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Local Government. BOROUGH OF PRESTON. Applications, addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to 4 p.m. on Monday, 10th April, 1922, for the position of Clerk in Electric Light Department.

The Leader. Major G. H. C. Trenvove, of Helen Street School, has been appointed head teacher of the Gowes school, Phillip Island, for the last fortnight.

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NORTHCOTE COUNCIL INCIDENT.

CHAIRMAN OF WORKS COMMITTEE DEPOSED.

Northcote public works committee has taken the unprecedented course of deposing its chairman, and arising out of the matter there was a commotion in the council on Monday evening the like of which has not been heard of since for some time.

Section 139 of the Local Government Act authorizes a council to either appoint or depose a chairman, and apparently in its executive power ends there.

The following appeared on the notice paper as clause 2 of the public works committee's report:—"The chairman, Cr. Pearse, has been removed from the position of chairman of the public works committee."

Though the committee had deposed Cr. Pearse they had not appointed a fresh chairman, as it fell to Cr. Pearse to do so.

Cr. Pearse said while submitting the report he would like to say why, in his opinion, that decision was arrived at.

This had been a very hard year financially, making all the more reason for playing the game fair as between the wards. The two north wards, which were the biggest both in population and in area, were entitled to their fair share, but the practice had been to give the south ward for years of giving the south ward more than her fair share.

Cr. Timmins—"Has this anything to do with the report?"

The mayor said he would like to have any discussion of the clause out of order, as the appointment of a chairman by the council was a matter for the committee and not for the council.

Cr. Turner rose to question the ruling. The mayor—"You can't do that."

Cr. Timmins—"I never did it."

Cr. Dennis said he would like to know the clause under which the mayor had ruled the discussion out of order.

The mayor—"Section 139 of the Local Government Act."

Cr. Dennis—"I know it's right, and it's my ruling."

Cr. Turner—"The ruling is wrong, but we've got no remedy."

Cr. Pearse—"If that's your ruling Mr. Mayor I must obey the chair."

Cr. Dennis—"This matter is not finished with yet."

The mayor—"You are out of order."

Cr. Dennis—"You are out of order."

Cr. Dennis—"No game at all."

The mayor—"Let's get on to business to appoint or remove a chairman, that's all."

Cr. Dennis—"This is the first time a chairman has been removed, and it's only fair to give him a chance to explain."

The mayor—"I know my ruling is right. Turner—you are the only one round the table who thinks so."

Cr. Dennis—"I am going to take the responsibility of my action."

Cr. Timmins—"I know you can't do it."

Cr. Johnson said he thought the council had a right to obey the ruling of the chair. He did not know what the visitors would think about them.

Cr. Pearse rose to his feet.

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NORTHCOTE POLICE COURT.

MONDAY, 27TH MARCH.

[Before Messrs Plant (chairman), Bailey, Cohen, Jones, and Evans, J.A.P.]

DECLARATION ORDER.

Mary McLellan applied for an order to eject one Albyn Gardner, carpenter, from a house in Newman street. She said the house was let at £1 a week, and the rent was 8 months in arrears. She had been going to take this action several times, but had "always" succeeded. Gardner, who she believed, was in constant work. Order to issue within 30 days. There was no appearance of defendant.

NO LICENSE.

Clarence May, Rowen street, Fitzroy, was charged with collecting wages without being licensed.

Constable Spottiswood stated that on the morning of the 7th February the landlord, Hubert Hubbard, and Northcote, going from house to house collecting bottles in the bottom of the cart he was travelling round in were a lot of pairs of feet for human consumption. Defendant admitted he had no license.

Fined £1.

UNLAWFUL ASSAULT.

Nellie Dwyer proceeded against Albert James Lawrence for unlawful assault.

Mr. Mann, for plaintiff, said the facts of the case were that on Thursday, 16th, between 5 and 6, defendant's young son and a companion were sliding down the supports of a hoarding when defendant came along. One boy ran away, but Mrs. Dwyer's boy stayed, and was given a most unbecoming thrashing.

Defendant—"I hit him once while he was kicking the iron off the hoarding."

Mr. Mann said for his principal witness was absent he would ask for an adjournment till Thursday, 6th April. Granted.

THURSDAY, 30TH MARCH.

[Before Messrs Hayes (chairman), Timmins, Jones, Evans, Turner, and Cohen, J.A.P.]

HOTEL CASES.

Henry James Foster, James Brown, John L. Cooper, Robert Taylor, Chas. White, Arthur Dean, John Phillip, Robert Christie, James Mason, and Wm. Guinness were charged with being on the licensed premises of the Peacock hotel on 25th February during prohibited hours.

All pleaded not guilty with the exception of Cooper.

Inspector Donovan prosecuted. Mr. Mann for the defence.

Constable Farrell and himself were on duty in Butler street on the evening of the 25th February about 6.30 p.m. They went to the gate leading to the Peacock hotel yard. The gate was opened by John White, and on his heels came five others. Witness said, "I was late home from work and went in to get a drink." The other four did not get in until after five others had been let into the gate.

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NORTHGOTE CITY COUNCIL. MONDAY, MARCH 27. Present—Crs. McDaniel (mayor), Harry, Jones, Slater, Turnbull, Satch, Dennis, Timmins, Cain, Johnson, Glanfield, Oldis, Pearl, Turner, and Beecher.

WATER FOR HILLSIDE AVENUE. Cr. Gosson and E. L. Moore wrote asking council to try and get the water extended to Hillside Avenue.

MILK CONFERENCE. The Secretary Municipal Milk Conference wrote giving particulars of business done at last meeting.

CHEAPER BUILDINGS. The Port Melbourne council wrote intimating the conference they had called to consider action to be taken to have the price of building material lowered.

VICTORIAN CIVIL AMBULANCE. The Victorian Civil Ambulance Association wrote asking if the finance committee of this council would receive a visit from their president and Cr. Cash, who would place before them information relating to the subsidies from the municipalities.

ROBERT FROM LITTLE SISTERS. Little Sisters of the Poor Convent wrote intimating that they would be grateful if the council did something to improve the road running along the east side of their property between Westbourne Grove and Hawthorn Lane.

VICTORIA ROAD TEAM. A. J. Tanner, hon. sec. Victoria Road Team League, asking what is being done in reference to the proposed depot to the Minister of Public Works re the Victoria road team.

P.S.A. AT EAST WARD PARK. A. J. Tanner, hon. sec. East Ward Progress Association, wrote inviting the mayor and councillors to a pleasant Sunday afternoon in the east ward park on Sunday afternoon, 2nd April, to raise funds for park improvements.

STATE OF COLLINS STREET. E. A. Day, hon. sec. Pender's Grove Association, wrote drawing attention to the dangerous condition of Collins street, between Hamilton and Wilmoth streets.

Cr. Slater moved the adoption of the clause. Cr. Cain said he did not see why the rent should be increased. The removal of the chairs cost 8/- or 9/- it is true but if they were not removed at night the work would have to be done next day at similar cost.

Cr. Jones, in supporting the motion, said Crs. Cain and Harry were overlooking the fact that this society had the hall with its lighting, for an extra hour, and also that the heavy removal of the chairs caused many to be damaged.

Cr. Beecher favored letting the society carry on as before, while Cr. Turnbull supported the recommendation, raising the new point that the society was not charged 10/- for "blowing up the floor for their dance" as others were.

Cr. Harrison moved that the matter of erecting a cluster lamp in the East Ward park be referred to the electric light committee.

Cr. Harry (chairman) submitted the report, recommending:— 1. That accounts amounting to £67/2/1 be passed for payment.

2. Merri Park Grazing.—That the tender of S. A. Paxitt for the right to graze horses in the Merri Park for a period of six months from 1st April, 1922, for the sum of £13/5/3 be accepted.

3. Reserve St. George's Road.—That the Reserve abutting on Merri Parade and the bridge be named "St. George's Reserve."—Adopted.

4. Path Merri Park.—That the path from St. George's Road along fence of Government property be formed and covered with ashes, the cost to be paid out of revenue received for grazing fees.—Adopted.

5. Electric Light Committee. Cr. Timmins (chairman) submitted the report, recommending:— 1. That accounts amounting to £1,159/1/7 be passed for payment.

2. Stage Lighting.—That the electrician be instructed to erect headlights and footlights on the stage, at an estimated cost of £18/10.—Tabled out, as not being provided for.

Smith street and Woulton Avenue, asked if such work had been authorized, and when. Cr. Pearl said if metal was being put in St. George's road it was maintenance metal.

Cr. Timmins said this was the metal that should have gone on Separation street. Only a hole was supposed to be needed on St. George's road.

Cr. Harry moved that the matter of repairing paths, after being broken by men working at the electric poles, be referred to the committee.—Carried.

Cr. Oldis moved that the matter of erecting a cluster lamp in the East Ward park be referred to the electric light committee.

Cr. Slater moved that the matter of leaving Auburn Avenue proclaimed a public street, be referred to the works committee.

Cr. Turner moved that the Tramway Board be asked to repair stop-stands on St. George's road.

Cr. Turnbull and Turner complained strongly of the practice of locking Arthurton road railway gates between 1 a.m. and 6 a.m., causing great inconvenience to market gardeners and other traffic, and got a motion carried that the Commissioners be asked to open them.

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A Bad Actor.—"Hist!" whispered the villain, creeping stealthily away. "I expected you would be," rejoined the stage manager, with curling lip.

Patient Not Exhausted.—There was a very small audience in the hall, and it was dwindling away. On the stage the hero and heroine are meeting "by moonlight alone." Hero (to heroine): "Are we alone?" Heroine (thinking of the audience): "Not a pot; there are two fellows near the door who look as if they might be able to sit through another act."

"First thing you do," says the employer to the new young man who has been engaged as a city salesman, "you go into the back office and take the desk the other man used, and see if you can get some order out of chaos."

Holiday in Europe.—Silas K. Heytuno was returning from his "holiday" in Yarrup, and on the liner he met an old friend whom he hadn't seen since they disembarked three months before at Liverpool.

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Ordinary twins usually resemble each other markedly. It is the identical twins (monozygotic) which are the most striking.

The curious and unexplained fact in human psychology furnishes the motif for the elder Thomas's fascinating story of the "Corsican Brothers."

"Appearances are strangely deceptive," remarked an old farmer, who held the position of superintendent of a village Sunday school.

Worst on Record. The man at the head had been using a vast amount of persuasion in trying to induce a visitor to purchase a phonograph.

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WORKING UP A DAIRY HERD.

Some points brought out prominently in answer to the question, "How do you select a herd of dairy cows to a high standard of excellence," are given below.

Adopt a cross which is suitable to some extent for fattening when done with the dairy or for milks. Always, though, if possible, obtain and ascertain if possible what the dairy record have been, and if there are satisfactory ones from the basis in holding for other cows are required.

Reject any cow from the herd which does not come up to a set standard. Fix this law to begin with, and gradually work up a little every year.

Both heifers and cows should be sensibly fed, but never forced, for this will have the tendency to counteract the shorter and fattier condition.

Wanted to buy a house. "You needn't try to defend yourself, for you can't do it. You said you'd like a man ought to be delighted to have the chance to pay for his wife's funeral!"

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"The only reason why I offer my house for sale," said the suburban resident, who was showing a prospective purchaser over the place, "is the fact that I am obliged to move to another town."

"I don't care two cents about the view to the south or the north, either," said the prospective purchaser, gloomily. "I always get suspicious when a man who wants to sell a house begins talking of the view. It looks to me as though he was trying to distract the customer's attention from the real matter at home. I am not on the market for a view; it's a house I want, and I want to be sure that the roof doesn't leak and that the windows will work in their frames."

"You're bound to work off your old view on me, eh? I'm more interested in the suburbs, where the air is pure and the land on which I live is good."

"I'm sorry you don't appreciate the view. You are the only man I ever met who could contemplate that view without comment. If you look from this west window you can see the main factory and the stockyards in the distance, while in the foreground you behold the largest brickyard in the State."

"I think the man mean would be ashamed of himself," declared Mrs. Tiff, emphatically. "The very idea of a man not wanting to pay for his wife's funeral. I should hate to have such a man in my family. It's not only a disgrace to himself, but a disgrace to the woman who has been perfectly delighted to be so." "John Henry Tiff, what are you saying?" demanded the lady.

"Oh, of course, I didn't mean that, you know; I meant that he should consider it a sacred duty to give his wife a respectable burial and pay for it the same cheerfully."

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MISS WINTER, Milliner and Ladies' Draper, 679 High Street, Thornbury. (Opposite Tram Sheds). Phone, Northcote 1249.

J. Fellowes Of the Dan Buildings, 226 Johnston Street, Collingwood, Has Opened an Up-to-Date Crockery and Hardware Store at 284 High Street, Northcote.

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George Walker (Late A.L.F.) Begs to notify the Public generally that he has opened a Grocery Business at 421 St. George's Rd., Thornbury.

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Of Interest to Housewives Look at these Prices: 25s Flour, 4s 6d, 25s Flour, 4s 6d, 25s Flour, 4s 6d.

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MISS M. B. DEANE, A.L.C.M., TEACHER OF PIANOFORTE and HARMONY.

Mrs. Cameron Desires the Residents of Preston and Surrounding Districts to know that she has opened a Laundry at 388 HIGH STREET, PRESTON.

CRICKET.

FIRST ELEVEN.

NORTHCOOTE V ESSENDON.

Northcoote, in accordance with the usual method of supplying the spectators with thrill, finished up the season on Saturday with the closest finish of the season by being with Essendon close on time. T. L. Carr, Woodbury, and Bentley did the bulk of the scoring. Scores—

ESSENDON, 1st Innings, 215.

NORTHCOOTE		
E. V. Carroll, c. More, b. Scott	10	
Edwards, c. Davies, b. Muller	10	
L. Gibbard, b. Scott	10	
E. L. Carroll, b. Muller	54	
Woodbury, c. More, b. Muller	32	
Cooper, run out	10	
Potter, b. Adams	10	
Barley, not out	10	
Rayley, b. Wilson	10	
Halfpenny, c. More, b. Muller	10	
Sundries		26
Total		215

ESSENDON, 2nd Innings, 134.

NORTHCOOTE		
Steel, c. Keller, b. Finch	3	
Trethan, b. Sherry	31	
Wardrop, b. Finch	10	
Mirams, c. Sherry, b. Finch	16	
Feenan, b. Vernon	53	
Stewart, b. Richardson	14	
McDonald, c. Richardson	0	
Fox, b. Richardson	0	
Commins, c. b. Vernon	10	
Woods, not out	10	
Park, b. Vernon	3	
Sundries	17	
Total		134

BOWLING

—A. Lane 1/54, Mallett 4/52, Wilson 1/22, Scott 2/36.

SECOND ELEVEN.

Northcoote kept up their reputation by scoring their tenth win for the season. After disposing of Essendon and winning on the first innings by 115 runs (very close to a follow on) they went in again at 4.15 and at six o'clock had five for 159. Gill put up a steady score of 73 not out, and P. Gibbard a dashing innings for 65. Scores—

ESSENDON, 1st Innings

NORTHCOOTE		
Gill, not out	73	
Harvey, b. McDonald	24	
Keller, run out	10	
Gibbard, c. Pearson, b. Wardrop	24	
Leahy, c. Mirams, b. Wardrop	0	
Sherry, b. Stewart	4	
Richardson, not out	17	
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BOWLING

—McDonald 1/20, Wardrop 2/17, Stewart 1/16.

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PRESTON FOOTBALLERS V. MILTON.

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FOOTBALLERS

MILTON		
Hammond, b. Hannah	6	
Scottland, c. Warren, b. Tuttle	0	
Robertson, c. Mills, b. Hannah	0	
Ingram, c. Brendell, b. Hannah	2	
Topp, not out	0	
Stewart, b. Tuttle	0	
Elliott, not out	2	
Total for 7 wickets		6

BOWLING

—Hannah, three for 1; Tuttle, two for 4.

This match will be continued today.

NORTHCOOTE & PRESTON C.C.A.

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PRESTON A.L.P.

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VEAL	
Fore, 2 1/2 lb.	5/6
Loin, 3 1/2 lb.	5/6
Legs, 4 1/2 lb.	5/6
Sides, 5 1/2 lb.	5/6
PORK	
Hands, 6 1/2 lb.	5/6
Loins, 7 1/2 lb.	5/6
Belly, 7 1/2 lb.	5/6
MUTTON	
Sides, 3 1/2 lb.	5/6
Loin, 4 1/2 lb.	5/6
Sibs. Fore-cut, Chops, 1 1/2	5/6
Sibs. Loin Chops, 1 1/2	5/6
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The above club held their sixth consecutive race in the young birds series on Saturday last from Rushworth 80 miles air line, with a good south wind. The result was as follows—

1st. E. Williams,	57 1/2 yrs. per min.	8/7
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Amusements

NORTHCOTE THEATRE. Week commencing Mon., Apr. 10. Monday, Tues., Wednesday. FRANK MAYO. A Blazing Drama of the Tropics. Thursday, Friday, Saturday. Matinee Saturday. Constance Talmadge in "The Shark Master".

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BOROUGH OF PRESTON. HONOR BOARD. In order that the names on the Preston Honor Board might be as complete as possible, I desire to request that all those who left the shores of Australia, and who were in the line of action of the late war, should forward to me their names, with their service details, and with a photograph, if available. By order, W. A. KELLY, Municipal Officer, Preston.

Marriage

MICHELL-KISSAN. On the 1st April, at Wesley Church, Melbourne, by the Revs. F. Watson and A. Butler (nephew of bride), Rev. Horace A. C. Kellaway, M.A., officiating. The bride, Miss M. K. Kissan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Kissan, Brighton. In Memoriam. BOSTOCK. In loving memory of our dear wife, who passed away at "Chandlee," Darbin, str., at Northcote, on 8th April, 1921. While he lives, she lives.

CHURCH NEWS.

Special services will be held in the High Street, Methodist church on Good Friday. The morning service will be conducted by the Rev. J. E. Warren and the evening service by the Rev. F. Watson. At the mayor's room at the Northcote town hall on Thursday evening there was an attendance of between 30 and 40 well-known citizens, met to honor Sergeant Myers on the occasion of his relinquishing charge of the local station and at the same time retiring from the police force.

EX-SERGEANT MYERS.

The mayor's room at the Northcote town hall on Thursday evening there was an attendance of between 30 and 40 well-known citizens, met to honor Sergeant Myers on the occasion of his relinquishing charge of the local station and at the same time retiring from the police force. The mayor (Mr. McDonald) said he had been asked to present Sergeant Myers with appropriate honors on the occasion of his relinquishing charge of the local station and at the same time retiring from the police force. He understood he had occupied a position in the police force for just on 40 years, and that in all that time he had been a most efficient and reliable officer. He also understood that he had been a member of the highest esteem, not only by the public, but by his comrades, and also by the men who worked under him, the great fellowship which always existed between himself and his men spoke loudly in his favor. As far as public appreciation was concerned, it was shown by the most spontaneous response to his testimonial.

PRESTON A BOROUGH.

The rise in status of Preston from a mere village to a borough is a fact of which all are proud. The step is only a natural one, and the municipality is being extended to include a town; still the event was not followed in a hasty manner. At the first meeting of the borough council on Monday evening the mayor (Mr. McDonald) said that he had been asked to present Sergeant Myers with appropriate honors on the occasion of his relinquishing charge of the local station and at the same time retiring from the police force. He understood he had occupied a position in the police force for just on 40 years, and that in all that time he had been a most efficient and reliable officer. He also understood that he had been a member of the highest esteem, not only by the public, but by his comrades, and also by the men who worked under him, the great fellowship which always existed between himself and his men spoke loudly in his favor. As far as public appreciation was concerned, it was shown by the most spontaneous response to his testimonial.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE MAYOR AND TOWN CLERK.

The minutes having been read, Mr. W. G. Swift, town clerk of the Borough of Preston, presented the following congratulatory message to the Mayor and Town Clerk: "I have been directed by the Council of the Borough of Preston to congratulate you on the raising of the status of the Borough of Preston to a borough, and I understand that the Council of Preston is to be proclaimed a borough. Northcote naturally feels a keen interest in its Mother Municipality, and as a very fertile and productive soil, it is pleased to see the rapid progress of the Council of Preston in its efforts to raise its status to that of a borough, and I understand that the Council of Preston is to be proclaimed a borough. Northcote naturally feels a keen interest in its Mother Municipality, and as a very fertile and productive soil, it is pleased to see the rapid progress of the Council of Preston in its efforts to raise its status to that of a borough, and I understand that the Council of Preston is to be proclaimed a borough."

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PRESTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

MONDAY, 3RD APRIL. Present:—Crs. Crisp (Mayor), Jones, Bartrop, Warr, Robinson, Bransgrove, and Adams.

Cr. McFadden wrote regretting his inability to be present, but offering his congratulations to the Mayor (Cr. Crisp) on his exalted station.

Cr. Adams apologized for the absence of Cr. Brinknell, who had met with an accident to his foot.

HEALTH INSPECTORS. The City of Camberwell wrote conveying a conference to discuss the matter of the log of salaries and working conditions of health inspectors.

HARBOUR WAGE. The Municipal Association wrote intimating that the basic wage for laborers from 1st March would be 13/11 per day.

OFFICERS' SALARIES. From same, stating that the agreement made with the Municipal Officers' Association for new salaries had been made in award of the Arbitration Court.

UNEMPLOYED SOLDIERS. The Lord Mayor of Melbourne wrote asking an urgent appeal on behalf of unemployed married returned soldiers.

The president said he had attended the conference. The majority present considered that the responsibility lay with the Commonwealth Government.

REMOVAL OF CLIFTON GROVE. Robert Stanlake and 23 other residents of Clifton Grove wrote asking that Clifton Grove be metalled.

PERMIT TO REMOVE BUILDING. N. Wardell wrote asking permission to remove premises occupied by him at 243 Plenty road.

APPLICATIONS FROM FOOTBALL CLUBS. Northcote Imperial Football Club wrote applying for the use of Bell park for coming season.

Preston United Football Club applied for the use of the Preston Park on Saturdays when not in use by the Preston F.C.

Cr. Bartrop, in moving that the request be granted, said this was really Preston F.C.'s second team.

Cr. Warr seconded.—Carried.

Cr. Adams asked that attention be given to the channel in Bull street, west end, south side.

Cr. Crisp said he had already brought this matter before the Board, but a letter might expedite matters.

Cr. Warr said that in Wilcox street they had the sewerage but no water, which seemed somewhat of a fate.

Cr. Adams asked that attention be given to Dundas street road and channel.

Cr. Bartrop moved that attention be given to the channel in Bull street, west end, south side.

Cr. Warr said that the municipality having now got beyond the knickerbocker stage, he would move that the matter of re-subsiding the shire be referred to the works committee of the whole.

Cr. Bransgrove moved that attention be given to the asphalt in Plenty road from Bell street south.

Cr. Robinson moved that the matter of asphaltting Henry street, north side, from High street to the railway, be referred to the works committee.

Cr. Adams asked that attention be given to the asphalt in Plenty road, south side, east of Plenty road, was provided for in the loan schedule.

PRESTON POLICE COURT.

TUESDAY, 4TH APRIL.

[Before Messrs J. Hattam (chairman) and Zwar, J.S.P.]

WRONG CHARGE. The first case listed was Geo. H. Bull v. Monty Miller for assault.

CHARGE OF ASSAULT. Rosalie Casey charged Arthur Bradford with assault.

NOT ATTENDING SCHOOL. Edward Poulter and Charles Alexander were each fined 5/- for not sending their children regularly to school.

WANDERING CATTLE. A large number of residents were proceeded against for allowing their cattle to wander.

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Although Saturday, the first day of the Preston Rowing Club Aquatic Carnival, was a day of rain, it was not a day of gloom...

The first prize was won by the 'Preston' crew, who were followed by the 'Northcote' crew...

Numerous kiosks, merry-go-round, ocean wave, and the various races run off in their interests, provided amusement for the spectators...

Saturday afternoon was taken up with horse and pony events and whippet racing, and resulted as follows:

HORSE AND PONY EVENTS. Hunters (horses only)—Mr. Hickey's Mito, Mr. Hickey's Banjo 2, Mr. Rentall's Best 3.

Vegetable Race—Miss N. Lyons on Prince 1, E. Keys on Dandy 2, Miss Lyons on Nelly 3.

Whippet racing results: 1st heat—L. Clark's Pelaco 1; 2nd heat—W. Vernon's Traquette 1; 3rd heat—R. Collins's Dark Rose 1.

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Rowing results: 1st heat—Hawthorn 1; 2nd heat—Frodo 1; 3rd heat—Essendon 1.

Rowing results: 4th heat—Albert Park 1; 5th heat—Fairfield 1; 6th heat—Essendon 1.

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NORTHCOTE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

The annual Autumn show of the Northcote Horticultural Society was held in the Town Hall on Saturday evening last, 16th inst.

The show of flowers was an exceptionally fine one. The orchestra of the Blind Institution played selections during the evening, and were much appreciated.

The Mayor (Mr. McEwen) expressed the pleasure it gave him to be present at the show, and he did not know when the next opportunity would arise to perform a similar duty.

Mr. DeLacey suitably replied and mentioned that although he had left the district he would still continue to take an interest in the society.

The above society held their first annual picnic at South Morang on Easter Monday, the train leaving Perth at 9.10 a.m.

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The following is a paper on "The Carnation" prepared by an expert grower and read before the Northcote Horticultural Society...

Some authorities state that carnations do not thrive in the same bed for very many years...

THE LIFE OF A PLANT. I think the age of a plant has a lot to do with the results...

PLANTS. Most people like a lot for their money, and when they go to a nursery want a big plant...

As I intend now to give you a brief outline of my work with carnations as carried on by me during the year...

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In selecting a position for a carnation bed I advise an open spot away from trees and raised about 6 inches above the surrounding ground...

Starting the first week in May each plant is well sprinkled all over with air-slacked lime, and the treatment is continued...

As the flower stalks come up I remove all but the central bud. At times with some varieties too many flower stems are produced...

In December I cut back the plants and give the bed a liberal mulching of well rotted stable or cow manure...

For a good supply of beautiful and large flowers in the summer the spring bloomer is best...

CITY ENTERTAINMENTS.

In regard to the revues now being staged at the Bijou Theatre by the American Revue Company...

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WIT AND HUMOR.

AN UNPLEASANT FELLOW. Notice: What do you think of Jones? Thompson: Just! He is one of those people who put you on the back before you face and hit you in the eye behind your back...

NOT ORIGINAL. Mrs. Bowring: I understand that your little daughter said I was a gossiping gossamer...

A DIFFICULT TASK. "Now that we are married, dear," said the bridegroom, "you have a serious task before you..."

NEVER WRONG. The Husband: The trouble with you is that you never will admit it when you are in the wrong...

PLAYING WITH WORDS. Miss Hawkins: I think there's a great deal in the notion that people become what they eat...

NONE WHATEVER. Her Wooer: Have you any objection to me as a son-in-law? Her Father: No, none at all...

TOO SHARP. Gagger: Why do you refuse to have my business transactions with Wagger? Nugger: I'm afraid to deal with a man so much sharper than myself...

WHY NOT? She: They haven't found a name for that lady in the flat upstairs. He: The one that cries out?

SHE DID WHAT SHE COULD. "In your wife one of those women who look at their husbands and say, 'I made a man of him?'" asked the impertinent friend...

HE KNEW. A school mistress asked her class to explain the word "bachelor," and was very much amused when a little girl answered, "A bachelor is a very happy man..."

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ONE DRAY ONE DRIVER. NORTHCOTE COUNCIL ADOPTS THE PRINCIPLE.

At the Northcote council meeting on Monday evening Cr. Turner moved—

That the council do and enact a by-law to prevent any one person being at any one and the same time, in charge of more than one separately drawn vehicle.

The mover said more than one deputa-tion had waited on the council to ask that this principle be adopted. He (Cr. Turner) urged its acceptance on grounds of danger to life, danger to property, and justice to the citizens.

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Cr. Dennis—If there be any truth in that you should name those who pre-vented you in this. The ratemakers have the right to know why they are if they exist. I for one repudiate the allegation.

Cr. Dennis—Near 2, a yard. Cr. Harry said that North-cote council could not carry on under this by-law seeing so many other municipalities were able to do so.

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ANZAC DAY. LOCAL MEMORIAL SERVICES.

PRESTON TOWN HALL. Although the above service was "held" for the Preston part, the pro-moters considered that the shire had on account of the dull weather conditions prevailing on Anzac Day, would suit the principle had already been adopted by the Melbourne City Council, as well as Fitzroy, Prahran, Hawthorn, Port Melbourne, Richmond, Brunswick, S. Melbourne, Footscray, and Collingwood City Councils.

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NORTHCOTE POLICE COURT. THURSDAY, APRIL 26.

[Before Messrs Johnson (chairman), Timmins, Hattam and Cohen, J.P.'s.] THE CHARGE OF COLLECTING UNDER FALSE PRETEXTS.

The case Plain Clothes Constable Davern v. Leo, Whelan and James Forbes—collecting subscriptions under false pretences—was heard, Monday's Bench being evenly divided.

Mr. Kirby—Do you wish to say you were taken into custody on the 24th? Witness—I thought the subscription list was genuine.

Mr. Kirby said the onus lay on the police to prove that the list had been collected by means of false pretences. He (the police) had not done that.

For the defence George Albert Ridge-way was called. He gave his address as 224 Labrore street, and described him-self as an organiser for The Returned Soldiers and Dependents Fund.

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ESTATE AGENTS. STOTT & BASTINGS.

I desire to intimate that I have admitted my son, Fred W. Stott, and Charles James Watson into partnership in the firm of Stott and Bastings, Estate Agents.

W. S. STOTT. Preston Methodist Church. In accordance with the Methodist denomination's policy of change, Rev. D. J. Flockart recently departed, and Rev. A. Hambly, M.A. has just come to Preston.

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NORTHCOTE CITY COUNCIL.

MONDAY, 24TH APRIL.

Present.—Mr. McDonnell (Mayor), Harry, Jones, Pearl, Gray, Beecher, Dennis, Cain, Timmins, Johnson, Oldis, Slater, Sutch, and Turnbull.

Mr. J. Cain, M.L.A., forwarded a letter he had received from the Public Works Department in reply to request for an amendment of the Local Government Act providing that the proceeds of Potty Sessions before a Police Magistrate. The Minister did not consider such an amendment necessary, as under the present system it could all ways be arranged that appeals be held before a Police Magistrate.—Received.

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NORTHCOTE POLICE COURT.

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Before Messrs Plant (chairman) Bailey, Jones, and Cohen, J.P.s.

James Forbes and Leo Wheeler were charged with collecting subscriptions under false pretences. Mr. Kirby for the defence.

P.C. Constable Davera stated that on March 31st he saw the two accused enter several shops in High Street. Asked what they were doing Forbes said "We are collecting for the Distressed Soldiers' and Dependents' Fund."

Asked for their authority to collect they produced a subscription list headed as follows:—Distressed Soldiers' and Dependents' Fund, Office 143 Russell Street, Melbourne.

President, Mr. J. McCormack; secretary, F. D'Alton; treasurer, N. Grant. I hereby certify that Mr. James Forbes is entitled to collect for the above fund, which is established for the purpose of giving immediate relief to unemployed distressed soldiers and dependants.—F. D'Alton, secretary.

The subscriptions on the list, which included amounts from local business people, totalled £8 13s 6d.

Constable Davera continuing, said he asked them what they did with the money they collected, and the reply was that they paid it in to the secretary, and the money was banked but paid away direct to deserving cases.

On making inquiries at 143 Russell Street, witness found that none of the persons whose names headed the subscription list were known in the building. The only Soldiers' Association known there was the Soldiers' Democratic Club, and that was eight months ago. The accused were then arrested on warrant. At the watch-house Forbes said "It's all right; I can go out collecting for my own wife and children if I like."

Witness also made inquiries at Anzac House, but found the parties whose names were on the subscription list were unknown there. The reason they had taken complaints in this case was the number of complaints that persons were collecting without authority.

Senior P.C. Constable Prewley corroborated the above statement. James McGregor, assistant organiser of the Warriors' Day Appeal, stated that the accused had no authority to collect for that appeal. He did not know McCormack, D'Alton, or Grant.

Mr. Kirby said there was no case for him to answer. The chairman—We think there is, Mr. Kirby.—The police have not brought any person here who was collected from, therefore the charge of collecting under false pretences had not been proved.

The Bench being evenly divided, the case was adjourned till Thursday, same hall being allowed.

CLAIM FOR MAINTENANCE. Mary Frances Richards proceeded against her husband, Philip Richards, tramway gripman, for maintenance. Mr. Hourigan for plaintiff, Mr. Lazarus for defence.

Plaintiff, who described herself as a nurse, stated they had been married two years and four months. The first two years of her married life was happy. Then at her husband's request she wrote to his mother, an old lady of 71, in England to come out. When she came out she was an invalid, but with care and attention she was restored to health.

Unhappiness came as soon as her mother-in-law entered the house, and she had not been there 24 hours before she commenced giving orders. She (the mother-in-law) seemed never to be satisfied with anything witness did. She would go out of the house leaving her husband happy, and return finding him in a bad temper on account of what his mother had been saying to him. When he first went away from the house with his mother he came and kissed her and had her on an affectionate good-bye. After the summons was issued he came and told her he wanted to come back, as he missed all the home comforts, and he promised faithfully he would come back. Later she received letters from him regretting he had raised false hopes, as he had finally decided not to return.

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CLAIM FAILS. William Carruthers made a claim against J. Power, butcher, for work and labor done. Defendant produced a receipt to show the money had been paid. No appearance of defendant. Case struck out, with 7/6 costs.

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PRESTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

WEDNESDAY 19TH APRIL.

ELECTRIC LIGHT COMMITTEE. Cr. Barrop (chairman) submitted the report, recommending that accounts amounting to £550 7s 2d be passed for payment.—Adopted.

2. R.S.S.L.A. Preston sub-branch, asking for a concession in electric light charges for lighting of Soldiers' Memorial Club rooms.—That the request cannot be granted.

Cr. Barrop, in moving the adoption of the clause said the outside light had not been charged for, but went to the street lighting account. The committee thought it a fair thing that the inside lighting should be paid for seeing the citizens benefited by the building and furnished it free.

Cr. Jones said he thought a concession might be allowed for the first 6 months, during which there was always a lot of preliminary expenses in a new organisation.

The motion was carried. 3. Confirmation of placing a light at corner of Wilcox and Robertson streets.—That a street lamp be erected.—Adopted.

4. Re Burrough's adding machine for electric supply office.—That a machine be purchased equipped with recording device for the sum of £100.—Referred to committee of the whole.

PARKS COMMITTEE. Cr. McAdzean (chairman), submitted the report, recommending:— 1. Northcote Imperial Football Club, applying for portion of Bell street park occupied last year by senior cadet club.—That the request be granted during the pleasure of the council.—With draw.

2. Re Cramer street park.—That engineer have gate of Cramer street park in Brick street closed, and that gate be shifted to centre of fence of southern boundary of park.—Adopted.

HALL COMMITTEE. Cr. Bransgrove (chairman) submitted the report, recommending:— 1. From H. C. Hickford, secretary West Preston Gymnasium Club, asking for concession on hall fees for entertainment held in town hall on 29/3/22.—That amount of £1 be accepted as full payment.—Adopted.

2. Miss Lily Booth, for Preston Citizens Band, applying for refund of hall fees paid in connection with carnival concert (amounting to £210).—That request be not granted.—Adopted.

COMMITTEES OF THE WHOLE. Cr. Jones submitted the report, recommending:— 1. Re construction of portion of John street, from Bruce street to Bell street.—That engineer be instructed to prepare plans, specifications, and appointments under private street construction conditions.—Adopted.

2. Re Bruce street culvert over main drain at corner of John and Bruce sts.—That engineer be instructed to prepare plans and specifications for the work with the view of having same carried out.—Adopted.

3. Joint letter from Robert Stanlake and 23 others asking that Clifton Grove be metalled.—That matter be referred to schedule of works for estimates 1922-1923.—Adopted.

4. H. Ford asking for consideration of council to proposed division of allotment Nos. 60, 61 and 62, Bruce street.—That request be not granted.—Adopted.

5. J. Wilkins, application to build two shops on lot 75, Edwards street, 66 x 171 feet 6 inches.—Granted.

6. From secretary Victorian Civil Ambulance Service, asking this council to give consideration to contributing to cost of running service.—That a contribution of £12 per annum be made.—Adopted. Cr. Jones voting against.

TREASURER'S REPORT. Mr. W. A. Kelly reported receipts for fortnight 28/40/7/8, and Dr. Balance (with that night's payment) £11,664/1/3.

ENGINEER'S REPORT. Mr. Kelly reported quarry output for week ending 28/4/22 as follows:—Metal 814 cubic yds., screenings 1287 c. yds., topplings 863 c. yds.; total, 1,040 c. yds. Also 108 8-inch, 75 6-inch, and 75 6-inch chisellers.

Plan of sub-division of land at corner of Bell street and Oakover road was referred to the committee of the whole.

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