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A few Blue Ox and Court left, also Champagne.  
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Quality the Best—Prices Right.  
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Bring all your Hats, whether Straw,  
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Book Early and Enjoy a Day in the  
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Have You Tried  
**Callander's**  
Quality Vienna  
Bread & Rolls.  
Delicious for Lunch & Afternoon  
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Obtainable at all Pastry Shops  
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**Callander's Preston  
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Ask for, and insist on being  
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We will deliver to any Address in  
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Why not buy the best quality  
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Ladner's fine range. She'll be  
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FANCY BOXES at all prices.  
Why not try our Special Theatre  
Mixture?  
A trial will convince you of its excel-  
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Our TOBACCO business is open till 8  
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350 QUEEN'S PARADE,  
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Dressing Cases, Shaving Stands,  
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Also large assortment of DOLLS  
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Phone, Northcote 308.

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Consulting Engineers  
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Electrical Contractors,  
469 High St., Northcote.  
Motors, &c., Installed.  
Plans Designed.  
Estimates Given.

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Funerals conducted at the low-  
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Hearses, Mourning Couches,  
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The trade supplied.

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MOOR STREET, FITZROY,  
High and Robe Streets, St. Kilda  
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PAINTER, DECORATOR.  
Estimates Given General Repairs.  
Best Workmanship.  
271 CLAIKE ST., NORTHCOTE



BOWLS.
The Preston Bowling Green was opened for season 1921-22 on Saturday afternoon last under conditions as nearly approaching the ideal as possible.

ANTI-LIQUOR LEAGUE.
The Northcote branch held a rally last Monday night in the Methodist school hall when Mr. W. J. Gray presided over a fair attendance.

NORTHCOLE POLICE COURT.
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29.
(Before Messrs Hayes (chairman), Cohen, Johnson, Turner and Evans, J's P.)

CHURCH NEWS.
PRINCE OF WALES PARK ANNIVERSARY.
Anniversary Sunday of the Prince of Wales Park Methodist church was described by one of the speakers at the Wednesday evening lecture as 'a day of fat things' (and the description was not very wide of the mark).

CLAIM FOR MONEY LEFT.
Gertrude Mary James, trading as Harry Ireland, said Mary Spencer, of 451 Station street, North Carlton, balance due on a promissory note, viz. £12 13s 6d.

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Stott & Bastings AUCTIONEER (C. J. WATSON).
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Arrange Loans, Building Society, also Loans Fixed Period and Reduction of Principal Quarterly.

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WHITILESEA SHIRE NEWS.
ST. PETER'S PARISH BALL.
It is many years since there has been such a crowd at a ball as that which assembled at the parish hall on Wednesday evening last.

TRAVELLING PRIVILEGES FOR LIMBLESS MEN.
The Limbless Men's sub-section of the R.S.S.I.A. wrote to the Northcote Council on Monday asking them to support their application to the Tramways Board for free passes for Victorian limbless ex-soldiers.

PRESTON CITIZENS BAND.
A meeting of the band committee in connection with the above was held on Monday evening at 7.30 in the hall of the Citizens' Band.

Stott & Bastings Preston Property Providers.
Robertson & Jones, SWORN VALUATOR.
AUCTIONEER.
ESTATE & INSURANCE AGENT.
Farm Salesman.

HATTAM & SLATER, 279-281-283 High Street, Northcote.

GET THIS! The Queen was in the Parlor, Eating BREAD and HONEY.
Honey! Honey! Honey!
Delicious, Pure, & Wholesome
NEW SEASON'S HONEY.
Bon Accord Butter Shops, 232 High Street, Northcote.

NORTHCOLE CLUB.
Those clubs that opened their season last Saturday were favored with delightful weather conditions. Northcote was one of them, and the club got a very auspicious start.

BREAK OF GAUGE.
A public demonstration was given at the Clyde Engineering Company's works on the 22nd September by the inventor, Mr. John Henry Matthews of Northcote.

SHIRE OF WHITILESEA.
Tenders addressed to the President are invited to make proposals for the purchase of 11 a.m. Wednesday, the 12th October, 1921, at the Shire Hall, Mernda, for the unimproved streets.

Angus McDonald AUCTIONEER, ESTATE & FINANCIAL AGENT.
82 HIGH ST., THORNHURLY (next State Savings Bank).

Cardrona Afternoon Tea Rooms

435 High Street, Northcote
For a Refreshing Cup of Tea and Something Tasty to Eat you can't do better than give us a Call. All kinds of Confectionery in Stock.

THORNHURLY'S PENNANT TEAMS.
Thornbury's pennant teams were fixed up this week as follows:
A team—Koterson, Harry, Wright, Girling (capt.), J. Nash, Berrynson, J. S. Whalley, H. Murden (capt.), V. Warren, Bartley, Price, Frenchman (capt.).

NORTHCOLE THEATRE.
Adventures in the frozen north, intricate in the social world, and the swiftest machinations of a sprightly promoter who foists society and laces her with a cunningly concocted crowd thrills into "Gilded Lies," the latest Selznick picture featuring Eugene O'Brien, which will be shown next Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday together with "Respectable by Proxy," featuring Sylvia Breamer and Robert Gordon.

Wardrop Suits Stand the Test.
Wardrop, "My Tailor," Cor. Smith & Johnston Sts., Collingwood.

What stands behind this tin?

Bergers Paint advertisement featuring an image of a paint tin and text: 'The organisation behind the paint', 'D. B. MASSON, District Agent', 'Lead, Oil, Color, and Hardware Merchant', 'Importer of Window Glass and Paperhangings, Manufacturer of Loaded Windows, 248, 250, 252 High Street, Northcote.'

Stone's Shoe Store 388 HIGH STREET, PRESTON.
Good Assortment Ladies' & Men's Boots & Shoes.
Also Men's Cricket and Tennis Boots and Shoes.
All sizes Koolah Sand Shoes.
School Boots a Speciality.
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Wishes the Public of Preston and adjacent districts to know that he has Re-opened the TIMBER YARD formerly carried on by F. N. Gillies & Co.

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Call at High St., or Ring N'cote 770. We will Quote for all Building Material.
Mantelpieces, Tiles, Grates & Baths.
Mantelpieces from 20/-
Tiles from 30/- per yard.
Baths, Gully, 24 Gauge, on C1 Legs, 55/- each.
Enameled, 20/- extra.
Comont Troughs, 45/- each.
Where the Trams Always Stop

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W. J. DWYER, Furniture Dealer, 804 High St., Thornbury.
And trusts by strict attention to business and Moderate Prices, to gain a fair share of public patronage.
In Stock—Bedsteads, Bedding, Bed and Dining Room Sitters, Sideboards, Lino, Tables, Chairs, and General Household Requirements.
Special Reductions in Prices to Dispersed. All Goods Delivered.
Furniture Wanted to Buy in any Quantity. Cash Waiting. Letters attended to.
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NORTHCOTE CITY COUNCIL.

MONDAY, 26th SEPTEMBER.

Present:—Crs. McDonnell (Mayor), Jones, Harry, Pearl, Turner, Dennis, Cain, Timmins, Slater, Satch, Turnbull, Johnson, Glanville, and Ollis.

An apology was made for Cr. Beecher, who was absent on account of illness.

LETTERS OF SYMPATHY.

On the motion of Crs. Pearl and Dennis it was decided to send a letter of sympathy to Mrs. McGinly, widow of one of the council's oldest employees, who had just passed away.

DESTRUCTION OF RATS.

The Public Health Department wrote forwarding the regulations relating to the destruction of rats. Regulation 4 states:—It shall be the duty of every occupier and of every owner of premises to destroy all rats on premises owned or occupied by them.

DRAINAGE AT WOOTTON AVENUE.

The Railway Department wrote agreeing to council's suggestion to improve the drainage arrangements at Wootton Avenue, Goxton.—Referred to works committee on the motion of Cr. Ollis.

CONTRIBUTION OF RIVERS, MAIN DRAINS, &c. Melbourne City Council intimated that the conference to consider Bill to place the control of rivers, main drains, and streams in the Metropolitan Board of Works would be held on the 16th inst.

The Mayor, who attended the conference, said the Melbourne City Council and the Prahran Council were the only councils against the Bill, presumably because they had got all their main drainage works completed. The representatives of all other councils present approved of the idea of placing such matters in the hands of one controlling body. The conference adjourned so that an expression of opinion from the councils might be got. The Bill would give power for the borrowing of £500,000 and the striking of a rate up to 2d in the £.

It was decided, on the motion of Crs. Satch and Timmins, to approve of the principle of the Bill. Crs. Johnson and Pearl were of the opinion that the matter should have gone to the committee before any action was decided on.

JOINT LIGHT.

Fitzroy Council wrote agreeing to jointly erect and maintain a 100 candle power electric light on the footbridge alongside the railway bridge over the Merri Creek.—Received.

COMPLAINT FROM HEIDELBERG.

Shire of Heidelberg wrote intimating that a petition had been lodged by residents of Rathmines street, Fairfield, complaining of the insanitary condition of the tip of Separation Street. The petition, which was signed by 28 ratepayers, complained that fifty mattris were left uncovered for at least 18 hours out of the 24, and on foggy and frosty days the stench hangs about and can be smelt almost at the Fairfield station; and the swarms of flies which gather there must carry disease into surrounding homes.

The town clerk said he sent the inspector down immediately on receiving this letter, and he found the tip in excellent order.—Copy of inspector's report to be sent to Heidelberg council.

PROTECTION OF ANIMALS.

The Society for the Protection of Animals applied for a donation, and stating they would like some one appointed as honorary agent in Northcote. The Society, it was pointed out, had done much to ameliorate the condition of animals throughout the State. The fines for cruelty last year amounted to £653 10s.—Referred to the estimates.

BAND MAKES APPEAL.

W. R. Carmody, secretary Northcote Citizens' and Soldiers' Band, wrote requesting assistance in the way of a subsidy. The band had been augmented by a number of excellent players, and was assiduously practising with a view to rendering programmes in public places during the summer months. They thought the council should support its musical organisations the same as was done by other municipal councils.—Referred to estimates, on the motion of Crs. Cain and Timmins.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARKS.

The St. George's Road Methodist Cricket Club applied for the use of the Merri Park as a playing ground for the coming season.

North Fitzroy Sons of Temperance also applied for the ground. Referred to parks committee.

S. J. Irons, hon. sec. Croxton Junior Cricket Club, wrote stating that as all their members resided in the West Ward they thought they had the best right to play in Henderson Park.—Referred to Parks Committee.

REQUEST FROM HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

C. F. Almond, hon. sec. Northcote Horticultural Society, wrote asking if the council would receive a deputation to ask that a subsidy be granted the society. They were satisfied they could make out a good case.—Referred to estimates, on the motion of Cr. Turner.

RAT WARD DRAINAGE.

A. J. Tanner, hon. sec. East Ward Progress Association, wrote asking council to receive a deputation regarding the drainage in Northcote and Hastings streets. They anticipated serious damage if heavy rains came. When the true position was put before them they felt other members would support their ward members in what they were advocating.

Cr. Ollis moved that the deputation be heard at next meeting. Cr. Johnson seconded saying the East ward had a just grievance, as money provided for East ward drainage had been expended in the South ward.

COUNCIL'S AUCTION WORK.

Stott & Hastings wrote stating they would be pleased to be appointed agents for the sale of council's land at corner of Auburn Avenue and Arthur-st Road.

Councils informed that it was the policy of the council to give this kind of work to returned soldiers.—Carried.

CLAIM FOR DAMAGES. H. Budge wrote complaining of council's negligence in leaving loose electric light wire hanging across Ashison street. He intended to make a claim of £20 for damage caused to his horse and wagon.—Referred to finance committee.

VENUE FOR ROAD.

A. H. Pearce, R. H. Blandki, C. E. Reynolds, J. Boxall, J. S. Bernum and H. Linley wrote drawing attention to the bad state of the north end of Vaux-hall street through lack of drainage. They would like to see some arrangements made at once for taking the drainage away.—Referred to works committee.

HIGH-OF-WAY A QUAGMIRE.

R. H. E. McLean, Benjamin street, asked that attention be given to the lane at the side of his place and at the back of Syd's lather's shop as it was in a very bad state, being a quagmire 12 inches deep. Referred to works committee, inspector to report.

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE.

Cr. Pearl (chairman) submitted the report, recommending:— 1. That accounts—general, £1,422 5/10; street construction, £1,013 7/6; loan account No. 12, £21 5/1—be passed for payment.—Adopted.

2. Re Annual Contracts.—That tenders be invited for the ensuing 12 months for (1) Cartage of Metal, &c. from the Quarry to various Wards; (2) Carrying out Sanitary Service in the City.—Adopted.

3. Storm-water Drain, Hay Street to Merri Creek.—That the sum of £204 be paid to the Railway Commissioners, such sum being the estimated cost of works to be carried out by the Commissioners under the Railway Line.—Adopted.

4. Re Lane between High Street and Johnson Street.—That with a view to continue the Right-of-way between High Street and Johnson Street through to Kemp Street, the several owners whose property it will be necessary to pass through be communicated with to enquire whether they are prepared to grant the necessary land for the purpose.—Adopted.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Cr. Slater (chairman) submitted the report, recommending:— 1. That accounts amounting to £2,129 1/1 be passed for payment.—Adopted.

2. Baby Health Centre.—That the matter of renovating the Lodge Room and providing linoleum for the floor for the use of the Health Centre be referred to the Estimates.

Cr. Dennis said if this work was really necessary it should be done right away. It could be financed temporarily out of the £200 granted towards the Baby Health Centre. The matter was referred back with a view of considering this suggestion.

3. Uncollectable Amounts.—That the amount of £200/5/10 for Street Construction, Rates, Pan Charges, and Tax-payers accounts as set out in the Rate Collector's Report, be written off as uncollectable.—Adopted.

MUNICIPAL CONFERENCE.

That this Council is not in favor of the proposal to provide a portion of the sum

towards the cost of the Bacteriological Analysis of Milk.—Adopted.

PARKS COMMITTEE REPORT. Cr. Harry (chairman) submitted the report, recommending:— 1. Cricket Clubs.—To report that in accordance with authority given to the Committee permission to occupy has been granted for the cricket season under the usual conditions, to the following clubs, viz.:—The Northcote Presbyterian Cricket Club, and the Northcote Footballers' Cricket Club, to play in the Merri Park; the Thornbury Cricket Club and the Loyal Langridge Lodge Cricket Club to play in Henderson Reserve, the Chairman to arrange with the Clubs as to alternate dates.

Cr. Harry moved the adoption of the clause. Cr. Dennis said he would have preferred if the original Bill had been adhered to. The L.O.R. Club felt very much aggrieved in being left out after having had their application recommended in the first place.

Cr. Harry said he was for calling applications from clubs who desired to use the parks in the first place, but Cr. Dennis took the opposite view. The committee had dealt with the applications on their merits and arrangements had been made that were satisfactory to the parties using the park.

Clause adopted. 2. Lawns, Pender's Park.—That in order to exterminate the onion weed, the land to be laid out in Buffalo lawn, be cultivated, and left to lie in fallow until the planting season about July next.

After a lengthy discussion, during which the relative merits of buffalo grass and ryegrass for lawns, and also the question of how best to exterminate onion weed, were fully discussed, the matter was referred back to the committee.

CEMETERY COMMITTEE REPORT.

Cr. Johnson (chairman) submitted the report, recommending:— 1. Cemetery Property.—That the City Surveyor be directed to prepare an estimate of the cost of (a) repairing the fences on the west and north sides; (b) removing the hedges surrounding the property and planting new hedges in lieu thereof; (c) spreading gravel on the paths; (d) pointing the existing rooms and the fence fronting Separation street—with a view to tenders being called for the above work.—Adopted.

ELECTRIC LIGHT COMMITTEE.

Cr. Timmins (chairman) submitted the report, recommending:— 1. That accounts amounting to £919 16/1 be passed for payment.—Adopted.

2. Bad Debts.—That the sum of £2/15/10, representing amounts owing by eight former consumers, be written off as uncollectable.

3. Purchase of Material.—To report that the Consulting Engineer has advised the purchase of (1) a spare 100 K.W. Transformer, to be available in case of breakdown of the Transformers in circuit, the cost of some being £372; (2) 12 1/2 MVA for the re-energizing of Low Tension Units output from substations, at an approximate cost of £112/10/-; (3) 200 poles; and to recommend:— (a) That the offer of the Edison Swan

Electric Company for the sale of 100 K.W. Transformer for the sum of £372 be accepted.

(b) That tenders be called for the supply of 12 1/2 MVA 200 amp. 3 wire power meters.

(c) That tenders be invited for the supply of 200 poles, alternate prices to be received for iron bark, yellow stringy bark, and red gum.

Cr. Turner, referring to the matter of the spare transformer, said this was absolutely necessary in order to safeguard themselves against a serious breakdown; while the meters would be the means of considerably reducing the present leakage and very much reduce expenditure on current.

ORDINARY BUSINESS.

Cr. Harry moved that the matter of the lighting between Clarendon and Martin streets be referred to the works committee.

Cr. Turnbull moved that the matter of raising the pitches in Eastment street be referred to the works committee.

Cr. Ollis moved that the matter of getting the sewerage extended to Main street be referred to Commissioner Dennis.

Cr. Cain moved that the matter of the right-of-way at the back of South Crescent be referred to the works committee.

Cr. Glanville moved that application be made for a fire alarm in Separation street.

Cr. Pearl moved that immediate attention be given to several dangerous holes in St. George's Road.

Crs. Slater and Glanville were nominated for the Hospital Life Governorship, but, being appealed to, the Mayor ruled that the appointment be made on the day of the next meeting.

Cr. Johnson informed the public works committee that in regard to the right-of-way at the rear of Clarke street from Membray street, the residents were very anxious that the work should be completed, as they were at present suffering great inconvenience.

Cr. Johnson moved that the town clerk make arrangements for the preparation and presentation of illuminated addresses to ex-Mayor Timmins and ex-Cr. Gray.—Carried.

Cr. Harry, referring to quarry holes and clay pits down by the Permian Works, alongside Darabin road, and near the State school, said they were all unfenced, and he would move that the matter of compelling the owners to fence and make them safe be referred to the works committee.—Carried.

Cr. Ollis moved that the matter of attending to the channel on the east side of Warden road be referred to the works committee.

Replying to Cr. Johnson, the chairman of the works committee said the Mayor, on behalf of the Mayor and himself, extended an invitation to the council to send a deputation to the Mayor and the East Ward (J. Ryan) was paid at the rate of £15/- per day; and it was his (Cr. Pearl's) opinion that he well earned his money.

Cr. Harry complained that twice a week when the water pipe which supplied Grange road was flushed the residents were troubled.

Cr. Turner—From famine to flood. (Laughter).

The chairman of finance (Cr. Slater) gave leave to pass some £4,000 worth of accounts for interest, &c., so that they might be paid by 1st October.

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In Memoriam. Mr. Fred Lindrum, champion billiardist, is giving an exhibition game at the Victoria Bowling Club's pavilion this evening.

Church News. Tomorrow special anniversary services will be conducted at the Pender's Grove Methodist church, the preachers being Rev. R. Williams at 11 and 3, and Mr. A. J. Magill, at 7. On Tuesday a tea and public meeting will be held.

Northcote Technical School. At the meeting of the Preston council on Monday evening a recommendation came up from the finance committee that a sum of £71 be paid to the Northcote council as Preston's proportion of cost of extra land for technical school site at Northcote.

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PRESTON SHIRE COUNCIL.

MONDAY, OCT. 3. Present: Crs. Crispie (president), Jones, Bartrop, Bricknell, Bransgrove, Adams, Warr, Robinson, McFadden.

WIDENING CLINCH AVENUE. The Railway Department wrote agreeing to lease a strip of their land 5 feet wide along the western side of Clinch Avenue, from Murray road to Station street (a distance of about 64 chains)—Referred to committee on the motion of Crs. Robinson & Bricknell.

DISTRIBUTION OF RATS. The Public Health Department wrote forwarding regulations in connection with destruction of rats. A recent official inspection of the refuse tip in Preston revealed the presence of rats, and the council was urged to take prompt steps to have them destroyed.—Referred to committee of the whole, with power to act.

LAND FOR OPEN SPACES. William McDonald wrote stating that he was not in a position to make a present to the council of any part of his land in Murray and Gilbert roads for recreation purposes, nor was he prepared to sell it, as it might spoil his subdivision. Further, he desired to protest against any of the ratepayers' money being spent on recreation reserves for the west riding, as it was already amply supplied in this regard.—Received.

IMBLES SOLDIERS AND TRAVELLING FACILITIES. Melbourne Tramway Board wrote stating that they issued free passes to returned soldiers who had lost both eyes or two limbs. Also passes were issued in cases where soldiers had suffered the loss of one limb, and another limb (though not amputated) has been rendered useless without the aid of surgical appliances.

Cr. Jones moved that the Tramway Board be informed that this council is of the opinion that any soldier who has lost one lower limb should be entitled to a free pass.—Carried.

Cr. Bricknell seconded.—Carried. CRICKET FIXTURES. W. H. Davis, hon. sec. Preston Cricket Club, wrote forwarding list of fixtures for 1st and 2nd eleven at Craner street park.—Referred to parks committee.

WATER EXTENSIONS. The Metropolitan Board of Works stated they could not yet extend the water to Batten street as the revenue derivable was only 4.5th per cent.—Copy of letter to be sent to applicants.

YOUNG MAN ST. J. W. Carrols, brought under notice the inconvenience he was put to owing to Youngman street being in its present laid state, and there being no water laid in the street.—Cr. Robinson moved that the question of making the street be referred to the engineer to take the necessary action. Cr. Warr seconded.—Carried.

10 FT. 6 IN. WALLS. W. H. Payne wrote asking permission to erect a villa with 10ft. 6 in. walls, as he desired to save unnecessary expense. Cr. Bricknell moved and Cr. Warr seconded that the writer be referred to the by-laws.

Cr. Jones moved an amendment that the matter be referred to the committee of the whole. They had allowed 10ft. 6 in. walls in other cases and should be prepared to consider this application. Cr. Bransgrove seconded.

Cr. Bartrop said he would oppose the amendment because a little while ago they refused a similar application from an old resident.

The amendment was lost, only the mover and seconder voting in its favor. LIGHT FOR HAWKINS STREET. R. Rutter wrote asking for an extension of electric light in Hawkins street.—Referred to electric light committee.

FACULTY MINGEWAY. The Analytical Laboratory, Commission of Public Health, wrote intimating that a sample of mince sent for analysis by Inspector Tassie did not comply with the standard.—The secretary said he had instructed the inspector to take the necessary action.

WATER FOR THE EAST. Chas. Morgan, Isabella Brown, H. G. Salmon, and Percy Greenhalgh wrote asking council to use their influence in getting the water extended to Newcastle street and Watton avenue.—Cr. Bricknell moved and Cr. Adams seconded that application be made to the Metropolitan Board.—Carried.

FINANCE COMMITTEE. Cr. Robinson (chairman) submitted the report, recommending— 1. That the accounts, amounting to £2010 14s 3d be passed for payment.—Adopted.

ELECTRIC LIGHT COMMITTEE. Cr. Bartrop (chairman) submitted the report, recommending— 1. That the accounts, amounting to £121 13s 1d, be passed for payment.—Adopted.

PAIRS COMMITTEE. Cr. McFadden (chairman) submitted the report, recommending— 1. Area officer, 60 B. application for the use of Bell street park for cricket on Saturday afternoons by Senior Cadets team of Preston area, during season 1921-22.—That first preference be given to the Senior Cadets team for the use of half of Bell street park at Bell street end.—Adopted.

2. Applications from Clifton Brick Co. Cricket Club and South Preston Methodist Cricket Club for the use of Bell street Park for cricket season 1921-22.—That the above clubs be granted the use of half of Bell street park David street end, subject to arrangements being arrived at satisfactorily to the shire engineer.—Adopted. Committee Whole Council.

Cr. G. Bricknell (chairman) submitted the report, recommending— 1. C. R. Smallbone, application to build on lot 38, 42 x 107, Youngman street.—That request be granted subject to building regulations being adhered to.—Adopted. 2. C. H. Kite, application for permission to build on lot 17, Bond st., 40 x 120.—Granted. 3. Tenders.—That the tender of D.

J. Grogan, Preston, for cutting pit-chers per 100 as follows be accepted, East riding, 6-in 6s; 8-in, 7/6; Central riding, 6-in 8s; 8-in 9s; West riding, 6-in 8s; 8-in 9s; Country Roads Board, 6-in 15s; 8-in 17/6.—Adopted.

Cr. Bricknell moved the adoption of the clause. Cr. Robinson said he would like to know if these rates were based on the price of chaff. He would like an assurance that the rates were going to be stuck to.

Cr. Bricknell.—The tenders show a very fair reduction on the price of chaff. Cr. Bransgrove.—There is not likely to be any increase in the price of horse-feed the next 12 months.

Adopted. 4. That the tender of D. J. Grogan for carting metal as under be accepted—East riding, 2s per cubic yard; central riding, 2/2 per cubic yard; west riding, 3/- per cubic yard; Country Roads Board, 4/- per cubic yard.—Adopted.

5. That the tender of Clarke Bros for the supply of horses, drays, and drivers as under be accepted—Man, horse, and dray, 17/6 per day of 8 hrs; extra horse, 6/- per day of 8 hrs.

TREASURER'S REPORT. The treasurer (Mr. W. A. Kelly) reported receipts for fortnight £2005 18s 6d; and a credit balance at end of financial year of £380 17s 9d. A councillor.—What do you think of that?

ENGINEER'S REPORT. Mr. Kelly reported material carted for fortnight as follows—Metal, 4664 cubic yards; screenings, 147 cubic yards; topplings, 75 cubic yards; total, 6883 cubic yards. Also 2000 6-inch pit-chers.

INSPECTOR'S REPORT. Mr. C. Tassie recommended renewal of registration of B. Pritchard's skin dressing premises, Oakover road, where he found everything satisfactory.—Adopted.

He had impounded 39 head of wandering cattle; and had also been engaged fumigating houses after cases of infectious disease.

Cr. Jones said he knew of cases of infectious disease in Seymour and Garnet streets where the houses had not been fumigated. The secretary said that the inspector was instructed to fumigate in every case reported.

Cr. Jones said he believed it was not a Preston doctor who had attended the cases he had referred to, and probably no report was made.

ORDINARY BUSINESS. Cr. Jones said the corner of Bell and High streets was one of the most dangerous spots for traffic in the metropolitan area, and with a view of giving the police some power to act in getting the police put up "Keep to the left" notices, Cr. Robinson said he would second if similar notices were put up at the corner of High and Tyler street.—Agreed to.

Cr. Warr moved that the matter of completing the asphalt on the south side of Murray road, between Plenty road and High street, be referred to the works committee.

Cr. Bricknell moved that an extension of the water to Martin street from Gower street be applied for. Cr. Robinson moved that fresh application be made for an extension of the sewerage to Killara and Foch street.

Cr. Bransgrove said that though it was a fortnight since the Tramways Board was written regarding the dangerous state of the tram track in Plenty road, nothing had been done. At present drivers of vehicles ran great risk of having the wheels dragged inside out. He moved that another letter be written asking that attention be given as soon as possible. Cr. Jones seconded.—Carried.

Cr. Warr moved and Cr. Jones seconded that a letter of sympathy be sent to the Hon. J. G. Mombrey and family in connection with their recent bereavement.—Carried.

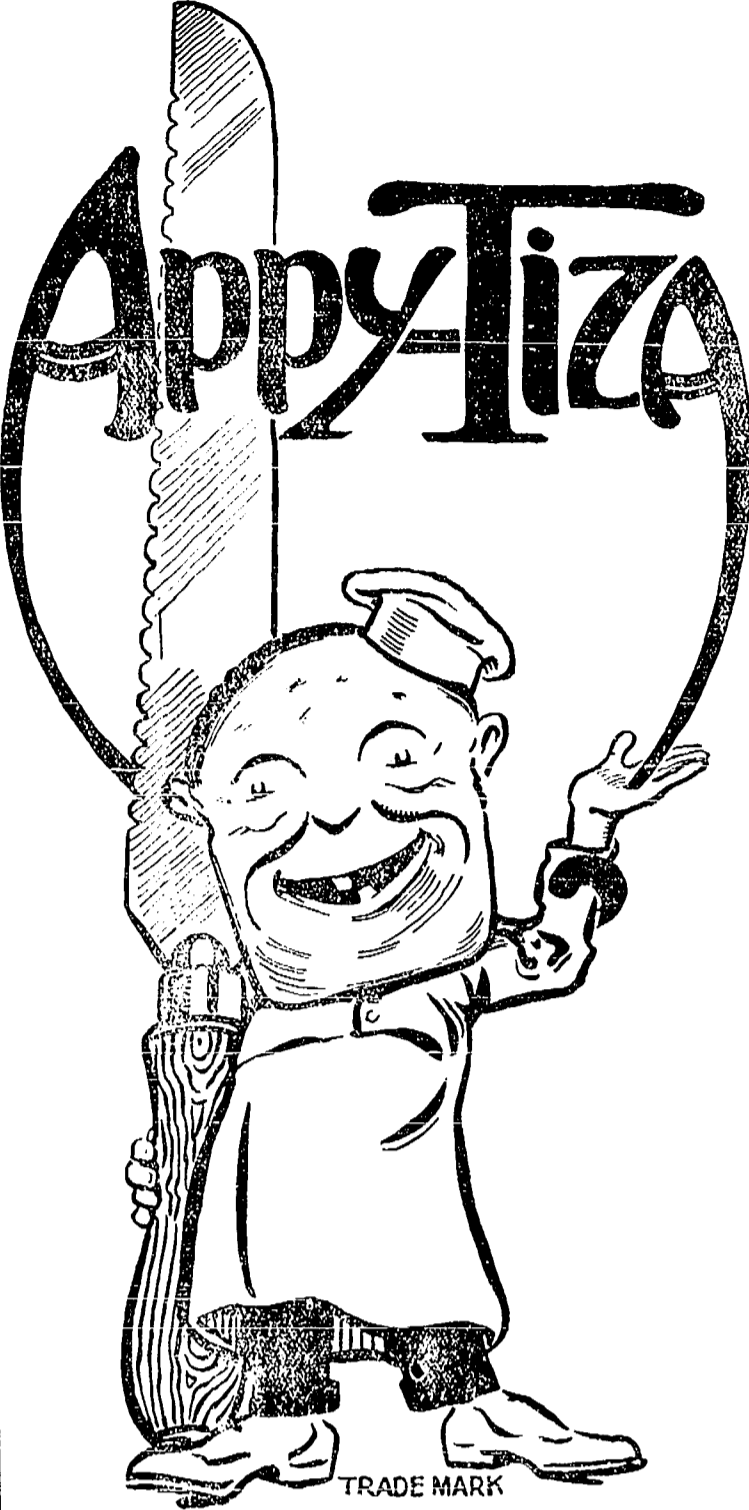
Cr. Bransgrove said that at least half-a-dozen rat-pipers had complained to him of draughts done by wandering stock. Minded during the day time these animals were allowed to wander at will during the night and also on Sundays. He moved that the inspector make a special effort to round these cattle up. Cr. Adams seconded.—Carried.

Cr. Robinson moved that Woolcock, Robertson, Punder and Youngman streets be referred to the engineer with a view to their inclusion in the next private street construction scheme.—Carried.

The president moved that attention be given to the drain running through the central riding from Tyler street to Murray road.—Referred to engineer.

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NORTHCOTE CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, October 10.

Present.—Crs. McDonnell (mayor), Jones, Harry, Dennis, Cain, Timmins, Johnson, Glanville, Oldis, Slater, Satch, Turnbull, Pearl and Turner.

CONVENTIONAL WATER EXPANSION. The Metropolitan Board of Works wrote stating they would extend the water main on west side of High Street, from Hutton street to Dundas street, on council paying half cost, £390.

Cr. Dennis suggested, in view of the importance of the matter, that it be referred for consideration with the estimates.

Cr. Turner moved to that effect. Cr. Pearl seconded.—Carried.

DESTRUCTION OF RATS. From Public Health Commission, urging in view of outbreak of bubonic plague that regulations regarding destruction of rats be put into force without delay, particularly in regard to hay and corn stores, cutting houses and shops, factories and warehouses.—Reply sent to the inspector had been instructed to see that the regulations are carried out.

COMPLAINT FROM FAIRFIELD. The Public Health Department forwarded a complaint received from A. Parer, 75 Reclunnes street, Fairfield, complaining that the drainage from 7 unsewered cottages in Stafford street (namely), concentrated at the rear of his house and caused a nuisance and a menace to health.—Referred to works committee on the motion of Cr. Oldis.

LOAN MONIES DIVERTED. The Public Works Department wrote agreeing to the £2000 of loan money provided for bridge at West-garth being used to increase the amount for public baths to £1400 and provide £800 for stormwater drains in High Street.—Referred to works committee.

LIMITLESS SOLDIERS AND TRAVELLING FACILITIES.

Melbourne Tramway Board wrote stating that they issued free passes to returned soldiers who had lost both eyes or two limbs. Also passes were issued in cases where soldiers had suffered the loss of one limb, and another limb (though not amputated) has been rendered useless without the aid of surgical appliances.—Received.

PUBLIC UTILITIES.

City of Fitzroy wrote inviting this council to be represented at a conference to consider the best means of getting a just share of the amount expended on the provision of public utilities, such as sewerage and tramway facilities.

Cr. Timmins said consideration of this matter was most necessary, as the districts this side of the Yarra had been most neglected.

Crs. Timmins and Pearl were appointed to attend.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

J. G. Mombrey wrote thanking the council for kind letter of sympathy in connection with his recent sad bereavement.—Received.

HALL FOR TEMPERANCE.

I.O.R., Northcote, applied for use of town hall on Sunday, November 13, when an address would be delivered on Temperance and a collection taken up for the Ladies' Benevolent Society.—Request complied with.

BLIND INSTITUTE'S THANKS.

The Royal Victorian Institute for the Blind wrote thanking council for their hearty support, not only in connection with appeal but by buying their brushware during the past year.

The ex-mayor (Cr. Timmins) intimated that he would be forwarding another £50 as the balance from his appeal in Northcote in the course of a few days.

BOREAS CITY WANTS ROOM.

Northcote Boreas Society applied for the use of a room at the Town Hall one day a month for the purpose of carrying on their work. They had had the use of the Methodist School hall rent free for 20 years, but the time had come when a change is necessary.—Referred to the Mayor.

COUNCIL'S AUCTIONEERING BUSINESS.

Angus McDonald (late A.I.F.) wrote asking to be considered as auctioneer in connection with next sales of land under the Rates Recovery Act.—Referred to finance committee.

ROOM FOR BOY SCOUTS.

J. H. Simon, scout master of Northcote Troop, wrote asking for use of the lodge room one night a week for a meeting place.

Cr. Turner remarked that a lot of boy scouts were not going to make the room which was occupied as the Baby Health Centre any more suitable. They should think hard before giving them that particular room. He moved that the matter be referred to the finance committee.—Carried.

STATE OF DERBY STREET.

S. G. Goodall, 5 Derby street, wrote objecting to his rates being increased while his street was allowed to remain in such a terrible condition.—Referred to works committee on motion of Cr. Glanville.

FILLING WANTED.

J. S. Berman, occupier of War Service home, Vauxhall road, intimated that he would be obliged if the council could divert any surplus soil for filling to his place, as after rain a lake existed at the rear of his place, and there was no means of carrying off the water.—Referred to works committee on the motion of Cr. Glanville.

JACKSON STREET.

P. C. Munks, A. R. Shiel, A. Gardie, J. Collins, R. Farmer, and 16 other residents of Jackson street, wrote complaining of the disgraceful condition of the street and asking that it be given immediate attention.—Referred to works committee on the motion of Cr. Timmins.

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE.

Cr. Pearl (chairman) submitted the report, recommending—

1. That accounts—general, £1,011 10s 9d; street construction, £550; and loan account No. 12, £910—be passed for payment.—Adopted.

2. Rossmore Street.—That the City Surveyor be instructed to invite tenders for the construction of Russmore Street.—Adopted.

3. Tenders.—Sanitary Service.—

That the tender of Mr. T. Goldsworthy, for sanitary service, for the year ending 30th September, 1922, at the rate of £117/11 per pan for a weekly service and £2/5/- per pan for a bi-weekly service be accepted.—Adopted.

4. Tenders.—Quarry Carriage.—That the tender of Mr. J. Power, for the carriage of material from the quarry for 12 months ending 30th September, 1922, be accepted at the following schedule rates, viz.:—North Ward, 2/1; West Ward, 2/11; Central Ward, 3/-; South Ward, 1/4; East Ward, 7/11.—Adopted.

5. No Waterhole, Clyde Street.—That the necessary order be made and sent to Mr. J. Westwood, 11, Clarendon Street, Northcote; Mr. J. Gault, of Hanberg Street, Essendon; and Mr. J. P. Evans, of Victoria Street, West Brunswick; as joint owners and occupiers of land situated in and abutting on the north side of Clyde Street, within the City of Northcote, to have the excavation on each lot recently fenced and to be the satisfaction of the Council.—Adopted.

6. Kellett Street Construction.—

(a) That the works having cost the sum of £1,511/11/2, being £50/3/- less than the estimated cost, the respective appropriations be reduced proportionately.—Adopted.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Cr. Slater (chairman) submitted the report, recommending—

1. That accounts amounting to £1360 be passed for payment.—

2. Statement of Accounts.—The Financial Statement of Accounts for the year ended 30th September, 1921, is submitted herewith for the information of the Council.

This was submitted by the chairman of the committee, showing a net overdraft on 30th September of £2922 14s 6d against £3990 16s 1d when the year started.

3. Re-opening Langston Street through to Gatch Street.—That this matter be referred for consideration with the preparation of the estimates for the ensuing year.—Adopted.

PARKS COMMITTEE.

Cr. Harry (chairman) submitted the report, recommending—

1. Lawns, Pender's Park.—That in order to exterminate the onion weed, the land to be laid out in Pender's Park be cultivated, and left to lie in fallow until the next planting season.

It having been explained that the experimental plot was only of small extent, and already in fallow, no further work being necessary till February the clause was adopted.

2. Re-purchase of Water Sprinklers.—That tenders be invited for the supply and fitting of the necessary piping and sprinklers for High Street and Northcote Park Rookeries.—Adopted.

3. Re extra assistance for planting additional lawns and street trees.—That this matter be referred for consideration with the Estimates for the ensuing year.—Adopted.

ELECTRIC LIGHT COMMITTEE.

Recommending that accounts amounting to £1198 7s 7d be passed for payment.—Adopted.

Cr. Turner complained that the members of this important committee were not attending to their work.

Three times he had come to meetings at which there was no quorum present.

ORDINARY BUSINESS.

Cr. Timmins moved that the offer of Kerr & Joyce to supply 30 electric poles at 35/- each be accepted. Cr. Turner seconded.—Carried.

Cr. Turner moved that Cr. Cain, M.L.A., be asked to try and hurry up the passing of the building regulations by the Public Works Department, so that some of the jerry-building now going on might be stopped.—Carried.

Cr. Pearl moved that the matter of completing Bullen's Drain be referred to the finance committee to provide the necessary funds.

Cr. Turner seconded.

An amendment by Crs. Danks and Harry that the question of storm-water drains for the whole municipality be referred to the committee of the whole was carried. Cr. Pearl voted against on a division being called.

Cr. Jones moved that the matter of repairs to the path in High Street between the tramways and Clarendon st. be referred to the works committee.—

Cr. Jones asked for details of the £70 odd alleged to have been expended on the Pender's Grove Park.

Cr. Harry (chairman of the committee) said the gardener had given details up to £25, he owing to the loss of a notebook he could not give details for the balance.

Cr. Jones said if £73 had been spent on the Pender's Grove Park it was no wonder the finances are in the state they are.

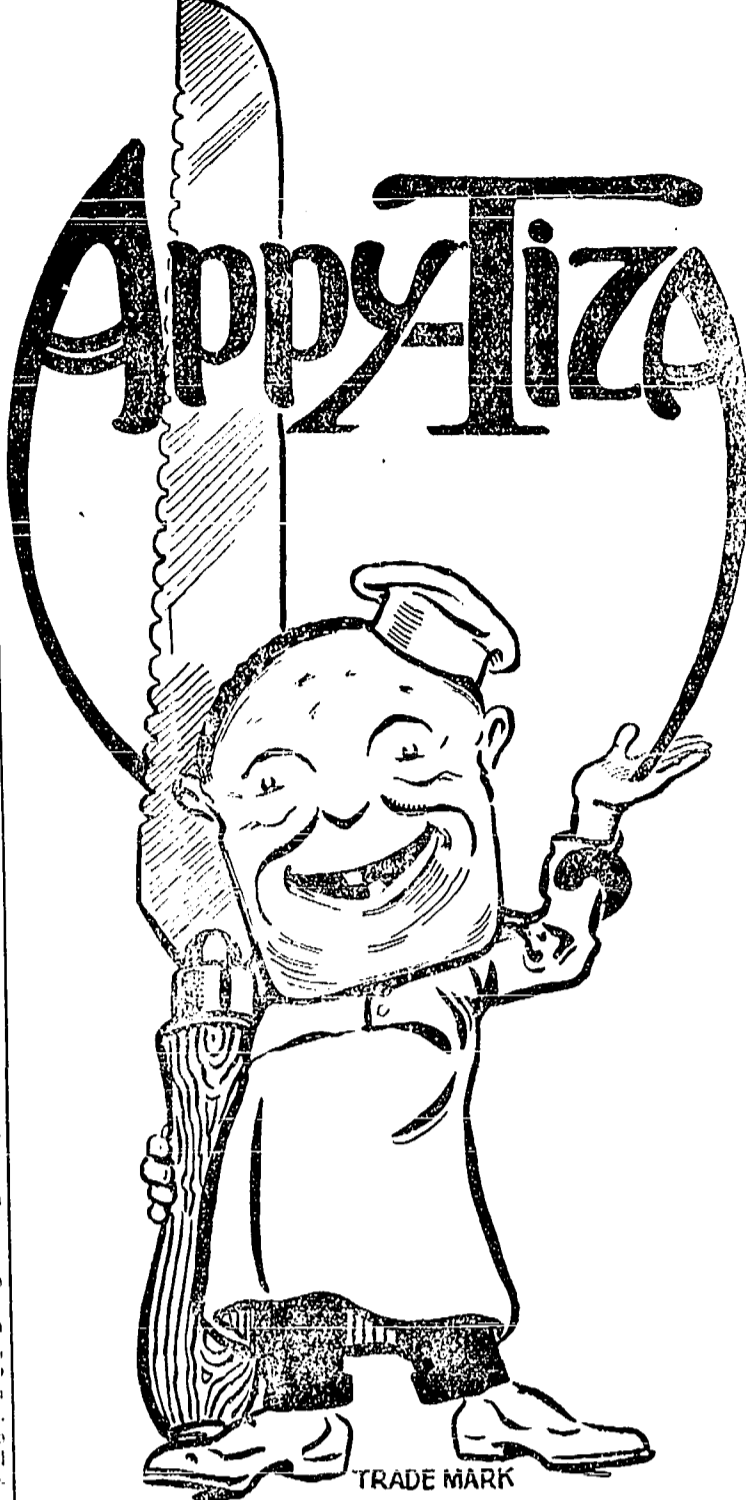
He moved that a detailed list of expenditure on all the parks of the city be supplied. Council would get an eye opener if the expenditure generally was on the same lines as at Pender's Park.

Cr. Harry seconded.—Carried.

CITY ENTERTAINMENTS.

For the next few weeks the programme at the Bijou theatre will be devoted to all vaudeville. Several attractive acts have just landed from England and America, and will be scheduled for early appearance in Melbourne. Chief of the new comers will be Tubby Stevens, a miniature comedian, Tikva and Kirby, an eccentric sketch team, Ling and Long, comely acrobats, Berg and English, a clever dancing duo, and Lola Stanton, a talented trick violinist.

"The Confessions of a Wife," an emotional romance in four acts, is to be staged by Pullers' Dramatic Players at the Palace Theatre today at the matinee. Briefly the story runs that Nora Blayde is unhappily married to a villain in Garwood Blayde, and troubles arise by his wishing to introduce to his home his former mistress, Leda Dalroy. Jim Rodney, a staunch friend and former admirer of Nora, on one occasion comes to her rescue to protect her and her child from his cruelty. In the fourth scene Blayde attempts to thrash the boy, and to protect him the mother snatches up a revolver and shoots him. In order to protect Jim decides to accept the responsibility. Nellie Bramley will play Nora Blayde, Austin Milroy Jim Rodney, and Victor Fitzherbert Garwood Blayde.



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TUESDAY, OCT. 11.
[Before Dr. Cole, P.M. and Mr. C. T. Crispie, J.P.]

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CHARGE OF OBSTRUCTION.
C. Tassie, health inspector, v. John Henry Dinwiddie, butcher, obstructing informant in the performance of his duty—Adjourned for four weeks.

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Kathleen Ann Tracy sued her husband for maintenance. She said they were married on September 23, 1916.

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Owing to our Up-to-Date Business Methods - Buying for Cash, Selling for Cash, Economic Supervision and our Huge Daily Sales—we are able to quote the VERY LOWEST RATES for

MONDAY LENDING CASE.
Gordon James, trading as Harry Graham, v. Mary Spenser. Claim for £12 13s 6d, balance due on a promissory note.

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The following is the position of teams up to October 13:—

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The "Digger" Grocers,
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Beef, Mutton & Pork
The Best the Market can Supply.
Prime Ox Beef
Roast Beef from 1 1/4d
Prime Ribs " 3 3/4d

1st Preston Troop, A.B.S.A.
Last Saturday cricket was played by sides captained by S. J. King and A. M. Dickson, but owing to the storm the game was not finished.

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Amusements. HOSPITAL SUNDAY. BAND PERFORMANCE. PIER Street Terminals. TYESTON CITIZENS' BAND.

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Auction Sales. THIS DAY (SATURDAY). At 10 o'clock, At the Property, 24 HAROLD ST., THORBURY.

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MOUNT MULLEN DISASTER. Northcote's Appeal. There was a large response of citizens and representatives of local organizations.

HOSPITAL SUNDAY. On Sunday afternoon the Preston Citizens' Band will render a programme at the Tyler street terminus.

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enthusiasm in respect to the war as we did, or by people who are Allies in blood, as well as in purpose. My delusions, however, were that the best and highest thought and sentiment of Japan recognized that their cause was the cause of the Allies.

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Psychology of a Holiday.
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PRESTON CHURCH OF CHRIST. A SALE OF WORK will be held in the Shire Hall on Saturday Afternoon and Evening, 5th November. To be opened at 3 in the Afternoon by Mrs. E. Thomas, Conference President. Well-stocked Stalls, &c. Musical Items by the Preston Entertainers Orchestra during the evening. Admission Free. Every-body Welcome.

MUM'S SOCIAL. Shire Hall, Preston, TONIGHT, day, 29th October. Dancing, Euchre, Refreshments, Good Music. Gent's 1/6, Ladies 1/2. Tax paid. W. H. DAVIS, Joint Hon. Sec. R. N. MARSHALL, Sec.

NORTHCOLE'S APPEAL. In aid of the Bereaved Families. SUNDAY, 30th OCTOBER. BAND PERFORMANCES will be given in the NORTHCOLE PARK (Westgarth St.) at 3. BATMAN PARK (corner St. George's Rd. and Arthurton Rd.) at 3. PENDELS PARK (North Ward) at 3. BY LEADING BANDS. A Collection will be made. SUNDAY EVENING, 30th OCT., commencing at 8.15. A PLEASANT SUNDAY EVENING will take place in the TOWN HALL, NORTHCOLE, Good Programs. Admission Free. Collection. The Liberal Patronage and Generous Support of Citizens is Earnestly Requested. CH. A. A. McDONNELL, Mayor. CH. F. J. JONES, Secretary.

PRESTON C.Y.M.S.—Grand Eucharist Party and Dance, Monday, 31st October (Cup Day). Shire Hall, Preston. Valuable Prizes. Luncheon & "Taylor's" Band. Refreshments. 1.6, Ladies, 1/- D. MURPHY, President. J. P. MCDONNELL, Hon. Sec. SENIOR CADETS, 6th. GRAND PICTURE NIGHT. PRESTON SHIRE HALL, WEDNESDAY, 2nd NOVEMBER. In aid of Physical Training. Preston Band Orchestra. Tickets 10d and 1/2. A. F. ANDERSON, Hon. Sec. WHITLESSEA AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY. ANNUAL SHOW, SATURDAY NEXT, 5th NOV. GOOD SPORTING PROGRAMME. Hunting. High Jump. Ping Pong Events. Northcote Citizens' Brass Band to be in attendance. SILENCE SHOWS. First-Class Luncheon Booth on the Ground. W. B. MURPHY, Secretary.

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MOUNT MULLIGAN RELIEF FUND. NORTHCOLE'S APPEAL. Yesterday, under the direction of the mayor (Mr. A. McDonnell) an army of labour sellers were busily engaged throughout the city disposing of buttons in connection with Northcote's effort to raise funds for the assistance of those women and children who lost their breadwinners in the Mount Mulligan mine disaster. Buttons were selling so freely that the executive deemed it advisable to procure another 1000 on Thursday, and the mayors and her voluntary assistants hope to realize a substantial amount by this means. Buttons will be available at the various theatres tonight, also at the various parks in-morrow. BAND PERFORMANCES. Tomorrow may be fittingly described as music Sunday. Commencing at 3 o'clock, three distinct bands will render selections in Northcote Park, Eaton Park, and Pender's Park. Each of these public resorts, with their lawns and shrubbery, are looking very prettily and well, and each is surrounded with a large population there should be large gatherings prepared to witness the music. Visitors will thus have the opportunity of helping the widows and fatherless children by contributing to the collection boxes or buying a shining button. PLEASANT SUNDAY EVENING. In the Northcote town hall at night, beginning at 8.15, immediately after the church service, which will terminate at 8.15, a pleasant Sunday evening will take place. A suitable programme has been arranged by the action of the churches, comprising solo, chorus, community singing and band music, with Mr. Hart Cox as director. The evening will be under the patronage of Northcote (Mr. A. McDonnell), and the liberal patronage and generous support of citizens is earnestly requested.

NORTHCOLE FREE LIBRARY. COMMITTEE APPEAL FOR FURTHER SUPPORT. At the meeting of the Northcote City Council on Monday evening a letter was received from Mr. R. J. Whalley, secretary of the Library committee, as follows:—"Dear Sirs, I have been directed by the committee to inform you of the need for increasing the present annual grant to the library, which is inadequate to meet requirements, with a debit balance of £22 8/-, in addition to which there are outstanding accounts amounting to £58. There has been no addition to the grant during the past 10 years—a period during which the population of the city has grown enormously, placing correspondingly heavier demands on the use of the library. Further, the committee has been faced during the past few years with largely increased costs. For instance—books have risen fully 70 per cent; binding 60 per cent; newspapers, 100 per cent; periodicals and magazines, 50 per cent. These added costs have greatly hampered the committee's purchasing power, with the result that many books which should be procured cannot be obtained. Books have continually to be returned—hundreds at a time—and hundreds of replacements necessary through books being worn out. These items alone almost eat up the limited grant at the committee's disposal. The committee are of opinion that in accordance with the terms of acceptance of the Carnegie grant, the library is entitled to an amount equal to one halfpenny in the £ of the annual valuation. One thing, however, the committee wish to emphasize is that the library cannot be efficiently maintained on the present grant. Yours, in behalf of Committee, R. J. WHALLEY, Hon. Sec."

HOSPITAL SUNDAY. LOCAL COLLECTIONS. Mayores' Huton Day ... 25 11 0 (Employees) 5 0 0 Howe & Co. Pty. Ltd. ... 20 0 0 H. Zwaig (Emps) ... 3 6 0 Preston Citizens Band—Tyler Street and Concert ... 15 10 0 E. Zwaig (Emps) Pty. Ltd. and Emps ... 10 0 0 I.O.R. Band, Northcote Park ... 8 0 0 Employees P. T. Smith ... 5 10 0 Northcote Citizens' Band, Batman Park ... 4 15 0 Employees R. Lawrence ... 2 0 0 Employees Northcote Brick Co. ... 1 10 0 £164 8 4 THE CHURCHES. NORTHCOLE. St. Joseph's R.C. Church ... 438 0 0 James Street Presbyterian ... 27 0 0 Church and School ... 11 0 0 Thornbury Presbyterian & S.S. ... 21 0 0 Prince of Wales Park Methodist ... 12 15 0 Holy Trinity, Thornbury ... 9 3 0 Church of Christ, Northcote ... 5 11 6 Church of Christ, Thornbury ... 9 0 0 Church of the Holy Spirit, Northcote ... 6 10 3 Baptist Church ... 5 7 2 St. George's Road Methodist ... 3 12 6 Congregational Church and S.S. ... 4 3 0 Salvation Army ... 1 10 0 Total for 1921 ... 2149 15 11 Total for 1920 ... 2140 13 5 PRESTON. Huton Day ... 327 5 6 Roman Catholic Church ... 13 5 0 Preston Presbyterian & S.S. ... 9 3 0 Methodist and S.S. ... 5 16 1 South Preston Methodist & S.S. ... 2 11 4 Church of Christ and S.S. ... 2 11 4 Total for 1921 ... 336 4 0 Total for 1920 ... 329 12 9 Property Sales. Coghill & Haughton will offer this day (Saturday), Macleodburton Estate in the heart of Fairfield, comprising 30 shop sites and 5 villa sites. Terms are easy, 25 per cent and 20th monthly. Robertson & Jones announce for private sale the Trudgeon Estate at low prices and many terms. This property is splendidly situated and close to Regent station. Robertson & Jones will offer on 12th November land at the corner of Murray road and Elizabeth street, known as the Livingston Estate. W. H. Edgar & Chandler will sell at 2 on Saturday, at "Melindro," Oliver st., Preston, household furniture and effects. Angus McDONNELL will offer on Thursday 3rd inst. 14 furniture articles advertised at 40 Rossmoyne street, Thornbury. Miller street, Thornbury (corner Huton street), Stott & Haughton will sell on Saturday next, 4 f.w.b. villa of 6 rooms, etc. Miss HELEN PASCOE-WEBB'S JUVENILE FANCY DRESS BALL and ENTERTAINMENT. Dancing: Adults from 10 to 11.30. Halcovy Tickets, 1/7.



NORTHCOTE CITY COUNCIL.

MONDAY, 21st OCTOBER.

Present:—Crs. McDowell, (mayor), Jones, Johnson, Ollis, Cain, Donny, Timmins, Pearl, Harry, Beecher, Satch, Slater, Glanfield, Turner and Turnbull.

DISPOSAL OF NIGHTSOIL.

The Metropolitan Board of Works wrote intimating that the recommendation of the conference to disposal of nightsoil from unsewered premises was that the draft Bill, as amended, be adopted. Cr. Donny moved that the matter be referred to the committee of the whole, a copy of the Bill to be supplied to each member.—Carried.

EAST WARD SCHOOL SITE.

The Education Department wrote asking council to place any available clearing on the low portion of the new school site, Clarke street. E. Referred to works committee, secretary to report.

STREETS AND WATER-COURSES BILL.

The City of Caulfield wrote asking this council to support the passing of the proposed Metropolitan Streets and Watercourses Bill by writing to the Minister and urging their Parliamentary representatives to assist in securing the passing of the Bill.—Cr. Satch moved that the suggested action be taken.—Carried.

"A STRAIGHT DEAL."

Senator Guthrie wrote forwarding for distribution copies of pamphlet entitled "England, the Slacker," being a chapter from a famous American author's book, "A Straight Deal." His object was to give the people of Victoria an opportunity of hearing from an American as to what the British Empire did in the great war, and, in comparison, how very little the U.S. of America did, though claiming so much.—Received.

LOST DOGS.

Secretary of the Lost Dogs Home (who has taken over from the Melbourne City Council all operations connected with the stray dog problem) wrote offering to supply motor, chauffeur, and dog-catcher at £2 10s per day. All dogs caught would be taken to the home, fed, vaccinated, sold if possible, and such as were not sold would be destroyed in their painless lethal chamber.

HAVY HEALTH REPRESENTATIVE.

The Victorian Havy Health Centre wrote asking the council to appoint a delegate to represent it on the executive council of the Association.—Received, and appointment made an order of the day for next meeting.

DISARMAMENT SUNDAY.

The Trades Hall Council wrote asking this council to cooperate in making "Disarmament Sunday," which they were busy organising, with a view of creating a public opinion in favour of disarmament a great success.—Request complied with, on the motion of Crs. Johnson and Timmins.

MOUNT MULLIGAN DISASTER.

F. J. James wrote, as secretary of the local committee formed to raise funds for those bereaved by the Mount Mulligan mining disaster, asking for the use of the hall on Sunday, 30th, for a P.S. Evening on behalf of the movement.

Cr. Jones said it was originally decided to have a Pleasant Sunday Afternoon, but instead funds were being raised for the disaster. He suggested that the town hall fixture would be in the evening, after the service at the churches.

VICTORIA ROAD TEAM.

A. J. Turner, hon. sec. East Ward Progress Association, wrote stating they would like to see as many councillors as possible present at the public meeting convened by the mayor (Cr. McDowell) at the town hall on 2nd November to urge the claim for a tram along Victoria road. They would also like a room for a committee meeting re tramway matters on the 27th October.—Cr. Ollis moved that councillors attend the meeting.—Carried. The town clerk reported that a room had been granted for the committee meeting.

STATE OF STAFFORD STREET.

R. F. Fawkes again wrote complaining of the unhealthy condition of Stafford street, the small being very objectionable from the stagnant water lying about, which is a real danger to the health of the community. He would also like to know how long they were going to be without lights in the street.—To be considered with public works committee's report.

SWAMPS FOR BACK YARDS.

J. W. Andrew, Separation street, wrote complaining of the condition of the right of way at the rear of the War Service Homes there. His own and his neighbors' yards were nothing but a swamp with the water lying about. This water, if not carried away, would stagnate and be liable to spread disease.—Referred to works committee, engineer to report, on the motion of Cr. Glanfield.

MANSFIELD STREET, EAST.

S. Thompson, lower Mansfield street, wrote asking that a drain be made on the south side of Mansfield street, from Wilmet street to Bathmans street, so as to take the stagnant water away from about his place.—Referred to works committee, on the motion of Cr. Jones.

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE.

Cr. Pearl (chairman) submitted the report recommending—  
1. That accounts—general, £919, 8/1; street construction, £618, 7/7; loan account No. 12, £812;—be passed for payment.  
2. Vauxhall Road, from Clarke Street to Hastings Street, Plan No. 699.—(a) That the works having cost the sum of £1,853,178, being £216,474 more than the estimated cost thereof, the respective appropriations be increased proportionately and collected.—Adopted.  
3. Auburn Avenue and Lane between Arthurton Road and Auburn Avenue, Plan No. 670.—(a) That the works having cost the sum of £2,181,192, being £231,132 less than the estimated cost thereof, the appropriations be reduced proportionately.—Adopted.  
4. Ho Quarry.—That a separate system of accounts for the Quarry be arranged with a view to obtain exact results of working, production, and results of the undertaking.—Adopted.  
5. Re Renovation of Quarry House.

That the tender of Mr. J. Bainbridge for the renovation of the house at the Quarry for the bulked sum of £37,107, be accepted and the contract entered into under the order of the Council.  
Cr. Slater raised the objection that no provision had been made for this expenditure, but withdrew same on it being pointed out that the expenditure was necessary to make the house habitable for an employee, who could prevent the present loss and damage now being done in connection with the quarry, and the amount could be provided in the present year's estimates.  
6. Federated Municipal and Shire Council Employees' Union, re increase in employees' wages.—That this matter be referred for consideration with the Estimates.—Adopted.

7. Re Stafford Street Drainage.—That the City Surveyor be authorised to invite tenders for the construction of drain (for which notice was served) at the rear of properties in Stafford Street.—Adopted.

8. Re Public Swimming Baths.—That the amended plan of the Stafford Baths prepared by the City Surveyor be accepted, and tenders be invited for the construction of the baths, separate prices to be obtained for the fencing.—Withdrawn.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Cr. Slater (chairman) submitted the report, recommending—  
1. That accounts amounting to £1,190,5,1 be passed for payment.—Adopted.  
2. Health Act 1919, Pan Annual Charge.—That notice be given to make and levy a Pan Annual Charge of 2s. 6d. per pan for a weekly service and 1s. 6d. per pan for a service twice weekly on all occupiers or owners of unsewered tenements.—Adopted.

ELECTRIC LIGHT COMMITTEE.

Cr. Timmins (chairman) submitted the report, recommending—  
1. That accounts amounting to £2,626,1/10 be passed for payment.—Adopted.  
2. Time Switches for Public Lighting.—That six time switches at an approximate cost of £14/10/- each be purchased, as recommended by the consulting engineer.—Adopted.

PARKS COMMITTEE REPORT.

Cr. Harry (chairman) submitted the report, recommending—  
1. That accounts amounting to £71/10/9 be passed for payment.—Adopted.  
2. W. S. Stott, re offer of land, Victoria road.—That the offer of Mr. W. S. Stott to sell to the Council an area of about 21 acres adjoining Victoria Road, be referred for consideration with the Estimates.  
Cr. Harry moved the adoption of the clause.

Cr. Johnson said he would like some information before voting.  
Cr. Harry replied that some time ago Mr. Stott made an offer of certain land at a certain price, and the parks committee instructed the value to be made a valuation of it, and the Mayor appointed to see Mr. Stott, with the result that the Parks Committee now recommended that the matter be considered with the estimates. They had reached a stage when more parks must be provided, and his idea was that they must take steps to get the land while land was available.

Cr. Ollis said he would oppose the recommendation if they got more information as to the true value of the land. Their own value said it was not worth the money asked.  
Cr. Beecher said he would support the proposal as the municipality was at present starving for the want of parks. He took the view that this park would be for the benefit of the whole of Northcote. He considered this a golden opportunity to get a recreation reserve for the future generations.  
Cr. Johnson—Will it be for Heald, Beecher or For Northcote?  
The motion was agreed to.

3. Re Parks Development of Metropolitan Area.—That the proposal to create a City Planning Commission, and to expend £7,500 spread over a term of three years to make surveys, etc., the proportion of which this Council is proposed to contribute being £166/10/- per annum in three instalments, be not approved.—Adopted.  
4. Merri Park.—That application be made to the Lands Department for information as to the area of the property situated in St. George's Road, adjoining Merri Park, and also whether the property would be made available to the Council for Park purposes, and if so, under what conditions.—Adopted.

CEMETERY COMMITTEE.

Cr. Johnson (chairman) submitted the report, recommending—  
1. That accounts amounting to £107/7/2 be passed for payment.—Adopted.  
2. Cemetery Improvements.—(a) That the paths be formed and covered with rough gravel. (b) That a grass hedge be planted along the front fence. (c) That the graves on earth at the north end of the grounds be removed. (d) That the trees be trimmed, and where considered necessary old trees be removed.—Adopted.  
Cr. Glanfield moved that the matter of proceeding with the work be referred to the parks committee.—Carried.

ORDINARY BUSINESS.

Cr. Satch moved that the surveyor be instructed to repair the channel in Eastmont street. At the committee the work had been ruled out by the chairman.  
Cr. Turnbull seconded.  
Cr. Timmins said, after inspection, he would not support the whole length of the street being done.  
Cr. Satch—The engineer says one man would do all that is necessary in four or five days.  
Cr. Johnson said the chairman of the works committee holds that no money is provided for the work. It was a matter of supporting the chairman or not.  
The Mayor ruled the discussion out of order as the matter had been referred to the works committee, who had dealt with it.  
Cr. Satch—Is it an order to construct a path in Station street?  
The Mayor—That is not before the chair.  
Cr. Satch moved that the matter be referred to the committee.  
Cr. Turnbull seconded.—Carried.  
Cr. Harry moved that the matter of repairing the Martin street right-of-

way be referred to the works committee.—Carried.  
Cr. Cain referred to the condition of the land between Merri parade and the creek. He had lost his dog there till now it was a menace to health. He moved that the matter be referred to the works committee with a view of commencing work with having the place made clean and healthy.—Adopted.  
Cr. Slater, chairman of finance, gave a financial notice re the borrowing from the Savings Bank of £11,500.  
On the motion of Cr. Timmins, the matter of providing electric lighting at the R.S.H.A. premises at the reservoir was referred to the committee, with power to act.  
Cr. Johnson intimated that he would report regarding the proceedings at the annual meeting of the Municipal Association at next meeting.

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CRICKET. NORTHCOTE V. RICHMOND. This match, which was to have commenced last Saturday at Northcote, was postponed on account of the bad state of the wicket. It will be played today. The second eleven play at Richmond.

Northcote v. Preston. Despite the heavy rain on the previous day, the wicket at Ransford street reserve was in good order, though the mud was ankle deep on the southern boundary of the ground.

HEIDELBERG-NORTHCOTE TRAMWAY LEAGUE. DEPUTATION TO HEIDELBERG COUNCIL. A large and representative deputation from the Heidelberg Shire Tramway League waited upon the Heidelberg Shire Council at its meeting on Tuesday evening last for the purpose of urging the council to take up the question of the Heidelberg to Northcote tramway.

2nd GRADE. The Preston second grade played St. George last Saturday at Royal Park (the local ground not yet being available). St. George won the toss and batted, and at the close had lost nine for 236.

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