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 Inspect Our Range of Sports and  
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## CYRIL STEVENS STUDIOS SUCCESS

Win Big Prizes with Photos. in Hoadley's 3DB Beauty Quest

In March of this year Hoadley's and 3DB commenced to run a Beauty Quest in conjunction with Community Singing Sessions at the Tivoli Theatre, Melbourne. Ten studios, four city and six suburban, were selected as official photographers. Hundreds of entries were received in each class, the closing date for photographs being October 14.

Judging was carried out by Sir John Longstaff and Miss Jennie Brennan. Reproduced in this issue are the six prize-winners taken by Cyril Stevens Studios Pty. Ltd., 758 High street, Thornbury. This studio is to be congratulated on the wonderful success achieved in this competition.

Readers of this paper will be very interested to see the many beautifully colored enlargements of the prizewinners and numerous other entries, now on display in the studio show cases situated at 758 High street, Thornbury.\*



Second Prize, Class E  
 Hoadley's 3DB Beauty Quest  
 awarded to  
**MISS E. KRUSE**  
 55 Wilcox street, Preston  
 Cyril Stevens Studios Pty. Ltd. Photo.



Third Prize, Class E  
 Hoadley's 3DB Beauty Quest  
 awarded to  
**MISS M. SNOW**  
 44 O'Keefe street, Preston  
 Cyril Stevens Studios Pty. Ltd. Photo.

## NORTHCOTE NOTES

**Egg Appeal**  
 The Thornbury Red Cross Auxiliary wishes to thank all who helped with donations of eggs and money in the recent Egg Appeal for the Queen Victoria Hospital, thereby making it a great success.

**Fall from Scaffolding**  
 Falling eight feet from a scaffolding at the premises of Peter's Ice Cream works, Burnley street, Richmond, on Wednesday, Edward Conrane, 24, St. George's road, Northcote, sustained concussion and bruised ribs. He was taken to St. Vincent's Hospital.

**Stone Through Car Windscreen**  
 On Thursday morning whilst Mr A. Stevens, who is associated with the Cyril Stevens Studios, High street, Thornbury, was driving his car up Rucker's Hill, a child threw a stone at the car. Glancing off the bonnet, the stone broke the windscreen and showered Mr Stevens with splinters of glass, one of which entered the corner of his eye and caused much inconvenience. He was fortunate to escape serious injury.

**Japanese Fair**  
 The Church of the Epiphany, Northcote, will hold a Japanese Fair on Friday and Saturday next, November 8 and 9, in the parish hall, when a colorful scene will be presented by the decorations and dressing being in Japanese character. Mr C. Hills has designed and painted the scenery, and with the assistance of Messrs Kirkby and W. Braley the building

## TABLE TENNIS EXHIBITION

PROMINENT PLAYERS AT NORTHCOTE

At the conclusion of the business meeting of the Star of Northcote Tent, I.O.R., in the Rechabite Hall on October 24, a fine exhibition of table tennis was given before a large and appreciative audience of members and visitors.

Of recent years table tennis has become one of the most popular of indoor games, but those participating in the various competitions have demonstrated that it no longer can be classed as a "parlor" game, as those who witnessed the display on Thursday night will readily agree. The players were Messrs J. Sheehan and A. Davies (Yorkshire Club) and L. Haycraft and J. Lavery (South Preston), both these clubs being in the A Grade of the Victorian Table Tennis Association, the former winning the premiership last year. Mr Sheehan holds the title of special singles champion of Victoria, and was a member of last year's interstate team which visited Adelaide; while Mr Haycraft has been twice I.N.F. champion of Victoria and once runner-up.

The players were introduced by Bro W. Fitzpatrick (Northcote I.N.F.), who arranged the visit. Before the games started Mr Sheehan gave a short talk on the history of the game and how it had grown in popularity, and during intervals he gave demonstrations and hints on how the game should be played, the various ways in which to hold the bat, the spin service, etc.

Singles and doubles matches were played and the dazzling speed with which the little celluloid sphere travelled to and fro across the net was amazing. Standing yards back from the end of the table, the players literally "made the ball talk," and the rapidity with which they dashed about the hall and unerringly kept the ball "within bounds" was uncanny. Long rallies and specially clever shots were applauded by the interested onlookers, and at the close of each set they showed their appreciation in no uncertain manner. The games resulted:—Sheehan d. Haycraft, 6-5; Lavery d. Davies, 6-0; Sheehan d. Lavery, 6-5; Lavery d. Haycraft, 6-5; Sheehan and Davies d. Lavery and Haycraft, 6-5. Bro. Fitzpatrick umpired.

At the conclusion of the display a hearty vote of thanks to the visiting players, moved by Bro W. E. Findlay and seconded by Bro. A. Fillingham, was carried with acclamation. The Star of Northcote Tent is grateful to Bro. Fitzpatrick for making the excellent exhibition possible, and also to the Northcote I.N.F. for the use of their table and material.

of the stalls is going ahead most satisfactorily. The ladies are busy making floral decorations, and stallholders will carry out the general effect by dressing in kimonos with flowers in their hair. Great enthusiasm is being displayed and augurs well for the financial success of the fair. Stalls and stallholders will be as follows:— Guild stall, Ladies' Guild; produce stall, Mothers' Union; sweet stall, Choir; novelty stall and cake stall, G.F.S.; mystery stall, Mesdames Wanless and Kemp; flower stall, Mesdames Cohen, Ramsden, Rogerson and Twite; refreshment stall, members of Ladies' Guild; games stall, C.E.M.S. and C.E.E.S.

**Hospital Sunday**  
 Forwarded to the Lord Mayor's Fund per the City of Northcote were the following amounts:—Employee F. G. Smith Pty. Ltd., £14; employee Northcote Council, £7/1/9.

## NORTHCOTE COURT

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29

Before Mr E. E. O'Grady, P.M. and Messrs P. J. Kean and J. Hartnett, J.'s.P.

**Ejectment**  
 C. J. Burreigh, as agent for the owner, obtained an ejectment order again — Armstrong, Elizabeth street, Northcote.

**Maintenance Arrears**  
 Clarice Unthank, Murphy grove, Preston, sued her husband, Albert Edward Unthank, Drummond street, North Carlton, for £10 arrears of maintenance. Unthank was called upon to show cause why he should not be imprisoned for failing to find a surety to comply with the maintenance order.

Mrs Rosanove appeared for the wife, and Mr H. Marsland for the husband.

The order was made for £1/5/ per week, and the wife stated that the arrears had accrued over the past eight weeks.

The clerk of courts (Mr R. Prowse) said that since the issue of the summons £1/10/ had been paid.

Defendant said he had only been working part-time during the past eight weeks and had got behind in his payments. He had been unable to find a surety.

By consent the money paid into court was applied to cover a current week and the balance credited to arrears.

An order was made that £9/15/ arrears be paid at the rate of 5/ per week, in default imprisonment until the amount be paid. The matter of the surety was adjourned for a month.

**Business Agent's License**  
 Clarence Brooks Warlimont, High street, Northcote, was granted a business agent's license.

**Car Number Not Illuminated**  
 Allan Phillips, Burnley road Burnley, was charged that on October 4 he drove a motor car, the rear number of which was not properly illuminated.

Traffic police said that defendant had a rear light, but it was about 18 inches from the number plate. Actually no light fell on the plate. Defendant when questioned said that about three days before the tall lamp had been broken off when he backed into a landing, and he had not had time to get the lamp fixed.  
 Fined 12.

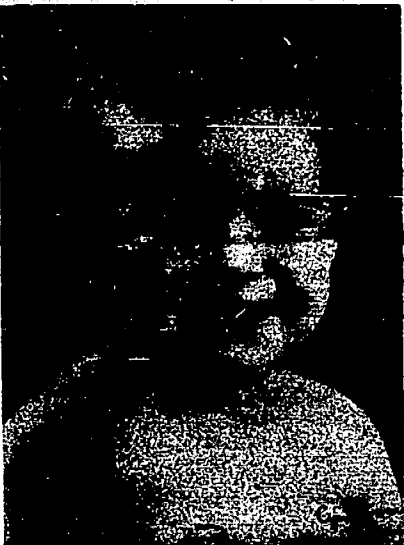
**Failure to Notify Transfer of Car**  
 Mrs W. Jackson, Cain avenue, Dennis, was charged that on March 9, being the person into whose possession a registered motor car passed, she failed to notify the Chief Commissioner of Police within 48 hours and failed to forward a transfer fee of 2/6.

Constable Fennessy said he interviewed defendant on September 14 and she admitted having purchased a car on March 9. She said when she bought the car the agents agreed to attend to the necessary papers in regard to the transfer.

Henry Jackson said: My wife purchased the car from Workman's Motors, Melbourne, and agreed to have the transfer papers attended to. Six months later my wife received a notice from the Motor Registration Branch that the car had been sold to her, and nine days later I filed the notice of possession and paid the transfer fee.

The P.M.: This is a very important provision to enable the police to trace cars.  
 Fined 11.

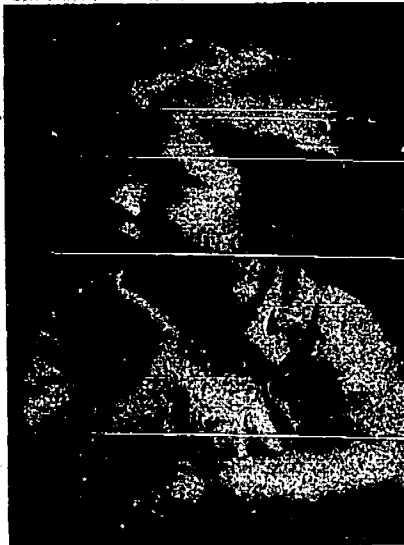
When a man shines in Society he seldom shines in business.



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**JOHN ROGERS**  
 49 Jessie street, West Preston  
 Cyril Stevens Studios Pty. Ltd. Photo.



Third Prize, Class C  
 Hoadley's 3DB Beauty Quest  
 awarded to  
**YVONNE SMITH**  
 25 Carlisle street, Preston  
 Cyril Stevens Studios Pty. Ltd. Photo.



First Prize, Class B—£30  
 Hoadley's 3DB Beauty Quest  
 awarded to  
**GEORGEY CLOVER**  
 365 Clarke street, Northcote  
 Cyril Stevens Studios Pty. Ltd. Photo.



First Prize, Class D—£30  
 Hoadley's 3DB Beauty Quest  
 awarded to  
**NOREEN TAYLOR**  
 172 Gooch street, Thornbury  
 Cyril Stevens Studios Pty. Ltd. Photo.

## "CROFT BANK" FARM AND DAIRY

An announcement appears elsewhere by the "Croft Bank" Farm and Dairy, Leinster grove, Northcote. The proprietors conduct a model farm and dairy, and invite public inspection. The importance of milk as a food cannot be too strongly stressed, and housewives should take every precaution that this essential part of the necessary diet is obtained from a source which is absolutely tuberculin free, and also free from possibility of contamination. Milk and its pro-

ducts should be a staple diet for children in order to ensure sound bodily health and to provide the required vitamins and bone building minerals so necessary to growing children.

The Croft Bank farm and dairy are open to public inspection, and housewives are invited to see for themselves the production and testing of the milk in all stages; to note the stringent precautions taken to ensure that the milk is safeguarded against any possibility of contamination. The telephone number is JW 4073.











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THE COBBERS' CLUB

Dear Cobbers.—From this changeable weather Jacko has caught a lovely cold. It's a real beauty and when he coughs he whistles and sneezes and almost chokes. We kept him in bed...

BIRTHDAYS

All the Cobbers, Uncle Phil and the Pets send the warmest and heartiest greetings to Maura Bradley and Margaret Aston (Nov. 2); Daphne King (Nov. 3); Daphne Elms, Cheryl Page, and Joyce Aitken (Nov. 4); Phyllis Murray (Nov. 5); Beryl Fry (Nov. 7); and Alice Clarke and Alec Murphy (Nov. 8).

OUR MAIL BAG

Thelma Douglas.—Congratulations for gaining the 100 marks, Thelma. Call in on or after Monday with your certificate and the prize will be ready about the time you mentioned. Love and greetings from the Pets and Uncle Phil.

CONTRIBUTIONS

SUNSHINE When the sun is in hiding, and the days are grey, Do the fairies miss their sunshiny play? Don't they wish the year was all Summer too? I think they must, like me and you. (GOOD) Gwenda Burgess

LITTLE COCK-SPARROW A little cock sparrow sat on a green tree, And chirped and chirped as happy could be, But a naughty boy came with a small bow and arrow Determined to shoot that little cock sparrow. (GOOD) Jack Swanson

THE MANNEKIN Down in the garden, where the blue-bells grow, A quaint little mannekin wanders to and fro; His tunic is a foxglove, his cap an acorn, How shall this manny dress when he grows up? (GOOD) Neil Cameron

STORYTTES

Wilson (angrily): Professor, I'm surprised to hear that your chickens have been over the wall scratching by my garden. Professor (with dignity): My dear sir, that can hardly be regarded as a phenomenon. If your garden had come over the wall and scratched my chickens, I could have understood your astonishment. (GOOD) Ellie McGrath

THE COBBERS' CLUB

Please Enrol me as a Member of the COBBERS' CLUB. Name: Address: Date of Birth: Present Age: Look for the COBBERS' CLUB next week 1/11/35 (Conducted by UNCLE PHIL)

UNCLE SAM'S STORY

ONE day in the eighteenth century an English privateer was cruising in the Bay of Biscay. In her wake sailed a fine Spanish merchant ship which had fallen a prize, without striking a blow, to the English vessel and was following her to port.

It had been the first meeting of the two nationalities. The English preferred the Spaniards to the French. The Spaniards, in their turn, were surprised by the mildness of the English captain and the courtesy he showed to the ladies on board their ship. He said that they were not to be deprived of any of their valuables and to remain in their own vessel.

So it was that a small boat was seen approaching the Royal William, and the news spread round the English town that Senorita Elvira, the prettiest and most fascinating of all the Spanish ladies, was bringing a present for their captain. The ladies were handed aboard bows and courtesies exchanged.

The captain accepted Hyacinth with every outward sign of pleasure, though he was no great lover of language; he had merely admired the net in order to please the mistress. Every attention was lavished on the newcomers, from the officers to the black cook's mate. It went to the heart of Pug, the captain's Chinese monkey, an animal of great spirit and ability, to see the favors which were showered on Hyacinth, the cooresses of the soft cushions, and the dainty things to eat.

He waited for his chance, and one day he plucked the little spaniel from his nest, made for the rigging and thence for the yardarm where he swung to the swell of the bay. He was taken by surprise, now cursing the unfortunate little spaniel which he held in one paw.

All the crew was gathered round to watch the scene, the sailors very much amused, but the captain, in an agony with the thought of the senator's distress. "We must launch a boat, sir," said the boatswain. "It will be our only chance of saving the dog if the monkey drops him in the water."

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OUR SHORT STORY

THE Vicar beamed across at his visitor. They were seated on either side of the old fireplace in the vicarage study.

"You'll have another sherry, Mr. Murdoch?" he suggested, and refilled the other's glass from a decanter by his side. "Your news is indeed good news, he went on. "I'm afraid you'll think me rather a nuisance, but would you mind repeating those details? The whole thing sounds almost incredible!"

The other leaned forward, and as his lips retold the story it seemed to the Vicar that his dry, precise tones changed to a rich and mellow benediction.

"Briefly," Mr. Murdoch was saying, "the facts are these: Many years ago, when Ebenezer Smith was tramping the countryside and passed through this village, he met with great kindness at the hands of cottagers from whom he begged assistance. This was in striking contrast to treatment he received from neighboring hamlets."

He roused himself from his reverie as he heard Murdoch suggesting: "I think it best that you call all your villagers together. Call a parochial meeting. And then you can discuss together whether the 'charity' shall be distributed in money or in kind; in food, coal, or clothes."

PRESTON HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

A successful Spring Show was held by the Preston Horticultural Society on October 24. The quality of the exhibits was of a very high standard and the entry was large.

OPENS CLASS 6 Roses distinct—Mrs Firth 1, Mr Solano 2; 3 Roses, one variety—Mr Solano 1, Mrs Firth 2; 2 bunches Roses, distinct—Mr Velt 1, Mr Harris 2; 2 bunches Stocks—Mrs Gordon 1; 2 bunches Sweet Peas—Mrs Firth 1, Mr Burns 2; bunch mixed Sweet Peas—Mr Heather 1; 2 bunches Antirrhinums, distinct—Mrs Burns 1, Mrs Gordon 2; 3 arranged vases flowers, distinct—Mrs Solano 1, Mrs Firth 2.

NOVICE CLASS 2 Roses, distinct—Mrs Chirgwin 1, Mrs Payne 2; 1 Rose—Mrs Payne 1; bunch Roses—Mrs Chirgwin; bunch Mixed Roses—Mrs Payne 1, Mrs Chirgwin 2; bunch Stocks—Mrs Chirgwin 1; bunch Sweet Peas—Mrs Payne 1, Mrs Chirgwin 2; 2 vases Ranunculus—Mrs C. Frawley 1; 1 bowl of Pansies—Mr Jobe 1; Mrs McWhirter 2; 2 vases Cut Flowers—Mrs Payne 1, Mrs Chirgwin 1; 1 vase Antirrhinums, distinct—Mrs C. Frawley 1, Mrs Payne 2; 2 vases Arranged Flowers, distinct—Mrs McWhirter 1, Miss Heather 2.

PRESTON TECHNICAL SCHOOL Minister's Promise To Be Fulfilled Subsequent to the promise given by the Minister for Education (Dr Harris) that if money was made available a technical school would be built in Preston, the sum of £40,000 was made available to the Education Department for urgent works.

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THE GREAT VILLAGE MEETING

THE meeting at the schoolhouse was at its height when the laden lorry rolled London-wards along the main road, and later that night, at a riverside warehouse, the furniture was unloaded, the men handling each precious piece carefully.

The man with the list re-checked each piece as he passed among the antiques. "Eliababeth bureau," three Monarch chairs, a table, a clock, a Chippendale table, and a desk, and he ticked them off, one by one, and at the end gave a grunt of satisfaction, finding his list complete.

He turned to his companions. "I'll leave you to look up. See that everything's all right. I'll get over to Murdoch right away and see you chaps in the morning. Slings." Mr Murdoch complacently selected his list, he glanced at it, and he signed as he had intended it to be. He glanced across the table where Martyn Tymes, the international antique trader, tipped his cap, and reflected that at last he'd got the better of his rival.

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LIFE SAVING AND SWIMMING NORTHCOLE CLUB The annual report of the Northcote club indicates that though the 1934-35 season was not as successful as usual from a competitive viewpoint, the club gained 144 points and ninth place on the premiership list.

JOSKE & BURBIDGE SOLICITORS FOR the convenience of clients residing in the district Messrs Joske & Burbidge, of Temple Court, 422 Collins St., Melbourne (phone Cent. 3484) will conduct a branch office at Smith's Building, 27 High St., Northcote. Hours of attendance: Monday afternoons, 2 to 5; Tuesday to Friday afternoons, 10 to 12.30; and by appointment.

RED CROSS LONG SERVICE MEDALS Three to Preston Of the first long service medals to be awarded by the Victorian Red Cross Society for 20 years' continuous service three have been awarded to members of Preston Red Cross Auxiliary. Three ladies can all claim 21 years' service in Red Cross work, and are Mesdames F. Sheppard, F. Todd, and A. K. Allichin.

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Recent Weddings

COOPER — LEA

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, Lavington, was the scene of a pretty wedding on October 29, when Miss Eveline Lea became the wife of Mr. Maurice Cooper. Rev. C. M. Statham performed the ceremony and the bride was given away by her father. Pink and white blue flowers had been arranged in the church by the bride's friends. Fitting slims to her figure, the bride's gown of magenta satin fell into a slight train. The neckline was softly cuffed and the long full sleeves were shirred into a wrist band. Her veil was held by a halo of pleated tulle with a coronet of orange blossoms and extended into a sweeping train and she wore satin shoes. Stately arum lilies formed her sheaf. The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Lea, Lavington.

Her retinue comprised two maids (Misses Violet Cooper and Sheila McInerney) and little Miss Eeryl Clasper (the groom's sister) was frooked in pink georgette, and the second choice blue georgette. Both frocks were cut on fitting lines with full skirts and long sleeves, and each wore a tulle halo. To match and carried a bouquet of pale pink stocks, carnations and maidenhair fern. Blue georgette formed the train-bearer's frock of ankle-length with full skirt and long sleeves and she carried a tulle sheaf.

Attending the groom, who is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Cooper, of 15 Henderson street, Northcote, were Messrs Charles Lea (the bride's brother) and Walter Cooper (nephew of groom).

Mrs. O. Aldis presided at the organ, and the reception was held at the Lavington Hall, where the bride's parents received the guests. After breakfast a social evening was enjoyed by a large gathering, and for dancing Mr. J. Bolger presided at the music. Mr. N. E. Wood presided at the breakfast.

The groom's gifts were: To the bride a gold wristlet watch; to each maid a crystal powder box, and to the trainbearer a crystal necktie. The bride's gift to the groom was a travelling rug.

For the honeymoon the couple left by car, the bride wearing a blue suit with hat and accessories to tone and a white satin covered blouse. Their future home will be in Northcote.

CLARK — EDWARDS

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, Thornbury, was the scene of a delightful wedding on Saturday, October 19, when Miss Olive Rose Edwards was married to Mr. William Andrew Clark. The bride is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Edwards, of Flinders street, Thornbury, and the bridegroom is the youngest son of the late Mr. A. C. Clark and Mrs. Clark, West Melbourne. Rev. W. H. Chamberlain performed the ceremony and impressive wedding music was played by the organist, Mr. Alex. E. Smith.

Sweeping gracefully along the aisle on her father's arm, the charming bride was radiant and beautiful in an exquisite gown of ivory satin embellished with pearls. Cut on simple lines it was moulded to the figure with light sleeves, pointed cuffs and cowl neckline. Over a long square train was draped a filmy veil of tulle, finished with pearls. Cut on simple lines it was moulded to the figure with light sleeves, pointed cuffs and cowl neckline. Over a long square train was draped a filmy veil of tulle, finished with pearls. Cut on simple lines it was moulded to the figure with light sleeves, pointed cuffs and cowl neckline.

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AGAINST a background of beautiful autumn hills, giddoll and white heather, with which the church was decorated, Miss Florrie Maltzahn presented a lovely picture as she entered the Presbyterian Church, Sydney road, Coburg, on the arm of her father, Mr. W. Maltzahn, on September 25.

Her frock, fashioned of heavy ivory lace, was plainly but beautifully cut to reveal the perfection of the material. A tiny cluster of orange blossoms was pinned at the square neck of the slimly fitting bodice, which was allied to long tight sleeves finishing in a point over her hands. The skirt swept into a long graceful train and was edged with a long sweeping train and she wore satin shoes. Stately arum lilies formed her sheaf. The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Lea, Lavington.

Her retinue comprised two maids (Misses Violet Cooper and Sheila McInerney) and little Miss Eeryl Clasper (the groom's sister) was frooked in pink georgette, and the second choice blue georgette. Both frocks were cut on fitting lines with full skirts and long sleeves, and each wore a tulle halo. To match and carried a bouquet of pale pink stocks, carnations and maidenhair fern. Blue georgette formed the train-bearer's frock of ankle-length with full skirt and long sleeves and she carried a tulle sheaf.

Attending the groom, who is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Cooper, of 15 Henderson street, Northcote, were Messrs Charles Lea (the bride's brother) and Walter Cooper (nephew of groom).

Mrs. O. Aldis presided at the organ, and the reception was held at the Lavington Hall, where the bride's parents received the guests. After breakfast a social evening was enjoyed by a large gathering, and for dancing Mr. J. Bolger presided at the music. Mr. N. E. Wood presided at the breakfast.

The groom's gifts were: To the bride a gold wristlet watch; to each maid a crystal powder box, and to the trainbearer a crystal necktie. The bride's gift to the groom was a travelling rug.

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To prevent milk from curdling in tomato soup add a pinch of bicarb. soda to the milk before putting it into the soup.

When making lamingtons, instead of the usual icing try jelly set to the consistency of honey and rolled in desiccated cocoanut.

When making Marmite sandwiches spread a little curry on one of the slices of bread.

Don't throw away waste pieces of colored crepe-paper. Drop a wide pink ribbon sash and a wreath of pink hand-made roses in her hair. She carried a bouquet of mixed flowers in all the softest shades of pink.

The bridesmaids, Misses Ettie Maltzahn and Gladys Siebel, also carried pink flowers. Their bouquets of roses, carnations, azaleas and rhododendrons were delightful against the frocks of pastel pink crepe, which were styled with square necks from which extended frills to form a short cape. A panel of frills was inserted in the back of the skirt to form a short train, and sashes of the same material as the frock encircled their waists and were tied softly at their backs. They wore large straw hats in the same shade of pink as their frocks and shoes to match.

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Rev. McMeekin officiated, and the bridegroom was attended by his two brothers, Messrs Arthur and Edward Siebel.

The reception was held at the Palm, Alexander avenue, where the room were beautifully decorated with pink spring blossom and carnations. After the wedding tea the guests, who numbered 130, spent an enjoyable evening dancing to the orchestra under the direction of Mr. Arthur Siebel, and the vocal talent of Miss McFadden was greatly appreciated during the interval.

Mrs. Maltzahn received her guests and wore a smart frock of navy blue georgette, with sleeves shirred at the waist and smart hat to tone, and she carried a bouquet of mixed flowers in shades of pink and mauve. She was assisted by Mrs. Siebel senr., who favored a frock of black georgette and lace to which she pinned a spray of real flowers to tone with her posy of sweet peas and azaleas. She wore a black shirry straw hat.

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Let us consider the health of the eyes first. Healthy eyes tell their own tale of beauty. They are bright and lustrous; the whites clear with a suggestion of blueness in them. Yet low or bloodshot whites are not healthy signs.

Eye lotions may not have been necessary in the old days, but now, wadays all those who work, travel, or live in dusty or busy atmospheres are wise if they use one. Quite good ones may be prepared at home; the simplest being that made with boracic crystals and boiling water. Allow one teaspoonful to a pint of boiling water; leave to cool; the bottle, simpler still is the warm salt and water bath which strengthens and disinfects the eyes at the same time.

Ordinary inflammation of the eyelids may be relieved by the application of witch hazel on wads of cottonwool to the closed eyes. Sore eyes are greatly benefited by colloid ointment, which is a great eyeshade grower by the way.

Lashes, lids, and eyebrows are important if the eyes are to show to their best advantage. There are so many lash growers and darkeners now that it seems unnecessary to remind you of them. Mascara and other dainties used with discretion certainly add to the size and beauty of the eyes. The only great point with eye make up is to remember to wash or grease it well away every night, since particles may get into the eyes and cause pain or damage or clog the root of an eyelash and cause a sty. A trace of oil vaseline drawn over the lashes after they are made up softens and makes the make up softer and longer lasting. If no shadow is used on the lids it no shadow is used on the lids.

Before washing a greasy frying-pan or saucepan rub it with dry polish or bran, which may then be placed in the fowls' food tin.

When tinting lace with tea or coffee strain the liquid first, otherwise streakiness may result.

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To clean celluloid lamp-shades and car-windows rub gently with a soft rag dipped in a solution of two parts of vinegar and one of water. Dry and then polish.

Talcum powder will remove grease-marks from delicate fabrics.

To make a tasty breakfast dish mix three salted salmon with scrambled eggs. Add the salmon while scrambling the eggs.

When sewing for any length of time wear an eye-shade; one which is used when playing tennis will do. Much eye-strain will be avoided.

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It has been found that the movement caused in the balloon core by men walking over it to deposit the cement to patch and this gives a length of pipe per day for every piece of balloon core in use.

The setting of the concrete is accelerated by the addition of chemicals, and it has been possible to pour two inches of concrete in 10 minutes.

Two main drains are proposed—one crossing the metropolitan area, and the other along Kellett street, thence through easements to Station street with branches along Wilmoth street and Rathmines street (south of Darebin street). The other will start at the corner of Cook street and Victoria road, and go to Rathmines street, with branches to Harry street and Flinders street.

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Some idea of the progress made by using the "balloon core" system may be obtained when it is learned that the concrete work on the section of drain across McDonnell Park (approx. 700ft.) was completed in 10 days.

Metropolitan Engineers Interested Great interest is being shown in the work by other municipal engineers in the metropolitan area, and many of these have made inspections of the works in progress.

FATAL HIGH STREET ACCIDENT

MAN KNOCKED DOWN BY MOTOR VAN

On October 15 Robert James Thompson, 65 years, of Oliver street, Preston, bootmaker, was knocked down in High street by a motor van and received fatal injuries.

On Tuesday an inquest was held by the City Coroner (Mr. D. Grant, P.M.).

The van was driven by Percy H. Chestnut, of Abbotford street, Abbotford, and Thompson was knocked down in High street, near Wood street, Preston.

The evidence showed that a furniture van was backed into the kerb; a baker's vehicle was travelling north, and the motor van, which apparently was not seen by Thompson, appeared to be examining something which he held in his hand. Thompson died later from the injuries received at St. Vincent's Hospital.

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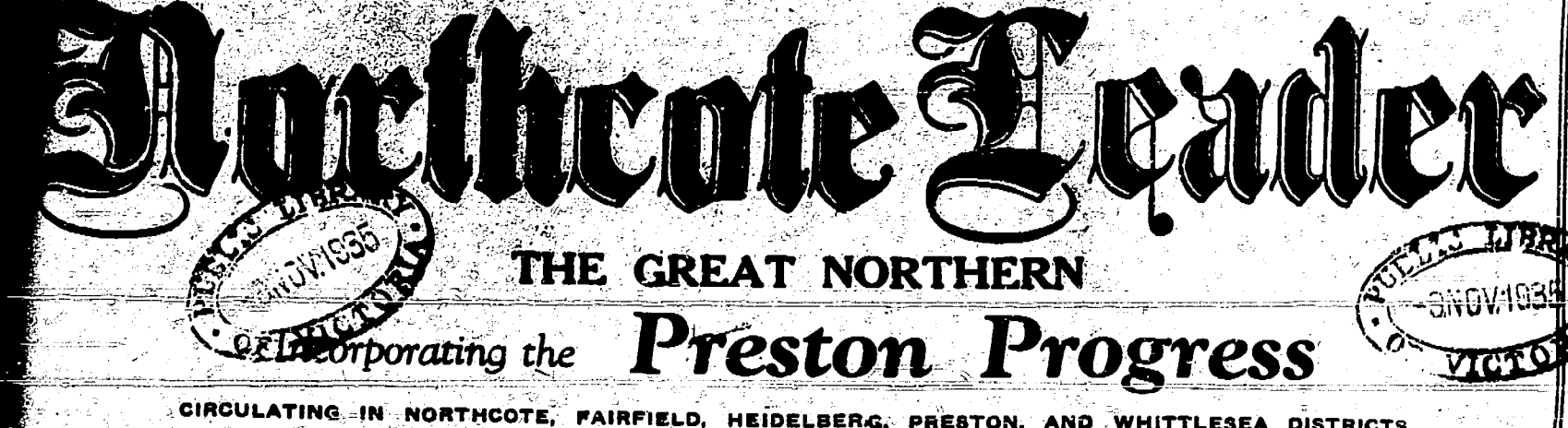
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ROOMS, furn. or unfurn. also self-contained flat... 12 Hotham St.

House & Land To Let. SHOPS—Preston Main Road, Business Centre...

Wanted To Sell. PIRAM Cream Reetex, well sprung cheap...

For Sale. BLACKWOOD table, reasonable. Apply: 27 Martin St., Thornbury.

LAND, 50 x 150 Deloraine St., Preston. High position. All Convs. street made. Will consider offer.

Wanted To Buy. STAMPS: Collections, loose lots, &c. Write giving particulars, or call evenings or week-ends. N. Cleary, 12 Ryan St., Northcote N.16.

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

IDEAL Rest Home, 202 Clarke St., Northcote. Lovely old garden. Special diets, nursing attention. Fees moderate. JW 2012.

PRESTON CITY BATHS. SPECIAL OPENING by the Mayor (Cr H. Swain) on Saturday, NOVEMBER 2, at 3 p.m. to be followed by...

Swimming Carnival. Exhibitions by Victorian Diving and Swimming Champions. Events for Boys and Girls—Free Entry—Handsome Prizes (see handbill distributed through schools for further details). Admission to Carnival: ADULTS 6d; CHILDREN 3d.

OLD TIME DANCE. CITY HALL, PRESTON. Saturday, Nov. 9, at 8 p.m.

Cinderella Ball. IN NORTHCOTE TOWN HALL. On Thursday, November 12, 8 p.m.

STAR OF NORTHCOTE TENT. Apply to the Secretary. W. E. FINDLAY, 35 Normandy Ave., Thornbury N17

NOTICES. A BIG REDUCTION IN HOUSES. My low prices will enable you to build or repair new Houses, shops built anywhere. Property repaired painted. Your enquiry welcomed. For free designs and low estimates ring JW1375.

CONCRETE PAVERS. BIG reductions in price, first-class workmanship. Every job guaranteed. Also do all brickwork; tennis courts a specialty.

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LEARN to design, cut and make your dresses, coats and every garment that you wear. Perfect cut, no fitting. The "Austral" method of cutting, easy to learn. Free demonstrations daily from 2 to 5. Patterns cut to measure; dresses and coats cut and tackled. Can learn to make coats and frocks at 2/6 per lesson.—MRS. WHITE, 39 High St., Preston, N.18 opp. Junction Hotel. Phone JW3919.

HUGE BARGAIN BUNDLE of Manchester 14/19/6. No deposit. Small weekly payments of 3/7. Delivered anywhere upon first payment of 3/.

Big reductions in prices of GARDEN SOIL, CARRUM Sand, Screenings, Metal, Ashes, Gravel, etc. All kinds of Cartage Contractors, Earthworks, Tar paving, Tennis Courts, Concrete Crossings and Paths.

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MOTORISTS! MAIN ROAD MOTORS have pleasure in announcing that TERRY WIGHTMAN, Chrysler Expert, (late Lane's Motors) has been re-engaged. We specialise in repairs to all makes of cars.

MAIN ROAD MOTORS (J. Hall Prop.) PLENTY ROAD TRAM TERMINUS

PRESTON Public Free and Lending Library. ANNUAL MEETING. The annual meeting of the subscribers was held on Tuesday, October 29, in the Library Hall, High Street, Preston. There was a large attendance of subscribers in addition to committee members and Crs Swain, Grey, Pike and Nisbett. Supper was provided.

Militia News. 57th/60th BATTALION. Last Sunday the officers of the unit spent the day at the Preston Drill Hall, where, under the Commanding Officer (Colonel J. E. Stevens), and working with the permanent staff, the time was spent as a refresher course, the programme concluding with a tactical discussion round the sand table. The new C.O. is inaugurating regular classes for N.C.O.'s and many interesting lectures and demonstrations for the men. The week-end of November 16-17 is to be spent by the Battalion under canvas at Hildon, where night and day manoeuvres will be held. An interesting report of this bivouac will be contained in a later issue.

PRESTON MUNICIPAL JUNIOR BAND. The Ladies Club of the above band have organised a band to take place in the Preston town hall on Friday and Saturday, November 15 and 16. The band will be officially opened by the Mayor and Mayoress (Cr and Mrs Swain), assisted by councillors and their wives, also Mr Pratt, the chairman of the finance committee, and members of same, at 8 p.m. on Friday. The object of the band is to raise funds for the band which will be formed in the near future. The band has only been formed a few months, and it is the object of the Ladies Club to send the band away on a tour of the city.

NOTICE IS GIVEN elsewhere that the Northcote Local Club has agreed to the passing of three by-laws (By-law No. 72 alters By-law No. 34 and regulates the erection and construction of buildings and gives the council power to the buildings constructed contrary to the by-laws and fees; By-law No. 73 controls the erection of verandahs, and provides a time within which verandahs (other than paths in High Street) must be removed; By-law No. 74 is similar to By-law No. 73, with the exception that it relates to paths of the municipality higher than High Street.

Notice is given that three by-laws may be inspected at the town hall, and they will be submitted to the council for confirmation on December 2.

Officers Elected. Office bearers elected were: President, Mr. E. Garrett; vice-president, Mr. J. Brown; hon. treasurer, Mr. D. McIntyre; hon. secretary, Mr. D. McCormick; committee, Mrs. E. Thompson, Miss O. Chesnut, Messrs H. W. Henkel, V. J. Castles and F. G. McGuire.

Preston Community Singing. Artists for the Friday night session at the Preston town hall for the Mayor's Relief Fund, are Ford Bros., Crooners; Creighton, acrobat; and Fred Weston, 310's popular artist.

Do not forget the Thursday afternoon session at the Star Theatre (8 to 9.30 p.m.). See advertisement.

Northcote Notes

Japanese Fair. The Church of the Epiphany, Northcote, will hold a Japanese Fair on Friday and Saturday, November 8 and 9, in the parish hall, when a colorful scene will be presented by the decorations and dressing being in Japanese character. Mr. C. Hill has designed and painted the scenery, with the assistance of Messrs Kirkby and W. Bralley and other willing helpers a delightful setting has been evolved. The ladies have made paper flowers and arranged them attractively on the stalls, which are well stocked with articles of every variety, including produce, fancy, sweets, cakes, etc. There will also be a refreshment room, and bagatelle games. Mrs. Emery, assisted by the Mayor and Mayoress of Northcote (Cr and Mrs S. Dennis) will open the Fair on Friday at 3 p.m.

Attention is directed to an advertisement in this issue of a Spring Fair to be held in the High Street Methodist School Hall on Friday and Saturday, November 15 and 16.

Miss Latham, wife of Sir John Latham, newly-appointed Chief Justice, has consented to open the Fair, supported by the Mayor and Mayoress (Cr and Mrs S. Dennis).

Three Prizes for Window Display. The Ladies Club of the Epiphany Church, Northcote, have offered prizes for window displays by business people. Mr. J. W. French, of High Street, Northcote, was awarded third prize in competition with all other shops in the metropolitan area, and he received many congratulations on the success achieved.

Jumped 30ft. Off Bridge. Bill Cummin, aged 4 years, whose parents live in Mitchell Street, Northcote, had a narrow escape on Tuesday when attending a picnic at Eltham with the High Street Methodist Sunday School. The lad walked along a railway bridge, and when the train came along he jumped 30 ft. and escaped unhurt except for a shaking.

Preston Woman's Good Fortune. WINS £50,000 ON MARABOU. BY the success of Marabou in the Melbourne Cup, run at Flemington last Tuesday, Miss Paula J. Jung, of 5 Jessie street, Preston, will profit to the extent of £50,000.

Apparently unconcerned about her good fortune, Miss Jung said at her home on Tuesday night that she had not gone to Flemington to see the race, nor had she listened to the broadcast description of it. Miss Jung celebrated her success by a quiet evening with her family.

Miss Jung said that she had the whole of the interest in the money which she had sought previously only to I might as well take it to myself. She has been to only one race meeting, the Melbourne Cup last year. "I did not 'lay-off' to win something from the race, so I thought I might as well take it to myself. I had chance and keep it all to myself. If my luck was in, in any case I did not know what to do to lay-off."

Miss Jung is a school teacher at Spring South State school, which she previously attended as a scholar. "I have made no plans for the future," she said. "I considered that it was not right to spend money before I got it. Now I have it, I am not at all certain what I will do with it."

Miss Jung reported at school on Wednesday morning where she received the congratulations of the headmaster (Mr. Gilbert) and members of the teaching staff. Her home was besieged by callers during her absence that Mrs. Jung sent a message to the school asking her daughter to return home. Miss Jung refused to go before the microphone to tell listeners how it felt to become the possessor of a large fortune overnight.

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Duke and Duchess Competition

Pender's Grove School Effort. £128 RAISED. A SUCCESSFUL Duke and Duchess Competition was terminated by a coronation ceremony at Pender's Grove State School, Thornbury, on Saturday night. The winning couple were Miss Muriel Hutchinson and Master Jack Cohen of the 7th and 8th grades, who collected £87/7.

Miss Lorna Clarke and Master Alan George of the 8th grade, who collected £50/10; while the 7th and 8th grades, who collected £87/7.

The 4th and 5th grades were unlucky in that many changes had to be made during the competition, several duchesses having to withdraw from the contest.

The money was raised for general school funds and the competition was organised by the School Committee. The coronation ceremony was performed by Cr W. Hayes, assisted by Mr W. C. Lee, president of the School Committee. Presentations of wristlet watches were made to all the contestants and hosts of sweets to the attendants. Comments were heard from all parts of the hall signifying the splendour of frocking the department of the children concerned. The stage was tastefully decorated, and altogether the evening was a success.

Miss Hutchinson was manifestly dressed in "shell pink" with a beautiful train of silver and pink while her partner, Master Cohen, was dressed in a Duke and later, a king.

Miss Clarke and her retinue looked very becoming in pale green, while her Duke, Master George, was also quite a royal figure. The third couple—Miss Watson and Master Priest—were prettily attired in suitable costumes of pale blue. The Lord Chancellor (Mr. Stanford Stevenson) was quite a commanding personality.

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Northcote Horticultural Society

Magnificent Display of Blooms. One of the best Spring flower shows held by the Northcote Horticultural Society for years was held at the Northcote town hall on Saturday evening, November 2.

The show was opened by the president (Mr W. H. Dunallan) in the presence of a good attendance of members and flower lovers.

The best rose in the show was exhibited by Mr F. Nevin, of Coburg, the variety being "Madam Jules Banche". The best bunch of roses (Etouffe de Holland) was staged by Mr H. Bailey, of Thornbury, while Mr G. D. McNamara, also of Thornbury, won the certificate for the best bunch of cut flowers with a beautiful bouquet of stocks. In the ladies' bouquet section Mrs Corry was awarded a certificate for the best exhibit in that section for a "floral centre piece".

The Prize List. Following are the prize winners:—Open Class (Bouquet Section)—Floral centrepiece: Mrs Corry; N.1. Lancaster 2. Basket of flowers: Miss J. Bennett 1. Mrs Lovelace 2. Bowl of flowers: Mrs Corry 1. Mrs Dobson 2. Basket of roses: Mrs Corry 1. Mrs Lovelace 2. Three ladies sprays: Mrs Corry 1. Mrs Lovelace 2. Mrs Dobson 1. R. C. Stullman 2. One arranged vase of flowers: Mrs Corry 1. Mrs Lovelace 2. Novice Class (Bouquet Section)—One vase of flowers: Mrs Wallace. Bowl of mixed flowers: Miss Twyford 1. Mrs Wallace 2.

Children's Section—Bowl of flowers: Gwenda Dobson 1. Wilmer Beattie 2. Three vases of flowers: Corry 1. Wilmer Beattie 2. Three vases of flowers: Corry 1. Wilmer Beattie 2. Three vases of flowers: Corry 1. Wilmer Beattie 2.

Amateur Class—Six roses: H. Bailey 1. W. Beattie 2. Three roses: H. Bailey 1. W. Beattie 2. One rose: W. Beattie 1. Mrs Dobson 2. Three bunches of roses: H. Bailey 1. W. Beattie 2. One bunch of roses: H. Bailey 1. W. Beattie 2. One bunch of roses: H. Bailey 1. W. Beattie 2.

Three bunches cut flowers: G. D. McNamara 1. W. Pettigrove 2. Two bunches of snapdragons: Mrs Allen 1. Mrs Bennett 2. Two bunches of stocks: C. J. Alexander. Intermediate Class—Three roses: G. D. McNamara.



Preston Court

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6

Before M. A. Noonan, P.M., and Messrs T. J. McMahon and Puddle, J.S.P.

No License or Light Stanley Robert Devers, Asst. Street, Preston, charged that on October 16 he rode a motor cycle in Bell street without being licensed, was fined 10/.

Battery Offence Clifford Gratton, Murray road, Preston, charged that on September 17 he entered Preston railway station, a booking station, without a ticket, was fined 10/.

Tent Erected as a Dwelling Varley Bailey, Bell street, Preston, was charged that on September 27 he erected a tent, which was not a booking station, without a ticket, was fined 10/.

Defendant said that he was "running late," and he intended to pay at the other end.

That a member of Preston council staff, interested in electrical circles, is reported to have discovered a gold mine, and a prospecting party is likely to be in the near future in connection therewith.

That Preston Lodge No. 148 sponsored a splendid picnic at Diamond Creek on Cup Day.

That Cr Bert Davies went to the rescue of a girl in red "blacks," and was chased by a bull.

That Bro. Bert Bowen had a disagreeable fall from the top of the tower of the tower, and he had obtained permission from the landowner (Ward) to erect the tent, and that he intended to live there until his parents came to Preston.

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What Preston People Are Doing

By The Newsman.

They Say— THAT Mr. Bramwell is doing well as caretaker at Preston General Cemetery.

That many incursions are taking place in this last resting place of the people from all parts of Melbourne.

The Mr H. P. Zwar, M.L.A., attend, in company with Mrs Zwar, two dances on Cup Eve, viz. one at Ivanhoe, under the auspices of the local branch R.S.S.I.L.A., and the second at Heidelberg.

That Mr Zwar and his wife were in attendance at the brilliant ball given by Lord and Lady Huntingford at Government House on Cup night.

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STAR represents the last word in bicycle research and proved experience in Cycle Engineering. Hence its life-long Durability.

Club members visited the West Preston Methodist men quite recently and spent a most enjoyable evening with competitive games at the close of which the victors were royally entertained to supper by members of the home club.

Next Sunday morning a Senior Fellowship service will be held. The address will be given by Mr Paul Baker.

On Sunday evening in celebration of Armistice Day the Peace Service will be held. The Rev. S. C. Hadley will preach on "The Solution of the War Problem."

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CHURCHES

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News of the Lodges

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Swimming Season Opens

CARNIVAL AT PRESTON ON Saturday afternoon at the Preston Baths a swimming carnival was arranged to mark the opening of the baths for 1935-36 season.

The function was organised by the Swimming Club in conjunction with the chairman of the Baths Committee (Cr C. T. Barling). In preparation for the season the baths have been repainted and renovated, and a large portion of the basin was re-coated. The filtration plant has also received attention.

Cr C. T. Barling, in introducing the Mayor, referred to the efforts made to popularise the swimming facilities provided by Preston Council. It was deemed as a possible to attract to swim and the council had been fortunate in securing the services of a highly qualified life saver and attendant to give tuition. He trusted that the facilities would be availed of to the full.

In declaring the baths officially open the Mayor referred to the indefatigable efforts of Cr Barling in arranging the programme. He was assisted by the swimming club which was a real asset to the city.

Later at a luncheon kiosk at which guests were entertained, he officially welcomed the secretary (Mr W. Harvey), and Mr Carey (representing the V.A.S.A.). Reference was made to contributions towards the afternoon's entertainment, which included several vocal items. Comment was made at the ideal condition of Preston pool by Mr R. Mills (assistant secretary and registrar of the V.A.S.A.) This organisation favored the introduction of filtration and chlorinating plants. The speaker was greatly surprised at the considerable progress made by the city in its modern baths equipment.

Mr Bryce, vice-president of Preston Club, moved a vote of thanks to the Mayor for his hospitality.

An announcement of interest to swimmers and parents was made by the chairman of the Baths Committee (Cr C. T. Barling). He said that Preston Council had that day finalised arrangements for the engagement of Mr Harry Hazeldean at the baths. The council is to be congratulated on securing the services of Mr Hazeldean, who is well and favorably known in the swimming world. He is an ex-champion swimmer and is recognised as being one of the foremost swimming coaches in Victoria.

It is the intention of the baths committee (Mr W. O'Donerty) and Mr Hazeldean to give special attention to learners, while the more practised swimmers have an expert to advise them in improving their strokes.

Programme and Results. Allan Crawford, former Australian champion swimmer, gave an exhibition swim. This was followed by the V.A.S.A. diving troupe and Miss J. Donnet and her brother, T. Donnet. Even the rain failed to stop Harley and Saunders water comedians, from keeping the crowd in fits of laughter. Finally the Mayor presented the trophies to the various winners.

Winners Versus—Boys Under 12, 25 Yards: W. Peterson 1, R. Straw 2, N. Ready 3; time, 19 4-sec. Girls, Under 12, 25 Yards: W. Block 1, Z. Bryce 2; time, 18 2-5sec. Boys Under 16; 55 Yards, two heats were run, the final placings being: A. Saunders 1, P. Truitt 2, C. Bryce 3; time, 33sec. Girls Under 16, 55 Yards: M. Booth 1, N. Studman 2, M. Knight 3; time 42 2-5sec. Youths, Under 21: T. Vestel 1, D. Rankin 2, G. Warren 3; 100 yards: time, 1min 15sec. Handicap Open Race, 55 Yards—First Heat—Men: T. Waugh, ser., (Preston) 1, T. Donnet (Richmond) ser., 2, V. McCandlish, 15cc., (City) 3. Second Heat—T. Williams, 50cc., (Preston) 1, R. Hutchins, 15cc., (City) 2, L. Farley, 15cc., (Brunswick) 3; time 34 1-5sec. Final—T. Williams (Preston) 1, T. Donnet (Richmond) 2, T. Waugh (Preston) 3; time, 32 3-5sec. Handicap Open Race Women, 55 Yards: M. Booth, 50cc (Brunswick) 1, V. Schneider, ser., (Abbotsford) 2, I. Donnet, 3cc., (Richmond) 3; time 39 3-5sec.

Opening of Northcote Baths. The Northcote City Baths will be opened for the 1935-36 season on Saturday, November 8, at 2 p.m. Hours during the season will be: Daily, 6.30 a.m. to 8.30 a.m. and 2 p.m. to 9.30 p.m.; Sundays, 8 a.m. to 12 noon.

New J.P. Mr E. J. McCristal, of Raleigh street, Thornbury, has been appointed a Justice of the Peace for the Central Bailiwick.

Removed Goods Under Distraint. Man Ordered to Pay Double Value. A CASE of an unusual nature came before the Preston Court on Wednesday, in which a man who had removed goods upon which distraint had been levied for arrears of rent, was ordered to pay double the value of the goods.

C. Palmer, Gardiner parade, Gley Iris, was charged on the information of James Leslie Servan, agent for the owner, W. M. Butterfield, that at Regent, was the tenant of W. M. Butterfield, at Verdun grove, Regent, he did fraudulently remove goods to prevent the landlord distraining on them for arrears of rent; and the landlord claimed double the value of the goods removed.

James Leslie Servan, bailiff, Queen street, Preston, said: "On October 7 I executed a warrant of distress in respect of rent arrears at Verdun grove, Regent, and seized goods and chattels. I told defendant not to remove any goods from the property, otherwise he would be liable to a heavy penalty. On October 11 defendant applied for an extension of time. This I granted. On October 14 I went to the property and found the goods had been removed. I subsequently went to Gley Iris and there ascertained that the goods were at 113 1/2 goods.

There was no appearance of the defendant. Mr R. T. Cairn appeared for the complainant, and an order was made that defendant pay to the complainant the sum of £25 within one week, and in default of such payment to be imprisoned for one month, and also to pay £2/11/7 costs.

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COMPLAINTS

have been received from the residents of Gover street about the parking of cars on the south side. The practice of young people making unnecessary noise at the parking of their cars is preventing people from enjoying their usual slumber. It is thought that a different parking area might well be arranged for future functions. The parking of horns and loud conversation could easily be dispensed with at that hour. The language used from time to time is said by residents in the vicinity to be of a most objectionable character. Action is likely to be taken in the matter by the municipal authorities.

Ball Halfway Station. PASSENGER revenue for October, 1935: parcels, £30; goods, £1121; miscellaneous, £6; total, £2326. Last year's total was £2748.

Mothers' Club Dance. EAST Preston State School Mothers' Club held a successful dance on Saturday night in the Orient Hall for the mayor's appeal for Christmas cheer for widows and orphans. The mayor (Cr H. Swain, J.P.) presented the prizes won and thanked the committee for its co-operation and support.

Lord Mayor's Dinner. THE mayor of Preston (Cr H. Swain, J.P.) and town clerk (Mr Ben Johnson) have been invited to the inaugural dinner of the Lord Mayor's Appeal on Saturday evening next.

Preston Building Boom. DURING the month of October permits for 35 new buildings (estimated cost £2365) were issued in Preston. Within the last week a five-room weatherboard house, 15 ft in course of erection in Kimber street, and a couple of two-storey shops and dwellings in High street.

Picnic to Healesville. LEAVING Preston town hall on Tuesday, November 6, under the leadership of Messrs H. Stere and A. Ash, a party of members of Preston Younger Set journeyed by motor bus to the Maroonah Dam, Healesville, where an enjoyable picnic was held. After lunch the party hiked to the native fauna sanctuary and the Echo Tunnel, and returned to the ranger's residence in time to hear the broadcast of the Melbourne Cup. After indulging in games and sporting activities the party returned home, fit and well, after an enjoyable day.

Early Morning Fire. AT 2.50 a.m. a weatherboard house in Leamington street, near Banbury road, Reservoir, was destroyed before the fire brigade had time to do anything. The house, which stood in an isolated spot was unoccupied. There was an insurance on the building.

Snooker. PRESTON Branch R.S.S.I.L.A. met at the snooker. Each side won two games, and Flemington and Kensington lads carried the evening on points.

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ENGAGEMENT THIS ENGAGEMENT is announced of Edna May, the only daughter of Mr and Mrs Richard Trevilian, 11 Gertrude St., Preston, to Percy, the son of Mr and Mrs Newton, Rotham St., Preston.

The Leader

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PERSONAL

Mr T. Bowdren, who has resided in Preston for five years and was attached to the relieving staff of the Railways Department, now commencing his station master at Bell. Mr A. H. Buck, former station master at Bell, is now in charge at Middle Brighton.

Miss Edna Beatrice Lambert, Yann street, Preston, died on Wednesday of last week. The remains were interred in Heidelberg Cemetery on Friday. Rev Capper, of St. Mary's, Preston, read the burial service, and Mr. Errol, of the same church, officiated at the funeral.

Mr Lang, a former station master at Preston, has left Warburton station for Ringwood. Within the last week the death occurred either suddenly of Mr Herbert Standish, Roseberry avenue, Preston, at the age of 48. The cause was heart trouble. He leaves a widow and twin daughters, Gladys and Isabel, 20 years of age. By occupation Mr Standish was a plasterer. He was a native of Lincolnshire and a soldier. Many friends mourn the sudden passing of Mr Standish, who was buried in Heidelberg Cemetery on Monday last. Fr. Norris being the officiating clergyman. The pallbearers were Messrs A. F. Emswiler, C. O'Callaghan, H. Stonehouse, J. Looney, J. Harrarty and W. Fitzgerald. Mr Errol Jensen had charge of the funeral arrangements.

Mr H. P. Swan, M.L.A., travelled by plane to King Island on Thursday of last week and returned to Preston on Monday. The mayor and mayoress of Northcote (Cr and Mrs S. Dennis) accompanied by Mrs J. A. Thomson, attended the garden party at Government House on Wednesday last.

CHURCH NEWS

St. Mary's Church of England, East Preston. As is usual for the second Sunday in the month Holy Communion will be administered at 11 a.m. as well as 8 a.m. The Girls' School Club parade also takes place this day. Those who patronised the All Societies' hall on Cup Eve had a most enjoyable time and were well catered for by good music, supper etc.

Invaluable Church of England Girls' Grammar School. An announcement appears elsewhere in regard to two entrance half scholarships for girls under 14; and two entrance half scholarships for girls under 12. An examination will be held on November 23, and full particulars and entry forms are available from the headmistress.

Christmas Choeer Appeal. To augment the funds of the appeal by the Mayor of Preston for Christmas cheer, an old time dance will be held at Preston City Hall on Saturday, November 9. A special feature is the engagement of Gavan Duffy's time orchestra, and Mr. Pender, Eaton is M.C. Tickets are 1/3 single. See advertisement.

OF SOCIAL INTEREST

Successful Dance The parishioners of Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church, Thornbury, held their annual dance at the Northcote town hall on October 28. About 250 enjoyed a pleasant evening dancing to the music of Hammond's orchestra. Rev Fr. Vaughan presided at supper, and included in the assemblage were the mayor and mayoress (Cr Dennis and Mrs Dennis), Cr and Mrs Owen Fr. Caffrey and Mrs Thompson. Fr. Vaughan welcomed the visitors, and the mayor suitably responded. Mr Timmons supervised the dancing, and the introduction of strewers, masks and novelties was enjoyed by all. A special feature was the colored lighting scheme arranged by Mr Hammet. The decorations on the stage were pedestals of lilies, bouquets and palms. The supper tables were gay with bouquets of roses, and an excellent supper was dispensed. The decorations and supper were capably supervised by the following committee of ladies: Mrs. A. H. Goodson, Ryan, McMichael, O'Keefe, Johnson, Early, Sheehan, Coghlan, Quinlan, McMahon, Roberts, Cook, M. Donelan and M. Woods.

Tenth Birthday Social Braaford Hall, High street, Preston, last Saturday night, the president and members of the West Preston State School Mothers' Club held their tenth birthday social. Those who attended included the mayor and mayoress of Preston (Cr and Mrs Swain), to whom a bouquet was presented by the president of the club (Mrs D. James). Cr and Mrs Grey, Mrs N. Joseph (State School Mothers' Association of Victoria), Mr G. A. Osborne (District Inspector), Mrs Wooding (Victorian Federation of Mothers' Clubs), and Mr McWhirter (West Preston School Committee). Dancing and competitions filled a very pleasant evening and items were rendered by Mr Stanley, entertainer, and Miss Dorothy Fairclough, elocutionist. During supper a birthday cake, made by Mrs Badcliffe, was cut, and a happy evening concluded with "Auld Lang Syne" and the National Anthem.

Engagement Party An evening was tendered Miss Myrtle Harris at the home of Mrs Sforzina, Gadd street, Northcote, on Saturday last. Over 40 were present, and a most enjoyable time was spent with music and dancing. During the evening the engagement was announced by Miss Harris to Mr A. Parsons. The health of the young couple was proposed by Mr Williams and musically honored. Mr Parsons suitably responded. Miss Harris was the recipient of many beautiful gifts.

21st Birthday Social "Many Happy Returns of the Day" were wished on Thursday, November 7, to Mr Sid-Dineen, Frankston street, Regent, by many friends on the occasion of his 21st birthday. Mr Dineen is a member of South Melbourne Football Club, and transferred from Preston last year.

Coming-of-Age Party. On Monday, October 28, at his parents' home, Mitchell street, Northcote, Mr Jack Thomson entertained a few friends to celebrate his 21st birthday. The boys spent a happy time with music, billiards and guessing. Jack was called upon to light the 21 candles and cut the cake. Mr Wally Beecher congratulated Jack on attaining his majority, and was ably supported by Mr Geof. Noel, after which the boys all changed their glasses and drank to Jack's health. After having spent a happy night the boys all joined hands and sang "Auld Lang Syne." Those present were Messrs W. Beecher, H. Bell, R. Smeddon, R. Craig, G. North, G. Noel, T. McLeod, F. Teggie, J. Robert, G. Shand, A. Thomson and L. Beecher.

Novelty Night In the Northcote town hall on Monday, October 28, a novelty night organized by the Thornbury Parish, with Messdames L. Roberts and W. Cook as joint hosts, was held. The attendance was excellent and a happy evening was spent to the strains of Hammond's orchestra. The function, which was under the patronage of the mayor and mayoress of Preston (Cr and Mrs S. Dennis), proved most successful.

Thornbury-Northcote St. Vincent's Auxiliary The monthly meeting of the Thornbury-Northcote Auxiliary for St. Vincent's Hospital will be held at the Northcote town hall on Thursday, November 14, at 2.30 p.m. in the committee room. All members are urged to attend.

A.W.N.L. Members of the Northcote Branch A.W.N.L. attended the quarterly meeting in the Northcote town hall, Westbourne grove on October 29. Lady Weedon, president A.W.N.L. Club, spoke interestingly on "Social Activities," and the mayor of Northcote also addressed the meeting. A dainty afternoon tea was served and the organization was in the hands of the branch president, Mrs N. A. Dennis, hon. secretary.

Wedding Anniversary A number of friends and relatives gathered at "Bondi," Blandford street, on Wednesday evening, November 6, to celebrate the 20th anniversary of their wedding, and also hear the announcement of the engagement of their only daughter, Miss Iris Lillian Trinick.

Card Evening In the committee room of the Northcote town hall on Saturday the executive of the Northcote Croche and Kindergarten were the sponsors of a card evening. They were Messdames A. H. Main (president), S. Dennis (secretary), G. Reid, W. F. Brownell, W. T. Hawthorn, J. J. Ryan, R. Pollock, F. C. Cornish, H. A. Bean, L. Dennis, L. C. Lavender, E. Kirton, J. W. French and Miss Grentell. Mr T. Pollock had charge of the cards and prizes were presented to the winners by the mayoress—Mrs Gray, Miss G. Mott, Miss K. Clappison and Mr J. Brookie; bridge, Miss Willock. The lucky number for sweets was held by Mrs Pollock, and the stockings were drawn by Mrs Willock. Mrs Gray thanked those present for their assistance, and the evening's proceeds were £6/5. Sprays of roses, made up by Mrs J. W. Frith, were sold to swell the funds.

Announcement of the play Mrs S. Dennis (mayoress of Northcote), Mr and Mrs A. H. Main, Cr and Mrs M. C. Jones, Mr and Mrs A. W. Nancarrow, Mr and Mrs T. Pollock, Mr and Mrs Carmichael, Mrs and Mrs F. Ryan, Mr and Mrs E. Broadhurst, Mr and Mrs A. A. Quick, Mr and Mrs K. McDonald, Mr and Mrs H. A. Bean, Mr and Mrs T. Love, Mr and Mrs J. M. May, Mr and Mrs F. Greenwell, Mrs and Mrs B. McCrae, Mr and Mrs L. Rosewell, Mr and Mrs J. Brookie, Mr and Mrs Goldsworthy, Dr and Mrs W. F. Brownell, Mr and Mrs D. Bennetts, Mr and Mrs Les Dennis, Mr and Mrs J. Mackenzie, Mr and Mrs F. Muecher, J. W. French, Stott, S. M. Gibaud, A. Wigney, M. Daly, A. Merrick, G. S. Scott, J. Dale, E. O. Ramcke, A. K. Alechin, M. Olds, E. Anthony, Mr and Mrs M. White, R. Thompson, F. Rattigan, S. S. Riches, Armstrong, L. C. Lavender, W. T. Hawthorn and Kirton, Misses E. McDonald, I. Allen, G. Mott, M. Scott, R. Crawley, Willcock and K. Clappison, Messrs E. Thiel, C. McNally, F. Twyford, R. Almond, M. Mackinnon, R. Woolf, N. Newell and J. Clappison.

Northcote High School The Old Boys' Association and Parents' Committee are holding their first annual dinner at the Northcote town hall on Tuesday, November 12, from 8 till 12 p.m. Any member not notified should get in touch with Mr Keith Orzig, 10 Nash street, Northcote, or Mrs J. Mackenzie, 27 Shawford bury parade, Thornbury, from whom particulars and tickets are available. The night should prove a most enjoyable one for all arrangements have been made for catering and novelty dances, including a Monte Carlo and the Merry-makers' orchestra has been engaged. Particulars are advertised elsewhere.

Engagement Announcement An announcement is announced of Athalia Edgcomb, second daughter of Mr and Mrs John Fraser, "Sunnyside," Merton, to Keith Litchfield, younger son of Mr and Mrs W. Arnel, "Violeta," Whitless. The prospective bridegroom is a member of Preston Council electoral district.

AUSTRALIA'S INLAND

Abundant Natural Resources

VARIED ideas are expressed regarding the claim of Central and Northern Australia. At the Preston Methodist Church as a recent date, the Rev. Henry Griffiths, who has had years of experience at Katherine and Alice Springs, gave his impressions and opinions.

He patrols the whole area within the east and west boundaries of the Northern Territory from Oodnadatta to Darwin. Once past the useless and forbidding belt of sandy desert and gibber plain Mr Griffiths declares the country to be of abundant resources needing only Government assistance.

Mr Griffiths is impressed with the value of patrol work. A great deal of his own work is ambulance work, entailing at times car travel where no car has ever been before, and over distances entailing 36 hour driving each way. Numbers of lives have been saved. The value of even such sporadic efforts shows that it would not be wasted money if the Government supplied a patrolling doctor for the area; also a convinced that the aborigines should have separate courts and means of punishment. He has found them a quaint but lovable people. His own work entails long travel risks and labors. Motor travel over country without made roads through sand and mud, or six-foot grass with no garages and with the lives of others often at stake, brings its own thrills. But chiefly he sees an investment of Christian work where men and women are heroically facing the hardest conditions without the usual ministrations of school or church or Christian fellowship.

Mr Griffiths, who is a very practical help in the work not merely in what is usually considered woman's sphere, was present, and sang most inspiringly.

Motoring Notes

TITIAN TRETTSES The Hollywood influence "once again has caused a new vogue in feminine coiffures. Platinum blondes are on the wane, and the titian tops are gaining in popularity. It was Jean Harlow, several years ago, who caused thousands of women to become "platinum blondes" after her press agent invented the descriptive, and the phrase became part of the feminine lexicon.

The organized hairdressers at the time were quick to capitalize on the Harlow coiffure and entered their claims to be patented. And now that an entire motion picture, "Redheads on Parade," is being based on the story idea that titian haired women out appeal the blondes and brunettes, the beauty experts let it be known they are prepared to make titian tresses for those who want them.

MILION MILE MOTORIST

Mr S. F. Edge, one of the leading pioneer motorists of England, and a foremost authority on automotive matters (he was born in Sydney) recently announced that he had driven automobiles over 1,000,000 miles, his yearly average being 30,000 miles. Incidentally he still has a "clean" driving license. Probably few private motorists in the world have such a record to their credit.

FASHION HINT

(By Gail Patrick, Paramount Star) I am a firm believer in the fact that it is sometimes difficult to be at once practical and chic. But in my formal wardrobe for the approaching season I have found one way of combining these qualities which proves the exception to the rule. Instead of having to worry about nondescript wraps, coats or capes for formal occasions, I have chosen a three-quarter length sable jacket with simple lines. It is the type of coat that can be worn in various times of the day with equal smartness, but still remains an appropriate complement for the most elaborate evening gown.

I like the subtle fullness which descends from the shoulders and the arching of the sleeves. The fur collar is both flattering and casual, and the wide tabs of the fur which loop over each other and hold the wrap securely. One of the gowns with which I wear this coat is a grayish blue crepe, heavily fringed. The beauty of the gown seems accentuated by the abrupt termination of the coat which is another desirable feature in any evening wrap. A clever man can always tell a woman's age—a wise one never does.

OBITUARY

MR ANDREW HODGE

Mr Andrew Hodge, of Flinders street, Thornbury, who is well known in Northcote, died on Wednesday night, after having been in bed for some time. He was in health for some time. He was in his 96th year, and was a native of Auckland, New Zealand. His grand-children were the first white people to settle in Auckland. At the age of 23 Mr Hodge fought in the Maori War. About 18 years ago he came to Australia, and for a time was associated with the Ballarat "Star" and later with the Bendigo "Independent." Eventually he acquired the Queens-land "Sentinel," which he conducted for some 20 years. Some 32 years ago he came to Northcote, and engaged in the business of a printer. He took a keen interest in local affairs, and was a prominent figure in the Masonic circles, being associated with the Lord Northcote, Thornbury, City of Northcote, Halcyon, and Mark Lodges. Some three years ago he transferred his business to the Thornbury town terminus, where he was joined by his eldest son (Mr Andrew Hodge, jun.). Mr Hodge had an engaging personality, and had a very large circle of friends. Every year he attended the annual dinner tendered by the Governor to the ranks of the "Indomitable," he numbered many friends.

The funeral will take place to-day (Friday), and will move from Mrs. Jones's parlors, High street, at 11 a.m.

DEATH OF MR H. FINDLAY

The death occurred on Monday last at the early age of 41, of Mr Harold E. Findlay, of 20 Town Hall avenue, Preston. Several months ago the health of Mr Findlay necessitated a long stay in hospital. He appeared to make satisfactory progress, and subsequently returned home looking much brighter. About three weeks ago, however, his health again gave rise to concern and he was admitted into a private hospital, where his condition gradually became worse and he passed away. Mr Findlay was the secretary of the Preston South branch of the A.N.A., and was one of the delegates on the recent I.P.S. Dispensary. He leaves a widow and two daughters. The funeral took place last Wednesday, the interment being made at the Preston Cemetery. The service at the graveside was conducted by the Rev. A. J. Brown, Mr J. F. Wilson (sec.) represented the Dispensary at the funeral, whilst there was also a representative of the Australian Builders' Union, of which this late Mr Findlay was cashier. Mr W. H. Burland (Jilka Cricket Association), Messrs G. C. McPherson and W. Webb (Fuel and Fodder Association), J. W. Burtpop (Preston A.N.A.), and J. Cohen (Collingwood A.N.A.), Fall-bearers were Messrs G. Massey (State President, A.N.A.), F. W. Sear, W. T. Roberson, J. Smith, W. Slater, M.L.A., G. Holland (President, Preston A.N.A.), and W. Brown (President South Preston A.N.A.). Mr Moore (acting secretary South Preston A.N.A.) Among the floral tributes were wreaths from the Ladies' Committee, South Preston A.N.A., Preston A.N.A., and the Jilka Cricket Association. The funeral arrangements were in the hands of Mr Ern Jensen.

Northcote Council

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4.

The monthly meeting of the Northcote Council was held on Monday. Present the mayor (Cr S. Dennis), J. P. and Crs J. O. Hughes, A. McAdam, J. H. Green, W. Hayes, J. Sutch, W. Glanfield, A. Peters, B. E. Johnson, J. W. French, W. Oliver, A. J. Cornish, A. C. Bird and M. C. Jones.

CORRESPONDENCE

Subdivisions Approved.—Metropolitan Board of Works approved of subdivisions of land corner Victoria road and Rosemont street owned by J. H. James; and of land in Clyde and Clarendon streets, owned by Mrs S. Manning.—Received.

Traffic Complaints.—Police Department advised that attention would be given to complaints in regard to cycle traffic in St. George's road, and particularly in the evening.—Received.

Houses Condemned.—Dr Brownell, health officer, certified a house in Separation street as unfit for human habitation. The town clerk said this was a room and lean-to, walls of which were mainly of mud and tin; no ventilation was provided, and it was used as a bedroom, living room and kitchen. There was little likelihood that the property could be renovated and would have to be pulled down. A resolution was passed condemning the property.

Notice is to be served on the owner to pull the house in order within three months, or else remove it. Wants to Buy Land.—R. Willis, Flinders street, requested the council to sell him 4ft. of Roberts Reserve so that he could make a side entrance to his property.—Finance Committee to give consideration.

FINANCE

Accounts passed for payment.—Public Works Committee, £249/5/11; Electric Light Committee, £369/2/5; Parks and Baths Committee, £154 11/8; Finance Committee (additional to foregoing), £687/11/1.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Public Works Committee. Vehicular Croche and Kindergarten to be served to two property owners in Main street and Victoria road to construct crossings over footways. Lane Construction.—The engineer was instructed to prepare plans for the construction of lanes and drainage between Thames street and Tanner grove; and lanes between Gadd, Kemp and Spencer streets and St. George's road.

Electric Light Committee

Tender Accepted.—The tender of the Australian General Electric Co. for the supply of additions to high tension switch gear for Urquhart street sub-station was accepted, the price being £55/12/6 (this includes some extra items not included in the tenders).

Finance Committee

Grant to Creche and Kindergarten.—A grant of £50 is to be made to the Northcote Creche and Kindergarten Committee on account of the cost of maintaining the Kindergarten. Cr McAdam said that when application was made for the grant, the committee had given consideration to the vast amount of work done by this body, and had accordingly recommended the vote.

ALTERATION OF BUS ROUTE SOUGHT

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CONSTRUCTION OF GARDEN STREET

NOT TO BE MADE AS A PRIVATE STREET

Council's 8—6 Vote Decision

At the meeting of the Northcote Council on Monday further consideration was given to the proposed construction of Garden street under the private street construction scheme. This question was discussed by the council at its previous meeting, and was deferred to allow the committee of the council to consider certain points raised by Dr Ellis, who appeared to state a case for the owners.

At the council meeting on Monday Mr W. Graham, "Rosebank," Garden street, wrote urging the council to compromise with the abutting owners in regard to the cost of constructing the street.

Messrs Gray and Gray, solicitors acting for the abutting owners, wrote giving the information that Garden street was in the possession of the council for twenty years before it was gazetted a public street, and that it was not being spent on its construction.

Cr French said that as chairman of the Public Works Committee, he moved pro forma that the plans for the construction of Garden street be adopted.

Cr Cornish seconded. Cr Glanfield opposed the adoption of the plan. For many years the council had voted certain moneys as ward apportionment to the East Ward. Out of these moneys the council had spent moneys on Bastings and Mitchell street. He urged that the council should treat Garden street in the same way.

Cr French said that as a matter of equity along the council should construct Garden street out of council revenue. He had no hesitation in saying that up to some three years ago his council would have been prepared to make this street out of its revenue.

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NORTHCOTE COUNCIL RATES

Northcote Council has resolved to strike a general rate of 2/6 in the £ on the net annual value of all property within the municipality to raise £55,434; and to levy a special charge of 11/3d per annum on tenements not connected with the sewerage system.

Cr Jones said the council had hoped to be able to make a reduction in the rate, but if the council's policy of doing new works was to be pursued, the rate would have to remain the same. Last year 1934 had been spent on material for works on which unemployed men were engaged, and some £5500 was spent on new plant and equipment.

APPROACHING AUCTIONS

By A. F. Deacon (V. Pave auctioneer) on Wednesday, November 13, at 3 p.m. on the property, 7 Walla avenue, Preston, mortgagee's sale a 51 roomed w.b. villa, all convs. on land 10ft x 120ft. Particulars advertised.

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BOXING

BOUNTS AT FITZROY

WITH height, reach, and weight in his favour, Jack Wilson, had been able to infuse some of the fighting spirit with which his opponent, Al Schaaf, is so well equipped, would have brought his contest with that same boxer at the stadium last week to an early conclusion. Obviously nervous before the start of the bout, Wilson took some time to gain confidence, but even then let the verdict slip out of his hands by his reluctance to fight on his feet. At 11 he had an advantage of 3lb over his stocky adversary who, working on a pre-arranged plan, literally chased Wilson round the ring during the first few rounds.

As early as the second round Schaaf was badly rattled by a terrific right punch to the jaw and was fortunate that Wilson did not follow up his advantage. With a badly cut ear and nose Schaaf was continually brought to a standstill in his rushes by Wilson's left, and appeared to have only a slight chance of success. His desire at every opportunity to fight, and his punches to the body, the concluding rounds earned the referee's approval. The verdict, however, met with a mixed reception.

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10 Ways







Recent Weddings

CRAPP - WHALEY
FLOWERS in all pink shades were arranged in Scott's Church, Melbourne on October 23, when the marriage of Miss Hilma Whaley and Mr. Edwin Crapp was solemnized by Rev. W. J. Harris.

BURGESS - DRAPEL
A PICTURESQUE wedding of unusual interest was celebrated at Holy Trinity Church, Thornbury, on Saturday, October 26, when Elsie May, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Draper, of 141, Shaftesbury parade, Thornbury, was married to Charles William Burgess, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Charles Burgess, of 2, Victoria.

A charming wedding gown of white satin was selected by the bride, which it had long closely fitting sleeves and the square neckline, inset with a double ruffling, was adorned with a spray of orange blossom.

The bride was escorted to the altar by her father and was clad in an elegant gown of white satin flowing into a long train. It was gracefully moulded to the figure in a softly becoming line to the knees, draping to the ankles and just showing the white satin shoes.

Mrs. E. Rothwell Scott as matron of honor, Misses Joan Crapp and Betty Cameron as bridesmaids, Betty Dawn Mackinnon as trainbearer, formed their frocks of peach pink net made with full skirts, and the wide ends of their stitched belts fell to the hemline.

The bride carried a bouquet of white roses, and the bridesmaids carried a bouquet of white and pink roses. The groom carried a bunch of white flowers.

Mr. John Ivan Stephens ably supported in the capacity of best man, their tiny cakes in front, and each carried a sheaf of field flowers to match the garland in her hair.

After the ceremony the guests were entertained at dinner at Monzie Hotel. A frock of black satin and a black tulle hat were chosen by the bride's mother and her flowers were pink roses and azaleas.

MISS GLADYS MADGE FLEMING was a radiant bride on Saturday, October 26, when she became the wife of Mr. Joseph Henry Bond. The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Wallace Fleming, of Thomastown, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Henry Bond, also of Thomastown.

After the ceremony many guests attended the reception in Bradford Hall, where an attractive repast had been prepared by Mrs. Olorenshaw, of Normanby Hall, Thornbury, in her usual lavish manner.

THE PETITE figure of the bride added grace and charm to the gown of white crepe de chene with its close cut waist, and falling from the knees flared cape over long sleeves gathered at wrists gave a pleasing touch with the cowl neckline and lovely tulle veil embroidered with four corners a halo of orange blossom and lilacs caught to the head a tulle cape, and seasonal flowers forming a fragrant bouquet, together with dainty silver shoes, completed a delightful bridal array.

Denure in her gown of parchment lace, the bride looked charming as she swept gracefully along the aisle by her father's side. The bridal dress, which gracefully fitted the figure, displayed a fullness from the knees and merged into a long train. A feature of the array was the lovely parchment tulle veil which was clasped to the head by a halo of orange blossom and allowed to lie over the train. The sleeves were full to the elbow and pointed over the wrists, while the bodice embodied a shirred corset, caught at each side with orange blossom. The bridal sheaf was exquisite, and this together with parchment velvet shoes, were delightful complements to a picturesque ensemble.

Mr. William LaFrance, a close friend performed the duties of best man. The bride chose a pink wide-sleeved satin frock and brown tailored coat, brown hat and pink tonings, brown shoes and bag, as her trousseau.

Miss Annie Sillery, sister of the bride was an attractive bridesmaid clad in a frock of pale pink georgette, and Miss Constance Beryl Miller, sister of the bridegroom, selected a pale green georgette, while Miss Margaret Anderson chose pale sprigged georgette. All three wore large picture hats to match, and each carried a shower bouquet.

The little trainbearer, Miss Lorna Gibaud, was appropriately dressed in parchment tulle, with a pale Dolly Varden bonnet and pale blue shoes, and with her disengaged hand carried a basket of flowers.

Mr. Frank Murphy was an efficient best man, ably assisted by Mr. George Sillery (brother of the bride), and

Mr. Arthur Burns, of Black Rock (cousin of the bride).

A navy blue ensemble and toque with stiffened veil were worn by the bride's mother, who carried a posy of panicles. The groom's mother appeared in a smart black and white frock and black and white hat with a contrasting bouquet.

DELIGHTFUL floral decorations were set in the South Preston Methodist Church, Yann street, Preston, by friends of the bride, when Rev. Gibbs solemnized the wedding of Miss Edna Yann and Mr. George Edwards at 103, Hawthorn 100.

Irresistible charm is found in the revival of dotted Swiss muslin for this summer's evening and dinner hours.

As trainbearer, little Joan Lloyd, niece of the bride, made a charming old-world picture in a pale pink frock of crepe-de-chene of Early Victorian cut, and the garland of Ceoil Bryer, with its pink and white flowers, and her hair plaited a bracelet of the same flowers.

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Swiss Muslin For Summer



Swiss Muslin featured by Kathleen Burke, A Paramount Player

FASHION SHORTS

FOR formal evening wear Travle Barone has designed a sensational gown which Verree Teasdale wears in "The Milky Way," a Paramount production, starring Harold Lloyd. It is made entirely of massed bugle beads strung by hand over fragile threads and the weight is approximately 22 pounds. The color of the beads is crystal and Miss Teasdale wears a soft pastel blue slip underneath to give an alluring effect as it shines through the mass of beads.

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BOWLS

LAST Saturday, in ideal weather, a further round of Pennant matches was played. Four-Team Competition. In Div. 1 Alph 94 d Kew 88. In Div 2 Ivanhoe 87 d Middle Park 77. Glen Iris 103 d Heidelberg 88 in Div 4. Div. 5, Sec 2 - Port Melbourne 87 d Thornbury 85. Preston 103 d Williams 84. Ascot Vale 95 d Northcote 81.

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SEEKING PETROL-SUBSTITUTES

Experiments in Germany The German authorities are making strong efforts to lessen their dependence on imported petrol by encouraging the production of home-made fuels. For years past they have been making bedol and synthetic petrols, the annual output of which were gradually increasing. Last week 854 days road, test of 45 heavy duty commercial motor vehicles was concluded. The outstanding feature of the 4600 miles test was that all the vehicles used fuels other than imported petrol. Many fuels comprising from 75 to 100 per cent. of alcohol and gases made from wood charcoal, brown coal, peat, coke, briquettes, etc., were used and subjected to most searching tests. The results obtained were surprisingly good.

APPROACHING AUCTIONS By Angus McDonald Pty Ltd. (Geelong, auctioneer) on Thursday, November 14 at 3 p.m. on property, 106 Rennie street, Thornbury, mortgagee auction sale of modern d.f. villa, four rooms and covrs., on land 30 x 125. See advertisement. By Angus McDonald Pty Ltd. (Geelong, auctioneer) on Wednesday, November 13, at 3 p.m. mortgagee's auction at 17 Dorehill road, Northcote, of property formerly known as "Lilliville" private hospital, 144ft. along St. David street. See advertisement. By Mombrey and Deane, 17 Queen street, Melbourne, and Angus McDonald Pty Ltd., 632 High street, Northcote, in conjunction, at the Northcote town hall at 2.30 o'clock on December 10, by order of the Northcote Council, 18 lots of vacant land in good positions. Particulars advertised.

Church Notices ST. MARY'S CHURCH, ENGLAND Plenty Road, East Preston Nov. 10th-21st Sunday After Trinity 8 a.m.: Holy Communion, 10 a.m.: Children's Church, 11 a.m.: Holy Communion (G.F.S. Corporate), 7 p.m.: Evensong. Preacher-The Vicar, Rev. A. M. Capper Th.L. HOLY TRINITY, THORNBUARY 8 a.m.: Holy Communion, 10 a.m.: Children's Church, 11 a.m.: Holy Communion (G.F.S. Corporate), 7 p.m.: Evensong. Preacher-The Vicar, Rev. A. M. Capper Th.L. CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY Bayview Street, Northcote Sunday, November 10 8 a.m.: Holy Communion, 11 a.m.: Matins, 7 p.m.: Evensong. (Rev. F. E. Thornton)

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CHRISTMAS COMPETITION

For the best instructions for making a Christmas Gift for Mother or Father a prize of 1/4 will be awarded to the winner who by December 8 and the winner will be announced on December 13.

BIRTHDAYS

All the Cobbers, Uncle Phil and the Pets send the Happiest and Heartiest Birthdays, Good Wishes and Wishes to Irene Poole, Dorothy Epton, Jos. Clason and Terry Power (Nov. 14); Mavis Lobbe, Lesley Jacobs, Jack Power and Norman Davis (Nov. 16); Audrey Doggett (Nov. 18); Allan Feric and Walter Watt (Nov. 19); Don and Murray Cyril McCoolle and Henry May (Nov. 20); Marion Holdings (Nov. 21) and Ron Baker (Nov. 22).

OUR MAIL BAG

3 Turnbull grove, Northcote. Dear Uncle Phil, — Since I last wrote to you, I have not another letter. She was born on the 18th of September. She is fair, and has dark blue eyes. We've called her Joan. She is a dear little baby, and I love her very much.

STORYETTES

Angler (describing his experiences) Believe me or not, I never saw such a fish. Listener: I believe you. The court was dealing with a number of delinquent motorists. The next to take his stand in the dock looked a very meek little man.

CONTRIBUTIONS

AUSTRALIAN COACHWOOD One often admires the handiwork of the inner decorator of our railway carriages. It is conspicuous in its graining and has an attractive appearance, and many folks unfamiliar with its name are led to think that it is an importation.

THE FIELDS OF THE EVANGELIST

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THE SPIDER ESCAPED

I was ruminating, seated on a dry log in the bush one afternoon, and while staring at the grass before me in a sort of half-dream, I suddenly saw a tripod-spider rush up and dart down into her hole in the ground. "Hello!" I muttered, "what the matter with the spider. I wonder."

RIDDLES

Why is a horse more clever than a fox? — Because a horse can run when in a trap, but a fox cannot. Why is the letter 'O' like pain? — Because it makes man groan.

UNCLE SAM'S STORY

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WOMEN'S WORLD

Wedding Bells

OFF-WHITE velvet was chosen for her wedding gown by Miss Dorothy-Maud Slick, whose marriage with Mr. Henry Charles, second son of Mrs. J. H. Lister, 378 St. George's road, North Fitzroy, was celebrated on October 30 at St. Luke's Church, North Fitzroy, by the Rev. J. E. Stanniger, of Balmaine, assisted by the Rev. J. G. Hughes.

The bride, who is the younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. Slick, "Clyde Court," Francis grove, Thornbury, was given away by her father, and attended by her sister, Mrs. A. G. McDonald, Miss Fay Rayner, Miss Joan Smith, Miss Betty Harley (flower girl), Marjorie Mellor (train-bearer), and Gregory McDonald (ring boy).

Her simply-made frock finished at the waist with a plaited girde of velvet, and the graceful skirt was caught at each side with orange blossom. Floral chiffon in autumn tonings fashioned the frocks worn by Mrs. McDonald and Miss Rayner, and Miss Smith and Miss Harley wore frocks of primrose georgette with matching capes edged with tulle. Each attendant carried fans of pansies and roses. The trainbearer and page wore charming figures in white satin.

Mr. A. G. McDonald was best man, the groomsmen were Mr. Clyde Slick, and the ushers Messrs W. Yeomans and C. Warlimont.

After the ceremony a reception was held at St. Luke's Hall. The bride's mother wore a frock of French crepe patterned in brown tonings, and hat of brown silk straw. The bridegroom's mother's graceful gown was of floral chiffon in mauve tonings.

STORY — PIKE

A WEDDING which aroused considerable interest was celebrated in the South Preston Methodist Church on Saturday, October 25, when Miss Hilda Pike, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Pike, of "Avalon," 252 Bell street, Preston, was married to Mr. John F. Stora, second youngest-son of Mrs. C. Stora, and the late Mr. J. Stora, of 45 Mason street, Regent.

The church, which was crowded (every available seat being occupied before the arrival of the bridal party) was tastefully decorated with lilies and a liberal display of red and white waternias nicely grouped. From the arches wedding bells were suspended, while delightful blooms of tilted roses considerably enhanced the attractiveness of the decorative scheme.

The bride, who was accompanied by her father, wore a frock fashioned of white satin with softly cowled neckline caught with diamonds and orange blossom. Her panelled skirt swept into a long graceful train, and her tightly fitting sleeves finished in a point over the hand. A bouquet composed of white roses and anemones was carried.

As bridesmaids Miss Dorothy Freeman (cousin of the bride) and Miss Ruth Fugden were attractively gowned in blue floral georgette, shirred neckline, with diamonds, and skirts artfully finished with tiny frills. Halos of silver leaves encircled their heads, while they bore bouquets of pink carnations. The little train-bearers were Betty Pike (niece of the bride) and Betty Stora (niece of the bridegroom), who were daintily attired in Margaret Rose pink with pink rosebuds in their hair. Each wore a gift from the bride, Betty Stora wearing a gold bangle and Betty Pike a gold brooch. They presented a picturesque setting as they assembled beneath a large floral archway.

The bridegroom was supported by his brother, Mr. C. Stora, as best man, and Mr. Stan Pike as groomsmen.

Black flat crepe relieved with pink front, and a hat to correspond with the attire worn by the bride's mother, and the mother of the groom selected a black floral marocain frock relieved with fawn. They also wore pretty sprays of pink carnations and sweet peas.

The officiating clergyman was the Rev. D. Gibbs, and the service was choral, there being a full attendance of choir members to do honor to their former member.

During the signing of the register Mr. W. Magraw gave a delightful rendition of the solo, "All Joy Be Thine." As the bride left the church she

POTATOES AND TURNIPS IN JAM

What Investigation Revealed

FRUIT ICE-BLOCKS WITHOUT FRUIT

JAMS which contain potatoes and turnips, and fruit blocks which lack fruit, were among "discoveries" made in the policing of the Pure Food Act, according to statements made by Dr. C. R. Merrillees, district officer of health, when addressing the research committee of the Victorian Fruit Marketing Association last week.

Discussing fruit drinks, Dr. Merrillees said that the object of legislation was not to prevent the addition of artificial colorings and flavourings but to ensure that the public knew exactly what it was receiving. The moment any artificial or synthetic substances were added, such drinks should be sold as imitations. He was afraid that there were many breaches of that regulation, for offences were hard to detect.

Vegetables in Jam While jams were scarcely worth adulterating, apart from coloring raspberry jam to change its "wishy-washy" purple to plum, it had been found that potatoes and turnips had been added to jams. Some jams were also adulterated by adding other fruits. For instance, he had found apricot preserves half full of apple pulp. The regulation in such instances required that the description should not be "apricot" but "apricot and apple," or "apple and apricot," according to which fruit was present in the greater quantity.

Ice Blocks, Too Dr. Merrillees said that when fruit ice blocks first became popular about six years ago he made an investigation which showed that in one instance no fruit of any kind was used. Supervision of drinks and ice blocks should be exceptionally strict, because children were the greatest consumers of them. Although Australia was a fruit producing country, children did not eat the amount of fruit they should. Instead of spending their pennies on oranges and apples, they bought ice creams and ice blocks, and that being so, it was desirable to give them fruit juices in their ice blocks.

Dr. Merrillees confessed that personally he had not quite "grown-up" as far as ice creams were concerned.

FLORAL CREPE FOR COMING SEASON

Sophistication is personified eloquently in Mariene Dietrich's new dinner gown, designed by Travis Banton, Paramount style expert for her personal wardrobe. The fabric is a rich crepe from Ducharme with a predominance of dead white and black streaked with a flamboyant floral motif of orange, green and magenta. A wash of orange velvet encircles the waistline. Miss Dietrich will shortly be seen in Paramount's "Carnival in Spain."

was presented with a Bible from the minister, and also received several blue-ribboned horseshoes and a swastika. A reception and wedding breakfast were held in the school hall, with Rev. D. Gibbs as chairman. The toast of the "Bride and Bridegroom" was proposed by Mr. A. E. Newton, to which both the bride and groom responded. The toast of "The Bride's Parents," coupled with the name of Mrs. Stora, was entrusted to Mr. A. F. Lucke, which Mr. G. H. Pike and Mr. A. Stora suitably acknowledged.

The bridesmaid was supported by the groom and responded to by the best man, Mr. F. G. Bishop, in eulogistic terms, proposed the toast of the chairman, who expressed his pleasure at officiating on such an occasion.

During the evening Mrs. F. G. Pike contributed a solo, whilst Miss Beryl Higgins entertained the gathering with an elocutionary number.

The bride's gift to the groom was a watch. Mr. and Mrs. Stora went to Belgrave for their honeymoon, the bride travelling in a blue floral frock with coat and hat to match, and carried a blue handbag, the gift of the bridegroom. The couple were the recipients of many handsome presents, including several cheques.

Such Poise!

"Of all qualities in women," said a man to me the other day, "give me tranquility and poise." I appreciated that criticism of my sex with-out quite realizing at the time that the second often evolves out of the first. A restless, fidgety or too vivacious woman seldom has poise.

Interestingly enough, however, poise, though comparatively rare, is not in itself necessarily a matter of beauty. Watching with envy the graceful or assured walks and manners of other women I've heard many a girl say: "Oh, I could have plenty of self-confidence and poise with a figure (or face, or clothes) like that!" Admitting that figures, clothes and face make a good deal of difference let us admit also that we have seen poise go hand in hand with much that was not strictly beautiful, but appeared more graceful and beautiful because it went hand in hand with poise!

Clothes do make a difference. We feel and look different women in a new and well-cut suit. Our faces take on an inspiring look under a becoming hat. Quite apart from the look of them, however, you cannot appear comfortable in uncomfortable clothes. You cannot walk well in badly fitting shoes. Stockings that sag, suspenders that do not do their appointed tasks, frocks or petticoats that hang badly or ride up; coats or skirts that are too tight, necks which do not set properly, hats and shoes which do not stay put, as well as too high heels which throw the whole body out of position, all contribute to a lack of poise. You look what you feel—all at once.

Comfortably as well as correctly, you can face the world with confidence unless your figure faults are glaring. The pump and thin, the tall and short alike may cultivate a graceful walk, and what is almost as important, a graceful repose. It is necessary to sit as well as walk well. The extra tall girl has the most difficulties to contend with, perhaps. Only the tall man will wish to be her escort. For height is not the asset to a woman that it is to a man. An over-tall girl is apt to look un feminine and awkward and conscious of her height. But if she is also slim she has much in her favor, though she must avoid high heels and any heightening fashions if she is very tall. She should also avoid too much standing about when those around her are not similarly tall.

A bad walk often results from bad foot positions. Actually the ball of the foot should go to the ground before the heel and feet should never be turned outwards or inwards, for both these positions make for ugly walking. The feet should be directly parallel to the body.

The girl who habitually walks badly can do much to improve matters if she will practice walking correctly. Any balancing exercises are good, including the old favorite of walking round the room with a book on the head and of tiptoeing along a given line. Dancing, very naturally, is invaluable as a promoter of ease and gracefulness.

Much in the way of poise may be learned from the films and the stage. See how your favorite film stars enter and leave a room.

One of the most used and most graceful stage sitting positions is that in which one foot is extended just a little way in front of the other. Lounching and crossing the legs from the knees should not be indulged in save by the slim and long-legged. Others, if they are sitting in low chairs may cross their legs at the ankles, but the position first described is the more graceful.

To Wave or Not To Wave?

If you have not had your hair permanently waved before, have "test" curls. Then you can decide whether or not that method is best to suit your hair, if there is a question of a little more baking, or a little less, or whether it is quite unsuitable. Leave your hair straight and ragged.

You will discover the "test" curler is a usual proceeding, and it is quite likely you will be invited to have one. If you have already had one or two permanent waves, and the method has been satisfactory, keep to this rather than experiment with a new one, because sometimes one method will "kill" another, and you will be left with no wave at all.

NORTHCOTE HIGH SCHOOL INTER-HOUSE CRICKET

On October 30 the first Senior House Cricket matches for the season were played.

Penty v Dorebin Dorebin won the toss and sent Penty to bat. Payne and Williams opened the innings, but Williams was bowled by Allen for 4. Wood, who replaced Williams, began confidently but was run out for 4. Payne continued to bat, and with Pol-lard, added 35 carrying the score to 40 before Pollard was bowled by Allen for a useful 13. Harding joined Payne, but he was run out for 3. Moran was next and scored 16 before being bowled. Grove came next and then Payne was out to a brilliant catch by Hide off Allen after a well made 48. The next two wickets fell with the addition of only 2 and 4. Penty had lost 3/07. Penty 2/97 (Payne 48, Pollard 13; Allen 5/15).

Diamond v Merri Diamond batted first and opened with Shewan and Bayley. After scoring 2 Shewan was run out. Blamey followed and then Crick bowled Bayley for 1. Dance was next and made a single. Barclay, the hard hitter, joined Blamey and the latter was out for 5. Hill joined Barclay but the latter also fell a victim to Crick for 1. Tobin was next and with Hill strengthened the position a little, before Hill was bowled for 15. The remaining wickets fell cheaply and the side was out for 45. Merri began with Bowden and Jones to the bowling of Barclay and Hill. In his third over Barclay, bowling very well, dismissed Bowden and Crick with successive hits. At stumps the score was 2/9. Diamond 45 (Hill 15; Crick 4/25; v Merri 2/9; Barclay 2/4).

Reservoir

Cisterns with fittings were stolen from the lavatories on church property, Byfield street, during the week-end.

The anniversary services of the St. George's Sunday School were well attended. Preachers were the Revs. Whitworth (morning), R. McCoy (afternoon) and W. H. Chamberlain (night). The subject of night was "Training of the Youth."

The death of Mrs. Clowes, 68 of Spring street, has removed a respected resident of many years.

A well-attended meeting of residents of the Central Ward was held in the band hall, High street, to discuss the extension of the Regent Progress Association's activities in the northern part of the ward, which has with the rest of Reservoir, suffered since the Reservoir Progress Association ceased to function.

Mr. Gorman, who was an inmate of the Caulfield Hospital, has disposed of his business in Edwardes street, and with his family has left Reservoir. He took an active interest in local matters.

The St. Mary's Girls' Club paid a return visit to the St. George's Girls' Fellowship on Tuesday night. Competitions, games, with supper, constituted a splendid night's amusement. A house party was held at the home of Mr. R. McKenzie on Saturday night in connection with the church bazaar. It was a financial and social success. Mrs. Watson, with Messrs Weston and Barker, were the chief prize takers.

A Junior House match was also between Dorebin and Merri. Results: Merri 55 (Walker 14, McInyre 11; Blundell 7/28).

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TENNIS

NORTH SUBURBAN ASSOCIATION A full round of matches was completed on Saturday in ideal weather, following are the results to hand:

A Grade Special Danella Park 69, d. Euphany 51; Murray 68, d. Northcote Methodists 42; Murrays 68, d. Capitol 56 on sets. A Grade Danella Park 69, d. Northcote Methodists 44; Capitol 62, d. St. Andrews 55. B Grade, Section 1 Danella Park 61, d. St. Andrews 58. B Grade, Section 2 Clifton Hill Baptists 63, d. Murray 40; Nunmerals 63, d. Westgarth 42; Thornbury Old Scholars 71, d. Kel-mont 46.

C Grade, Section 1 St. Andrews 59, d. Holy Trinity 45; Croxton Methodists 71, d. Kelmont 29. C Grade, Section 2 Clifton Hill Baptists 63, d. Murray 40; Normanville 61, d. Northcote Methodists 47.

PRESTON ASSOCIATION

A perfect afternoon and tennis was again in full swing last Saturday, but several clubs failed to send in returns.

In the Special Grade, Numurray suffered their first defeat. Reservoir took advantage of the opportunity to score while Numurray were not at full strength.

In the A Grade with the close of the first round of matches clubs are finding their positions. Cranross, with a win against Danella, are in first place and look like staying there. Danella come next with only one defeat. Okover, by defeating Lumeah, drew level with them and Hill, who had a bye. The fight for third and fourth places will be very keen. Numurray met Reservoir and Numurray succeeded in putting Reservoir at the bottom.

In the B Grade Cranross and Reservoir both undefeated, were fighting for first place but no report is yet to hand. Okover, by a win against Numurray, gained third place and Numurray and Warrain are level for fourth. South Preston lost their first game and Wilcarr defeated Sacred Heart.

In the C Grade Cranross defeated Reservoir, by 7 games and Cranross defeating Warrain retained third place, and Okover moved into fourth position defeating Numurray. Warrain and Danella are only one game behind them.

Results: Special Reservoir 59, d. Numurray 55. A Grade Cranross 57, d. Danella 51. Okover 67, d. Lumeah 51. Numurray 66, d. Reservoir 49. B Grade Okover 63, d. Numurray 49. South Preston 52, d. Bell Park 50. Wilcarr 60, d. Sacred Heart 54. C Grade Cranross I, d. Reservoir 55. Cranross II, 53, d. Danella 42. Gilbert 61, d. Warrain 44. Okover 72, d. Numurray 35.

MATCHES FOR SATURDAY Special and A Grades complete matches from 2/11/35. Special Hill v Regent. Reservoir v Gilbert. Numurray v Croxton College. A Grade Okover v Hill. Danella v Reservoir. Cranross v Lumeah. B Grade Regent v Bell Park. South Preston v Danella Park. Wilcarr v Warrain. Numurray e Cranross. Sacred Heart v Okover. C Grade East Preston v Danella. Gilbert v Reservoir. Warrain v Cranross I. Cranross II v Numurray. Okover v Reservoir Pros.

Drainage Works at Preston Preston Council elsewhere invites tenders returnable at noon on Monday, December 2 for 2,500 feet of reinforced concrete underground drain.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE FOURTH CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, MELBOURNE. A BRANCH of the Church of Christ Scientist, in Boston, Mass., U.S.A., holds services in the WESTGARTH HALL, 155 GARDNER STREET, as follows: SUNDAY, 11 a.m. and 7.15 p.m.; SUNDAY SCHOOL, 11 a.m. Testimony Meeting, Wednesday, 8 p.m. Reading Room, Friday, 2.30 to 4.30 p.m. Tuesday and Friday evening 7 to 9.

Correspondence

PHRENON SUSTENANCE WORKERS (To the Editor) Sir.—On a council job in Bell Street, Preston is a gang of suspicious workers numbering about 40; as I roughly counted them to-day (Thursday). These men are not of the "nanny" type, but belong to assorted grades. It was a most oppressive day and I watched them, stealthily using their picks in a trench, towards the end of the day and alongside them the stench from the old open chamber, if occurred to me that their uncleaned systems left them open to an easy chance of contagion. These forty men are compelled to use a convenience that simply cannot be described. It is in such a state that these carriers of disease are likely to prove a menace to residents in the immediate vicinity. To-day one of the men gashed his hand severely and there is no first aid kit to give immediate attention before he was taken to a doctor. Surely the officials responsible should see that decent conveniences are provided. I understand this is an old complaint from the men when working on past jobs. Should there not be an immediate improvement, perhaps the Board of Health might be asked to give an opinion on the matter.—Yours &c. WEST WARD, Preston, November 12/35.

PRESTON PROGRESSING BUILDING TRADE ACTIVE AN indication of the improved conditions and the return to former prosperity is noticed in Preston by the increase in buildings being erected in the municipality.

Further pointers are notices erected on vacant allotments to the effect that brick buildings are to be erected for sale on easy terms; and to the activities of owners of properties in Preston in submitting to the council plans for proposed subdivisions with a view to the subsequent sale of such subdivided allotments, for the erection of dwellings. The erection of houses in Preston is still active, and it is almost impossible to secure houses to rent.

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CHURCH NEWS Northcote Congregational Church The anniversary services of the above will be held on Sunday next (November 17). The preacher in the morning at 11 o'clock will be Rev. G. Gunson of Brighton; in the afternoon at 3, kindergarten lesson will be given by Miss M. Abern and Miss F. Morrison, and in the evening at 7, Rev. J. Brown, of Kew, will give a descriptive address on a model yard. Services will be repeated on Sunday, November 24. Morning at 11, Rev. A. T. Jones, of Northcote Presbyterian; afternoon at 3, service by the scholars—speaker, Mr. H. Rowland Goble, of Springvale. Members of the Northcote Scottish Society will attend the evening service, and Piper McLeod will play suitable airs, while the soloist will be Mr. Percy Blundell.

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Church Notices

MARY'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND, Plenty Road, East Preston. Nov 17—24th Sunday After Trinity 8 a.m.: Holy Communion. 10 a.m.: Children's Communion. 11 a.m.: Matins. 7 p.m.: Evensong. Preacher: The Vicar, Rev. A. M. Copper TH.L.

HOLY TRINITY, THORNBURY Shaftesbury Pde. (off High St.) The Church will welcome November 17th—24th Sunday After Trinity SUNDAY SCHOOL FESTIVAL 8 a.m.: Holy Communion (Corporate for Teachers and Young People). 11 a.m.: Matins and Sermon, Corporate and Teacher the Vicar. 3 p.m.: Children's Service (Rev. S. J. Brown). 7 p.m.: Festal Evensong and Sermon (Rev. Mervyn Britten).

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MONSTER Public Meeting

WEST PRESTON PROGRESS HALL, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20th 8.30 p.m.

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GOOD BATTING DISPLAYS

A. Hughes (Bell) 65 n.o., Payne (Thornbury West) 63 n.o.

Wellard (Braithwaite) Eight Wickets; Mulcahy (Soccer), Kupsch (Bell), Foster (Pastrycooks 2nds) Seven Each

The weather was fine and some exciting play was the order on Saturday for the concluding day of the third round of Association matches. Preston Basballers 1st XI gained victory by two runs, and Preston Municipal by seven runs in their respective matches against Croxton United and Scouts.

Notes by "Observer"

There were no batsmen to reach the century but six exceeded the half century. The highest scorer was Hughes (Bell), who made 65 not out against Regent. The other half-centuries were made by Mulcahy (Thornbury West) with 62 not out, and Foster (Pastrycooks 2nd XI) with 58 not out.

BATTING

Table listing batting statistics for various players and teams, including names like Hughes, Payne, Steel, and scores.

BOWLING

Table listing bowling statistics for various players and teams, including names like Wellard, Mulcahy, Kupsch, and wicket counts.

Saturday's Results

Eppling v Thornbury United. In response to Eppling's total of 165 in their first innings, Thornbury United resumed with 10 on the board for the loss of one wicket, were dismissed before reaching the century.

Regent v Bell. Regent made a very poor showing against their opponents on Saturday. Bell resumed with three down for 55, and had 45 not out at the close of the day.

Highview v Broadhursts. The home club (Broadhursts) on Saturday, in response to their visitors' small score of 45, managed to reach the century before being dismissed.

Thornbury West v Pastrycooks. When play was continued on Saturday at East Preston, the visitors, Thornbury West, with 3/89 carried their score to 136 for the loss of five wickets and declared their innings.

made 50, Harding 39 being top scorer. Birchall in this innings struck a good length and was rewarded with 5/16. The other bowlers were: W. Ward 3/25, Broadhurst 3/16, Cramer 4/30, and seven for 69 (Jacobson 32 n.o., Wall 4/7, McGrath 4/14).

Scouts v Preston Municipal. This match resumed in a most exciting finish, and the Municipal gained the advantage by 7 runs on the first innings. In the previous round they were successful against Preston Footballers by 1 run.

Reservoir v Excelsior. This match was resumed at Reservoir on Saturday, the Socials requiring a total of 112 to win. The batsmen were in good form and passed their opponents' total of 64. Lockhead was in good form and scored 47, while Wright 21 played the most interesting innings.

Pastrycooks v Preston Basballers. Pastrycooks gained a first innings win over the Basballers. Their score when the last man was dismissed was 83, and the Basballers' total for the previous Saturday was 104.

Thornstone v Braithwaite. Braithwaite declared with 6/148, top scorer being Light 40. Power in the match bowled well and also Wellard, the latter's figures at the close of the match was 3/26 and Power 5/9.

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Preston South A.N.A. v Preston Druids. Thornbury play was resumed in this match on Saturday. The A.N.A. team were in good form and scored with their opponents, the Druids, for one minute in silence out of respect for who passed away during the match.

Reservoir v Excelsior. Resuming on Saturday with 4/18 in response to Reservoir's total of 4/18 in their second innings, Excelsior put on a first innings total of 104.

Northcote Junior Footballers v Northcote A.O.F. Mallinson played a great knock for A.O.F. against the Footballers, his 113 runs before being dismissed in their second innings.

CRICKET

Empires Appointed for November. A Grade—Regent Presbyterian, R. Manuvel, 25; Broadhurst, R. Manuvel, 25; Broadhurst, R. Manuvel, 25; Broadhurst, R. Manuvel, 25.

B GRADE. St. James' Church, England, 53 and seven for 35 (Pink 5/37, Osmond 5/14), lost to West Preston Methodist, 83 and six for 22.

L.O.R. COMPETITION. Northcote, 90 and 56 (McWilliams 39, Travis 30 n.o., Croxton 21, South 19/48), lost to North Fitzroy, 75 and 52 for 72 (F. Smith 38 n.o., McDonnell 5/27).

C.Y.M.S. ASSOCIATION. A Grade—Preston, four for 117 (dec.) (Brown 35, B. Monaghan 23 n.o., White 21, Butcher 20), d. Ascot Vale 15 (Monaghan 8/21), and 15 (Kinisland 6/29) by an innings and 53 runs.

GIRL GUIDES HOLD FAIR. The monthly meeting of the local Association of the Girl Guides of Preston was held in the Preston town hall on Friday, November 1.

PENNANT GAMES. NORTHCOLE v COLLINGWOOD. In the first day's play Northcote compiled 197 in their first innings.

NORTHCOLE. First Innings 197. Scott, c. Chivers, b. Thorn 31; 46. Andrew Street, c. Fountain, b. C. Miller 87. Hills, run out 87. Hillard, b. Chivers 87.

SECOND ELEEVENS. Northcote defeated Collingwood by four wickets and 128 runs on the first innings. Collingwood 179, Northcote 87 for 305 (C. Fleming 77, Dickson 57, Pike 62).

BOWLS

PRESTON CLUB

NO. 1 TEAM ON TOP. By its win over Moreland last Saturday Preston No. 1 team consolidated its position in No. 5 Grade and excellent bowling was witnessed.

RETURNED SOLDIERS. Preston v Williamstown. Preston first innings 102, second innings, one for 7. Williamstown, 93 (Lyons 28, Thomas 13, Mousset 19, Stranghan 10), and two for 61 (Thomas 16, Mousset 26).

SAVATION ARMY BANDS ASSOCIATION. Northcote v Brighton. Played at Merril Park, Northcote, 2/56. Resumed batting. With 4/9 score at 60 Foxcroft was run out by the batsmen.

CLUB NOTES. The green is now open for electric light play on Tuesday and Thursday evenings. A mixed rinks tournament is being arranged for the 26th inst.

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Preston Court

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13. Before Messrs T. J. McMahon, Esq., G. Sutton and Gibson, J.P.s. Nobby Motor Cycle: No License. Magnus James Hughson, Barry Street, Clifton Hill, was charged that on September 14 he rode a motor cycle in High street, which machine by reason of its construction caused undue noise. There was a second charge of having driven a motor cycle without being licensed.

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LOAN NO. 18

Notice of Intention to Borrow the Sum of £20,000 for Permanent Works and Undertakings in the City of Preston.

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the City of Preston proposes to borrow on the credit of the MAYOR, COUNCILLORS and CITIZENS of the CITY OF PRESTON, the sum of TWENTY THOUSAND POUNDS (£20,000) to be raised by the issue of debentures, in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Act 1928.

The Rate of Interest that is to be paid is FOUR PER CENT PER ANNUM. Such moneys shall be repayable by half-yearly instalments (principal and interest) of approximately £731, over a period of twenty years, on the FIRST DAY OF MARCH and the FIRST DAY OF SEPTEMBER, in each respective year during the currency of the loan.

Such moneys shall be repayable at the Bank of New South Wales, Melbourne, or at the Council's Bankers for the time being in Melbourne.

The purposes for which the loan is to be applied are— Purchase of Public Lands, £6,437 Construction of Plenty Road, £750 Storm Water Drainage, £815 Total £7,992 £20,000

The plans, specifications and estimate of the cost of the works referred to above, and a statement showing the proposed expenditure of money to be borrowed, are open for inspection at the Town Hall, Preston, during office hours. Dated this Fifteenth day of November, 1935.

BEN JOHNSON, Town Clerk & Engineer

City of Preston

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BEN JOHNSON, Town Clerk

City of Preston

TENDERS

TENDERS are INVITED and will be received up till noon on MONDAY 2ND DECEMBER, 1935, for the construction of—

3,600 LINEAL FEET OF REINFORCED CONCRETE UNDERGROUND DRAIN.

Plans and specifications may be inspected during Office Hours, after Monday, 18th November, 1935.

BEN JOHNSON, Town Clerk & Engineer

Municipal Offices, Preston.

City of Northcote

OPENING OF BATHS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the CITY BATHS WILL OPEN ON SATURDAY 16th NOVEMBER, at 2 p.m., and continue throughout the SUMMER SEASON during the following hours—

DAILY, 6.30 a.m. to 8.30 a.m. and 2 p.m. to 9.30 p.m. SUNDAYS, 8 a.m. to 12 noon.

J. A. THOMSON, Town Clerk

IVANHOE CHURCH OF ENGLAND GIRLS' GRAMMAR SCHOOL, ENTRANCE

SCHOLARSHIPS

SENIOR—Two half Scholarships for Girls under 14 on 31st December, 1935.

JUNIOR—Two half Scholarships for Girls under 12 on 31st December, 1935.

An examination will be held at the School on Saturday, 23rd November 9.30 to 12.30.

Full particulars and Entry Forms obtainable on application to the Headmistress.

Municipal Notices

City of Northcote

BYLAW NO. 72

SPECIAL ORDER

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTHCOOTE, held at the Council Chamber on the 4th day of November 1935, the said Council DID AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION, that is to say—

That a Bylaw of the City of Northcote made under the Local Government Acts and numbered 72 for affecting Bylaw No. 74 and for—

(a) Regulating and restraining the erection and construction of buildings, erections and hoardings.

(b) Restraining the pulling down and removal of buildings, erections and hoardings.

(c) Authorising the Council to pull down and remove buildings, erections, or hoardings created, or constructed contrary to this Bylaw, or not pulled down or removed as required by this Bylaw, and to sell the materials and apply the proceeds in reimbursing the expenses of pulling down and removing such buildings, erections, or hoardings, and in paying into the Municipal Fund any fees or penalties due by the owner thereof.

(d) Appointing fees that may be charged and received by the Council for any act done, or to be done, by any of the officers under such Bylaw, and for any permit or license to be issued by the Council, and for other purposes.

NOTICE is hereby further given that a meeting of the said Council will be held at the Council Chamber, Town Hall, Northcote, on the 2nd day of December 1935, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening, when the said resolution for passing the Bylaw will be submitted for confirmation.

A copy of the above mentioned Bylaw 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 6th day of November, 1935.

J. A. THOMSON, Town Clerk

Municipal Offices, Northcote, N.16.

City of Northcote

BYLAW NO. 73

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That a Bylaw of the City of Northcote made under the Local Government Acts and numbered 73 for affecting Bylaw No. 72 and for—

(a) Prohibiting on and from a date specified herein the erection or placing against or in front of any house or building abutting upon any public footway in any street or part thereof specified herein of any verandah over or across such footway unless such verandah is supported by cantilever brackets or projecting supports and not otherwise, and

(b) Requiring the pulling down and removal before a date specified herein of all verandahs before the first mentioned date erected or placed against or in front of any house or building abutting upon any such public footway, which verandahs are upon over or across such footway and are supported otherwise than by cantilever brackets or projecting supports.

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City of Northcote

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AMUSEMENTS

PRESTON MUNICIPAL JUNIOR BAND LADIES' CLUB

BAZAAR

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY NOVEMBER 15th and 16th PRESTON TOWN HALL

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OLD TIME DANCE

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J. QUINN, Organiser. BEN JOHNSON, Hon. Sec.

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PRESTON MAYOR'S GUILD

THE last of the series of CARD AFTERNOONS will after the Christmas and New Year holidays (1935-36) will be held at SUPPER ROOM, Town Hall, 2.30 p.m. on Tuesday, 19th NOVEMBER, 1935. Admission 1/4. Proceeds in aid of local charities. Prizes, Afternoon Tea, and Gifts Table—R. C. WILLIAMS Hon. Secretary.

Big reductions in prices of GARDEN SOIL, CARRUM Sand, Screening, Metal, Axes, Ors, etc. in kind of Carriage Contracts, Earthworks, Turf, Tons, Concrete Crossings and Paths.

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Wanted

WANTED, Tennis Court, Saturday afternoons. Apply J.A. "Leader" Office, Northcote.

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GIRL for house work, sleep home. 374 Gilbert Rd., Preston.

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CIRCULATING IN NORTHCOOTE, FAIRFIELD, HEIDELBERG, PRESTON AND WHITLSEA DISTRICTS

THE LEADER, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1935.

POOR CONCRETE

Mixture in Foundations

BUILDER PROSECUTED UNDER COUNCIL BY-LAW

FINED £7 AND COSTS.

At Northcote Court on Friday last, a builder was fined for having used in the foundations of a building, concrete which did not comply with the requirements of the building by-law of the City of Northcote. It was shown that the mixture contained a much smaller proportion of cement than that specified by the regulations.

CHARGE AGAINST BUILDER

Leslie B. Pettigrove, master builder, 107 High Street, Northcote, was charged that between September 23 and October 18 he commenced the erection of a building in High Street Northcote contrary to By-law 34 of the City of Northcote, in that the concrete in the foundations was not of the required standard.

Mr. A. M. Lonie (Maddock Jamieson and Lonie) appeared to prosecute for the Northcote Council.

Mr. Lonie said that the regulations provided for five parts of coarse aggregate, and 2 parts sand to each part of concrete. Of two samples analysed one was found to be 11:3:1 and the second 7:1:1.

Plans and Specifications.

Victor J. A. Bradley, City engineer and Building Surveyor, said that defendant had submitted plans and specifications for the erection of a building in High Street, near "Beavers' Road," which had been approved by the council. Embodied in the specifications were stated the quantities of the ingredients to be used in the concrete.

Methods of Measuring. Alexander McKinnon, Rossmoyne Street, Thornbury, Building Inspector, or to the Northcote Council, said "On October 4 I inspected the trenches for the foundations of the building. On October 3 I made a concrete inspection when the concrete was being poured and I spoke to the foreman about the concrete, and one aggregate being fed into the mixer by shovel, instead of by measure. He said that he was using the usual method, and I told him that the measuring would have to be done by gauge boxes, or by buckets. Two days later I went to the job and found the bricklayers were working. Concrete was still being mixed, and the gauging was then being done by buckets.

Samples Taken. I tested the concrete with a pick near where the bricklayers were working, and I told him that it was satisfactory, so I took a sample and arranged for the taking of further samples. On October 12 two samples were obtained for analysis. These were divided, and half of each sample was given to the foreman (Stanton) for Pettigrove.

Cross-examination. Portions of the foundations were passed?—Yes. This concrete taken for analysis was only two days old, and was very "green"?—No. This portion had been poured for five days.

For how long is concrete considered to be "green"?—About 28 days.

Analyst's Report. Eric Hogb, industrial chemist and public analyst, said "On October 12 I visited a building in course of erection in High Street, Northcote, and obtained two samples of concrete. These were divided and I analysed the parts retained by me. The first sample contained 11 parts of coarse aggregate, and 2 parts of sand to each part of concrete. The second sample showed the proportions to be 7.8 parts of coarse aggregate, and 4.8 parts of sand to each part of cement.

Pettigrove said "I have been a builder for 11 years. The building in High Street was erected under the supervision of an architect. In preparing the concrete to be used for the foundations I gave instructions to my foreman as to the mixture to be used. The gauging was by shovel, as has always been my practice, until the building inspector insisted on the use of buckets instead of shovels. The Inspector also said the said being used was a little

FATAL SMASH AT FAIRFIELD

Cars Collide: One Overturns

ONE MAN KILLED, THREE INJURED

Four men received extensive injuries in a motor accident in Holdrege road, near Austin street, Fairfield, on Saturday afternoon at about 6 p.m., and one of the men died later at the Royal Melbourne Hospital.

Those injured were all occupants of a motor car driven by Dr. T. W. George, of Albert street, Footscray, and he claimed 15/ compensation for the trousers and 3/ for liniments, etc., used on his leg.

Mr. J. Barnett (for defendant): What were the trousers like?—I've got them on.

Who mended the car?—My sister.

What did you pay for the trousers?—14/11.

KILLED

JOHN JOSEPH SIMS, 45 years, Blyth street, Brunswick, secretary of Carlton Bowling Club, succumbed to injuries in Royal Melbourne Hospital.

INJURED

ETON CUTLER, 57 years, State Savings Bank, Market street, city. Admitted to Royal Melbourne Hospital, compound fracture of skull, condition critical.

WILLIAM A. QUINN, 184 Church street, Richmond, treated for broken collar-bone, shock and abrasions.

WILLIAM S. STANTON, 12 Palmerston road, Hawthorn, multiple abrasions and shock.

Coming into collision with another car, a motor car emerged from Austin street, Dr. George's car swerved violently and overturned, and was almost beyond recognition.







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BEREAVEMENT CARD

LAMBERT.—Mr and Mrs W. Lambert and Son wish to THANK all relatives, friends and neighbours for letters, cards, telegrams, floral tributes, and personal expressions of sympathy in the loss of our loved daughter and sister Edna. Will all please accept this as a personal acknowledgement of their gratitude.—10 Yarrs St., Preston.

IN MEMORIAM

COURT.—In everlasting memory of our darling sister Daisy, died 17th November, 1924, dear brother Pere, September 19th, 1923, and our darling Mother, 15th October, 1931. "What would I give your hands to clasp, Your dear sweet face to see, To hear again your loving voice, That mean so much to me."—E. and F. Newton.

THANKS

THOTTER.—Mrs and Mr F. Trotter desire to THANK all kind relations and friends for letters, floral tributes, and personal expressions of sympathy during their bereavement. Will all please accept this as a personal acknowledgement of their sincere gratitude.—59 Hitcham Street, Preston.

THANKS

SHAW.—The family of the late Helen Shaw desire to THANK all relatives and friends for telegrams, cards, beautiful floral tributes and personal expressions of sympathy. Especially thanking Mrs. Daly and Mrs. Carroll, also Rev. Mr. G. W. G. All please accept this as a personal acknowledgement of our sincere gratitude.—19 Hayes Street, Northcote.

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SHAW.—Mr and Mrs A. H. Shaw and family desire to THANK all relatives and friends for telegrams, cards, letters, beautiful floral tributes and personal expressions of sympathy in the loss of our dear Mother. Will all please accept this as a personal acknowledgement of our sincere gratitude.—11 Hotham Street, Preston.

The Leader JUSTICE TO ALL Published Every Friday Morning

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1935

PERSONAL

The Northcote Council on Monday evening resolved to send a letter of condolence to the relatives of the late Mr. Andrew Hodge.

The health of Cr W. H. Turner is giving some concern to his relations and friends. His medical adviser has pronounced his complaint to be caused by the failure of one of the muscles of the heart. Perfect rest, and entire abstinence of any form of physical exertion is ordered and freedom from undue excitement. If his advice is followed there should be a great improvement within three months.

Mrs Annie Dwyer, of Plover street, Thornbury, relict of the late Daniel Dwyer, passed away at her residence on Saturday last. Members of the family are John, George, Ellen (Mrs Wall), William, Daniel, Mary (Mrs Jones), Margaret (Mrs Coleman), and Annie (deceased). The interment was made on Monday at the Heidelberg Cemetery.

Plaintiff Constable S. V. Crawford has been appointed to the Northcote police station to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Plaintiff Constable A. J. Jones.

The mayor of Preston, Cr H. Swain, J.P., and members will be present at the bazaar of South Preston Methodist Church on Saturday afternoon, and the mayor will subsequently present the prizes at Mrs McDonald's display in the evening at the City Hall.

Dr A. B. Swain, of Trafalgar, son of Mayor Swain, with his family, paid a surprise visit to his parents on Sunday last.

We wish to correct a personal paragraph which appeared in the "Leader" of November 15 re Mr W. H. Gunther being in hospital. Instead it should have read "Mrs W. H. Gunther, of Gower street, Preston, is an inmate of a hospital."

OF SOCIAL INTEREST

Card Afternoon.—In the supper room of the Preston town hall on Tuesday about sixty ladies attended a card afternoon arranged by the ladies of the Preston Mayors' Guild. Flag bridge winners were Mrs. H. A. Bean, the consolationists going to Mesdames A. Fleming, Ben Walker and J. Foster. Mrs. Netheron won the euchre prize and Mrs. Lee the consolation. A ham, made Christmas cake and a container, donated by Mrs G. H. Mott, and the lucky number for sweets was held by Mrs Lamperd. Very brisk business was carried out by Mrs H. Swain, (mayor of Preston), who presided over the gift table, which was almost sold out. Proceeds are for the Mayor of Preston's Christmas Cheer Fund.

Golden Wedding.—In Sydney recently was celebrated the golden wedding anniversary of an old Northcote resident, Mr Henry Percy Braiding. Mr Braiding was born in Clarke street at the top of Rucker's Hill, and when he left Northcote in 1884 the population was about 1700. The township in those days was surrounded by open spaces, and was a striking contrast to the busy surroundings of the present day. On November 2, 1883, at the Congregational Church, Devonshire street, Sydney, Mr Braiding was married to Miss Minnie Mary Clark, of Handwick. The Rev George Preston officiated. Mr and Mrs Braiding are at present residing at 23 O'Meara street, Kozanah.

Masonic Picnic to Silvan.—The City of Collingwood Ladies' Auxiliary held a most enjoyable picnic at Silvan on Sunday, November 17. During the afternoon members paid a visit to places of interest, this being followed by a sports programme. Ladies' prizes were won by Mrs B. Magnus and Mrs. B. Thomson. A most enjoyable and successful day was carried out and gave satisfaction to all.

Many splendid gifts of a useful nature were made to Davies, "Auld Lang Syne" and the National Anthem signalled the end of a happy event.

Thornbury Red Cross Auxiliary.—The president (Miss H. Dyer) presided at the monthly meeting of the Thornbury Auxiliary for Queen Victoria Hospital in the Dispensary Hall on Wednesday. It was decided to hold the first special function of the new year on the fourth Wednesday in February. The next meeting will be on the second Wednesday in December, and all members are asked to contribute a tin of fruit to provide Christmas cheer for the patients. On the third Wednesday in December the president will entertain members at a card afternoon, during which the Goose Club will be drawn. All members will be asked to contribute to a small "contribution to the Christmas fund" to each patient, after which afternoon tea was served and the meeting declared closed.

Card Party.—To entertain several friends, Mr and Mrs L. O'Seebeck arranged a Derby Whist party at their home, "Lorraine," Stewart street, Regent, on Saturday. Four tables participated in cards for which prizes were given and a most enjoyable time was spent. An appetizing and sumptuous supper provided by the hostess was appreciated by the guests, and a happy evening concluded about midnight.

Welcome Home to Mrs Wm. Harris.—With the object of providing an opportunity for Mrs Harris to renew her acquaintances, her parents, Mr and Mrs E. T. Ford, of 111 Bruce street, Preston, invited about one hundred guests to the Normanby Hall, Thornbury last Monday evening to meet Mrs Harris, who on Friday last, returned on the Esperance Bay after a seven month trip abroad. The evening was most enjoyable, dancing being freely indulged in to the strains of Ted Watson's band. Musical numbers were rendered by Mrs M. Deane and Miss Gilbert, and elicited a hearty response from the gathering. After supper advantage was taken by Mr H. Goss, on behalf of those assembled, to extend a welcome home to Mrs Harris. The health of Mr and Mrs Ford was toasted at the instance of Mr S. R. Uglov, who thanked the host and hostess for the hospitality they had extended. In his unassuming manner, Mr Ford acknowledged the kindly references, stating they were delighted and grateful that so many had accepted the invitation to be present. In his customary efficient manner, Mr Harry Fisher, fulfilled the role of M.C.

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Coming Marriage.—Mr and Mrs Grimwood, 58 Raleigh street, Thornbury, have issued invitations for the marriage of their youngest daughter, Nellie, to Mr George Cooks, Thornbury, on December 7 at Prince of Wales Park Methodist Church, at 5.30 p.m.

Golden Wedding.—In Sydney recently was celebrated the golden wedding anniversary of an old Northcote resident, Mr Henry Percy Braiding. Mr Braiding was born in Clarke street at the top of Rucker's Hill, and when he left Northcote in 1884 the population was about 1700. The township in those days was surrounded by open spaces, and was a striking contrast to the busy surroundings of the present day. On November 2, 1883, at the Congregational Church, Devonshire street, Sydney, Mr Braiding was married to Miss Minnie Mary Clark, of Handwick. The Rev George Preston officiated. Mr and Mrs Braiding are at present residing at 23 O'Meara street, Kozanah.

Masonic Picnic to Silvan.—The City of Collingwood Ladies' Auxiliary held a most enjoyable picnic at Silvan on Sunday, November 17. During the afternoon members paid a visit to places of interest, this being followed by a sports programme. Ladies' prizes were won by Mrs B. Magnus and Mrs. B. Thomson. A most enjoyable and successful day was carried out and gave satisfaction to all.

Many splendid gifts of a useful nature were made to Davies, "Auld Lang Syne" and the National Anthem signalled the end of a happy event.

Thornbury Red Cross Auxiliary.—The president (Miss H. Dyer) presided at the monthly meeting of the Thornbury Auxiliary for Queen Victoria Hospital in the Dispensary Hall on Wednesday. It was decided to hold the first special function of the new year on the fourth Wednesday in February. The next meeting will be on the second Wednesday in December, and all members are asked to contribute a tin of fruit to provide Christmas cheer for the patients. On the third Wednesday in December the president will entertain members at a card afternoon, during which the Goose Club will be drawn. All members will be asked to contribute to a small "contribution to the Christmas fund" to each patient, after which afternoon tea was served and the meeting declared closed.

Card Party.—To entertain several friends, Mr and Mrs L. O'Seebeck arranged a Derby Whist party at their home, "Lorraine," Stewart street, Regent, on Saturday. Four tables participated in cards for which prizes were given and a most enjoyable time was spent. An appetizing and sumptuous supper provided by the hostess was appreciated by the guests, and a happy evening concluded about midnight.

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NORTHCOTE NOTES

The Victoria's policemen are very versatile. That members of the force provided many fine concert items, vocal and novel at a send-off on Tuesday evening.

That Northcote business premises are beginning to get a Christmas touch. That it is predicted the coming Christmas will be a "prosperity" season.

That record shopping figures are expected. Northcote Council's Annual Statement of Accounts.

The accounts for the Northcote City Council for the year ended September 30, 1935, have been audited and may be inspected by all at the town hall. A meeting of the council for the examination and settling accounts will be held on Monday, December 16. Tenders for Fuel Oil Burning and Heating Equipment.

Northcote Council invites tenders returnable by 12 noon on Monday, December 2, for the supply of fuel oil burning and heating equipment. Notice is elsewhere given of the intention of the Northcote Council to make a by-law to prohibit the parking of vehicles in High street, on the west side, between Arthurton road and Elm street, between the hours of 6.30 p.m. and 11.30 p.m. A copy of the by-law may be inspected at the Northcote town hall during office hours. The by-law will be submitted to the council for confirmation at the meeting on Monday, December 16.

Sale of Portions of Reserve.—Application to be made to the Governor-in-Council by Northcote Council for permission to sell 4ft of Robert's Reserve in Flinders street to Mr R. Willis. The land was originally acquired as a drainage reserve and is not now needed for that purpose by the council. The decision to sell was opposed by Crs Turner and Bird.

Northcote Electric Light Staff.—Mr R. Ferguson has been appointed to the vacancy as meter reader caused by the resignation of Mr H. Ferguson, and the subsequent vacancy on the clerical staff has been filled by the appointment of Mr A. Mallinson.

Car Stolen.—On Thursday night of last week a car, valued at £120, was stolen from outside the Northcote Bowling Club pavilion. The car was owned by Mr G. Hutchinson, of Carn street, Ivanhoe.

Stolen Car Recovered.—On Saturday morning a motor car containing clothing samples, valued at £80, was stolen from Blyth street. Brunswick. The traveller, of Sherwood road, Ivanhoe, reported the matter to the police. Later the car, but not the samples, was recovered in Northcote.

Two false alarms were received by the Northcote Brigade on Saturday morning within the space of a quarter of an hour. There has been a big decrease in the number of false alarms received since the police questioned a number of youths.

Fire at Rubbish Dump.—Northcote Fire Brigade was called to extinguish a fire at a rubbish dump corner of Woolhouse, and Bent streets, Northcote, on Tuesday evening.

Fairfield Divorce Application.—Before Mr Justice Duffy in the First Civil Court, Dorothy May McDermott, 35 years, Park crescent, Fairfield, sought divorce from William Thomas McDermott, 29 years, of Spencer street, Melbourne, traveller, on the ground of misconduct. The parties were married on April 29, 1924, at Leyton, Essex, England, and there are two children. A decree nisi was granted.

APPROACHING AUCTIONS.—By F. W. Stott and Sons and Edgier and Chandler, auctioneers, on Wednesday, November 27 at 3 p.m. on property, 42 William street, Preston, d.f. brick and w.b. villa, 5 rooms and conveniences, on land 35 x 140. See advertisement.

By F. W. Stott and Son and G. and C. Youren on Wednesday, November 27 at 3.30 p.m., on property, 133 Rathmines street and 453 Heidelberg road, Fairfield, as advertised elsewhere.

Every part of a shark has a commercial use. The skin provides leather, its organs yield oil, its head provides fertilizer and even its teeth are used by jewelers.

Northcote Council

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 18

The fortnightly meeting was held on Monday. Present the mayor (Cr S. Dennis, J.P.), and Crs B. E. Johnson, McAdam, J. H. Green, A. G. P.D., W. H. Turner, W. Oliver, M. C. Jones, W. Hayes, A. V. Peters, J. W. Sutch, A. J. Cornish, and J. W. French.

Finance.—The Metropolitan Traffic Conference submitted recommendations of proposed traffic regulations and advised that representations had been made to the Government for the legislation necessary to enable the Governor-in-Council to implement the regulations, which when approved by a majority of the council will be submitted for enactment.—Referred to committee of the council.

Auditors' Report.—S. J. Wilson, Government Municipal Auditor, submitted his report on the council's accounts for the year ended September 30, 1935. The arrears carried forward were £11945 as against those carried forward at 30/9/34, and the balance outstanding at 30/9/35 was £11,355; at 30/9/34, £928, and at 30/9/35, £583. It was recommended that the fidelity guarantee insurance be increased from £100 to £1000 in the cases of the Receiver and Paymaster in view of the large amounts handled by them. Thanks were given to the town clerk and staff for the assistance given, and complimentary reference was made as to the state of the books.

Cr Turner moved that the officers be congratulated on the tone of the report. The report was of the best, and showed that the council had very able officers. Good reports year after year were always received in Northcote from the government auditors.

Ernest Lees, on behalf of the owner, sought permission to erect two houses on land with an 80 feet frontage to Hastings street by 109 feet along Vauxhall road, each property to have a frontage of 40 feet. Referred to P.W. Committee on motion of Cr French.

C. Homer Fraser, on behalf of the Northcote District Council, expressed appreciation of council's action in permitting the erection of a club room on railway land in Ethel street. Plans in accordance with recommendations of the city engineer were being drafted and would be submitted for approval.—P.W. Committee.

Northcote City Band sought permission to hold band recital at Batman Park on Sunday, November 24, and at other parks on following Sundays.—Permission granted.

The Public Works Department advised that lanes between Kemp and Gadd streets had been proclaimed as public highways.

T. Gracie sought permission to build on property of Angus and Co., Arthurton road. The application was granted subject to the approval of the engineer.

FINANCE.—Accounts passed for payment were: Public Works Committee, £401/0/0; Electric Light Committee, £2594/13/1; Parks and Baths Committee, £283/1/1; Finance Committee, £528/5/6.

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS.—Public Works Committee.—The council was granted application to erect weatherboard dwelling with brick wall on boundary in Normanby avenue; a distance of 15 feet from the front street. S. M. Gibaud was granted permission to erect additions to property in Clarke street.

The engineer was instructed to prepare plans, specifications, etc., for the construction of lane near east side of St. George's road, off south side of Harold street.

ORDINARY BUSINESS.—Cr Oliver said in Collins street, east of Victoria road, the opposite path on the north side was in a bad state. Ashes might be spread.—P.W. Committee; in Fender street, between Newcastle and Tharratt streets, the southern path was in a bad state. P.W. Committee, and added to the North Ward list.

Cr Cornish spoke of the state of the railway crossing in Arthurton road. It was in a shocking state, though repairs were carried out by the Railways Department only a week or so ago. Cr Bird said that apparently there was not a decent railway crossing over the railway line in the municipality. If the crossings were made of the same materials as the roads,

PARKING BY-LAW

TO OPERATE IN SECTION OF HIGH STREET

"Why One Section?" Councilors Ask.—At the meeting of the Northcote Council on Monday, Cr Jones moved the adoption of a special order for the passing of a by-law to prohibit the parking of cars in High street between Arthurton road and Elm street, on the west side, between the hours of 6.30 p.m. and 11 p.m.

Cr Johnson said: I oppose this proposal. This council is going too far with these by-laws. If the corner at Arthurton road is kept clear, it should be sufficient to clear the street, and the council should not prevent cars from parking in the streets. The shops are all shut, and if there is any intersection, it will prevent parking in this section. If the new traffic code comes into operation, it will prevent parking within 20ft of any intersection, and it will have almost the same effect as this by-law. Why then create a traffic bottleneck for the sake of allowing eight or ten cars to park in front of this theatre?

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ILLEGAL USE OF CARS

HEAVIER PENALTIES URGED

Commenting on the prevalence of the offence of illegally using motor cars, a statement issued by the Royal Automobile Club of Victoria makes reference to the salutary punishment meted out to two offenders by the Melbourne City Court, recently, when they were sentenced to three months imprisonment.

This type of offence, in the opinion of the R.A.C.V., has long since passed the stage when it could be regarded as the thoughtless act of young motorists only upon "joy riding," and in view of the numerous cases of car thefts it was urged that heavier penalties should be imposed. During the discussion of this subject at the annual club conference, it was pointed out that though a maximum penalty is prescribed there is no minimum, and no doubt, due to this fact courts sometimes showed what might be considered undue leniency to delinquents.

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THE COBBERS' CLUB

Conducted by UNCLE PHIL

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On Monday we took a run out to Warrandyte and put in a lovely day. The countryside looked so green and fresh.

The day after tomorrow we are going to throw stones from one bank to the other, but only succeeded in making big splashes.

Grandfather and Uncle Sam, who have chosen stones much too large, but he couldn't do it when he tried, so they gave it up.

Then we went on and visited the cabin erected in the Anderson Creek to the memory of gold discovered in Victoria at this spot.

The cabin is built of stone and built right in the bed of the creek, with a deep pool in front of it, and the road alongside is almost level with the top of the cairn.

We are welcoming two new boys Cobbers this week, and Jacko seems really to be walking on air from the look of him.

He hopes you'll send in your entries for the Christmas Competition and that a boy will win, but needless to say Flurry has other ideas.

Goodbye for the present, Cobbers. Heaps of love and greetings till next week from the Pets and UNCLE PHIL.

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And sat upon a branch we heard, close by, a sound of bees.

But it was such a noise it was a little bit alarming.

And then we saw that in our house the bees had started swarming!

We thought we said, and tried to get them out, but they didn't really mind.

We clambered quickly to the ground and left our house behind.

For Safety's Sake—They were wending their way home after the public meeting in the market square.

"What did that fellow say you were?" asked an "Lonic" replied Mike thoughtfully.

"No, whose baby was it?" "Why, the elephant's, of course," said George Brown.

"Did you hear about the baby that was brought up on elephant's milk and gained twelve pounds a day?"

"No, whose baby was it?" "Why, the elephant's, of course," said George Brown.

Smithson was nothing if not glib, but unfortunately, he always said the wrong thing and was therefore constantly getting himself into hot water.

One day Smithson was among the number of guests who were being entertained to dinner at the Browns.

"It was a known fact that Mrs Brown was the same age as her husband, she went to great lengths to conceal it.

"Well, Rufus, how are you getting on?" Did the new doctor take your temperature?"

"I don't know, sah," replied the old man; "the only thing I've missed so far is my old watch!"

There is a most peculiar-looking seedling, if I may call it such, hanging by two very sharp-curved claws at the top of a picture in my father's office.

It is not looked upon favorably by sheepowners, as it is liable to fasten on a sheep's muzzle when grazing, and, in time, causes such impediment that the animal can no longer contrive to eat, and it is very difficult to dislodge.

It looks woody in appearance, and somewhat suggests the head of a deer, though rather long, with two long horns curving over backwards like the letter V, with cruelly sharp points, and these, it is, that work their way into the wool on either side of the sheep's muzzle.

SONGS WITHOUT WORDS I sometimes wonder what the birds say in their songs, if they had words. Perhaps they do not really sing.

CONTRIBUTIONS

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Please Enrol me as a Member of THE COBBERS' CLUB

Name

Address

Date of Birthday Present Age

Look for the COBBERS' CLUB next week 22/11/35

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STORYETTES

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John felt the perspiration trickling down his back while Tilly bent her sleek black head against the bonds.

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"What should I do with the money?" she asked. John's answer came in the form of a check.

"I reckon Jack was about right when he put you on Mr Kenty's when he was a boy."

"I'm afraid she won't come till this afternoon, sir; she does her ironing this morning."

COLLISION AT INTERSECTION

Thornbury Driver Fined

DANGEROUS DRIVING CHARGE

At Northcote Court on Friday last week William Leslie White, 422 High Street, Thornbury, was charged that on September 5 he drove a motor car in High Street in a manner dangerous to the public.

Henry Richard Price, contractor, Upper Ferntree Gully, said the Sergeant at 12.20 p.m. I was driving a motor truck in Arthurton road.

Cross-examined: Did you not turn the high-pressure jet for going north? No, I was going straight across.

Did the lady with defendant say, 'We'll send for the police'? No, she demanded that I send for the police.

Three impact was only slight? No, the three impacts were broken out of one wheel of my truck and the chassis was strained.

Edward Alexander Edsall, taxi driver, Charles Street, Northcote, said: I was driving a Yellow Cab in High Street, Northcote. I was near the corner of Elm and High streets when I saw the collision.

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NEW PICTURE THEATRE. "The Rivoli," a new picture there erected in Gilbert road, West Preston, was officially opened on Saturday night by the mayor of Preston (Cr. H. Swain). The theatre cost £5300 and will seat 900 people. The picture is a comedy, "The Great Show," and will be shown for a week.

At Rosanna Glen Golf Links next Saturday at 2 p.m. a Four Ball Best Ball Exhibition Match will be played between four leading professional players and four amateurs, Messrs. Fowler and Fred Thompson. A collection will be made in aid of the fund for sending Victoria's Champion Professional, Ted NalSmith, to represent Australia in the U.S.A. Tournament.

UNCLE SAM'S STORY

UNCLE SAM'S STORY (Continued)

That is true," said the Finn. "But if a man were brave enough to land on the island at dark, and kindle a great fire that would burn from one day to the other, the magic spell would be broken, and it would be safe for men to dwell there."

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WOMEN'S WORLD

Wedding Bells

ROBERTS — TAYLOR

STALEY lilies decked the Church of the Epiphany, Bayview street, Northcote, on Saturday, November 16, when Rev. P. E. Thornton officiated at the choral wedding of Miss Mary Evelyn Taylor and Mr. Richard Roberts.

The bride, who is the third daughter of Mrs. A. M. Taylor, of "Edgarleigh," Clarke street, Northcote, and the late Mr. Edgar P. Taylor, was given away by her eldest brother, Mr. A. E. Taylor. The groom is the youngest son of Mrs. F. M. Roberts, of Hunter street, Kew, and the late Mr. H. Roberts.

A handsome gown of lustrous magnolia satin was worn by the bride, and the fitting bodice was allied to a full graceful skirt sweeping into a train. Orange blossom fastened her gossamer tulle veil to her head, and arm lilies and roses were arranged in her bouquet.

In attendance were Misses F. Quince, A. Taylor and V. Roberts, who were trooped alike in Marina green flat crepe cut on modish lines, sheaths of salmon pink gladioli. A twist of silver and green bound their hair, and their shoes were also silver.

Supporting the groom were Mr. G. Bean, as best man, and Messrs. H. Marriner and W. Taylor as groomsmen. At Normandy Hall, Thornbury, the breakfast was catered for excellently by Mrs. Olorenshaw in a dainty yet lavish manner, and the reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, "Edgarleigh."

WILLIAMS — COLLINS

HOLY TRINITY, Thornbury, was the scene of an attractive wedding on Saturday, November 2, when Miss Irene Genevieve Collins, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Collins, of Emmaline street, Thornbury, was joined in holy matrimony to Ronald Percy Eric Williams, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Williams, of Holden street, North Fitzroy. The vicar (Rev. W. H. Chamberlain) performed the ceremony in the presence of a large gathering of relatives and friends.

The youthful beauty of the bride was considerably enhanced by a beautiful gown of white satin cut on the cross, and moulded gracefully to the figure in a simple becoming line, displaying a fullness from the knees. Dolman sleeves pointed over the hands, embellished with sprigs of orange blossom were buttoned from waist to elbow, and the buttons were repeated at the back of the dress. A high cowl neckline was caught with orange blossom, and a veil of filmy tulle was held by a cap of orange blossom and satin, and merged into an effective train. A gleaming gold and horse shoe attached to the train near the girdle gave a pleasing touch to the toilette, which was completed by a bouquet of water lilies and white shoes.

Misses Eva Wheate, Nancy Boneham and Mercia McLean were delightful bridesmaids in their frocks of shell pink georgette with girdles to match, shirred sleeves and shirring at the knees. Each wore a silver lace cap and plaited wreaths of the same material, together with silver leaves, while silver kid shoes formed exquisite footwear. Sheaves of pink and blue flowers finished an enchanting harmony of color. Betty Hearden and Maile Hubbard were tastefully clad in dresses of Empire design, and about the head each wore a crown of pink and white flowers. Both proved charming and efficient trainbearers.

Mr. Alex E. Smith was at the organ and ably accompanied Master Fred Garner, who sang with a voice of unusual quality an old-time waltz, "Because." The bride was escorted to the chan-

BROCADED LAME FOR COMING SEASON

METALLIC formality is a high note of the coming season for formal evening wear. Gladys Swarthout, Paramount's new operatic star, who will make her screen debut in "Rose of the Rancho," with John Boles.



Brocaded Lame featured by Gladys Swarthout in Paramount Player

chooses for her personal wardrobe a stiffened, brocaded lame gown. The gown is made on the simplest lines with a tight-fitting bodice and waist, the skirt becoming full towards the hemline. One high note of the frock is the front v-neck attached to a yoke which forms the bodice.

Stonehenge Keeps Its Secret

EVERY year the early morning of June 21, sees a large number of people assembled at Stonehenge to watch for the moment when the first rays of the sun strike the grim stone on which, long ago, so many human beings died under the Druids' sacrificial knife.

You can hear the latest dance music on portable gramophones where once the Druids chanted their hymns, and carefree laughter replaces the cries of the unhappy victims, to whom the feast of the solstice meant death perhaps in a painful form.

Who built Stonehenge? A new theory on this subject was put forward comparatively recently by Dr. Rendel Harris, the well-known archaeologist and biblical scholar. He believes that it was built by the Egyptians, 2000 years before the birth of Christ, for the worship of the sun and of the dead. And he produces evidence, mainly consisting of place names, that the Egyptians had colonies in Britain.

It is an interesting theory, but what we know—or guess—of the customs and religion of our ancestors might equally justify the view held that their rites were copied from those of the Phoenicians, who came to our shores to buy Cornish tin. And some of these customs still survive.

There is, for instance, the Beltane Queen Festival of Peebles, in Scotland, which is being held about the time of the midsummer solstice. Some authorities say that "Beltane" is derived from Baal, or Bel, the god of the Phoenicians, and that it was this grim divinity whom the Druids worshipped. In any case, it seems fairly sure that in the old days the Beltane Queen died as a human sacrifice at the end of her brief reign.

POSTING OF CHRISTMAS CARDS

How to Avoid Surcharges

With the approach of the Christmas season the Deputy Director, Posts and Telegraphs (Mr. R. Lawson) gives a reminder regarding certain postal laws covering the postage of Christmas cards. If such cards are enclosed in sealed envelopes letter rate of postage, viz. 2d. per oz. is payable, and this rate applies even when the ends of the envelope are cut open.

To take advantage of the printed matter rate of postage, viz. 1d. per 4 oz., the flap of the envelope should merely be turned in, and not more than five words or conventional greeting may be written on the Christmas card. Leave the flap of the envelope unsealed. If these conditions are not observed recipients of greetings may be annoyed when called upon to pay the surcharges imposed owing to the sender's neglect.

FASHION SHORTS

In "The Milky Way," now in production at Paramount, with Harold Lloyd in the leading role, there will be an unusually interesting array of current styles. Vere Teasdale, star of the picture, is wearing a charming picture in her wedding gown of white ring velvet. It was cut with a shirred yoke and swept into a long train. Her veil was mounted on pink tulle and held by a coronet of orange blossom, and a shower bouquet of pale pink and white lilies completed the ensemble.

The bride is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Speedy, of West Park, and the groom, Mr. Clifford Charles Moylan, is the younger son of Mr. and Mrs. James Moylan, of 27 Hotham street, South Preston. Pink and white blossoms decked the church, and during the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. Sherlock, Mr. R. Travill rendered a solo.

The bride's two sisters, Misses Gene and Edna Speedy, attended as maids, and were attractively dressed in silver lame with blue gloves and shoes, and their flowers were in blue tonings. Mr. Ray Moylan assisted his brother as best man, and Mr. H. Scrimmes was groomsmen.

The reception and breakfast were held at Normandy Hall, Thornbury, when an excellent repast was prepared by Mrs. Olorenshaw. A navy blue ensemble with hat en suite was worn by the bride's mother, and the groom's mother chose henna marocain, and pansies were her flowers.

A suit of brick red wool-chenone was selected by the bride for travelling, and her accessories were in black. On their return the couple will make their home at 63 Dundas street, Thornbury.

RECIPES

Cocconut Tartlets Line twelve patty-tins with pastry. Place a little raspberry jam in each and fill up with the following mixture—Beat whites of 3 eggs till quite stiff; then add 3 tablespoonful of castor sugar, and 3 tablespoonful cocconut. Bake in a moderate oven for 10 to 15 minutes.

Harvest Cake Two cups sifted cake flour, 2 teaspoonful baking powder, 3 teaspoonful salt, one-third cup butter, or other shortening, 1 cup brown sugar, firmly packed, 2 egg yolks unbeaten, two-thirds cup milk, 1 teaspoonful vanilla. Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift together three times. Cream butter thoroughly, add sugar gradually, and cream together until light and fluffy. Add egg yolks; beat well. Add flour, alternately with milk, a small amount at a time. Beat after each addition until smooth. Add vanilla. Bake in greased pan, 8 x 8 x 2 inches, in moderate oven 45 minutes, or until done. Spread with Harvest Moon frosting.

Harvest Moon Frosting Two egg whites unbeaten, 1 cup brown sugar, firmly packed, dash of salt, 1 cup water, 1 teaspoonful vanilla, 1 cup almonds blanched, toasted and chopped. Put egg whites, sugar salt and water in top of double boiler. Beat with rotary egg beater until thoroughly mixed. Place over rapidly boiling water, beat constantly with rotary egg beater, and cook 7 minutes, or until frosting will stand in peaks. Remove from fire, add vanilla, and beat until thick enough to spread. Cover top and sides of cake and decorate with nuts. All measurements are level.

Rolled Oats Crunch One cup rolled oats, 1 cup cocconut, 1 cup self-raising flour, 1 cup sugar, 1 cup butter. Rub butter into dry ingredients, add 1 beaten

CHRISTMAS MAILS

EARLY POSTING CAMPAIGN

The Deputy Director of Posts and Telegraphs (Mr. R. Lawson) is seeking the co-operation of the public in regard to the posting of Christmas cards. It is suggested that as many as possible post such mail matter before Friday, December 13, packets to be endorsed "Do not open until Christmas." By doing this, the Postal Department will be materially assisted, and at the same time will eliminate any possibility of gifts and greetings not being delivered before Christmas. If everybody delays their postings until the last day of the festive season—the congestion so before Christmas—the congestion may prevent the Postal staff from effecting delivery before Christmas Day. The charm of such gifts and greetings lies in their receipt before Christmas Day. Do your shopping now, pack securely, and address plainly and fully, and post early to avoid disappointment to your friends.

ALTERATION OF BUS ROUTE

At the meeting of the Northcote Council on Monday night a letter was received from Messrs. T. C. Burke, J. D. Beer, and W. Griffith, bus proprietors, requesting the Northcote Council to agree to a proposal to approach the Motor Omnibus Advisory Board to amend the Basing street-Clarke street route by deleting the section along Victoria road and Clarke street and substituting the portion of Basing street, east of Victoria road and Kathmines street to the Fairfield railway station.

Mr. French said that the council already had a petition in regard to this matter, and he moved that the matter be referred to the committee of the council for consideration. Carried.

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Northcote Presbyterian Church, St. Andrew's Day

St. Andrew's Day will be celebrated at the Northcote Presbyterian Church on Sunday next. The morning service will be taken by the Rev. W. H. Hayner, of the Congregational Church, Northcote. In the evening the preacher will be the Rev. T. C. Goble, of Springvale, and the subject of the address will be "The Life of St. Andrew." At the evening service members of the Northcote and Preston Scottish Society will attend. Songs will be rendered by Mr. Percy Blundell and Piner J. McKernall.

Amateur Athletics

COLMAN'S PLUCKY RUN

Convincing stamp in his right leg Fred Culman (St. Stephens) put up a remarkable performance to recover and finish second to his club mate, Gerald Backhouse in the first division of the A Grade mile last Saturday. H. Yates, the State Champion, again ran impressively to win the 100 yards in 9.4 and the 440 in 1.1-10. E. Best (Kew) the brilliant B Grade runner, also clocked 2.2 but owing to the strong assisting wind both these times will not be recognized as records.

C Grade Preston 45, d Moreland 13 Although weakened by the absence of B. McNabb, the track captain, C Grade again won and at present is second to Old Wesley on the preliminary list. In the 220 yards Vic Kirkland cleared out to win from T. Easton with J. Lacey in sixth place. The time was 24.7-10 which is one of Kirkland's best performances over the turfing. Lloyd Brangrove put up a creditable performance to win the combined 1 mile walk of the Grade in 7.37, while his partner (N. Harris) just failed to beat the Moreland man.

Running strongly and leading all the way Wally Weightman won the second division of the C Grade mile in 4.47.4-5, with Tom Easton fourth and Frank Yates fifth in the combined event, and second and third against Moreland. J. Lacey won the Alan Angus against the strong wind shot put with a putt of 27ft 4in, jumping against the strong wind.

CLUB NOTES H. McNabb is on a short holiday and business trip to Adelaide and

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JICA ASSOCIATION

On account of the match between the Marylebone C.C. and Victoria XI at the M.C.C., no matches were played in the Association last Saturday. The fourth round of matches will commence to-morrow (Saturday).

Umpires for Inter-Union Match Umpires desirous of officiating in the Inter-Union match in Melbourne during the Christmas holidays are requested to forward their names to the secretary, W. H. Burland, on or before Monday, December 9. Rates of pay are 15/- per day and lunch.

Umpires for Fourth Round of Matches commencing on Saturday, 23rd inst.; matches to be played on ground of first-named club. A Grade.—Thornbury United v East Preston; Brown-Freeman; Goward v Epping; Carlton-Kinton; Bell Ramlers v Northcote Junior Footballers; Hancock-Rickey; Thornbury West v Prestonite; Siedel-Baker; Reservoir v Bell; Kooch-Hawkins; Dennis v Bell; Kooch-Hawkins; B Grade.—Cramer v Preston Municipal; Hartley-King; Reservoir v Atveo and Sons; Perkins-Hastings; Highview v Excelsior; Clayton-O'Keefe; Croxton United v Broadhursts; Thompson-Gray; Preston Footballers v Preston Baseballers; Gilbert-Rhodes; Scouts v Reservoir Socials; Dean-Cranston.

C Grade.—Pastrycooks v Thomastown; F. R. Porter-Williams; Preston Baseballers v Soccer; Digby-Collett; Thornbury Foresters v Northcote F.A.P.S.; Ludlow-O'Connor; Ajax v Excelsior; South A.N.A.; Hickey-Loughhead; Preston Druids v Preston Boys Club; Loughlin - Dominick; Sheery Socials v Northcote A.O.F.; Black-Melling; Northcote Junior Footballers v Braithwaites; Finckel-Morris; Emergency; Finkel, A. Porter, Barnett, Simmons; Finkel, A. Porter, unable to officiate notify the secretary at once, JW 2408.

JICA Inter-Union Cricket Team In order to assist the selectors in choosing the team for the Inter-Union matches to be held at the V.J.C.U. during the Christmas holidays, a number of players have been selected and will be notified as soon as notification is received from the Preston C.C. as to whether the practice wicket will be made available. The selected players are:—T. Ford, A. Allen (Reservoir), L. Light, K. Toomey (Braithwaites), T. Sawyer, F. Durham (Scouts), L. Payne (Thornbury West), G. Mulcahy, W. Mason (Excelsior), R. Wescott, A. Curwood, (Preston Baseballers), P. Scott, E. Cornell (A. Grade), E. Spence, E. Rose (Epping), E. Gilkes, W. Smith (Pastrycooks), E. Newman, R. Gifford (Croxton United), A. Steel, H. Morgan (Bell Ramlers), C. Pepper, L. Resider (Northcote Junior Footballers).

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CRICKET

PRESTON PROFESSIONALS

The half-yearly election was held on Monday evening and a record number of members was present. The election resulted as follows: President, Mr. W. E. Davies; Vice-presidents, Mr. V. P. Zvar, C. Hill, C. Cooper, R. H. Bridge, L. Addison, S. Dunlop; secretary, Mr. L. F. Andrews; assistant-secretary, Mr. S. V. Andrews; treasurer, Mr. J. Keane; referee, Mr. L. F. Andrews; handicapper, Mr. W. E. Davies; umpire, Mr. W. E. Davies; time-keeper, Mr. J. Keane; first aid officer, Mr. G. N. Easton; auditors, Messrs J. J. Keane, T. Johnson, G. Broadhurst, P. Flint, P. Dickens, E. Greenhill, W. Keane, F. Dickens, A. Lewis, G. Handforth, C. Cooper, S. Andrews; press correspondent, Mr. L. F. Andrews.

SWIMMING & LIFE SAVING

Social Value to the Community

WHAT HAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED

(By J. Fogg)

MODERN knowledge is directing attention more to the elimination of the causes which destroy human life. It finds expression in such terms as collective security, collective responsibility, etc. It is becoming increasingly evident that in all matters appertaining to human existence a close inter-relationship exists between the individual and the mass in any given community and that any loss of life affects the whole.

Victorian statistics show that although the loss of life by accidental drowning is still comparatively high, there is a gradual decrease in the number year by year. This is accounted for by the fact that more thought is given and opinion expressed to the necessity of learning to swim; more people are being taught; and last but by no means least, those who are in the public interest—the lifeguards—are always awaiting opportunities to save persons from drowning.

Although it must be admitted that we have never yet got to a situation where the number in every community are still numbers in every community who do not recognise their responsibility to themselves by being able to swim and by being qualified to save the lives of others. Opportunity to avail oneself of these necessary capabilities is never lacking where municipal swimming baths exist.

Figures for Northcote

In Northcote a perusal of official records of the number of certified persons taught to swim and life save at the Northcote Baths is illuminating. During the past four seasons the following awards have been granted:—Royal Life Saving Society Bronze Medalion 56, Awards of Merit 9, Bars to Bronze Medalion 4, Elementary Certificate 49, Intermediate Certificate 14, Resuscitation Certificate 14, First Class Instructor's Certificate 8, Second Class Instructor's Certificate 8, Learn to Swim Certificate 2412, Victorian Boy Scouts Association awards—Swimmers Badge 4, Do. Life Savers Badge 3, Education Department—Silver Medal, Junior Certificate 412, Junior Certificate 168, Salvation Army Guards Exam 4, Masses (Secular), R. Wescott, A. Curwood, (Preston Baseballers), P. Scott, E. Cornell (A. Grade), E. Spence, E. Rose (Epping), E. Gilkes, W. Smith (Pastrycooks), E. Newman, R. Gifford (Croxton United), A. Steel, H. Morgan (Bell Ramlers), C. Pepper, L. Resider (Northcote Junior Footballers).

The foregoing facts will have served their purpose if more inducement is given to persons who have not had the opportunity to become qualified. No greater opinion in this matter can be cited than that of the senior leader in international water-sports movements, Lord Baden-Powell. In speaking to a conference of Scoutmasters on the merits and advantages of swimming among other forms of physical training he said:—"Children delight in it. They are keen to learn, and enjoy cleanliness; Attaining the art they gain self-confidence in mastering it; it develops their chests and breathing organs; it develops muscles; they gain the power of saving life, and look forward to the opportunity of doing it."

Any Northcote resident or reader may avail himself or herself of all facilities for learning offered at the Bathkeeper, Frederick street, Northcote.

NORTHCOTE CLUB

Northcote L.S. and C. Club has prepared for an active season. A big programme of swimming and life saving events has been drawn up. Those wishing to be well advised as to the programme should enrol early. Swimming classes will be formed at a later date. New members are requested to enrol now. Gentlemen 2/6, seniors 1/6, ladies 2/6, apprentices, Sunday December 1, 0 am. sharp.

Mr W. E. Davies was selected a life member in appreciation of his valuable services. Two new members, Messrs W. Eurt and F. Byrne were welcomed.

A 5 mile handicap on Epping road on Saturday next to be held by G. Evans, J. Gibson 3. Winner's time: 11m 57sec. Race will be held by W. Fitzgerald 15m 15sec. Next Saturday a combined race will be held with Collingwood & Fitzroy Professionals over the 5 mile course on Epping road.

BOWLS

PRESTON ASSOCIATION

THE first round of matches was completed on Saturday and so far the weather has been unusually good. Very few matches remain to be finished. The A Grades finished the round a week earlier and finished the fixtures of November 2 last week. On Saturday matches postponed from 12/19/35 will be completed.

RESULTS

Special Numurray 62 d Coaching College 65. A Grade Regent 59 d Hill 51. B Grade Hill 66 d Okover 58. C Grade Regent 72 d Bell Park 37. Sth. Preston 56 d Danella Park 51. Danella 71 d East Preston 26. Cranross 71 d Numurray 34.

COMPETITION

Div 1.—Fairfield 13 d Fitzroy 1, 65. Div 2.—Sec 2.—Footscray City 38 d Heidelberg 60. Port Melbourne 31 d Northcote 53. Hawthorn 95 d Alton 31. Div 3.—Sec 3.—City of Chamberwell 82 d Glen Iris 66. Sec 4.—Ascot Vale 70 d Preston 57.

Preston Bowling Club

COLLINGWOOD CITY DEFEATED Weather more unsuitable for bowling could hardly have been experienced than that of last Saturday when a bitter frock safe made playing anything but pleasant. Preston were at home to Collingwood City and although the margin at the finish was fairly substantial, at one stage of the game only four points separated the two sides. It was a day of high scoring on three rinks, with the fourth having a close interesting struggle. Condie's rink on the first two ends, lost the next two and then started a winning run which included 3, 4, 5 and 7. The totals were 27-13 in Condie's favor. For the first time this season Pike's rink collected the spoons, scoring 43-16 against Danes's rink. Always in front, the rink scored in 17 of the 25 ends, there being five 2's, 5 and 6 in the total. Webb and McIntyre had a great tussle at 24-20, and the scores indicate there were no big scores. It was Collingwood's call on the fourth rink, where the veteran Broekenshire, who has been playing bowls for 46 years, led Fred Morgan and scored 31-8, and the final being then began to pull up and scored 13-8 in the remaining ends and finishing 21-39-18 down. Broekenshire's card showed 5, 4, 3, 5, 4, and another 5.

NEW RIVOLI THEATRE

OPENED IN GILBERT ROAD

The mayor and majority of Preston City Council, Messrs J. P. and Mrs. M. J. were present at the opening of the new picture theatre in Gilbert road on Saturday night last. The mayor opened the session by warmly congratulating the proprietor and his staff on the success of the new picture theatre in Gilbert road and the building was 5,300, plus the land and furnishings, which cost £2000.

At the conclusion of the performance about 150 ladies and gentlemen were entertained at supper, when the usual toasts and congratulatory speeches were made. The proprietors are determined to supply picture-lovers with the best in the picture world, as a glance at an announcement elsewhere will show. On Saturday, Monday and Tuesday a programme will consist of Shirley Temple and the picture in "Little Miss Marker," which was outstanding in "Sequela." There will be a matinee on Saturday.

On Wednesday Jeanette McDonald and Nelson Eddy will be seen in the jazzy and wonderful "Laughing Marietta." There will be a full supporting programme.

great contest and with a little luck Preston would have gained the lead. Strong and it was noticed that except for a 6 and 4, Northcote failed to score anything higher than 2's. The team hope to be able to give this the order of a 2's day in future.

Young 'Cellist' Receives Ovation

PRESTON LAD'S SUCCESS

Cliff Bird, the nine-year-old son of Mr and Mrs F. P. Bird, of Cramer street, Preston, made his first public appearance on a concert platform at the Assembly Hall, Melbourne, on Tuesday evening. The occasion was a concert in which an unusual number of 'cello items were given, and Cliff Bird's items were given among the pupils of Henri Rousseau.

He uses a half-size 'cello, and Mr Howell waters, the well-known music critic, says of his programme: "His items were a louse by Pierre de Dupeyron, and a gavotte by Telsman. With a half-size 'cello he used the bow boldly and produced tones of great quality and no little volume. At the end of his programme he flicked off one piece of music with an air. Now and then the transitions between notes were not quite clean, but this was to be expected. Before long Cliff Bird is to acquire a similar virtuosity in this respect and a great value movement very smoothly.

TENNIS

STARR'S SURPRISE DEFEAT

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Laborer Charged With Vagrancy

Placed on 12 Months' Imprisonment on Vagrancy Count

Further Three Days for Contempt to Court

At Northcote Court on Tuesday Joseph Charles Stevens was charged with vagrancy. He pleaded not guilty. Plaintiff Constable Erwin said he had known Stevens for the past 4 years. Defendant was often seen about the hotels and wine-shops in a semi-drunken condition; and he was an associate of reputed thieves and suspected persons. On this particular night I had received a complaint that defendant had been causing money and clothing. When I questioned him about this, he said "I was getting a few things for the lady." A boy aged about 8 years was with him.

READING OF THE ACT

The relevant portion of the Act reads:—"That no person shall publicly cry, shout forth or expose to sale any wares, merchandise, fruit, herbs, chattels whatsoever on the Lord's Day or in any part thereof upon pains that every person so offending shall forfeit the same goods so cryed, shawed forth or exposed to sale." The Act is described as "an Act for the better observance of the Lord's Day commonly called Sunday." The case was heard by Mr. Justice Wootley, Buckley street, Essendon, who charged that on November 10 he did cry wares, to wit upon the Lord's Day.

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Show Cause Summons

Percy Seary, Stanley street, Northcote, was called upon to show cause why he should not be imprisoned for non-payment of a fine of £1 imposed for an offence under the Motor Car Act. Defendant did not appear, and in default of payment of the fine he was ordered to be imprisoned for three days.

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Incident in Court

As Levin was being taken from the court he said to Krygger and Plaintiff Constable Erwin, "I'll get you yet." He was then charged with contempt of court, and was sentenced to a further three days' imprisonment.

CREAM FOR THE CROWN

15 QUARTS SEIZED

Proceedings Under Old English Act

NO PENALTY, BUT GOODS CONFISCATED

It is not often that when a charge is laid in a Court of Petty Sessions that the bench has no power to inflict a monetary or an imprisonment penalty. Yet such was the case in proceedings at the Northcote Court sitting on Tuesday when a man was charged under an English Act passed in 1277 during the reign of Charles II.

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Dim Rear Light

Percy James McMurry, Elgin street, Carlton, charged that on September 25 he drove a motor car with a rear light which was not visible for a distance of 200 yards, was fined £1. Traffic Constable Parkinson said the light was very dim and could not be seen from a distance of more than 30 yards. The rear number plate was not illuminated at all. Defendant said when the constable stopped him, the constable said "You certainly have a tail-light, but it was not to be seen from a distance of 200 yards." Leslie Mason, Spring and Kenilworth streets, Preston, charged that on October 30 he rode a motor cycle without a proper rear-light, was fined £1.

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WAS IT GELIGNITE?

EXPLOSIVE ON HEIDELBERG LINE

A report by the driver of a city-bound train on Monday night that explosives had been placed on the line near Fairfield, on the Heidelberg line, is being investigated by the police. As the train went over the spot there was a series of explosions.

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What Preston People Are Doing

By The Roundabout

They say— THAT during the recent hot spells stray dogs enjoyed a feast on the lawns surrounding the Preston town hall.

That on Tuesday—when the temperature reached 98—1126 "dipped" in Preston Baths.

That the receipts amounted to £177 for the day.

That a report is going the rounds to the effect that a well-known and esteemed clerical officer in the employ of Preston City Council, made a "big splash" in Preston Baths on Tuesday, during the heat wave.

That a member of the Fire Brigade staff at Preston is the richer by £60, as a result of a "double" win at Derby and Melbourne cups respectively.

That Miss Chris Pearson, 55th street, Preston, left in company with her sister, Hilda, on Wednesday morning on a trip to New Zealand.

That readers of the "Leader" will remember that Miss Chris Pearson won £200 about twelve months ago in a well-known consultation.

That it is proposed to elect Mr Roy Clements a life member of Preston Football Club. For many years he has been a stalwart supporter of the club.

That at a meeting of Preston Girls' School Council, the president (Mr H. P. Zwar, M.L.A.) extended a welcome to three new members, viz, Cr Oliver (Northcote), Cr Jenkins (Fitzroy) and Mr Fletcher, manager of the local branch of N.S.W. Bank, Preston.

That the latter gentleman succeeds Mr Smithers, who formerly occupied the latter position and has been promoted to a similar position in another state.

That a high street business man was absent from duty on Monday last.

That on the same day the said business man was seen carrying a large bag of attraction.

That the same business man is dodging a challenge on the same links from a neighbor.

That members of Preston Fire Brigade Interior recreation committee, anticipating "big breaks" in the near future, have invested in a new billiard cloth and cushions.

Preston Football Club. THIS annual meeting of the above is to be held in Preston town hall under the chairmanship of the president, Mr H. P. Zwar, M.L.A.

Preston and Northcote Amateur Athletic Club. THIS club held a re-union social and dance in the Scout Hall, Preston on Tuesday evening. About 100 couples took part in the function, and a thoroughly enjoyable time was spent despite the oppressive weather.

Morgan and Hawking Streets. PRESTON Council on Monday decided to adopt plans for the construction of Morgan and Hawking streets, between Youngman and Wood streets, at a cost of £10,000.

Rowing Notes

PRESTON CREW'S FINE WIN

Henley Anticipation

The Preston Senior Four, rowing their first senior four eared race in the new boat, recently purchased by the club, opened the rowing season in fine style by winning last Saturday at the V.I.A. Regatta.

The light-weight eight had the misfortune to lose the services of R. Tanner, who reported on Thursday night with a poisoned foot.

The maiden four met with misfortune at the start of their race, Les Cairns being carried on.

The maiden pair rowed well, as did the junior pair, who won a heat.

The light-weight eight will start at Henley Regatta and meet Hanks in the first heat, which they should win.

A large crowd is expected at Edwards Park on Sunday to witness the christening of the new boats.

Preston Girls' School. THIS fine institution, under the capable management of Miss Hughes, is making satisfactory progress from a financial and scholastic point of view.

Head Teacher Retires. Mr G. B. Gilbert, who is the head teacher of the South Preston State School, retired from the service yesterday after being associated with the Education Department for 51 years.

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PROSECUTIONS UNDER HEALTH ACT

Cases at Preston

At Preston Court on Wednesday, Mr. R. Wilkinson (Horns and Wilkinson) appeared to prosecute for the Preston City Council.

Inspector J. O. Iles said that on October 16 he purchased a bottle of milk from one of Walker's carts. There was no name or address on the label of the bottle.

Walker sold only sold half a dozen bottles of milk at week-ends, and he did not know that the wads had to bear his name and address.

His name was embossed on the bottle, and he was fined £1 for each bottle. Fined £1 with £1/10 costs.

Charge Withdrawn. A similar charge against P. Dennitmore was withdrawn. Mr Wilkinson said that he desired to withdraw this charge.

REFUSED TO SELL MILK TO INSPECTOR. H. Fox, Gover street, Preston, was charged that on October 16 he refused to sell milk for analysis to Inspector J. O. Iles, an officer of the Preston City Council.

Inspector J. O. Iles said: At about 2.40 a.m. on October 16 I met Fox in Diamond street, Preston, when he came out to see me.

I returned the bottle of milk to the cart and said "Don't get that idea into your head. This is not a bottle of milk." I tendered the sum of £10.

Did he say he would not sell the bottle of milk until he put his name on it?—No.

You took a sample from defendant for analysis?—Yes, a bulk sample. Had he sold the bottle of milk to you would have prosecuted defendant for selling an unlabelled bottle?—Yes.

You went with defendant to his dairy in Gover street and he offered to sell you a bottle of milk after that?—That is so, but I would not take it then.

Cross examined: You deny that Inspector Iles said he wanted one of the bottles of milk for analysis?—I did. He had the bottle in one hand and his hand on the other, and he did not offer me any money.

After hearing further evidence the bench unanimously decided to commit a fine of £2, with £2/20 costs was imposed.

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CITY OF NORTHCOLE HOME GARDEN COMPETITION. Citizens are reminded that the Home Garden Competition for gardeners within the city of Northcote will be decided during the month of March, 1936.

APPROACHING AUTONS. By Howgate and Roberts, in conjunction with Watson and Haughton, on Wednesday, December 4 at 3 p.m.

Church of the Epiphany. On Sunday evening the Rev. J. H. Vaughan, organising secretary of the Bush Church Aid Society, spoke of the work done by his society.

News of the Lodges. LOYAL ORANGE INSTITUTION. The Preston Ladies' Lodge No. 89 held their installation of officers on Thursday last week.

STAR OF NORTHCOLE, I.O.R. At the meeting (half-yearly night) on November 21, there was a large attendance.

3rd THORNBURY CUBS. The Commissioner visited on Monday night and a "trip to England" was enjoyed by the Cubs, when they "flew" to Canberra.

1st NORTHCOLE ROVERS. After having completed a course of preliminary mapping, the crew is now busy on telegraphy in the Morse Code system.

1st PRESTON TROOP. Last Saturday the cricket team commenced a match against Reservoir Socials and are in a favorable position.

What Preston People Are Doing. They say— THAT during the recent hot spells stray dogs enjoyed a feast on the lawns surrounding the Preston town hall.

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The Leader

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PERSONAL

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The death occurred of Mrs. Elizabeth Jane Jones, widow of the late Mr. R. Jones, Morgan street, Preston, on Wednesday, November 28, as the result of internal trouble. The interment took place in Preston Cemetery on the following Friday. Pastor A. G. Gault, of the Seventh Day Adventist faith, read the burial service at the graveside. The pall-bearers were Messrs T. Mason, A. Keele, R. and G. Gault, and Mr. J. Nelson. The funeral service was held at the residence of Mrs. E. Jones, 12, Gault street, on Wednesday last. The interment took place in Preston Cemetery on the following Friday. The funeral service was held at the residence of Mrs. E. Jones, 12, Gault street, on Wednesday last. The interment took place in Preston Cemetery on the following Friday.

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FUTURE OF HEIDELBERG CITY

Rosanna Opposes Severance Members of the Rosanna Progress Association have forwarded a letter to the Minister of Public Works (Mr. Goulde) protesting against the action of certain ratepayers seeking an agreement to test the feelings of Heidelberg ward of the city regarding severance from the municipality.

It was contended in the letter that Heidelberg had derived many benefits as a city. There was no doubt among ratepayers in the ward on the question of borrowing £50,000 to erect a new town hall at Ivanhoe. Another reason for the protest was that severance costs would be heavy.

PRESTON COMMUNITY SINGING The session last Friday night at Preston City Hall was well attended, and the artists—Dave Kerr, melodist; Norman Hall, comedienne; pianist; Norman Hall, Hawaiian singer and dancer—were given a splendid reception.

Artists for to-night (Friday) are Harold Morgan, the Yodelling Troubadour; Wilson and Anderson in acrobatics and tumbling; and Val Ion, popular acrobatic contortionist. The balance sheet for the past six months is now being prepared. An article of outstanding merit, Dr. Roe, known as the "King of Wizardry," will appear at the session at Preston City Hall on Friday, December 13.

OF SOCIAL INTEREST

1st Birthday Party Normanby Hall, Thornbury, was the scene of a happy gathering on Thursday, November 27, when Mr. and Mrs. E. Knowles, of 29 Hanlopp avenue, Alphington, entertained over eighty guests to celebrate the coming-of-age of their elder daughter, Miss Rhoda Rosalind (Bonnie) Peck, who was also chairman at supper. The tables were decked with full silver vessels of stately pink glass, and a handsome two-tiered wedding cake, iced in pink and decorated with a golden ladder of twenty-one rungs and a key, held pride of place. The cake was made by and the gift of Mrs. Senlor, of Kew. An excellent repast was prepared by Mrs. Senlor in her lavish manner. Appropriate speeches were made, and a key, autographed by all present, was handed to the guest of honor, who wore a graceful frock of white lace and net, accented with a rhododendron. Mrs. Knowles was attired in a modish gown of green lace with a spray of brown pansies on the shoulder, and Miss Rhoda Peck wore a black velvet dress with a trim her orange frock.

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. G. Chivers, Mr. and Mrs. L. Broadbent, Mr. and Mrs. C. Stuchberry, Mr. and Mrs. G. Catts, Mr. and Mrs. W. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. A. Ogden, Mr. and Mrs. F. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew, Mr. and Mrs. J. Andrew, Mr. and Mrs. H. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Steele, Mr. and Mrs. G. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. O'Hara, Mr. and Mrs. G. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. R. Senior, Mr. and Mrs. J. Steeles, Mr. and Mrs. J. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Thomson; Messrs Davidson, Knowles, R. Turnley, J. Nankervis, R. Marks, G. Kent, J. McInnes, N. McInnes, V. Andrew, F. Dunstone, G. Senecor, Watson, K. Blamey, L. Vockinson, R. Catts, L. Pepper, W. J. Stuchbery, R. Cohen and A. Thompson, and Misses Eileen Kumrow, Clarice Grey, Edna Cohen, Edna Russell, Lorna Russell, Lois Carter, Dorothy Block, Carlton, who died on Sunday. The body was cremated. Mr. George Hutchison, a resident of Wilcox street, Preston, is the father of the deceased. The funeral arrangements were in the hands of Mr. Ern Jensen.

The storm made a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ryan, of Gower street, Preston, recently, and left a husband, whom they named Kevin Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Goodson, of Collins street, Thornbury, are enjoying a pleasant holiday at Lorne. The mayor (C. Swain) received on Monday at the Preston Council's representative to the Preston Girls' School. Cr. H. F. Nisbett was appointed to the vacancy.

Cr. and Mrs. Cyril Barling, Queen street, recent returned last Saturday after spending a fortnight's holiday at Cowes.

Notes From Hollywood THE first piece of fabric selected for Claudette Colbert wardrobe in "The Bride Comes Home," a Paramount production, is in blue and white printed crepe. Travis Banton has chosen this in confirmation of his philosophy that prints belong as much to winter as to summer, and announces that by the same token he will use velvet in cinema sequences where summer fashions predominate.

ARLING JUDGE Paramount player, features a youthful evening gown of flat chiffon in one of the new sapphire blue shades which makes this evening frock so smart. One outstanding feature about the gown is that it is made of forty-two small blue velvet bows running in line down the back of the frock from the waistline to the hemline. The bodice is achieved through a series of the chiffon, and cascade straps of velvet suspended over the shoulders.

ST. CECELIA'S RAINBOW FAIR

The third annual Rainbow Fair held in St. Cecilia's parish hall, West Preston, on Friday and Saturday last, was opened by Mr. H. P. Zwart. In the presence of a large gathering, Mr. Zwart congratulated the workers on the brilliant display, which was the result of months of preparation. During the evening Miss D. Solly presented Mrs. Zwart with a beautiful bouquet.

The various stalls were gaily decorated with many colors, and brisk business was carried on till late on Saturday night. As a result it is estimated that when returns are completed approximately £100 will be raised. The sweets stall, in charge of Mrs. Patten, proved a great attraction and sold out in good time.

As the weather was warm Mesdames Adams and Williams on the icecream stand; and Mesdames Hughes, Arnold and Ashworth and Misses Sullivan, Wood, Billson and D. and H. Hughes (freshments and refreshments) presented a fine show on the flower stall. On the gift stall Mr. and Mrs. Meeger and Mrs. Woods were a trio whom everyone found hard to get past. Mesdames Fraser and Crook conducted the grocery department and judging by their show would not be out of place in the main street.

On the fancy work stall Mrs. Elwell and Miss Pickering were hard to get past. Mesdames Fraser and Crook conducted the lucky dip, where the most attractive prizes were Mrs. Sullivan's and the hoop-la in charge of Mr. Hinds and the book stall in charge of Mrs. Meeger and Mr. Meeger representing the vestry, worked hard and seemed to be everywhere at once.

SWIMMING

With the advent of the more congenial weather a general exodus of scholars from schools to the above swimming classes at the baths in the evening place, and headmasters and teachers are encouraging their pupils to attend.

The following are attending for instruction in large numbers—Northcote High (headmaster, Mr. Johnson), Westgarth Central (Mr. Deney), Hatton Street, Thornbury (Mr. W. E. Hall), Helen Street (Mr. Perry), Wales Street (Mr. Vick), Speneley Street, Clifton Hill (Mr. Hobbs), Fairfield (Mr. Carter).

Special hours at concession rates are provided for the Northcote City Council to facilitate the instruction by various teachers of the above schools, and this is done by the Victorian Council of Education Swimming Branch, supervised by Miss M. Cox and her assistants, Misses Eddy, Bell and Flood, and Messrs Whetton, Chapman and Lovell. Parents of children attending these schools should be interested and encouraged by the following short summary of the swimming curriculum, which is carried out in its entirety at the high standard of swimming and life saving efficiency existing in this district.

1st Lesson: Floating and sculling; land drill and water practice. (2) Revision of the above with tug and practice of back stroke (leg kick). (3) Back stroke, leg kick, water work. (4) Revision back stroke, arm movements (half arm action). (5) Revision, elementary diving, breast stroke (leg movements). (6) Combined arm and leg movements of breast stroke. (7) Revision.

Public Works Committee Recommendations adopted—Dean street group to be the next group to be constructed, comprising Dean street, from Murray road to Wood street, and three connecting streets between Dean street and Highview grove, namely Brown street, Empire street and Gray street. A block of land on the southern side of Raglan street, facing Princess street, required for diversion of open drain, to be purchased for £35. Attention to be given to footpath corner Gowlae and Gower streets.

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Preston Council

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25 The monthly meeting was held on Monday. Present the mayor (Cr. H. Swain, J.P.) and Crs. J. W. Adams, J. S. Grey, A. G. Davis, G. H. Mott, H. P. Nisbett, C. T. Barling, H. Jupp and G. Pike.

Construction of Craner Street—Percy N. Jiddes, on behalf of a representative gathering of ratepayers, expressed regret at council's inability to proceed with the construction of Craner street, west of Gilbert road.

West Preston Progress Association. The following matters were brought forward:—(1) Condition of the light-way running alongside of the Bell School caretaker's quarters—Asking that immediate attention be given same. (2) Craner street footpath, between Belmont street and Craner road, on south side, which is in need of attention; also asking that posts be erected on footpath to prevent vehicular traffic using same. (3) Footpaths in Stewart street, asking that the posts be put in the new footpaths. (4) Attention to gutters in Gilbert road, especially in front of business premises.

Matters referred to P.W. Committee. Library.—Preston Public Free and Lending Library, commending council for prompt payment of first instalment of yearly subsidy, and giving an assurance that the money will be utilised in the purchase of new books.

Trotting Club.—Preston Trotting Club requested that a deputation be received about leasing Gower Park. To be heard at the next meeting of the Parks Committee.

COMMITTEE REPORTS Electric Light Committee Accounts 13894/5/10 were paid. The tender of Cheney's Pty. Ltd. for the supply of 121,000 w.p. truck for £250/- was accepted.

Finance Committee Accounts 18075/15/2 were paid. The sum of £10,000 is to be placed on fixed deposit. This amount, from Street Construction Account No. 2.

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Parks Committee West Preston Progress Association to be informed that council cannot undertake laying out and planting park lands in the vicinity of Gilbert road, Regent street, and Sheffield street, during the current year.

A galvanised iron conveniences to be erected at Gower Park at a cost of £10, the Jika Cricket Association to be asked to supervise same. Preston Trotting Club to be advised council cannot lease Gower Park, as it is already leased.

Committee of the Council A refund of £15/12/8 has been granted to Preston Football Club as a rebate on gate receipts. The application of S. Ayton, to re-subdivide land 132 ft. frontage by 172 ft. depth into four allotments was refused.

ORDINARY BUSINESS Cr. Adams moved that channel in Dundas street, between Victoria street, be referred to P.W. Committee; footpaths in Plenty road, both sides at the southern end, were in a very bad state. P.W. Committee.

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COW MAULLED BY BULL-DOG

OWNER AWARDED £5 DAMAGES At the Northcote Court on Tuesday Arthur Butcher, Mansfield street, Northcote, brought an action under the Dog Act against Hubert Henry Nichols, Acclimad street, St. Kilda, claiming £5 damages for injuries caused to a cow by defendant's bulldog.

The evidence showed that on Sunday, October 29, the cow was grazing in a paddock owned by George McIntyre, council employe, of Turner street, Fairfield. The animal went to the creek, and went near a child who was holding the dog. Then the dog attacked the cow, biting off one ear, and causing severe wounds on one of the animal's back legs, and a rear heel was also bitten off. Conversation followed between Butcher and Ray Nichols, brother of the defendant, and the animal had been left at the time, and later with the defendant, and a promise was made that a veterinary surgeon would be sent along to attend to the animal. This however, did not do so, and eventually a summons was issued against the defendant claiming damages.

The defence was that the dog was the property of Mrs. H. H. Nichols, and did not belong to the defendant, and that the animal had been left in the care of Ray Nichols by the owner for the past two or three months. The dog was not savage and had never attacked anyone before; it was only attacked when he put its head down as if to charge the child. It was denied by the defendant that he had promised to send a veterinary surgeon along to attend to the cow, and he said that what he did tell Butcher was that he would see the dog's owner and see if the services of a veterinary surgeon could be obtained.

After hearing a good deal of evidence the bench made an order against the defendant for £5 damages and £3/6/ costs. Mr. R. R. Gray appeared for Butcher. On the bench with the P.M. (Mr. E. E. O'Grady) were Messrs P. J. Keane and J. Hartnett, J.P.

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Cr. Nisbett said that Melbourne's traffic control was "miles behind the times," and now when a start was made to bring control up-to-date, those responsible were trying to do too much at once. It appeared that too much attention was being given by the traffic conference to motorists, who were being singled out by recommendations brought forward, and which it was proposed to ask the State Parliament to embody in an Act.

The council decided to approve of the recommendations of the Traffic Conference.

Works, re diversion of water down Powell street, from the catchment area, west of High street. Arrangements are to be made to confer with representatives of the water supply department, and drainage from the eastern portion of Preston, in the vicinity of Dundas street.

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OFFENSIVE BEHAVIOUR CHARGE FAILS

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Sergeant Revell prosecuting, said that on this date a serious accident occurred at the corner of Heidelberg Road and Austin Street, and it was while a wireless patrol was clearing the traffic that the incidents occurred, which led to this charge being laid.

Constable L. F. Wright, of the Wireless Patrol, said: "On November 16 the patrol was called to the scene of an accident at Heidelberg Road. On arrival it was found that the traffic was very heavy, and a large number of cars were parked along the sides of the road, and many people had gathered. I undertook the direction of traffic, and on account of the congestion there was only room for one car to pass in each direction at the same time. I was engaged in this duty when Bolger drove his car straight at me, and I did not know I was a policeman when I first spoke. I asked for his license, and he said he had not got it with him. I then asked if the car was his, and he said 'Yes'—do you think I am doing anything wrong? Constable Trim then came up and told Bolger to move his car to a vacant space as it was blocking the traffic. Defendant then said, 'I'll see the doctor before I move the car.' He was then arrested."

Cross-examined: There was a uniform constable present?—Yes. One. He had called the patrol to assist in obtaining particulars of the accident. He was not a policeman. How do you consider Bolger's behaviour was offensive?—The language he used, and his manner to me in front of the large crowd.

Constable E. S. Trim gave similar evidence. Bolger said "As I approached the corner of Heidelberg Road and Austin Street, I saw a large number of stationary cars and many people. I was following closely behind the car, and as the car in front swerved a man in plain clothes jumped on to my running board and said 'Why didn't you stop when I told you to?' He then clutched the steering wheel and said 'Get out of the car.' I said 'Who the— are you?' He said 'I'll— soon show you who I am. Where's your license. You tried to run me down.' I asked who my license was, and he said 'I'm a policeman.' He then said 'Get your car out of this. You are blocking the traffic.' I then said 'From now on, I'm going to stop, and the other traffic is to go. I want to see the Senior.' I was then arrested, my arm being twisted behind my back, and I was bundled into the wireless patrol car. Sgt. Revell 'Did you see the Senior?'—Only in the patrol car.

Did you lodge a complaint?—No. I didn't get a chance. Sitting in the patrol car I said 'This is a nice way to treat a fellow.' Wright jabbed an elbow into my ribs and told me to 'Shut up'.

Did you make a complaint at the watch-house?—I said there 'This is pretty stiff' and was told to keep quiet.

Reginald Bolger, Rushall street, Fairfield, Roy Bolger, Rushall street, Fairfield, and H. Driver, Raleigh Street, Thornbury, who were passengers in the defendant's car gave similar evidence.

Withdrawal Suggested The P.M. (Mr. E. E. O'Grady) said that if defendant had used a little tact, and defendant would not have been locked up. The constable might have thought defendant was driving at him, when such was not the defendant's intention.

It was suggested that justice might well be done if the case were withdrawn upon defendant expressing his regret. Bolger had been punished to some extent.

Sergeant Revell said he would leave the matter in the hands of the court. The P.M. said that the case would be dismissed in view of the conflict of the evidence, and the defendant would be given the benefit of the doubt.

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26 Before Mr. E. E. O'Grady, P.M. and Messrs P. J. Keane and J. Hartnett, J.P.

Unlighted Bicycles Keith McNamara, of 29 Hanlopp avenue, Alphington, was charged that on October 5 he rode a bicycle without lights, was fined £1.

Defendant: It was not dark when I went out on the bike. Daily street, Crossford, charged that on October 5 he rode a bicycle without lights, was fined £1.

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PHRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22 Before Mr. E. E. O'Grady, P.M. and Mr. J. Hartnett, J.P.

Unlighted Bicycles W. Ham, Dundas Street, Thornbury, charged that on October 6 he rode an unlighted bicycle in High Street Thornbury was fined £1. He said that his lamp had been stolen on the previous Friday night.

No Headlight on Car Edward Trudgeon, Edmund Street Clifton Hill, charged that on September 6 he drove a motor car without headlights was fined £2.

Traffic police said that defendant when stopped said that he had left his car battery at a garage to get it recharged, and was going to get it when intercepted.

Ejection. W. Hodgkinson, as agent for the owner, obtained an ejection order against A. Tonkin, Gladstone avenue, Northcote.

Debt. G. D. Wood, for whom Mr. A. E. O'Connor appeared, obtained an order by consent against G. W. Parsell and Mrs. W. Parsell, Rossmoyne street Thornbury, for £12/1/6, with 11/8/6 costs, for use and occupation of premises.

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Complainant stated that he lent the sum of £10, and an undertaking was given to repay £13/17/- at the rate of 10/- weekly. The sum of £11/7/- was owing when the summons was issued, but £1/- had been paid since. An order was made for the sum of £10/12/- with £3/5/6 costs.

The City of Preston invite tenders returnable on December 9 for the construction of Morgan and Hawking streets.

Preston Council has granted the Preston Salvation Army the use of the old town hall for Sunday services at previous rates, during the erection of a new Army citadel.

Preston Building By-Law

At the October meeting the Preston Council decided to amend its building by-law to permit the erection of a factory in a residential area. At the meeting of the council on Monday evening, a motion on notice was moved by Cr. Adams that the previous decision be rescinded, and that the question of completely zoning the city be referred to the committee of the council.

Cr. Adams said the council had often considered the question of zoning, but little had been done. An amendment of the by-law had been passed, but it was now understood that the site which was to have been used for a factory was not now required for that purpose. The council should take steps to zone the city, and appoint fixed residential areas. It would be advantageous to ratepayers to erect a fine house in a residential area and then have a factory built alongside it.

Cr. Nisbett seconded the notice of motion. The motion was carried. The question of zoning the city will now be discussed by the committee of the council.

MOTOR CYCLE STRIKES POST

DRIVER AND PILLION RIDER INJURED When a motor cycle "got out of control in the cutting on the Lower Heidelberg Road (twice) on Sunday afternoon, the rider of the machine and a pillion passenger were injured. The motor cycle was ridden by Leslie Saunders, 22 years, Gordon St., Northcote, and the passenger was Miss Elsie Steele 19 years, Dundas Street, Thornbury.

The machine got out of control and crashed into a telegraph post with the result that both persons were thrown off. Both were taken to St. Vincent's Hospital, and Miss Steele was admitted suffering from concussion and head injuries. Saunders was treated for concussion, and was allowed to go home.

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WOMEN'S WORLD

Wedding Bells

ODONNELL - WHITING
ON the morning of November 5, at Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Thornbury, Rev. Father Vaughan celebrated with Nuptial Mass the wedding of Miss Gertrude Cecelia Whiting and Mr. Edward O'Donnell.

OMELETS

And How To Make Them
OMELETS are not difficult to make, and you can turn out an excellent one using only one egg. As there are so many fillings, SAVORY and sweet omelets make a good standby.

GLOVES AND HATS

DON'T wear right or lavishly embroidered gloves. Your grandmother did, but this isn't the Victorian era and freedom, easy grace and simplicity are first cousins to chic.

PRESTON SWIMMING CLUB

POOL CLOSED ON SUNDAY AFTERNOONS
Some time ago a motion was put before the council that the Preston Baths be opened on Sunday afternoons.

Theft From Thornbury School

CARPENTER FOR TRIAL
On the night of Thursday, October 31, a number of tea towels and table cloths and a quantity of cutlery, valued at £2/10/, disappeared from the Thornbury State School.

McLAREN - WAY

ON October 12, at the Methodist Church, Healesville, Miss Merle Way, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Way, "Abertley," McCracken avenue, Northcote, was married to Mr. Robert McLaren, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. McLaren, of "Allenvale," Healesville.

ELDER - TOMLINSON

THE CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY
Northcote, was the setting for a pretty wedding, when Miss Joy Tomlinson was married to Mr. Harry Elder.

FASHION SHORTS

A CLASSIC black costume is the choice of Gladys Swarthout, Paramount player, for luncheon at Hollywood's popular cafe, the Vendome.

Life Saving Demonstration

On Wednesday week members of the Royal Life Saving Society, with which the Preston club is affiliated, will be present to demonstrate the latest methods of life-saving.

Very soon junior members of the club

of both sexes will have dressing rooms separate from the seniors. This will provide more room for all and make things much more comfortable.

ENTERING THE CHURCH

Entering the church on her father's arm, the bride looked charming in her ankle-length frock of tulle, ivory satin and silver lame.

Put the butter in the pan

cream the yolks and sugar till thick. Add the vanilla essence, whip the whites stiffly, and fold in the yolks with a spoon.

If You Can't Go Away

WHETHER the holiday be a weekend or the longer, much-looked-forward-to annual affair, it always seems something of a tragedy if we hoped to go away and then find we cannot.

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JUVENILE CREATION

Boleros feature 1935-36 juvenile fashions, according to Fox stylist Helen Myron, who created a patriotic toned bolero ensemble for nine-year-old Jane Withers starring role in "This is the Life."

Supporting the groom

Supporting the groom was Miss Connie Garstide, cousin of the groom, as chairman. After the breakfast the evening was spent in dancing and singing, the program being carried out by Mr. Les Elder.

Looking very smart in a navy-striped tailed costume

Looking very smart in a navy-striped tailed costume with hat and shoes en suite, the bride left for the honeymoon which they will spend motoring to Belgrave. With her outfit she wore a beautiful grey squirrel fur, the gift of her mother, and a handsome morocco handbag, the gift of the groom.

TUBULAR LIGHTING IN THE HOME

It is abundantly evident that Australia is commencing to use the higher lighting standards as developed by nations overseas. Coming straight to the point, the average type of home can be dealt with as a typical example of our neglect; or perhaps it could be termed, inexperience.

Lighting, so that comments and some advice on the subject, are distinctly in season.

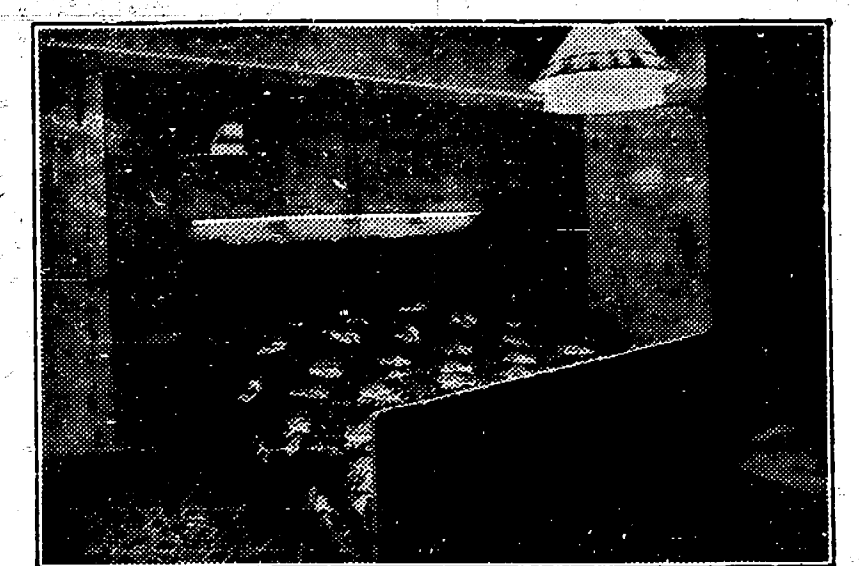
With the direct system, the light is thrown into a room from an open fitting hanging a few feet from the ceiling. The indirect method is more revolutionary, inasmuch as the light is reflected from the ceiling.

GYMNASIUM DISPLAY

The Church of the Epiphany parish hall was the scene of an interesting display by girls of the Epiphany Physical Culture Class on Wednesday night. The performance was a great tribute to the teacher (Miss D. Hamilton) and comprised rod exercises, plastics, club swinging and folk dancing by both seniors and juniors, also posing, marching and rhythmic dancing.

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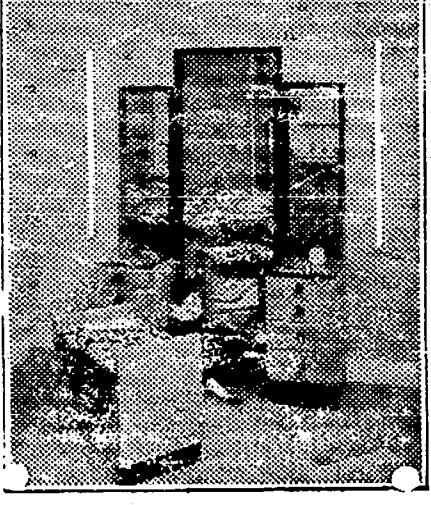
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Les Warren Shines as Bowler in Jika Cricket

Takes 8/13; Greg Bott 7/44

AT the head of the bowling list was Les Warren of Northcote P.A.F.S., who bowled unchanged against Thornbury Foresters and took eight wickets for 13.

Warren has the great virtue of being able to maintain an accurate length, which helps him considerably on his way to bowling success.

Persistency is a great thing and rewarded Greg. Bott with seven wickets for 44 on Saturday against Dennis.

Batting Successes Individual performers included five batsmen who passed the half century. Morgan 76 (Sherry Socials), Dowling 68 (Braithwaites), Worthington 59 (Epping), S. Birchall 55 (Cramer), and J. Forde 52 not out (Reservoir).

Notes by "Observer" The fourth round of the Association matches was commenced on Saturday following the previous week-end interval on account of the Maryborough-Victoria match.

Weather conditions were favorable, scoring generally was not high. Braithwaites in compiling 227 for the loss of nine wickets against Northcote Juniors.

Northcote Juniors were the highest, and the next in order came Sherry Socials, who declared with 6/189 in their match with Northcote A.O.F.

The lowest score was that of Atvoe and Sons, who in their first innings, made 27, and in reply Reservoir declared with 2/101.

Atvoe and Sons in their second knock lost 6/22 at stumps.

Individual Feats An interesting item among the individual performers was the good "double" of L. Warren, who took eight wickets for 13 runs and scored a splendid 47 for Northcote P.A.F.S. against Thornbury Foresters.

Other notable individual performances are those set out hereunder:

Table with 2 columns: Player Name and Score. Includes D. Morgan (Sherry Socials) 76, E. Dowling (Braithwaites) 68, W. Worthington (Epping) 59, S. Birchall (Cramer) 55, J. Forde (Reservoir) 52, Spargo (East Preston) 44, Marnie (Sherry Socials) 41.

Denotes not out. BOWLING Warren (Northcote P.A.F.S.) 8/13, O. Forde (Reservoir) 8/23, Sims (Reservoir) 8/29, Naughton (Preston Baseballers) 7/13, Bott (Bell) 7/44, Foster (Preston Boys) 6/42, A. McSperrin (Thornbury West) 5/25.

New I.L.W. Rule It has been decided by the Association that the new I.L.W. rule will not be adopted for the 1935-36 season, and, therefore, the old rule which was previously in operation will apply.

General Meeting All delegates are requested to note that the next general meeting of the Association will be held in the Library Hall, High Street, Preston, at 8.15 on Monday, December 27, following the completion of the fourth round.

Inter-Association Matches—Application for Umpires Umpires are requested to forward their names to the Association secretary, W. H. Burland, if available for selection for the Inter-Association match to be played during the Christmas holidays; rates of pay 15/- and lunch. All applications must be forwarded on or before December 9.

Saturday's Results A GRADE Gowerville v Epping Epping were the victors and had first use of the wicket, at East Preston and compiled a tidy score of 164.

Worthington, who was dismissed solidly for 59 before being dismissed. The next in order were E. Dea 31 and keeping 16, H. Clarkon bowled well and keeping 16, excellent length, secured 4/54; Barnes took 2/28.

Gowerville, who are having a lean period this year, have not struck form yet and again made a bad start, losing 3/21 at the call of time.

Epping 154 (Worthington 59, E. Dea 21, Rose 14, T. Dea 14, Varcoe 15, H. Clarkon 4/54, Barnes 2/28) v Gowerville, three for 21.

Thornbury United v East Preston Thornbury United were at home, and winning the toss sent East Preston in to bat, disposing of them for 120. The highest scorers were Spargo 44 and Fynde 27; Harry 25 also had

double figures. The bowling honours were shared by Oxnam and Bramley, who both scored 2/17. Stumps were drawn, the board showing 1/46.

East Preston, 120 (Spargo 44, Rundle 27, Harry 25; Oxnam 3/17, Bramley 2/17) v Thornbury United, one wicket for 40 (Bramley 16 n.o.).

Dennis v Bell This match was played at McDonnell Park on Saturday. Bell won the toss and sent the home team in to bat.

Both teams were in good form, and turning the ball both ways had the batsmen in trouble, and secured 7/44 when the innings terminated for 88. Smith played a good defensive hand for 31, and Steele 16 was the only other batsman to reach double figures.

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CRICKET BOWLS

WEATHER conditions on Saturday were a great improvement on previous days and generally the greens were fast.

DISTRICT RESULTS AT A GLANCE Four Rink Competition Division 1—Canterbury 103 d Al-

Division 2—Ivanhoe 96 d Fitzroy 75. Division 4—Brunswick 98 d Heidelberg 79.

Div 5, Sec 2—Collingwood City 106 d Thornbury 103. Div 6, Sec 2—Fairfield 105 d Albert Park 83.

Div 7, Sec 2—Ivanhoe II, 98 d Footscray City II, 97; Thornbury II, 104 d Alphington 112.

Three Rink Competition Div 1—Fairfield 127 d Blackburn 46.

Div 2, Sec 2—Thornbury I, 77 d Melbourne 64; Fitzroy v Northcote drew 70 all; Alphington had a bye.

Div 3, Sec 3—Ivanhoe 89 d Thornbury II, 57.

Melbourne II, 105 (Morrison, Kerrigan, Ellis, Franklin 23; Chambers, Reid, Blight, Hunter 24; Greaves, Lattimore, Troy, White 32; Sara, Halsey, Harvey, Le Coullard 26; d Preston II, 75 (Bell, Farr, Shephard, Howe 34; McIntosh, Price, Merrin, Archer 21; Russ, R. Lewis, Cowan, Dahl 8; Saunders, W. Lewis, Shell, Siddons 12).

Aberfeldie, 75 (Robinson, Kelly, Hayes, Jamieson 24; Semple, Luckman, Hill, Riches 27; Roberts, Barnett 32; Crisp, White, H. Lewis, H. (James, Smith Pipe, Salfinger 10; Hornsby Matthews, Wood, McIntyre, 16; Butterfield, Norris, L. Williams, H. Williams 17).

NOTES FROM THE CLUB An enjoyable social game was played last Wednesday afternoon against Coburg.

The victors called with four runs and during progress of the match afternoon tea was provided by the ladies.

The next Wednesday afternoon game will be at Aberfeldie on December 4. Four dinks will be required.

Last Saturday the season's recruits played a rink match for spoons. The rink led by Mr. Watz won after playing an extra end.

There was another good muster at the euchre party given by Mrs. Webb, Mr. McIntosh and Mr. Butterfield. The monthly aggregate went to Mrs. McIntyre and Mr. Pheasant.

PRESTON ELECTRIC LIGHT TOURNAMENT A successful progressive mixed pinks tournament was played under the auspices of the Electric Light Club on Saturday night.

The green was in excellent condition and fourteen rinks competed, including one from Coburg, captained by Mr. Burt, who has been chosen as one of the Victoria players for the annual interstate match.

The winning rink comprised Mr. and Mrs. James and Mr. and Mrs. Dahl, while the "spoony" trophies were collected by Mr. Thornbury's rink. The "spoons" event was won by Mrs. Harris, while the "bucky" prize was won by No. 48.

The holder not being present when the announcement was made. The greens are open every Tuesday and Thursday night.

RIFLE SHOOTING PRESTON CLUB Preston Rifle Club fired the final round on Saturday, 23rd for the Bigwell Trophy from 500 yards. G. Gee won the trophy. Scores:—

G. Gee, 47-3-50; H. Court, 48-2-50; G. Bignell, 47-3-50; L. Chynoweth, 48-2-50; T. Griffiths, 48-4-49; R. Alford, 47-2-49; R. Rae, 45-4-49; T. A. Griffiths, 45-4-49; S. Chynoweth, 46-3-50; W. Dowling, 42-7-49; E. Pitt, Jones 43-4-49; J. Piggott, 41-4-45; J. Stone 40-3-45.

Miniature Range Mrs. Dolby, Possible. Scores:—Mrs. Dolby, 50 (possible); G. Gee, 79-1-80; G. Bignell, 75-2-79; E. Pitt, Piggott 73-3-75; F. Palmer, 72-5-77.

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