee.

Cr. Smith moved that a lamp be erected in Shaftesbury parade at its intersection with Railway parade west.—Referred to the works committee.

Cr. Henderson moved that the erection of a lamp at the corner of Spicer street and Beaconsfield parade, Gladstone avenue, between High street and the railway, and Bent street, between High street and the railway, be referred to the works committee.

Cr. Plant moved that a lamp be erected in Hastings street, between Smith's factory and Victoria road.—Referred to the works committee.

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