

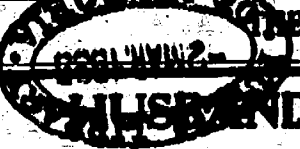
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A Youthful Couple

Differing Stories Told in Court

At Northcote Court on Tuesday Jessie Florence Bishop, Armadale street, Northcote, sued her husband, Wilfred Bishop, Darebin street, Northcote, for a maintenance order in respect to herself and one child.

Mrs Bishop said: The marriage took place in 1931, and there is one child. After the wedding we went to Belgrave, where my husband was employed at a motor garage. After about two years he got out of work, and we came to Melbourne. After living with his people for a couple of months, we conducted a flower shop in Collingwood. Subsequently we went to Armadale street, Northcote about 12 months ago, where my husband paid a deposit on a house.

Left When in Hospital

In January I was in hospital, and when I returned to the home in Armadale street my husband was not there. I asked him if he intended to return and he said "No." I have pleaded to him to come back to me and he said that he would return if I would still let him go out at night. I refused to do that.

When my husband first used to go out it was one night a week; then it got to be every night.

After he refused to return, I told him he would have to support me. He said he would give me £1 a week for myself and the child, and he paid until the end of January. Then he paid one sum of 10/ and only 1/3 since.

Cross examined: Did you induce him to leave Belgrave on the first occasion?—No. He left because there was no employment there for him.

It was not because you desired to go to the city?—No.

Why did he, a motor mechanic, go into a florist's shop?—It was a suggestion by his family.

Did you attend to the shop?—I was always there.

You left him on one occasion?—Yes. That was when I went to work at the Children's Hospital.

Why did you leave him then?—We had never got on well together. Later you insisted on him taking you back?—Yes.

Where did you go?—To Belgrave. Then you said you wanted to return to Melbourne?—I did. He came with me.

Is it not a fact that you drove him to go out at nights?—That is untrue. How old were you when you were married?—17. My husband was 21.

Bishop said: I am a marine collector. When I married in 1931 I had employment at a garage at Belgrave as a motor mechanic. The job was permanent, but my wife said she would not stay in the place, and we came to Melbourne. My wife insisted on starting a florist shop in Collingwood. She was supposed to look after it, but neglected the business. She left me, and three months later I found her living at a house in Gratian street, Carlton. She said she had been working at a hospital. A few days later she telephoned that she desired to see me, saying that she was starving. I met her as arranged, and she insisted upon accompanying me. I was going to Belgrave where I had obtained a job. That same night my wife said she was going back to Melbourne. She got on the service car, and I went with her. She left me at Flinders Street station, even though she said she did not know where she was going or what she intended to do.

About 12 months ago I paid a deposit on a house in Armadale street, Northcote. Since then I have been a marine collector and for six months earned about £2/10 a week. During the past six months my earnings have dropped to about 30/ a week.

About Christmas time my wife was friendly with a man from Clifton Hill, and I had some words with her. I did not know she was going into hospital. In regard to her complaints that I was not home at nights all I can say is that she drove me to go out. I was tired after my

HUSBAND WOULDN'T WORK

Wife Tells of "Dog's Life"

ONLY FOUR YEARS' WORK IN FOURTEEN

No Maintenance Order for Children

At the Preston court on Wednesday a woman alleged that her husband did not want work and was quite content to live on the sustenance. She stated that he had only done about four years' work in the fourteen since the marriage, but the husband denied these allegations.

Mrs Caroline Paternoster, Broadway, Reservoir, sued Robert Paternoster, Prospect Hill road, Camberwell, her husband, for maintenance for four children. She did not seek an order for herself.

Mr R. T. Cahir (for the wife) said that the husband was not a man who could not find work; but it was apparent he would not. He appeared to be one of those who always looked for work hoping not to find it. Since 1921 Paternoster had only worked for about four years in all, yet he had always been on the lookout for work for his wife. The wife had obtained work for him, but his attitude had always been that the work did not suit him; or that he might not get paid for it.

WIFE'S STORY

Mrs Paternoster said: The marriage took place in 1921 and there are four children living. Out of the fourteen years we have been married, my husband has only worked in the aggregate for about four. I have worked whenever able throughout my married life.

"Satisfied with Relief Work"
My husband seems to have got into a groove so that he is satisfied to live on sustenance and relief work.

I left him about 12 months ago. He was then on sustenance. I eventually returned when he promised that he would try to find employment. We kept the house in Broadway going until I went into service, but I could not take the children.

"A Dog's Life"
I decided that it was a "dog's life" and that if I could get my furniture away I would leave him.

On one occasion I obtained a job for my husband at Queenstown. He said that he would have to batch and as he would only get £2 a week there was nothing in it. He did not take the job. I left him in January, and he has only given me 5/ since.

Cross examined: Were you happy up to February last year?—We were not happy after the first three months of married life.

In February last year you worked at a factory?—Yes. The children were with their father at Mitcham. He was on sustenance work?—Yes. He got 30/ a week.

Why didn't you stay with him?—Six people cannot exist on 30/ a week.

You sent to Mitcham for the children?—Yes.

Your husband saw you the same night and asked you to return?—Yes. Did you say "You can go where you like"?—Yes.

You were then tired of him?—Yes. Eventually you returned to him?—For the sake of the children.

After being home a couple of weeks

day's work, but she would not let me rest.

I did agree to give her £1 a week in January, and I paid it for as long as I could.

Cross examined: Did you refuse to return to her at Armadale street after she left the hospital?—No.

Your wife asked you to return?—Yes.

What was said?—She asked me to come back. I said I would give her 25/ a week if she would go to her mother's place at Brunswick, and we could start again when things got better.

The P.M. made an order for 12/6 weekly for the wife and 7/6 weekly for the child; defendant to find a surety of £25 to comply with the order, and to pay £2/7 costs.

you took a situation in a cafe?—Yes.

After a fortnight of that you did not come home at night?—It was too much of a drag after a long day's work. I was working for my niece.

Your husband was compelled to look after the children and work as well?—My sister used to keep an eye on them. I was working for the children—not for my husband.

He asked you to return many times?—Yes.

"Would Return as Housekeeper"
Did you say you would return as a housekeeper, and that he would have to pay you £1 a week?—Yes.

You eventually did return?—Yes. You left the house and took away the furniture and the children whilst he was on relief work?—I got notice to leave the house.

Where are the children?—Two are in a convent, and I have the others.

Will you return to him?—No. My husband won't work; it is no good for a woman to go out to work all her married life.

THE HUSBAND'S SIDE
Paternoster said: In January whilst I was away on relief work my wife left me and took away the children. I had provided the home at Broadway. A fortnight after I got home from relief work I found my wife.

I now only get 12/ per week for sustenance, as when my wife and children are away from me I only get relief on the basis of a single man. I cannot maintain my children out of that.

Cross examined: What is your attitude about your wife going out to work?—I did not ask her to go. She went of her own accord.

How long have you worked in the last 14 years?—I was four years at one place and two at another. I have also had various other periods of employment.

Why didn't you take the £2 a week job at Queenstown?—I knew nothing about the work.

Whose furniture is it?—It was bought out of the income of the home.

Is it in your wife's name?—Yes. If your wife returns will you make her a home?—Yes. Wherever she wants to live. I will then get a higher rate of sustenance.

What she says about you not seeking work is untrue?—It is.

No Order Made
The P.M. (Mr Noonan) said that in view of the smallness of the husband's earnings, he could not make an order.

FOOTBALL

PRESTON MAKES APPOINTMENTS

Preston has several new men in prospect for the season. One of them, a full forward from the Ovens and Murray League, is six feet in height and weighs 14 stone. Another is a half forward from Beachworth. Two followers from League clubs will also be seen with Preston. A. Eaton has been appointed head trainer and J. Monahan, who played with the club for many years, was also appointed to the staff of trainers.

They Say That:—

IN the excitement of fishing, Mr L. McGowan, Roseberry avenue, Preston, rushed knee deep into the water, the result was one miserable shrimp.

Epping Road

Accident

QUICK POLICE

Four Charges Against Motorist

"DRIVER SUFFERED FROM CONCUSSION"

WITHIN an hour after an accident had occurred on the Epping road at about 8.30 p.m. on February 9, Northcote police interviewed a car driver. This man appeared at Preston Court on Wednesday on four charges.

The driver was Alfred Skinner, traveller, Sebastopol street, Caulfield, who was charged with having driven a motor car in a negligent manner; with having driven without the prescribed headlights; that after an accident he failed to stop and render assistance to a person injured; and that he failed to report the accident to the nearest police station.

Collision with Motor Cycle Outfit
The evidence showed that on the night in question Clare Bonner, road foreman, Ellesmere street, Northcote, was driving a motor cycle and side car north along Epping road. When near the railway gates he saw a car approaching with only one headlight; and the car swerved from side to side of the road. Bonner slowed down and drew into the gutter on his correct driving side. The car struck the motor cycle outfit, injuring Bonner, and proceeded without stopping.

At a Garage
A few minutes later, Harold Jenkins, proprietor of a motor garage at Reservoir was asked to change a wheel on a motor car. He found that the tyre was not flat, but that the right hand front mudguard had been bent, and was touching on the front wheel. A man at the garage telephoned to the Reservoir police giving the car number and a description of the vehicle.

Northcote Police Stop Car
At about 9 p.m. Constable Newton saw a car in High street, Northcote, and giving chase overtook it. He found that Skinner was the driver, and that there were fresh marks on the right hand front mudguard as though the car had come into contact with something. The driver appeared to be dazed, and a medical examination failed to show any indication that he was affected by drink. In conversation Skinner admitted that he had been on the Epping road that night.

Evidence of Car Passenger
James Shaw said that in the afternoon Skinner had stopped him, and asked if he was on the road to Oakleigh. When Shaw indicated he was not, Skinner had invited Shaw to enter the car and ride with him. After having some tea at the Epping hotel the car was driven towards Melbourne. Shaw said that near Thomastown he heard a rattle as though one of the wheels had thrown up a stone, but he did not at any time see the motor cycle and side car.

Defendant Had Had a Fall
The evidence for the defendant was that on the afternoon of this day he had had a fall in an hotel at North Fitzroy, where he had been to submit a report to his principal. After that he remembered nothing, though he had a faint recollection of being taken to a police station later in the evening. Next day he had a lump on his head the size of an apple.

Suffered from Severe Concussion
Dr. W. L. Stevens of Bentleigh, and Dr. A. E. V. Hartkopf, of Northcote, stated that on February 10 and 11 they examined Skinner and found him to be suffering from severe concussion, which would affect his memory.

David Scott, licensee of the Victoria Hotel, Epping, said that whilst Skinner was at his hotel that afternoon he had not taken any liquor.

It was submitted for the defence that if the offences were not wilfully committed, the court could not convict.

Should Not Have Driven When Dazed
The P.M. (Mr A. Noonan) said

5 Sly Grog Fine

CONSTABLE BUYS BEER

AT Northcote Court on Tuesday John Henry Smith, laborer, High street, Northcote, was fined £25 on a charge of having sold liquor without being licensed on February 23.

One Charge Withdrawn
Two charges had been preferred against Smith in respect of February 16 and February 23, but the police withdrew the charge relating to February 16. Smith pleaded guilty to the other charge.

Sub-Inspector Murphy prosecuted. Constable White, of the Licensing police said: At about 8.45 p.m. on February 23 I saw Smith at a shop in High street. I said "I want three bottles of beer, Jack." He took me on to a vacant allotment near-by, and went away. When he returned he had a bag containing bottles of beer. I paid 3/9 for the three bottles, tendering two marked coins. While I was talking to Smith, two youths approached him. He went away again, returning with more bottles. He sold them 14 bottles of beer. I asked where the rest of his beer was, and he said, "I've got seven bottles here and a few more at home." Upon going to his home I saw several people drinking beer, and on a table were three full bottles of beer. Asked if he had any more, Smith said "No. I get it from over the road as I want it."

Unfortunate with Shop
Defendant said: In December I opened a small drapery shop in High street. The business did not prosper, and then I was robbed and lost a lot of stock. I got into debt and had to do something to try and make some money.

A fine of £25 was imposed, and in default of immediate payment, the term of imprisonment fixed was three months. Ten bottles of beer seized by the police were ordered to be confiscated.

No Time to Pay
Smith: Will you grant me time to pay?

The P.M. (Mr E. E. O'Grady): Under this section I have no power to grant time to pay.

Sub-Inspector Murphy: He is acting for someone else. Perhaps that person will pay the fine.

PRESTON COURT

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27

Before Mr A. Noonan, P.M., Messrs T. J. McMahon and E. G. Sutton, J's.P.

No Lights
John Norman Curley, Munro street Brunswick, was fined £1 for having ridden an unlighted bicycle on January 19. He was fined another £1 for hindering a constable in the execution of his duty by giving a false name and address.

Others fined £1 for not having lights on bicycles were William J. Norton, Bruce street, West Preston, and Douglas Hudson, Wilcox street, Preston.

Ejectments
L. Jones, as agent for the owners, obtained ejectment orders against Leslie and Winifred Cullen, Down street, Preston, and against Mrs. Ellen Hope, Murray road, Preston.

W. Hodgkinson, as agent for the owners, obtained ejectments against G. Smith, Peter street, Preston, and E. Bryan, High street Preston.

The bench would convict in all cases and in view of the fact that the third and fourth charges were framed from the same section, they would be treated as one.

Fines imposed were: Negligent driving, £5; not having the prescribed headlights, £2; and on the other two charges which were treated as one, £7. Skinner was also ordered to pay £1/3/6 costs.

The P.M. said that the public must be protected. Skinner, when he found himself dazed should not have continued to drive.

A stay of 14 days was granted.

What Preston People Are Doing

By The Reporter.

They Say—

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Sustenance Figures

THIS week's figures are as follows:—Working for sustenance 423 (cont. 1473/16); not working for sustenance 10 (cont. 16); registered for work only 201 males 18 females.

FOURTEEN members had a fair day's fishing at Flowerdale on Sunday. The day was bright and pleasant and every member obtained some fish.

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NORTHCOTE NOTES

LANE CONSTRUCTION

The tender of E. Butler for £103/1/ was accepted by the Northcote Council on Monday.

Supplementary Valuation

The Northcote Council has instructed its valuer (Mr. W. M. Mearns) to make a supplementary valuation of all buildings incomplete when the last valuation was made.

ORDINARY BUSINESS

The Board of Works wrote to the Northcote Council on Monday.

The Town Clerk said that at first it was proposed to do these works by suspending the street.

NOTICES OF MOTION

£40,000 Loan

£20,000 Loan

Public Works Committee

Mr. G. Cole, 58 Roseberry Ave.

Northcote Younger Set

There are more champions walking the streets who don't know of it than there are on the track and know of it.

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Expert Coaching — Low Membership Fee — Excellent Facilities.

FOR AUSTRALIAN WINES

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All varieties of WINES kept in stock.

Wife Complains of Late Hours and Drinking

MAINTENANCE ORDER GRANTED

At Northcote Court on Tuesday Irene Nellie Heath, Rowe street, Northcote, sued her husband, Roy John Heath, of Rennie street, Thornbury, for a maintenance order.

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Removal of Houses

PRESTON RESIDENTS PROTEST

A LETTER signed by 700 odd ratepayers was read at the Preston Council on Monday protesting against the "champing" of old houses in Preston.

Reference was made to operations in Fawcett and Belairne streets in particular.

Cr. Swain said that the council could take no direct action, as so-by-law covered the matter.

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BREAVEMENT NOTICE HAILLEY.—Mr. Hailley and Miss Dolly Hailley desire to THANK all relatives and friends for letters, cards, telegrams and floral tributes, and sympathy received during their sad bereavement. "Worthing," High St., Northcote.

DEATH JOHNSON.—On February 28 (and only) at Melbourne Hospital, Emily Johnson, a resident of Uppahurst street, Northcote, for 46 years, beloved husband of Mary Johnson, daughter of Adam (Mrs. Johnson, Doncaster), Stephen (Footscray), Atherton (Ed.), Glen (Id.), Arnold (Dick., Northcote), Emily (Mrs. Ashworth, Yackandandah), and Melva (Northcote). Aged 81 years.

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PERSONAL

Mr. L. N. Early has received notification of his election as a student member of the Institution of Engineers, Australia, following an examination at the end of last year. He was a scholar at St. Mary's (Our Lady of Lourdes) and won a Government scholarship. After studying at the Christian Brothers' College, South Melbourne, he attended Melbourne Technical School as a day scholar for two years, and since he became an employee of the Electricity Commission he has attended the school at night. During which he won numerous certificates, a gold medal and a silver medal. At the age of 20 years he is one of the youngest to be admitted to this college in Melbourne.

Mr. Arthur John Binbidge, Barry street, Northcote, died at his residence on February 22 at the age of 47 years. Deceased, who leaves a widow and family, was a well-known and successful business man, and his death is a great loss to the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Trevarn, of Collins street, Northcote, celebrated their silver wedding anniversary on February 23. Mr. A. M. Zwar, M.L.C., of Beechworth, passed away last Saturday afternoon after a long illness. He had represented the North-Eastern District in the Victorian Legislative Council since 1922. Cr. H. P. Zwar, of Preston, is a brother.

Miss Lily Scrimas, of 121 Clarendon street, Thornbury, has returned home after spending an enjoyable holiday at Matunga House, Epping. Miss Betty Mitchell, of 33 Bayliss street, Preston (a pupil of Miss Hianchoe Marsham, A.L.C.M., 329 Gilbert road), has again been awarded her associate diploma A.L.C.M. at the age of 13 years.

The Rev. Gilbert C. Latta, curate at All Saints', St. Kilda, and a former resident of Thornbury, who was at one time connected with Holy Trinity church, has resigned to join the Bush Brotherhood at Bathurst, N.S.W. Mr. H. S. W. Marshall has again been elected president of the Northcote branch of the B.S.S.L.A. He has occupied the presidential position in this body so long, and has given such splendid service that he is regarded as the "permanent president."

Mrs. Caroline Rue, a widow, aged 84, for many years a resident of Baker street, Richmond, died last Sunday as the result of a stroke. She was an aunt of Mrs. Ern Jensen, High street, Preston. The funeral, in charge of Mr. Ern Jensen took place in Boroondarra Cemetery, the officiating clergyman being Rev. F. W. Brown, of St. Mathias', Richmond. Mr. H. Bowman, a brother of deceased, who is 89 years of age, attended the funeral, which was held at 11 o'clock on Monday at the residence of Mrs. Owens, 329 Gilbert road, where he was highly respected as the "permanent president."

SOCIAL GOSSIP

derging a successful operation at St. St. Evin's Hospital. The friends of Mr. Terry Ogden, Christmas street, Croxson, are sorry to hear that he is in a dangerous state of health at a private hospital in Fairfield. Terry, who was a well-known and popular footballer, is suffering from an abscess on the back.

Mrs. Warren, 76 years of age, who has been away at her home, 23 Scotia street, Preston, after a short illness, was a resident of Preston for over 40 years. As a young girl she made her first home in Preston and resided in the district until her death. She was survived by two sons, a married daughter, five daughters and two sons, twenty grandchildren and three great grand children. Mrs. Nixon, Diamond creek; Mrs. Dyett, Sunninghill; Miss Evelyn Warren, Preston; Mrs. Crutenden, Reservoir; Mrs. Hughes (Preston daughters) and two sons—Mr. Richard Warren and Mr. Thomas Warren, both of Preston. Four sons-in-law—Messrs Frank Hughes, Harry Crutenden, Geo. Nixon, Sam Dyett, and G. O'Neil. J. Hingsworth acted as chief bearers at the funeral which took place at the Coburg Cemetery.

Mrs. Mavis Jones, of 10 Gough street, Thornbury, has returned from an enjoyable holiday spent at Point Lonsdale. The death occurred suddenly at the Melbourne Hospital on Thursday of Mr. John James Johnson, at the age of 81 years. He had been a resident of Melbourne for many years, and was a widow and member of the family are Ada (Mrs. Johnson, Doncaster), Stephen (Footscray), Atherton (Ed.), Glen (Id.), Arnold (Dick., Northcote), Emily (Mrs. Ashworth, Yackandandah), and Melva (Northcote). Aged 81 years.

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Mr. R. H. Coleman, Frankston street, Regent, has returned from a short holiday at "Rosstravoor," Sassafras, where she was staying with her sister, Mrs. H. Parker, 46 Frank street, Preston, who will return home within a few days after enjoying an ideal holiday.

By the death on Sunday last of Mr. Henry Loftis in a private hospital at Thornbury, Mrs. W. E. Findlay, of 35 Normandy avenue, Thornbury, has lost her father. The deceased, who was 75 years of age, was an old resident of Geelong, where he was highly respected as the "permanent president."

At the monthly meeting Messrs R. Owens and L. Bushell, who had been elected to the vacancies caused by the retirement of Messrs A. E. Newton and E. Jenner were formally welcomed by the chairman, Mr. W. H. Brown, who was elected chairman vice Mr. Newton and Mr. L. Bushell correspondent, vice Mr. Crowe.

At the fortnightly evening conducted by the Mothers' Club of the South Preston State School at Menhennitt's Hall on February 20 the prizes were won by the following: Ladies: Miss Letchford, Mrs. L. Bushell, and Mrs. Kaufman; gentlemen's prizes were won by Mr. L. Bushell and Mrs. Kuschel. The Monte Carlo prizes were won by Mr. C. Jenner and Mrs. Perryman. The aggregate prizes were won by Mrs. Ferguson and the special by Mr. Meyers.

Among those present were—The Mayor (Mrs. Glanfield), Messrs Norman, J. A. Thomson, Ross, Quirk, Johnson, Fago, Kison, Seward, Herd, Francis, Bean, Cornish, Jackson, Whiteway, E. Hurst, Kilton, J. Dunn, Cummings, Thomas, Reid, Thorn, Dye, Daly McNamara, Ryan, Walters, Scott, Wigney, Thornton, Clayton, Black, Flather, Seebeck, Thayer, Goldsworthy, Wilton, J. W. Hurst, Roberts, Jones, P. Smith, Hosken, Galagher, Wreighton, Clutterbuck, Greenlands, Creighton, Dunn, and G. J. Jones. The next card afternoon is to be held in the Dispensary Hall, Gooch street on March 13.

TENNIS.

PRESTON ASSOCIATION A GRADE The final round of home matches was played on Saturday, but owing to the extremely wet summer the tennis to be played on Saturday was postponed until some unfinished matches have been completed. In the Special A Section the standard of tennis has been very high. Rothey have been consistent and retained the form which they display in the past few seasons; Numurray also has shown that he is still a strong team. Danella Park have been brilliant at times, but with one match to play against Numurray, will just have to spare but about 100 yards. Regent, after a very poor start, improved as the season advanced, and expect to displace Hill from fourth place, as they are to meet next Saturday. Hill can be depended upon to fight to the last as the winner will gain a place in the finals and the loser can wait until next season for another chance. Reservoir and Oakover failed to produce their form of past seasons and were never in the limelight. Murray Road (A.A.) pointed supporters and opponents alike and on several occasions failed to field a team.

In the A Section All Saints' have shown the best form during the season and look like finishing at the top of the list with Cranross running a fair second. Hill and Numurray are running level and look like going to the final. The Coaching College have an outside chance for gaining a place, but the odds are against them. Reservoir had no reason to be disappointed to lose to a class form; Sacred Heart put up some fair games for their first season in the competition and their standard of play and we expect to see them doing better next season.

In B Grade, Danella and Danella Park I have not lost a match to date; when they met the weather was not kind and the match remained undecided. For the information of the double chance for the pennant both teams will be on their mettle. Cranross look like filling third place with only two defeats against them. Oakover are at present in fourth place and should manage to hold on to it; but Danella Park I expect to see in the final. The coaching college have an outside chance for gaining a place, but the odds are against them. Reservoir had no reason to be disappointed to lose to a class form; Sacred Heart put up some fair games for their first season in the competition and their standard of play and we expect to see them doing better next season.

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CONVICTION QUASHED

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The judge, who allowed the conviction quashed.

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Northcote Council

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25 The fortnightly meeting of Northcote Council was held on Monday. Present: The Mayor (Cr. Walter Glanfield) and Crs. Johnson, Green, McAdams, Turner, Hughes, Hayes, Jones, Peters, Cornish, Such and Dennis. An apology was received for the absence of Cr. Bird.

CR. GREEN SAID it was desirable that the bath should be increased in power. Cr. McAdams said at the corner of High street and Westgarth street, a new bath was required. To be done on the site of the old bath, a report on the footpaths at the entrance to the bridge in High street, Northcote south—P.W. committee. "Scandalous Waste of Public Money" Cr. Johnson spoke of the scandalous waste of public money in the four suburbs of the Metropolitan Board of Works farm at Werribee. The resolution further indicated that the consensus of opinion of many experts was that the use of best affected by measles could not be detrimental to consumers; and further that Parliamentary members be urged to request the Ministry of an endeavour to secure the lifting of the ban.

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Beef Measles Ban

RADEPAYERS WILL SUFFER "Huge Conspiracy by Graziers" NORTHCOLE COUNCIL on Monday passed a strongly worded resolution deploring the economic waste and the resultant financial burden placed upon metropolitan ratepayers by the government's action in prohibiting the sale for human consumption of beef from the Metropolitan Board of Works farm at Werribee. The resolution further indicated that the consensus of opinion of many experts was that the use of best affected by measles could not be detrimental to consumers; and further that Parliamentary members be urged to request the Ministry of an endeavour to secure the lifting of the ban.

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News of the Lodges

RECHABITE CENTENARY TO BE CELEBRATED THIS MONTH At the end of March the centenary of the foundation of the Independent Order of Rechabites will be celebrated in Melbourne by a series of functions extending over several days.

The Order, which is composed entirely of total abstainers was founded at Salford, Manchester, England, on August 25, 1835, and is the oldest, largest and wealthiest temperance friendly society in existence. During the past 100 years the Order has made remarkable progress, compared with much older friendly societies, its present membership being 1,205,000, and the total funds £6,500,000. In Victoria alone the funds amount to £75,000, whilst the membership exceeds 23,300. Although August will mark the actual date of the Order's centenary, it is being celebrated in March, in accordance with the annual conference, which, fittingly enough, is being held this year in Melbourne.

As a "lead up" to the main events a Centenary membership drive has been in progress during the past 18 months, as a result of which close on 2000 new members were initiated; while a pledge signing campaign has added thousands of children and young people to the ranks of total abstainers.

Details of the Centenary week's events are as follows:—Sunday, March 24.—Thanksgiving Service at St. Paul's Cathedral, Melbourne at 11 a.m., when the Archbishop of Melbourne will preach. Monday, March 25.—Official reception to the representatives and Centenary banquet. Tuesday, March 26.—Visit to the Shrine at 2 p.m. Wednesday, March 27.—Motor trip over the Dandenongs in the afternoon. After an interesting discourse Mr. Newman answered many questions. After a vote of thanks moved by Mr. Glanville and seconded by Mr. Anderson, Mr. Newman returned thanks. This concluded the Centenary week's events at Melbourne.

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ANOMALIES POINTED OUT

The Willamstown Council favors a revision of the present amounts which may be earned by members of a family, before that family is entitled to receive assistance. In a letter to the Northcote Council on Monday, the Willamstown Council expressed the opinion that adding to the wages of a family consisting of unemployed parents, residing at home was not altogether fair, and had the effect of driving those children who were earning to live elsewhere in order to entitle their parents to receive assistance or relief work.

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THE COBBERS' CLUB

Jacko Fluffy Conducted by UNCLE PHIL Grandfather Uncle Sam.

Dear Cobbers—The Competition result is in this week's Corner, and the Pets think all the Cobbers who entered are brainy. Jacko admitted that he was completely "hoored," and only got two right. He said it was a "rich" competition, but as a boy won't he can hardly be right! They are thinking up another competition for next week, so don't miss it.

I guess you all know about the elections? Well, Uncle Sam went out one night to make a speech, and when bedtime came the Pets were missing. So was the Baby, Austin, so we concluded they had gone to a "Cobbers" party. Well, the speech was a huge success except that the Interjections were most troublesome, and would you believe it, those Pets were at the bottom of the whole thing and they "hear," "hear," and "hush-hush" and made a great noise.

On the way home they came across the opposition holding an open-air meeting, so Jacko bought some "ripe" tomatoes and made use of them as missiles. Of course, they were used for nothing and the meeting ended in a great fight. The Pets landed home gleeful, but looking much the worse for wear, and Jacko is just recovering from a bruised eye and a swollen him right, but they say they are going out again tonight.

Send along your jokes and contributions for the Corner. Heaps of love till next week from the Pets and UNCLE PHIL.

COLOR COMPETITION

Bill Stead is the winner of the Color Competition. Congratulations, Bill. Bring your certificate along on Monday and the prize will be ready.

Thank you, Cobbers, for your entries; they were all good. Jacko and Fluffy helped me to mark them, and the Pets were a bit "hoored" but swears. Here is the correct answer: THE WHITE girl wore a NAVY dress with stripes, and the girl who wore HER LEMON sunshade was dotted with PINKS and LILACS, and in her OLD TAN basket ORANGES rested against some BROWN leaves. BROWN leaves matched her shoes, and though the sky was BLACK, she tripped happily along her RED way.

This is Bill's effect, with eleven words correctly placed. The white girl wore a lemon dress with stripes and a gold belt. Her navy sunshade was dotted with pinks and lilacs, and in her old tan basket oranges rested against some brown leaves. Brown gloves matched her shoes and although the sky was black she tripped happily along her red lips smiling.

BIRTHDAYS

All the Cobbers, the Pets and Uncle Phil send the happiest and heartiest of Birthdays. Greetings to Marcus Clark (March 2), Dorothy Leonard and Allan Ede (March 3), Joan de Lacy and Keith Harris (March 4), Joan Morris (March 5) and Lucy Humphrey (March 7).

CONTRIBUTIONS

Something to make. A cart is something to make from the tray of a matchbox. Push two matches in one end for shafts. Slice off two rounds of cork for wheels and push a match through the tray and fasten on the wheels and your cart is complete. Or course a coat of paint would improve it, but that isn't necessary.

Why do onions make our eyes water? Our eyes are really watering all the time; they are producing tears that pass over the eyeball to keep it clean. That is why we blink. They are really watering all the time; they are producing tears that pass over the eyeball to keep it clean. That is why we blink.

STORYTTES Jones: "Have you realised any of your youthful ambitions?" Dad: "Yes, I used to long to wear long trousers, and now I wear 'em longer than any one."

THE COBBERS' CLUB

Please Enrol me as a Member of the COBBERS' CLUB Name Address Date of Birth Date of Present Age Look for the COBBERS' CLUB next week 1/3/1935. (Conducted by UNCLE PHIL)

Swimming CARNIVAL AT PRESTON

Inter-Club Competition PRESENTATION TO CHINESE SWIMMER

At the Preston baths on Thursday night of last week the Preston Swimming Club held its annual inter-club carnival. Great interest centred in the events, due to the appearance of G. Voecker and Kwok Chin Hang, the Chinese gymnast.

The half mile championship proved an easy race for the little holder, G. Voecker, who won by 50 yards. Owing to illness A. Coull was forced to withdraw. Times: Voecker, 11.49; Coull, 12.47; Rogers, 12.31.

Women's Open Handicap, 55 yards.—M. Reynolds (Middle Park), 0.10; I. Benn (Middle Park), 0.5. Time, 2.50.25.

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Uncle Sam's Story

THE HAUNTED TOWER ONE stormy night in December, in the later years of Queen Elizabeth's reign, two girls came out of a cottage which stood alone on a hill.

"That," said Alison, "is Malkin Tower, Marian." She shuddered. "People dare not go there, even in the daytime. It is haunted."

"By this time they were getting nearer the spectral tower. "Can you see the flashing and talking, Marian?" Alison asked. "They are supposed to be the ghosts of the monks who fled to the tower when the monasteries were pulled down by the King."

"Oh!" breathed Marian. "Let's go." "Marian!" gasped Alison, but her love of adventure made her give in. "Let's go," she said.

"The girls went out quietly, and faced across the moor. The Statue was surprised to see them; but when they had told their story, he went and called his trusty servants, and all the strong men from the village. The robbers were overcome after a fierce struggle.

The Council will seek the aid of its parliamentary representatives to support the application for the grant. An American boy gets paid well by a film company on account of his freckles. Spot cash.

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BEND IN MERRI CREEK NORTHCOTE COUNCIL TO SEEK GRANT FOR REMOVAL After consideration of a petition signed by over 200 residents of the Summer Estate, whose properties were damaged or menaced by flood waters in November last, the Northcote Council has decided to seek a grant from the Employment Council in order to straighten the Merri Creek.

PRESTON RESIDENT FATALLY INJURED GEORGE MARTIN, aged 63 years, storeman, Oakover road, West Preston, suffered fatal head injuries when he was struck by a motor cycle in Flemington road, North Melbourne, on Thursday evening, February 21. He died in the Melbourne Hospital.

SHORT STORY

The Real Thing

A big hotel is a complete world in itself. Within its four walls, between the basement and the attic, lie as much wickedness, tragedy, and happiness as humanity knows.

Maggie was one of the Hotel Duharry typists. She had been in the job for just three months, and every morning when she awoke in her little bed-stuffing-room was up among the attics, she awoke to glory. At last, at long last, she had attained the position she wanted. She was an employee of a big hotel.

According to Mrs Trent, who always saw her old life through rose-colored spectacles and her married life through darkened glasses, the big hotel was a place where a girl was treated as she ought to be; here was the time when she met the gentlemen with boxes of chocolates, compliments by the score, seats in the theatre, and proposals by the dozen.

But Maggie's life was not so rosy as this. She was merely that of a looker-on. Even as an orphan of fifteen she had realized that beauty is the open sesame to opportunity in this sphere, and her mirror told her that she had no pretensions to loveliness.

But she got her glamour and excitement at second-hand. She thrilled when Rene, in the flower-shop, had her cheek pinched; Betty, in the tobacco kiosk, fluttered her eyelashes at a customer; and Sophie held not a hand for manure in the men's hairdressing department without Maggie glimpsing the flutter of the gown of the great god Romance.

Yet sometimes, being human, the flutter of that time when she seemed to mock her to lure her to give a second glance, for instance, at Bill Rose, the youngest and handsomest of the three commissionaires; Bill, shaped like a Greek god, but having no truck with women since his husky father had struck him and shown him how faithful the sex were. A woman-hater was Bill, if ever there was one.

Maggie knew it, yet sometimes, foolishly—a dream in her little attic bed-room, she forgot her dumpy figure and rather plain little face—though it was really more attractive than she thought it and remembered only that three days after she had arrived, Bill, passing through a doorway, had pinched her arm three inches above her elbow.

Accidental, you say? Bill would have assured you that it certainly was. Pressed, even Maggie would have admitted the truth. Yet when, over lunch, Sophie of the manures related how a gentleman on the fourth had insulted her with an arm about her waist, Bill, who had displayed a spray of roses, the gift of some attentive courtesier, and Betty of the kiosk admitted a bruiser su-

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Merri Creek Improvements Northcote councillors have been invited to confer with Collingwood councillors on Monday night next in regard to the proposed Merri Creek beautification scheme.

TOPICS for WOMEN

ROMANTIC CIRCLE

ROBINSON - POLLOCK

ON JANUARY 26, at Knox Presbyterian Church, Ivanhoe, Rev. F. L. Foster solemnized the wedding of Miss Jean Gray Pollock and Mr. Mervyn J. Robinson...

Mauve for the New Season

MOST conspicuous amongst Hollywood's winter fashions is the choice of mauve material, it seems very evident that this will be the most fashionable color during the coming season.



As bridesmaids Miss Nell Pollock (sister of bride) and Miss Edna Robinson (sister of groom) were dressed alike in Patou pink. A cape formed a cowl at the front neckline and ended in a V at the back...

Appealing particularly, is a gown worn by beautiful Sylvia Sidney, star of Paramount's "Behold My Wife". It is a dinner ensemble of wool and metal mesh...

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Both frocks were cut on similar lines and each maid carried a bouquet of pom pom dahlias. Little Miss Gladys Howard (cousin of the bride)...

BROADHURST - JONES

HOLY Trinity Church, Thornbury, was attended by a large gathering of relatives and friends on Saturday, February 16, for the wedding of Miss Thelma May Jones and Mr. Richard Charles Broadhurst.

The bride, who is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Jones, 276 St. George's road, Northcote, was gracefully attired in a frock of magnolia satin with a long sweeping train...

As bridesmaids, Miss Doreen Broadhurst (sister of the groom) wore a mauve satin frock with organdie frills; a long flared skirt and a hat to tone, and Miss Edna Howard (cousin of the bride) wore lemon satin.

BOWLS

DISTRICT TEAMS SUCCEED

Northcote, Preston and Thornbury were all successful on Saturday.

Northcote visited Collingwood, and at the close of play had a margin of 8, 10-11. Play was close throughout. Pollock's rink led by 33-32.

Thornbury secured a 12-point win against Newport on the latter's green. Fortunes fluctuated remarkably, as the scores indicate, and the Thornbury men had many anxious moments.

Thornbury Downes Newport. Rogers and Daley's rink, 10-8; Thornbury men had many anxious moments. Scores:—

Cornish, Monro, Murden, Allen lost to Boyd and Daley's rink, 10-8; Roberton, Sharp lost to Field's rink, 18-19; Whalley, Hayes, Edwards, Rogers and Daley's rink, 10-8; White, Frencham, Johnson d. Willis' rink, 27-17.

Preston Defeat Port Melbourne. Port Melbourne was at home to Preston and after a remarkable game the visitors secured the honors by the narrow margin of 10-9.

Other Matches. Elsternwick v Ivanhoe, 98-88; S.M.C.C. d Heidelberg, 125-61; Alphington d Glen Iris, 94-86; B. PENNANT.

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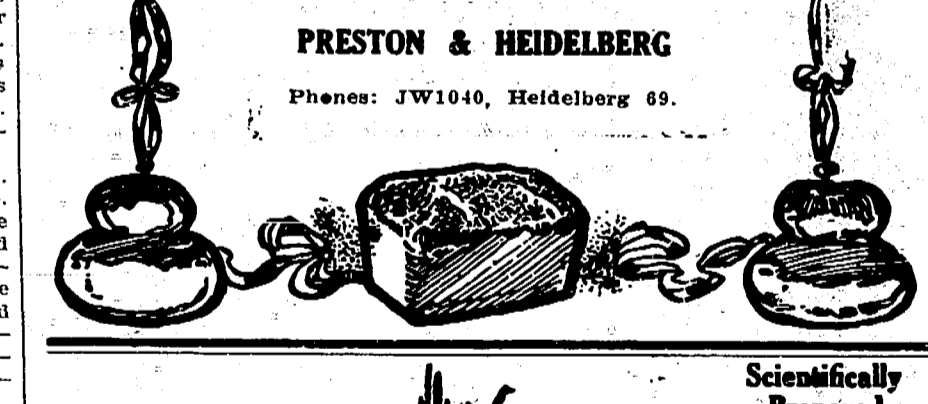
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CHURCHES

Northcote Church of Christ. The Sisters' Mission Band held its first meeting for the year on Wednesday, February 20, when interesting papers on Home and Foreign Missions were read.

Northcote Congregational. On Sunday, February 4, Harvest Festival services were held, the pastor preaching at both services.

Church of the Epiphany. At Evensong on Sunday the 25th anniversary of Handel's birth was celebrated and a special music was featured.

St. Aidan's Church of England. Services on Sunday were taken by the vicar and Rev. J. O. Hughes, there being good attendances.

St. Mary's Church of England. Harvest Thanksgiving services will be held next Sunday, 3rd prox., and not in mid-Lent as previously reported.

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Winch. Next Monday at 8 p.m. a similar service will be held at 176 Leconfield parade, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson.

High Street Methodist. All good gifts around us. Are sent from heaven above; Thank the Lord, O thank the Lord.

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Some Poultry Questions

Youth Charged With Theft. If a "clucky" hen is taken off one nest, will it immediately settle down on another?

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ST. MARY'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND
Plenty Road, Preston.
March 2: Quinquagesima (Harvest Thanksgiving)
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
10 a.m.—Children's Church.
11 a.m.—Matins (Choral), the Vicar (Rev. A. M. Capper Th.L.).
7 p.m.—Evening (Choral), Rev. J. A. C. Foster, Th.L., Vicar of St. Cecilia's, West Preston.

HOLY TRINITY, THORNBURY
Shaftebury Rd. (off High St.)
"The Church with a Welcome"
March 2: Quinquagesima.
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Matins and Holy Baptism.
4.15 p.m.—Holy Baptism.
7 p.m.—Evening.
Soloist: Miss Gladys Richards.
Celebrant and Preacher: The Vicar (Rev. W. H. Chamberlain).
March 6: Ash Wednesday.
8.30 a.m. and 8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
8 p.m.—Evening Service.

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY
Bayview Street, Northcote
Sunday, March 3
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
10 a.m.—Holy Communion.
7 p.m.—Evening.
Preacher: The Vicar (Rev. Thomas Cole, Th. Schol.).

NORTHCOTE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (March Street)
Sunday, March 3
Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Evening at 7 p.m.
Pastor: Rev. W. H. Rayner, B.A., D.D.
Bright Services
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THE APOSTOLIC CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA
Wimble Street, Northcote
Sunday, March 3
USUAL SERVICES
All Welcome.

NORTHCOTE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
James Street
Sunday, March 3
Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Evening, 7 p.m.
Rev. A. T. Jones.

PRESTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Cnr. Jessie and Cranmer Sts.
Sunday, March 3
11 a.m.—Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.
8 p.m.—Rev. A. J. Stewart.
2 p.m.—Bible Classes.
3 p.m.—Sunday School.

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 the WESTGARTH 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 Westgarth Hall, Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 2.30 to 4.30 p.m.

AUCTIONS

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13
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Preston Anglers' Outing
The anglers made a trip to Point Cook per motor launch from Port Melbourne for a day amongst the whiting. It turned out to be a very good day, but it was a hard job to find them. However we landed 200 whiting and a few mixed fish. The party, consisting of 12 anglers, returned to the rendezvous a shoal of porpoises which gave a fine display but none of the anglers were game to try and catch one. We had one "cot case" aboard. Most of those who made the trip are looking forward to another outing.

AMUSEMENTS

CITY HALL, PRESTON
FRED HILLMAN & HIS TROUPE OF ATHLETES
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Conductor: Mr. Leo Leslie.
Mrs. Bert Palmer at the piano.
Artists for Friday: The Allegro, Hawaiian Musical Will Clarke, Comedian, Les Daily in "Topicalities".
SAR will broadcast this session commencing March 29.
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Preston Municipal Band
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Croxton Methodist Girls' Gymnasium Club
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Divorce Decree Nisi
In the Banco Court on Wednesday, before Mr. Justice Duffy, Sydney Charles Clement Gilson, 31 years, of Beat Street, Reservoir, upholsterer, petitioned for divorce from Marie Lilian Gilson, 35 years, Leopold Crescent, Mont. Albert, on the ground of desertion. The marriage took place on 12th October, 1927, at Toorak. A decree nisi was granted.

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THE ELECTIONS

Members Retain Seats

The State Election was held on Saturday last. Mr. Cain (Lab.) (Heidelberg), Mr. H. P. Zwar (U.A.P.) (Northcote), Mr. H. M. Creman (Lab.) (Clifton Hill) retained their seats with ease.

When counting was completed on Saturday night the results shown were:—

NORTHCOTE	
Cain, John	13,972
Edmunds, Frederic Lewis	6,997
Cain Edmunds	1,245
Croxton	2,834
Dennis	1,040
Northcote S.E.	4,423
Northcote S.E.	748
Thornbury	2,704
Thornbury West	1,859
1,323	
Totals	13,972 6,997

(Informal 808)
Majority for Cain 7275
Mr Cain was the retiring member.

HEIDELBERG
ZWAR, Henry Peter (U.A.P.) 13,670
WEBER, Gordon Charles (Lab.) 11,132
Wobber Zwar
1,291 1,291

AUSTIN HOSPITAL
1,094 1,094
Heidelberg West 197 312
Ivanhoe East 1,311 2,990
Ball 995 822
Mont. Park 89 255
Preston East 2,676 2,676
Preston North 1,411 1,642
Preston South 1,168 945
Preston West 1,683 1,255
Reservoir 946 845
Postal 136 282

Totals 11,132 13,670
(Informal 278)
Mr Zwar was the retiring member.

CLIFTON HILL
CREMEAN, Herbert Michael (Lab.) 12,911
HOLT, Harold Edward 8,117
W.P.A. (Informal 344)
Mr Creman was the retiring member.

WHITTLESEA.

Personal

Mr and Mrs J. C. Gibbs and family will leave Saturday for a three weeks' holiday at Chelsea. Mrs Rowcroft will be relieving in the post office.

Mrs M. A. Ferguson and family left Whittlesea on Monday to join Mr Ferguson in New South Wales.

Mr Bert Wallies, who was operated upon two weeks ago, is making satisfactory progress. His hip was opened, the bone scraped and a fresh peg inserted. The doctors hold out every hope for a complete recovery. Mr Wallies has been on crutches for over two years.

Mr Gordon Jolly has taken over Mr Wallies' garage during his indisposition.

Presbyterian Church News

The Harvest Festival services will be held on Sunday, An endeavour is to be made to form a children's choir to lead the singing during the services.

Hospital Auxiliary Meeting

At a meeting of the Women's Hospital Auxiliary last week Mrs Clancy was in the chair and the next afternoon was controlled by Mrs and Joy Alchin. The meeting was the best entertainment run by the committee. The prize for a guessing competition was won by Mrs Clancy. Pillow cases were cut and forwarded to hospital. 3/ was forwarded to the Birthday Cot fund for Mrs Clancy. It was decided to forward a letter of appreciation to Mrs McKendrick for her efforts last year.

Among those present were—Messrs James Clancy, Beney, S. Beney, Winwood, Le Nephun, and Burton. Several apologies were received.

"Among the frogs," I read, "It is the female which does the wooing." With these overtures, of course, every year, in leap years.

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Annual Meeting

NORTHCOTE YOUNGER SET AUXILIARY

Clash with Archbishop

DEFENCE TO BE TAKEN AGAINST REV. HAYES

The fourth annual meeting of the Northcote Younger Set Auxiliary was held on Tuesday evening in the small town hall, and due to the large attendance was a most successful one as on previous occasions.

In the absence of Mr. B. Hosking (president), Mr. R. R. Gray (vice-president) welcomed the gathering visitors—The mayors (Mrs. Walter, Glanfield), Mrs. J. H. Green (inaugural president), Mrs. R. Thompson (Northcote Red Cross Auxiliary), Mrs. S. Dennis (Creche), Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thomson and Mr. and Mrs. H. Hunt.

In taking the chair Mrs. Green expressed pleasure at the honor conferred on her, and suggested that in the coming year a membership drive be embarked upon to bring the numbers up to full strength.

Mr. J. A. Thomson apologised for the absence of the mayor and moved the adoption of the annual report and balance sheet. He referred to the auxiliary's four years of charitable work and the numerous activities during the past year. Messrs. Hosking (president) and Eckhardt (secretary) deserved praise for their work. He took pleasure in moving the adoption of the report and balance sheet, and expressed good wishes for the coming year. Mrs. Glanfield seconded and expressed appreciation for the Younger Set's assistance during the past year. Mrs. A. Brown, secretary, and Misses V. Hatfield and I. Eckhardt, Messrs. R. Brockie and R. Brodie; Messrs. A. Brown, press correspondent, Mr. R. Mott, responses were made by the newly-elected officers.

A vote of thanks was passed to the auditor (Mr. A. East), and the retiring officers, congratulating them on working well together, and Mr. Phillips seconded. Mr. R. Gray responded, referring to the work of Messrs. Eckhardt and Hosking, and the officers, and said that they had worked hard and had had successful and unsuccessful functions. The keynote of their association in Younger Set was "happy fellowship." Mr. M. Dunn seconded. A vote of thanks to Mrs. Green for presiding was carried at the instance of Messrs. Brockie and Mott.

Social functions including picture nights at the Regent and Westgarth Theatres, dances, skating nights and other amusements, were held during the year. During the year a sum of £35 was handed to the Northcote Red Cross Auxiliary to assist their fund at the Melbourne Hospital.

The Balance Sheet

Receipts are as follows:—Balance, 19/2/2; subscriptions, 16/12/; supper fees, 15/8/2; non-household night and tennis tournament, 12/5/6; civil marriage, 18/2/6; dance, 18/2/6; ball, 12/15/; picture nights, 17/12/6; skating nights, 11/4/2; total, 137/2/9.

Expenses—Monthly meetings (orchestra, refreshments, etc.), 11/1/1; Parlo Car Co., Avonon Cafe, tennis journey, 11/1/1; 11/1/1; Regent and Westgarth Theatres, 11/1/6; hall and taxi, 11/1/1; 11/1/1; November card, 11/1/6; bank charges, 15/1; sundries, 11/3/6; Odds Memorial, 11/1/1; balance, 11/1/1; total, 157/2/9.

The Town Clerk of Northcote (Mr. J. A. Thomson) expressed his appreciation for the position of manager of the council's quarry.

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HEIDELBERG ELECTION

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Vote Against This Government by Voting

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ON SATURDAY

The BIG TENT

Car. HIGH & DAVID STREETS, PRESTON
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Prophetic Lectures

SUBJECTS:
SUNDAY, MARCH 3, 7.15 p.m.—"THE END OF THE WORLD." Will It Really Come? What About the Millennium?
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PETROL engine, stat. horiz. 2 h.p. new, saw, delivery, would take position, either office, work, establish. 114 Victoria Road, Northcote.

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YOUNG girl for confectionery business, experienced, ice blocks—W. Patrick, 503 High St., Thornbury.

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REFINED Christian girl, 15 years old, 12 months' experience typing, shorthand, bookkeeping, would take position, either office, work, establish. sales—'Grateful,' 'Leader' Office, Northcote.

WANTED by local woman, washing, half day Tuesday, fortnightly—'L.N.C.' c/o Regent P.O.

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BOARD business girl, 11; like home close Merril station—Mrs. Wkhr, 'Leader' office.

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PUBLIC Notice—I hereby give notice that in future drastic action will be taken against anyone causing annoyance to me or to members of my household, or causing damage to my property at 153 Roseberry Avenue, Preston.—(Signed), G. COLE.

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Big reductions in prices of GARDEN SOIL, CARRIES, Sand, Screenings, Metal, Ashes, Gravel, &c. All kinds of Cartage Contracts, Earthworks, Tarpaving, Tensils Courts, Coverings and Paths.
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THE ELECTIONS

Members Retain Seats

The State Election was held on Saturday last. Mr. Cain (Lab.) (Heidelberg), Mr. H. P. Zwar (U.A.P.) (Northcote), Mr. H. M. Creman (Lab.) (Clifton Hill) retained their seats with ease.

When counting was completed on Saturday night the results shown were:—

NORTHCOTE	
Cain, John	13,972
Edmunds, Frederic Lewis	6,997
Cain Edmunds	1,245
Croxton	2,834
Dennis	1,040
Northcote S.E.	4,423
Northcote S.E.	748
Thornbury	2,704
Thornbury West	1,859
1,323	
Totals	13,972 6,997

(Informal 808)
Majority for Cain 7275
Mr Cain was the retiring member.

HEIDELBERG
ZWAR, Henry Peter (U.A.P.) 13,670
WEBER, Gordon Charles (Lab.) 11,132
Wobber Zwar
1,291 1,291

AUSTIN HOSPITAL
1,094 1,094
Heidelberg West 197 312
Ivanhoe East 1,311 2,990
Ball 995 822
Mont. Park 89 255
Preston East 2,676 2,676
Preston North 1,411 1,642
Preston South 1,168 945
Preston West 1,683 1,255
Reservoir 946 845
Postal 136 282

Totals 11,132 13,670
(Informal 278)
Mr Zwar was the retiring member.

CLIFTON HILL
CREMEAN, Herbert Michael (Lab.) 12,911
HOLT, Harold Edward 8,117
W.P.A. (Informal 344)
Mr Creman was the retiring member.

WHITTLESEA.

Personal

Mr and Mrs J. C. Gibbs and family will leave Saturday for a three weeks' holiday at Chelsea. Mrs Rowcroft will be relieving in the post office.

Mrs M. A. Ferguson and family left Whittlesea on Monday to join Mr Ferguson in New South Wales.

Mr Bert Wallies, who was operated upon two weeks ago, is making satisfactory progress. His hip was opened, the bone scraped and a fresh peg inserted. The doctors hold out every hope for a complete recovery. Mr Wallies has been on crutches for over two years.

Mr Gordon Jolly has taken over Mr Wallies' garage during his indisposition.

Presbyterian Church News

The Harvest Festival services will be held on Sunday, An endeavour is to be made to form a children's choir to lead the singing during the services.

Hospital Auxiliary Meeting

At a meeting of the Women's Hospital Auxiliary last week Mrs Clancy was in the chair and the next afternoon was controlled by Mrs and Joy Alchin. The meeting was the best entertainment run by the committee. The prize for a guessing competition was won by Mrs Clancy. Pillow cases were cut and forwarded to hospital. 3/ was forwarded to the Birthday Cot fund for Mrs Clancy. It was decided to forward a letter of appreciation to Mrs McKendrick for her efforts last year.

Among those present were—Messrs James Clancy, Beney, S. Beney, Winwood, Le Nephun, and Burton. Several apologies were received.

"Among the frogs," I read, "It is the female which does the wooing." With these overtures, of course, every year, in leap years.

60 Miles per Hour

"NOT DANGEROUS" SAYS DEFENDANT

Chairman of Bench Incredulous

AFTER having been chased by a police motor cycle patrol at speeds between 45 and 60 m.p.h., a young man said, "I know the police were after me, and I tried to get away."

At Preston Court on Wednesday Leslie Russell, Kitchener grove, Praeger changed that on January 23 he drove a motor cycle at a dangerous speed in Plenty road, pleaded not guilty. There was a second charge of driving a motor cycle at a dangerous speed, and when Constable Downes and I found him he was living on a vacant block.

Traffic Constable Portingale said that between Kemp street and Dundas street defendant's speed was 45 m.p.h. Between Dundas street and along Plenty road defendant's speed was up to 60 m.p.h. He turned into Madeline street, and when Constable Downes and I found him he was living on a vacant block.

Asked why he had travelled so fast defendant said, "I thought you were after me, and I tried to get away. I was not driving dangerous." "I said 'No.' We had plenty of speed left, but it would have been too dangerous to use it."

Green said he had made a very offensive noise. Between Croxton and Preston defendant passed six cross streets and 20 side streets.

"Speed Not Dangerous," Says Defendant

Defendant said: The silence on my machine is standard. I admit the truth of the evidence of the constables, but I contend that 60 m.p.h. was only attained a couple of times. I was not driving dangerously.

The chairman said that defendant had admitted that he had driven an objectionable noise; and he had admitted that he knew he was travelling at 60 m.p.h.

Defendant: "Time to pay?"

The chairman: "No. You have come along here to try to teach this Bench its business. No time."

Northcote Notes

St. Vincent's Hospital Auxiliary.
Northcote—Thornbury Branch.—The monthly meeting will be held at the Northcote Town Hall on Thursday, March 14, commencing at 2.30. The president (Mrs. L. Roberts) will preside. A full attendance of members is requested. New members will be warmly welcomed. The afternoon are Mesdames Hennessey, P. McMahon and J. Slattery.

Grand Concert

Mrs A. Schwaebach has organised a concert in the Northcote town hall on March 26, and the proceeds will go to the Queen Victoria Hospital. Among the artists are Miss Malfie Ramsey, operatic soprano; Miss Freda Northcote, mezzo soprano; Misses Baylis, specialty dancers; Mr Ernest Wilson, baritone; Mr Horace White, tenor, and Mr Gerald Massey, pianist. The concert will be the national presentation by students of Miss Freda Northcote. Admission is 2/ and 1/6, and tickets may be obtained from the organist, Mrs Schwaebach, Mitchell street, Northcote.

Royal Victorian Institute of the Blind

The Northcote Auxiliary of the Royal Victorian Institute of the Blind at its meeting on Monday decided to hold the next meeting on Tuesday, April 2, instead of Monday, April 7 (holiday).
A garden party will be held at the home of Mr and Mrs T. Pollock, Preston House, Leary street, Northcote, on Friday afternoon, March 3, at 2.30 p.m. Subscription is 1/6.

The card evening arranged for March 30 has been changed to Saturday evening, April 6, at the committee room, Northcote town hall. Messrs R. Brown, W. Oliver, A. Main and Miss McMillan are the hostesses.

Northcote Motor Cycle Club

The club will leave the corner of Beavers road and High Street, Northcote, at 10.30 a.m. on Sunday next (March 10) for a trip to Hanging Rock.

Garage on Fire

Early last Friday morning an outbreak of fire occurred in a garage at the rear of the home of Mr J. A. Jamieson, Dunstan road, Northcote. In trying to extinguish the flames Mr Jamieson sustained severe burns on his hands, and received first aid from the officers. The garage and the car were destroyed.

Prisoner Sentences

Judge Foster, in the Court of General Sessions on February 28, dealt with the following prisoners:—
Jack Morris, 17 years, Jessie street, Northcote, labour, theft of motor cycle and side car; imprisonment for twelve months, sentence suspended on Morris entering into a bond of £10 to be of good behaviour for three years.

Car Damaged

Arthur James Wallies, Simpson street, Northcote, left his car outside a house in Rae street, North Fitzroy, on Sunday evening. Later he found that the upholstery and hood had been slashed at it with a knife and acid had been poured on to the bodywork. The four tyres had also been cut. The damage is estimated at £20.

members; and the total had now grown to over 2,000. In declaring the necessary open he wished it every success. (Applause.)
Other speakers included Mr J. C. Nankervis, secretary of the club, who said that the club had been formed over 50 years, and Mr A. J. Wilson, secretary, who appealed to members, particularly secretaries, to use their influence in furthering the interests of the new branch.
After an inspection of the dispensary which was conducted by the members, and equipped with the latest appliances, refreshments were served. A vote of thanks was accorded to Mr. East for his contribution to the erection of the new building.

New Dispensary at Reservoir

OFFICIALLY OPENED ON MARCH 1

The official opening of the new Reservoir Dispensary was performed last Friday evening by Cr H. P. Zwar, M.L.A.
The president of the U.A.P. Dispensary (Mr Jas. Kuncich) referred to the liberal financial support of the dispensary had received in its initial stages. Before requesting Cr Zwar to officially open the new unit, Mr Kuncich traced the history of the dispensary since its inception, and made an appeal to all to further the interests of the new branch.
Cr Zwar congratulated the friendly societies on their enterprise in establishing a dispensary at Reservoir. This, he said, would fill a long felt want. Should the new venture not prove a paying proposition, it would, he said, eventually do so, inasmuch as it will, he needs of such a large area. There was plenty of room in the vicinity for further building, and at no very far off date, and Reservoir would be a big residential suburb. Any support he had given to the dispensary had been well warranted, judging by the growth in membership. The first dispensary had been erected in 1921. It had 454

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BIRTHS, DEATHS, &c.
THANK all relatives, friends and neighbors for floral tributes, cards and expressions of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement. Will all kindly accept this as a personal acknowledgment of our sincere gratitude.

IN MEMORIAM
PAYNE.—In loving memory of our dear sister Mary (Sister Payne), late of 142 High Street, who passed to her heavenly home on March 12, 1935. Sadly missed by relatives and friends.

The Leader
JUSTICE TO ALL
Published Every Friday Morning
FRIDAY, MARCH 15, 1935

PERSONAL

Mr. Eric Scott, of James street, Northcote, is at present on a trip to New Zealand.

Mr. Robert Kelly, a returned soldier, died in the Melbourne Hospital last week as a result of war injuries.

Williamson was refused permission on Wednesday to train with South on Wednesday and an application by Auckland to train with Essendon also was refused.

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DEATH OF PROMINENT ATHLETE
MR. TERRY OGDEN

Northcote C.Y.M.S. suffered a very severe loss at the recent death of Terry OGDEN, one of its most popular and talented members, at the early age of 24 years, to which reference was made in these columns last week.

Terry joined the Northcote branch in 1928 and for some years gained distinction as a prominent member of the cricket and football teams.

This young athlete was deservedly popular for his heavy, amiable and demure. His courage, modesty and sincerity made him a favorite and endeared him to all.

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SOCIAL GOSSIP

South Preston State School Mothers' Club
A pleasant evening was held at Menhennitt's Hall, Pleasant road, on March 10, the occasion being a social given by the South Preston State School Mothers' Club.

Thornbury Younger Set
The monthly meeting of the Younger Set was held on Tuesday evening last at the home of the Misses Clark.

People at Half-Moon Bay
The Sunday members and friends of the Preston and Northcote Amateur Athletic Club spent an enjoyable day at Half-Moon Bay.

St. Vincent's Auxiliary Dance
A cabaret dance will be held in April at the Wayside Inn, 247 Pinnac Road, Northcote.

21st Birthday Party
Mr. and Mrs. Sherry, of 239 Gower street, Preston, entertained about 90 guests to celebrate the coming of age of their youngest daughter, Miss Olive, on Saturday last.

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Gordon Party
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PRESTON RELIEF COMMITTEE
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Northcote Council

MONDAY, MARCH 11

The Northcote Council met on Monday evening. Present the mayor (Mr. Walter Glanfield, J.P.) and Councillors B. E. Johnson, A. J. Cornish, S. Dennis, J. O. Hughes, W. Oliver, W. Hayes, A. McAdam, A. Peters, J. Sutch, A. Bird, W. H. Turner, M. Green, M. Van der Ape, and J. W. French.

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ILLEGAL DETENTION ALLEGED

PARTIES AGREE TO SETTLEMENT

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MERRI CREEK BEAUTIFICATION

THE LAKE SCHEME

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PROCERA advertisement with image of a loaf of bread and text describing its health benefits.

Final Fours Decided: Semi-finals Tomorrow

DISTRICT ELEVEN
CARLTON DEFEATS NORTHCOTE
At the first day's play, Northco...

NORTHCOTE AND PRESTON CHURCHES
A GRADE
Thornbury Presbyterian, 109 (E. Baker...

WOMEN'S CRICKET
NORTHCOTE LADIES' CLUB
The Northcoote Ladies' resumed their...

SAURDAY'S MATCHES
A GRADE
PRESTONITE v. NORTHCOTE JUNIOR
Preston made 116 on the previous day...

THORNBURY UNITED v. PRESTON
Preston Municipal's reply to Thornbury United's letter of 9/2/27...

WOMEN'S ATHLETICS
Preston-Northcoote Draw with Melbourne
High Jump—E. van de Peer (M.)...

CUP FAVORITE WELL BEATEN

Splendid Win By Sylvandale
La Trobe, favorite for the Australian Cup, ran a good race, but was well and truly beaten by Sylvandale...

"DRAINS NOT NECESSARY"

Views of Property Owners
At the meeting of the Northcoote Council on Monday night objections were heard to the construction of two drains...

NORTHCOTE COURT

TUESDAY, MARCH 12
Before Mr. E. E. O'Grady, P.M., Messrs B. E. Johnson, P. Keane, A. Andrews and J. Harnett, J.P.

ERATIC RUNNING
The sensation associated with the defeat of La Trobe, His 7.9 represented 16.4 less than weight-for-age...

CAULFIELD SELECTIONS
NARONG HURDLE
MENDLICK 1
RAS KASSA 2

LOANS
STANDARD CASH ORDER
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CAULFIELD SELECTIONS
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A GRADE
Thornbury Presbyterian, 109 (E. Baker...

WOMEN'S CRICKET (Continued)
NORTHCOTE LADIES' CLUB
The Northcoote Ladies' resumed their...

SAURDAY'S MATCHES (Continued)
A GRADE
PRESTONITE v. NORTHCOTE JUNIOR
Preston made 116 on the previous day...

THORNBURY UNITED v. PRESTON (Continued)
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What Preston People Are Doing

THAT three well-known Preston men were seen, today worshipping in High street, Preston.

THAT they were Mr. John Jack, Mr. Bates and Mr. Deane, the owner, that it was in "Baby Annie."

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Massed Bands Display AT CRAMER STREET PARK

The massed bands performance organized by the Preston Municipal Band and held at Cramer street park on Sunday afternoon was a marked success, and greatly pleased the very large attendance of citizens.

The annual meeting of the Mothers' Club was held this week and Mrs. McCann was elected president.

Over 60 players assembled on Saturday night when the club's tournament was won by Mrs. Faulkner and Mr. J. Jolly.

With a polished foot "Hitler" has not been up to form this week and when a horse stood on the injured paw matters were considerably complicated.

The national concert at St. Peter's for St. Peter's hall for March 29 is being held in keeping with the high quality of entertainment which has been a feature since St. Peter's hall was opened.

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CHURCHES.

Northcote Church of Christ. The Sisters' Class visited the West Preston Church of Christ on Wednesday, March 6, to assist in celebrating the anniversary of the formation of the Women's Mission Band in that church.

On Thursday, March 7, the Endeavour Societies held their anniversary service. Mr. C. H. Dyer led the singing and rendered two delightful solos.

On Monday, March 11, in lieu of the usual meeting of the Girls' Club a social was held in honor of Miss Estelle Hannaford, who was married to Mr. R. Nelson on Saturday, March 9.

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Prophetic Lectures DID THE WHALE SWALLOW JONAH?

HOW could a whale swallow a man? How could a man breathe in the stomach of a whale? How could a man eat a man on a dry land? Is it allegorical? Is it mythological? Is it hypothetical?

It is a pleasure to announce a competition for Patrol Leaders, through the "Leader" for the Northcote District.

A Handsome Prize will be awarded to the winner. The competition will be for the best scrap book kept by a P.L. for six months from April 1 to October 31.

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PRESTON GIRL GUIDES LOCAL ASSOCIATION. An advertisement in this issue reminds members of the next meeting.

MAC'S STEAM LAUNDRY 656 High St., Northcote. Don't wring your clothes - Ring Mac's JW 3204.

Church Notices

ST. MARY'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND
Plenty Road, Preston
March 24: Third Sunday in Lent
11 a.m.—Holy Communion.

HOLY TRINITY, THORNBURY
Shaftesbury Pde. (off High St.)
"Church with a Welcome"
March 24: Third Sunday in Lent

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY
Bayview Street, Northcote
Sunday, March 24
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.

NORTHCOTE CONGREGATIONAL
CHURCH (Martin Street)
Sunday, March 24
USUAL SERVICES

NORTHCOTE PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH
James Street
Sunday, March 24
Sunday School Anniversary Services

PRESTON PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH
Cnr. Jessie and Cramer Sts.
Sunday, March 24
11 a.m.—Rev. A. J. Stewart.

ROSSMONEY ST. PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH
25th Sunday School Anniversary
MARCH 25 & APRIL 7

SALVATION ARMY, PRESTON
Preston Town Hall
Sunday Next
8 a.m. and 7 p.m.—Adjutant J.
Hocking.

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288 HIGH STREET, PRESTON
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FRANCIS BATES
350 High Street, Northcote (JW4347)
ANGUS McDONALD Pty. Ltd.
482 High St., Thornbury (JW1235)

PUBLIC NOTICE

I HEREBY notify all concerned
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FOR the convenience of members of
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"THE ADVENT MISSION"
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SUBJECTS:
CREATION OR EVOLUTION—WHICH?
Do We Belong to the Ape Family?
FAITH AND ITS POSSIBILITIES.
"BEHOLD THE BRIDEGROOM"
COMETH!
The Rapture of the Church Explained.

AMUSEMENTS
Preston Horticultural Society
AUTUMN Show, SATURDAY, MAR.
23, in Preston City Hall.

PRESTON GIRL GUIDES
THE next meeting of the Local
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School, 100, J. Peach, Sec., 42 Rose-
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Church Notices

ST. MARY'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND
Plenty Road, Preston
March 31: Fourth Sunday in Lent
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.

HOLY TRINITY, THORNBURY
Shaftesbury Pde. (off High St.)
"The Church with a Welcome"
March 31: Fourth Sunday in Lent

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY
Bayview Street, Northcote
Sunday, March 31
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.

NORTHCOTE CONGREGATIONAL
CHURCH (Martin Street)
Sunday, March 31
Pastor: Rev. W. H. Raynor, B.A., B.D.

THE APOSTOLIC CHURCH OF
AUSTRALIA
Wimble Street, Northcote
Sunday, March 31
USUAL SERVICES
All Welcome.

NORTHCOTE PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH
James Street
March 31: Sunday School Anniversary
Morning.—Rev. E. G. Lechte.

PRESTON PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH
Cnr. Jessie and Cramer Sts.
Sunday, March 31
11 a.m. and 7 p.m.—Harvest
Thanksgiving Services.—Rev. A. J.
Stewart.

ROSSMOYNE ST. PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH
25th Sunday School Anniversary
MARCH 31—First Sunday
11 a.m.—Rev. A. McMicken.

SALVATION ARMY, PRESTON
Preston Town Hall
Sunday Next
11 a.m. and 7 p.m.—Adjutant J.
Hocking. Special singing. Soloists,
Male Quartette.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
FOURTH CHURCH OF CHRIST
SCIENTIST, MELBOURNE
A BRANCH of The Mother Church,
The First Church of Christ Scien-
tist in Boston, Mass., U.S.A., holds
services in the WESTGARTH HALL,

For Motor Repairs

LET me quote you for your next
overhaul. All classes of work
carried out personally at reasonable
rates. Twenty years' experience with-
in the trade. Mechanism and driving
taught. Highest references. Satis-
faction guaranteed.

ALBERT SWINGLER
526 MURRAY RD., WEST PRESTON

W. C. POTTER
wishes to notify the Residents of
THORNBURY & PRESTON
that he has taken over the
BUTCHER'S SHOP
at
Tram Terminus, Thornbury
(Lately conducted by J. Ecker)

Special attention paid to customers,
and only quality meat will be stocked.
Orders Called For and Delivered.
No connection with any other
establishment.

PUBLIC NOTICE

COMPANIES ACT 1928
The Northcote Theatre Company
Proprietary Limited
(In Liquidation)

NOTICE is hereby given that in
compliance with Section 189 of the
Companies Act 1928 a MEETING of
the CREDITORS of the said Com-
pany will be held at Number 203
High Street, Northcote, on FRIDAY,

Dated this 23rd day of March, 1935.
F. W. STOTT,
Liquidator.

Note.—This Meeting will be purely
formal but must be held in order
to comply with the provisions of
the above Act. The Company is
being wound up VOLUNTARILY
and SOLELY FOR THE PUR-
POSE OF RE-CONSTRUCTION.

PUBLIC NOTICE

I HEREBY notify all concerned
that I intend to apply to the Pres-
ton City Council, at their meeting
on April 1, 1935, for a NOXIOUS
TRADE LICENCE for the purposes
of MAKING SOAP in the premises
situated at 76 OAKOVER ROAD,

March 4, 1935.
J. H. RULE.

CITY OF PRESTON

THE citizens of Preston will please
note that ANY PERSONS AUTHO-
RIZED to COLLECT FUNDS for the
PRESTON MUNICIPAL FUND WILL
BEAR AN AUTHORITY signed by
the Mayor and the Town Clerk.

J. W. ADAMS, J.P.
Mayor.

City of Northcote

CIVIC COMMEMORATION
SERVICE

ANZAC DAY, 25th APRIL
Under auspices of Northcote Council,
R.S.S.I.L.A., Northcote Branch, and
Ministers' Fraternal.
Address by
HON. W. S. KENT-HUGHES, M.L.A.
— All Welcome —
W. GLANFIELD,
Mayor.

G. B. TURNER

SURGEON DENTIST
formerly of 218 High St., Preston, has
MOVED to new spacious premises
at
667 HIGH STREET, PRESTON
(Corner Cambrian Street)
Phone JW2421

TENNIS

PRESTON ASSOCIATION

In the Special Grade final Numur-
ray and Danella Park still have two
sets to play and the winners will
meet Rothay in the grand final on
the Regent court. Umpires—Messrs
Crowe and Upton. The tennis in the
final round has been exceptionally
good, and Saturday's match should
certainly be worth going to see. All
the players are at the top of their
form and the result is open.

In the A Grade All Saints' suc-
ceeded in winning the pennant from
Coaching College at the Oakover
court. Both teams are to be compli-
mented on the fine exhibition of ten-
nis and the fine sporting spirit in
which it was played. Messrs Crowe
and Upton were the umpires and gave
satisfaction to both sides.

In the B Grade semi-finals Cran-
ross succeeded in defeating Oakover
at Danella and will play in the final
at Numurray on Saturday. Danella
and Danella Park meet Cranross. The
games are 47 to 46, Danella leading
by a game. With two sets to play
the finish looks interesting, the win-
ners will meet Cranross in the final
at Numurray. Umpires—Messrs Lyns
and Graham.

Notices

Reservoir Golf Club

MEMBERSHIP LIST NOW OPEN.
OPENING DATE: APRIL 6

— FEES —
Gents' Nomination Fee 8/-.
Annual Subscription 12/2/0.
Ladies' Nomination Fee 4/-.
Annual Subscription 11/1/0.
GREEN FEES.—Non-Members
1/- per 9 Holes, 2/- per 18 Holes,
3/- per Day.
For further particulars apply to
D. J. LACK, Hon. Sec.
111 Hutton St., Thornbury

SENSATIONAL SUMMER SALE

LADIES' Frocks from 7/11: Special
Frocks for 12/6, or two for 21/-.
Also complete range of Beautiful
Frocks at 16/11, or two for 29/6.
Small deposit, terms to suit your con-
venience. — E. L. GATES, 473-475
High St., Northcote, JW1842.

CHICKS FOR SALE

CHICK Foods, Chick Mash, Tonics,
Brooders, Rice Hulls. See our spe-
cial window display of Live Chicks.
Clark's Growing & Laying Mash,
Clark's Chick Food & Growing Grain
is best for your growing chicks. Yes!
We stock the "Werribee Mixture" and
all Poultry Foods, Tonics, Spices,
Grits, Wheat, Maize, Pollard, Bran,
Charcoal, Lupol, etc. Advice freely
given on all bird matters.
Our Wood, Mallees, Briquettes &
Coal are always dry and under cover.
Schutt & Barrie's Red String Chaff,
Straw, Hay, Thorpe's Dog Biscuits,
Tonics, Soap, Vermin Powders, Kars-
wood Powders, "Phoenix" Meat and
Plain Biscuits. All kinds of Canary
and Cage Bird Seeds, etc.

City Grain Stores

(Opposite Methodist Church)
252 High Street, Northcote, N.16
(Fred Schwaebach, Proprietor)

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LOST.—Gent's gold wristlet watch
between South and Wilcox Sts.
and Bell station, Roward.—282 Bell
St., East Preston.

To Let

SINGLE, double room, also sleepout,
5/-, board optional.—In Bayview
St., opp. P.O., Northcote.

Wanted to Buy

BOTTLES, Bones, Rags, Zinc, Lead,
Brass and Copper. Highest price
given, cash on delivery. Letters re-
ceive prompt attention.—H. BISHOP,
Darebin Rd., N'cote. Phone JW3363.

Amusements

COMMUNITY SINGING
at the
Northcote Town Hall
EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT

FLAG BRIDGE

A FLAG BRIDGE AFTERNOON
will be held in St. Mary's Hall,
Plenty Road, Preston, on THURS-
DAY, APRIL 4. Proceeds in aid of
Church funds. Good prizes; Euchre.
Admission 1/-.

A GRAND CHARITY DANCE

UNDER patronage of the Mayor of
Northcote, Northcote Town Hall,
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3, 1935. Con-
ducted by Northcote A.N.A. and
A.W.A. Dancing, Modern and Old
Time, 8 p.m. till midnight. Fair-
weather's Band. Admission 1/1. Pro-
ceeds in aid of Northcote Ladies'
Benevolent Society and Melbourne
Hospital Bed Fund.

LECTURE! LECTURE!

A FURTHER Lecture will be given
in the Rechabite Hall, Northcote,
on SUNDAY, MARCH 31, at 7 p.m.,
entitled, "God's Plan for Man's Re-
covery." Illustrated by a large chart.
The speaker will show that, although
Missionary efforts have been largely
unsuccessful, yet all the heathens
will be converted in due time. Do
not miss this interesting and instruc-
tive Lecture.
Seats Free. No Collection.
WELCOME!

Community Singing

EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT
at the
Preston City Hall
commencing at 8.15.
Conductor: Mr. Leo Leslie.
Mrs. Bert Palmer at the piano.
Artists for Friday:
THE TROUBADOURS
Mello-Piano and Violin
Opening Night of Broadcast Session
Admission: Silver Coin
Reserved: Balcony 9d., Front Stalls 6d
J. QUIN, Organiser.

Thornbury Red Cross Auxiliary

(for Queen Victoria Hospital)
A DANCE & CARDS will be held at
Northcote Town Hall on TUES-
DAY, APRIL 2, at 8 p.m. This will
be a regular monthly feature held
on second Tuesday in month. Arthur
Taylor's Band, Refreshments. Prizes.
Tickets 1/-.

PRESTON CHARITY YOUNGER SET

GENERAL Meeting, Supper Room,
Town Hall, NEXT WEDNESDAY,
April 3, 8 p.m. All interested cor-
dially invited.
Miss I. CALLAWAY, Hon. Sec.

New Reservoir
Dispensary

962 HIGH STREET, RESERVOIR
(Opposite Station)
FOR the convenience of members of
Friendly Societies residing at Res-
ervoir the Preston U.F.S. Dispensary
has established a branch at 962 HIGH
STREET, RESERVOIR.
The trading hours of the branch
are:—Daily from 10.30 a.m. till 12.30
p.m., and from 4 p.m. till 6 p.m.;
Friday nights from 7 till 9; Satur-
days, 11 till 1. Medicine may be ob-
tained at the Preston Branch during
the hours in which the Reservoir Dis-
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Reservoir Members! Show your
appreciation of this convenience by
affording the venture wholehearted
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A. J. S. WILSON, Sec.
40 Regent St., Preston, N.18
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Big reductions in prices of
GARDEN SOIL, CARRUM
Sand, Screenings, Metal, Ashes, Gra-
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P.A.F.S. Back to Warrnambool
week-end trip. Special
train leaves Spencer St. 1.30 p.m. on
Sat., 30th March, returning Monday,
April 1. Return fare 17/6. Particu-
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JW2864

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FINE MUSICAL PROGRAMME
Items by Preston Tramways Choir,
Seagull Harmonica Band and the
Misses Anderson
Speaker: BRO. E. H. JENKIN, D.D.
Collection for Northcote Ladies'
Benevolent Society.
—EVERYBODY WELCOME—

I.O.R. NORTH PRESTON Tent.
Highest benefits, lowest
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Tent meets alternate Wednesdays to
Adult Tent.—E. Aston, 45 Mason St.,
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F. H. WEEKS
155 Miller Street, Thornbury, N.17

FOR that Painting and Paperhang-
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BRYANT, Painter and Paperhanger,
113 Normanby Ave., Thornbury, N.17.
Estimates submitted. Prices reason-
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FOR Second-hand Timber, Gal. Iron,
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BIG reductions in price, first-class
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DRESSES, tailored costumes, coats,
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WHITE, 39 High St., Preston, N.18,
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ADJUDICATOR & BAND TRAINER
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SAM AVISON
notifies that he is REMOVING to more commodious and up-to-date
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SECURE YOUR SUPPLIES AT HIS
MODEL FISH SHOP
289 HIGH STREET, NORTHCOTE

The BIG TENT
Car. HIGH & DAVID STREETS, PRESTON
THE ADVENT MISSION
Prophetic Lectures
SUBJECTS:
Sunday, March 31, 7.15 p.m.—GOD — THE JEW — PALESTINE.
Will the Jew Return to Palestine?
Tuesday, April 2, 8 p.m.—GOD'S FOOTPRINTS IN THE SOLAR
SYSTEM
Thursday, April 4, 8 p.m.—SEVEN ASPECTS CONCERNING CHRIST