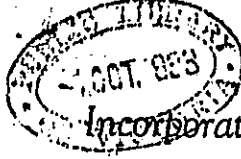


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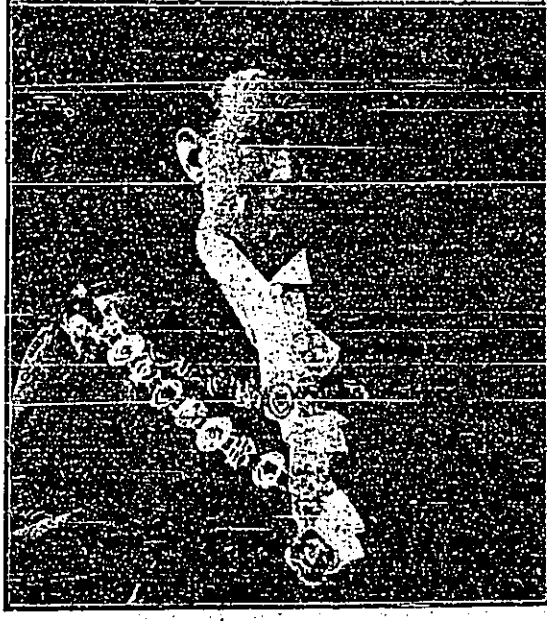
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Prominent Northcote Citizen Passes

COUNCILLOR ALBERT HADYN OLDIS, J.P.



The Late Councillor A. H. OLDIS J.P.
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THE death occurred suddenly after a fortnight in hospital, of Cr Albert Hadyn Oldis, J.P., of Glencoe corner Clarke street and Vauxhall road, Northcote, early on Tuesday morning.

Cr Oldis had not enjoyed the best of health for some years, and even during the Jubilee year, 1932-33 during which he was Mayor, he was under medical treatment. He collapsed whilst at a football match on September 19, and was taken to Mount St. Evin's Hospital, suffering from a hemorrhage. He made progress, and his many friends were hopeful that he would soon make a complete recovery, but on Monday night last he suffered a relapse, and passed away on Tuesday morning.

Councillor Oldis was a man of remarkable ability, and he had had a vast influence on the civic and social life of Northcote. His activities were unbounded, and he possessed all the attributes necessary for capable leadership. How well he succeeded in drawing members of all classes together, and welding them into strong committees, enthralling them with his own unflagging energy, during the preparations for carrying out the recent Northcote Jubilee Celebrations is widely known, and there is no shadow of doubt but that the unbounded success achieved during that time, was in the main due to the efforts of Councillor Oldis.

He was first elected to the Northcote Council in August 1920, and represented the East Ward up to the time of his death. From the first, as soon as he found his feet, it was seen that he would make his mark in the municipal life of the district. At once he turned the full stream of his ability to the service of the ratepayers and it can be said that never has any ward or city had a more capable or resourceful representative. In 1924-25 Councillor Oldis was elected Mayor of Northcote, and with his wife as Mayoress, set a standard which raised the city's prestige, and reflected great honor and credit upon both himself and his wife. A new high social standard was set, and during that time the Mayor kept in close touch with the public bodies and leading business men, by inviting representatives to be present at each council meeting. That enabled the Mayor and councillors to come into close contact with the leading ratepayers, and the entertainment afforded to them after each council meeting was lavish and reflected the greatest credit upon both the Mayor and Mayoress. When the Jubilee year approached, the council unanimously voted Councillor Oldis to the Mayorship and once again the Mayorial year was one to be remembered. The Jubilee Celebrations required a vast amount of organization, and Councillor Oldis invited the citizens to come

forward and assist. The response was most gratifying, and various committees were formed, and under the direction of Councillor Oldis were welded into bodies, which under his capable guidance, were able to accomplish a vast amount within a short space of time. The success of the Jubilee year is too fresh in the minds of citizens to need any further comment here, except to give credit to the man who was the inspiration of the whole proceedings.

During the Jubilee the Northcote Mayoral Chain was presented by the Lieutenant-Governor (Sir William Irvine) on behalf of past Mayors, and Councillor Oldis had the honor of being the first Northcote Mayor to wear it.

Councillor Oldis, in addition was chairman of the Public Works committee in the years 1922-23; 1923-30; of the Finance committee in 1925-26; Baths committee, 1923-24; Electric Light committee, 1927-28; 1930-31; 1933-34; Committee of the Council 1931-32. It has been often stated that as a chairman he was unexcelled and his council colleagues have ever been unanimous in their praise at the intense enthusiasm shown by Councillor Oldis in handling the council's affairs. It was generally agreed that he was at his best on the Public Works and Electric Light committees.

Some years ago Councillor Oldis went abroad with the Hon. J. G. Membrey. This was a holiday and health trip combined, and upon returning Councillor Oldis introduced many new ideas which proved of great value to the council.

Councillor Oldis was a strong supporter of sport, and was for many years a vice-president of both the Northcote Football Club and the Northcote Cricket Club. Rain, hail or shine he followed the fortunes of the Northcote Clubs, and also gave them strong financial support.

Councillor Oldis took a very keen interest in the schools of the district and particularly in the Westgarth State school, in Clarke street, of which he had been chairman of the School Committee since its opening in 1924.

In years he was only 46, but his energy had accomplished far more than most people would encompass in twice that span. He had an engaging personality and was widely known and respected. During his illness hundreds of telephone communications, letters and telegrams were received, and these bear testimony to the great esteem in which he was held.

The flags at the Northcote Town Hall and Northcote Bowling Green were half-masted on Tuesday and the operations of the Northcote Council were suspended on Wednesday afternoon as a mark of respect. At the Northcote Court on Tuesday

reference was made by the P.M. (Mr C. McLean) to the passing of Cr Councillor Oldis. He said that he only knew of Councillor Oldis by repute, and felt that the city had lost a fine citizen.

Cr. B. E. Johnson, J.P., speaking with great feeling, referred to the passing of Councillor Oldis, and said that the city had lost one of its finest citizens. He felt the loss keenly, having been associated with Councillor Oldis for many years in public movements, and Councillor Oldis had also been a regular member of the Northcote bench, where his opinions had been highly respected.

Mr R. R. Gray (for the bar) expressed profound regret at the passing of Councillor Oldis, who had given great service to the city and to the Northcote court.

Sergeant Glowacki (for the police) said that though he had only known Councillor Oldis for a few weeks he had formed a high opinion of his ability and integrity. The public had lost a very able representative and citizen.

The court adjourned for a space as a mark of respect.

Councillor Oldis represented the Northcote Council on the Municipal Electric Supply conference which was permanently constituted in May 1932, and for the establishment of which Councillor Oldis was partly responsible.

He leaves a widow and one daughter, Norma, for whom widespread sympathy has been expressed.

The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon, and was the largest ever seen in Northcote. After a short service at the home, the cortege, accompanied in local tradition, moved from the late residence, and there was a gathering of some 100 cars. The funeral procession travelled down the late residence along Clarke street and outside the Westgarth State school the scholars lined the footpaths. Proceeding along High street, a pause was made at the Town Hall for a few moments, and then proceeding passed the scholars of the Helen Street State school, who were lined up on the footpaths in High street. Thence the procession travelled via Darrobin street to the Warrigal Cemetery, Heidelberg, where the interment was made.

There were representatives present of the Preston, Coburg, Heidelberg, and Fitzroy Councils; the whole of the Northcote councillors and outdoor and indoor staffs of the council attended or were represented and there was a most representative gathering of Northcote business men and citizens which gave some idea of the widespread esteem and affection in which the late Councillor Oldis was held. Noticed among those present were Hon. J. G. Membrey, Mr W. G. Swift (ex-town clerk of Northcote), Mr J. Cain, M.L.A., (Northcote), and Cr H. P. Zwar, M.L.A., (Preston), Mr J. E. O'Brien (St Joseph's R. C. Church and School, Parish Secretary and Probation Officer), Mr F. Trainor (President of the Northcote Football Club) and Mr Smith (Northcote Brick Co.) The chief mourner was Mr Fred H. Oldis.

The pall bearers were Mr J. Cain, M.L.A., the Mayor of Northcote (Cr M. C. Jones), Wor. Bro. R. W. Olsson (Worshipful Master of Lord Northcote Lodge), Cr Milton Gray (ex-Mayor of Malvern), Mr V. J. Bradley (Northcote City Engineer), Mr H. Singleton (Head Teacher Westgarth State School), Mr H. O. White, president of the Master Builders' Association, and Mr A. E. Johnson, secretary of the Northcote Cricket Club.

The service at the graveside was conducted by the Rev F. J. Jennings Northcote Methodist Church (High street), Rev J. W. Baker (Church of Christ) and the Rev A. T. Jones (Northcote Presbyterian) whilst the Masonic Service was conducted by the Rev W. J. Briggs.

The Mayor of Northcote (Cr M. C. Jones) made an oration beside the grave, saying that they were gathered to pay a last tribute to one, who, judged by human standards had led the life of a truly Christian gentleman, and he was a man greatly loved by his colleagues, and one whom all considered it an honor to claim as a friend. His passing was a great loss to the community. He had high ideals, a kindly disposition, a courteous manner and had won for himself a high place in the esteem and affection of all. Whilst we mourned his departure there was joy in the thought that he had been called to higher

service. It was the prayer of all that God would bless and strengthen Mrs Oldis and Miss Norma Oldis in losing one so dear to them.

The Benediction was pronounced by Rev Jennings, and the large attendance dispersed.

The funeral arrangements were in the hands of Mr H. R. J. Lewis, of Northcote.

At a meeting of the Northcote Swimming Club regret was expressed at the death of their president. The secretary (Mr Danley) was requested to convey to Mrs and Miss Oldis the deep sympathy of the members.

The meeting of Northcote Younger Set on Tuesday was confined to essential business and closed early. At the instance of Messrs R. R. Gray and Hatfield the attendance stood in silence for a few minutes as a tribute to the late Councillor Oldis and the secretary was instructed to convey to Mrs and Miss Oldis the Auxiliary's sympathy.

APPROACHING AUCTIONS

By A. F. Deacon, at 3 p.m. on Wednesday, October 11, at 271 Wood St., Preston, modern W.B. villa, containing 5 rooms and conveniences. The home is described as an ideal one. Details are advertised.

Special Auction Notice
H. V. Palmer, auctioneer, of 125 Holmes Rd., Moonee Ponds, announces that he will re-open the saleyards at Whittlesea on Thursday, October 19, and will sell all kinds of cattle, calves, horses, vehicles, harness and poultry. There will be a large attendance of buyers from the city for all classes of stock and poultry, as well as for other articles. The auctioneer would be pleased to hear from persons intending to enter any of the above lots so that he may be able to obtain other buyers if necessary, thus ensuring best competition. If not entering any of the above kindly attend.

REGENT CENTRAL PROGRESS ASSOCIATION

STREET CONSTRUCTION DISCUSSED

The October meeting was held on Tuesday when Mr A. Perkins presided over a fair attendance.

Egg Day Appeal—This was referred to the social committee for attention.

Hawker Avenue Construction.—The association reviewed the matter and decided to support the residents in their efforts to obtain redress.

Police Protection.—The improved service resulting from the re-organization of the Preston district was commented upon and it was decided to thank the Chief Commissioner and the local officer-in-charge for their efforts.

Condition of Through Roads.—It was decided to draw the council's attention to the need for urgent repairs to Tyler and Queen streets. Both carry heavy traffic and require sheeting.

Council's Policy of Street Construction—Cr L. Jones informed members regarding the council's policy of street construction. It appears that if 80 per cent. of the residents of a street are able to pay, the council, on receipt of a requisition from the owners concerned, would favorably consider making the roadway. It is the desire of the association to co-operate with the council and the owners concerned and with this end in view a start will be made with Joffre street owners. It is proposed that a "Street Committee" be formed in conjunction with the residents, and the requisition and information required collected for the council. As street construction estimates of costs are now 5/ per foot below costs of five years ago, and the terms and interest charge are liberal it is hoped that the council's constructional programme will be in full swing at an early date.

Springtime is Here!



A charming springtime study in the Treasury Gardens.

(Photo by Courtesy of the Argus, Melbourne)

Activities at Preston

By The Houseboat

St. John Ambulance Brigade

The fifth lecture to the Home Nursing Class (male) conducted by Dr. P. J. O'Neil on the following subjects: (a) Fever, How to Reduce Temperature; (b) Infection and Disinfection; (c) Infectious Diseases, especially consumption and typhoid, with notes on other infectious diseases. Next Monday night the class will practice roller bandaging, making disinfecting solutions, taking pulses and respirations. Secretaries of Sunday schools and church societies, should they require a first aid official at their places, are requested to give at least a week's notice to the secretary of above so that suitable arrangements may be made. All particulars may be had from the secretary, Mr. N. D. O'Neil, 32 St. John Street, West Preston, N.18.

Have You Heard?

THAT Preston baths opened for the season on Tuesday; That the water in the baths looked pure and clean; That Preston Fire Brigade station office is in the hands of the painters—all local tradesmen—at present; That no fire calls and no false calls have been received during the past week; That the income for the last half-year of Preston branch A.N.A. ranges from £1,000 to £1,200; That two foundation members of Preston branch A.N.A., viz Mr. W. Nicholl, Princes Street, Darrobin Creek, and Mr. W. Hillis, Collins Street, West Preston, are still hale and hearty; That Preston anglers were much exercised in mind last week-end how to divide three fish between 14 men. Fourteen Men and Three Fish. FOURTEEN members of Preston Angling Club went fishing at 19 Mile Lane last week-end, and the result was a haul of three fish. Len King won the J. A. Watkins trophy. Next trip of the anglers will be to Launching Place.

Water Cart Out

FOR the first time this season Preston municipal water cart was seen in the streets. The result of the water sprinkling was an acceptable laying of the dust.

Re-Construction Works

RE-CONSTRUCTION works are in progress in Tyler Street, from Plenty road to McColl Street, Collins Street, Preston. AFTER many years of agitation by residents of Collins Street it has been decided by Preston Council to make the street a statutory meeting of the council has been fixed for October 16 in order to hear objections if any to the work being carried out.

Lodge at Preston Cemetery

PRESTON Council has accepted the tender of W. Hastings and Son, £11,000, for the erection of a lodge at the entrance gates to Preston Cemetery. The contract price is £772. It is stated that 80 per cent. of the labor required in the erection of the lodge will be drawn from local unemployed men and by reason of this, the cost of the building has been increased by £60 more than if the work was carried out by the contractors' men.

Spurious Coins

A HIGH street business firm has in its possession five 2/ pieces which were received in the ordinary course of business and the coins are spurious.

Thrown From Motor Cycle

LAST Thursday evening Mr. W. Allen, a resident of Wood Street, Preston, was riding a motor cycle along Plenty road, close to Bell Street, when his machine was struck by a motor car and Mr. Allen was thrown with force to the ground and rendered unconscious. Dr. H. Swain was passing in his car and conveyed the injured man to the surgery of Dr. Walker in Bell Street. Subsequently Mr. Allen who was unable to explain how the accident occurred was restored to his home by Dr. Swain. The patient is making a slow recovery under the care of Dr. Lear.

Preston Baby Health Centre

FIGURES for the month of September are as follows:—Attendance at centre, 1,253; mothers 627, babies 627; new cases 86.

School Sports

ARRANGEMENTS are in hand for the holding of the amateur athletic sports in connection with the Preston and District State schools on October 20. The sports will take place in Cranec Street Park.

Preston Footballers

MEMBERS of Preston Football Club leave on Friday evening on a trip to Kyneton. They will return on Sunday evening.

Preston Growers Win Prize

MESSES Lawry and Hewitt, High Street, Regent, were successful in a window-dressing competition conducted by a Melbourne manufacturing company. The second prize of £10 was the reward of Mr. N. Hewitt's efforts.

SCHOOL COMMITTEES MEET AT PRESTON

Central School Proposed

At a meeting of representatives of the various School Committees in Preston convened by the Mayor (Cr. H. P. Zwar, M.L.A.) it was decided to make representations to the Minister for Education to have a Central School established in Preston. All representatives agreed that the establishment of a Central School was highly desirable in the interests of the district generally.

Under present conditions it is necessary for scholars intending to take up commercial or clerical pursuits to travel to other districts to complete their education. The committee at the proposed Central School covers the subjects forming the curriculum for the first two years of the High School course. As far as possible the policy of the Education Department is to encourage parents to send their children to High Schools and Technical Schools as soon as they attain the age of twelve. This means in the case of Preston scholars, considerably increased expense in fares &c. By the establishment of a local Central School the advanced education of children is treated with a considerable saving in expense to the parents.

In order to have the Central School established it is necessary to obtain a guarantee from the parents that at least 100 scholars will undertake the course. Steps are now being taken to obtain the names of probable scholars and necessary undertakings from parents that if the Central School is established their children will attend. There is every prospect that the required number of scholars will be obtained and each school Committee has undertaken to see that the parents of all scholars eligible will be interviewed.

Mr. Johnson, correspondent of the West Preston State School, was appointed to act as secretary pro tem for the movement. Parents of scholars eligible to attend a High School are invited to get in touch with the head master at the local school or with the corresponding officer of the School Committee. The meeting closed with a vote of thanks to the mayor for his action in convening the meeting and acting as chairman, and also to Mrs. Zwar for her hospitality extended to the delegates.

Preston Junior Angling Club

ON September 27 the weekly meeting was held in the club rooms. Several successful outings were reported and the instructor, Mr. Harrison, gave an interesting lecture on trout and their methods. An outing to Exford Weir on September 26 was one of experience and there were several fish caught. L. Sargent weighed in a total of 110 lbs. which won the trophy given by Mr. L. Downie. The fish caught were as follows:—C. Sharp 5 perch; G. Banks 1; L. Sargent 2; S. Heurne 1; T. Cameron 1; R. School 1; R. Jones 2; G. Campbell 2; A. Butler 2; D. Cole 3; R. McFadden 2; D. Wilson 2; A. Beck 1; H. Smith 1 eel and K. McKitterick 1 eel. The home-ward journey was a community singling was conducted by Mr. Downie and there were several solos.

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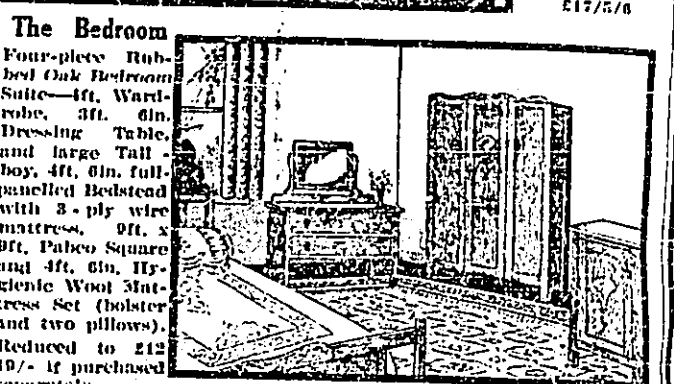
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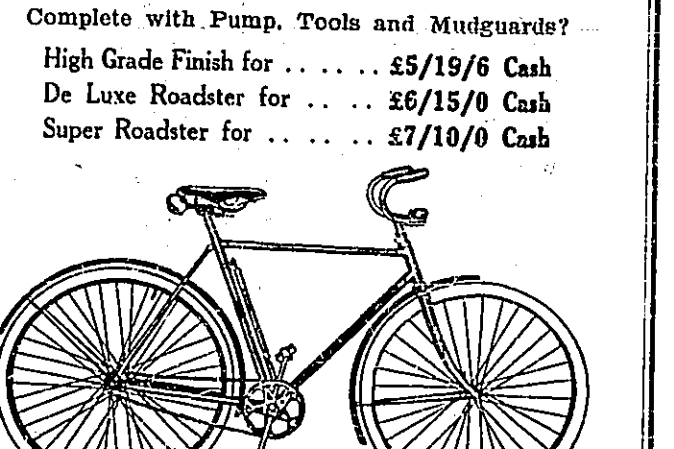
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CHURCHES

All Saints Church, Northcote
The All Saints' (4th Northcote) company of Girl Guides, celebrated their second birthday on Tuesday. An interesting programme of games, etc., was carried out. Thirteen new members, Emma Brown, Emily Hawkins and Ella Forsyth, were enrolled. The splendid supper was provided and the vicar presided.

Northcote Congregational Church
Rev. Walter Abbotson, secretary to the Victorian Congregational Union will be the preacher at the morning service on Sunday. For his subject at the evening service, Rev. Canon E. Reeves has chosen "When the Child's Spirit Dies."

There was a large attendance at the annual display of the Girls' Guild given in the school hall, on Wednesday. The excellent programme reflects great credit on the instructress (Miss Myrtle Herring) and secretary (Miss Majorie Ahern).

The Ladies' Guild met on Wednesday afternoon when further consideration was given to matter appertaining to the Green and Gold Fair. At the recent meeting of the cricket club, the following officers were elected:—President, Rev. Duncan B. Reeves; vice-presidents, Messrs. W. Fanning, H. A. Hall, A. Glanfield, J. Jenkins, A. Ahern, G. J. Doward, W. Bruce; secretary, treasurer and captain, Mr. H. Glanfield; vice-captain, Mr. Glanfield, junior.

Church of the Epiphany
Last Sunday was observed as Home Mission Sunday and special offerings were given for the Home Mission Fund. The preacher at both services was Rev. G. Tymins. At the evening service Miss C. Lees was the soloist.

St. George's Road Methodist
The preacher last Sunday morning was Mr. E. O. Rieftson. A juvenile choir sang anthems, and a solo was rendered by Miss Rieftson. In the evening Rev. Eliast (Vanhoose) occupied the pulpit.

High Street Methodist
Alaric congregation was appreciative of the musical service on Sunday evening by Mrs. H. H. Wilson, Miss Winifred Greer, Mr. R. Turnley and Mr. Moy Ling; cartooning by Mr. S. Hemsworth; recitations, Miss P. Drenthall, and piano solo, Mr. T. E. G. Lechte. The speaker was Mr. J. M. Atkinson, general secretary of the Henry George League of Victoria, who took as his subject "A way out of Economical Ghost."

Croxton Methodist Church
On Sunday at the Pleasant Sunday Afternoon the chair was occupied by Rev. E. G. Lechte. The speaker was Mr. J. M. Atkinson, general secretary of the Henry George League of Victoria, who took as his subject "A way out of Economical Ghost."

Holy Trinity, Thornbury
Home Mission Sunday was observed last Sunday. The celebration of Holy Communion at 8 a.m. was well attended when the vicar was the celebrant. Preachers at the morning and evening services were Rev. C. E. Murray, St. Andrew's, Kingsville; and Rev. T. A. Gair, of St. John's Footscray, respectively. On Sunday services will be conducted by the vicar. The annual Epiphany Festival was held at the Melbourne Town Hall last night (Thursday, October 6) Holy Trinity was well-represented and

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HALL MARK THE BEST THREE-YEAR-OLD

Will He Run Out Two Miles?

SIDELIGHTS ON EVENTS AT RANDWICK AND THE VALLEY

(By "Luteplayer")

Heavy rain marred the A.J.C. fixture at Randwick, and the heavy track must have been detrimental to the chances of many of the runners. After taking full account of the state of the going, however, it can be said that Hall Mark by his brilliant win in the Derby, is entitled to be ranked as the best three-year-old; and Chatham proved himself a real champion sprinter to win the Epsom with 9.10. Form at Moonee Valley was of no importance from the point of view of the bigger races to follow.

Hall Mark went into winter retirement as the best of the two-year-olds and his A.J.C. Derby victory stamps him as a class above the other three-year-olds. It was at the exhibition of saloopine on his part to come from the rear of the field to the lead in a little more than a furlong, and then to win decisively.

The heavy track, resulting in a slow-moving race, was against odds like fifteen to one, but the manner in which Hall Mark won suggests that it made no difference to the result.

Hall Mark should go on and win the V.R.C. Derby but how will he fare in the Melbourne Cup, with 7.5 or 8.0 more than weight-for-age? Here, the sign of Hall Mark was not a stayer, but a runner, although he won over long journeys at W.F.A. As a sire the Valais horse has had remarkable success, but so far has not been represented by a genuine stayer.

Stamina is an inherited gift, and students of breeding hold that 85 per cent is inherited from the sire and 15 per cent from the dam. On this score many may doubt the ability of Hall Mark to run out two miles, but as close followers of breeding admit that the dam has some influence. Herowinkle, the dam of Hall Mark, has to be taken into account.

Consideration of the maternal side provides food for thought. Herowinkle, who was not seriously tested on the turf, is by Cydon from Deneb by The Welkin from Teppo, by Ladas (son of Hampton) from Dum Dum by Carbine from Cham from St. Simon from Tact by Wisdom.

This is a famous line and, from Cydon Herowinkle has a second helping of Maskeet blood through Cuchulainn Trivalve (a grandson of Teppo) who won both Derbys and Melbourne Cup and the assistance of a double strain of Maskeet blood.

From the foregoing it can be judged that Hall Mark, on the dam's side, has sound blood claims to stamina. From here he gets his brain and courage. As a galloper, Hall Mark, with the exception of that Caulfield race, has proved a fighter. Sheer grit enabled him to overcome the brilliant Walter O'Keefe in Sydney in the Autumn.

I am prepared to say that Hall Mark will be my favorite. He is likely to stay out the two miles of the Cup, and will add that he has excellent prospects of equalling Trivalve, by taking both Derbys and the Cup.

BIXTEN AND BREAK UP

Bixten and Break Up, admittedly were disadvantaged by the slow race last Saturday, but I cannot see them turning the tables on Hall Mark in the Victoria Derby. Break Up, Melbourne Cup, however, they may be capable of giving him—and anything else—a hard fight, for they both show like real stayers. Bixten has shown fighting qualities in races, and I should say he will appreciate a very fast run race. He has 7.5 in the Cup.

Break Up, in his semi-final and final A.J.C. Derby gallops, displayed great brilliance, and it is on the cards that he was just a little too fresh. At all events he should improve with racing, and may see him a better colt at Flemington.

GREAT PERFORMANCE

Chatham's victory in the Epsom Handicap must go down as one of the best gallops recorded in a mile race. March, with 10.2, is the only horse to win the race with more weight than Chatham, who carried 11.0.

The winning horse had to carry his burden on a rain-soaked track, yet his time for the mile was 1.55.

Considering the conditions it was a remarkable performance and one entitled to be ranked with Winkie Doncaster Handicap success, when he carried 9.13 and ran the mile in a fast track in 1.55.

METROPOLITAN WINNER

Finishing fast in the Epsom Handicap, Regal Son defeated all but Chatham, and on Monday he went even better to win the Metropolitan Handicap.

He took charge shortly after entering the straight and went on to win comfortably from Topical.

By Australian Sun from Lager, Regal Son is a four-year-old gelding and in more than one race had shown like a stayer. The wet track and his outting in the Epsom enabled him to strike his best form on Monday.

He carried 7.5 in the Metropolitan and he has 7.11 in the Caulfield Cup and 7.9 in the Melbourne Cup, but for Monday's win is liable to be re-assessed for both Cups. Even with extra weight, however, he must, on Monday's form be conceded a chance in either Cup.

From reports on the Metropolitan it would seem that Topical was set a big task in the race, and did well to gain second place.

To be in the rear of the field and something like 15 lengths behind the leaders is a far from ideal position, and to have to come on the outside of the field turning for home is sufficient to indicate just what Topical had to do.

He may prove a better proposition in the Melbourne event than Regal Son. Topical has 8.11 in the Caulfield Cup and 8.15 in the Melbourne Cup.

Oro's third was a creditable effort but he will find it difficult to turn the tables on Topical in Melbourne. Oro has 8.8 at Caulfield and 8.6 in the Melbourne Cup.

FORM OF ROGILLA

With 9.8 to carry on a heavy track, Rogilla found the Metropolitan a fitting test for his weight-for-age races.

He should continue to do well in weight-for-age events, but I fancy that the handicapper has his measure in the big handicaps.

Kavens continues to race consistently but unluckily, and added to his string of minor places by finishing second to Rogilla in the Spring Stakes on Saturday.

Kavens thrives on rain, and is not without a chance in the Caulfield Cup, but with 9.6 he has a big weight for a four-year-old.

QUALITY HANDICAP SURPRISE

Backers at Moonee Valley last Saturday had a bad day, and one of the several surprises was Tadema's win in the Quality Handicap, the principal race on the programme.

At the last meeting on the course she finished second to Middle West, and also had won races at Caulfield—a writer—and at Flemington, the latter being a division of the Rothsay trial. This form did not weigh heavily with racegoers, but Saturday's success suggests that they underestimated her worth.

TO-MORROW'S RACING

Tomorrow week, Saturday, October 14, the Victorian Spring Racing Carnival opens at Caulfield. Important events on the opening day of the V.A.T.C. fixture are the Caulfield Guineas and Toorak Handicap. See these in most weeklies. "Luteplayer" will discuss the prospects of the candidates and give selections for all races.

Throughout the Spring Carnival, which will conclude with the Williamstown Cup on November 18, the Leader turf section will be augmented with special reviews of the big races—Caulfield Cup, Moonee Valley Cup, V.I.C. Derby, Cantala Stakes, Marlborough Plate, Oaks Stakes, and Williamstown Cup.

"Luteplayer" expresses definite opinion, and if his ideas differ from popular opinion he is not afraid to state his views. "Luteplayer", all along, maintained that Hall Mark's Memble Stakes failure was not correct.

His colts' success in the Derby proved his opinion. Our Derby writer also pointed out last week that trainer Jack Holt was so unconcerned with the Caulfield failure that he was allowing the colt to race in the classic without another test in public. Whether there was anything in this point backers can judge for the colt's win, and the solid manner in which he was lucked for the race.

"Luteplayer", last week, admitted the danger of selecting anything to beat Chatham in the Epsom, but had the courage to do so. His choice—Turbine—ran a good race, but was not ridden as "Luteplayer" expected him to be.

His selection for the Metropolitan—Topical—finished second after being set a big task. Remember the Leader "Turf Section" for selections for the Spring Racing Carnival.

SELECTIONS

FLEMINGTON — SATURDAY

- OCTOBER HURDLE
1 PARLURE
2 DISNEY
3 WATBACK
4 MAREBERNG THIAL (Fillies)
5 MAGNIFICENCE
6 HUSTLE ON
7 WALTZING NELLIE

MARLBOROUGH TRIAL (Colts and Geldings)

- 1 PEQUERY
2 CAVALCADE
3 SHADOW MAN
4 WALTZING LILY
5 WHERIKO
6 AMMON RA

STAND HANDICAP

- 1 SEGATI
2 PICTURIS
3 RUACH
4 EDWARD MANIFOLD STAKES
5 FOLK LORE
6 BRIDAL PATH
7 VARIANCE

PADDOCK HIGHWEIGHT

- 1 COUNT ORLOFF
2 EAGLE EYE
3 HOLLANDER

BEST BETS

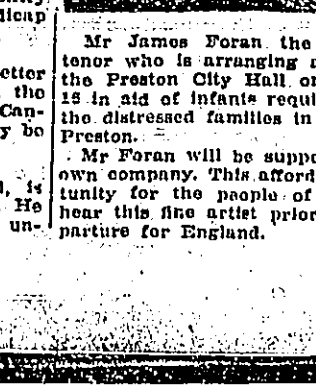
The best bets may be Segati and Count Orloff.

CONCERT FOR CHARITY

Mr James Foran the Australian tenor who is arranging a concert in the Preston City Hall on November 18 will aid the requirements of the distressed families in the City of Preston.

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BOXING

AUSTRALIAN AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

Fred Hillman, trainer of Mickey Jackson, writes: "Weight champion, travelled 1,000 miles to Brisbane to second both boys and to bring the honors back to Preston gymnast."

8.6 Division

The punching of M. Hyrne was too vital for K. Bend (Tae.) and he won by a clean knock-out in the first round.

10.7 Division

T. Jackson and A. J. Christie (New South Wales) fought themselves to a standstill for the Victorian to get a hard-earned decision. Both showed remarkable tenacity and gameness.

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By LUCE DENNIS (Concluded)

"I cut them out two years ago. I thought he was a fine-looking boy. There was a pause. "You'll have changed your mind since then," Adam said bitterly. "You saw me the other night, didn't you, trying to sneak up on you, and then to go out alone in the nasty dark night, to look for a few half-starved poaching boys?" He reached out to the top of the barn, and then he leapt on to his back, and clung with his claws. Adam came carefully back down the ladder. The granary cat sprang to the ground and raced away into the darkness. Both she and Adam were unharmed. Adam removed the slung ladder and came to the captain, Margaret, and Emily Abbott. "I'd made a pet of that cat," he laughed. "I'll be glad to see you for the brigade, sir. There was nothing else I could do. "No," Margaret said, with a catch in her voice, "for you there wasn't anything else but to that Adam. I knew—I knew you wouldn't be afraid." He glanced at her, and burst out laughing. "She whirled round on the captain, "You weren't I right about him? You'll make his job permanent, won't you? You will—you must!" "I'd decided to do that before I went to sleep. Don't think you bullied me. "But the fire wasn't started then. "The fire! You think the cat decided me? Bosh, my girl! As to his bodily courage, his brute courage, I knew that would come back when Adam was fed and sleek again. I decided to make him job permanent because I heard what he said to you last night. "Oh!" "Ah! When a man looks a girl sincerely, is ready to walk away and leave her, because he's nothing to give her, that's courage. That's that's moral courage. That matters. Yes, he can stay and help us. We need a man about the place. So long as I live he can stay at a decent wage, and when I die you won't be left unprotected. And here's the fire brigade. Come Emily!" He led Emily away firmly to meet the fire brigade. She looked back over her shoulder. 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The captain called angrily, for he had been distinctly alarmed. Adam pointed to the roof. On the thatch, which was not yet alight all over, was the granary cat, mewling in pain. Adam set the ladder against the wall. The flames reached out red fingers and seemed to grope for him, trying to reach up enough pluck to go out alone in the nasty dark night. He went carefully to the top of the barn. The cat rushed to him, leapt on to his back, and clung with all her claws. Adam came carefully back down the ladder. The granary cat sprang to the ground and raced away into the darkness. Both she and Adam were unharmed. Adam removed the slung ladder and came to the captain, Margaret, and Emily Abbott. "I'd made a pet of that cat," he laughed. "I'll be glad to see you for the brigade, sir. There was nothing else I could do. "No," Margaret said, with a catch in her voice, "for you there wasn't anything else but to that Adam. I knew—I knew you wouldn't be afraid." 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THIRD BATTLE OF YPRES

SIXTEENTH ANNIVERSARY THIS MONTH

WHERE PRESTON AND WEST-GARTE BATTALIONS SAW ACTIVE SERVICE

(Compiled by Cpl H. Jackson, A.M.F.)

This month of October is the sixteenth anniversary of the third battle of Ypres and as the Australian Military Forces which took part in the struggle it is fitting that the occasion should be published. The battle began on October 4 when an attack was delivered on a ten mile front extending from Sanctuary Wood to Lanemarck. Just as the Germans were preparing to advance with five divisions from the south-east and (travelling) were started. Reutel is a Belgian village and ridge in the province of West Flanders and is 11 miles east of Polygon Wood. They were captured by the Germans in their advance of April 1918 but were finally recovered by the Allies in the autumn of that year. Broodseinde (8422), may be consulted at 724 High St., Northcote. It is a large part of the attack it is fitting that the occasion should be published. The battle began on October 4 when an attack was delivered on a ten mile front extending from Sanctuary Wood to Lanemarck. 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Dear Cobbers—We want to the Association football match on Saturday and the Pets were so thrilled that Northcote won. Jacky was very excited and the result and we had a party to celebrate it that night. Even Cook (a most phlegmatic person) was all "dressed up" as he expressed it and put several more pinches of salt in the coffee than necessary (by the taste of it) and gave us a spoon and fork to eat fish with.

We sent the Pets to bed, but judging by the noise they must have held a corroboree in the play-room instead. We're hoping great things from next week's match. Look out for us, as we'll be in the field. A new competition will begin next week. Did you all enjoy your week's holiday? The Pets join me in sending heaps of love UNCLE PHIL.

BIRTHDAYS

All the Cobbers, Uncle Phil and the Pets send the Happiest and Heartiest of Birthday Wishes and Congratulations to Florence Rogers (Oct 7); Dorothy Peters (Oct 8); Marjory Hartnell, Ivy Roberts, Joyce Morton, and Harry Bowden (Oct 9); Roma Hill (Oct 10); Billie Glick and Jack Dillon (Oct 11); Frank J. Connor (Oct 12); and June Jones (Oct 13).

OUR MAIL BAG

25 Harbury St. Newcastle Dear Uncle Phil—To-day I went to a birthday party with my brother Reggie. We had a wonderful time. Merry caps and balloons and heaps of good things. I guess the Pets would like to have been there, but they may be ill after testing all the show samples. I hope not anyway. Love to the Pets. Vera P. Keele

Glad you had a nice time Vera and the Pets say they would have liked to have been there too. Congratulations and Best Wishes from the Pets and U.P.

Mavis Lobbe—Bravo for the 100 marks Mavis. Will you call with your Certificate on or after Monday and the prize will be here. Have you been going? Love and Best Wishes from the Pets and U.P.

Dear Uncle Phil—I am enjoying the Cobbers' Club very much. I have a pet dog called Trifle. I call him Trifle because he knows so many tricks. He is an Irish terrier. I am trying to send something in to you each week. I have missed one so far. I am sending you a little story this week.

Muriel Houslow—We're pleased to hear you are enjoying the Cobbers' Club very much. I call him Trifle because he knows so many tricks. He is an Irish terrier. I am trying to send something in to you each week. I have missed one so far. I am sending you a little story this week.

Shirley Wood—Congratulations Shirley for your 100 marks. Please call with your Certificate on or after Monday and the prize will be ready. You did have a nice show holiday. Best Wishes and Love from the Pets and U.P.

Jack Miller—Bravo for the 100 marks Jack. Please call with your Certificate on Tuesday at the Preston office and the prize will be there. Did you go to the show? The Pets send love and greetings.—U.P.

I entered the beautiful tree-grove valley in the bushland, when the stars had long since gone to rest, and the hazy mist, in the paling eastern sky, heralded the dawn. Around me the birds twittered their first sleepy song of thanksgiving for the new-born day and below I saw the dew-drops sparkling like glittering jewels on the green, sweet-scented grass.

scurrying by, paused to consider a little shadow. I think have I dreamed of the joy of deer. For dear is the hush of noon to me. I passed the afternoon in perfect bliss for a more beautiful day could hardly have been found. Soon the sun began to pale and grow more gentle, and I knew that the day was drawing to a close. Then, I saw, once more, the glorious colors, which had graced the dawn. Crimson and gold mingled with sapphire blue, formed a beautiful sunset. Slowly it sank beneath the horizon, and left the cloak of night to descend upon the earth. The shadows of night are to me the loveliest shades. Mystic, magic spirits luring me on to an unknown land, when a curtain of dreams is draped on the walls. Soft, dusky shadows, and dancing elfin ones—calling, ever calling. Who can resist the call of Night? Who can remain in a weary world, while a relentless, beckoning, silent army leads to a land of peace? Call, shades of night, there are hundreds who will answer you to-night; lead them on, heralds of peace, to the valley of slumber and dream, and meet them, walkers to the song of Nature, and the new-born day.

Mystic, luring, calling me. Shades of Night, I'll follow thee. Thelma Hill

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LAW OF GRAVITATION A Russian and an American were boasting of the coldest climate they had been in. The Russian said: "I've known water to freeze while being boiled on a kettle." "That's nothing," said the American. "I've seen a sheep jump off a cliff and stick in mid-air." "The law of gravitation would not allow that," said the Russian. "Why, half of you come up," he ordered. Myrtle Pettit.

A DAY AT THE SHOW On September 25 we visited the Royal Show, arriving there at dinner time. Some of the exhibits we saw were horses, cows and sheep. We bought bags and samples that were very nice. People were giving away rulers and I got six all together. As it was getting late we came home after a most enjoyable day. (Good) Valda Flynn

MY SHOW HOLIDAYS This week I had holidays from school and I have had a nice time. On Monday my Grandpa took me to the pictures at the Plaza Theatre. One picture was excellent; it was called Santa's Workshop. For Wednesday I went to the beach at Elwood and Thursday I spent the day at my Nana's, at Thornbury. Next day I went to a playmate's birthday party and had great fun; so don't you think I was a lucky little girl this week. (Good) Marjorie Wood

THE STREAM I think as I flow along, Singing such merry songs, And flowers growing in the grass Greet me as I gaily pass. From the hill, and down the dale, Over ever on my way, In sable skirts the Lady Morn Shines as I sing my merry tune; O'er barren moors and purple heather I tinkle on, and on forever, Laughing and singing my merry song. Gaily, gaily, I flow along. (Good) Sheila McGrath

THE ABSENT-MINDED MAN "Excuse me, sir," said Billy Bones, "Have you by chance seen Tommy Jones?" "The stranger smiled and touched his hat." "Although for quite an hour I've sat Upon this seat, I'm grieved to say, I don't see him passing this way." (Good) Linda Carnell

PEARLS Our baby is the dearest dear, With tiny golden curls, And when she smiles her ten wee teeth Are just like ten wee pearls. (Better) Ken Lobbe

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Lad: "I don't mind what I do to start, but the sooner I get to bed the better." Zoo Keeper: "You can do something big now. Start washing the elephant." (Good) Cyril C. Steel

Tommy: "I am starting vulgar fractions to-morrow." Mother: "You'll do nothing of the kind, Tommy. You'll study the very best fractions in the school." (Good) F. Withers

Jack: "What kind of toe never grows a nail?" Tom: "I don't know." Jack: "Mittoe." Irene Poole

Beale Goldstein "Now boys," said the teacher, "examine the picture. How iron was first discovered?" "Well, Freddie," said Teacher, "please sit. I heard my father say they smelt it." (Good) Ron Baker

Lawrie Taylor "Binks: 'Is your dog a setter or a pointer?' Jinky: 'No, it's an upsetter, and a daisypointer.'" (Good) P. Kilkenny

Den Wells "Precocious—Teacher: 'Who can tell me what is the feminine of a scholar?' Tommy: 'Please sir, lady-waiting.'" (Good) Ellen Flynn

Norma Pettit "Passenger: 'This train must be nearly an hour late.' Guard: 'Shure but we'll get on at the usual time.' 'Two hours late.'" (Good) Whinnie Bradley

Jack Miller "What are you doing for Ken?" Ken: "For about half an hour." (Good) Elsie McGrath

Thelma Stead "When is the sun gone?" "When it tucks the clouds with gold." (Good) Sheila McGrath

Stanley Jackson "Why is an axe like a spoon of coffee?" "Because they can both be ground." (Good) Arthur Dennis

Billy Murray "Walter: 'So you want a good square meal?' 'What would you like?' Mr Brown: 'Well I'll start with a round of beef, sir.'" (Good) M. McGrath

Shirley Wood "Worried Father (to little son): 'I don't know what to do about your telling untruths.' 'Now you say that you never told a lie.'" Little Son: "How old were you when you started, Dad?" (Good) Rog Keele

Molra Bradley "Gwen: 'Can you tell me the difference between a cat and a comma?' Bruce: 'Well, I can't see a comma at the end of its paws, and a comma is a pause at the end of a clause.'" (Good) Colleen Y. Mahony

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V.F.A. FINAL NORTHCOTE RISE TO THE OCCASION

Port Melbourne Comfortably Defeated A SPLENDID GAME AT OLYMPIC PARK

(By "Follower") By comfortably defeating Port Melbourne we have earned the privilege of participating in the grand final. A continuous offensive during a brilliant third quarter, which the forwards turned to advantage, had Northcote in a winning position at the last change. It was a good game vigorously contested.

THE final of the V.F.A. was played at Olympic Park last Saturday between Northcote and Port Melbourne in the presence of 600 spectators, who witnessed a really interesting and fast game. Not so much by their victory, but by the manner in which it was achieved, Northcote have retained the confidence of their supporters. Too much credit cannot be extended to the leadership of Howe, whose example on the field was an inspiration to his side and a decided set-back to his opponents, who did everything (some of them not in the best interests of the game) to put him off his game.

OPEN TACKLES Northcote were keeping the game open, and by cohesive work overpowering the rushing tactics of Port. Before the adjournment the sevens' margin broke through when Garlepp, Seymour, Byrne, and Ross, whose example on the field was an inspiration to his side and a decided set-back to his opponents, who did everything (some of them not in the best interests of the game) to put him off his game.

GOAL TEAM WORK Northcote were advanced during this term, which, combined with their work, helped them to maintain their advantage. It was not altogether the nine yards that Northcote has which gave them such great heart, but the fact they were in front. Realizing this quarter should bring a handy victory, Northcote advanced and Seymour, whose shooting was astray, hoisted a single.

PORT MELBOURNE'S 3 goals 7 behinds (37 points). The last term was fought out vigorously. Port Melbourne made every effort to make up the leeway. Garbutt Moved Up Garbutt was shifted from full back to centre-half-forward, Murphy being stationed full-back.

On the bench Port surged forward with immediate success as Ross drove the ball high up to Bedford, who, marking excellently, crowned a fine effort with a sixer. Northcote made a determined move to counteract but only managed a single. The sevens again approached their objective when another brilliant mark by Brooker was rewarded with a goal.

Northcote Defend Again attacking strenuously Port were drawn off by Woods who was superb. When clearing Wilson made the mistake of trying to run, Garbutt moved by the error and goal was scored. Northcote got within the distance but Seymour failed. Rushing play through Port Melbourne attacked through Plumridge who goal.

Rowe was closely watching the game, shifting the positions as the occasion warranted. A rally forward by Northcote was successful as under 12; soprano solo; Miss Juliette Wynne (1st open); serious recital: Mary Wood (1st under 8); character: Lorna Landy and Edna Marlow (1st serious recital); serious recital: Margaret Perry (1st under 13); serious recital: Gloria Melody; piano solo: Vera Stackpole (2nd under 14); character song: Edna Marlow (1st under 13); serious recital: Miss Janet Kinsley (1st open).

Two contests remain yet to be decided. To-morrow (Saturday) the short contest will take place, and on October 21 the monthlong competition. CONNELL'S SCORES Goultell, who was working hard on the ball initiated an advance which ended as Connell goal.

FINAL SCORES: NORTHCOTE: 13 goals 9 behinds (87 points) PORT MELBOURNE: 9 goals 10 behinds (64 points)

Goal-Kickers Northcote—Simmonds (5), Byrne (2), Connell (2), How (2), Seymour Humphries. Port Melbourne—Bedford (4), Malloy (2), Aldridge, Garbutt, Plumridge. Best Players In Simmonds, Northcote had a match-winner. His powerful kicking and close forward work earned for him prizes of place "Northcote" colors. Rowe and Goultell rendered yeoman service while Woods was delightful in defence. Garbutt again mastered his opponent, and Hart, Humphries and Ross were prominent throughout.

Port Melbourne were well served by Ross, Gray, Malloy, Brooker, Bedford, Keating, Juller and Plumridge. FREE KICKS AWARDED Umpire McKinnon awarded the following free kicks: Northcote . . . 12 2nd 3rd 4th 7th 8th 9th 10th 11th 12th 13th 14th 15th 16th 17th 18th 19th 20th 21st 22nd 23rd 24th 25th 26th 27th 28th 29th 30th 31st 32nd 33rd 34th 35th 36th 37th 38th 39th 40th 41st 42nd 43rd 44th 45th 46th 47th 48th 49th 50th 51st 52nd 53rd 54th 55th 56th 57th 58th 59th 60th

Port forwards too often strayed from position allowing opposing defenders to clear with ease. The only period when Northcote appeared to be laboring was the first five minutes of the third quarter. A timely save in the goal-mouth, during these anxious moments by Woods as he rushed the ball away, merited a roar of applause.

The sevens' full-back, Joe Garbutt, revealed an object-lesson in kicking in the first quarter, which seemed to take the pep out of him for the remainder of the game. The marks taken by the teams and players during the various quarters of the game were: Northcote . . . 12 2nd 3rd 4th 7th 8th 9th 10th 11th 12th 13th 14th 15th 16th 17th 18th 19th 20th 21st 22nd 23rd 24th 25th 26th 27th 28th 29th 30th 31st 32nd 33rd 34th 35th 36th 37th 38th 39th 40th 41st 42nd 43rd 44th 45th 46th 47th 48th 49th 50th 51st 52nd 53rd 54th 55th 56th 57th 58th 59th 60th

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SCORES OF GOALS AND BEHINDS Northcote—Simmonds, 5—2; Ross 2—1; Connell, 2—0; Byrne, 2—0; Seymour, 1—3; Humphries, 1—0; Gray, 0—2; Goultell, 1—0; Port Melbourne—Bedford 4—4; Malloy, 2—1; Plumridge, 1—1; Aldridge, 1—1; Garbutt 1—0; Keating, 0—2; Lahiff, 0—1.

Grand Final Match To-morrow The final was full of incident, spectators being in a state of anticipation from start to finish, despite the fact that Northcote's score was never in jeopardy. It is not anticipated that more than one change will be made in Saturday's team. In all probability Cole will take the field in place of Gray. If he does he will complete his century of matches with the Green and Gold.

Port required a player with brilliance to lighten the side when they were feeling the strain of the grueling contest. It looked as though that player appeared on the horizon in Bedford, who for a while, was the dominating figure on the forward line. After thieves had broken into the house of Messrs Harry Brittain and William Thomas, in South crescent, Northcote, on Tuesday of last week, a spade was found near a window which had been forced open. Jewellery worth £25/10/ and £2/10/ cash had been stolen.

Northcote A.W.A. The A.W.A. met in the Town Hall lodge room on Monday, September 25. Miss Evans presided over a well-attended meeting. Reports were given on various social functions attended by members during the past fortnight. Invitations were also accepted for social evenings at Sandringham, Elsternwick, and Fitzroy. After the business of the evening Mrs Starbuck entertained the company. The next meeting will take place on Monday October 9 at 8 p.m.; all members and intending members are invited to attend. A pleasant evening is assured.

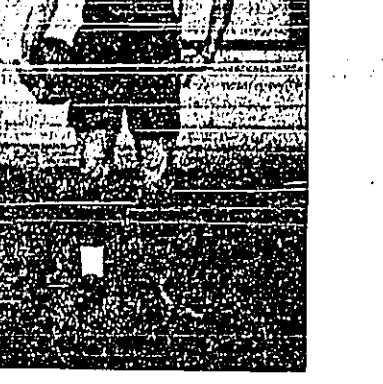
"The Sorenanders" A general committee meeting of the Preston Assistance Committee held on September 25. Adjutant A. Mawson was requested to convey to the Salvation Army Headquarters the thanks of the committee for the programme provided at a band concert in aid of the P.A.C. funds.

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Veteran Leaders

Perry Rowe, Northcote's captain, looks forward with confidence to the grand final to-morrow, which he says will be his last match. Bedford marked brilliantly for Port who pulled down 77 marks, an against 68 by Northcote. Corrihan dominated the centre with his alertness, sound judgment, and playing the ball to a position. Simmonds' tremendous punts, and unending methods, bewildered his opponents. Port forwards too often strayed from position allowing opposing defenders to clear with ease.



PERRY ROWE, Northcote's Captain who proposes to retire at the end of the season.

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A NEW LIBRARY IN THE WEST

Everly awaited is the opening date, Friday, October 13, of West Preston's new library, to be opened by Mr. E. G. Green, now agent, at his new premises, 209 Gilbert road, West Preston. This will be a library worthy of the name, starting off with 2000 books, including novels, fiction, travel and westerns. Further books will be added to the collection each week. Hygienic in every way, all books will be sterilized before issue for protection of customers. An up-to-date library is a real need in West Preston, and the reading public in this part have been continually feeling the necessity for a modern library. The success of this new venture is therefore assured.

PRESTON SHOP OPENS NEW DEPARTMENT

The extensive alterations going on at Nowell's Knitting Shop have kept folk guessing for some time. However, a glance at their windows lately re-dressed - disclosed the secret. Nowell's new stock ladies' modern frocks in many attractive and charming styles. They also make to order without extra charge, guaranteeing the same satisfaction as given in past order work. This new department will in no way interfere with their knitting work, and "Lewen" knitters made to order will still be one of their features. In fact, they anticipate carrying larger stocks now more space is available.

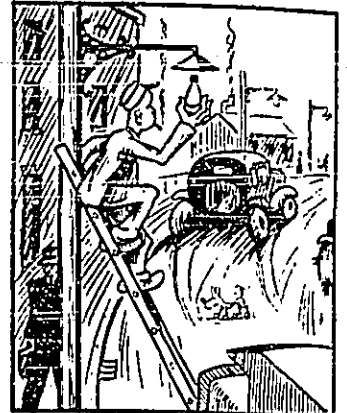
Jones: "Hallo! Had an accident with your car—loose tyre?" Brown: "No! Tight chauffeur!"

SKILLED TITLES Contest

No. 1 Closes 31st October, 1933, at 4 p.m.

ONE-THIRD OF PROCEEDS to be given to prize-winners on the basis of:
FIRST PRIZE, 50 Per Cent.
SECOND, THIRD and FOURTH PRIZES to share 25 Per Cent.
TEN CONSOLATION PRIZES to share 25 Per Cent.

Results advertised in The Leader under date of 3rd November, 1933.
ENTRY FEE—6d. for EACH TITLE or THREE TITLES for 1/-.



Suggested Titles:—
Only a Light Matter
A Globe Trotter
Light Work

SKILLED TITLES

NO. 1

ENTRY FORM

Name.....

Address.....

No. of Entries..... Amount £ : :

CR. H. P. ZWAR, M.L.A., J.P., Mayor
Preston.
MR. J. T. ROE, Headmaster of West Preston State School,
MR. F. H. SMITHERS, Manager of Bank of New South Wales, Preston,
and their decision shall be final and binding.

CONDITIONS

Any number of entries may be submitted, but EACH TITLE ENTERED must be accompanied by an ENTRY FEE OF SIXPENCE, or THREE TITLES for 1/-.

Every entry has an equal chance of winning the prize. Entry form MUST be attached to each set of entries. Deliver or post entry forms with stamps or postal notes for entry fees to:

LEADER OFFICE, High St., N. COLE, GREEN'S NEWSAGENCY, High St., Preston.
MAY'S NEWSAGENCY, High St., Preston.
NEWBREGIN'S, Cnr. Mason and High St., Preston.

All profits to go to the funds of the Preston Public Assistance Committee for the relief of unemployment.
(Mrs.) L. W. WILLIAMS
Hon. Secretary, Ladies' Committee Preston Public Assistance Committee 96 Cranmer St., Preston.

ENTERPRISING PRESTON JEWELLER

Every year John Jack has many inducements to offer Preston folk regarding Christmas purchases, but this year may well be termed a record. With years of experience in the Jewellery trade behind him, this Preston Jeweller knows exactly what is required. Therefore a greater range of suitable gifts is offered, for after all it is in the selection that counts. Prices are well down in accordance with the shop's motto—Below City Prices Always. The lay-by system of sale, many possibilities—a great idea for purchasing Xmas gifts, for by the time you need them they are paid for. Furthermore, all lines are stocked here are the best procurable—no second articles. Remember that a good article, no matter how small, is always appreciated.

RESERVOIR CITIZENS' BAND

The band held their usual weekly evening in the Reservoir Hall on Tuesday evening with a good turnout. A most enjoyable game of cards was won by Mrs. Stock and Mr. Patrick, the booty prize being shared by Mrs. Edmond and Mr. Patrick. Several big functions are being organized. Each function organized by the band has proved a decided success and has spurred the members on to bigger things. A number of young ladies have organized a committee which is a great asset to the band. A monster children's party is being arranged by Mrs. Patrick, who expects to entertain over 100 children in the near future. Remarkable progress is being made by the above band, which consists of a body of enthusiastic players of with among brass bands, spirit of optimism prevails which highly infectious. Another addition has been made to the membership in the person of Mr. Fred Knott, well known among Melbourne bands as being a bass player of more than average ability. The inclusion of another trumpeter would give a complete instrumentation. The band would then be able to carry out some of its intentions in the band world.

PRESTON SUSTENANCE OFFICERS THANKED

(To the Editor)

Sir,—I desire, through the courtesy of your paper, to express my sincere appreciation of the manner in which I have been treated by the various officers of the local Sustenance Office and the Preston City Council. As one of the many unemployed dependent wholly for my present needs upon that source, and having perhaps more than a fair share of illness in the family circle, it is indeed a pleasure to come in contact with such people, for in spite of all that is said to the contrary, they are most obliging and decidedly humane. To Sister Holland, of the local health centre, Mr. Watson, Mr. Abernethy, I am extremely grateful, and I am sure that my appreciation of their acts of courtesy can be borne out by many in the same position as myself. While all may not see eye to eye with the administration of the Acts as they now stand, let us give a little in return for the many services rendered to us by our best workers.—Yours etc.,
"1072"
Preston, October 4, 1933.

SUCCESSFUL PUPILS

The following pupils of Miss D. Butcher, T.Dip., L.C.M., 116 Rathmines street, Fairfield, were successful in musical examinations last June—Thelma M. Palmer, Licentiate of the London College of Music; Marjorie Lockhead, Associate of the London College of Music; Joan McManis, advanced senior, practical 85 marks (second highest marks in Melbourne); Joyce McManis, advanced senior, practical honors, 92 marks (highest marks in Melbourne); Mavis Macdonald, honore 91 marks (second highest marks in Melbourne); Florence Mateon, Intermediate, First Class; Joyce Male, Elementary, honors, 93 marks (second highest marks in Melbourne); Yvonne Irwin, Primary, First Class, 89 marks; Eleanor Allen, Intermediate theory and harmony, pass; Marion Atwood, Junior (theory) 1925; Yvonne Irwin, Primary, First Class, 89 marks; Joyce Male, Elementary, theory, 96 marks (highest marks in Melbourne); Edward Startevant, elementary theory, 88 marks (second highest marks); Margaret Goodall, honors, Evelyn Stodd, Elementary Theory, 91 marks each; Joyce Griffiths, Elementary Theory, 87 marks; Yvonne Irwin, Primary, theory, 92 marks.

BOWLS

PRESTON CLUB

A, B and C Sections Successful

At the opening of the first day of the bowlers' season at the Preston Club, who were away with the team at Coburg, accorded a cordial welcome to visiting and home bowlers and wished them a most enjoyable season.

The above club opened the season's bowlers' season with gratifying results, all teams being successful in their respective matches.

In A section Albert Park, who visited Preston, was defeated by a margin of 20 points. Skipper F. Morrison and his confederates showed to advantage by scoring 41 to their opponents' 21; Skipper F. Pike and his rink also supported with 22 to 13. Good performance for the defending team. In B section the team journeyed to Coburg and returned in high league with a balance of 22 on the right side. President W. B. Howe confidently led his rink to victory with a score of 30 to 13. His rink was closely followed by that of J. Joiner's with 20 to 17. At one stage a defeat looked imminent but was rally by all rinks. In the last few ends clinched a victory.

In C section (at home) the team had a narrow victory by 3 points. A. Welch's rink scored 25 to 13. This margin of 12 more than counterbalanced the few points that the other rinks were down and enabled the team to keep the flag flying. Now players should get as much practice as possible so as to have a record season. Anyone who is interested and who would like to take up the game is invited to get in touch with the president, secretary, or any member. A cordial welcome is assured.

Sustenance Cases

OWNERSHIP OF PROPERTY NOT DISCLOSED

COUSINS CHARGED

At the Northcote Court on Tuesday Joseph Clancy, Miller street, Thornbury, was charged with having wilfully made a false declaration in an application for sustenance. There was a further charge of having on March 9 made a false declaration of income.

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Mr. E. F. Norris (Norris and Norris) appeared for the defendants, who both pleaded not guilty. Sgt. Glowacki prosecuted, and said that the men were cousins.

Sgt. Glowacki said that in the case of Joseph Clancy the weekly income to the house was given as 17/6, whereas it was 11/18/6; and Raymond Clancy gave his income as nil, whereas he had a Savings Bank balance at Thornbury from which he received 15/- per week, which was paid to the Savings Bank.

Thomas Corvican, registrar of the Northcote Public Assistance Committee, and a commissioner for taking affidavits, said—Joseph Clancy made a declaration in an application for sustenance before me. His income was given as 17/6 per week. An application for sustenance by Raymond Clancy was made before me, and in a declaration this man said that he had no income. Statements of income were made from time to time.

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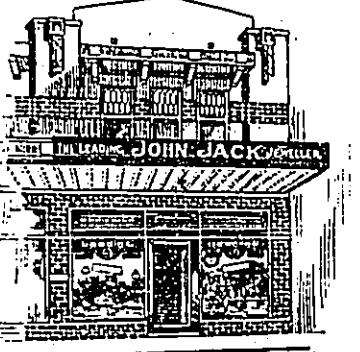
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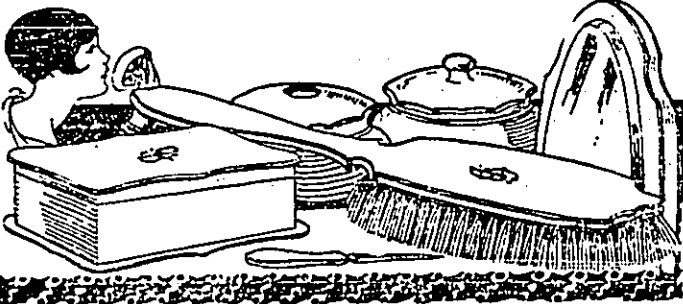
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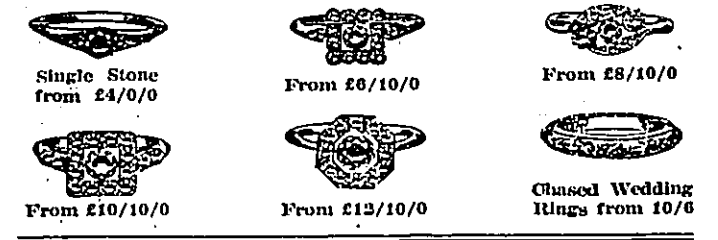
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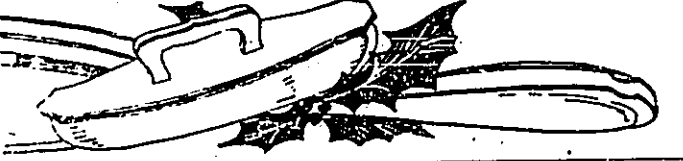


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NORTHCOLE FOOTBALL CLUB

ALLY SKETCHES COMPETITION

CLOSING DATE: October 16, at 8 p.m.
Results advertised in following issue of the "Leader"

Entry Fee: 6d. for Each Title

THE MORE ENTRIES THE BIGGER THE PRIZE

JUDGES: The Mayor, Cr. M. C. Jones, Cr. J. Green whose decision is final.

ALL YOU HAVE TO DO is to think out your title, fill in entry form, and post with stamps or postal notes, or deliver with 6d. cash to depot.

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Suggested Titles: "TIME FOR A CAUSTIC" "THREE OF A KIND" "ADVANCE AUSTRALIA"

ony's Newsagency, cnr. High & Hutton Sts., Thornbury; Paine's Biz Lutz, High St., Thornbury; Robertson & O'Donnell, High St., Northcote; Reg Cox, High St., Northcote; Guest, sectioner, opp. Town Hall, Northcote; W. Walker, Jeweller, High St., Westgarth; Rowlands, Dresser, Station St., Fairfield; T. Crosbie, 10 Fenwick Hill; J. Thomas, Printer, St. George's Rd., Northcote; "The Leader" Office, 309 High St., Northcote.

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Entries..... Amount.....

Accounts audited by the Town Clerk (Mr. J. A. Thomson), who will arrange for distribution of the prizes. REQ. COX, Organiser.

Estimated Prize Money £100

PENNANT SEASON OPENS

NORTHCOLE CLUBS' FIRST MATCHES

In splendid weather opening pennant matches of the bowling season were played on Saturday. In A section Northcote were at home to St. Kilda, and the victors by 11 to 5. Elsternwick District 96 d Alphington 82 and Ivanhoe 91 d Brunswick 79. Thornbury were seven up on Colclough, the total being 89 to 82. Glen Iris 108 d Harold Hill 77; and Preston won comfortably against Albert Park, 113—93.

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Shavings and Sawdust Burnt

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IN MEMORIAM BRANSFORD—In loving memory of our dear Dad, who passed away on 16th October, 1927. Aged 66 years. Deceased by his loving wife and family, Ethel, George, Elsie, Ern and Ida.

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PERSONAL

The death occurred on Sunday, from heart failure, of Mr. John Nathaniel Bennett, Erin street, Preston at the advanced age of 89 years. He was a retired farmer and leaves a widow and family consisting of a daughter and two sons. The interment took place in Fawcett cemetery on Monday, Rev. W. Clarke vicar of Holy Trinity Church, Coburg, reading the service. The funeral services were carried out by Mr. Ern Jensen. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. A. and B. Shepherd, J. Quinn, H. Snowden, F. Bignmore and G. Kilpatrick.

Mr. A. G. Scott, assistant clerk of courts at Preston and Northcote left on Saturday on his annual holiday. At the end of the present week, Mr. Scott will make a trip to Tasmania. Mr. R. H. Hyde, solicitor, 79 years of age, died at his residence, Benjamin street, Thornbury, on Monday from heart failure. The funeral services were held in Holdberg cemetery on Tuesday. A widow and two children are left. The funeral arrangements were in the hands of Mr. Ern Jensen. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. P. Keen, F. Lucke, E. Kelly, J. Kerwood, and C. E. Hyde. Among the floral tributes sent was one from Madden, Butler, Elder and Grant, solicitors, Cir. in whose employ Mr. Hyde had been.

Mr. Ben Johnson, town clerk at Preston resumed duty on Wednesday, after suffering from an attack of influenza. Mr. and Mrs. Urquhart, of "Novae" Clarie street, Northcote have returned home after spending over a year abroad. Quite a period of that time was spent in Scotland. Mr. O. G. Gilbert road, Preston returned on Friday last after spending an enjoyable holiday at Sydney and Queensland.

Mrs. C. Knoll, treasurer of the Preston Blind Auxiliary, returned from a holiday in Brisbane last week. Mr. Leslie Wood, of 76 Collins street, Thornbury left here on Monday to take up a position as departmental manager to Edmondson and Co., Warrack. At the meeting of the Northcote Council on Monday it was decided to send a letter of sympathy to the relatives of the late Sir Alexander Peacock, who passed away on Saturday last. Sir Alexander Peacock was the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly and had represented Cluness and Alameda for 14 years. He had served in the Ministry and was three times Premier. Among his outstanding achievements were the implementing of the first factory legislation, and his work as Minister for Education.

The Northcote Council, on Monday resolved that a letter of sympathy be sent to the relations of the late Dr. W. R. Littlejohn, formerly principal of Scotch College, Geelong. Oliver and Green commented on his ability as an educationalist, disciplinarian, and organizer, and expressed regret at his passing. Mr. N. Clarke, Normanby avenue, Thornbury, is the new secretary of the Northcote West Ward Progress Association.

Mr. Hubert Osborne, C.E., has received an appointment of Shire Clerk and Engineer to the Shire of Mirebrook. Mr. Osborne is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Osborne, of Shattersbury parade, Thornbury, and he completed his training as engineer in the service of the Northcote City Council. In the passing of Mrs. Sarah Jane Henderson, on October 2, Mrs. Clementine, of Boga street, Preston, has lost her mother. Mr. J. B. A. Rogers, who is a senior medical officer at the Hospital for the Inane, Mont Park, and who has been resident medical officer at the Metropolitan Hospital, Boro, for the past five years, has been appointed medical superintendent of the Hospital for the Inane at Boro.

Mr. J. W. French has been elected unopposed to the extraordinary va-

73rd Anniversary

SOUTH PRESTON METHODIST CHURCH

THE 73rd anniversary services which took the form of a "Back to South Preston" celebration were commenced during the past week. On Thursday afternoon, October 4, the ladies' organizations held a re-union, on Friday evening the young people held a service which was presided over by Rev. E. S. Duncan. The attraction on Saturday was an old-fashioned tea meeting which was attended by over 250 following by a conversation. The musical part of the programme was provided by former members of the choir under the leadership of Mr. Goad, a former choir master. Despite the passing of the years and lack of present members, the choir, by the use of the big successes of the evening.

Reminiscences which followed provided many happy recollections for adherents of the thirty, forty and fifty years ago. Amongst the oldest speakers was Dr. Wilkinson who amused the younger generation by stories of the days when Sunday school services had disappeared from Grove and the chief means of locomotion was by means of "Shank's pony." Both Dr. Wilkinson and the subsequent speakers were eloquent in their testimony to the wonderful services rendered to the church by the late J. C. Hutton and members of his family.

An amusing anecdote. A typical story of Mr. Hutton's generosity was told. One Sunday morning the congregation arrived at the church and found that the organ, which had rendered many years of faithful service, had disappeared. In its place, however, stood a brand new organ of the latest design. None of the officials knew where it came from or how it got there and it was not till some time later that it was established that the donor was Mr. Hutton who had found ways and means of placing it in the church without the knowledge of the exchange reaching the officials of the Church.

On Sunday the services took the form of "Thanksgiving services." Each of the services provided a full testimony to the wonderful services rendered by the veterans. The morning service was conducted by the Rev. Prof. A. E. Alblston, M.A., B.D., the President of the Methodist Conference of Victoria and Tasmania. The afternoon ceremony, a "Farewell" Afternoon, was presided over by the Mayor of Preston and the speaker was the Rev. T. C. Rentoul, General Superintendent of the Home Mission. The soloist was Miss Victoria Wilson, a pupil of the late Dame Nellie Melba, whilst Miss Rofe provided a musical feast for which the congregation showed its appreciation by a number of encores. It was agreed on all sides that this was one of the finest functions ever held in Preston.

At the evening service the preacher was the Rev. J. Williams, who was the minister 20 years ago. A number of visiting artists, including Miss Rofe, Mr. R. Bohme, assisted with the musical portion of the service.

One of the leading features of the day was the singing of the augmented choir under the leadership of Mr. Broadly, who was also responsible for the organization of the musical portion of the programme throughout.

Few who were present will ever forget the seventy-third anniversary of the church. Throughout all the services and functions there was an unexpectedly large number of former adherents present. From beginning to end of the celebrations a particularly high standard was set and maintained. There was a happy blending of religious and social activities to which each and everyone contributed his or her share. The chief share of the organization of these festivities was carried out by the Rev. Douglas Gibbs and Messrs. J. Kerwood, P. Bishop and G. Johnston and it is to the efforts of these gentlemen that the success of the celebrations was achieved.

anency in the East Ward of Northcote City Council caused by the death of the late Cr A. H. Olds.

An Enjoyable Birthday Party.—Jenny Hazel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Narel, 23 Ethel grove, Preston, had a number of school mates to tea and afterwards to a social evening on Saturday, October 7, to celebrate her birthday. Games and music helped to pass a very enjoyable time for all.

The death occurred on October 6 of Miss Mary Boxhall, of Murray road, Preston. Mrs. Ward of Murray road, Preston is a sister. The interment was made at the Coburg cemetery on Saturday, the funeral arrangements being in the hands of Mr. H. J. R. Lewis. William Bennett, of Hawker street, Alphington, retired from the force on August 21, 1931, left by will dated October 22, 1931, personal property of a gross value of £12,322 to his wife, to be distributed subject to a bequest of £100 to the Methodist Church, Alphington.

The Week's Social Gossip. Illustration of three people sitting at a table.

West Preston Progress Cricket Club Ball.—At the City Hall, on Tuesday evening the annual ball was held under the patronage of the mayor and mayoress, and the president, Mr. W. T. Robeson, J.P. Amongst those present were several members of the Australian XI in Mr. and Mrs. Bert Romminger, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ryder, and Mr. Ern Bromley, and representatives of several sporting bodies. The hall was decorated and the streamer dances caused much merriment. During the interval for supper Mr. Jack Ryder presented the silver cups won during the season 1932-33 to Messrs. P. Hargreaves, J. Marotte, and G. Gough a leather wallet, R. Delany a silver pencil for services rendered, and a photo of the club to each member in recognition of their services. The evening was presided over by the mayor, Mr. W. T. Robeson, J.P., and the secretary, Mr. W. H. Burdard for their loyal services. Both highly appreciated and accumulated prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Membrey.

Hoarse Party.—On October 7, a card evening was held at the home of Mrs. T. Hathams, at Redwynne street, Thornbury to aid the funds of the Children's Hospital. During the evening prizes were given to the winners, Mrs. C. Smith and Mrs. M. C. C. Smith. The members are organizing a dance at the Dispensary Hall, on October 21 to raise funds for the Queen of Children's Hospital, Betty Smith, who has been in hospital. The Ladies' Cricket Club.—The ladies' committee of the Mayston Cricket Club held their first dance of the season at Central Hall, Preston, on Saturday evening, October 7. The success of the evening, A Monte Carlo was one of the attractions. Mr. and Miss Joyce being finalists. Miss Borough was the lucky number, both the powder and the lucky hat.

Encho and Dance.—The South Preston Mothers' Club social was as popular as ever on Wednesday (October 11), the usual meeting place, the Church of St. John's, Northcote. The winners were Mrs. Crowe (ladies), and Mr. F. Yann (gents). "Mayoral Hospitality"—The mayor and mayoress of Preston were entertained at a luncheon at the Hawthorn town hall, on Saturday night, October 7. The guests included Messrs. Cr. and Mrs. M. C. Jones (mayor and mayoress of Northcote) and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thomson, also Cr. and Mrs. H. F. Zwart (mayor and mayoress of Preston) and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson.

Engagement.—The engagement is announced of Doris Venetia, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Leeds of 24, Hurlingham street, East Melbourne, to Hector Touzel, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hope, of "Timber" Murray road, West Preston. The engagement is announced of Alma Patricia, eldest daughter of Mr. Richard Evans and the late Mrs. Evans, 125 Spring street, Regent, to George R. only son of Mr. and Mrs. Vandell and the late Mrs. Vandell, "Callington," Castlemaine. Cards for Charity.—Palms arranged in pedestals gave just the necessary touch of gaiety to the supper room of the Preston Town Hall on Thursday afternoon. The occasion was a card afternoon to aid the Preston Public Assistance Fund arranged by Mrs. L. W. Williams and a committee of ladies comprising Messdames Vane, Allechin, Carr, McIntosh, Kohley and C. M. Jones. Sweets donated by Messdames Jupp and Williams were much appreciated. Mrs. Vane donated the prizes (a hand-worked apron and guest towels).

Laburnum and brown bracken fern formed effective decoration on the winning stall at the recent Preston Mothers' Wives' and Sisters' League bazaar. The Judges (the mayoress and Messdames Allechin and Ittegal) had a difficult task in choosing the most artistic. Finally the unanimous decision was given to the gift stall, points being given for their "lack to nature" idea. The sweets stall, decorated in two shades of mauve crepe paper and watercolor washes, was commended. Those responsible for the winning stall were Messdames Hepburn, Henkel, Veir, Hossaok, Gore, Mervin, and Mrs. J. J. Chaffield, Gatta, Howse and Seabill. Preston St. Vincent's Auxiliary.—At the monthly meeting on Wednesday afternoon a resignation was received from Mrs. J. J. Webster (Mrs. Piper), and Mrs. Webster was elected to the office. Messdames Carter and Walsh have also withdrawn their services as joint book-keepers, and the club is looking for likely candidates to fill the vacancies.

FAIRFIELD CANOE CLUB

THE annual meeting was held on Monday evening. After formal business, the secretary presented his report for the past year. This showed that the membership had increased by four since 1/9/32, there were 11 new members and three resignations. The Northern Districts Regatta was won by the club. The regatta was held on 19/32-33 season and was held at Burnley canoe club in a regatta points. Advice had just been received that a canoe race would be included in the Heintz programme this year. This should provide an additional incentive to members.

The attendance at committee meetings held during the year had been very gratifying and business had been promptly and efficiently dealt with. The Northern Districts Rowing Club was recently formed providing a use for the river at Fairfield for training and club racing, and had made arrangements to use the canoe clubhouse. The members of the new club were keenly interested in the experience.

The treasurer reported that the financial position of the club had continued satisfactory. After providing for the depreciation of the plant and furniture etc., the revenue account showed a profit of £30, as compared with £11 for the previous year. The balance sheet at 31/3/32 showed assets totalling £134, while liabilities totalled £192 and accumulated funds including the profit from 1932-33 £22. Liabilities in respect to the club were reduced by £14. A vote of thanks to the secretary and treasurer was passed.

Election of officers.—The ballots resulted in the following being elected—Vice-president: Messrs T. McLean and R. Mott. Messrs. A. Jones, M. Matthews, M. Gunn, T. McLean and R. Mott. Messrs. Green and Mr. Hunt were the recipients of numerous gifts. Miss Gray, who is the eldest daughter of Cr. and Mrs. J. H. Green, of Cunningham street, will be married at St. Luke's Church, North Fitzroy, on Saturday.

Personal.—Mr. W. S. Neelds who was confined to his bed for several days, on account of an attack of flu has recovered.

SILLY SKETCHES COMPETITION

CLOSES ON MONDAY

The Silly Sketches competition under the auspices of the Northcote Football Club will close on Monday (Monday next). The entry fee is 10s. Entries must be left at the club office and at other addresses shown in advertisement elsewhere in this issue. Mr. Her Cox is the organizer.

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Passing of Cr. Oldis

Northcote Council Adjourns as Mark of Respect

At the meeting of the Northcote City Council on Monday evening Cr. E. Johnson moved:

"That the council hereby record its profound regret at the lamentable passing of the late Councillor Oldis, and its deepest sympathy to his wife and daughter, his mother, brothers and sisters. The council further records the keenest appreciation and thankfulness of the citizens for the splendid and valuable services rendered by the late Councillor Oldis to the city, as a councillor, and in connection with the civic philanthropic work performed by him in connection with the civic philanthropic work, and especially in regard to the construction of a civic square. It is not dead but liveth." Cr. Oldis had a short illness, but that which he did was for the benefit of the city. One of the main points of his desire for the well-being of the city was to see it made a town of this type very unfortunately too rare in public life, and the council will do all that it can to afford to see such a man.

Cr. Green said that the greatest work of Cr. Oldis was done outside the public sphere, and away from the public eye. He had not combined his public and private life, but had done many kind actions, but did them, whole heartedly and without sparing himself and without any thought for the public. In a recent election he had conducted a vigorous campaign with vast intensity and in face of great opposition, and though comparatively unknown, he had won for himself a reputation and esteem. Many people of Northcote, particularly the poor people, had lost a good friend.

Cr. Stutch said that Cr. Oldis was a man whom they all admired, and a man who had left a mark on the city. Cr. Oldis was a man who had a model of all a councillor should be, and he would endeavour to follow in his footsteps. Cr. McLean said that he had known Cr. Oldis as a friend for many years. The city had lost a leader, one who did everything that was right, and he was one whom they could all look up to. Cr. Oldis was a man who had a model of all a councillor should be, and he would endeavour to follow in his footsteps.

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NORTHCOTE HIGH SCHOOL

The third term is very short, and always seems shorter because it is so crowded. Solid work is always the order. This week entries are being received for the inter-school examinations; the various houses are organizing try-outs for the sports; and the annual hospital "egg day" appeal is being held. There is always much to do, and in which form will contribute the greatest number of eggs, and if form usually seems to win—perhaps because it is the strongest numerically.

On Wednesday, October 18, the Parents' Committee will hold an entertainment to raise funds for the annual picnic, tendered to the senior boys. On Friday, October 20, comes our annual sports meeting at the Northcote Cricket Ground, commencing at 1 p.m. This is the great event of the year from the boys' point of view, and all parents, old boys and friends of the school are cordially invited to be present. It is hoped to see a very large attendance. The four houses seem to be well matched in athletics, and there should be some keen competition.

PIGEON HOMING Northcote Club 56 Birds—Bolker and Son's p.p.p. 8,317, 1,060,908 11; W. Nolly's p.p.p. 8,312, 1,047,208 2; E. Nancarrow's p.p.p. 8,316, 1,047,208 3.

Accident at Morning When a motor cycle which Ronald Morgan, aged 21, of Wandin road, Camberwell, was riding near Morning overtook on Saturday afternoon past 10.30, he was thrown heavily to the ground. He was taken to the St. Vincent's Hospital, where he was admitted suffering from a fractured pelvis.

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HALL MARK FOR CAULFIELD GUINEAS

V.A.T.C. Spring Carnival Prospects

LECTIONS FOR THE FULL PROGRAMME

(By "Luteplayer")

The A.J.C. having concluded its meeting, the spring racing carnival will be transferred to Caulfield to-morrow (Saturday). Important races to be decided on the opening day of the V.A.T.C. fixture are the Caulfield Guineas and Toorak Handicap. Two-year-olds are catered for in the Debutant Stakes, and candidates for Caulfield Cup will be tested in the Caulfield Stakes and Herbert Power Handicap. Good fields are engaged, and, given fine weather, racegoers are promised some excellent sport.

Caulfield Guineas

When final acceptances were declared on Tuesday 24 candidates remained in the Caulfield Guineas, of which several appear to have been overlooked, and it does not seem likely that the club will have to divide the race.

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Hall Mark will be opposed by several good colts, and perhaps the most dangerous of them will be Wheriko. This handsome son of Earl Tait has won twice in his last three starts, his successes being registered on this course. His other outing was at Flemington on Saturday, when he finished third in the Stand Handicap. That was a more creditable performance than it appears on paper. He was drawn wide out at the barrier in a big field and had to burn up a lot of speed in the early stages, but over the race he was hampered for getting into the straight, and he was not able to show his true speed.

Although there may be others preferred to him in the betting, it is suggested to select Count to for this place, because he is registered on an impressive third in the Quality Handicap at Flemington.

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A big field is likely to contest the Herbert Power Handicap, one mile and three furlongs, and the event reads open. Petru, however, won the Stand Handicap in Saturday's Derby, and he may repeat his success. Several runners in the Stand Handicap were hampered by the big field. Some got lost in the ruck early in the race, and he was not able to show his true speed in the first furlong to get clear of the scrum. Among the latter was Highway, but still he ran a good race and finished fourth, and he is on the money. This time he is in the money. If the Metropolitan winner, Regal son, runs he must be considered dangerous. Others with good prospects are Segati, Pretzel, Runch and Martinez. My final name for placings—
PETRU 1
HIGHWAY 2
REGAL SON 3
SEGATI 4

Oby Hurdle Race
The Oby Hurdle, two miles and 65 yards, may be won by Poialde, who should be all the better for his race at Flemington. Phoenix, a class hurdler and a winner in Sydney, may be confident of a place. This race is likely to finish—
POIALDE 1
PHOENIX 2
WAYBACK 3

Best Bets
The best bets at the meeting may be HUESTLE ON and HALL MARK.

A FENCING DISPUTE
At the Northcote court on Tuesday, before Mr. E. C. McLean, F.M., and Messrs. R. Johnson, P. G. Ryan, H. Evans, J. Hartnett and Mrs. A. A. Glanville, J.P., Mrs. Margaret McIntyre, owner of a property at 15 St. Albans street, Melbourne, sought an order for half the cost of the erection of a new fence against Mrs. Jessie McLeod, of Park street, Richmond, the owner of the adjoining vacant lot.

The matter resolved itself into a dispute as to whether the existing fence could be adequately repaired, or whether a new one was necessary. Mrs. McIntyre (represented by Mr. R. T. Cahill) said that in May or June last she wrote to Mrs. McLeod suggesting that a new fence be erected at the cost of 2/41 per foot. The present fence, she knew, had been standing for over 33 years, and was in her opinion past repair.

Mrs. McLeod said she was of opinion that the fence could be repaired, and she offered to pay for the cost of the fence could be repaired and would then be serviceable for at least five years.

After hearing further evidence as to the services of notice, etc., the bench inspected the fence in question and made an order for the erection of a new fence, half the cost to be borne by each party.

WESTGARTH STREET ACCIDENT
MOTORIST ON WRONG SIDE
Evidence of Witness Disregarded
As a sequel to an accident in Westgarth street, near Ross street, on August 24, Vernon Yates Mearns, of 42 Northcote street, was charged with driving a motor car on the wrong side of the road without justifiable cause. He pleaded not guilty.

THORNBURY WINS
In Division II Heidelberg vided Thornbury and after a good race were defeated 28-28. Scores—Thornbury, 28; Heidelberg, 28. Players: Duff, Culton, Burke, 22; David, Hesford, Bunce, Johnston, 21; Reynolds, Hill, Robertson, Eames, 25; J. Murray, 22; (Thornbury) Jackson, Thompson, Norman, 18; (Heidelberg) Pollock, Andrews, 15; Sutton, Davis, Plant, Catarinich, 15; Purnell, Bean, Maynard, Shaw, 16.

JOHN KIDD intimates that his well known PRODUCE & FUEL BUSINESS at HIGH STREET, CROXTON, N17 will hereafter be run as KIDD & YOUNG. The new firm respectfully solicits a fair share of public patronage. All orders promptly attended. Phone: JW3416.

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Furniture Carefully Removed and Stored, Town or Country. Two vans available. PICNIC PARTIES ATTENDED. Post cards and all orders promptly attended to.
28 McCracken Ave., Northcote (Near Northcote Station) Phone: JW3942.

ROVER'S BICYCLE DAMAGED
WOMAN MOTORIST FAILS TO STOP
At the Northcote court on Tuesday Catherine Jane Watkins, Joffre street, Reservoir, was charged that on August 25, being the driver of a motor cycle, she was driving on the wrong side of the road, and that the property was damaged. She failed to stop, and she gave her name and address.

ARTHUR MOUNT, drover, Gladstone avenue, Northcote, said:—About 4.30 p.m. on August 25 I left my bicycle against a post in High street, near Dennis street. I heard a crash and then saw that a motor car had run over my machine. The car did not stop but I took the number. On August 25 about 4.30 p.m. a Saxon bicycle had been damaged by the car. I later interviewed defendant, who admitted that her car had run over the bicycle. She said she had been connected with the car, but she thought it was the car's own fault. She did not stop.

Defendant said she did not know that her car had run over the bicycle. She said she was not close enough to the kerb to knock the vehicle over. A fine of £2 was imposed.

Auctions

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1933
At 3 o'clock on the property,
57 YOUNGMAN STREET, PRESTON
By Order of the Mortgagees,
LEWELLYN JONES, Auctioneers,
will submit

Modern W. B. Villa

Tiled roof, containing 6 rooms and
conveniences. Recently renovated
throughout, and in excellent order.
Street mains, Land 100 x 107 ft.
Handy to tram, train, shops, &c.
Immediate possession. Title, Cor-
titute.

Terms—Cash, or deposit of £100,
balance by quarterly instalments over
24 years. Interest at 6 per cent
per annum.

LEWELLYN JONES
Auctioneer, 216 High St., Preston,
JW1004, for further particulars

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18
At 3 o'clock on the property,
151 GILLIES STREET, FAIRFIELD
Auction Sale of

D. F. W.B. Villa

containing 4 rooms, bathroom, bath
heater, E.L., sewerage, 1 fire and gas
stoves, detached washhouse, made
street. Land 39 x 130. The property
is in perfect order and occupies a
splendid position 5 minutes from
station. Let to good tenant for 2 1/2
weekly. Title, Certificate. Terms at
sale.

F. W. STOTT & SON
203 High St., Northcote, Auctioneers.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18
At 3.30 o'clock, on the property,
17 LAWRY STREET, NORTHCOTE
Auction Sale of

Modern D. F. W.B. Villa

3 rooms, detached sleep-out, bath-
room, washhouse, E.L., gas, sewerage,
11 awnings, asphalt paths. Land 35
x 179. Good order, made street. One
minute High street. Title, Certificate.
Credit Finance terms. The property
must be sold as the owner is leaving
the district.

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DON'T READ THIS
and stop at that, but come along to
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Grand Euchre Party and Dance
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Good Floor, Cash Prizes, Good Music
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A Monster Carnival Night
Dancing 8 till 2. Sit-down Supper.
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CARD AFTERNOON
At "Pleasant View," Wood Street,
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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2 p.m.
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Mrs. L. W. WILLIAMS,
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Auction

Special Sale by Public Auction
Saturday, Oct. 21
at 1.30 p.m. sharp,
WHITTLESEA SALEYARDS

I WILL offer at the above place and
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Entries of any number of above
are wanted, and I will be pleased if
all sellers will notify me what they in-
tend offering for sale so that I may
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Good buyers will be in attendance.
Buyers are available for all classes
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Horses, Calves, Poultry and other en-
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NORTHCOTE ELECT ASSEMBLY
In conjunction with the Northcote Club
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WILL HOLD A -

GRAND PREMIERSHIP BALL
MONDAY, OCTOBER 16
8 p.m. till 2 a.m.
In the

NORTHCOTE TOWN HALL
SIT-DOWN SUPPER
(A. Olorenshaw, Caterer)

F. STOW'S ARCADIA ORCHESTRA
Tickets and Supper 5/-
P. W. TOMKINS,
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DANCE AND CARD PARTY
A DANCE AND CARD PARTY will
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on TUESDAY, 17th OCTOBER, 1933,
at 8 p.m. in aid of Local Charities.
The function will be conducted en-
tirely by the Preston ladies working
in the interests of local charities.
Single tickets 2/- each
Miss Greenwood's Ladies' Orchestra
Mrs. L. W. WILLIAMS, Hon. Sec.,
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Preston Public Assistance Committee

Under the auspices of His Worship
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Patrons must be seated by 7.55 p.m.
JOHN QUINN, Organiser

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A BABY SHOW
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MONSTER BABY SHOW
UNDER the auspices of the Mayor
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NESDAY, 11th NOVEMBER, at 2 p.m. Experi-
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for each section. Entrance fee 1/-
(inc. guardian's admission). Adults
6d. Refreshments provided. Entries
and fees to be forwarded to Secretary,
Mrs. McGregor, 24 Eralv Ave., Pre-
ston, N.18, on or before closing date,
8th November. Mrs. McGregor will
be in attendance at Preston Town
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2.30 to 4 p.m. to interview all inter-
ested mothers.

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Wanted to Buy

BOTTLES, Bones, Rags, Zinc, Lead,
Brass and Copper. Highest price
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48 Emmaline St., Northcote, or two
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Activities at Preston

By The Roundabout

Have You Heard?

That the Preston municipal water cart made an acceptable appearance on Wednesday, and the sprinkling operations proved acceptable to shopkeepers, whose goods were receiving a good share of the water.

That a Preston lady charity worker says she would like to see spinning busy days return.

That the spinning jenny was years ago always a necessary concern at charity functions.

That West Preston State School topped the list on Egg Day with the fine contribution of 1850 eggs.

That the recently built Green Lane library in Gilbert road has proved a success.

That 150 members have been enrolled, and the cry is "still they come!"

That a full-grown Albatross guards the tennis courts at the Preston Girls' High School, and barks loudly at all and sundry who visit the institution.

That one Preston family was well represented at the bicycle race to Ellerslie Park last Sunday.

That mother was there, father was there, the twins were there, and the baby was there.

That Les Beecher, of Northcote, was also one of the hikers.

That an unsightly, dilapidated notice board dedicated to the entrance gate to the Preston Town Hall and detracts greatly from the general imposing appearance of the building.

That thoughtless people throw papers, fruit parings and other litter into the well-kept flower beds surrounding the town hall.

That two new justices of the peace have been added to the Preston list.

Prize-winners at Bazaar

FOLLOWING are the prize-winners of the competitions held at the recent Preston Mothers' Wives' and Sisters' League bazaar:

Prize: Mrs. S. Larnen, 1; Miss Dawson, 2; Mr. A. Smith, special, Worked Handkerchiefs; Miss Hazel Peara, Crochet; D'Oyley; Mrs. Bidstrup (Kilmore); Dressed Doll; Mrs. Buckling, 1; Mrs. Lily, 2; Small Cake; Mrs. J. Cochrane, Secones; Mrs. Triggs, Plain Sponge; Miss Hornaby, Decorated Doll; Mrs. Harris, Eggs; Mrs. Cathrina, Jelly; Mrs. Collins, Marmalade; Mrs. Donath, Marmalade; Mrs. Chown, Pickles; Mrs. Kohy.

Car Breaks Window

WHEN a car driven by Mr. H. T. Downward, of Preston, struck a verandah post at the corner of Bridge road and Church street, Richmond, on Sunday afternoon the post was pushed into a shop window, and the verandah fell on top of the car. Three children were slightly injured by flying glass.

Preston A.M.N.I.

THE quarterly meeting was held in the supper room at Preston Town Hall, on Monday. There was a good attendance of members and friends. The mayor was the speaker. Cr. and Mrs. Zwar received a hearty welcome. An excellent musical programme was rendered. A dainty afternoon tea was then served. Mr. Zwar gave a friendly talk in regard to his personal doings in Parliament. This proved one of the most informative and interesting addresses the League members have had for a considerable time and confidence in Mr. Zwar as a man of high principle, out for the benefit of all instead of a section was expressed by Mrs. Turner and Mrs. Hedson in moving a vote of thanks, which closed a pleasant afternoon. All members are asked to watch for important announcements in the paper for next month's meeting.

Preston Junior Audling Club

ON October 14 the meeting of the above was held in the club room at Murray road. It was decided to conduct an outing to Darrawood Gully. Of several fish weighed in one was a fine trout, caught by D. Poole, who won the trophy presented by Mr. Stone. On the return journey a community singing was conducted by Mr. Downie and the trip was most enjoyable.

Reservoir Mothers' Club

DURING the week-end a sweet hot cocoa was served to approximately 14,900 children during lunch hour. It is a big undertaking on the part of the club, as of the vast number of children attending the school, parents are unemployed, with the result that the deficiency for the three months was £4378. Thanks are extended to the following for their valuable services in serving the cocoa: Mrs. Medeanes Williams, Turpin, Hambling, Austin, Zosky, Stack, Shanahan, Pryor, Mitchell, Batty, Cenoria, Dean, Ryker, Woodwood, Allen, Allison and Pagan.

Construction of Collins Street

AT 7.30 p.m. on Monday a special meeting of the Preston council was held to deal with objections (if any) to the proposed construction of Collins street between Gilbert road and Jesse street. There were no objectors present, and the plans were adopted. Later a number of property owners attended, but if they did have any objections it was then too late for them to be heard. Elsewhere in this issue appears an advertisement calling for tenders for the work.

Municipal Employees at Cricket

LAST Saturday afternoon cricket match was commenced between the boys at the Repatriation Hospital at Hundoora and the Preston municipal team. The latter was ably captained by Mr. Ben Johnson (the town clerk). His men went in first, the top scorers being the town clerk, Hargreaves and Foster. Nine wickets fell for 71 runs. Afternoon tea was dispensed amid pleasant surroundings. The match will be continued on Saturday next. The boys at Hundoora greatly enjoy these outings, and members of the cricket club having a vacant day are invited to get in touch with the hospital folk, with a view of arranging a match.

Lodge at Preston Cemetery

THE contractors Messrs. Bolding and Son, have commenced the erection of the lodge at the Preston Cemetery.

Reconstructing Murray Road

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Annual Athletic Sports

IN Park the annual athletic sports in connection with the Preston district schools, will take place. A very fine programme has been arranged, including the high jump, running, hop, scotch jump, flag race, bucket ball, marching, &c.

False Alarm

ON October 11 there was a false fire call to the corner of High and Gilbert streets, and again to Tyler street on the following day.

West Preston State School

THE bazaar in aid of the above will be opened at 3 p.m. on Friday and will be continued in the evening and on Saturday afternoon and evening. There will be flower, produce, sweets, drapery and refreshment stalls. An additional source of attraction will be a baby show, for which a large number of entries have come to hand.

St. John Ambulance Brigade

DR. Lear conducted the sixth and final lecture to the home nursing class (nurses) on surgical dressings, dressings and asepsis, antiseptics, operations after care, dressing a wound, sick children, common ailments, convalescence, practical work, general revision, practice nights will be held on each Monday until examination. The brigade wishes to record thanks to Dr. Lear for the clear and concise manner in which he explained the above subjects. There will be no practice next Monday as the brigade is holding its annual social and dance in the Orient Hall. Members are to take notice that the re-examinations will be held in November. The brigade is making an appeal for a single bed with mattress, to be used in practice work. Members do a great deal in the interests of the public and are ready to render assistance in any way, &c. when occasion arises, and if any reader of "The Leader" has a spare single bed it would be a kindly act to pass it on to the local ambulance brigade.

Power Lawn Mower

PROVISION is to be made on the estimates of the Preston council for the coming year for the purchase of a power lawn mower and additional hoses.

EGG DAY APPEAL

THE result of Egg Day in Preston last week was a credit in the first place to the chook who lay down on the occasion and arose with a "click-cluck," denoting the leaving of an egg in the nest; in the second place, to the owners of the said chook, who gave so willingly to the appeal; and in the third place to the children who carried the eggs along to the different schools, churches and religious places. The number received this year is in excess of the previous year. Following are figures of interest in connection with the appeal:

1st Cross, 70; Miss Patterson, 60; Mrs. Rowland, 50; Mrs. G. School, 1965; Mrs. Lettich, Spencer street, 24; Mrs. Krellger, Walton avenue, 120; Hutham Street State School, 200; East Preston State School, 645; The Infant School, 846; Methodist Church, High street, 209; West Preston State School, 1850; Sacred Heart School, 490; Girls' High School, 615; The Anglican Church, 110; Mr. Duncan, Regent street, 250; Regent Baptist Church, 76; St. Preston Troop Boy Scouts, 72; South street State School, 730; Regent Central Program Association, 77; total, 8206.

RESULTS IN NORTHCOTE

The following is the result of Egg Day appeal in Northcote for the Melbourne Hospital—Westgarth School, 1228; Helen Street School, 912; High School, 1,320; Westleigh College, 722; St. Joseph's School, 492; Strickland Street School, 240; left at town hall, 2,304; total, 7,218.

The eggs received by schools not included in the above were this year donated to the Queen Victoria Hospital.

Band News

RECENT CONTEST AT PRESTON

At a meeting of the Victorian Junior Bands Association on Monday night the Silver Star Band (Northcote) defeated the other bands in the two trials won by the band at a hymn contest in the Preston Town Hall on September 20.

A protest was lodged against the Silver Star Band on the ground that it was represented in the contest by persons who were not regular playing members of the band. After having heard evidence the executive gave the Silver Star delegates an opportunity to withdraw their claims to the trophies. The executive decided to hold another contest for the two cups within three months on a date to be fixed.

PIESTON BOYS' BAND

The band fulfilled an engagement at the Star Theatre on Thursday evening. The band consisted of 12 members: Patricia, Eileen, Keenan (Preston). Boys under 12 months: Matthew Roy Leaby (South Melbourne), Girls, 1 to 2 years: Patricia, Eileen, Keenan (Preston), 2 years: Leo Boris Schennell (Coburg), Girls, 2 to 3 years: Bernadette Gibson (Coburg), Boys, 3 to 4 years: Geoffrey Thomas Cole (Preston), Girls, 3 to 4 years: Patricia, Mary Youde (Preston), Boys, 3 to 4 years: Rodney Smith (Regent), Twins: Doris and Albert Andrews (High Street), and Kevin Egan (West Preston). Speaking of the babies Nurse Hooper said they were a very nice, healthy lot; the older children, too, were well and healthy. There was not a delicate one in the lot.

GIRKEN & GOLD FAIR CLOSERS TO-NIGHT

To-night is the last night of the Green and Gold Fair, which opened yesterday at the Northcote Congregational Church. The official opening was performed last night by Mrs. S. Dennis, J.P. A full report will appear next week.

ST. GABRIEL'S BABY SHOW

On October 14, under the auspices of the Reservoir branch of the Catholic Women's Social Guild, a successful baby show was held in the school hall, Spring street. Over 100 babies were judged and valuable trophies were awarded. The organisers (Mrs. J. Lithgow and Mrs. J. M. Collins) were fortunate in having the services of the Rev. Fr. Brennan, local priest, as Matron Hooper, Sister Hooper and Sister Strongman, of Lilliville Hospital, Darabin road, Northcote; Sister Holland and Miss Scott, Baby Health Centre, Preston; and Sisters Voss and O'Dwyer, of St. Margaret's Hospital, Regent street. The popularity of the decisions spoke volumes for the efficient work carried out, and the organisers wish to take this opportunity of expressing their thanks and appreciation to the sisters mentioned for their valuable services.

The winners were: Girls under 12 months: Patricia, Eileen, Keenan (Preston). Boys under 12 months: Matthew Roy Leaby (South Melbourne), Girls, 1 to 2 years: Patricia, Eileen, Keenan (Preston), 2 years: Leo Boris Schennell (Coburg), Girls, 2 to 3 years: Bernadette Gibson (Coburg), Boys, 3 to 4 years: Geoffrey Thomas Cole (Preston), Girls, 3 to 4 years: Patricia, Mary Youde (Preston), Boys, 3 to 4 years: Rodney Smith (Regent), Twins: Doris and Albert Andrews (High Street), and Kevin Egan (West Preston). Speaking of the babies Nurse Hooper said they were a very nice, healthy lot; the older children, too, were well and healthy. There was not a delicate one in the lot.

Another Baby Show

PRESTON branch of the Infant and Child Welfare League is holding a baby show, which is due to take place on Wednesday, November 8, in the local town hall. Valuable trophies are offered in connection with the venture. Quite a large number of babies are coming to hand and the success of the function is practically assured. Mrs. McGregor is in the forefront with her well-known organising ability, and is fortunate in having the assistance of Mrs. Harry Parsons in making complete arrangements for the function, full particulars of which appear in the advertising columns of "The Leader."

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THE ART TITLE CONTEST

The result of the Art Title Contest will be announced at the Green and Gold Fair at approximately 9.15 this evening. An added attraction will be the drawing of tickets for a moonlight river trip, which will be arranged in addition to other valuable prizes at the various side shows. The fair will be open this afternoon. Admission is free at all sessions.

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CHURCHES

Preston Methodist Churches

The Quarterly Meeting of the Preston Circuit was held in the new church at East Preston on October 11, when the superintendent of the circuit (Rev. F. Bromer) presided. The attendance was 120. Various points and differences were discussed and it was felt that things were slowly improving and if everyone pulled together the amount required could be raised without any further increase in the circuit overdraft. Several suggestions were made for special efforts to raise funds for the purchase of a new organ. Mr. Bromer presented the quarterly statement showing income £165/17/11 and expenditure £180/5/11—a deficit of £14/8/7, thereby increasing the deficit to £120. This deficit included a donation of £7 to the East Preston Trust. Special services for the quarter are—Sunday school anniversary at West Preston on November 12 and 19. Church anniversary at East Preston on November 19. Hospital Sunday on October 29. Subscriptions for Cheltenham Home on Christmas Sunday and for Social Service Department on January 14. Mr. Pearce, Sunday school visitor, and Rev. G. D. Brimacombe gave their annual reports of the Sunday schools and Young People's Societies. Marks for the shield competition are—Thornbury: 52; Reservoir: 45; West Preston: 47; East Preston: 45; and Preston 44. Mr. Blakemore, superintendent at Thomastown, reported having completed a very successful anniversary. Reports concerning the mission show that the amount received for Home Mission is expected to be larger than last year's total and is just commencing. Rev. Bromer reported regarding the recent Evangelistic Advance Campaign. An increased spiritual warmth was apparent throughout the various churches. Discussion took place on question of August being suitable for the Mission. It was decided to commence, during Prayer Meeting, the articles were appointed as representatives to Synod in the morning and at evening on Nov. 11. Justice, of Clifton Hill, preached

On Sunday next the vicar will preach all services.

The chief social event of the coming week is the Prospectilla Fair, which will be opened on Thursday, October 26, at 7.30 p.m. by the Mayor of Northcote (Mr. Jones). On the following evening the Hon. H. H. O'Byrne will open the function. The two final sessions, Saturday afternoon and evening, will be opened by Mrs. A. Dennis, J.P., and Mr. Herbert Curtis, Mayor of Northcote. Elaborate arrangements have been made to ensure the success of this function. Admission is free and many novelties will be offered. The Holy Trinity parish hall will be used for the event.

James Street Presbyterian Church

The bible study circle meetings held during the week were well attended. Addresses were given by Rev. C. G. Coburg; J. MacKenzie, East St. Kilda, and F. Patton, Deedean.

On October 12, at a well-attended meeting of the ladies' guild, Mrs. Watson, secretary, who has just returned from a holiday trip, gave an interesting address on impressions of the Great Australian Desert, and showed beautiful specimens of Australian flora. Solos by Mrs. F. Capp were appreciated.

Church of the Epiphany, Northcote

On Sunday morning the celebrant and preacher was Rev. S. L. Buckley, M.A., headmaster of the Ivanhoe Grammar School. In the evening the preacher was Rev. E. L. Herdell, of Missions in Seaton, Port Melbourne.

On October 11, a successful concert was arranged by Mr. Eltham in the parish hall. The artists were Misses Eileen Francis, K. Hoeking, T. Russell, and Edna Addison, and Messrs Keith Riches, W. Davies and A. Brudenell, and the Vaillat Duo. Miss Emille Davies accompanied. A gift afternoon sponsored by the Work stall was held on October 12 when the programme was arranged by Miss Edith Johnson. Solos were rendered by Mrs. Munro, and Misses Johnson, Booth and Mavis Kruger, and recitations by Miss Hazelina and Master Marconi Clark.

High Street Methodist

Rev. W. T. Hatt preached on Sunday morning. In the evening Rev. F. J. Jennings made special reference to the late Councillor A. E. Oldis, J.P., and his services to the city.

Mrs. M. C. Jones (Mayores) at the open Spring Fair in the school hall, this evening at 8 p.m. The fair proceeds go to church funds.

Presbyterian Church, Thornbury

On October 12 a well-attended entertainment arranged by Mrs. Collins (Rev. W. H. Chamberlain) officiated in the morning and at evening on Nov. 11. Justice, of Clifton Hill, preached

will take place on Sunday, November 19 and 20. The singing of the children under the able guidance of Mr. C. F. Butler will provide a musical treat. The Sunday School picnic this year is to be held at Watte Park, on November 7.

To assist the cricket club funds the Victorian Law Clerks' Dramatic Society will present an entertainment "The Inheritance," at the school hall, Wednesday, November 1.

Christmas Services

The golden text is from Revelation 14: 13, "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth: they shall not suffer pain, neither shall they weep, neither shall they be hungry, neither shall they be thirsty, neither shall the sun be hot upon them, neither shall the dryness be upon them." Among the citations which comprise the lesson-verse is the following passage from the Bible: "If in this life only we have hope, our hope is vain; but now if we have the life to come, we shall not be disappointed." (1st Corinthians, 15: 19, 20, 21, 22). The lesson-verse also includes the following passage from the Christian Science Textbook, "Science and Health with the Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "The Bible calls death an enemy, and Jesus overcame death and the grave instead of yielding to them. He was 'the way.' To him, therefore, death was not the threshold over which he must pass into living glory."

Northcote Congregational Church

A large attendance is anticipated at this afternoon and evening for the final day of the Green and Gold Fair. At approximately 9.15 this evening, the result of the popular Art Title Contest is to be announced. Admission to the fair is free and an effort for all who attend the afternoon and evening sessions. More than £4 will be handed to the men's stall as a result of a house party held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Greer, on Saturday evening last. An enjoyable evening of cards, games, and general good fun was appreciated by all.

The Rev. Duncan E. Reeves will preach at both services on Sunday. He will take as his subject at the morning service "The Wonder and Bloom of the Wild," and for the evening service "Counting the Cost." Visitors will receive a warm welcome and sympathetic reference was made on Sunday last to the passing early last week of Mr. E. Brown. The Sunday School Anniversary

Suggested Free Railway Passes

The attempt by Heidelberg Council to convene a conference of representatives of the outer suburbs to induce the State Government to issue free railway passes in the Centenary year to the outer suburbs is almost certain to be rejected. The Railway Commissioners stated on Monday that the application would be refused if it were referred to them.

The scheme has been devised by the council to encourage building, and is similar in many respects to a plan which was in operation between 1902 and 1910, and which had an adverse effect on railway revenue. The benefits derived then, the Commissioners stated, were slight, and were not likely to be improved at present.

During the seven years when the scheme was in force 18,086 free passes were granted to property-owners of unimproved houses outside a six-mile radius from the city.

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THIS CHARGE FOR BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES IN MEMORIAM ANNOUNCEMENTS IS 2/6. Poetry or quotations, 6d. per line extra.

BIRTH
BRADTKE (nee Vera Rickards).—On the 14th October, 1933, at Allrite Private Hospital, Ivanhoe, to Mr. and Mrs. H. Eric Bradtke, 20nd Avenue, Waterley, Ivanhoe—a son (Kingsley).

THANKS
 Mrs. F. LANNAN desires to THANK the manager and employees of the Glen Iris Brick Company for the assistance given to her, which she most gratefully appreciated.
 Diamond St., Preston.

IN MEMORIAM
 "OUBT.—In loving memory of our darling mother, who passed away on 15th October, 1931; also our darling brother, who died 16th September, 1925, and our darling sister, Daisy, 17th November, 1924. Our loved ones reunited.
 Not all the years that ever were,
 Or all the years to be,
 Could give me time enough to tell
 How dear you were to me,
 —Inserted by her loving husband and family.

IN MEMORIAM
 "OUBT.—A tribute of everlasting love to the memory of our darling mother, who died 15th October, 1931; also our devoted sister and brother, who died 15th September, 1925; also our dear son in heart for they all share in God.
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The Week's Social Gossip

Card Party.—At "Pleasant View" on Wednesday afternoon, a most successful card afternoon was given by Matron Wilson, resulting in a cheque for £8/10 being handed to the mayonnaise. Mrs. H. P. Zwar, for the Preston Mayors' Guild. The beautiful gardens were a picture in themselves and were greatly admired by the many ladies present. Various gifts were bestowed during the afternoon: silk stockings, Miss Zwar; cake, Mrs. F. Thomas; 10/- note, Mr. Trimble; and the lovely little was won by Mesdames Broadhurst, Murray, F. Thomas and Ash-ly. Among those present were Mesdames L. Jones, Allyn, Dunn, Tann C. H. Mait, Broadhurst, Shaw, E. G. Green, Moylan, Hinchey, Lang, Barclay, Campbell, L. W. Williams, Franklyn, Bennetts, Landeridge, Hayman, Howe, Miller, Aborn, Hugh, K. Henderson, Mrs. H. Rogers (Colony), Henderson, Inglis, Adams, Gallagher, H. M. McIntyre, Evans, Fleming, H. M. Mieses Zwar and Grenfell; Shier Burnett and members of the staff.

Presentation.—At the meeting of the Preston Mayors' Guild on Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. A. E. Tunes presented Mrs. K. Henderson, A. and L. W. Williams, Fraser and Grey in recognition of their services during their term as mayors.

Debutantes.—Entertained.—Mr and Mrs T. Addy and their daughter, Ethel, entertained Preston St. Vincent debutantes at a party on Saturday evening. Their home is at Cameron street, Preston was an fête for the occasion and deb and partners danced until the early hour. Among those present were: Mrs. M. Collier, Mrs. K. Henderson, A. and L. W. Williams, Fraser and Grey, H. M. McIntyre, E. Hartlett, H. Hill, K. Nichols, W. Jovett, M. McGregor, Messrs K. Gorrie, T. Fleming, H. Webster, C. Thorne, D. Bell, P. G. Austin and R. Morton.

Second Annual Golf Club Ball.—The above function under the auspices of the Reservoir Golf Club was held in the Preston town hall, on Thursday evening, October 12. Great preparations had been made for the entertainment of the guests, and the success of the evening was due to the excellent and popular, especially among the younger generation. The guests included many visitors from the suburbs, and the music and strains of an excellent orchestra included modern and old-time events which were capably handled by the M. C. M. G. Foyles.

At the supper table the president of the club, Mr. Hugh Marsland, welcomed the guests and spoke of the popularity and the ever increasing membership enjoyed by the club. He introduced the mayor, Mr. H. P. Zwar, who eulogized the value of such broad-minded sporting bodies in our midst. Good, clean, healthy outdoor sport like golf was an excellent concrete and positive and had a broadening effect on the outlook of the community.

Catering arrangements were attended to by Mrs. Olorenshaw, of Noticeworthy Hall, Thornbury, and the usual profusion of good things was noticeable. The table decorations were carried out with Iceland poppies and fernery.

Branching concluded at 2 a.m. and the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" ended a successful and happy function.

Surprise Party.—On Monday evening last a large gathering of old friends tendered a surprise party to Mrs. F. Ockleshaw, of 34 Collins street, Thornbury, to celebrate her birthday. During the course of the evening the members of the family presented Mrs. Ockleshaw with a beautiful tea-set.

Mothers' and Wives' League Bazaar.—Approximately £200 was made at the recent Preston Mothers' and Wives' League bazaar, which was held at the Preston Town Hall. Great credit is due to the lady workers who made this bazaar such an outstanding success.

GOVERNOR LA TROBE'S DAUGHTER

An interesting letter has been received by Mrs. Hansford-Emery, the daughter of Arthur La Trobe, from Miss Elizabeth La Trobe, daughter of the first Governor of Victoria. Mrs. Hansford-Emery's father, Mr. Joseph Bloomfield, was an inspector of police in the very early days of this State, and came in contact with Governor La Trobe on numerous public occasions. In the opening of the old wooden bridge which at one time did duty at Prince's Bridge, Mrs. Hansford-Emery was anxious to learn certain particulars connected with the early days of the colony, and she wrote a letter to La Trobe, who made the following courteous reply:—

"45 Blackwater road, Eastbourne, Sussex, England.—Dear Madame, I am much interested in your kind letter received and all you tell me about the old wooden bridge which replaced the first Prince's Bridge, and of the fact that you are only my father, but I am only sorry I am not able to supply you with any information about that time. I was not quite 11 years of age when you first took the bridge to pieces, and I do not know all my father's friends and business connections at that early age. I have a hazy recollection of the opening of the old wooden bridge which it replaced. I was very interested to hear that you were going to be married, and I am proud of being connected with the early history of Victoria and only wish I could be present at the Centenary celebrations next year, but in my 72nd year and not now in good health it is impossible. I hope I am spared, to hear all about it. With renewed thanks for your letter and regrets that I cannot give the information you ask for, I am yours sincerely, Elizabeth S. La Trobe."

Social Evening.—To assist the Preston Red Cross a social evening was given by South Preston Mothers' Club on Wednesday (October 11) at Menhennitt's Hall, Euclyre and dancing and gum tips. Messrs A. and L. W. Williams, Fraser and Grey in recognition of their services during their term as mayors.

The Rev. Gordon Tymms, of the Church of the Epiphany, Northcote, is now much better, after having had a severe attack of laryngitis.

Clifford did not like the necklace. Having screwed himself up to offer his tremendous self and income to a girl he considered financially inferior, he charmed her in a mood of winning his bargain artificially—a last overhaul, as it were, to save himself from what might prove a grave mistake. And that pearl necklace seemed a clue to a hidden extravagance in her nature.

It made him see Jane as a spendthrift—a flashy hussy who would fling his money away on gawking and glances at the necklet, and being also because of the moment over-optimistic, took offence easily. She began to twit him with the thing. Did Clifford admire it? Didn't he think it was a last overhaul, as it were, to save himself from what might prove a grave mistake. And that pearl necklace seemed a clue to a hidden extravagance in her nature.

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Pearls of Great Price

Perhaps Jane wasn't without a certain bloom in her heart either. That, maybe, was why she tried to tempt Dick on his dullness, and to brighten him up, told him he could celebrate the occasion by buying her a furwig.

"There's nothing here but muck!" he growled over Harry Poolo's stall, "let's and a decent shop."

"No!" cried Jane, who did not intend to take expensive presents from Dick. "I don't want to wear a furwig. And that's spoll the fun of the thing. And some of these pearl necklaces are quite pretty."

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NORTHCOTE COURT

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17
 Before Mr. J. C. McLean, P.M., and Messrs. B. E. Johnson, H. Evans, P. Curran, J. Hartnett, and Mrs. A. A. Gifford, J.P.
 Debt.
 Elizabeth Ann Keneally, Mansfield street, Thornbury, v. Charles Peterson, Mansfield street, Thornbury, a claim for £7/5. Checks of money paid.
 Order for amount, with £1/10/6 costs.

Income Tax Prosecution
 John Donald, clerk, Stafford street, Northcote, was charged with having failed to furnish an income tax return for the year ended June 1931.
 D. G. Collins, an officer of the Income Tax Department, who the return was not received until the current year after departmental action.
 Defendant said that owing to his neglect the return was not forwarded in time.
 A fine of £5 was imposed.

Railways Cases
 Robert Allan, Milton street, Footscray, charged with having on September 16 travelled between Ivanhoe and Fairfield Park without a ticket, was fined with 7/6 costs.
 Ruby Daphne Barton, Jurt street, Northcote, who on September 8 travelled on an expired periodical ticket, between Prince's Bridge and Northcote, was fined with 7/6 costs.
 Roy Hawke, Henry street, Reservoir, and Reginald John Hallett street, Reservoir, charged with having on August 19, between Reservoir and Merril, travelled first class on a second-class ticket.
 Special Checker C. A. Smith said: "These defendants left a first-class compartment at Thornbury about 6.50 p.m. and got into a second-class compartment, later checked the 10 class tickets, and found they each held second-class tickets. When I questioned them each said they had changed to a second-class ticket at Bell."
 A Commissioner of the Supreme Court for taking affidavits, J. J. O'Connell, private, JW2070, Ivanhoe 269.

Special Checker Stores gave similar evidence.
 No defence was offered by either of the defendants, who were each fined £1, with 7/6 costs.

Allen Dawson, Westgirth street, Northcote, brought a claim against his husband, Benjamin Dawson, Nicholas street, Northcote, for £26 holoen street, Northcote, in respect to a child. The order was made in 1931 for 5/- per week.
 An order was made that defendant be imprisoned until the arrears be paid.

Archibald Owen, charged with having on September 21 ridden an unlighted bicycle in the city of Melbourne, was fined £1, with 7/6 costs.

William Hodgkinson as agent for the above, obtained an order for the return of a stolen order by Mr. F. W. Marsland, A.I.C.A., Northcote.

Lillian Mabel Coghlin brought an action for maintenance for herself and £15 arrears for a child. The existing order had been altered by appeal to higher courts, and eventually the defendant was ordered by the court to £23/15/- for the wife and £7/2/6 for the child. Coghlin said she was only working 40 hours a week and was unable to support herself and child. She had been married for 18 years, and had a child. She was only working 40 hours a week and was unable to support herself and child. She had been married for 18 years, and had a child.

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THE EPPING ROAD CROSSING FATALITY
Indignation Meeting at Reservoir

ATTENDANCE OF ABOUT 600

RESERVOIR'S LARGEST MEETING

Probably the largest attendance ever seen at a public meeting at Reservoir gathered at the Presbyterian Hall on Tuesday evening when an indignation meeting was held to protest against the inactivity of the Railway Commissioners in regard to the dangerous level crossing at Epping road. This crossing has been the scene of several fatal accidents, and even now the Railways Department will not admit that it is dangerous.

The hall was filled to overflowing, some 400 gaining admittance, whilst a large number, estimated at 200, listened outside. The meeting was arranged by the Reservoir Progress Association, and the president (Mr. Robertson) indicated that with such splendid public support this question would not be allowed to drop until interlocking gates were installed.

Apologies were received from the Mayor (Cr. H. P. Zwar, M.L.A.), Cr. E. F. Norris, and the town clerk (Mr. Ben Johnson). Among those present were Crs. H. Swain (chairman), L. Jones, G. H. Mott, A. G. Davis, H. Jupp, and a very representative gathering of Reservoir business men and residents.

Cr. Swain said the matter of having the Epping road crossing made safe was one of very vital importance to the district. The crossing as it stood was a potential danger to all who used the road, and in the past few years there had been several fatalities there. The Preston Council was moving and if its efforts did not achieve the desired result the mayor would air the question on the floor of the House. (Applause.)

Over the past few years, since 1930, the council had been exchanging correspondence with the Railways authorities, drawing attention to the menace of the crossing. The Railways Department had on more than one occasion endeavored to shift the responsibility to other bodies—the Country Roads Board and the council. The Railways Department's replies had all shelved the matter on the grounds of expediency or for lack of money. (Applause.) An estimate for the work of making the crossing safe was £1400, and the department held back on account of the paltry sum which would be received. The object of the meeting was to bring the views of the residents forcibly before the Railways authorities so that something definite might be achieved. (Applause.)

Vote of Condolence
All present stood and a vote of condolence was passed. Mrs. E. Fullerton and her two sons on the death of Dr. Fullerton, who lost his life in the recent accident at the crossing. Two fatal accidents in two years. Mr. E. C. Telle said that in all the correspondence with the Railways Department, the attitude of the department seemed to be that money was more important than human life. There had been two fatal accidents at the crossing in the past two years. He moved—

That this meeting of citizens of Reservoir views with indignation and dismay the loss of human life caused by the dangerous nature of the railway crossing at Reservoir, and is of the unanimous opinion that steps should be taken by the Railways authorities to remove what is at present a potential death trap to all motorists, drivers of vehicles and pedestrians whose business compels them to use the crossing in the locality; and further, that this meeting requests the Railways Commissioners to close the existing Epping road crossing, and that a crossing be made from Broadway to Edwards street running east and west, with interlocking gates controlled from the station; and that the Government be requested to assist in the work by providing money from unemployed relief funds.

Mr. E. Bradford seconded the motion. The Reservoir Progress Association for years had urged the Railways Department to make the crossing safer, and their requests had been rebuffed since the line had been electrified to Thomastown. The Railways Department and the C.R.I. had each tried to lay the responsibility for the work on each other. Whilst the Director was directing views between these public bodies nothing was done. The Railways slogan was "Safety First," but apparently the Commissioners did not apply that to the travelling public in this case. The Railways Department would not admit that the crossing was not safe. A motorist approaching Reservoir station from Thomastown could not at once watch the station, the crossing, and the four roads leading to the crossing.

Cr. L. Jones said the large attendance showed that the Reservoir people thought a little more of humanity than the Railway Commission did. (Applause.) The council had been moving for years, but so far had achieved little. But something would come of this agitation. At night it was impossible to distinguish a train approaching on account of the street lights. The C.R.I. had nothing to do with the crossing. The road had been laid down many years before the railways came into existence, and the crossing was therefore on the Railways to make the crossing safe. The question was purely one of money. The Chief Commissioner had said that if the council would spend £100 on the alteration of cattle pits, and suggested that the work be done with unemployed relief money. Three years ago the council had suggested that if gates were not put up a "wig-wag" or a large bell and semaphore be used to warn traffic, but nothing was done.

Cr. Mott said that in the correspondence with the council over a period of years the Railways Commissioners had sent to the council on three different dates letters which were absolutely identical. The department's attitude seemed to be that if someone else paid the work as desired by the council would be done. The Railways were losing money, and the deaths were made good by the taxpayers. So then when the people wanted something done—a bridge or a crossing—they should get it. The matter should not be allowed to rest on one indignation meeting, but should be kept alive until success was achieved.

Cr. H. Jupp said if the crossing was removed to the suggested site opposite the bridge the gates when opened could easily be controlled from the station. Wig-wags, warning bells, &c., were no good. Interlocking gates were required and gates they would have. (Applause.)

Mr. D. Bosley (Secretary, Reservoir Progress Association) said after the fatality steps were taken immediately to arrange an indignation meeting. The meeting was being cleared for signature, and the Progress Association would not let the matter drop until the gates were installed. (Applause.)

Mr. G. Garraty (St. Gabriel's Church and school) said the largest percentage of the school children had to cross the line at Reservoir, a danger which would be eliminated if gates were installed. Wig-wags would be no good. The children would be killed whilst gazing at them to see how they worked.

Mr. W. Bremer said that Epping road would still be an arterial road after the present generation was dead and gone. If traffic were diverted to McCartney street a subway could be put in very cheaply.

Mr. Hayes said that if Broadway were brought to Edwards street by means of a right angle crossing it would be more of a menace to pedestrians being held up than it should be. The motion was carried.

Mr. E. Dewar said that more than a mere protest was needed. Fresh ground should be broken instead of changing up the "same old soap." He moved—

CORONER'S COMMENTS

Driver Should Have Seen Danger

At the inquest held on Tuesday before the city coroner (Mr. D. Grant, F.M.), a verdict of accidental death was returned when the circumstances surrounding the accident in which Dr. Robert John Fullerton, 65 years, of Edwards street, Reservoir, lost his life, were investigated. Dr. Fullerton was killed in a level crossing accident when his motor car was struck by an electric train on the night of October 17.

The Epping road railway crossing at Reservoir may be dangerous in the case of a motor car travelling in the same direction as the train, but in this instance Dr. Fullerton was travelling toward the train and was in a position to see the danger had he been looking.

Alfred George Wilson, electric train driver, Crews street, St. Kilda, said that he was the driver of the 7:10 p.m. electric train from Thomastown to Reservoir on October 17. On approaching the Epping road crossing he sounded the whistle twice before he saw the headlights of two motor cars on the roadway ahead. The first car, which was in the lead, was facing the train, and was about a quarter of a mile distant. He sounded the whistle, and the lights appeared. The driver of the motor car in the compartment of the train was almost over the crossing when it struck the motor car. The speed of the train was 25 miles an hour. As he could see traffic along High street and going north for half a mile he regarded this crossing as safe.

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Reservoir Level Crossing

Deputation Arranged to Minister for Railways

At Preston Council meeting on Monday evening Cr. Jones moved the suspension of the standing orders to discuss a matter of grave importance to the municipality, viz. that Cr. Adams said that there had been many complaints about the danger of this crossing, and it would appear that in this case money was more important than life.

Cr. Jones then moved—
That the Minister for Railways be requested to receive a deputation in regard to the railway level crossings at Reservoir.

Cr. Norris in speaking to the resolution, referred to the fatal accident which had taken place recently, when Dr. Fullerton, who had but lately come to the district, had lost his life. Cr. Adams said that there had been many complaints about the danger of this crossing, and it would appear that in this case money was more important than life.

Cr. Mott said that there had been several deaths through accidents at this spot, and it was his hope that the Railways Department could be induced to make the crossing safe.

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The Mayor said that in the last three years the council had been endeavouring to get something done to make the level crossings at Preston more safe. The proper course would be to bring the matter before the Minister for Railways, and if he failed, he would speak on the matter in the Legislative Assembly. The motion was carried.

Cr. Norris said there was no doubt that the crossing was a "death trap" Cr. Newton said that there had been several deaths through accidents at this spot, and it was his hope that the Railways Department could be induced to make the crossing safe.

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Preston Council

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To Stimulate Settlement.—Shire of Heidelberg convened a conference on November 5 with the object of discussing the possibility of inducing the Government to issue free railways passes for one year to persons erecting new houses within prescribed areas during the centenary year—Crs. Jupp and Swain were appointed to attend.

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Civic Memorial Service

TO LATE CR. A. H. OLDIS, J.P.

Large Attendance Pays Tribute

Sympathy and reverence were the keynote at a memorial service when a large number of citizens were present at the Northcote Town Hall on Monday afternoon to pay their tributes of respect to the late Cr. A. H. Oldis, who passed away on October 3 at the untimely age of 49.

The service was arranged by the Citizens and Councilors and was entirely undemonstrative.

Amongst those on the platform were the Mayor (Cr. M. C. Jones), Crs. Stanfield, Bird, Pinkney, Cornish, Oliver, Turner, French, McAdam, Peters, Gross, Johnson, G. Hughes, and Dennis, M.H.R.; Messrs. I. H. Olney, M.L.C., J. Cain, M.L.A., Hon. J. G. Membery, Mr. J. A. Thomson (M.P.), and various representatives from the different departments of the city; also Mr. Swift (ex-town clerk), Mr. Ben Johnson (town clerk and organizer), and the members of the Preston City Council. There were also well members of the various churches who took part in the ceremony.

A number of apologies were received, chiefly from the Mayor of Preston (Cr. H. P. Zwar, M.L.A.), and the Northcote and District Choral Society, under the baton of Mr. J. G. Nelson, occupied the bulk of the stage and the accompanist was Miss Thurman.

Proceedings opened with the hymn "Lead Kindly Light." This was followed by a psalm read by Rev. J. O. Hughes (Church of England). Then came the Anthem "Across the Years" by the Choral Society. An address by the Mayor followed in which Cr. Jones remarked on the great size of the gathering. He said that the lamented death of Cr. Oldis was a blow to Northcote more intense than any in recollection. It was a matter for congratulation, however, that the city had been able to provide such a large and popularly were evidenced by the profound regret universally shown at his untimely end. Never had he paid such a magnificent tribute when he had been so young.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

God's Answer to Humanity's Cry for Freedom

LECTURE DELIVERED IN MELBOURNE TOWN HALL BY MR. WILLIAM DUNCAN KILPATRICK, C.S.B.

Under the auspices of First Church of Christ, Scientist, Melbourne, Mr. William Duncan Kilpatrick, C.S.B., member of the Board of Lectureship of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., delivered a lecture on Christian Science in the Melbourne Town Hall, Monday, October 16, at 8 p.m.

The lecturer spoke as follows— It is thought by many that the days of revelation are past; that is, that the phenomenon of a revelation from God to man belongs to older times—to Bible times—and that such a revelation is a thing not to be considered as a present-day possibility. If God is looked upon as a far-away, unknown, humanly circumscribed personality, revealed to man only after death, then, of course, this conception is natural, but when God is known and understood to be what the Bible says He is, namely, infinite, ever-present Love, divine Mind, expressed through man in divine consciousness, a revelation from God becomes a most natural experience. We often hear the expression, "the power of a right idea." What is a right idea? Whence comes it? And how is it apprehended? As God is quite universally admitted to be the author and creator of all good, every good or spiritual idea must come from God, and when a good or spiritual idea is borne in upon the conscious mind of any individual that must be a revelation of God, or from God, to that particular individual, whether that same truth has been revealed to others or not. As Jesus so clearly expressed in His wonderful Sermon on the Mount, "The pure in heart . . . shall see God." The "pure in heart" are, of course, those who think in terms of purity. Therefore, those whose thoughts are dwelling on things good and spiritual, or as the Psalmist puts it, "in the secret place of the most High," are seeing God. All here, then, are capable of seeing God, or receiving a revelation from God, in the proportion that their thoughts become pure and spiritual. As often as the truth about God or God's kingdom is borne in upon your consciousness just now often are you receiving a revelation direct from God.

Mary Baker Eddy Probably the most striking example before the world to-day of "the power of a right idea," or revelation from God, is the great movement of Christian Science. This movement with its many avenues and channels for accomplishing the purpose for which it was destined, namely, the salvation of humanity from the bondage of sin, sickness, unhappiness, misery, poverty, degradation and death, may be said to be the outcome of a right idea revealed to the consciousness of one lone, God-fearing woman in the year 1856, Mary Baker Eddy, the Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science, who was born and reared among the rugged hills of New England. Her parents were sturdy New England folk, earnest worshippers of God, and Mrs. Eddy was reared in the atmosphere of New England culture and devotion to God and right. Her childhood, her early womanhood—in fact her entire life—was one of peculiar spirituality. She was not as other children. She was grave, studious, thoughtful, and, withal, most deeply religious in her tendencies. In her early womanhood she was given to writing for publication on the deeper religious aspects of life. Her innate religious nature, which turned her to the Bible and to God, at the time a serious accident would have meant, under ordinary conditions, the end of things earthly, made possible her wonderful discovery. Through a keen and most unusual spirituality, a never-ending desire to know God aright, and a wholesome love for her brother-man came the revelation to Mrs. Eddy which was destined to be the foundation of the greatest religious movement of all time. From that revelation arose the religious marvel of the century. From that revelation has risen up a religion which, in its strength, its magnitude of purpose to do good, its growth, and its acceptance in the heart of humanity has never been equaled. From this right idea, this revelation of the true God, the true Christ, and the true sense of man in the image and likeness of God, has been established The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts, with its network of branch churches extending to nearly every part of the civilized world.

From this revelation of Truth to Mrs. Eddy has come the Manual, "The Mother Church," which provides for a church organization and government which is strikingly unique. From this revelation has come the Christian Science Publishing Society, with its many publications—Christian Science, Christian Science Herald, Christian Science Monitor, and many others—going into all parts of the world with their message of

truth, good will, healing, and happiness. Some of these publications are: The Christian Science Journal, a monthly magazine printed in English; the Christian Science Sentinel, a weekly periodical, in English; the Christian Science Monitor, an international daily newspaper, which, within a few brief years, has immeasurably promoted the cause of Christian Science; Desires of the Christian Science, a monthly magazine, published in German, and Le Herault, a monthly magazine, published in French. These are but a few of the fruits of a right idea revealed to the consciousness of Mary Baker Eddy in the year 1856, and given to the world by her in the year 1875, in her book "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," and subsequently in her other writings on the same subject. When one stops to consider that but a little over half century ago there was but one Christian Scientist in the world; when one pauses to contemplate the wonderful growth of Christian Science and its marvelous accomplishments in healing the sick, the sinning, and the sorrowing in the few years which have elapsed since its discovery, could there be any doubt that the revelation which came to Mary Baker Eddy in the year 1856, was from God?

Humanity's Desire for Light Brought Christian Science And wherein lies the secret of the phenomenal growth of Christian Science? There must be a reason. The world, for many centuries, had seemed content with a religion which offered the hope for man's salvation in the far distant future. It seemed satisfied in its contemplation of a far-away, unknown, unknowable, and unapproachable God. It was quite content in the belief that God sends suffering to His children. It was satisfied in the thought of a heaven obtainable only through death. It was firm in the conviction that God makes man sick and then abandons him to the hopeless agency of ever-changing speculative, human theories to gain his health. It was satisfied to look its hope for future happiness in the mystical and superstitious legends, dogmas, pomp, ceremony, ritualism, and the like. It had not seriously thought of a present-day salvation and freedom from sickness, poverty, sorrow, and death, through prayer and spiritual understanding, because it had been taught and believed that all salvation must come after death. It had never believed the statement in the Bible that death is the enemy of man and not an open door to the kingdom of heaven. It had not clearly sensed what Jesus meant when he said that "the kingdom of heaven is at hand"; that is, here and now, and not far off, and that heaven is within us—within the realm of consciousness or right thinking. It had not understood those words of Jesus, "If a man keep my sayings, he shall never see death." The Bible had evidently been read only with eyes that saw not. Too many had delegated their religious reading and thinking to others with most disappointing consequences. There came a chance, and men gradually began to think for themselves and to demand the why's and the wherefore's of those things which they had heretofore taken for granted. They began to ask a reason for things, and reason was not in that which they had believed in the past. Men were eager to believe the Bible, but the time was rapidly approaching when they would have to be convinced by something more than mere conjectural promises. Revelation, with its illumination, brought the human cry for freedom—freedom from the bondage, more or erroneous beliefs and religious superstitions than anything else, in humanity's consciousness there has ever burned a spark of true Christianity, or the Christ, which has been gradually, though at times very slowly, growing into brighter effulgence. This gleam—the Christ in human thinking has steadily brought to mankind the longing for the full light of Truth which would make men free physically and morally, and when, through this growth in spiritual thinking, mankind was prepared to receive this light, it broke forth in all its beauty, power, and grandeur in the wonderful discovery of Mary Baker Eddy. And thus came Christian Science.

Personal Experiences A brief experience in my life, if you will permit me to relate it, may

illustrate what Christian Science has meant to many. In my early youth I experienced what was termed "diphtheria." I joined the church of my fathers, subscribed to the church record, and took part in all the church activities. Like most others, I never questioned as to what my salvation consisted of, or just how it was to be accomplished. I was anxious to be saved, and joining the church seemed to be the accepted method—in fact, the only method. My impression was that the process of joining the church, the public acknowledgment of my "belief" in Christianity, and the good efforts of the minister would accomplish my salvation. Salvation, it seemed to me, consisted with the church and its ministers rather than with the individual. Time went on, and, as is generally the case, the life of most men, when I became a little more settled in thought—when I had seen a little more, observed a little more, learned a little more—I naturally began to do a little more. I began to wonder why I had been saved from sin. I had never become a serious sinner; nevertheless I was not free in my thought that I had been saved from sin. I could feel the force of the world into believing that I had been saved from sin, but I could not fool myself. I was tempted to sin just as much as my brother who had never joined the church. Finally I came to the firm conviction that I had never been saved from sin, and that there was no man or institution on the face of the earth who could save me from sin. I saw that my salvation rested solely with me and with one else. Then again, I reflected, what about sickness? I was often under the care of a physician. I knew that Jesus healed the sick, and I said that anyone who believed on him should do the same works that he did. Had not I said, on joining the church, that I "believed"? And here I was subject to all kinds of physical difficulties. The more I thought and observed, the more I became convinced that the men of my acquaintance who had never been saved were in very much better physical, moral, and financial condition than I. And so my thoughts and observations led to the conclusion that I had not been saved from any of the things which men could like to be, and should be saved from. When I took my problems to those who should have been spiritually enough enlightened to solve them I was told that all such questions would be answered in the life to come. I was told that there are many things that it is not given us to know here, but that if we will believe in the faith and believe, all our questions will be answered in the great hereafter. Well, that was a little too vague for me. A little too much like guesswork and I did not like guesswork. 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The Cause of Humanity's Bondage The keynote of Christian Science is "freedom"—freedom from all the inharmonies of human existence, which binds mortals like bands of steel. The reason mankind is held in bondage is in the reality, we know, of sin, and the like is because men do not understand what it is that binds them with these shackles. They have been truly willing to be free from these shackles, but they have not understood that this freedom has been denied them because of their ignorance of the cause of this bondage. The utter inability of prevent theories, both religious and medical, to free man from sin and sickness should have convinced them that they were on the wrong track, and that instead of working with the effect in view they should turn their attention to the cause. If men knew what made them sick they would know better how to get well. If, for instance, sickness were a condition of matter, or of physicality, then it could be healed by doctoring matter. If sickness is not a condition of matter and does not have its foundation in matter, then all the medication in the world would be answered to the world of sickness? No. To arrive at the cause of all the inharmonies of mankind, Christian Science teaches that we must go into the kingdom of heaven, and what man in God's image and likeness is; and this knowledge, when applied in their everyday human affairs, not only reveals the fact that all erroneous physical effects have a mental cause, but it will at the same time accomplish mankind's freedom from those physical effects completely and finally.

Christian Science teaches that all bondage—physical, moral, financial, and what not—has its foundation in mortal beliefs, and that therefore humanity's freedom from these conditions lies in spiritual thinking, or thinking based upon God as the only truth. It teaches also that a man can never know how to think rightly, constructively, and correctively until he learns what God is, and what man is in God's image and likeness is.

God The Bible teaches that God is Love; it teaches that God is Spirit; that God is Life; that God is Truth; that God is Principle; and that God is Soul. In your early concept you probably had a finite, human, limited, personally circumscribed sense of Deity. Before Christian Science came into the world I always thought of God as a humanly circumscribed personality, of which this mortal fleshly concept of man is an exact counterpart, because I had read in the Bible from beginning to end, and from then on, instead of being a book of mystery, contradictions, and abstractions, the Bible became a chart of life, by which, when studied in the light of Christian Science, I could work out my everyday problems, be they physical, moral or financial. At this juncture two incidents happened which greatly stimulated my interest in the subject. One of these was furnished by a well-known local minister of the gospel who made the announcement in a local newspaper of his intention to preach a series of sermons which would not only "expose" Christian Science but which would, in his estimation, provide its downfall as far as that particular locality was concerned. I read the report of one of these sermons and immediately became more firmly set in my opinion that Christian Science was not only the most wonderful thing that was just what I needed and intended to have. The second little incident was that of the presentation of a local Christian Scientist in a court of law for not employing medical aid at the time of the illness of one of his children. At this trial I heard three prominent members of the medical profession testify to the accuracy of the diagnosis which had made a professional examination and diagnosis of the case—testify. The first testified that he

had thoroughly examined the child and pronounced the case a most aggravated condition of diphtheria. The second testified that he had thoroughly examined the patient and that he found no indications of diphtheria whatever, but that I was suffering from a very severe tonsillitis. The third doctor testified that he had thoroughly examined the patient and that it had neither diphtheria nor tonsillitis, but was simply suffering from a very severe tonsillitis. Additional evidence was brought out that, in spite of the fact that the child was seriously ill with either diphtheria, tonsillitis, sore throat, or what else, I might have, I was, nevertheless, was healed in Christian Science in a very much shorter time than any one of the diseases mentioned by the doctors could possibly have been healed according to their own testimony, through material means. Briefly, that was my introduction to Christian Science and I presume it is the experience in one way or another of nearly every man, woman, and child who has found peace and hope and happiness in the wonderful unfoldment of truth that comes with an understanding of this vast subject.

Men's Reflections of God And how are these synonyms to be comprehended and their meaning applied by you and me? Why, through spiritual thinking. If God is Love, as the Bible says He is, then He must be expressed or reflected by man in terms of love, or in very consistent terms. John puts it thus: "He that loveth not knoweth not God; for God is love." Now that is plain. Love is spiritual. It is something that man manifests in his thinking. Love in the sense in which it is used in the Bible and in Christian Science, to do fine God does not involve a personal or sentimental sense of affection. Love might well be described as the absence of hate. When no trace of hate or jealousy or revenge and so forth, is left in one's consciousness, then that one may be said to be expressing or reflecting, regardless of any reference or allusion to any person place or thing. If we think we reflect love while we entertain any selfish or brotherly man, we are only deceiving ourselves and separating ourselves from God. We are loving ourselves from God's love. Then he goes on to explain, "If we love one another, God dwelleth in us"—all of which shows us beyond any question of doubt that God is to be found in the realm of the mental, and that God's reflection, man, is to be likewise perceived and understood. If God is Love and Life and Truth, as the Bible says He is, and these are all expressed or reflected by man, then the image and likeness of God must be expressed spiritually, not physically. Physicality, or matter, cannot constitute the man of God's image and likeness. It is the erroneous belief that man is material and exists in matter or in a material body that bases all the ills of mankind—physical, moral, or financial. It is not correct to you, then, that as we give our thinking in terms which have ever held us in bondage, and in place of that behold God and man in their true light, that we are breaking these bonds and setting ourselves free. It is not correct to you, then, that as we give our thinking in terms which have ever held us in bondage, and in place of that behold God and man in their true light, that we are breaking these bonds and setting ourselves free. It is not correct to you, then, that as we give our thinking in terms which have ever held us in bondage, and in place of that behold God and man in their true light, that we are breaking these bonds and setting ourselves free.

The Material Universe "But," some one may say, "what about this material—this material universe? If God did not create them who or what did?" Christian Science shows that just as God is Spirit and God's man is spiritual, it is found only in the realm of Spirit; and Spirit's ideas, the material—the physical man and the material universe—are to be found in the realm of erroneous or material concepts—in the realm of evil or false beliefs; and that in place of this mortal or unreal existence is spiritual reality or God's creation, not cognizable through the medium of the physical senses. It teaches further that in the proportion we cease thinking in terms of the carnal or material, or, as St. Paul puts it, as we "put off the old man with his deeds," and instead thereof expect in our own thinking divine and eternal ideas—"but on the new man"—in that proportion are we coming into our true heritage of freedom and dominion as children of God. As the apostle Paul writes in I Corinthians, "For the things which are seen are temporal, but the things which are not seen are eternal." One of the clearest evidences of the influence of evil or spiritual thinking on man, and generally is to be found in the growing present-day attitude of some physical scientists in regard to matter or the material universe. One of the most startling assertions of admissions from the pen of a physical scientist that I have seen appeared in an article in the London (England) Observer, of Sunday, November 2, 1925. The article headed "The New Outlook of Science," was a review of a book entitled "The Domain of Physical Reality," by Professor G. G. Lillie, and because of the author's broad and

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Church Notices

A. L. SAIN'T'S CHURCH
of England, Northcote
Sunday, October 22
11 a.m.—Holy Communion. Subject: William Tyndale. Subject: Evening Prayer. Subject: St. John the Baptist.
Preacher: Rev. A. H. Constable.

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY
Bayview Street, Northcote
October 22: 19th Sunday after Trinity
8 a.m.—Holy Communion, Corporation of Mothers' Union.
11 a.m.—Morning Prayer.
7 p.m.—Evensong.
Celebrant and Preacher: Rev. G. Gordon Tyman, Th.L.

HOLY TRINITY, THORNHURV
Shaftesbury Parade.
The Church with a Welcome.
Oct. 22: 19th Sunday after Trinity
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Choral Eucharist.
4.15 p.m.—Holy Baptism.
7 p.m.—Evensong.
Celebrant and Preacher: The Vicar (The Rev. W. H. Chamberlain) S.B.—Come in crowds to 'The Prospective Fair', Thursday, Friday and Saturday, October 20, 27 and 28.

NORTHCOTE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (Martin Street)
Sunday, October 22
11 a.m.—The Wonder and Bloom of the Wild.
7 p.m.—Counting the Cost.
Preacher: Rev. Duncan B. Reeves

ST. MARY'S CHURCH
East Preston
Sunday School Festival, October 22
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Rev. F. Parsons.
3 p.m.—Rev. E. H. Kent, Chaplain of Brighton Grammar School.
7 p.m.—Rev. G. J. B. White, Vicar of Holy Advent Malvern.
Prayer and Saturday, November 10 and 11.

FREE LECTURES ON Christian Science
By **WILLIAM D. KILPATRICK, C.S.B.** of Detroit, Michigan, U.S.A. Member of the Board of Lecturers of the Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.

MELBOURNE REGENT THEATRE
Collins Street, Sunday, October 22, 3.15 p.m. (Broadcast 3DB).
WESTGARTH PICTURE THEATRE, High Street, Northcote South, Sunday, November 5, 8.15 p.m.
MELBOURNE TOWN HALL, Monday, November 6, 1.10 p.m. (Monday). (Broadcast 3AR).

In announcing these lectures, First, Second, and Fourth Churches of Christ, Scientist, Melbourne, and branches of the Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist in Boston, Mass., cordially invite the Public to be present. No Carriage Admissions Required. NO COLLECTION.

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WANTED.—Daily work, washings, etc. Northcote or Preston districts. References.—"V.L." Preston "Leader" Office.

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Lot 1, 3 p.m.—THAMES ST., east side, commencing 256ft. 6in. north from Mitchell St.; land 292ft. x 160ft. (184ft. 6in.); made street, suitable villa sites. Lot 2, 3.30 p.m.—13 ARMDALE ST., S.F. W.B. Cottage, 4 rooms, convs., good order. Land 29 x 97 ft. 7 in. close High St. Lot 3, 4 p.m.—185 SMITH ST., S.F. W.B. & Brick Cottage, 3 rooms, on land 20 x 92, made street, 113 Queen St., vacant land, 20 x 90, made street, close No. 185, Title Certificate. Terms—Lot 1, one-fifth deposit, balance equally over 2 yrs. Lots 2 and 3, equally over 2 yrs. 5 per cent. Solicitor, L. V. Jones, Esq., 17 Queen St., Melbourne.

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Amusements
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MONSTER BABY SHOW
UNDER the auspices of the Mayor and Mayoress (Cr. and Mrs. H. F. Zwar) in Preston Town Hall, WED. 5th NOVEMBER, 8 p.m. Experience and valuable trophies, cup for each section. Entrance fee 1/- (inc. guardian's admission). Refreshments, and other attractions and prizes to be forwarded to Secretary, Mrs. McGregor, 24 Erval Ave., Preston, N.18, on or before closing date, 5th November. Mrs. McGregor will be in attendance at Preston Town Hall on Tuesday, October 17, from 2.30 to 4 p.m., to interview all interested mothers.

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SUNSHINE smiled on the city when the Mayor and Mayoress entertained at the Northcote Town Hall on Wednesday. The setting was bright with tall silver vases of autumn gladioli on the tables and the stage embowered in palms and ferns was and pink nemeses, backed by a large bowl of salmon gladioli.

Selections were played by Rex Holme's Orchestra while the guests were being received. Later an excellent programme was rendered by the Sandownes Quartette Party and Misses Myrtle Gemmill, Leta Poppy Trent and the young ladies, Misses Merton Temple and Herbert Sanderson, songs by Miss Gemmill and Mr Robert Allen, recitations by Miss Brentnall and quartettes by the Sandownes.

The Mayor and Mayoress stood in the lobby to greet the guests and with them were their daughters, Misses Mavis and Bronja Jones, Miss Jones wore a graceful floral frock in nicker, screen and tango tonings with a lacquered nicker straw hat and brown suede shoes. Her bouquet was arranged with golden roses and Peruvian lilies, Sunset crinkle crepe styled on modish lines formed the frock worn by Miss Mavis Jones and fasciating set it off. Her hat was a black straw and her wrist pony of small roses, toned with her frock.

Miss Bronja Jones looked charming in a white embroidered organdie frock with a matching handkerchief and a smart finish. Her wrist pony of red carnations matched and white shoes completed the summery attire.

In an ensemble comprising a white frock patterned in red and black with a black velvet cape and black hat Mrs J. A. Thomson assisted and her pony of red carnations and forget-me-nots was tied to the wrist with red ribbon.

CIVIC HOSPITALITY
CR. AND MRS. M. C. JONES RECEIVE GUESTS
METROPOLITAN representatives, together with citizens of Northcote, attended at the town hall on Wednesday afternoon to participate in the civic reception tendered by the mayor and mayoress of Northcote (Cr. and Mrs. M. C. Jones).

Mayor of Northcote (Mrs. G. Hooper) and Mayoress of Northcote (Mrs. M. C. Jones) were the guests of honor at the reception. The Mayor and Mayoress were accompanied by the Mayor and Mayoress of Melbourne, the Mayor and Mayoress of Preston, the Mayor and Mayoress of Footscray, the Mayor and Mayoress of Geelong, the Mayor and Mayoress of Ballarat, the Mayor and Mayoress of Bendigo, the Mayor and Mayoress of Melbourne, the Mayor and Mayoress of Victoria, the Mayor and Mayoress of Australia, the Mayor and Mayoress of the British Empire, the Mayor and Mayoress of the Commonwealth of Australia, the Mayor and Mayoress of the Dominion of New Zealand, the Mayor and Mayoress of the Dominion of South Africa, the Mayor and Mayoress of the Dominion of India, the Mayor and Mayoress of the Dominion of Ceylon, the Mayor and Mayoress of the Dominion of the Straits Settlements, the Mayor and Mayoress of the Dominion of the Federated Malay States, the Mayor and Mayoress of the Dominion of the Malay Peninsula, the Mayor and Mayoress of the Dominion of the East Indies, the Mayor and Mayoress of the Dominion of the West Indies, 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Activities at Preston

By The Houseboat

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That several boys have been seen in the purchase of a pointer, which may be made use of at some future time in tracking local criminals.

That tickets are being sold for the James Foran concert in Preston City Hall on November 15.

That Mr. Foran is bringing about a company of artists and a fine program will be submitted for the approval of the public.

That the funds derived from the entertainment will be devoted to the relief of distress in Preston.

That £2/15/- was collected at the end of the afternoon at Matron Wilson's hospital last week in aid of the Preston Mayrose Guild.

Never Mind the Weather!

THAT'S what the folk say, but notwithstanding this, people in Preston did mind the weather last Monday, because it was so disagreeable. High heat in the morning, with clouds of dust and a heavy downpour of rain, with a decided change to a cold atmosphere in the afternoon. According to the rain gauge at West Preston State School two inches of rain fell on the very pleasant day.

Gift of Bed

Mrs. Lewis Jones, of Wild street, Regent, has donated a bed-stand and mattress for ambulance work, an appeal for which was made in the "Leader" last week.

Preston Baby Health Centre

THE Preston Council has decided to make an appointment at the above institution, in order that Sister Holland may be relieved of the duties of the centre as at liberty to conduct the centre as she should be in the more important work connected therewith. Having this object in view it is intended to seek the assistance of a suitable helper, who will be capable of carrying on probationary work and assisting in the duties of a general character at the Centre.

Successful Entertainment

THE Dignified Serenaders and Gait Revue Company gave a successful concert on October 18 in the Preston City Hall in aid of the Public Assistance Committee. The program of the evening was most enjoyable and the mayor, thanked the artists and Reservoir for their efforts in selling 112 worth of tickets.

Snook

THE snooker team of the Northcote boys on Thursday evening of last week, the latter winning on points. The next contest will be between Preston and Northcote on Friday.

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RESERVOIR NOTES

The three gale on Monday did much minor damage in this area. Electric light and telephone wires, and fence posts, were blown down. A tremendous deluge of rain in Barton street had a terrifying experience when the wind ripped the hood of the vehicle in which it was being driven. The driver of the motor car, one of the staff of St. George's Church of England Sunday school, has been absent from duty owing to illness. The Reservoir school made its debut in the district sports at the Preston cricket ground on Friday last before a large and interested crowd. Thanks to the devoted parents and friends, the school's first match, against the local club, was a success. The school's first match, against the local club, was a success. The school's first match, against the local club, was a success.

Busy Week

LAST Saturday afternoon a dozen men put in an appearance on a vacant block of land in Gilbert road, on which is to be erected a building for Church of Christ adherents in the neighborhood. The men were busy with pick and shovel and put in good preparatory work for the erection of a fence, etc. A second working party has been arranged for the coming Saturday afternoon.

Reservoir Citizens' Band

ARRANGEMENTS have been made for the above band to give a concert at Edwards Park on Sunday. The weekly social resulted in an enjoyable time being spent. An excellent game of chess finished with Mrs. Manning and Mr. Young taking the prize. The body was shared by Mrs. G. Brown and Mr. Plunkett. Several promising young players are learning rapidly. Competition is keen at the practice and play-outs. Mr. Horace Partridge and his wife are having great success, their past knowledge of the game being to the advantage of all concerned.

Australian Women's Association

THE fortnightly meeting of the branch held on Wednesday, October 26, at the residence of Mrs. J. O'Connell, the president (Miss White) being in the chair. President and secretary reported attending an evening at Fitzroy on October 11. At the close of the meeting Miss O'Connell entertained members with a dart competition, which was closely contested. Mrs. H. Griffin carrying off the trophy. The next meeting is on October 30.

Preston Red Cross Auxiliary

AT the last monthly meeting the members (Mrs. H. P. Zwan) presided over a good attendance. It was decided to hold the annual bazaar in April next year. A card afternoon (coffee and bridge) will take place at the home of Mrs. J. O'Connell. The auxiliary is supporting the Eye and Ear Hospital (the mystery girl). The next meeting will be held on November 10, when Mrs. J. O'Connell will be invited to attend. Mrs. J. O'Connell presiding over the meeting. The program for ward will be distributed to the members.

Preston Boys' Band

THE cheerful party and dance in the Bradford Hall on Saturday evening attracted a large attendance and an enjoyable time was spent. Prize winners for the evening were Mrs. J. O'Connell and Mr. Ward. The Monte Carlo was won by Miss Jeffrey and Mr. Jay. The band will give its Hospital Sunday program in the Bradford Hall on Sunday next at 8.15 p.m.

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NORTHCOTE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A HAPPY RE-UNION

During last week-end a series of functions took place in connection with a re-union of members of a club connected with the Northcote Presbyterian Church in the years 1830-1840. The re-union was held on Friday, October 27, at the residence of Mr. P. J. Slater (who was subsequently a councillor and mayor of the City). There were already two other clubs at that time associated with the church, the new organization was named the Northcote Presbyterian Re-Union Club. The years mentioned in the title had a remarkable influence for good on about 50 local youths, a large number of whom, although only about 15 years of age, served their country in the Great War. The club later became the senior club connected with the church but retained the name "Re-Union Club" in honor of its respected president whose initials "P. J." concluded with "Presbyterian Junior". As an indication of the days of their youth, all members returned from all parts of Victoria and as far as New South Wales, and on Saturday night held in the Northcote Presbyterian Church, the Normanby Hall, on Saturday night last. The function proved wonderfully successful and enjoyable. Fully 100 members of the club were present. The fact that 75 per cent of former members reassembled after a lapse of 13 years. The club's president, Mr. P. J. Slater, presided over the re-union and in welcoming all present expressed his pleasure at renewing so many old friendships. He submitted apologies from Mr. B. Jenkins, all now of Canberra; Messrs C. Hammett (Pomona), W. Murray, E. Sutherland, J. Murray, J. Richardson, W. McIntyre and K. Crnk (Queensland).

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NORTHCOTE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

NOVEMBER CONCERT

The artists selected to appear at the concert to be given by the Northcote Symphony Orchestra at the Northcote Town Hall on November 11 are: Lena Worland, Lou Brommick, and Albert Cook.

Lena Worland is a contralto who needs no introduction to Northcote concert goers, being an artist who figures prominently on many concert platforms during 1931. Her appearance with the Northcote Symphony Orchestra is her first in Melbourne since the end of 1921. Those who hear her in November will notice the great development her voice has made during the past two years. The number Mrs. Worland has chosen to "Chorus" from Gluck's opera, "Orpheus" in which she will have the advantage of orchestral accompaniment. She also has chosen a fitting occasion for her to make her return to the concert platform in Northcote.

Lou Brommick, son of the late Herr Brommick, prominent tenor violinist and teacher, is a well-known cellist, having appeared at Melbourne's leading theatres. Mr. Brommick will be accompanied by the orchestra in a solo, "Kol Nidrei" by Max Bruch.

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Full details of the orchestral items, admission prices, etc., will appear in next week's issue.

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NORTHCOTE NOTES

Northcote Younger Set Auxiliary

As the November meeting would fall on Cup Day it has been decided to hold the meeting on October 31. The meeting will take the form of a dance and all members are requested to attend. A proposed program on Cup Day and other activities will be discussed.

On November 4 three hosts and three hostesses prominently on many concert platforms during 1931. Her appearance with the Northcote Symphony Orchestra is her first in Melbourne since the end of 1921. Those who hear her in November will notice the great development her voice has made during the past two years. The number Mrs. Worland has chosen to "Chorus" from Gluck's opera, "Orpheus" in which she will have the advantage of orchestral accompaniment. She also has chosen a fitting occasion for her to make her return to the concert platform in Northcote.

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THE COBBERS' CLUB

(CONDUCTED BY UNCLE PHIL)

Dear Cobbers—What a trying day Monday was! The Pets insisted on going out in the Baby Austin for the day and taking their lunch. Goodness knows where they went, but Jacko "filled up with gas" (as he expresses it) before they left about 1 in the morning, and they arrived home ravenous, a team in sight of a farmhouse. It appears they parked the car on the road and went for a ramble. Intending to return for lunch. When they got back some two hours later the car had been ransacked, and they found two crusts, all that was left of the tasty hamper. Cook had packed, my word, they must have been narked. They decided to find a friendly farmhouse, but trouble dogged them. Two punctures (the second they had to mend) delayed them, and frayed their tempers and lunch was well and truly over when they came in sight of a farmhouse. However, the kindly wife gave them tea and scones, and then they came home. On arrival they looked quite rusty, and the Baby had completely changed color, hood included. We tried to clean it off with changed color, hood included. We tried to clean it off with changed color, hood included. We tried to clean it off with changed color, hood included.

Send along your entries for the World Competition, also contributions for the Corner. Heaps of love from the UNCLE PHIL.

BIRTHDAYS

All the Cobbers, Uncle Phil and the Pets send the happiest and heartiest of Birthday Wishes and Greetings to Arthur Dennis (Oct. 25), Thelma Mars (Oct. 29), Freddie Baker and Arthur Clarke (Oct. 30), Edna Southam, Patricia Kilkenny, Jack Rowell and Brian Mahony (Oct. 31), Annie Gilbert and Walter Holroyd (Nov. 1), Mober Bradley and Stanley (Nov. 2) and Daphne King (Nov. 3).

NEW COMPETITION

Make as many words as you can (proper nouns and plurals excluded) from the word DEPRESSION. Send them to Grandfather, and he will award a prize to the Cobber who sends along the largest correct list. Entries must be in by October 25, and results will be announced on November 3.

OUR MAIL BAG

Non Pettit—A batch of certificates were sent out early in the week. I expect yours was amongst them. We have used your joke. Try the competition. Send greetings and love from the Pets and U.P. Henry May—The saap will be welcome whenever you send it along. Your entries are in this week. Have a shot at the next competition. Best wishes and love from the Pets and U.P.

MEMORIES

I had found an old tin box in the rafters of our garage. It was a black box, with many signs of rust through aged. It had been my "treasure box" when I was five years old, and I had forgotten about it when I had gone to school. The lid was rather stiff and difficult to raise. Ah! There was Margaret. She was my first rag doll. The color of her cheeks had run, and one leg was missing. A pair of doll's eyes and a wimple doll with a dotted head were wrapped in a piece of old lace. Why was this? A small blue—at least, almost black—bag was tucked in the corner. What luck! It contained a halfpenny with a hole in it. I had chanced a very green apple for that half-penny. The boy next door had wanted that apple. There were several pieces of silver paper, two blue beads threaded on a string, and two autumn leaves very crumpled and dead. I polished the old box, put some more little treasures in it and back it went to the rafters. I hope one day in years to come—at the time I least expect it—I will remember it again. (BETTER) Joyce Lawrence

SCHOOL SPORTS

Last Friday I bought a ticket and went to the sports with the Wales Street School, which were held at the Preston football ground. We went by train to the terminus, then walked to the ground. First there were long jumps for the boys, then races for both girls and boys, tumbling ball for boys, overhead ball for girls, and a lot of other interesting contests such as a march of all the boys and girls from each school, which I thought was the best of all. Our school came third when all the marks were added up. We got home about 6 o'clock for tea. (BETTER) Myrtle Pettit

THE COBBERS' CLUB

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NORTHERN DISTRICTS ROWING CLUB

The new rowing club, recently formed to provide facilities for this popular sport, has been established in Northcote and adjacent localities reports that initial preparations are well advanced, and it is expected that the club will be in full operation within the current month. With the consent and assistance of the Fairfield Canoe Club, whose clubhouse at Fairfield, being used as headquarters, the front wall of the canoe shed has been moved forward to provide an additional space required for housing racing boats. At a general meeting of members held at the clubhouse it was reported that interest in the new club was steadily growing, there being approximately 20 members enrolled. Profusely patronized by the support of patrons was being well appreciated by local residents. The president, Mr. H. H. O'Leary, M.L.C., advised that the club practices intensively to obtain the boats necessary to commence active rowing, there being no doubt that the required funds would be raised. On the subject of the club could obtain the benefits and discounts available for cash payment on the boats, the club secretary, Mr. J. B. Keefe, stated that the estimated amount required. A motion expressing appreciation of Mr. O'Leary's address was carried. On the subject of Mr. Marchant, late captain and coach of Corio Bay Rowing Club, it was decided to purchase two practice pairs and a support boat. Mr. Marchant was deputed to order these boats and select oars. Captain—Mr. Marchant, whose experience would be invaluable, could not be prevailed upon to accept the post, but promised advice and support to any younger and less experienced member who might be selected. Mr. Alan Freeman, of Rathmines street, Fairfield, who has rowed with Essendon Rowing Club and who has been an enthusiastic worker on the founding of this club, was appointed member. Mr. L. Turner advised that Messrs. Tibury and Lewis had presented a silver cup to the club for competition. It was decided to arrange at once for affiliation with the Victorian Rowing Association. The assistance of all other affiliated clubs and members will thus be available, and the club's initial experiments in the promotion and support of the association will be supervised and directed by experienced officials. The membership secretary, Mr. R. T. Burns, will be pleased to meet intending members from other clubs at the clubhouse, the Esplanade, Fairfield, on Saturday afternoon or Sunday morning. The clubhouse is situated at the foot of Altham street, Fairfield.

OUR PETS

First of all Uncle Phil, I want to tell you that we have a great time feeding these different pets in the morning before school. Well, we have two cats. One is called Tiger and the other Fluffy. Tiger is a striped grey, and Fluffy is a smoky blue Persian. Fluffy has two baby kittens. Then we have two dogs, Rex and Rexie. Rex is a pointer and a wonderful watch dog, while Rexie is a Pomeranian. We have two big Angora rabbits and five baby ones, and they are so lovely. We also have five ducks, three canaries and a linnet, and a dear old Joey. Those are our Pets, Uncle Phil, and we love them all. (BETTER) Reg Keefe

DID YOU KNOW THAT—

King George's full title is King of Great Britain and Ireland and the British Dominions Overseas, Defender of the Faith and Emperor of India. As birds have no teeth with which to masticate their food and thus aid their digestion, they swallow small stones and grit to grind the food. Francis Bacon originated cold storage when travelling during winter he bought a cooked chicken and stuffed it with snow to preserve it. (GOOD) Henry J. May

CURED

The teacher was so anxious to cure Sam of his lip that he promised to give him sixpence if he would learn to say "Sammy Sam" still stitches had mastered the sentence, and the delighted teacher at once handed him the promised coin. "Now I think your lip is quite cured, Sam, don't you?" he asked. "Yeh, thir," Sam answered. (GOOD) Marjorie Wood

THAT PICNIC

We had a picnic in the wood. And everything was very good. And mum her bag, which made it worse. We lost young Sammy half the day. And later on we lost our way. That meant, of course, we lost our train. But we'd enjoy it all again. Vera P. Keefe

THEY SHINE

One by one they show at night. Each one like a tiny light; When the lights are all out, they shine. More than you could count, or I. Answer: The stars. Sheila McGrath

WOMEN YETTES

Two women walked up to the porter on the railway station and one asked him from which side her train left. The porter replied, "If you go to the right you'll be left, but if you go to the left you'll be right." She then asked him how long it remained at the station, and the porter answered, "Four minutes—from two to two dotted o'er (most) two." Whereupon she turned to her companion and said, "Does he think he's a motor car?" (GOOD) Jean May

COMPETITION CORNER

Stories, riddles, catches, puzzles, jigsaw short word or anything you like. Also interesting to the Cobbers, send to Uncle Phil, the Leader, High Street, Northcote. They will be printed and marked. Good, Better, Best—Good, are points. Better, ten points; Best, three points. Can do all your own and keep them until you have got 99 points. Send to Uncle Phil, how do you prefer a cash prize of 2/6 or a book. If a book give the title. HOW TO JOIN THE COBBERS' CLUB Fill in the form at the bottom of the page and address to Uncle Phil, the Leader, High Street, Northcote. You will receive a beautiful certificate to say that you are a member of the club. Join now, and send your friends to, too. MILITIA NEWS 60th BATTALION Last Saturday the first stage of the Merrett match in which a team of ten, consisting of five militia men from the 60th Battalion and five men from the Northcote Rifle Club, was fired. Both the militia and civilians used the Lee-Enfield short service rifle, but whereas the militia fire over the open heights the civilians had the advantage of using the "peep" sights. The scores were: Militia—Cpl. Pickering 31, 32; Cpl. Brooks 29, 32; Cpl. Jackson 30, 25; Cpl. Ashby 24, 25; Cpl. Frost 24, 25; Northcote Rifle Club—Handall 33, 32; Tongue, 31, 31; Hook 29, 28; Kaye 29, 31; McQuinn 26, 29, 28.

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THIS Northcote Council has considered its estimate, and it is disclosed that the amount of money required in the coming year is £56,348/7/6, and to raise this sum a rate of 2/7 in the £ will be necessary.

Cr. Oliver said that this year the council had been able to budget for full time for all employees in the city not sacrificed in any way, and maintenance would not be neglected. An endeavour would be made to complete St. George's road, and the road of the arterial roads were in good order.

Cr. Turner said that the state of St. George's road merited early attention, and that it was to be done was a matter for gratification. The rate that will be struck after the statutory notice has been given.

SUCCESSFUL STUDENTS

The following students of Miss Hattie Tait, Preston, were successful in pianoforte examinations held recently at the Melbourne University: Winifred Powell, A.Mus.A., Diploma of Associated, Grade I practical passed with credit; Grade III harmony passed with credit; Miriam Hawkins, Grade IV practical, Grade IV theory, passed with credit; Margaret Oliver, Grade IV practical, Grade IV theory, passed with credit; Betty Ferguson, Grade IV practical; Lorna Deacon, Grade IV theory; Valda Rhodes, Grade V practical, passed with credit; Lexie Lully, Grade V practical, passed with credit; Colin Stenhouse, Grade V theory, passed with credit; Thelma Norris, Grade VI practical, Grade VI theory, passed with honors; Glad Bell, Grade V theory, passed with honors, and Cynthia Flewlyn, Grade VI practical, passed with honors.

Theft at Market

Between 6 p.m. and midnight on Thursday of last week a lock was forced off the front door of E. E. Scott's grocery store in the market building, High street, Northcote. A quantity of groceries was stolen. Three stalls in the market were also broken into.

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SALARIES OF FEDERAL MEMBERS

CRITICISM OF INCREASE

AT the meeting of the Northcote City Council on Monday a letter was received from W. J. Hibbert and three others protesting against the proposed to construct Whalley street, north of Separation street, at the present time, and requesting that the matter be deferred.

Representations were made by four owners, who said that, although they wanted the street made, they could not meet the payments on account of shortage of work and low wages. Cr. Oliver said there was no desire on the part of ward members to inflict hardship on any of the owners of property in the street. There were only two small pieces of street not constructed in this locality. Some years ago the council had deferred construction at the request of the residents. He would be prepared to refer the matter for further discussion and investigation, and moved in that direction.

Cr. Hayes said that last winter after receiving a complaint about the shacking of the North Ward street, he, with the other North Ward members, had inspected the street, and were of the unanimous opinion that it should be constructed. They had never yet forced a street on to owners who said they could not pay.

CONVICTION QUASHED

Vernon George Rudge, laborer, of Westrop street, Northcote, was recently sentenced to one month's imprisonment on a charge of having been idle and disorderly person. On Monday he appeared to Judge Wainwright in the General Sessions, against the conviction. The appeal was allowed, and the conviction was quashed.

WESTLEIGH COLLEGE ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIP

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Church Notices

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY
Bayview Street, Northcote
October 29: 20th Sunday after Trinity
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Matins.
7 p.m.—Evensong.
Rev. G. Gordon Tynms, Th.L.
Collections all day in aid of the Lord Mayor's Hospital Sunday Appeal.
Saturday, Oct. 28: St. Simon and St. Jude
Holy Communion at 7 a.m.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH
of England, Northcote
Sunday, October 29
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Preacher, Rev. A. H. Constable.
7 p.m.—Preacher, Mr. Eric Constable.

HOLY TRINITY, THORNBURY
Shaftesbury Parade.
"The Church with a Welcome."
Oct. 29: 20th Sunday after Trinity
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Matins. Celebrant and Preacher, the Vicar (the Rev. W. H. Chamberlain).
3 p.m.—Egg, Flower and Fruit Service. Preacher, Deaconess Kathleen Sheppard.
7 p.m.—Evensong. Preacher, Deaconess Minna Johnson.
"A PROSPERITE FAIRE"
In the Holy Trinity Parish Hall this Thursday, Friday and Saturday (Oct. 26, 27 and 28). Novelties, bargains, entertainment. Admission free.

NORTHCOTE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (Marlin Street)
Subjects Next Sunday:
11 a.m.—"The Larger Hospitality."
7 p.m.—"The Cross and Nature."
Preacher: Rev. Duncan E. Reeves

S. T. MARY'S CHURCH
East Preston
Oct. 29: 20th Sunday after Trinity
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
10 a.m.—Children's Church.
11 a.m.—Morning Prayer.
7 p.m.—Evening Prayer.
Rev. F. Parsons, Vicar.

NOVELTY FAIR
Friday & Saturday, November 10 & 11

FREE LECTURES
ON
Christian Science

By **WILLIAM D. KILPATRICK, O.S.B.**, of Detroit, Michigan, U.S.A. Member of the Board of Lectureship of the Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.

MELBOURNE REGENT THEATRE, Collins Street, Sunday, October 22, 3.15 p.m. (Broadcast 3DB).
WESTGARTH PICTURE THEATRE, High Street, Northcote South, Sunday, November 5, 3.15 p.m.
MELBOURNE TOWN HALL, Monday, November 6, 1.10 p.m. (mld-day). (Broadcast 3AR).

In announcing these lectures, First and Fourth Churches of Christ, Scientist, Melbourne, and branches of the Mother Church, the First Church of Christ Scientist in Boston, Mass., cordially invite the Public to be present. No Cards of Admission Required. NO COLLECTION

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FOURTH CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, MELBOURNE

A BRANCH of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ Scientist in Boston, Mass., U.S.A., holds services in MASONIC HALL, UNION ST., WESTGARTH, as follows:
Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7.15 p.m.; Sunday School, 11 a.m. Testimony Meeting, Wednesday, 8 p.m. Reading Room in Masonic Hall, Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 2.30 to 4.30 p.m.

EXECUTORS' AUCTION SALE
TO WIND UP THE ESTATE
For the convenience of buyers the following properties will be sold on
WEDNESDAY, 1st NOVEMBER, at 2 p.m.

Rehabite Hall, Westbourne Gve., Northcote (opp. town hall)
Lot 1—8 MARTIN ST., CROXTON—S.F. BRICK COTTAGE, one minute from High St., 4 rooms and convs., good order. Land 22ft. x 110ft. Title Certificate, Vol. 3088, Folio 617564. Let at 16/- per week.
Lot 2—8 BLYTHE ST., THORNBURY—BLISS W.B. VILLA, one minute High St., 5 rooms and convs. Let at 10/- per week. Land 25ft. x 137ft. 10in. Title Certificate, Vol. 3716, Folio 742877.
Lot 3—40 BOWER ST., DENNIS—S.F. W.B. COTTAGE, 3 large rooms and convs. Let at 14/- per week. Land 12ft. 7in. x 82ft. Title Certificate, Vol. 4564, Folio 912673.
Lot 4—200 VICTORIA RD., EAST NORTHCOTE—D.F. W.B. VILLA, 5 rooms and convs. Large allotment 72ft. 4in. x 115ft. Sult poultry. Let at 16/- per week. Title Certificate, Vol. 3547, Folio 709221.
Lot 5—24 GORDON GROVE, NORTHCOTE—S.F. W.B. COTTAGE, 5 rooms and convs. Let 15/- week. Land 17ft. x 129ft. Title Certificate, Vol. 1094, Fol. 388705.
Lot 6—PERRY ST., ALPHINGTON, "WILLROSE." D.F. W.B. VILLA. 4 rooms, convs. Land 66ft. x 120ft. Let 10/- week. Title Certificate, Vol. 4377, Folio 875244.
Lot 7—15 VICTORIA RD., DENNIS—S.F. W.B. VILLA, 4 rooms, convs. Land 25ft. x 132ft. Let 15/- week. Title Cert. Vol. 2475, Fol. 494937.
Lot 8—51 RENNIE ST., THORNBURY—D.F. W.B. VILLA, 4 rooms and convs. Large allotment, 60ft. frontage. Let at 16/- week. Title Certificate, Vol. 4615, Folio 922880.
NOTE—Investors can attend with every confidence. Properties all in good order and let to splendid tenants. Solicitors: Messrs. Madden & Candy, 475 Collins St., Mgh. Orders to inspect from the Agents or Auctioneer.
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(ROBT. J. HOBSON, Auctioneer)
119 HIGH STREET, WESTGARTH. Phone JW3165

Auctions

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1
At 3 o'clock, on the property, 36 DELAWARE ST., RESERVOIR
Under Instructions from Mortgagee
AUCTION Sale of ALL that PIECE of LAND, being lot 81 on Plan of Subdivision No. 5357, part of Crown Portion 11, Parish of Koelbundoora, County of Bourke, comprised in Certificate of Title, Volume 5272, Folio 1064333. Together with the D.F. W.B. VILLA, of 4 rooms, sleep-out, pantry, porcelain bath and basin, E.L., gas, sewered, made street, splendid order. Close station. Title, Certificate. Terms at sale. Solicitor for Mortgagee, Messrs. Pearce & Webster, 101 Queen St., Melbourne, Cent. 5349, where title may be inspected.
F. W. STOTT & SON
Auctioneer, 208 High St., Northcote. & High St., Preston (JW1197)

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28
At 3 p.m., on the property, 101 HALLANTYNE ST., NORTHCOTE
By Order of the Executor
W. B. Villa

6 rooms, conveniences, in spotless condition, good stabling, on land 50ft x 143ft.; 1min. E. tram, 5min. train. Title, Certificate, Immed. possession. For further particulars and order to view consult Dugdale, Craber and Simmons, solicitors, 485 Bourke St., Melbourne, Cent. 3305, or

J. & H. BURGESS
Estate Agents, 899 High St., N'cote JW1947, who will sell through their Auctioneer (George Henderson)

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Y.M.C.A., Northcote. Phone JW1312
15 MINUTES to City, cheapest line in suburban area. Reduced board and residence for boys and young men from 17/6. Hot water service, study rooms, billiard room, &c.

FOR SALE

FOR Sale.—Cricket material, matting, &c.—434 St. George's Road, Thornbury.

Notice

J. R.S.C. No. 4 T.T. Comp. postponed until Wed., Nov. 1. Will all block-holders return same.

Westleigh College, Northcote

ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS
for Girls under 13 years of age. Examination will be held on **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18** from 10 a.m.
ENTRIES CLOSE on NOVEMBER 11.
For particulars apply to—
The Principal, James Street, JW1880

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W. E. Findlay, 35 Normanby Ave.

Municipal Notices

City of Preston
BABY HEALTH CENTRE
APPLICATIONS are invited and will be received up till noon on MONDAY, 6th NOVEMBER, 1933, for the position of HELPER to the SISTER-IN-CHARGE. Salary 15/- per week. Particulars of duties may be had upon application at the Town Clerk's Office.
Personal canvases will disqualify.
BEN. JOHNSON,
Town Clerk and Engineer
Town Hall, Preston.
27/10/1933.

CITY OF PRESTON
Tenders
TENDERS are invited and will be received up till noon on MONDAY, 6th NOVEMBER, 1933, for the CONSTRUCTION OF COLLINS STREET, PRESTON
Plans and specifications may be inspected at City Engineer's Office. No tender necessarily accepted.
BEN. JOHNSON,
Town Clerk and Engineer
18/10/1933.

City of Northcote
BY-LAW NO. 61
FOR PROHIBITING OR MINIMISING NOISE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the City of Northcote has passed the following By-law for PROHIBITING or MINIMISING NOISE in ANY PUBLIC HIGHWAY:—
1. No owner or occupier of any land or premises within the City shall upon such land or premises, within the hearing of any person, being upon any street or footway, or in any premises abutting on or adjacent thereto—
(a) Make any loud outcry, or noise, or sound, or play upon any musical instrument, or cause, or permit, or suffer any person to do so; or
(b) Cause, or permit, or suffer any sound or noise to be emitted from any electrical wireless set, gramophone, piano-player, or other instrument, so as to cause annoyance to, or as to be calculated to cause annoyance to, any such other person as aforesaid.
2. Any person other than such owner or occupier operating such wireless set, gramophone, piano-player, or other instrument as aforesaid, or otherwise concerned in the making of such outcry, noise, disturbance, or sound as aforesaid, shall also be guilty of an offence against this By-law.

The By-law came into force on the 26th day of October, 1933. A full copy of the By-law may be seen at the office of the Council.
J. A. THOMSON,
Town Clerk.
26/10/1933.

Amusements

RESERVOIR PALAIS
IN conj. with Preston Rowing Club. MODERN DANCE every Saturday night. Adm. 1/1. Monte Carlo, Lucky Streamers. Buses leave Dundas St. at 7.45 and 8 p.m., return after dance. Every Saturday morning at 10.30. Linton School of Tap and Fancy Dancing for Children.

PRESTON RED CROSS
A Flag Bridge & Card Afternoon will be held in the Supper Room, PRESTON TOWN HALL, MONDAY, OCTOBER 30 at 2.30 p.m. Prizes, Refreshments. Subscription 1/-
Mrs. H. P. ZWAR, President.

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WANTED

WANTED—A refined girl for daily help, sleep out. Apply by letter, "Westlyan," May's Newsagency, High St., Preston.

WANTED—Girl for housework, — 198 High St., Preston.

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WANTED—Tennis court, for weekends. Particulars Miss Dickens, 42 Rosebery Avenue, Preston.

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Municipal Notices

City of Northcote
TENDERS
TENDERS are invited and will be received up till 11 a.m. on WEDNESDAY, 1st NOVEMBER, for the SUPPLY OF ELECTRIC LAMPS. Specifications may be seen at the Office of the Electrical Engineer. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
A preliminary deposit of £5 must be lodged with each tender.
By order,
J. A. THOMSON,
Town Clerk.
Municipal Offices, Northcote, N.16
23/10/1933.

City of Northcote
HEALTH ACT 1928

PAN ANNUAL CHARGE

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the Council of the City of Northcote, at a meeting thereof to be held in the Municipal Offices, Northcote, on the 6th day of November, 1933, at 7.30 p.m., to make and levy a PAN ANNUAL CHARGE of TWENTY-FIVE SHILLINGS per pan for a weekly service on all occupiers or owners of tenements within the City not connected with the sewerage system of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works for the collection, removal and disposal of all nightsoil for the year commencing on the 1st day of October, 1933, and ending on the 30th day of September, 1934.
The said charge to be made due and payable on the 10th DAY of DECEMBER, 1933.
Particulars of the charge made may be inspected at the Town Hall, High street, Northcote, during office hours.
Dated this 24th day of October, 1933.
By order,
J. A. THOMSON,
Town Clerk.
Municipal Offices, Northcote.

City of Northcote
GENERAL RATE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the City of Northcote intends, at a meeting of the Council to be held at the Municipal Offices, High street, Northcote, at 7.30 p.m. on Monday, the 6th day of November, 1933, to make and levy a GENERAL RATE of TWO SHILLINGS and SEVEN PENCE in the POUND on the NET ANNUAL VALUE of the property assessable in the City of Northcote.
It is intended that the said rate shall be made for the period commencing on the 1st day of October, 1933, and ending on the 30th day of September, 1934, and shall be DUE and PAYABLE on the 10th DAY of DECEMBER, 1933.
The estimate prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Act 1928 is deposited for inspection by any person interested or rated at the Municipal Offices, High street, Northcote, during office hours.
Dated this 24th day of October, 1933.
By order,
J. A. THOMSON,
Town Clerk.
Municipal Offices, Northcote.

Tenders returnable on Wednesday, November 1, are invited elsewhere by the City of Northcote for the supply of electric lamps.

NOTICES

A.N.A. NORTHCOTE.—A Loyal, Bonnet, National and Social Society. Be big, be a member, bring a member. — R. L. Fitch, 66 Darebin St.

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BIG Bargain Manchester Bundle. 14/19/6.—Pr. D.B. Blankets, pr. do Sheets, D.B. Honeycomb Quilt, Damask Table Cloth, pr. Larko White Towels, 1 Col. Towel, pr. Large H.S. Pillowslips, pr. do. Plain, 2 Glass Towels, 5 yds. Cream Lace, Curtain Net or 5 yds. Fancy Cretonne. Terms 3/- week at no extra charge. — **E. L. GATES,** 473-5 High St., Croxton, N.16 Phone JW1842.

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The Supreme Radio Co. of Australia, (15 Arthur St., Preston), has opened a modern radio and electric showroom at 224 High St., Northcote (next to Northcote Theatre) for the convenience of Northcote and district residents. Agents for Gennex, Van Ruyten, Supreme and Astor radio, and sole district agents for "Boach" car radio, "Magnet" British electrical appliances, and Neon luminous products.

JAMES FORAN
The Australian Tenor, and his own Company
will give a
GRAND CONCERT
in the City Hall, Preston, on
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, at 8 p.m.
In aid of Charity.
The Mayor (Cr. Zwar, M.L.A.) will preside.

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY
At
The Olde Englishe Faire
FRIDAY & SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27 & 28
See
A BUSY STREET OF OLD ENGLAND
Set up in Northcote.
CHARMING STALLS — BRIGHT COSTUMES — BIG BARGAINS