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Preston Progress
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 Boys' School Caps 2/6 to 1/6
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Fairfield Loitering Case

TWO MEN CONVICTED

GLASS BROKEN IN DOOR
 At Northcote Court on Tuesday, Robert Davis, High street, Windsor, and Cecil Merrill, were each charged that on July 25 they attempted to break and enter the shop of George Wood, at Alphington, with intent to commit a felony.
 On the application of Sergeant Howarth (prosecuting) this was withdrawn, and a charge of loitering with intent to commit a felony was preferred against each defendant. Both pleaded not guilty.
 Robert Orr Scott, nightwatchman, Gilles street, Fairfield, said: At about 10.15 on July 25 whilst doing rounds in Station street, Fairfield I saw Davis and Merrill walking up and down the footpath. Later I saw them in the doorway of a shop. I told them I was a watchman, and let them know I had them under observation.
 Later I found that the wire on a door had been torn away, and a pane of glass in the shop door had been broken.
 Cross-examined. You told the men you were a nightwatchman?—Yes. And then they offered you a drink of beer?—Yes. I neither touch, taste or smell.
 The street was well lighted at this time?—Yes.
 Constable W. J. Shaw, of Fairfield, said: At 11.35 I saw the two men at the corner of Wingrove and Station streets. As I approached they walked away, but stopped when I called them. When asked what they were doing in the doorway earlier in the evening Davis said "We were having a quiet drink." Merrill said "Be quiet."
 I told the men that a glass door had been broken and Merrill said "We don't know anything about that."
Other Cases Remanded
 At the police station I saw glass fragments on the coats of both men, and on Davis' hand there was a fresh cut and blood stains. An examination of the door showed blood stains on the broken glass. Both men are reputed thieves.
 Cross-examined: Did either man have housebreaking tools in his possession?—No.
 First Constable Long and Senior Constable Foxles of the Wireless patrol gave similar evidence.
 It was submitted for the defence that there was no case to answer. There was no evidence that either of the men had broken the pane in the door; neither had housebreaking tools in his possession; and further that the nightwatchman they had "hung out" as if awaiting the arrival of the police instead of getting away. They could easily have done.
 The bench decided to convict and imposed a sentence of three months' imprisonment on each man.
Other Cases Remanded
 Davis was remanded to the City Court on Monday next on a charge relating to an overcoat; and Merrill was remanded to the Northcote Court next week on a charge of illegally using a motor car.

FEDERAL ELECTIONS

MR. S. DENNIS' CAMPAIGN
 A meeting of friends and supporters of Mr. S. Dennis, M.H.R., will be held at the supper room, Town Hall, Preston, on Tuesday, August 7, at 8 p.m. The meeting has been convened by Mr. H. P. Zwar, M.L.A., and Mr. Swain, and all interested are invited to attend.

MR. BRENNAN WINS LABOR PRE-SELECTION

Mr. Frank Brennan, who formerly represented Hatman, had no difficulty in winning the Labor pre-selection ballot on Saturday. He gained an absolute majority on the first count.
 The figures were:—Mr. F. Brennan, 137; Mr. J. V. Stout, 233; Mr. A. S. Anderson, 225; Mr. W. H. Turner, 41; Mr. C. Graham, 37. Mr. Brennan thus had an absolute majority of 61 over the other four candidates.
 Mr. Brennan was unseated at the last election by Mr. S. Dennis, M.H.R.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

Preston City Council

The respective returning officers for the East, Central, and West Wards of the City of Preston notify that the annual election will be held on August 23. The retiring councillors are—Crs J. W. Adams, J.P., Ewart F. Norris, and Llewellyn Jones, J.P., for these wards. Nominations close on or before August 9. Full details are advertised elsewhere.

WEST WARD

Cr Llewellyn Jones' Candidature
 There is an energetic committee working for Cr. Llewellyn Jones, J.P., who has served the ratepayers faithfully for nearly 18 years, and is again a candidate for election in this ward. Mr. W. B. Howe is chairman of committee and Mr. C. H. Warr secretary.

Mr Joseph S. Grey's Candidature

The candidature of Mr Joseph S. Grey of Sheffield street, West Preston came as a surprise to most of the West ratepayers. His decision to stand was only arrived at over the week-end. Mr Grey is the proprietor of the Lyndhurst Paper Bag factory, and is favorably known to most of Preston's business people. An employe of over 20 hands Mr Grey is a keen business man who has brought his business to its present size by honest and fair trading, and is prepared to place these qualifications at the disposal of the West Ward ratepayers.

At a meeting at Mr Grey's home on Tuesday night over 40 ratepayers gathered and all signified their intention to work for the candidate's return. A vote of confidence, proposed by Mr N. Clarke was carried with enthusiasm. Canvassing and postal voting arrangements were made and the next meeting is fixed for Tuesday next, August 7.

PRESTON EAST WARD

With polling day so close at hand it seems unlikely that any candidate will enter the field against Cr Adams.

Preston Municipal Band

MR. LLEWELLYN JONES, who attended the band rehearsal on Sunday morning, received an enthusiastic welcome from members, and congratulated the players on their performance and attention. He expressed the opinion that it would not be long before they had a band worthy to represent the City of Preston.
 At a meeting of the band committee it was decided to recommend to the general committee that a junior band be formed. This will be brought forward at a meeting of the general committee.

Mrs E. Sheppard, hon secretary to Preston Red Cross Auxiliary, announces a card party for August 9 at Preston Town Hall. Full details are advertised.

APPROACHING AUCTIONS

By A. F. Deacon, on August 8 at 3 p.m. on property, 219 Tyler street, Preston, 5-roomed villa on land 59 x 115ft 3in, as advertised.
 By C. H. Burnham, and A. McDonald Pty. Ltd., on the property, 36 Murphy grove, Preston, on August 4 at 3 p.m., d.f.w.b. villa, 4-rooms and conveniences, as advertised.
 By J. S. McFadzean, Station Entrance, Reservoir, at 2.30 p.m. on Friday next (August 10) household furniture of small clean cottage. See advertisement.

However, he has his committee formed, and everything is in readiness should anyone nominate. Nominations day is Thursday, August 9.

City of Northcote

The annual election will be held on August 23 to fill the vacancies occasioned by the retirement of Cr J. H. Green, South Ward; Cr J. W. French, East Ward; Cr A. J. Cornish, Central Ward; and Cr W. H. Turner, West Ward; and Cr M. C. Jones, North Ward. Nominations day is August 8. Full details appear elsewhere.

TRAMS OR TROLLEY BUSES?

What Will Happen in High Street?

NORTHCOTE COUNCILLORS DISCUSS THE POSITION

VARIOUS OPINIONS EXPRESSED

A problem which will confront the Northcote Council at no very distant date will be the "modernisation" of transport facilities in High street to replace the present cable tramway system. Conversion to electric traction, would mean that an extra two feet would be taken up by trams in this already narrow street, and there would then be very grave danger from traffic congestion. There are alternatives, but whether the opinion of the Northcote Council will be respected by the Tramways Board when the time comes for the change to be made is quite a different story.

The Council of Northern Municipalities wrote to the Northcote Council on Monday requesting expressions of opinion on the following matters:

- (a) proposal to approach the Minister of Public Works, with a view of having the Tramways Board reconstituted so as to give the municipalities adequate representation;
- (b) suggesting that consideration be given to a proposal that the Tramways Board be urged to modernise the Northcote-Smith street tramway service.

Cr. Turner said that almost everyone, with the exception of the Board itself, was in favor of the reconstitution of the Board.
Trams and Parking
 In regard to the Northcote-Smith street tramway, there was a good deal of controversy in regard to its modernisation—either by electrification or by the institution of trolley buses. If electrification was adopted, the council would have to prohibit "parking" in High street.

Cr. Oliver: The question of modernising transport to do away with the old "square wheel" trams is one which requires much consideration. Perhaps in this case trolley buses would serve better, on account of the narrowness of the street.
More Than Electrification
 The Mayor (Cr. Jones): There would probably be more in the matter than just the electrification of the line. It is likely that the sharp corner at Gertrude street, Fitzroy would have to be cut off, to enable the trams to turn; or there is a further likelihood that the route may be altered.

Cr. Hayes: When the Tramways Board was constituted, the municipalities asked for representation. This was promised but never granted. The time has come when an alteration should be made so as to give the councils some say in the provision of

further services. No one knows better the needs of a municipality than its councillors.

Reverting to the question of altering the method of traction on the cable route, he suggested that in order to give trolley buses a good "try-out," one should be instituted to provide a cross-country service, say between Northcote and Brunswick, on a route upon which the Tramways Board had been asked to lay down a tram in years past.

Cr. Peters: I feel that the council is opposed to the electrification of the Northcote cable line.

Those Statutory Payments

Cr. Bird: It is all very well to criticise the Tramways Board for not providing extensions, or services. It must be remembered that the Board has to make payments to the Fire Brigade Board, the Infectious Diseases Hospital and the Licensing Fund totalling over £100,000 per year. Had that money been available to the Tramways Board it could have done much to modernise the services.

Maintenance of Tram Tracks

If trolley buses were placed on the roads, there would be, the likelihood that the Tramways Board would then seek to be relieved of the amounts it now pays towards the upkeep of the roadway along its tracks,—and that would mean further expense to the municipalities.

Buses More Mobile

Cr. Green: There can be no doubt that buses are far more mobile than trams. During the tramway strike there was little traffic congestion. Cars were parked in the centre of the road and the buses piled alongside the kerbs.

Cr. Oliver: That would lead to killing the motorists as they crossed the road instead of the pedestrian, as he went to catch the tram (Laughter).

Both matters were referred to the committee of the council for further consideration.



LITTLE GWEN McADAM, daughter of Cr and Mrs A. McAdam, of Northcote, presenting a basket of Australian wild beauties to Lady Huntingfield on the occasion of her informal visit to Northcote Baby Health Centre and Ceechee on Monday afternoon.
 (Photo by Courtesy of the Argus, Melbourne)

"LUTEPLAYER'S" SELECTIONS

AUSTRALIAN HURDLE

- MYSTIC PEAK 1
- ETYMIOLOGY 2
- SARAKOS 3

Selections for Minor Events

- Crimera Trial**
- SORDINO 1
- MARIE GAY 2
- GASCONADE 3
- Steeplechasers' Flat**
- TEZPUR 1
- GREENDON 2
- ANCIENT MARINER 3
- Mahakoff Stakes**
- GALIBROOK 1
- MOVIE STAR 2
- NUIT D'OR 3
- Moondah Plate**
- CALULU KING 1
- WALTZING LILY 2
- DOMINANT 3
- Mornington Water**
- WALLOPLAN 1
- FOLK LORE 2
- MYARIN 3
- BEST BETS**
- Calulu King and Walloplan may be the best bets.

School Library

To discuss the purchase of books for the newly-formed South Preston School Library, a meeting of the School Committee and Mothers' Club was held on Tuesday evening. While a sum of money has been set aside for the purchase of suitable books, the Committee would welcome any books on travel or of general interest to children.

Have You Read
 "Gossip's" Social
 Notes Yet?—Turn to
 Page 4.

Mr Olney Visits School

At the instigation of the School Committee Hon H. H. Olney, M.L.C., visited the South Preston School on Friday last with a view to recommending certain improvements to the Minister of Education. Cr Newton received Mr Olney, and after inspection of the school grounds, which badly need draining, a visit was paid to the soup kitchen.

Mr Harold Burgess, J.P., was welcomed at Preston Court on Thursday when he took his seat as a Justice for the first time.

Lady Huntingfield's Visit TO NORTHCOTE CRECHE AND KINDERGARTEN

The Annual Meeting

All was excitement at the Northcote Creche and Baby Health Centre on Monday afternoon when it was announced that Lady Huntingfield was to make on her first visit to Northcote an informal inspection of the creche and kindergarten.

LADY HUNTINGFIELD accompanied by the Hon. Mrs. Dotts was received by the Mayor of Northcote (Mrs. M. C. Jones), the president of the creche, Mrs. J. A. Jones, the secretary, Mrs. S. Dennis, and members of the committee were introduced and shook hands with her body.

An inspection of the Health Centre and creche then took place and the children sang a welcome. Little Miss McAdam, one of the kindergarteners, presented to Lady Huntingfield a basket of Australia with heartily cheered by Mrs. G. and arranged by Mrs. J. W. Firth.

An adjournment was made to the Northcote Town Hall where the Mayor (Mr. M. C. Jones) and town clerk (Mr. J. A. Thomson) welcomed the party to the mayor's room. Here a delightful afternoon tea was served by Mrs. S. Dennis.

The Mayor, in heartily welcoming the visitors to Northcote, said the ladies of Northcote were their best citizens and the council was justly proud of the splendid work which they were doing in the creche and kindergarten.

Lady Huntingfield, in response, said that she had been delighted to visit and she was extremely pleased to see a baby health centre, creche and kindergarten grouped under one roof in such ideal surroundings.

The creche building account of £100 had been raised by £19/9/9 interest. To the balance of the kindergarten building fund of £98/15/8 has been added £5/10/0 from creche interest, £29/5/0 from £43/12/1, children's fees, 8/7; making a total of £143/15/8.

Receipts in the kindergarten birth-day league amount to £28/7/3, an increase of £8/14/0 which represents interest 1/1/0, donations £2/17/0 and subscriptions £5/6. Expenditure is £17/1/0 for cards and stamps and the balance is £28/6/3.

ANNUAL MEETING In the committee room the sixth report was read and approved by Mayor Jones. An apology was received from Mrs. H. P. Zwart, Mayoress of Preston.

Mrs. Dennis, in moving the adoption of the report and balance sheet spoke of the fine efforts put forth by the ladies in this highly satisfactory movement. The council were indebted to the ladies for the excellent work which meant so much to the citizens.

NORTHCOTE NOTES (By "Mika Mika")

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NORTHCOTE COURT.

On The Bench Mr. G. H. Brown, P.M., Messrs. J. K. Keen and J. Hartnett, J.P., Deft.

H. Hosking, for whom Mr. R. H. Gray appeared, obtained a verdict against M. S. West and Joseph Denholm, 12, Collins street, Melbourne, for £8 and £17/3 costs.

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Football Finance SOME ENLIGHTENING FIGURES

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CHURCHES.

All Saints' Church, Northcote A deep impressive service marked the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the church on Sunday evening.

Church of the Epiphany The morning service on Sunday took the form of a public baptism.

Northcote Congregational Church The morning service on Sunday was held in the church at 10.30.

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46th Annual Meeting

PRESTON LADIES' BENEVOLENT SOCIETY With the usual large attendance, the 46th annual meeting of the Preston Ladies' Benevolent Society was held on Tuesday afternoon in the hall at 2.30.

At the Young Men's Club last Sunday afternoon, Mr. A. Hird delivered an informative address on the "Affairs of Central Europe" on which an interesting discussion took place.

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THANKS Mrs. COUGLE and family desire to THANK all kind friends for letters, cards and telegrams received...

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PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Millward, 12 Maitland street, Preston, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son...

The Social Whirl

A successful Australian afternoon was held at the school by Darrobin House Committee on August 8. Songs were well rendered by Mrs. Omond and Miss Erith...

Holiday Trip

Miss Mavis Peacock, of McCracken's Farm, left on the Ormiston for Melbourne on Wednesday...

Attention Card Party

In Myer's Tea-room, Melbourne, Medames J. W. Clayden and L. O. Seebek entertained friends at a bridge afternoon on Tuesday...

Blind Auxiliary

The monthly meeting will be held in the committee room, Northcote hall on Monday, August 13...

Flug Bridge

Musical pink blossom formed the charming decorations at the Preston Ladies' Bowling Club on Wednesday...

Golf Week

Mr. Hugh Marsland and Mr. R. Simpson, two members of the committee, have been elected...

To Defray Preston Parish Expenses

Mrs. M. O'Brien and Mr. G. Thomas are arranging a dance to help defray expenses in connection with Preston Parish hall...

WHO WILL DO A GOOD TURN

A PRESTON girl who is an enthusiast of the children's hospital wishes to attend the hospital school at Pelham street, Carlton...

MAYOR AND MAYORESS ENTERTAINED

Brilliant Function in Preston City Hall

CITIZENS GATHER TO HONOR CR. H. P. ZWAR, M.L.A., MRS. ZWAR AND MISS ENID ZWAR

OVER 400 citizens gathered in the Preston City Hall on Thursday, August 2, to do honor to the Mayor and Mayoress...

OFFICIAL ENTRY

SHORTLY AFTER 8.30 the Mayor and Mayoress were received by Cr. J. W. Adams (chairman of staff committee) and Mr. H. Johnson (Town Clerk)...

EFFECTIVE DECORATIONS

ALTHOUGH the hall is beautiful without any decoration whatsoever, it was tastefully decorated...

MRS. ZWAR SPEAKS

THE mayoress, who received an ovation, said she was overwhelmed at the kindness shown to them...

MEALS AND BUFFET

(ARRIVED) out by Mrs. O'Brien, of Northcote Hall, Thornbury, in her usual manner, the catering was excellent...

THE DRESSES

SILVER and gold lame and sequins were much in evidence as trimmings and relief to the many soft-looking gowns worn by the fair guests...

her floral hair, jango, California and mid-west... Mrs. G. McFarlane, blue flat crepe...

With her fitting crown of clove green velvet, Mrs. Don Johnson (wife of the late Mr. J. Johnson) wore a black and white...

Mrs. J. H. Gray wore a charming gown of lavender blue, garnet and lace, with circular lace cape...

Mrs. J. Adams, garnet, garnet, gold and white cape; Mrs. A. L. Burt, blue velvet...

Mrs. J. W. Adams, pink hat crepe; Mrs. E. Cook, Malvern, blue crepe; Mrs. J. H. Johnson, blue crepe...

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with silver lame; Mrs. Throver, cream band crepe; Mrs. G. Johnson, blue crepe...

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FOOTBALL

LAST SATURDAY'S RESULTS
Oakleigh 14-10 (84) d Preston 12-16 (87).
Brighton 13-16 (84) d Williamstown 11-12 (78).
Yarraville 12-18 (88) d Port Melbourne 7-8 (60).
Coburg 11-13 (79) d Northcote 8-8 (56).
Prahran 24-25 (160) d Brunswick 13-9 (82).
Sandringham 9-14 (68) d Camberwell 8-10 (58).

ATTENDANCES AND RECEIPTS
Attendances and receipts for the Association fell again last Saturday, being the second lowest for the season. The largest attendance was at Coburg where 3,000 attended; the gate receipts being £132. The match between Oakleigh and Preston attracted 2,000, the receipts being £28. The total attendances were 10,000; and the receipts £119.

GOAL-KICKERS
SEYMOUR (Northcote) . 88 (4)
HAWKINS (Prahran) . 78 (10)
J. HICKLEY (Yarraville) 63 (3)
Dunnell (Oakleigh) . 57 (3)
Warr (Preston) 46 (10); Fraser (Oakleigh) 46 (5); Gray (Northcote) 39 (11); Cahill (Williamstown) 39 (3); Dowling (Sandringham) 35 (4); Duncanson (Coburg) 31 (2); Hadden (Port Melbourne) 31 (1).

ASSOCIATION SECONDS
NORTHCOTE NO MATCH FOR LEADERS
Coburg 24-12 d Northcote 10-15. Coburg is still undefeated. Its splendid dash and combination is the great asset. Northcote battled on very stubbornly, but it was no match for its opponents. Best players—Coburg: Brown, Gardner, Nash, Beckwith, Bedford, Ward, and Hamilton; Northcote: Donnelly, Sharwood, Frank, Travers, Banks, and Duncanson. Goal-kickers—Coburg: Nash (11), Gardner (3), Conley (2), Hull (3), Finn, Ward, Leonard, Withers; Northcote: Lane (3), Hakeley (2), Donnelly (2), Duncanson, Winks, Kenny.

PRESTON'S EASY VICTORY
Preston 8-11, d Oakleigh 3-12. Oakleigh's forwards kicked accurately, and ran during the third quarter, but it was no match for its opponents. Best players—Preston: Hinchson, Slattery, Croft, Haddock, Chatley, Hanrahan; Oakleigh: Higgins, Dalton, Ryan, Spencer, Milburn, Nevill. Goal-kickers—Preston: Hoyd (3), Pitts (2), Hinchson, Ewins.

C.Y.M.S. WILLIAMSTOWN
Preston v Williamstown
At Haxby Park, Preston met the undefeated Williamstown on Saturday. The locals were out for the return of W. White the popular captain and coach, but were weakened by the absence of Hickson and B. Munnell, whose injuries will keep them out for the rest of the season. Williamstown won the toss, but could make little headway in the first term. The Preston back men were playing stirring football. Brown was especially prominent. The captain, W. White, had sent a loose man to play between the Seaside's half-forward and full-forward. This player, L. White, acquitted himself remarkably well for a newcomer, and should soon be one of the best men in the side. The Preston men were faster and younger than the visitors, and as the wind sprang many attempts to mark, they found their ability for heavy ground-play useful. Quarter-time: Preston: 5-0; Williamstown: 1-1. Hatched play for both teams had been responsible for the lawlessness in the first quarter. In the second term both defence lines crowded the play, and as none of the forwards could make any headway. The Preston men had a stern struggle across the centre, with each half-back line almost impregnable. At half-time the Preston men had a lead of eleven points and had outplayed their opponents. A heavy shower before the interval changed the nature of the game. The Preston men had the advantage on the ground, the team now proved too light for the heavy Williamstown men. Play for the ball was very free, and the forwards used their weight to advantage on the slippery ground and finished the term with a lead of 15 points. The weather had been an important factor in the result. Three-Quarter Scores—Preston: 3-3 Williamstown: 5-6. In the last quarter the home team continued to flounder in the wet and Williamstown's defence made the game peter out in an uninteresting struggle for dominance on the forward line. But brilliant defence, in which every man played his part, allowed the visitors only two more points. Numerous opportunities were missed by the Preston forwards, who seemed too light for the rugged play of the opposing backs. Final Scores—Gs Bds Pts Williamstown: 7 9 57 Preston: 1 3 27

UNITED CHURCHES' ASSOCIATION
Northcote Church of Christ v Thornbury Church of Christ
Played at McDonnell Park. Despite the fact that they only had 11 Thornbury started off in promising style, but the home side had a big lead at the first change. Northcote 5-1, Thornbury 2-1. Northcote's defence was very strong, and during the second term, they had scored more heavily than they have for several instances of glaring selfishness. It is easy to understand why Northcote's fall under the good teams, with players of this type in their side. Northcote 12-11; Thornbury 3-2.

PROTESTANT CHURCHES
Thornbury Presbyterians v Toorak Methodists
Played at Toorak Park. Thornbury winning the toss, kicked towards the Seaside street goal with the wind in their favor. Their having fallen behind the start made the ball difficult to handle. The Toorak side, however, was shown on both sides. Thornbury, attacking strongly in the first quarter, soon ran up a winning advantage by kicking the play in this quarter and finishing with 5-7 to nil. Another heavy shower made conditions greasy and had kicking by Toorak and scrambling play were features of the game. The scores—Thornbury 5-7 to Toorak 0-7. Thornbury maintained their superiority throughout the half, Toorak scoring their only goal in the second term. Final Scores—Gs Bds Pts Thornbury: 13 18 88 Toorak: 0 0 0

THE PUNTERS' NOTEBOOK

Prospects for the Australian Steeplechase
POINTS OF FORM FOR FUTURE GUIDANCE (By "Luteplayer")

The V.A.T.C. jumping carnival will be concluded at Caulfield to-morrow, when the Australian Steeplechase will be decided over three and a half miles. Redditch picks himself for to-morrow's big race. He will be opposed by five moderates, who would not represent good class in a down-the-line brush steeple. Redditch we know as a class steeplechaser who won the Grand National and Australian Steeplechase double 12 months ago, the last-mentioned race being won on a straight run in the straight run steeplechase. This year he was beaten in the Grand National by Woodhead, a light-weight, who on the day was brilliant. The form of Redditch in that race left the impression that he is not quite as good as last season, but even with that allowance he is still a class jumper and a steeplechaser of anything that will appear in the off-stable.

The top-weight so completely over-shadowed his rivals that he has to be a No. 1 selection. THE OTHERS Redditch being the favorite—perhaps the hottest in the history of the race—and for that reason many may not care to support him, but if they give an interest in any other runner it is in the person of the off-stable something happening to the top-weight. The other five candidates have so little to recommend them that it is not easy to pick a favorite. There is a little side to him, and he was knocked back to rear of field, but was a long way behind the winner. However, she may not be one of the other hordes and has had experience over fences, having finished fifth in the Valley 1100 Steeple of two and a half miles last year. Although having no experience at the event, she has a fair jumper, and maybe she will finish second.

Jack's Jason is an ex-hunter who can jump, and at times he has shown some promise. He was beaten over the hedges by three miles, jumping 15 fences at Caulfield, and did well. Either Jack's Jason or Dolly Mill may fill third place. Dolly Mill has had a fair amount of experience over fences and was fourth in the Goulfey Watson Steeplechase after making the running. Usually she has been found wanting at the business end of the race, but in the Melbourne Steeplechase at the Valley last year, when she came home well in second place to Traralgon, she was a class performer. Redditch's performance in the fourth place in Melbourne Steeplechase was a promising "first up" performance, and it should not take him long to re-enter the money.

WALTING LILLY—Never a model, but in the Melbourne Steeplechase he finished well, and he is likely to show out better next start. STAR OF NORTHCOLE LODGE A largely-attended meeting on Aug. 2 was presided over by Mr. H. J. Morris, C.R. Two new members were welcomed, two clearances granted, and two propositions received. The representatives were appointed to attend the annual meeting of the Free Gardeners and neighboring I.O.R. The anniversary social of the (Hilton Hill and Northcote) Dispensary will be held on September 15. It was decided to enter a team in the Northern Districts Carriage Board Association, and two delegates were appointed to attend the annual meeting in the L.O.R. competition. The second term with two matches over to play, while the I team is level with two other teams for first place. A notification of the meeting of the I.O.R. Cricket Association was received, but it is doubtful whether the tent will enter a team this season.

A proposal to entertain three public sportsmen (quits, bowls and darts) was adopted, and £17/10 was donated to the Junior games competition. A feature of the Junior reports was the large increase in membership at all levels. A welcome was extended to Mr. J. Hillman after an absence of some years. Congratulations were extended to Mr. J. Hillman on his appointment as Justice of the Peace, a motion of condolence was passed on the death of Mrs. J. Hillman on the 28th inst. A large attendance is requested at the next meeting (managed) on Aug. 16, an important business is to be discussed.

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Northcote and Preston Have Hopes Shattered

OAKLEIGH RISE TO THE OCCASION
And Defeat Preston By Seven Points

VISITORS SWEPT ASIDE IN SECOND TERM
TENSE MOMENTS IN EXCITING FINISH (By "Follower")

At Oakleigh last Saturday Preston received a taste of the medicine they gave Coburg on the previous Saturday. With pace, purpose and determination in the second quarter, Oakleigh scored 8 goals 5 behinds to 2 goals 9 behinds. Despite this outburst, a little more co-operation on the forward line might have avoided defeat. An exciting game

was played, but the result was a foregone conclusion. Preston's forwards were unable to make any headway, and the visitors' defence was too strong. The game was decided in the second term, when Oakleigh's forwards scored 8 goals 5 behinds to Preston's 2 goals 9 behinds. The result was a foregone conclusion.

HALF-TIME
OAKLEIGH 8 5 59
PRESTON 2 9 27

PRESTON COME INTO THEIR OWN
Resuming after the interval, Preston rushed forward, though not with the same crispness that prevailed on the previous Saturday. They were unable to make any headway, and the visitors' defence was too strong. The game was decided in the second term, when Oakleigh's forwards scored 8 goals 5 behinds to Preston's 2 goals 9 behinds.

THREE-QUARTER
OAKLEIGH 11 13 70
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NORTHCOTE WELL BEATEN

Brilliant Finish by Coburg Brings Success
WONDERFUL EXHIBITION BY COBURG'S CAPTAIN (By "Rover")

Northcote suffered their third defeat for the season last Saturday when Coburg, in a brilliant last quarter rally, completely outclassed them in all-round play. Only their inaccuracy forward prevented them from soundly trouncing their opponents. Rudolph, Coburg's captain, played a remarkable game.

Northcote met Coburg on the latter's ground, where the return match was played. When these teams met earlier in the season at Northcote, Coburg were no match for their rivals. On this occasion, however, with the inclusion of their captain, Coburg proved to be a different team. It is doubtful if ever there has been such an individual effort as that displayed by Rudolph. Realizing the importance of the game he proved formidable and the success of his side was due in no small measure to his efforts.

TO-MORROW'S DISPLAY
Northcote v Oakleigh, at Northcote Park.
Preston v Prahran, at Preston.
Yarraville v Brunswick, at Yarraville.
Camberwell v Yarraville, at Camberwell.
Port Melbourne v Brighton, at Port Melbourne.
Williamstown v Coburg, at Williamstown.

HALF-TIME SCORES
NORTHCOTE 5 4 34
COBURG 8 5 59

FINAL SCORES
NORTHCOTE 5 4 34
COBURG 8 5 59

QUARTER TIME SCORES
NORTHCOTE 2 2 14
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Church Notices

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH NORTHCOTE
Sunday, August 12
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Subject, "By the Grace of God." Rev. A. H. Constable.
7 p.m.—Rev. F. A. Crawshaw, Mission to Lepers.
All Welcome.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND
Tyler Street, Preston
August 12—14th Sunday after Trinity
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon. The Rev. (Rev. F. Parsons).
7 p.m.—Evening Prayer, Preacher, Archdeacon Hancock, M.A., Archdeacon of Melbourne. Church Parade of All Societies.

HOLY TRINITY, THORNBURY
Shattosbury Pde. (off High St.)
The Church of the Holy Trinity
August 12—14th Sunday after Trinity
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Choral Eucharist.
7 p.m.—Evening.
Celebrant and Preacher, The Vicar (The Rev. W. H. Chamberlain).

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY
Bayview Street, Northcote
Sunday, Aug. 12, Trinity XI.
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Matins and Sermon.
7 p.m.—Evansons. Preacher, Rev. L. Wenzel.

ST. ALDAN'S, Victoria Road
7 p.m.—Vespers of Mayor and Councillors. Special anthems by the Choir. Preacher, Rev. C. O. Hughes.
Rev. Thomas Cole, Th. Schol., Vicar.

NORTHCOTE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (Martin Street)
Next Sunday Morning at 11.
REV. C. WATTS
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Evening Service at 7 as usual.
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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

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Senators Election

SENATOR R. D. ELLIOTT
opens his METROPOLITAN CAMPAIGN in the Northcote Town Hall on **MONDAY, AUGUST 13, at 8 p.m.**
Senator Elliott is fighting a lone battle against the political machine. He will deal exhaustively with the important questions affecting national prosperity and employment.

FEDERAL ELECTIONS

Batman Electorate

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WILL OPEN HIS CAMPAIGN AT Northcote Town Hall **MONDAY, AUGUST 20**
Lieut.-Colonel P. W. White, M.H.R., Minister for Trade and Customs, will support.

COMMITTEES MEET—Northcote.—Town Hall (upstairs Supper Room), WEDNESDAY, AUG. 15, 8 p.m.
Fairfield.—Hammett's Hall (opposite Halfway Station), WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15, 8 p.m.
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Authorized by **GEO. HENDERSON**, Campaign Director.

Preston Municipal Election

WEST WARD

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Preston Council Election

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Northcote and Preston Protestant Churches' Cricket Association
THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Association will be held on **MONDAY, AUGUST 13, at 8 p.m.**, in Northcote Methodist Church. Clubs desiring to enter the above association are requested to inquire of **F. J. HEWISH**, Hon. Gen. Sec., 25 Taylor St., North Fitzroy, N.T.

AN APPEAL
THE Preston Branch R.S.S.I.L.A. appeals to citizens to support the DANCE (Old Time and Modern) to be conducted in Preston City Hall on **THURSDAY, AUGUST 23**, in aid of Widow and Family of the Late Digby W. P. (DIP) CHIL. Donations of groceries or kind will be gratefully received at the Memorial Hall any evening, or at Values' Office, Town Hall, from 4 to 4.45 p.m. Price of admission 1/6. Refreshments and tax. Also Eucrya Tournament.

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NORTHCOTE CRICKET CLUB

ANNUAL MEETING
THE ANNUAL MEETING of the NORTHCOTE CRICKET CLUB will be held in the Northcote Town Hall (Small Hall) on **TUESDAY, 14th AUGUST, 1934, at 8 p.m.**
Business: Reception of Annual Report and Balance Sheet. Election of Officers, General.
(Signed) **A. E. JOHNSON**

City of Northcote

A. H. OLDIS MEMORIAL
NOTICE is hereby given that the TABLET on MEMORIAL GATES, erected at Oldis Gardens (late Northcote), Westgarth Street, Northcote, WILL BE UNVEILED by the GATES OPENED by His Worship the Mayor, Councillor M. C. Jones, on **SUNDAY, 19th AUGUST, 1934, at 3 p.m.**
A suitable ceremony has been arranged, and the general public is invited to be present.
E. C. YEOMANS, Hon. Sec., Memorial Committee.
J. A. THOMSON, Town Clerk.

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BY THE PUPILS
Assisted by Other Artists
NORTHCOTE TOWN HALL
Wednesday, August 15, 1934
at 8 p.m.

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Preston v. Prahran
SATURDAY AFTERNOON — AT PRESTON
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DON'T FAIL TO SEE THIS IMPORTANT CONTEST

Do You Really Appreciate
the efforts the committee are making to place a side in the field which will be strong enough to win the Centenary Premiership flag for your district? This honor can only be achieved by seeing that the committee are able to honorably meet their obligations. The committee are doing their best. Are you doing yours? Send along your donation now and help the club secure the Centenary Premiership.
ALLAN McCASKER, Secretary.

Northcote v Oakleigh
TO-MORROW (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON
Admission: Res. 1/4d, Outer 10d. Children: Res. 7d., Outer 3d.

Dance alternate Wednesday Evenings
MASONIC HALL, HASTINGS STREET, NORTHCOTE
Next Dance: **AUGUST 22**
Crazy Whist Evening — Northcote Town Hall
SATURDAY, AUGUST 25
Ring Mr. B. Hoeking (JW1063) for table reservations.
Picture Night — Regent Theatre, City.
DATE TO BE ANNOUNCED
H. LEIGH JONES, Social Secretary.

ARCHBISHOP HEAD AT NORTHCOTE
Officers at Confirmation Service at Epiphany Church
On Monday evening a crowded church witnessed the rite of the laying on of hands at the Church of the Epiphany, Northcote, when candidates from surrounding parishes were confirmed by Archbishop Head.

Northcote Horticultural Society
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SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Housekeeper's position, experienced, personal refs. Phone JW1664.

GARDENER (living in) would like day work, odd jobs, anything. Excellent references.—125 Arthurlton Rd., Northcote.

Foot

LOST—Black kid glove, High St., Preston, Revival.—Council Club Hotel, Preston.

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BUSINESS and private returns accurately prepared under personal supervision of competent accountant, late member of staff of Commissioner of Taxes. See **F. W. SPOTT & SON**, 423 High St., Preston, opp. P.O.

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Lect.M., Ton. Dip. L.C.M., has few vacancies at Studio, Preston, and at private address—
33 RATHMINES ST., FAIRFIELD

MUNICIPAL NOTICES

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CRICKET GROUNDS

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1. The use of the following PARKS for the Cricket Season 1934-1935:—
GOVIER PARK (5 cricket pitches)
HAXBY PARK (3 cricket pitches)
BROADWAY PARK (2 cricket pitches)
HAMILTON PARK (1 cricket pitch)
CRISPE PARK (1 cricket pitch)
PRESTON PARK (1 cricket pitch)
The sum of £1/10 must accompany each application, but will be refunded to unsuccessful clubs.
JEN. JOHNSON, Town Clerk and Engineer.

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Supply of **HOLBIE, DRAY and DELIVER**,
Supply of **100 TONS BITUMEN**,
Supply of **ASHES, MANURE, SAND and FIREWOOD**.
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A preliminary deposit, in the case of cartage work of £1, bitumen 25 percent, and other tenders £5, must be lodged with each tender.
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Mrs. A. A. Gantfield, J.P., of Separation street, Northcote, has been confined to her home for several days suffering from bronchitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, of 1 Jeffrey street, Preston, are the proud parents of a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Hendry, of 52 Madeline street, Preston, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Sister M. Voss, of St. Margaret's private hospital, Recent street, Preston, has transferred her business to Sister Fraser, late of Swan Hill.

The death occurred on Sunday of Mrs. Mary Ann McNamara, of Robert street, Northcote, sister of the late John McNamara.

Mr. William Lovell Hayward, of 12 Esplanade, Reservoir, died on August 10, aged 59 years.

Mr. William Rogers, of Clarendon street, Thornbury, passed away on August 16, at the age of 82 years.

Mr. John Lily Mitchell, of Plant street, Northcote, died on August 10 in his 87th year.

Mr. Holland of Gower street, Preston, also his daughter, Esther, are laid up with influenza.

Mr. R. A. G. Sneedon, who is known in Northcote and sporting circles, intends spending his annual leave at Dewhurst Valley.

Mr. L. Rozenski, who for many years was a resident of Regent, is now a resident of Percival street.

Mrs. E. N. Watson, at the age of 25 years, died in the Women's Hospital on August 9.

Mr. E. A. Ricardo, 72, of Murray street, West Preston, died on Tuesday evening.

Mr. J. Matthews has taken up his position as head master of West Preston State school.

The Social Whirl

Reservist Golf Club Ball Preston Town Hall was the scene of a successful card afternoon on Thursday, August 9, arranged by the Preston Golf Club.

Northcote Majoral Year Draws to a Close It is customary, when the Northcote Majoral year is drawing to a close, for the Mayor and officers to entertain councillors and officers.

Northcote-Thornbury St. Vincent's Auxiliary The first function for the ensuing year is a card afternoon in Northcote Town Hall, at 2.30 on August 21.

Newly-elected Councillor Honored A social evening was held at the home of Cr J. W. Adams, J.P., on nomination day, Thursday, August 9.

Lady Cricketers' Annual Function Most successful was the annual game and presentation of trophies held by the Ladies' Cricket Club at Orient Hall, Preston, on Wednesday evening, August 8.

Social Afternoon In welcoming those present at the James Street Presbyterian school hall on Tuesday afternoon, held by Mesdames Watson and Muir, conveners of the produce stall.

Engagement The engagement is announced of Eileen, eldest daughter of the late Mr Bert Dickins and Mrs Dickins, of 13 Edward, elder son of Mr and Mrs E. H. Williams, of Marlstone, The Esplanade, Clifton Hill.

A Surprise Birthday Party To celebrate the birthday of Ivy, the youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs T. Callaway, "Cubitt" Lane street, Preston over thirty friends partied in a surprise party on Saturday night.

Trunk Hitting Cyclist A motor truck driven by William Hembrey crashed into a telegraph post at corner of Gower street and Plenty morning.

Wife Not Supported

WIFE'S FATHER WATCHES HUSBAND Nothing But Dirt Edward William Stafford, Bay street, Port Melbourne, was called upon at Preston Court on August 9, to show cause why he should not be imprisoned for having failed to find a surety for paying 15 arrears of maintenance.

TENNIS NORTH SUBURBAN ASSOCIATION All sections were lined up on Saturday and some exciting matches were played in the C Group semi final.

80th Birthday Party Saturday, August 11, found quite a gathering at "Fontenay," 3 Una Cr., Northcote, the home of Mr & Mrs M. Bouch.

CYCLING PRESTON PROFESSIONAL CLUB On Saturday a 42 mile race was contested by club members.

Knocked Down by Truck Northcote police are investigating a report that a motor truck which knocked down a woman in High street, Northcote, on Saturday, did not stop.

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PRESTON ANGLERS' CLUB ANNUAL SMOKE NIGHT

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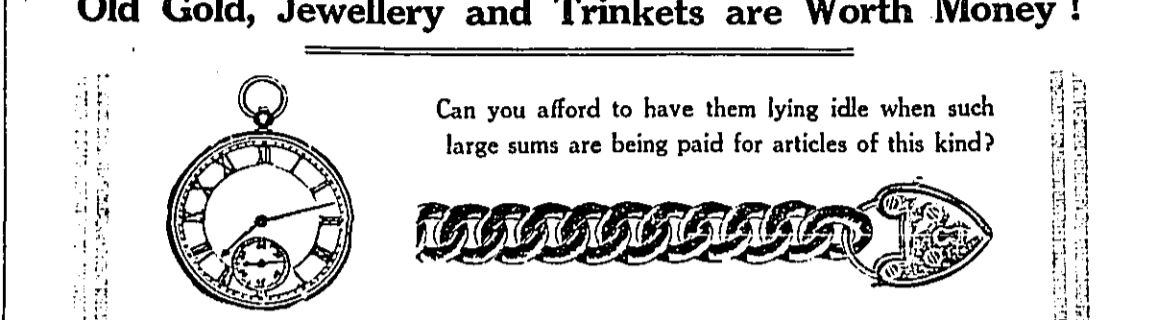
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Church Notices

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH NORTHCOTE Sunday, August 19, 11 a.m.—Morning Prayer, 7 p.m.—Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND Tyler Street, Preston August 19: 12th Sunday after Trinity 8 a.m.—Holy Communion, 10 a.m.—Children's Church, 11 a.m.—Morning Prayer, 7 p.m.—Evening Prayer.

HOLY TRINITY, THORNHURST Shafesbury Pde. (off High St.) "The Church With a Welcome" August 19: 12th Sunday after Trinity 8 a.m.—Holy Communion, 11 a.m.—Matins, 7 p.m.—Evensong, Celebrant and Preacher: The Vicar (Rev. W. H. Chamberlain).

SUPPORT THE PRINCE & PRINCESS CARNIVAL Coronation, Northcote Town Hall, September 12

CHURCH OF THE EPHANY Bayview Street, Northcote August 19: 12th Sunday after Trinity 8 a.m.—Holy Communion, 11 a.m.—Matins, 7 p.m.—Evensong, Preacher: The Vicar (Rev. Thomas Cole, Th. Schol.).

NORTHCOTE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (Martin Street) Next Sunday at 7 p.m. Unique Children's Service Preacher: REV. G. GILBERT FORWARD

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PRESTON PRESBYTERIAN Chr. Chamber & Jessie Sts., West Preston Sunday, August 19 11 a.m.—Rev. A. J. Stewart, 7 p.m.—Services arranged by Members of the P.P.C. Address by Deaconess C. Boyne.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE 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 MANNING HALL, LENOX ST., WESTGATE, 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.

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ELECTION NOTICES

Preston Municipal Election CENTRAL WARD COUNCILLOR EWART F. NORRIS

THE RETIRING MEMBER is again a Candidate for Election and requests your vote and interest. Polling Day: THURSDAY, AUGUST 23

Committee Rooms: CENTRAL HALL, HIGH STREET. A MEETING of Friends and Supporters will be held at Councillor Norris' residence, 30 Lisson Street, on MONDAY at 8 p.m. All interested are invited to attend.

Preston Municipal Elections WEST WARD ELECTORS

SHOW your appreciation of your retiring Councillor, who for nearly 15 years has worked in the interests of the whole of the Ratepayers, independent of PARTY or CREED, by voting—

JONES, L.

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WEST WARD ELECTION CR. JONES' COMMITTEE

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W. B. HOWE, Chairman, C. H. WARR, Secretary, Phone JW1904.

FEDERAL ELECTIONS CR. S. DENNIS M. H. R.

(ENDORSED C.A.P.) WILL OPEN HIS CAMPAIGN AT Northcote Town Hall MONDAY, AUGUST 20 at 8 p.m.

IE-COL. T. W. WHITE, M.H.R. (Minister for Trade and Customs) will support.

Authorized by GEO. HENDERSON, Campaign Director, Phone JW3556

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AMUSEMENTS & MEETINGS

THE Annual General Meeting of the Reservoir Citizens' Band will be held on 24 September, in Progress Park, Reservoir.

City of Northcote A. H. OLDIS MEMORIAL NOTICE is hereby given that the TABLET in MEMORIAL GATES, erected at Oldis Gardens (between Northcote Park), Westcote Street, Northcote, WILL BE UNVEILED and the GATES OPENED by the Worshipful the Mayor, Councillor A. C. JONES, on SUNDAY, 19th AUGUST, 1934, at 3 p.m.

A suitable ceremony has been arranged, and the general public is invited to be present. E. C. YEOHANS, Hon. Sec., E. C. THOMSON, Town Clerk.

PRESTON MAYORESS' GUILD A MEETING of the Mayoress' Guild will be held on THURSDAY, 23rd AUGUST, at 8 p.m. W. B. WILLIAMS, MRS. L. W. WILLIAMS, Hon. Secretary

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FISHING AND BEER

POLICE VISIT NORTHCOTE ANGLERS Secretary and Committeeman Charged

LICENSING CHARGES PAID On the night of August 1 Licensing officers visited the Northcote Anglers' Club, High Street, Northcote, N.16, on Monday, August 13, for the purpose of checking up on the club's licence.

CONCRETE PAVING Big workmanship in police,

TOPICS for WOMEN

Wedding Bells

ZIMMILL—McLEOD

A BRIDAL wedding was celebrated at the Presbyterian Church, Jeffrey street, Roseton, on August 4 when Mr Alfred Zellbell, elder son of Mr and Mrs Zellbell, of Thomastown was married to Miss Jessie McLeod, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs D. McLeod, of Leamington street, Roseton. The Rev Anderson officiated.

Entering the church on the arm of the bride's father, the bride looked charming in her gown of ivory satin, and her beautiful veil was mounted on a halo of orange blossom. The shower bouquet was composed of azaleas, camellias and hydrangeas.

Miss Flora McLeod and Miss Bertha Zellbell acted as bridesmaids and looked demurely at the bride, wearing floral halos were worn and they carried bouquets of camellias, pink carnations and heath.

Mr Henry Zellbell acted as best man and Mr James McLeod as groomsmen.

The reception was held at the Roseton hall, Epping road, where about 70 guests were entertained. The bride's mother wore a navy ensemble with hat to match. Autumn tinsel pendants formed her pose. The bridegroom's mother chose black, green and ivory. The bride's gown was a black hat relieved with white and carried a posy of red carnations.

EDGEBERG—YELLAND

ON Saturday August 18, Rev T. H. Justice officiated at St Andrew's Church of England, Clifton Hill, when Miss Beryl Margaret Yelland became the wife of Mr Martin Edgeberg. The bride, who was given away by her father, the only daughter of Mr and Mrs B. M. Yelland, of 167 Spensley street, Clifton Hill. Members of the Tennis Club decorated the church with lilacs and the choral service was supplemented by soloists. "Oh Promise Me," sung by the aunt of the bride, Mrs A. Webb.

The three maids in their lettuce green frocks made a complete foil for the bride's exquisite tulle gown of parchment satin which fitted her figure closely and the sleeves were long and draped. Gold fillet net made ruffles at the wrists and her Meville collar, and her girdle was also gold. Her satin cap was bordered with orange blossom and held an old Spanish lily mounted on parchment tulle. Lilies were arranged in her shoes.

Misses Lauris Loyall, Dorothy Anderson and Joy Brown attended as bridesmaids in jaunty lettuce green, one-sleeved frocks, with bat, tulle and slender sweetening skirts. Flared frills from the side seams at the hemline met at the centre back of the waist and their hats of the same material turned up at the top, and were adorned with primroses, and daffodils and primroses formed their posies.

As best man and groomsmen Messrs James McKay, Ron Atkinson, Ian Currie, and John Brown, all of whom reported the groom who is the fifth son of Mr and Mrs S. Edgeberg, of 22 McDonald street, Northcote South.

The reception and breakfast were held in Normanby hall, Thornbury, where daffodils decked the tables and the wedding cake of parchment and gold matched the bride's frocking. Mrs. Edgeberg catered in her usual lavish and delightful manner.

For her gown the bride's mother chose black French crepe-de-chene with trained skirt and oxidized gold collar. Her tulle cape of black crepe and she wore marmot cape and carried dark red camellias and heath. The groom's mother wore a smart navy blue gown with hat en suite and a spray of pink roses were her flowers.

Nut brown elephant hide crepe formed the bride's travelling dress, styled with Dolman sleeves cowl neck and oxidized gold bottom down. Her centre back had long, but gloves and shoes toned and her diagonal tweed coat was finished with a brown squirrel collar.

COLLEGE—MILLS

LATE on Saturday afternoon, August 18, a pretty wedding was solemnized at the Church of Christ, Gilles street, Fairfield, by the Rev. P. Fitzgerald.

The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr A. H. and the late Mrs Mills, of Perry street, Fairfield, and the bridegroom, who is well known in local football and other sporting circles, is the eldest son of Mr and Mrs J. T. Colledge, of "Darjeeling" Park Crescent, Fairfield.

The bride looked charming in a close-fitting gown of chiffon velvet with the skirt extending in a slight train. She wore a beautiful head-dress and carried an exquisite white bouquet.

As bridesmaid, Miss Florence Colledge, sister of the bridegroom, and Miss Nancy Orr, made graceful pictures in their close-fitting frocks of

The Housewife's Guide

CHEESE SAVORIES

Cheese Aligates.—Place in a saucepan 1-4 pint of water, 2oz. butter and a pinch of salt. Let this boil, then add 3oz of the finest flour. Stir this into the boiling water and work it well over the fire until it ceases to stick to the spoon. Take the saucepan off the fire, allow it to cool slightly, then add 2 beaten eggs. Work well into the mixture, add 2oz grated cheese and a little cayenne. Prepare some hot clear fat, lard or butter in a small saucepan for frying; have it very hot. Make a mixture into tiny balls by passing the mixture through a forcing bag, or by just dropping it directly into the hot fat. Drop them into the hot fat, where they should swell to twice the size. Fry to a golden brown, place on a drainer, and serve hot, with a dash of grated cheese sprinkled over them.

Cheese Galettes.—3lb grated cheese, 2 eggs, teaspoon flour, a little milk. Use enough milk to mix the flour to a smooth paste. Beat the eggs and mix with the flour, then add the grated cheese and mix well. Have a greased baking tin in a pan and fry spoonfuls of the mixture. As it begins to harden open up with two fingers, brown inside and serve very hot with chopped parsley.

Cheese Tartlets.—Line some patty tins with thin short pastry and partially cook. Make a very rich white sauce, fairly thick and stir into it 2oz grated cheese. Cook cheese to a thick consistency. Add the yolks of 2 eggs. Whip the whites of 2 eggs to a stiff froth and fold them carefully into the rest of the mixture. Bake in the tartlets, and serve to taste. All each tartlet and bake in a quick oven for 10 minutes.

Cheese Cakes.—Take 4oz of grated cheese, 2oz butter, yolks of 2 eggs and white of one, cayenne, made mustard, and salt if necessary. Pound the cheese and butter together, add the eggs one at a time, season lightly, mix well, and turn on to a plate. Shape the mixture into very small round cakes, dip in egg and bread crumbs, and fry in very hot fat. Serve with slices of toast and garnish with fried parsley.

Cheese Melanges.—Either buy or make some small cheese biscuits. Beat the white of an egg to a stiff froth and flavor it very well with grated cheese, cayenne pepper and salt. Dip the biscuits in the egg and put them in a moderate oven till the egg is crisp and a golden brown.

Cheese Fondue.—Take a cup grated cheese, cup bread crumbs, 2 pint milk, 2oz butter, 2 eggs, pepper, salt and cayenne. Boil the milk, add the bread crumbs, butter, cheese and salt. Cook the mixture till the eggs add them. Beat the whites to a stiff froth and fold in lightly the last time. Bake in small moulds or in one large mould, well buttered. They will take about 20 to 30 minutes in a moderate oven.

cau-de-ill rough crepe trimmed with slightly darker green velvet, and Glean-gary hats becomingly perched on the side of the head, the cap had a row of deep red pumice and sweet peas.

Mr Stan White was best man and Mr Alf Cooper was groomsmen.

After the ceremony a reception was held at Youner's hall, Fairfield, and amongst those present were Mr and Mrs J. J. Colledge, Mr and Mrs Geo Edsall, Mrs Gordon (Tas.), Mrs Mills, Mrs A. H. Mills, Mr and Mrs A. Colledge, Mrs Stobbs, Mrs Evans, Mr and Mrs Gallagher, Mr and Mrs Smith, Mrs O. Mills, Mr and Mrs C. McMillan, Mr and Mrs H. McMillan, Mr and Mrs R. Green, Mr and Mrs D. Brown, Mr and Mrs G. Guyan, Mr and Mrs Donaldson, Mr and Mrs Slater, Mrs Dewhurst, Mr and Mrs L. Brown, Mr and Mrs Gulse, Mrs W. McMillan, Mr and Mrs Edsall, Mrs J. Colledge, P. and V. Spurling, J. Griffiths, D. Bigwood, S. Newman, D. Kinnane, S. Griffiths, D. Dowling, D. McMillan, L. McMillan, C. Campbell, McMillan, Lamb, E. and E. Mills, Messrs W. Gwynne, R. Carr, R. Burns, M. Hattershire, H. Mills, J. Mills and W. Mills.

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VARIED CAREER OF WELL-KNOWN CROXTON MAN

Mr D. J. Whiteaker, of 52 Shaftesbury parade, Croston, will celebrate on October 10 his 90th birthday. Mr Whiteaker is a well-known identity of Northcote also in the north-western part of Victoria. He was born in Wales in 1845 and during his boyhood was employed in the coal mines. At the age of 17 he decided to sail for Australia, and after the tedious voyage of 20 days, finally arrived in Melbourne. For three years he was employed on a farm in Yackandandah and for a number of years after that worked in the mines in that locality. From there he went prospecting in the Bright and Wandilgon districts. From this source he made good money, and later purchased a farm at Everton. This was the beginning of his farming interests.

Had luck dogged him in the beginning, but by sheer grit and determination in time he became the large possessor of one of the best farms in the North-Eastern District. While at Everton he was regarded as one of the leading citizens, taking leading part in every movement for the progress of the district. He became a Justice of the Peace and was for 15 consecutive years a councillor of the Shire of Heerathorn, and on one occasion was the president.

Twenty-two years ago Mr Whiteaker decided to retire. He sold out with his wife and family came to Melbourne, and at the residence of his main hobby ever since has been gardening. He joined the Thornbury Bowling Club and soon established himself as a fine bowler and at one time was president of the club.

Considering his great age, his health is remarkable. On June 3 at his residence there was a re-union of his sons and daughters and grandchildren, and a most happy time was spent.

Thomastown Lutheran Church

A concert organised by Mr. Albert Siebel was held on August 18 in the Thomastown hall in aid of the above church. The programme was composed with the National Anthem, followed by an overture and solo beautifully rendered by Mrs. Alice McDonald, the accompanist. A special feature of the programme was some clever dancing by pupils of the Paieritona Catechetical College under the direction of Miss Miller. Some of the dances were a ball by the senior girls, Russian folk dance, solo and tap dancing, and action songs by the juniors. Two of the smaller children prettily danced the gavotte. The clever talent and beautiful costumes of the artists greatly impressed the audience, who showed their appreciation in no uncertain way. Miss Irene Gordon, the accompanist, a special feature of the programme was some clever dancing by pupils of the Paieritona Catechetical College under the direction of Miss Miller. Some of the dances were a ball by the senior girls, Russian folk dance, solo and tap dancing, and action songs by the juniors. Two of the smaller children prettily danced the gavotte. The clever talent and beautiful costumes of the artists greatly impressed the audience, who showed their appreciation in no uncertain way. Miss Irene Gordon, the accompanist, a special feature of the programme was some clever dancing by pupils of the Paieritona Catechetical College under the direction of Miss Miller.

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BASEBALL
PRESTON CLUB

A team played Y.M.C.A. at the Amateur Sports Ground, and after a close and interesting game were defeated by 2 runs, scores being 6-4. Best players for Preston were: Phoycroft, A. Westcott and R. Westcott.

A team played Flemington at Preston Park, and by superior fielding whitewashed their opponents. Preston appear almost certain to meet Flemington in the first final. Preston's best players were Jeanes, Thurwood, Spier and Nether.

A team played Prahran and, although severely handicapped by the absence of their pitcher, played good baseball and fought out a hard game. Scores were: Prahran 7, Preston 4. Best players were McNamara, Hills and Hopper, who was impassable in the outfield and took several very difficult hits.

Teams for Saturday

A team v Camberwell, at Camberwell—A. Westcott, Collier, Butler, O'Driscoll, Thorneycroft, Peysman, Gordon, Spier, H. Westcott.

A team v Kew, at Kew—Janee, Allen, Thurgood, Hills, Sneider, Spencer, Westcott, Fowler, Dyer, Straker.

A team v Spalding's, at Preston Park—Hills, Northcote, Phoycroft, McNamara, White, Jacobs, Hopper, Ward, Nouch, Durrant, Robinson, Hamilton.

Northcote and Preston Churches Association

Northcote Presbyterians v Westgarth Baptists

Northcote Presbyterians played the against Westgarth Baptists and only the "so-so" tactics which the latter team adopted prevented a win. Northcote won the toss and in the first "die" did well to bring four men home. The first three batters effected easy passages and Craig followed with a two-liner, took third on second strike, and was brought home by Thomson's nice run to short stop. Westgarth replied with two runs, and then three more, but later Northcote again obtained the lead 7 to 2. Three runs to Westgarth in the fifth brought their tally to eight, but White cut them out in the next three by good infield work. Northcote drew level in the sixth, and in the ninth were leading with one run. Craig to bat was an effective battery for Northcote, while Craig, Bell and Thomson were most effective with the bat. For Westgarth J. Young at short stop threw many runners out at first base, good throwing. Burrill to Russell went not as effective as usual, but with managed two safe hits. Scores: Northcote—6, 2, 2, 1, 0, 3, 1, 0, 8; Westgarth—2, 3, 0, 0, 3, 0, 0, 0, 8.

Epiphany Church of England v Croxton Methodists B

Played at Merri Park, and a well-contested match Epiphany won by 4 runs, ending Epiphany's score at 11 runs in the fifth innings, and with this advantage they were able to hold Croxton off. The game was contested evenly and in a sportsmanlike manner, both sides playing hard ball. Best players were: Epiphany: L. Darsie, J. Croil, A. Samme (field), R. Phillips, K. Gough (batting), Croxton: H. Webster, J. Henshaw (batting), H. Webster, A. Gulliver (field). Mr. Lack umpired. Scores: Epiphany—6, 2, 2, 5, 2, 0, 11; Croxton B—0, 1, 1, 0, 3, 1, 0, 7.

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BASEBALL
SCHOOLBOYS' ASSOCIATION

(By W. R. Cooper)

Arrangements have been made for a representative team of Melbourne schoolboys to play against Geelong on Saturday next. The following players have been selected to represent Melbourne:—J. Liddell (Northcote), Black (Preston), Spence (Tottenham), Cole (St. Albans), Nicholson (Geelong), Wood (South Melbourne), Bruce (North Melbourne), Reddick (Middle Park), Lach (University), Gardiner (Coburg), Bywaters (Middle Park), Hinton (Hill End), McMurtry (Haweswick). Mr. Phillips, secretary of the Victorian Schoolboys' Association, has been appointed manager of the team. A van will take the corner of Phillips and Market at 10.15 a.m. sharp. The kick-off is fixed for 1.30 p.m. After the game the boys will be entertained by the Geelong High School.

To-morrow's Matches

Other games for to-morrow (Saturday) are:—

Norwood v Bell United, at Northcote. Kick-off 1.30 p.m. Referee, W. Cooper.

Coburg v St. Kilda, at Royal Park, North Melbourne v University High at Royal Park, Referee, Lee.

Brighton v Prahran, at Middle Park. Referee, Phinnagan.

St. Augustine's v Middle Park, at Sunshine.

Yarraville v Tottenham at Sunshine.

Juvenile Cup—South Melbourne v University High at Middle Park. Referee, Smith.

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On September 1 two trial games will be played between the top team of each division. This should be an display in the window of Messrs. Scher and Turner, newscasters, High Street.

On September 1 two trial games will be staged at Middle Park with the object of choosing the best players to represent Melbourne against Westgarth on September 15 at Wintonhall, Westgarth.

Last Saturday's games resulted as follows:—

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On Saturday schoolboy schools will meet Bell United on Hatton paddock, rear of Preston Ice Works, St. George's road. The kick-off will be for 1.30 p.m. The following will represent Northcote:—Kenne (goal), A. McKernan (right back), J. Duane (left back), R. Liddell (right half-back), P. McKernan (centre half-back), J. Nelson (left half-back), Davies (inside right), J. Smith (centre forward), E. Mays (inside left), J. Hodgson (outside left).

For the Northcote side:—J. Liddell, R. Phillips, K. Gough (batting), Croxton, H. Webster, J. Henshaw (batting), H. Webster, A. Gulliver (field). Mr. Lack umpired. Scores: Epiphany—6, 2, 2, 5, 2, 0, 11; Croxton B—0, 1, 1, 0, 3, 1, 0, 7.

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PRESTON MEMORIAL HALL
COUNCIL CRITICISED BY SOLDIERS' JOURNAL

At the Preston Council meeting on Monday evening the Mayor read an extract from "Muffin" the second issue of a paper for returned soldiers, which paper attacked the Preston Council on the grounds that it was not giving the Preston branch of the hall a fair deal in regard to their building. He also read a letter from the editor in response to a protest by the council. The letter admitted that the position as set out in the article was correct, and stated that the matter was to be further discussed in the September issue.

The Mayor had spoken to Mr. McDonagh, R.S.B.I.A., and Mr. McDonagh stated that his committee was incensed at the matter and had nothing to do with the article, and they intended to voice a protest.

Mr. Swain expressed disgust at the article and suggested that the Town Clerk be instructed to obtain legal advice on the matter.

Mr. Mott objected to this course and suggested that the charges were so grotesque that they should be ignored.

Mr. Swain felt that a protest should be made but legal advice was not necessary.

At the suggestion of Mr. Jones it was eventually decided that the matter was left to the action of the Mayor, Mr. Swain and the town clerk.

Northcote City Council are calling tenders for one 12-hp motor van and supply of motor leading equipment. Details are advertised.

SOCCER
THE PUNTER

Spring Candidates at Flemington

POINTS OF FORM FOR FUTURE GUIDANCE

(By "Luteplayer")

Candidates for the Cups and classic races to be decided in the spring were seen in action at Flemington last Saturday. The most attractive performance was that of Sir Simper, who confirmed his earlier form at Caulfield.

Meeting a stronger field in the Northcote Handicap, Sir Simper was just as easily as he did at Caulfield when he beat a Wellington field.

Drawn on the extreme outside, Sir Simper happened to be in his wrong only three runners behind him when the field settled down. Allowed to run just his rivals to take the lead near the seven.

Rounding the turn Gay King and others closed on him, but as soon as the straight was entered Sir Simper repeated his Caulfield exploit by bounding away again, and he went on to win by two and a half lengths and improve with racing.

CONSARF.—In second division of the yearling stakes, the form was weakened to fifth place, the best being the 1000-gallon, a free-going type like Sir Simper makes strong appeal for a race like the Caulfield Cup.

As a yearling, Sir Simper is certainly a good specimen, but it is doubtful if he will be a danger in the Caulfield event.

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THE THREE-YEAR-OLDS

The form of three-year-olds did not indicate another flat race, but several of the runners can be regarded as more than useful.

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PERSONAL

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The health of Mr. F. H. Smithers, manager of the Preston branch of the Bank of N.S.W., remains unsatisfactory. He will make a trip to Queensland, during his absence extending over a month. Mr. J. H. W. Johns, from headquarters, will take charge at Preston.

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The Social Whirl

Card Afternoon.—To accompany the fund for the improvement of a bed at the Melbourne Hospital, Mesdames W. S. Nicholas, W. Payne, G. Keech, Mrs. G. D. Dunn, and Mrs. A. Thomson acted as hostesses at a card afternoon in the committee room of the Northcote Town Hall on Monday. They had as their guests a number of the Melbourne Hospital. Sixteen tables were reserved and 12/12 was raised from the function. Mrs. M. Grove donated the card prizes, which were won by Mesdames J. Myers, W. J. Clayden and W. Stacey; and a pair of stockings given by Mrs. A. Clowley was won by Mrs. W. Shaw.

On Wednesday evening Mr. John D. Ryder, who for many years has been on the staff of the Tyler street State School, was entertained by a group of old boys presented with a gold-mounted pipe as a token of affection from those who have passed through his hands. Mr. Ryder, during his long term at Tyler Street, has been devotedly popular, not only with his teachers and pupils, but with the hundreds of children who will miss his guiding hand and warm interest in all their young ambitions. Many of his past pupils have taken the opportunity to express their gratitude for the kindly words that set their steps in the right path, and to congratulate him on his promotion. Mr. Ryder will be greatly missed at Preston.

A Trip to Fiji.—Hugh Crowe and Trevor Pratt, both of Gilbert road, West Preston, left last week on the Stratford for a three weeks' holiday cruise to Fiji. To Be Married.—Miss Daisy Chirgwin, of Northernhay street, North Preston, has retired from the teaching staff of the Coburg State School and will be married on Saturday next. Her sister Florence who has been teaching at a school in the Malles district, will take her place at Coburg.

Northcote Elect Assembly.—On Wednesday evening there was a very successful and enjoyable Northcote Elect Assembly, conducted by Mrs. C. A. A. Schwaabach, on behalf of the Northcote Cricket Club. The function is one of a series and the lucky number event was won by Mr. W. J. Clayden. The first appearance of the new Mayor (Cr. Walter Glasfield) at a social evening, A Monte Carlo was won by Mr. Prince and Miss Mavis Jones, and the lucky number event was won by Mr. Ivan Miller and partner. At an interval Cr. M. C. Jones introduced the Mayor, who thanked Mrs. Schwaabach for her interest in the club, which he felt would make their Northcote for over 45 years. The next dance will be on Wednesday September 12.

Among those present were the Mayor, Cr. and Mrs. M. C. Jones, Cr. J. W. French, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thomson, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Stott, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Merrick, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gould, Mr. and Mrs. A. Little, Mr. and Mrs. Dalgleish, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Stott, Mr. and Mrs. W. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Bray, Mr. and Mrs. Tunstall, Mr. and Mrs. Greig, Mr. and Mrs. F. Northcott, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Davies, Misses Mavis Jones, M. Keenan, N. Stratton, Bradley, E. McCann, R. Hargreaves, J. Holder, B. Fontaine, G. White, J. Humphreys, Laver, S. McCann, M. O'Brien, K. Keen, M. Hillan, Ruma Vass, S. Barber, N. Watson, Evans, Crawley, Messrs E. C. Yeomans, A. E. John, son, C. Wuss, Callik, Gaskell, L. Beecher, Tom Gurney, A. Boyle, Alex. Richardson, L. Dick, F. Thorn, F. Pontaine, H. Waters, A. Hancock, D. Henley, J. Henry, G. Horon, W. McCrae, P. Schwaabach, Bryan, Jack Thomson, Len Little, R. Finley.

Two Hostesses Entertain.—Two hostesses, Mesdames W. Brown and G. Creighton, held a successful card party at the home of Mrs. Rubinstein, Hastings street, on Saturday last to help the choir boys of the Epiphany church to stock their stall for the forthcoming fair. A very enjoyable evening was spent. The supper was won by Mrs. Speckley and Mr. Scott. A sandwich and dainty were donated. The former being won by Mrs. Stott and the dainty by Mrs. Ashton.

Flug Bridge Afternoon.—Three hostesses will hold a Flug Bridge Afternoon at St. Mary's, presented by the ladies of the West End, on September 5, at 1.15 p.m. An interval will be extended to those interested.

Returned from Watganna.—Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rossell, of Erin street, Preston, and their family returned from a holiday at Watganna.

Surprise Party.—On the evening of August 22 a surprise party consisting of the staff of the Northcote branch of the B. W. M. Club and friends, friends, and friends, was given to Miss Dorothy Freeman at her 18th birthday. During the evening a beautiful handkerchief was presented to her by the staff. An equally beautiful evening was spent.

Dance and Cards.—A successful dance and card party was held at the Northcote Town Hall on August 22 by the Thornbury Cross Auxiliary to raise funds for the Queen Victoria Hospital. There was a good attendance at both cards and dancing. The president (Mrs. O. S. Thompson) thanked those present. Present were the following:—Mrs. C. H. Henley, J. Henry, G. Horon, W. McCrae, P. Schwaabach, Bryan, Jack Thomson, Len Little, R. Finley.

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Northcote

TOPICS for WOMEN

Wedding Bells

PADDLE-BLUNDELL

Rev. Thomas Wilkinson officiated at All Saints' Church of England, 11th street, Preston, on August 24, when Mr. Norman and Mrs. Paddle...

Navy and White for Spring

TOBY WING, one of the smartest members of Paramount's younger set, has chosen navy and white for a spring ensemble...



A Spring Ensemble Worn by Toby Wing. A beautiful Paramount Player.

Attending the bride were the groom's sister, Miss Abbie Paddle, as bridesmaid and Miss Shirley Bartlett and Master Kevin de Paul as trainbearers...

At the home of the groom's parents the reception and breakfast were held and a delightful time was spent by all present.

SMITH-BURGIS

A pretty wedding took place at the South Preston Methodist Church, Yarras street, on the 18th inst., of Gladys, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Burgess...

The bride (in her gown of ivory crepe royal made on a fitting line and falling to a train, with a beautiful embroidered veil hung in soft folds from a halo of orange blossoms) was given away by her father...

The bridesmaid (Miss Mavis Burgess, sister of the bride) wore an attractive gown of royal blue with a wide shawl collar and a long, flowing train...

DANISH STAR LAUDS HOLLYWOOD FASHIONS

"THE world's best dressed women are in Hollywood." This is the belief of Carl Hansen, Danish star of England's stage and screen, now featured by Paramount.

Light-weight Fuel

FAIRFIELD DEALERS CHARGED Scales Blamed for Shortages

Two Fairfield fuel merchants were fined at Northcote Court on Tuesday, for selling light-weight fuel, and in each case they laid the blame on their scales.

Mr. Leo, of Richmond street, Fairfield, upon whose lorry, on August 2, was found on order of 20wt of coal, which when weighed by the inspector was 19lb, short, was fined £5, with £2/4/6 costs.

Albert James Clarke, trading as the Fairfield Fuel and Fodder Supply, Station street, Fairfield, was fined £2 for a deficiency of 4lb, in half a hundredweight of fuel, and a further £2 for a deficiency of 14lb in weight. He was also ordered to pay £2/14/6 costs.

Marks said his scales had since been put in order.

When in these cases were taken by Inspector M. H. Jones, of the Northcote Group of the Weights and Measures' Union.

BABY'S DAY AT THORNBURY

Next Saturday will be Baby's Day at Thornbury when a baby show will be held in the Holy Trinity Parish Hall. The function is being organized by the Ladies of the Society of Charity.

Another function announced by the Ladies of the Society of Charity at Holy Trinity, is an amaze of the market fair. This will commence at 3 p.m. on Friday and continue during shopping hours at night and on Saturday afternoon.

Modes of To-morrow

MONA BARRIE, Fox Film player, has created a new hair dress that is most attractive. She parts her hair on the left side, presses it into two large waves, with a fringe of bangs running from the forehead into sculptured curls which cluster down over her ears at the side with a higher line at the back.

DARING, alluring evening gowns, breath-taking in their extreme décolletage, will be seen in "Marie Galante," the forthcoming special production of Fox Film Corporation, with Kottl Gallien, the French "It" girl from the English stage.

Several of the frocks have a bolero motif, considered as the inevitable step in demobilization which has appeared in the latest in revelations in the present orthodox form of dress. Miss Gallien will wear a dance dress of white net, with tiny lace applique, which will be the most delicate creation of the entire collection.

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Advertisement for Callander flour, featuring an image of a flour bag and text: 'A Standard of Purity. THE Bread we sell is made under conditions ensuring its perfect purity and a standard of excellence which no other bread offered to the public has attained.'

Advertisement for M'Entee & Poole paint, featuring an image of a man painting a wall and text: 'Scientifically Prepared PAINT. Get it from M'ENTEE & POOLE. 614 High St. CROXTON. JW 1610.'

Advertisement for O. Olorenshaw caterer, featuring an image of a waiter and text: 'Where Service Counts... O. OLORENSHAW THE QUALITY CATERER. Normanby Hall, Normanby Ave., Thornbury. HALL AVAILABLE for WEDDINGS, SOCIALS, DANCES, PARTIES, &c. Phone JW4023.'

Large advertisement for International Tyre Works, featuring a price list and text: 'SPECIAL DISCOUNT! OF 10% ON ALL RETREADS. Take this opportunity and have your tyres retreaded with the famous International Traction Tread.'

THE PUNTERS' NOTEBOOK

Spring Candidates in Form

WILLIAMSTOWN RUNNERS WHO MAY IMPROVE (By "Luteoplayer")

Racing at Williamstown and Warwick Farm (Sydney) on Saturday set the ball rolling for spring candidates. Hall Mark and Chatham won the principal races at the respective courses, and several other runners shaped encouragingly.

THE feature of the Williamstown racing was the brilliant win recorded by Hall Mark in the Underwood Stakes. He covered extra ground on the outside of the field, but in the straight ran away from his rivals without being asked for a pardon.

Some Williamstown runners worth considering in the light of likely improvers are—

SHADOW MAN: White his fourth year-old and finished fifth. Worth remembering for moderate type of runner.

WALDING LILY: For the second year in succession the gelding Lily went under to Hall Mark in the Underwood Stakes. No error can be offered for her defeat.

THREE-YEAR-OLDS: Derby candidates in Aster, Great Legend and Dark Sky completed the Underwood stakes all three performing creditably. Great Legend, however, confirmed the earlier opinion that he is only a sprinter.

ACEZ has developed into a magnificent colt and looks a typical Derby prospect. He is by Lametian from Pomsbury, so should not be lacking in stamina.

TOP HOLE: Did not have a clear run in Truganina Handicap, but fought gamely for fourth place.

WATCHDOG: Made the running and finished fifth in Truganina Handicap. Does best when ridden behind the field.

WARRISTON HANDICAP: EASTERN KNIGHT ... 1, TALKER ... 2, PARADISE ... 3, HYPHERION ... 4, ANGELO ... 5.

MEMORABLE HANDICAP: HALL MARK ... 1, WALTZING LILY ... 2, AZTEC ... 3, SUNDARING SLEEP ... 4, MOUNT DANGAR ... 5, STAFFHAR ... 6.

HEATHERLE HANDICAP: GAY STAR ... 1, PICATOUS ... 2, GAY STAR ... 3, OGWELL ... 4, CALLED KING ... 5, SNOWBELL ... 6.

BEST KNIGHT AND HALL MARK may be the best bets.

MERRI THEATRE: To-night and Saturday "The Silence of the Sea" is brought to the screen at the Merri. This is an Australian film version of the well-known stirring and human story.

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THE LEADER, FRIDAY, AUGUST 31, 1934

CRICKET

PREPARING FOR THE SEASON

Northcote Council Allots Pitches

In preparation for the forthcoming cricket season the Northcote Council has allotted cricket pitches under its control as follows:

Hayes Park: West, Prince of Wales Park Methodist and Salvation Army; central, St. James' Church of England A and B teams; east, Thornbury Presbyterian A and B teams.

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SCOUT NEWS

ALL ABOUT THE BOYS

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Jamboree Contingent

FOR PRESTON AND NORTHCOTE

DETAILS OF ORGANISATION

SPLENDID progress has been made by the Administration and Scouters of the Northcote and Preston Jamboree Contingent, and the following details are now announced.

All Scouts will travel to Frankton by train for which special arrangements have been made. The main party will leave the district in the vicinity of 8 a.m. on December 27, and be picked up by special train at Frankton.

Group A—G.S.M.: W. L. Hinds; Section 1, of 1st West Preston, and 4th Preston troops under W. L. Hinds S.M. Section 2, of 1st West Preston, 2nd Preston, 1st Croxton, and 3rd Northcote, under E. Mann, S.M., and A. Williams, A.S.M.

Group B—Group Scoutmaster: A. K. Harrison, Section 3 will consist of 1st Northcote Troop under Mr. Williams S.M., and W. B. Price as A.S.M. Section 4 will consist of 1st Northcote, under L. Denny S.M., and his A.S.M.

Group C—Group Scoutmaster: E. Laminie, Section 5, with part of 2nd Northcote Troop, under Mr. Williams S.M., and his A.S.M. Section 6 will consist of 2nd Northcote (balance), 1st Dennis 2nd Reserve, under F. R. Higham S.M., and his A.S.M.

Each section will comprise 25 scouts and a fully warranted scoutmaster will be in charge of these sections, responsible to the Contingent Leader through the Group Scoutmasters.

One-hundred and fifty scouts will attend under this organisation, and parents may rest assured they will be carefully supervised.

Personal Kit for Scouts: For the benefit of all scouts and persons interested the following is the full list of kit each scout must take to the Jamboree: 1. Canvas pack or rug sack; rubber-faced groundsheet 6 x 3; 2. Blankets or sleeping bag; 3. Blanket plus; spare pair of shorts; 4. Spare pair of socks; spare pair of shoes; 5. Spare pair of socks; 6. Spare pair of shoes; 7. Spare pair of socks; 8. Spare pair of shoes; 9. Spare pair of socks; 10. Spare pair of shoes.

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Church Notices

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH NORTHCOTE Sunday, September 2 11 a.m.—Holy Communion, 7 p.m.—Evening Prayer. Preacher: Rev. A. H. Constable. All Welcome

ST. MARY'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND Tyler Street, Preston Sept. 2: 14th Sunday after Trinity 8 a.m.—Holy Communion, 10 a.m.—Children's Church, 11 a.m.—Morning Prayer, The Vicar (Rev. F. Parsons), 7 p.m.—Evening Prayer, Rev. J. O. Hughes, of St. Aidan's, Northcote.

HOLY TRINITY, THORNBURY Shaftesbury Pde. (off High St.) "The Church With a Welcome" Sept. 2: 14th Sunday after Trinity 8 a.m.—Holy Communion, 11 a.m.—Mathis, 7 p.m.—Evensong, Celebrant and Preacher: The Vicar (Rev. W. H. Chamberlain)

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY Bayview Street, Northcote Sept. 2: 14th Sunday after Trinity 8 a.m.—Holy Communion, 11 a.m.—H.C. and Address, 7 p.m.—Evensong and Address, Preacher: The Vicar (Rev. Thomas Cole, Th. Schol.)

NORTHCOTE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (Martin Street) The Rev. W. H. Rayner, B.A., B.D. commences his ministry NEXT SUNDAY A welcome awaits you at both Morning and Evening Services.

PRESTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Cur. Cramer & Jessie Sts., West P'ton Sunday, September 2 11 a.m.—Rev. A. J. Stewart, 3 p.m.—Sunday School, 7 p.m.—Mr. J. A. Alexander.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE 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.

ELECTION NOTICES Federal Elections — Batman

U. A. P. DENNIS PUBLIC MEETINGS TUESDAY, SEPT. 4, 8 p.m. At Church of Eng. Hall, Reservoir. WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 5, 8 p.m. At Croxton Methodist Church Hall

NOTICES Big reductions in prices of GARDEN SOIL, CARRUM Sand, Screenings, Metal, Ashes, Gravel, &c. All kinds of Cartage Contracts, Earthworks, Tarpaving, Tennis Courts, Concrete Crossings and Paths. W. H. DENNIS Phone JW2344.

CHIROPDIST LADIES and Gents! Why go to town when you have a qualified Chiroprapist in your suburb? Late of City and New Zealand. — MRS. R. SMITH, I.S.O.P., C.A.V. Better feet make better health. 88 Herbert St., Northcote (opp. station). Ring for appointment JW1446, Fees from 4/-.

THE LAST OF THE HOME AND HOME CONTESTS! Preston v Williamstown SATURDAY AFTERNOON — AT WILLIAMSTOWN HEIGH, HO! COME TO THE LAST NIGHTS—To-night & Saturday Night—LAST NIGHTS of the Monster Gala Week

FRED HILLMAN and his Boxing Troupe engaged for SATURDAY. A NIGHT OF BOXING! DON'T MISS IT! "So lock up your house. There'll be plenty of fun, And come one and all with a purse full of mon'ny!" ADMISSION FREE! ADMISSION FREE! ADMISSION FREE!

AUCTIONS

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13 On the property at 8 pm, 40 AUSTRAL AVENUE, PRESTON By order of the Mortgagees, J. & H. BURGESS, through their Auctioneer (Geo. Henderson) will submit

Modern Weatherboard Villa containing 6 rooms, outbuildings and convs. Recently renovated, excellent order throughout. All utility services connected. Road made. Land 80ft. x 115ft. Situate well settled locality, large allotment, within 5min. Bell R.S. Handy to tram, school and shops. Immediate possession. Title, Cert. Terms: Cash, or dep. of £100, bal. by monthly instalments over 25 years. Int. at 4 1/2 per cent. per annum.

For further particulars and order to view consult J. & H. BURGESS Estate Agents, 899 High St., Northcote, Tel. JW1947. Also at Carnegie and at 150 Bourke Street, City.

WEDNESDAY NEXT At 3 o'clock, on the property, NO. 79 MALPAS ST., PRESTON By Order of the Mortgagees

A. F. DEACON Estate Agent (J. T. Mahony, Auctioneer), of 318 High Street, Central Preston, has received instructions to submit by Public Auction— ALL that PIECE of LAND, being Lot 76 on Plan of Subdivision No. 2995, lodged in the Office of Titles, being part of Crown Portion 146 at Preston, Parish of Jilka Jilka, County of Bourke, and being the whole of the land more particularly described in Certificate of Title Volume 5171, Folio 1034142. The above property consists of a

Modern W.B. Villa with five rooms and conveniences. In fair order throughout. Gas, Electric Light and Sewer installed. Land 50ft x 140ft. Convenient to tram and shops. TERMS—CASH. Title, Certificate under Transfer of Land Act 1928, may be inspected at the office of Messrs. Dugdale, Creber and Shumans, Chancery House, 485 Bourke Street, Melbourne.

WEDNESDAY NEXT At 3.30 p.m., on the property, 49 DELAWARE ST., NORTH PRESTON By Order of the Mortgagees

A. F. DEACON Estate Agent (J. T. Mahony, Auctioneer), 318 High St., Preston (Tel. JW4226) has received instructions to submit at Public Auction— ALL that PIECE of LAND, being Lot 131 on Plan of Subdivision No. 5357, lodged in the Office of Titles, and being part of Crown Portion 11, Parish of Keelbundoora, County of Bourke, more particularly described in Certificate of Title, Volume 4721, Folio 944168, which land with all erections thereon is subject to Instrument of Mortgage No. 492921 registered on 17th June, 1934. The above property consists of a

W. B. Dwelling tiled roof, 5 rooms, vestibule, convs. Large work shop, Water, E.L., sewer connected. Road made. Land 60ft. x 150ft. Good vegetable garden, fruit trees. Situate good residential street within 7mins. from railway station. High position. Long, easy terms. Terms.—Cash, or dep. £100, bal. by monthly instalments over 28 years. Int. 4 1/2 per cent per annum. Title, Certificate. For inspection apply to Mr. H. Stuart Hutchison, solicitor, 153-155 Elizabeth St., Melbourne. A. F. DEACON for further particulars and inspection.

Hospital Benefit has been available to members of the Independent Order of Rechabites for the past three years, and many have been assisted by it. This is only one of the many benefits to be derived from joining the I.O.R., while the contributions are LOWER than any other Society. See the Secretary right away and join the STAR OF NORTHCOTE TENT (The Largest in the Commonwealth) W. E. FINDLAY, Secretary 35 Normanby Ave., Thornbury, N.17

MUNICIPAL NOTICES

City of Preston East Ward—Annual Election DECLARATION OF ELECTION I HEREBY give notice that the following CANDIDATE has been NOMINATED for the office of Councillor, viz:— JAMES WILLIAM ADAMS, and as the number of Candidates nominated does not exceed the number of Councillors to be elected, I therefore declare the said JAMES WILLIAM ADAMS DULY ELECTED as a COUNCILLOR for the EAST WARD of the City of Preston.

Dated this 23rd day of August, 1934 ALBERT EDWARD NEWTON, J.P. Returning Officer for the East Ward of the City of Preston.

City of Preston Central Ward—Annual Election DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL AT ANNUAL ELECTION I HEREBY give notice that at a POLL held before me this 23rd day of August, 1934, for the ELECTION OF ONE COUNCILLOR for the CENTRAL WARD of the City of Preston, the following votes were recorded, viz:—

NORRIS, Ewart Francis ... 313 PIKE, Frederick George ... 743 Majority for F. G. Pike ... 430 I therefore declare the said FREDERICK GEORGE PIKE DULY ELECTED as COUNCILLOR for the CENTRAL WARD of the City of Preston. Dated this 23rd day of August, 1934 HENRY PETER ZWAR, Returning Officer for the Central Ward of the City of Preston.

City of Preston West Ward—Annual Election DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL AT ANNUAL ELECTION I HEREBY give notice that at a POLL held before me this 23rd day of August, 1934, for the ELECTION OF ONE COUNCILLOR for the WEST WARD of the City of Preston the following votes were recorded, viz:—

GREY, Joseph Stanley ... 1372 JONES, Llewellyn ... 481 Majority for J. S. Grey ... 891 I therefore declare the said JOSEPH STANLEY GREY DULY ELECTED as COUNCILLOR for the WEST WARD of the City of Preston. Dated this 23rd day of August, 1934 BENJAMIN JOHNSON, Returning Officer for the West Ward of the City of Preston.

City of Northcote REGULATION NO. 25 SPECIAL ORDER NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Council of the City of Northcote, held at the Council Chamber on the 30th day of July, 1934, the said Council DID AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION, that is to say:—

"That Regulation No. 25, made under the provisions of the 13th Schedule to the Local Government Act 1928, and numbered 25 for the purpose of altering Regulations Nos. 17, 18, 20, 22 and 23, by providing that all buildings to be erected in the area set out in such Regulation shall be in brick, stone, or concrete, be and is hereby adopted."

NOTICE is hereby further given that a meeting of the said Council will be held at the Council Chambers, Town Hall, Northcote, on the 10th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1934, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening, when the said resolution for passing the By-law will be submitted for confirmation. A copy of the above-mentioned By-law has been deposited at the Office of the Council, Town Hall, Northcote, and is open for inspection by any person interested during office hours. Dated this 28th day of August, 1934 J. A. THOMSON, Town Clerk.

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