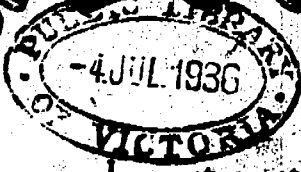


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## WIFE'S STORY OF UNHAPPY MARRIED LIFE

### Four Hidings in Seven Weeks

#### LIVED IN TWO-ROOMED SHANTY

That she had only lived seven weeks with her husband in six months' of married life; and that he had given her four hidings in that time; was the evidence given by Maud Elizabeth Woodward, Holden street, North Fitzroy, in a claim for maintenance against her husband, John Charles Woodward, Smith street, Thornbury.

The complainant said:— I was married on Christmas Day last year. My husband was then a carrier, earning good money.

It was only eight days after the wedding that my husband gave me the first hiding.

We were away on the honeymoon, and were sleeping in the truck, when I stretched my legs, and touched his sunburnt feet. He hit me a dozen times with his hand. I tried to defend myself, and got more. I got up and spent the rest of the night in the front of the truck.

As a result of that incident I returned to my father's home. Later I forgave him, and went to live with him near Ballan. We lived in a two-roomed shack, with only a waterproof sheet for a roof. He would leave on Monday, and would not return until Wednesday night. He gave me no money, and I had to borrow from a neighbor. When I asked him to furnish the house he became "nasty". There was no firewood, and I had to carry water.

Because I took a dressing table off the truck, he gave me a hiding. I then got some furniture from my father's home.

#### Dance Incident.

One night I asked my husband if I could go to a dance. He said "No", but I went. On getting home I found the house locked up. I got inside, and he gave me a hiding.

I tried to find a house at Northcote but he found something wrong with every one I showed him. Once he hit me on the mouth.

On June 11 he told me to go home as he had "done with me".

The only money he has ever given me was 3/- for a pair of shoes; and he owes me £10. I am now living with my father.

#### THE HUSBAND'S STORY

John Charles Woodward, Smith street, Thornbury, timber carrier, said:— My wife and I arranged that we should not live together for a short time after the marriage. When living near Ballan we had everything we wanted.

I did not give my wife a hiding at Inverloch on our honeymoon. I simply pushed her away. On June 12 she went to a dance against my express wish and came home at 2 o'clock in the morning. I put her across my knee and spanked her.

I didn't tell her to pack and go home. I brought her home on the truck for a few days. My wife was never destitute.

An order was made that defendant pay his wife £1 a week.

#### CLIFTON HILL AND NORTH FITZROY A.N.A.

There was a large gathering at the usual regular meeting of the Clifton Hill and North Fitzroy A.N.A. on June 25. The President L. Laveran was in the chair. At the conclusion of the meeting, members were treated to a harmony night, and the committee was congratulated on the successful outcome of its efforts in arranging such a splendid evening.

## BREACH OF CONTRACT CLAIM

### Dispute Over Purchase of Shop

#### CLAIM SUCCEEDS

When a man purchased a mixed business at the corner of Victoria road and Dundas street, he was under the impression that the contract he signed also gave him the right to occupy a dwelling attached to the shop. Not till he shifted his furniture there did she find that the tenancy of the home was not included in the agreement, and the subsequent dispute led to court proceedings.

Will Charman of Plenty road, Preston sued Elma Devans, Dundas street Northcote at the Northcote Court on Tuesday, claiming £30 damages for alleged breach of contract over the sale of a mixed business.

Mrs Annie Charman, wife of the complainant said that it was not possible to carry on this business without the residence.

Will Sharman, Plenty road, Preston, said that he had bought the business, thinking that the residence was included. He had to pay for the furniture being shifted in and out of the house and had lost the profits which would have accrued from the business. He had also to pay board.

Mrs Eleanor Devans, wife of defendant, Dundas street, Thornbury, said there was no suggestion that the Charmans should occupy the residence. It was not necessary for them to have the residence.

The defendant, Arthur Devans, Dundas street, Thornbury, gave similar evidence.

The P.M. decided that the contract specified the dwelling as well as the shop. Damages £9, with £4/9 costs, were awarded the complainant.

## GRAMMAR SCHOOLS' FOOTBALL

### IVANHOE'S WIN

In spite of the bad state of the ground, Ivanhoe Grammar's football was too good for Brighton at Ivanhoe Park last Friday. The home side soon established a winning lead. Final scores:—

Ivanhoe Grammar: 25—7;  
Brighton Grammar: 6—7.

Best Players for Ivanhoe: Barton, Moore, Durham, Main, Redhead, Smith, McKendrick, Gillies. Goals—Barton (14), Smith (3), Main (3), McKendrick (2), Maplestone (2), Tibball.

To-day (Friday, July 3) Ivanhoe and Trinity, both undefeated to date, will meet at the Kew oval.

#### Preston Technical School

ON June 24 the mayor of Preston (Mr H. Swain), J.P., Mr H. P. Zwar, M.L.A., the mayor of Heidelberg (Cr Jessop), the mayor of Coburg (Cr Martin), and Mrs Oliver and Jones (representing Northcote Council) held an informal meeting with Mr Eltham, of the Education Department, with reference to the curriculum and plans of the technical school now in course of erection at Preston. Mr Eltham gave the information that the school would in all probability be ready for occupation at the beginning of the year 1937; and that the subjects taught were likely to be of a general nature. Later on the Department would give consideration to courses of special study.

## TRANSPORT TRANSGRESSIONS

### ARE POTATOES MARKET PRODUCE?

What is a market garden, and are potatoes and onions market produce? These were burning questions in a case in which Percival Meyer, transport operator, Frederick street, Northcote, was charged that he carried in a commercial vehicle a load of potatoes and onions which was not permitted under the Transport Act. The driver, Eric Redvers Davies, May street, Preston, was similarly charged.

J. Broadhurst, transport inspector, said that he stopped a truck driven by Davies and owned by Meyer at Allansford, on the Princes Highway, on April 17. It was loaded with potatoes and onions, about six tons the total load. A passenger in the truck, Gleeson, said Meyer had bought the produce from him at Port Fairy and was carrying them free. Meyer had a license permitting him to carry market produce throughout Victoria, but potatoes and onions were not market produce.

One prior conviction for a transport offence was admitted by Meyer.

The P.M. decided that potatoes were not market produce, and fined Meyer £3 and Davies £2, with 2/6 costs.

## NORTHCOTE A.N.A.

The fortnightly meeting of the Northcote branch was held in the lodge room at the Northcote Town Hall on June 25. Regret was expressed at the death of the wife of an active member of the branch, and cricket captain, (Mr. F. Gabell). A motion of condolence was passed.

Advice was received from the Board of Directors re a competition between A.N.A. branches for the increase of membership, the prize being twelve hats. The Northcote branch has been very successful in the past and a special effort is to be made. Four new members were elected and welcomed by the president (Mr J. Johnson).

Messrs E. Guerin, F. Carne, and F. Evers reported on Metropolitan Committee meeting.

Mr Aldridge in reporting on social activities, submitted a financial report. On Thursday, July 16, the branch will hold an old time dance at the Merri Palais.

The syllabus item after the next meeting will be a Jovial Evening, to which members and friends, and ladies of the A.W.A. have been invited.

The auditors, Messrs F. Ward and T. Aldridge submitted the balance sheet ending May. The branch has progressed very well, both financially and in members, who have increased by 43 for the period.

## APPROACHING AUCTIONS

By W. G. Miles, at 2 p.m. on Saturday, July 4, on the premises, 133 Mitchell street, Northcote, 4-roomed w.b. villa, on land 25 x 150 ft. 8 in. as advertised.

By Howgate and Roberts, and Watson and Haughton in conjunction, at 3 p.m. on July 8 on the property, 14 Harry street, Thornbury, bijou timber villa, as advertised.

By F. W. Stott and Son at 3 p.m. on July 8 on the property, 21 Excelsior street, Preston West, 5-roomed d.f.w.b. villa and land, as advertised.

## NORTHCOTE COURT

FRIDAY, JUNE 26

### One Headlight Out.

Arnold Lind, Newman street, Thornbury, charged at Northcote Court with having driven a motor car on May 18 without both headlights burning, said that the adaptor was faulty, but that he had only driven 100 yards with the lights off when stopped. At the corner of St. George's road and Hutton street the lights were on. The road was well-lighted and he had not noticed the light go out. Fined £1.

### Silencer in Sidecar

Evidence was given by Constable Ferguson, of the motor cycle patrol, that on April 1 at 5.20 p.m. he stopped a motor cycle ridden by James Chas. Stewart, Alfred crescent, North Fitzroy. It was making a loud noise, audible for over 300 yards. There was no silencing device on the exhaust. Defendant said the silencer was in the sidecar. Fined £3.

### No Light on Borrowed Bicycle

Laurie Dennis O'Connor, Burgundy street, Heidelberg, was charged at Northcote Court last Friday with having ridden a bicycle without lights on May 15. He said that he had not ridden a bicycle regularly for ten years and it was months since he had used one. He had been out of work and was to see a man about a job. He borrowed a bicycle and waited for the man but the appointment was not kept. It was then after sunset and he was stopped by the police on the way home. He had never ridden a bicycle since. Fined £1.

### One Headlight

Leslie Durmas, Walker street, Clifton Hill, was charged that on May 13 in High street, Northcote, he drove a motor car with only one headlight. Defendant said that as soon as he was stopped, he touched the switch and the lights came on immediately. Constable Harkness confirmed this. Fined £1.

### Ejectments

Ejectment orders were obtained by T. Gidley, agent for the owner, M. E. Weaver, against Harold John Morgan, occupier of a house in Reid street, Northcote; and J. Conway, owner of premises in Keon street, Northcote, occupied by J. Brockwell.

### Court Order

Sergeant Revell sought the direction of the court with respect to certain articles, a motor wheel and forks, which had been produced in an unlawful possession case at Northcote on May 21. This had been dismissed on the grounds that actual possession was not proved by the prosecution. The goods were ordered to be sold by auction and the proceeds to go to consolidated revenue.

## RIFLE SHOOTING

### PRESTON CLUB

#### BIGNELL'S POSSIBLE

Preston Club fired on Saturday the final round from 500 yards for the consolation trophy, the result was a tie between E. Batstone and R. Devlin. George Bignell won the daily pool with a possible. Scores:—

G. Bignell 50 (possible); T. Morris 47-6-53; R. Alford, 48-2-50; T. A. Griffiths, 47-2-49; E. Batstone, 47-2-49; R. Dickson, 46-3-49; H. Court, 45-4-49; R. Duffin, 43-3-49; W. Devlin, 45-2-47; S. Chynoweth, 44-3-47; W. Vines, 44-3-47; F. Body, 42-5-47; L. Chynoweth, 42-4-46; E. Barker, 41-4-45; J. Piggett, 40-3-43.

#### Miniature Trophy

The Miniature Trophy was divided by T. Griffiths, R. Alford and J. Lowery. Scores:—

T. Griffiths, 79-3-79; R. Alford, 79-3-79; J. Lowery, 78-13-79; T. A. Griffiths 77-2-79; Mrs Dobbyn; 77-1-78; R. Dickson, 77-1-78; J. Piggett, 76-2-78; H. Court, 75-2-77; T. Morris, 74-3-77.











Women's World

Recent Weddings

Shirring and Pleating

HOLDING — BRADLEY

MISS RUBY FLORENCE BRADLEY made a delightful bride in her wedding array on June 6, when she became the wife of Mr. Frederick Harold Holding, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holding, of "Barney," 212 Victoria road, Northcote.

Satin and Ivory Lace

COMBES — BARTON

THE Church of the Epiphany was the setting for the wedding of Miss Ruby Daphne Barton and Mr. William Combes, on June 20, when Rev. F. E. Thomson officiated. After the ceremony, the team-mates of the groom formed an archway of baseball bats for the couple to pass under.

Bride in Blue

HULETT — PULLYBLANK

A QUIET wedding was celebrated in St. James' Old Cathedral, West Melbourne, on May 23, when Miss Eileen May Pullyblank became the wife of Mr. George Edwin Hullett.

A Charming Frock

BLACK and silver are united in the daytime mode for Spring.

Miss Eileen May Pullyblank, who is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Pullyblank, of Bundoora, formerly of Northcote, was given away by her father.



Street Frock. Featured by Frances Langford in Paramount's 'Night of the Living Dead'.

JIKA CRICKET ASSOCIATION

B GRADE—BROADBURSTS CLUB

The following averages reveal the creditable performances of the members of Broadbursts Cricket team. Through they went through the season undefeated as far as the home and home matches are concerned, they had an off day when the finals came round, consequently they were denied the honor of winning the premier-ship. Averages were:—

A LOCAL ROSICRUCIAN

ROSICRUCIAN of this community will be represented in their extension activities by Mr. John W. Straede, of 7 Adelaide street, Preston, who has received a certificate of appointment as commissioner from the Headquarters of the Rosicrucian Order (AMORC) in San Jose, California.

CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL AUXILIARY Third Annual Meeting

In Normanby Hall on June 24 the Thornbury Auxiliary for the Children's Hospital held its third annual meeting. There was a representative gathering present, and the fact that so many attended on such an inclement night demonstrates the interest of members and friends.

Mr. J. A. Thomson moved a vote of thanks to the retiring office-bearers for their services. The officers had to devise ways and means of raising money and had been most successful. Mr. Jones, secretary of the auxiliary, expressed the enthusiasm of his wife and was retiring in his efforts.

Mr. Barrett responded, and was seconded by Mrs. Huthnance, who said that the members' record at the meeting was two years' regular attendance of one day a week without a break. They also supported a cot at a cost of £50 per year.

Mr. Barrett expressed pleasure to meet once again the Thornbury helpers. Their hearty interest in the work and inspiration was received from the office-bearers, who had captured and held the interest of members.

Mr. H. Swain, mayor of Preston, presided at the meeting. He was congratulated by the auxiliaries for his able hand over 175 to the hospital.

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CHURCH NEWS

St. Mary's Church of England, East Preston

The 71st anniversary celebrations were continued on Saturday evening when the tea meeting and concert were held. The tea was arranged by the members of the Ladies' Guild who gave much time and care to the preparations.

Christian Science

"God" will be subject of the lesson-lesson in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, July 5.

Science and Health

"Science and Health with a Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, is omniscience, omnipotence, and omnipresence. It is the primal and eternal principle of infinite Mind, of the true Principle—Life, Truth, and Love—named God.

Princess of Wales Park Methodist Church

Last Sunday evening the service was conducted by the Rev. G. T. Arthur, M.A., supported by a choral service given by the choir and Mr. Krause, a visiting soloist.

Holy Trinity Thornbury

On Sunday last the vicar celebrated and preached in the presence of good congregations. For his morning service he took parable, "The Lost Sheep." At evening service the question, "Do we need a church?" was the basis of the sermon.

Approaching Auctions

By Angus McDonald Pty. Lt. (Geo. Henderson, auctioneer) on Saturday, July 4, at 3 p.m. on property 27, Tanner Grove, Northcote, modern w.b. villa, four rooms, all conveniences, land 28 x 127, as advertised.

CYCLING

JUNIOR ROAD CHAMPIONSHIP

Tests were conducted by many clubs on Saturday to determine entrants for the Victorian Junior Road Championship (under 18 years) over a distance of 5 miles. Local tests resulted: Alphonso: H. Broadbent 1; W. Mitchell 2. Length, Time 13' 5".

NORTHCOTE AMATEURS

A mile handicap was held on Saturday. Results: J. Callaghan (2:40) 1; P. Clinck (3:30) 2; E. Gardner (3:30) 3. Time, 1:19.19. Fastest time: W. Mitchell (ser.) 1:11.57.

GOLF

HIGHLAND PARK CLUB

The clubs played a flag competition last Saturday for the P. Ryan Cup. The event was won by Syd Davison, who was followed by Doherty by about 10 yards. Good cards were returned by the large field.

IVANHOE GOLF CLUB

Saturday, June 27—Mr. P. D. Sinclair Trophy—18 holes stroke. Results: H. Hardest (25) 63; H. Stoss (21) 65; T. H. Dunn (27) 65; K. L. Grant (18) 67; J. L. Betheras (19) 67; J. B. Gillies (23) 69; P. D. Sinclair (26) 69.

NORTHCOTE NOTES

New Kindergarten Hall. The facilities of the Northcote Creche will be greatly enhanced when the new Kindergarten Hall, which is the new building of erection, is completed. It will be one of the finest buildings of its kind in Melbourne.

Building By-law Amended

By amending its building by-law to permit the erection of brick pairs on frontages of 60 feet or more, the Northcote Council has enabled owners to utilize much land which has lain idle since the introduction of the minimum frontage of 40 feet. There must be 60 feet blocks, and the council would not allow these blocks to be re-subdivided into 30 ft. blocks.

HOLLYWOOD MASTERS MOST ARTS

THERE are more arts and crafts represented in Hollywood than in any other place in the world. With each succeeding motion picture, it is found necessary to add to the arsenal of the Hollywood craftsman.

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LODGES

PRESTON C.X.M.S. New Officers. The office bearers elected for the ensuing term are:—Spiritual Director, Fr. O'Rourke; President, L. Webster; Past-president, J. Bell; Secretary, V. Butcher; Assistant secretary, B. Bolger; Treasurer, T. K. Kelly; Warden, H. J. Webster; Magazine Editor, F. W. Carrington; Librarian and Press Correspondent, W. J. T. Smyth; Committee, C. K. Bolger, K. Brown, E. C. Gilbert, L. J. Kelly, P. J. Naughtin.

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VICTORY SLIPS FROM THEIR GRASP

By Last Kick of the Day NECK TO NECK STRUGGLE THROUGHOUT NORTHCOOTE WERE MOST UNFORTUNATE

After having led throughout a hard game, Northcoote were most unfortunate to lose to Camberwell last Saturday. The sound, tactical defence of both sides was the feature of the match, which maintained interest throughout owing to the inability of either side to gain any definite advantage.

The Teams Northcoote.—Backs: Lyngcoo, Holden, Ackland. Half-backs: Powell, Bates, Woods. Centres: Garrett, Hart, Weager. Half-forwards: O'Keefe, Seymour, Downie. Followers: O'Keefe, Honig, Rover. 19th man, Cornwell.

Both Sides confident. From the first bounce of the ball it was evident that there would be a good hard contest, as both sides had recently been playing with system and confidence.

Even Play With the centre and wing men attacking, Northcoote had many opportunities to increase its lead, and although the home side was still ahead at half-time, its lead should have been greater.

Strong Defence In the third quarter, Camberwell made a determined effort to go ahead but the strong Northcoote back-line made scoring difficult. The same position held at the other end, where the Camberwell back-men continually drove off the attackers.

A Sensational Finish In a strenuous finish, the result was never certain. Northcoote got a couple of goals, and seemed to have the game well in hand, but Camberwell came again, and drew to within five points of Northcoote's score. The play became intensely exciting as the ball was taken from one end to the field to the other. Then, just on the bell Davidson was freed and passed to Williams. The was a hush as the result of the match depended on this kick. As the ball flew clear, it gave Camberwell the honors of the day.

Club Notes Best players in the match against the League on King's Birthday.

C. Y. M. S. ASSOCIATION A GRADE

Northcoote v. Flemington Northcoote.—Backs: Hickey, A. Baker, Andrews. Half-backs: Butler, N. Baker, W. Farrelly. Centres: D. Howe, R. Baker, Clancy. Half-forwards: V. Mithen, Byrne, Devlin. Followers: Cook, O'Connell, Glen. 19th man, Mithen (c.). G. Garratt. Rover: Gavin. 19th: Hollis. Umpire: Chamber.

This game, which was set down for Northcoote's ground, was played at Albert Park. The Flemington captain, Nordes, spun the coin, and Northcoote's captain called correctly and decided to kick against the wind.

Leading Goal Kickers Collins, (Coburg) 75 (4); Seymour, (Northcoote) 46 (4); Cooper, (Brunswick) 44 (2); Jones, (Camberwell) 40 (4); McInnes, (Brunswick) 40 (4); Fisher, (Preston) 37 (6); Hawkins, (Prahran) 33 (6); Warr, (Preston) 32 (2); Nash, (Coburg) 21 (3); Lawler, (Williamstown) 30 (2).

Receipts and Attendances Prahran v Brunswick, 7,000, £103; Coburg v Brighton, 2,500, £32; Northcoote v Camberwell, 3,500, £22; Sandringham v Yarraville, 1,000, £10; Williamstown v Preston, 1,500, £10; Port Melbourne v Oakleigh, 400, £4; Total attendances, 15,000; total receipts, £184.

Vital Games to-Morrow With the season more than half gone, and the completion of the first round of home and home matches, by their decisive victory over Prahran last Saturday, Brunswick remain undefeated, and are alone at the top of the list.

Association Seconds Preston's Sweeping Victory. Preston 24-20 d Williamstown 2-11. As the scores indicated, the game was very one-sided. Preston's general play was far superior to that of the seaiders, who were outmarched and outgeneralized in almost every department.

Thrilling Game at Northcoote Like the senior team, the Northcoote Seconds had an exciting game, which however ended in a draw. Northcoote and Camberwell each scored 6-10, and the play was close and interesting throughout. There was a lot of "kicking off the ground" at the closing stages Northcoote had a small lead, but Camberwell's final goal levelled the scores just before the bell. Goal-kickers—Northcoote: Noel (4); Ross, Sharwood and Simmonds. Northcoote's best players—Simmonds, Williamson and Ackland were also frequently under notice.

PRESTON GO DOWN TO WILLIAMSTOWN

Seaiders Combine Well After First Quarter UNWARRANTED HECKLING OF UMPIRE HASSETT

Preston was defeated after a hard game at Williamstown last Saturday. Their forwards failed to penetrate the splendid defence of Brooks. At times the play was inclined to be rough and Preston were not at all at home on the Seaiders' ground.

Umpire Heckled For no apparent reason Williamstown's supporters constantly heckled the field umpire, (Hassett) with cries of "What about Oakleigh?" and "Throw him over the fence" on Saturday. They "counted him out" and hooted almost all his decisions. As Hassett was leaving the ground hundreds of spectators surged around the race and hooted and abused him.

The Teams Preston.—Backs: Maselem, Hyde, Barr. Half-backs: Gale, Brown, Blackman. Centres: Clack, Hugo, Robinson. Half-forwards: O'Connor, Hughson, Quislan. Forwards: Murray, Fisher, Durstone, Pollock, Harding, Muir, Rover: Warr. 19th man, Clark.

Preston Goes Ahead Williamstown took the lead in the second quarter, in spite of the fact that it lost many valuable opportunities through lack of accuracy in front of goal. The performance of White on the wing for Williamstown was the high-light of this term, which ended—Williamstown, 9-8; Preston, 7-9.

Amateur Athletics Preston and Northcoote Club On Saturday members journeyed to Ivanhoe and with Ivanhoe, Richmond and Hawthorn Harriers took part in a combined pack run. The slow pack, consisting of thirty runners, had a run over five miles, and then all took part in a one-mile run. Results were—Jack Kirkland (Preston), 1; G. Simitt (Richmond), 2; Reg. Coleman (Preston), 3. Others from the local club to finish well were Alec Reid (8th), then following: Vic. Kirkland and Jack Graham.

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Play Becomes Rough Although the play became fairly rough at times interest was sustained in the second half by the evenness of the scores. Preston drew level in the third term, and led by two points at the last change—12-11 to 12-8. With Huggins dominating the ruck, Williamstown rose to its best in the last quarter. Its full-back (Brooks) repeatedly saved the situation. Preston did not score a goal. The final score was—Williamstown, 14-12 (98 pts.); Preston—12-14 (86 pts.).

Goal Kickers Williamstown.—Robertson (3), Richardson (2), Lawler (2), Green (2), Paterson (2), Deller, Willett, Pitt.

FOOTBALL (Continued from Previous Page)

7-9. Preston, with the wind, soon made up the lost ground, and for the term got seven goals to their opponents 1-0. Goal-kickers—Snowy Clarke, 8/2, at Fitzroy last week. Preston goal kickers—Sleith (7), Prinde (4), Lang (2), C. Gilbert. Best players—Kelly, Smith Prince, Powell, Pitts, Lang and Smyth.

United Churches' Association As was anticipated, Parkside v. Prince of Wales Park provided the most interesting game on Saturday. St. Mark's had an easy day against the unsettled St. Mary's team. The sportsmanlike determination of the North Carlton to carry out their engagements is to be admired, as they fielded only twelve men against the improving John Vale combination, although their effort proved disastrous as shown by the result. In this match Dennis, of John Vale, scored 21 goals of the total 41. For the third successive Saturday Parkside should again provide an interesting match—this time against John Vale at Pitcher Park.

RESULTS OF MATCHES Parkside, 12-12, d. P.W.P., 8-8. An even match with scores balancing first in favor of one side and then the other was witnessed at Fitzroy Park, Thornbury. P.W.P. were brilliant in the air but appeared to be a little slower to the ball in their ground play. It was noticed the P.W.P. had adopted a new tactic, the balling since the teams last met, but they were inclined to overdo it with poor results. Supporters of both sides showed bad judgment in bar-racking, which may lead to bad fouling if not checked early. Parkside's best were Watson, Newman, Wintle, Trigg brothers, Aston and Stubbich. P.W.P.—N. Randall, Hastings, Jones, Heardon brothers and Lethlean.

Goal-kickers.—Parkside.—Trigg (5), Newman (2), Stubbich, Knapp, Camp, White (2). P.W.P.—Thornton (3), Indian (2), Bullock (2), Heardon. Moorland, 9-9, d. Northcoote, 5-11. Even match with poor kicking resulted in Northcoote's eighth successive defeat at McDonnell Park. Both teams had outstanding players, but the team spirit was lacking, which, if incorporated, would bring play to a much higher standard. Northcoote's last quarter was very superior to the rest of the game. Moorland, who added only two goals to Northcoote's 2-6, Northcoote's best were Sibbl, Little, Collicke, Holmes, Baxter and May. Moorland.—H. Davies, Hooper, George, Wimpsey, White, Sibbl. Goal-kickers.—Northcoote.—Holmes (2), Hart, Brownie, Arnott, Moorland and H. Davies (2), Sibbl (2), Fricker (2), Roberts, J. Taylor, John Vale, 41-22, d. North Carlton.

North Carlton, rather than give a walk-over to John Vale, fielded only twelve men, with the result that the match amounted to goal-kicking practice for G. Dennis, who bagged 21 goals out of a total of 41. Percy Walters and Evans were best for North. Fatourous and Evans one goal each. Best players for John Vale.—Dennis, Ryan, Angus, Forrest, Walsh. Goals.—Dennis (21), Archer (5), Angus (4), Ryan, Forrest (3), C. Robinson (2), Anderson. St. Mark's, 20-18, d. St. Mary's, 1-3. One-sided after the first quarter, the match at West Preston proved to be a practice run for St. Mark's. Smith and Short are consistent in their efforts for the weak St. Mary's side. Others were Steele, MacNamara and Vines. St. Mark's were best served by MacNamara, Forrest, Gilbert and Wilks. Goal-kickers.—St. Mary's.—Short, St. Mark's.—MacNamara (10), Forrest (3), Merritt (2), Humphries (2), Edmonds, Gilbert. 2.

Positions of Clubs Parkside 8 1 334 32 St. Mark's 8 1 233 32 John Vale O. B. 7 2 294 28 P.W.P. 4 5 98 12 Moorland 4 5 63 16 St. Mary's 4 5 56 16 Northcoote 1 7 53 4 North Carlton 0 8 18 0

Next Saturday's Matches Parkside v. John Vale. Moorland v. St. Mark's. North Carlton v. Northcoote. St. Mary's v. Prince of Wales Park. Tickets for the social are now available, and clubs are requested to purchase early so that catering arrangements may be made.

BOXING SNOWY CLARKE AGAIN

Bill Gill, 8.12, of Newcastle, provided good opposition for the brilliant West Australian boxer, Snowy Clarke, 8.12, at Fitzroy last week, and it was unfortunate that an accidental collision was responsible for ending the contest.

Gill, with his twin brother, Joe, came to Melbourne because the boys were anxious to see the southern city. Clarke commenced briskly and showed great cleverness in the use of his left. Boxing with confidence, he connected with well-timed punches, but appeared surprised on several occasions on finding that Gill had anticipated him, retaliating with some heavy rights.

In the third round, Clark retiring with his right, shifted quickly and got home with a heavy left hook which almost finished the bout. Gill was visibly affected, but recovered quickly to stall off Clarke's fierce efforts to connect again.

The sixth round was a thriller, as Gill, realizing that he was being boxed and just succeeded in dodging another blow that was swung around with a blow that landed him in his corner as the gong sounded. This was definitely Gill's round, but Clarke evened matters in the seventh, picking his fight with heavy, accurate rights to the body as Gill advanced. The eighth round was sensational, as during a toe-to-toe exchange of punches, the heads of the boxers, stood in the centre of the ring in a bending attitude, holding his head, whilst Clarke turned to his corner. Clarke's seconds instructed him by sign to fight on, and Clarke, turning quickly, delivered a right uppercut which, landing on Gill's jaw, floored him. The referee then declared Clarke the winner.

The blow was in order, but the spectators showed strong disapproval, hoots and shouts being levelled at Clarke until he retired from the ring. Minor Events Joe Gill, 8.6, is a clever boxer and outclassed Al Petersen, 7.10, in a 16-round preliminary. Petersen, one of the pluckiest lads in the sport, was apparently that his chances of winning were almost hopeless, he gave his best during every one of the ten rounds.

In a four-round bout, Jim McMahon, who had been defeated in his last three contests, appeared to be fortunate to obtain the decision against the undefeated Tom Stewart. McMahon fought splendidly but with out purpose, and accepted some heavy punishment.

Young Lewis, a powerfully built lad, connected with some heavy rights to the body of his opponent, but was out of purpose, and could not withstand Bastian's rally over the last half of the contest. Eastlan won comfortably. This Week's Contest The contest this week between Herb Bishop, the ex-champion of Australia, and Terry Relly, the junior welterweight champion, should be thrilling. These lads met on June 5, but the referee was unable to separate them at the end of the contest and declared a draw.

BASEBALL HOLIDAY TRIP

CROXTON METHODIST & KORUMBURRA ASSOCIATION Seventy-two members and supporters of the Croxton Methodist Baseball Club made the trip to Korumburra on King's Birthday for the purpose of playing a match against a team from the Korumburra Association.

Upon arrival, they were shown over the Korumburra Butter Factory. The team and officials were entertained at a luncheon, after which the match was played on the oval at the Show-ground. Croxton proved much the stronger side getting 16 hits to 5, and their collection plays on both sides were made during the afternoon.

The match between the strong Croxton A team and the improved Croxton B team caused much excitement, notwithstanding the difference in the scores. The great crowd of spectators was a result, many errors resulted. A batting rally by the B team in the third innings and two smashing home runs, one each by E. Winslow and W. Ward for the A team, in the fourth innings, were the bright features of the match.

On general play the A team were much the stronger, and ran out easy winners. Best Players—Croxton A: E. Winslow, W. Ward, H. Webster, F. Ward; Croxton B: W. Ryle, E. Webster, R. Miller, N. McPhee. Scores:—Croxton A: 42.5, 3.10-27. Croxton B: 10.4, 0.0-9-9. C. J. Owen umpired.

Protestant Churches' Association Football Kensington won the toss, and with the wind soon had a goal. Thornbury were on their mettle, and put up a great fight. The quarter ended 2-2. Thornbury was the upper hand during the second term and led by 4-1 at half time. Kensington fought hard in the third term, but their opponents kept back, and at the end of the fourth term, Thornbury was in a winning position. In the last period Thornbury took charge, and ran out easy winners. Final scores:—Thornbury 16-9; Kensington 6-7. Thornbury goal-kickers: Payne (5), Butler (3), E. Fenwick (2), Paterson (2). Kensington goal-kickers: Morrison, J. Hooper, Jobson, Paterson, K. Fenwick, Butler, Payne.

Organising for Peace

Cr Turner, speaking at the Northcoote Council meeting on Tuesday, said that in future war would not be fought as we knew it. It would probably be a holocaust, whereby whole countries would be wiped out by disease cultures and poisonous gases, and would not be ended unless the general body moved for peace, and there was throughout the world a movement to formulate a peace psychology.

These statements were made in supporting an application from the United Peace Council for the free use of the Northcoote Town Hall, to give publicity to the World Peace Congress, and to raise funds to send a delegate to Geneva.

The application will be considered by the Finance Committee.

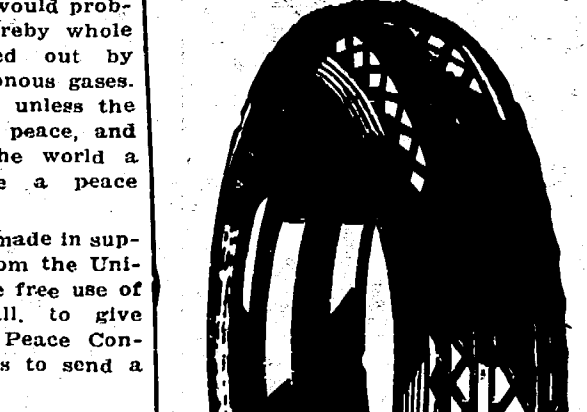
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Municipal Offices,
Northcote,
1/7/1936.

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Church Notices
HOLY TRINITY, THORNBURY
Shantagbury Pde. (off High St.)
"The Church with a Welcome"
July 5th—4th Sunday After Trinity
8 a.m.: Holy Communion (Corporate Young People)

Amusements and Meetings
OLD-TIME DANCE
CITY HALL, PRESTON
Stranger's Merry Old-Time Band.
MODERN DANCE
TOWN HALL, PRESTON

Merri Theatre
Attractions at the Merri Theatre
on Saturday are "Ceiling Zero" and
"King Solomon of Broadway," with
"Mickey's Garden," an all-color cartoon.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

FOR SALE
LODGES
PATRONISE THE OLD-TIME AND MODERN MERRI PULSARS ON THURSDAY, 11th, 8th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st.

PRESTON Branch
The Strongest League
W. Barrow, Secretary
Preston, JW234.

PRESTON SOUTH
No. 224 - John
Lester Branch,
Secretary, 39 Shakespeare
St.,
Preston, JW234.

Loyal Preston Lodge
No. 72 - Contributions
for this entitles you
to the Free and
Grand Funerals
of the Order.
Lodge Sec., 49 Renshaw
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Preston, JW234.

Prepared?
Accident comes to you
unexpected. Are you
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If not, let us help
you.
Join a Friendly
Society.
It is the I.O.R., which
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NEPITS AT LOWER
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Join the
Northcote Tent
No. 101
Be satisfied.
See secretary:
J. F. FINDLAY, J.P.
Normanby Avenue,
Thornbury, W.V.
Phone: JW118.

NOTICES
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Newly built houses
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W. E. F. K. S.
Street, Thornbury, N.16.

Hand Timber, Gal. Iron
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Perfect cut.
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Station Reserve, Spring
Street, Reservoir
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Men's All Wool Flannels 3/11

Mayoral Couple Entertain

TWELVE DEBUTANTES
Gay and Colorful Frocking

Northcote was en fete on Tuesday night when the mayor and mayoress (Cr. and Mrs. S. Dennis) entertained about 700 citizens at a Mayoral Ball in the Northcote Town Hall. Although the weather was cold and wet, it could not dampen the ardor of those who attended, and dancing was accompanied by an undercurrent of happy laughter and chatter.

Bright frocking matched the colorful decorations of the hall and twelve young ladies made their debut. Attractively set was the ballroom with gold and tango shades. From the balconettes trailed streamers of ferns with orange calendulas entwined. The carpeted stage was backed with a bank of palms and ferns, with here and there a bowl of gay flowers, and along the front were grouped ferns and heather blooms in profusion. Colored lights brought out the rich tints of the walls, and picked out the flower-covered banisters which edged the shallow carpeted stairs leading to the stage, where the visiting



CR. S. DENNIS
Mayor of Northcote.

ing mayoral parties were received and seated. In the lobby, warmth and comfort were introduced by electric radiators and chairs; white Kentia palms, ferns and shaded lights added a subdued effect.

THE OFFICIAL ENTRY

Headed by the town clerk of Northcote (Mr. J. A. Thomson), the official party made its entry about 8.30. The Mayor and Mayoress were followed by Mr and Mrs Les Dennis and Master Clive Dennis, Miss Irene Dennis, and visiting metropolitan mayors and mayoresses, town clerks and their wives, and councillors and their wives.

At the foot of the steps leading to the stage they were received by Cr and Mrs Dennis and then mounted to the stage. The party included Hon F. Brennan, M.H.R., & Mrs Brennan, Hon J. Cain, M.L.A., and Mrs Cain, Mayoress of Box Hill, Brunswick, Brighton, Camberwell, Chelsea, Coburg, Collingwood, Essendon, Fitzroy, Footscray, Heidelberg, Kew, Malvern, Moorabbin, Preston, St. Kilda, Vers. Moorabbin, Mayor of Hawthorn, Williamstown, Mayor of Hawthorn, town clerk of Box Hill and Mrs H. J. R. Cole, town clerk of Brighton and Mrs J. H. Taylor, town clerk of Brunswick and Mrs R. A. McGregor Dawson, town clerk of Camberwell, town clerk of Collingwood and Mrs N. Graham, town clerk of Essendon and Mrs N. F. Wellington, town clerk of Fitzroy and Mrs G. H. Honeycombe, town clerk of Footscray and

waltzes all found a place on the programme; and encores were vociferously demanded and readily acceded by these excellent artists, who seemed to enjoy the function as much as the dancers.

THE OFFICIAL SUPPER

The official supper was held in the small town hall, where a large number of visiting mayors, parliamentary representatives, town clerks, councillors and their respective wives was accommodated. After the loyal toast had been honored at the instance of the mayor, Cr. J. H. Green proposed the toast of the Mayor and Mayoress. In giving the toast, he said that the Dennis family had given splendid service, and the history of the family was indelibly woven into the history and progress of the city. The present mayor was elected to the council in 1909, and by his services had been one of the most outstanding men in the city. Except for a short period when he had entered politics, his services had been given in an honorary capacity. He had been three times mayor, and for many years had been the council's representative on the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works, and in the latter sphere he had been instrumental in obtain-

ing for his city many advantages. Outstanding among these was the beautification of St. George's Road, which would ever stand as a monument to him. The mayoress was a worthy help-mate to the mayor, and in her sphere, too, she had given a vast amount of public service. There was hardly an auxiliary with which she was not associated in some way, and it was mainly through her efforts that a new building was now being erected for the Northcote Creche—which institution had been founded largely through her guidance. She had taken a keen interest in the Baby Health Centre, and her lead in this direction had been largely responsible for inducing the mothers to make use of this service. The toast was acclaimed with musical honors.

ENTRY OF DEBUTANTES

Twelve debutantes then made their entry. They were frocked alike in dainty gowns of chalk-white tulle, with the simple bodice being allied to a pointed bias hip-land which fitted snugly, and the skirt fell softly to the floor. Quaint bishop sleeves were shired at the neckline to make a coupe effect. A rope of pearls was fastened halo fashion in the hair, and each carried an 1830 posy of bluish pink carnations, violets and forget-me-nots tied with long streamers of mauve, blue and pink in pastel shades.

Moving into their positions, the debutantes and their partners danced through a graceful minuet, bowed to the mayoress and concluded with a Purna waltz. They were trained by Miss Eileen Pascoe-Webb, whose ability is well known.

The debutantes, Misses Violet Armstrong, Gladys Armstrong, Eileen Dennis, Betty Hines, Lynella Holroyd, Yvonne Keech, Misses Kruger, Joyce Losevitz, Louie Matthews, Alma McLaughlin, Jean Thomson and Thelma Gibaud were partnered by Messrs Frank Mariner, Arthur Keech, Clarence Keech, Jack Kelly, Noel Hawthorn, John Holroyd, Dennis McLeod, Ray Hynes, Alan Thomson, Basil Sims, Melford Roberts and Jack Duthie.

Then the guests joined in and the evening's enjoyment had begun.

HAPPY MUSIC

Litling music was dispensed from the balcony by an orchestra from the Royal Victorian Institute of the Blind, and right jolly and merry it proved. Swinging waltzes, rollicking and dreamy modern-time dances, valettas, barri dances and Parna

GAY FROCKING

Rich and colorful were the gowns worn by the fairer sex, and most attractive they looked in the bright ballroom. All shades and materials were favored, and many metal woven fabrics were noticed. Shoulder details were in evidence, some lined with a contrasting color which proved quite effective. Chiffons, laces, metal-asse, rich ring veils, taffetas, delustrated crepes and shimmering satins all found a place and added to the brilliancy.

The various tones of purple, from deep prune to the palest orchid mauve were favorites, and numerous bright floral materials, filmy or heavier were seen.

Mrs S. Dennis selected a handsome gown of burgundy moire velvet cut on simple lines with a soft cowl neckline. Scarf draperies from the shoulders and skirts extended into a long train, and in her bouquet were grouped pink Christmas roses.

Assisting her was Mrs Les Dennis and her frock of old rose satin had shoulder sleeves lined with lavender. Powder blue metrisse woven with silver threads fashioned the charming frock favored by Miss Irene Dennis. Features were the large padded collar and padded belt stitched into a pattern.

Mrs J. A. Thomson (wife of the town clerk) wore a rich black ring velvet gown; the silk back showing a lining of justous pink satin. Mrs H. C. Ferguson was frocked in flush pink pebble metrisse introducing a silver weave.

THE CATERING

Under the able direction of Mr and Mrs Olorenshaw, of Normanby Hall, Thornbury, supper was beautifully laid out in the supper-room, lodge hall and committee room. Each room was decked with ferns and flowers, and the table decorations, stately tango Iceland poppies in tall silver vases looked down haughtily on a dainty and tempting array of good things set on snow-white cloths amid gleaming silver and glass-ware. Attentive waitresses smilingly complied with the guests' wants, as without undue waiting, appetizing courses followed course. Mr and Mrs Olorenshaw are to be congratulated upon the excellent manner in which the supper was served.

At midnight a buffet was opened, and after a rather strenuous set of Alberta, the guests were glad to avail themselves of this welcome item on the programme.

Excellent Arrangements

The lighting effects were carried out by the electrical engineer, Mr T. W. Hawthorn, and his staff, who achieved a result both attractive and flattering. Arrangements for the ball were made by the town clerk, Mr J. A. Thomson, assisted by Mr H. C. Ferguson and the town hall staff, and the success and smoothness with which the evening passed are attributable to the completeness of the organization.

THE DRESSES

Mrs Frank Brennan, prune metrisse, train to dress, ermine cape; Mrs J. Cain, pink shot taffetas with blue lining the shoulder sashes; Mrs J. T. Mahoney (Mayoress of Box Hill), orchid mauve lace, white fur coat; Mrs H. J. R. Cole (Box Hill), floral silk crepe satin; Mrs Grant (Mayoress of Brighton), white satin with black velvet coat; Mrs J. H. Taylor (Brighton), brown lace and matching coat; Mrs Hayter (Brighton), black lace over silver lame; Mayoress of Brunswick, white floral tulle; Mrs R. A. McGregor Dawson (Brunswick), black velvet, matching coat; Mrs Dimmack (Mayoress of Camberwell), black lace with velvet coat; Miss Atchison (Camberwell), red velvet and orange gold trimmings; Mrs Park (Mayoress of Essendon).

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Australian Made Steam Irons

Steam-irons which have been a boon in the clothing industry, are being constructed at the Abbotsford factory of Mr. A. E. Painter, of Joffre street, Preston. This gentleman is a former chairman of the Tyler Street State School Committee, and was the first president of the Regent Central Progress Association. The old, laborious heat-wasting type of flat-iron, as well as the gas iron and the electric iron, are rapidly being superseded by the steam-iron, the most clothing factories. An advantage of these irons is that only initial, negligible cost is incurred. They are simple to operate and are designed especially to lay down the seams in finished articles and to allow for the correct setting in places where material is turned or rolled. More important still, the steam-iron damps the fabric as it presses. By utilizing steam pressure and the right type of iron, the article is ready to be worn a few seconds after the pressing has been completed. It does not have to be hung up to dry. A safety clip renders these irons absolutely foolproof.

The firm of A. E. Painter has developed two standardised sizes of irons, finished in chromium-plated metal. Clothing factories have declared them to be an acquisition definitely measurable in reduced costs. It was demonstrated that these irons maintained an even heat, that it was impossible to scorch a garment even if the iron be left resting on the material. In Victoria it is said that they supply efficient service in almost every clothing factory and it is expected that their use will soon spread throughout Australia.

The engineering enterprise of A. E. Painter has won due recognition for quality, workmanship and satisfactory service. In making these irons locally it is felt that a real contribution is being made to assist the efficiency and reduce the manufacturing costs of an important industry.

SCHOOL REUNION

George Street State School No. 454 held their first re-union of old scholars last month and the event proved a great success, many old scholars meeting for the first time in 30 to 40 years. The function was carried out in the "old school" fashion.

Many scholars have reached the top of ladder and many of these are Sir Macpherson Robertson, Sir J. Latham, Sir Robert Best, Doctors Black, Box, Crollin, Pollack, and many others. Mr Sivan, of Fitzroy started school in George street 1863 and is still going strong. A lot of scholars attended the re-union that were at school in 1868-70. An Old Scholars and Teachers Association with a strong committee has been formed. The secretary (Mr Chas Threlford) 39 Hastings street, Northcote, telephone JW3841 would like to hear the names and addresses of any old scholars or teachers who have not heard from him.

PRESTON COURT

WEDNESDAY, JULY 8
Before Messrs T. J. McMahon, A. E. Newton, E. G. Sutton, and G. Lewis, J'ss.

Lightless Bicycle
Charged with having ridden a bicycle without a light at 8.30 p.m. on May 21 in High street, Preston, Douglas Carlon, Plenty road, Mont Park was fined £1. Defendant said he wished to go and see his sick wife.

Mr McMahon, J.P.: Bicycles without lights are an absolute menace on the road.



# Activities at Preston

**THAT** at a recent social evening a number of ladies were congregated in a room, when a mere male peered his head in the door to ask, "Have you ever heard this one?"

**THAT** the Preston branch of the State Savings Bank is receiving on early spring clean-up.

**THAT** there is a likelihood of a new social club being formed in Preston. That Sergeant Lang has been honored by the "Order of Coppers," and now holds a certificate to that effect.

**THAT** a Preston state school headmaster recently held an examination. That the said headmaster says that the pupils—boys and girls alike—fell for two words in particular.

**THAT** the words were "accommodation" and "abattoirs."

**THAT** it is likely next time he will try "corrobores."

**THAT** the Ladies' Benevolent Society. The next meeting will be held in the Lounge at the Preston City Hall, on Tuesday, July 14, at 3 p.m. Ladies cordially invited to attend.

**THAT** a recommendation to carry out the work of rounding off streets near the Methodist church.

**THAT** the Fire Brigade was called out twice between Friday and Sunday, and in each case the call was false. On Sunday morning a fire at a house in Barry street was extinguished. The verandah at the rear was damaged.

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## PRESTON TELEPHONE EXCHANGE

**Start on Building**

An agitation which has been in progress for many years has at last borne fruit in view of the fact that a start has been made on the erection of a new telephone exchange for Preston.

The site is near the corner of High and Wood streets, and a tender has been let for £2,087 to R. L. Garrett, or West Brunswick, for the building, which is to be completed by September 14.

It is estimated that the installation of the equipment will take about 12 months.

So, by September next year, Preston should have its own telephone exchange, with a consequent reduction in the ground rent of Preston users of telephones.

## PRESTON HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

**ANNUAL MEETING**

The annual meeting was held in the Library Hall, on Thursday, June 25. The attendance, which was good, was presided over by Mr. Heather, senior vice-president. The treasurer's report disclosed a small credit.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year—President, Mr. H. P. Zwar, M.L.A.; vice-presidents, Messrs Heather, Ralton, Todd, and S. J. Brown; treasurer, Mr. J. J. Harry; auditors, Messrs Burns and Smith; committee, Messrs Harris, Harrison, Thomas, Jobe and Binns; assistant secretary and press correspondent, Mr. B. E. O'Connor; secretary, Mr. E. Warner, 117 Plinders street, Thornbury, N.17.

With practical demonstrations and the aid of a blackboard, an interesting and instructive address on the planting and pruning of roses was given by Mr. J. W. Firth, at the close of which numerous questions were asked, and were answered by the speaker.

As a token of appreciation of his services during the past year, the secretary was presented with a handsome smoker's companion by the chairman, Mr. Warren suitably responded.

Points for the monthly competition were as follows—Bunch of mixed roses (open), Mrs Firth; bunch of cut flowers (novice), Mrs McWhirter; two arranged vases of flowers (open), Mrs Firth; two arranged vases of flowers (novice), Mrs Payne; collection of fruit and vegetables, Mrs Firth.

Mr. Stirling and Son, the well-known nurseryman, will be the speaker at the next meeting to be held on July 23, and all district garden and flower lovers are cordially invited to attend.

## 60 M.P.H. CHASE

**Patrol Pursues Motor Cycle**

**"NEVER HEARD WORSE CASE"** SAYS P.C.

An amazing account of the pursuit of a motor cycle at a speed of over sixty miles an hour along High street, Preston and Northcote, and Darabin street, Northcote, was related by Constable Reid of the Motor Cycle Patrol, at Preston Court on July 1.

The driver was eventually found hiding in a lane at the top of Darabin street. He was Ronald Kelly, of Collins street, Northcote. The P.M. said it was the worst case of this kind he had ever heard.

Traffic Constable Reid said: At 10.35 a.m. on April 5, he heard a motor cycle making an offensive noise and followed it. There was a passenger on the pillion of the motor cycle, and after he looked back the driver accelerated to a speed of 60 m.p.h. He crossed Dundas street at 50 to 55 m.p.h., through High street, Thornbury, the speed increased to 68 to 70 m.p.h., and defendant turned into Darabin street and continued at a speed of 70. At Victoria road, which was crossed at the same speed, defendant nearly collided with a motor car, missing it by about a yard. The cycle continued at 70 m.p.h. and narrowly missed striking people at the corner at the top of Darabin street. In a narrow lane I found defendant hiding. When asked why he had tried to evade us, Kelly said, "It is a recognised thing among the boys that the police motor cycles are slow and it is easy to get away from them."

The defendant denied that he had said this to the police, but admitted that he had travelled at 60 m.p.h. On the charge of having driven at a speed dangerous to the public, Kelly was fined £5, and another £5 for having ridden a motor cycle which was not fitted with a silencer. His license was cancelled for six months.

## NORTHCOLE MAN ABSCONDS FROM BAIL

At the City Court last Thursday, Albert George Mendola, laborer, of Westgarth street, Northcote, failed to appear on two charges of larceny and unlawful possession. His brother, Eugene Mendola, had provided the surety of £50 bail, which was ordered to be forfeited, and a warrant was issued for Albert Mendola's arrest.

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## NORTHCOLE COURT

FRIDAY JULY 10. STREET BETTING CHARGE. 220 FINE.

Before Mr. R. H. Beers, P.M., and Messrs J. Hartnett and H. F. Tulloch, J.P.

**Petrol Shortage Blamed for Lightless Lamp**

The novel excuse that he had run out of petrol and by the time he had obtained it night had fallen was supplied by Leslie Fellows, Hodgkinson street, Clifton Hill, to a charge of having driven a motor car without a lighted rear-lamp. Constable Parker said that he stopped defendant in Arthurthor road, Northcote, at 8.6 p.m. on May 26. The lamp was broken. The defendant said that the lamp was broken the previous day.

**Maintenance Claim**

By consent, an order was made against Frederick Wiltshire, Smith street, Collingwood, in favor of his wife, Christine Wiltshire, Barry street, Northcote, for £2/10/ a week maintenance.

**Lorry Lacking Lights**

For having driven a horse-drawn lorry without lights in Arthurthor road, Northcote, at 6.5 p.m. on May 26, John William Dally, Clarke street, Northcote, was fined £1.

**Sub-Agents License**

Ronald Arthur Tollett, Mitchell street, Northcote, was granted a sub-agent's license.

**No Lamp Attached to Bicycle**

A fine of £1 was imposed on James William Anderson, Oakover road, Preston, who was charged with having ridden a bicycle without a light on June 26.

**Maintenance Arrears**

Ada Josephine Hamilton, Tynan street, West Preston, sued her husband, James Patrick Hamilton, Nell street, Carlton, for £10 arrears of maintenance, from May 13 to June 16 of this year. The order, made in March, 1930, was for £2 a week maintenance in respect of four children. Defendant said that he had been employed for twelve months as a motor driver and earned £12 a week. He admitted that he could pay 10/ a week more than he had been paying. He had been paying 11/5 a week off the arrears and nothing on the current maintenance.

**Failed to Pay Fine**

Fined £2 recently for having used a wireless set without a license, Marjorie Fowler, Charles street, Northcote, failed to pay the fine. In default of payment, she was ordered to be imprisoned for seven days.

**Tuesday, July 7**

Before Mr. H. L. Jackson, P.M., and Messrs J. Hartnett, H. F. Tulloch, and P. J. Moran, and Mrs M. A. Buckingham, J.P.

Although she asserted that she had not realised she was in a first-class carriage, Kathleen Connamont on May 11/10/ with 7/6 costs, on a charge of having travelled in a first-class railway carriage on a second-class ticket.

**Tail-Light On**

Charged with having driven a motor car on April 24 at 9.20 p.m. without a lighted rear-lamp, Leonard Corcoran, Foster avenue, Ivanhoe, was fined £1.

**Headlight Without Lights**

Chas. Edwin Newbigin, Gooch street, Thornbury, was fined £1 for having ridden a bicycle on June 5, at 8.45 p.m., without lights.

**Northcote Revision Court**

An open court to revise the Northcote municipal rolls will be held on Tuesday, July 21, at 10 a.m. at the Northcote Town Hall.

## Dispute Over House Building

**Claim for Damages Succeeds**

At the Northcote Court on Tuesday Michael Fitzgerald, Saunders street, Coburg, claimed £50 damages from Edward Andrew Bamber, High street, Thornbury, in respect to a weatherboard dwelling erected by Bamber for Fitzgerald in March, 1935.

The complainant alleged that Bamber had broken a written contract in that the floors had been negligently laid, and inferior materials had been used for the floors and two doors, so that they had warped and shrunk. Instead of using hardwood, the material used was sime pine for the floorboards and it had subsequently cracked. Daylight could be seen at least in twelve places in the doors, it was alleged. Complainant claimed the cost of removing the present floors and putting in new flooring.

Defendant admitted that sime pine had been used. It was not as satisfactory a job as he could have wished. Damages at £30 were awarded to the complainant, with 19 costs.

**WAS FACTORY OPEN ON ANZAC DAY?**

**A Neighbor's Evidence**

**CASE DISMISSED**

Despite evidence by the next-door neighbor that she saw a factory working on Anzac Day in Bell street, Preston, the owner of the factory, Mrs Isabella Herring, who was charged with having kept her factory open on Anzac Day, asserted that it was closed.

Mrs Euphemia Lawlor, Bell street, Preston, said: I live next to the factory owned by Mrs Herring, on Anzac Day, from 2.15 to 2.30 p.m. I afterwards heard the noise of a motor that drives a circular saw, and saw a man working at the saw cutting wood. At 4.30 I heard a car drive up, and the driver of it and the man in the yard were unloading wood to a truck. My husband returned from the march and took the address on the truck. The gate was not closed.

Cross-examined: Your feelings were very outraged?—Well, I consider it the most sacred day in Australian history. I was disgusted and wrote to the authorities.

You would be pleased to get rid of the factory?—Yes, it affects my health.

The defendant, Isabella Herring, Bell street, Preston, said: The wood-yard was closed except when my grandson went out on his motor cycle. No truck came in on Anzac Day afternoon. I never saw or heard of any truck.

Cross-examined: You have had a lot of trouble with Mrs Lawlor?—Yes, she is always complaining against me. I don't intend to do this.

Frederick A. Herring, Bell street, Preston, the defendant's grandson, said: I am the only employee in my grandfather's wood-yard. No truck came in or out on Anzac Day afternoon. I left the yard on my motor-cycle at 3.30 p.m. and opened and shut the gates. There was no sawing or ards, in the yard that afternoon.

Mrs May Black, Bell street, Preston, and Mrs Margaret Ellis, neighbors, corroborated this evidence. The case was dismissed.

**PRESTON COURT**

WEDNESDAY, JULY 1

**No Lighted Lamp on Jinker**

For having driven a horse and jinker without a lamp along High street, Reservoir, on May 27, Garnet Eagles, of Thomastown, was fined £3.

**Three Bicycles Without Lights**

Murray Bruton, Leamington street, Reservoir; Leonard Wilsher, Delaware street, Reservoir, and Thos. Callaghan, Berry street, Reservoir, were fined £1 for having ridden lightless bicycles along High street, Reservoir. Unlicensed and Drove Nolsy Vehicle

Evidence was given by Constable Ballard that he heard a motor cycle on Cheddar road, Reservoir, on May 23, making a loud, offensive noise. It was half a mile away and emitting clouds of smoke. He stopped the driver, B. Lucas, Pearson street, Balmssdale, and found that the exhaust pipe was a straight pipe. Lucas was not licensed.

For the noise Lucas was fined £4, and on the second charge, £1.

## 3AW COMMUNITY SINGING

The delightful humor of "Nicky" and "Tuppy" and the presence of talented artists, who included Mr. Ivan Mendles, combined to brand 3AW's opening community singing broadcast at the King's Theatre on Monday an amazing success. A crowd of 1,500 people packed the theatre, and there was prolonged cheering when it was announced that the two-hour session would be extended by half an hour. Principal interest centred in the appearance of Ivan Mendles, and the famous Gilbert and Sullivan star sang two numbers. William Thomas, a boy soprano made a 200-mile journey from Albury (N.S.W.) to attend the session. He sang "Home on the Range" with a voice which revealed great promise. Another interesting newcomer was Guy Berthou, the French junior eyeing champion, who had arrived by the P. & O. liner Maloja only two hours previously. Through an interpreter Berthou gave a brief address. The session will be conducted every Monday from 12 o'clock till two, and will be broadcast from the station at 6 o'clock and two. By arrangement with J. C. Williamson Ltd., leading Australian and overseas artists will appear each week.

**PRESTON RESIDENT KILLED**

Whilst walking in Bell street, Preston, last Sunday, Mr. Walter T. Smith, 51 years of age, of Leicester street, Preston, received fatal injuries when he was struck by a motor-car. Mr. Smith was formerly employed on the outdoor staff of the Preston Council, and was an old and respected member of the Druidical Order.

**Mrs G. FALDON**

The death occurred on Friday last, at the Eye and Ear Hospital, of Mrs. Falton, wife of Mr. George Falton, of Reno street, East Preston, at the age of 26. The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon, the place of interment being the Preston Cemetery. The pall-bearers were Messrs Lancaster, Winter, Fraser, Gilbert, Storey, and Madden. The Municipal Employees' Union was represented by their vice-president (Mr. A. Madden). Many beautiful wreaths were received, including one from the Preston City Council employees. The service at the graveside was conducted by Rev. A. M. Capper. Deceased leaves a family of three young children.

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PERSONAL

At the recent examinations of the London College of Music held last month, Miss Betty Mitchell, of 36 Bayliss street, West Preston, obtained the Diploma of L.A.M. Bettey who is only 14 years of age, also holds the A.L.C.M. Diploma.

Mrs Macindoe, of Auckland, New Zealand, after spending a few weeks in Sydney, is visiting Mrs J. W. French, Mitchell street, Northcote. Mr Sidney Montague Deacon, Keir-dall street, Preston, died last Friday from heart trouble, at the age of 59. He was the husband of Mrs Jessie Deacon and the father of twin boys, Rev. F. S. Woods, of the South Preston Methodist Church, read the service at the graveside in Kew Cemetery on Saturday.

The funeral of Mrs. M. Morris, E. Pascoe, B. Mithen, and C. Harrod. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Mr Ern Jensen.

At the age of 88 years, Mrs Annie McGeorge, widow of the late Mr William McGeorge, two well known and respected residents of Northcote, passed away last Monday, the remains being interred by Mr Ern Jensen in the local cemetery on the following day. Rev T. V. Charlton, Presbyterian clergyman at Campbellfield, conducted the burial service. A family of two sons and four daughters remain.

Mr Wingfield, postmaster at Preston, leaves on Monday for an annual holiday extending over two weeks.

Mr H. H. Olney, M.L.C., and his wife are expected to return this week after a trip to China and Japan.

A sudden death took place last Monday afternoon at Wilcox street, Preston, when Mrs Annie Ivy Monson passed away suddenly at the age of 72. The interment took place in Preston Cemetery on Tuesday. Pastor Young, of the Church of Christ, officiated at the graveside. Mrs Monson was the wife of Mr Stan Monson and a family of three young children is left. A ten-day-old baby died on June 13. The funeral arrangements were in the hands of Mr Ern Jensen.

Mr H. C. Mohr, formerly clerk of courts at Bendigo, who was recently appointed Police Magistrate at Wangaratta, has now been appointed to the English circuit. Mr Mohr is a brother of Mr H. Mohr, Police Magistrate for St. Kilda district, and son of Mr and Mrs H. Mohr, of Darabin street, Northcote, who have resided there for 28 years.

Mr Archie Shaw, Jcm., of Hotham street, Preston, was recently married in Brisbane. His mother and sister went to Brisbane for the wedding.

Thorbury Younger Set The next meeting of the Thorbury Younger Set will be held at the residence of the secretary, Mr Lionel Le Plaster, 13 Gillies street, Fitzroy, on Tuesday, 14th inst. Members are requested to attend, and new members will be welcomed.

Tickets for the snow excursion are now available and can be obtained from the secretary.

SOCIAL NOTES...

Thanks Mr Pugh, of Thornbury, wishes to thank all those (including Thorbury Red Cross Auxiliary members and Rev W. H. Chamberlain), who assisted to make such a success of her birthday party at the Dispensary, Hill on Thursday, July 2.

Birthday Party At the Dispensary, Hill, Thornbury, July 2, Mrs J. Pugh, of Thornbury, was celebrated the expenses of a party to celebrate her eightieth birthday. Three hundred attended and made the night one to be remembered. Over £20 was raised, and this has been handed to the Thornbury Red Cross Auxiliary for the Queen Victoria Hospital. A happy evening was spent by 200 in dancing and prizes were awarded to Mrs Losewitz and Mr McDougall (first, eucyre) and Mrs Freeman and F. Rich consolation. The Monte Carlo prizes were given by Mesdames, and Mrs Huthven. A handsome nightdress, made and worked by Mrs Pugh, went to Mrs Fry.

After supper, Cr M. C. Jones congratulated Mrs Pugh on the success of the evening and wished her "Many Happy Returns," which was musically honored. He commended her for her interest in the "Thorbury Red Cross" and the Queen Victoria Hospital, and expressed the thanks of the auxiliary to Mrs Pugh for arranging the evening.

Representatives of the hospital present were Mesdames Sullivan, Packer, and Fawcett, and Mrs Hutchinson, and Mr Jones' remarks, adding the thanks of the hospital. Mrs Kirton (president) handed a pair of slippers to Mrs Pugh as a small token from the auxiliary, and said her untiring and energetic work was a shining example to members.

The guest of honor lit the candles on an attractive birthday cake, which was then sold to swell the funds. Rev Chamberlain responded on behalf of Mrs Pugh, and thanked the members for helping to make the evening such a success. Mrs Pugh was glad to be able to assist the auxiliary and know she was at the same time helping a good cause. She hoped to be able to do the same next year, and was delighted to see so many friends present.

Among the gathering were Cr and Mrs M. C. Jones, Cr and Mrs Burnham, Cr J. O. Hughes and Mrs Glanville. A letter of apology was respectfully presented, regretting his inability to attend, and enclosing a donation from the mayors and himself. Mrs Pugh selected a rich black georgette gown with black lace panels for her frocking, and carried a bouquet of pink carnations, lupins, pansies and heather and a posy of golden roses and violets, both gifts. About midnight the evening drew to a conclusion, and all departed to their homes most enjoyable.

Jolly Evening at Preston About 55 attended a jolly evening arranged by Mr and Mrs F. Bird, at their home, "Elouera," Craney street, Preston, on Monday. A happy night was spent under the guidance of Mr Noel Parker, M.C., and items vocal, oleography and musical, and games and dancing made the time pass all too quickly. Opportunity was taken of the occasion to wish Sergeant H. Lang, "Many Happy Returns," and Mr Bird, on behalf of the assemblage made no less than three presentations to him, the first being a "framed" certificate from the Association of Coppens, signed by "Two-pence" as president, and "One-pence" as secretary. The second presentation took the form of a handsome smoker's stand made from mulga-wood, and the third gift was

a birthday cake, iced and bearing the requisite number of candles. Sergeant Lang, taken aback by the happy remarks which accompanied the presentation, soon recovered his "aplomb" and made a suitable response. The proceeds of the evening amounting to about £275, will be sent to the "Red Cross" for the rebuilding of the South Street Auditorium, which was recently destroyed by fire. The thanks of the company to Mr and Mrs Bird were voiced by Mr A. E. Newton and Mr W. H. Webster, Preston Younger Set.

At the meeting on July 1, the president (Mr Ken Warren) occupied the chair and there was a large attendance. A theatre party has been arranged, also a dance party will be held at Ormond Hall the proceeds being for the Blind. New members will be welcomed, and Miss McIntosh 11 Reidford avenue, West Preston, will give any information.

Musical Afternoon On Wednesday night, July 1, a delightful musical afternoon, in aid of the St. George's College Kindergarten, was held at the attractively decorated Northcote Presbyterian Hall, and Rev A. T. Jones presided.

Produced from Tatura and Berwick was sold, and over £14 was the result from this function. An excellent programme was provided by Miss Freda Northcote and Miss Lily Wallace (vocalists) and Mrs Gunn (electronicist).

St. Vincent's Hospital Auxiliary Next card afternoon will be held at the Town Hall, Northcote, on Thursday, July 16, at 2.30 p.m. Hostesses are the president (Mrs P. O'Keefe), hon. secretary (Mrs M. Kenny), and ticket secretary (Mrs E. J. McCristal).

PRESTON MUNICIPAL ELECTION

EAST WARD—MR T. ANDREWS A largely attended meeting of friends and supporters of Mr T. Andrews was held in the Orient Hall, David street, on Wednesday of last week. As a result a strong committee of the A.N.A. and a representative of Essex Ward interests has been established to ensure his election on August 27. Mr O'Meara eulogised Mr Andrews as a debater and fighter. He pointed out that Mr Andrews had been an A Grade debater for the past five years, is an interstate representative in the "Age" and "Leader" Shield Competition, a member of the Metropolitan Committee of the A.N.A. and a member of the Model Parliament. He has represented Victoria in interstate contests and is a member of the team which holds the Australian championship. Mr O'Meara referred to the fact that Mr Andrews has had practical experience in vital municipal affairs. His influence and ability have for years been used in the interests of the people of Preston. He is a member of the East Ward ratepayers to apply his abilities in a more practical form. Enthusiastic participants asked for his election to the council. Mr Andrews' election has been formed. The next meeting of the committee and friends and supporters has been summoned for Thursday evening next in the Orient Hall, David street.

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Negligent Driving Alleged

£35 DAMAGES OBTAINED

An accident at the corner of St. George's road and Woolton avenue, Northcote, on November 28 of last year had a sequel at the Northcote Court last Friday. A sedan car driven by Frederick W. Lenne, High street, Kew, collided with a sports car in which Ethel Mary Eller, Alexander street, Greensborough, was passenger. The small car overturned and Miss Eller was thrown out. She claimed £50 damages for injuries received and loss of earnings caused, she alleged, by the negligent driving of Lenne.

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Churches

Holy Trinity, Thornbury

Attendances were affected adversely by the inclement weather last Sunday. The 8 a.m. celebration was a Young People's Corporate. All services were conducted by the vicar. He preached a trenchant sermon on "The Fact of Christ" at matins. His evening sermon was "Opportunity and How Men Meet It." Last Thursday night at a special service, the Rev Oliver J. Brady gave an address to a congregation which consisted exclusively of communicants. The service was conducted by the Guild of the Good Shepherd. The Boys' Club is holding a dance at an early date to augment its finances, and the G.P.S. has arranged several novel events, chief of which is a month's recitals to be held at the end of this month. A class for the purpose of training teachers is held every Monday night under the auspices of the Sunday School Association.

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Football

FLOUNDERING IN THE MUD  
PRESTON DEFEAT NORTHCOTE

SOCCER TACTICS ADOPTED

Preston defeated Northcote at Westgarth last Saturday in the return match of the home and home contests. The ground was nothing short of a quagmire. Preston's smaller side adapted itself more successfully to the conditions, splashing through the mud to victory by eighteen points.

It was unfortunate that bitter wintry conditions prevailed last Saturday when Preston met Northcote in the return game of the home and home matches. The meeting of these teams always creates considerable local interest and consequently draws a large crowd. Only exceptionally keen supporters ventured out last Saturday to see a game which was devoid of interest from the viewpoint of good football. Scientific play was out of the question, the players being compelled to adopt soccer tactics.

Best Players

Preston was a very even side, with Harding (follower and forward pocket) and Cooper (relief follower and half-forward) standing out for hard work and effective handling of the wet ball. Hyde (full-back), O'Connor (centre), Clark (wing), Murray (forward pocket and following), Fisher (full-forward), and Hughson (centre half-forward) were the best of the others.

Holden (full-back), Ackland (back pocket), and Bates (centre half-back) were conspicuous in defence for Northcote. R. Ross (rover) showed great dash in conditions which did not suit the bigger men. Garret (wing) was often seen to advantage and Hart played an excellent game in the centre. Len Smith, at centre half-forward, was one of the best men on the ground. Simmonds and Gray were the best of the others.

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The Play

Kicking towards the grandstand goal in the first quarter, Preston had more of the play than the home side, being three points ahead at quarter time. Quarter time scores: Preston—5 behinds (5 pts.); Northcote—2 behinds (2 pts.). It was impossible to handle the ball, many amusing incidents intervening which entertained those who were sufficiently venturesome to leave the elements.

Hart, Northcote's centre player, was temporarily incapacitated by a kick in the face.

Preston had mustered a substantial lead, but it was reduced to 15 points at half time when Downie marked in front to goal as the bell rang. Half time scores: Preston—4-8 (32 pts.); Northcote—2-5 (17 pts.).

The home side attacked strongly in the third quarter, and Williamson snatched a goal from a scrimmage.

Continuing on the offensive, Ross, Gray and Seymour, always a dangerous combination, figured in one of the few flashes of brilliant play seen during the day.

Simmonds was awarded a free-kick in front, and for the second time Northcote scored a goal after the bell. At the last change Preston had a handy lead of nine points. Three-quarter time scores: Preston—5-10 (40 pts.); Northcote—3-7 (31 pts.).

Attacking immediately on resumption, Northcote quickly reduced the lead to three points when Simmonds scored his third goal for the match.

The game then hung in the balance until within less than ten minutes to play, when Fisher scored for Preston. Preston launched a further offensive, and when Hughson kicked another goal it placed the result beyond doubt. Final scores: Preston—7-14 (56 pts.); Northcote—5-8 (38 pts.).

Goal Kickers

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V.F.A. Seconds

The state of grounds, some of which were practically under water, made good football out of the question. Coburg, by defeating Brunswick, now lead the premiership list. Northcote and Williamstown did not have full games.

Northcote Overwhelmed

The match at the Preston ground between Northcote and Preston was almost a massacre. Northcote were considerably weakened by the absence of leading players, and consequently Preston ran out easy winners. The final score was: Northcote—2/2 (14 pts.); Preston—16 (70 pts.).

UNITED CHURCHES' ASSOCIATION

Owing to state of grounds no matches were played last Saturday, and the round will be played at the end of the season.

Although the first three teams—Parkside, St. Mark's and John Vale are assured of places in the final four, the fourth position will remain in doubt until the end of the season. The most improved team, Prince of Wales Park, are keen contestants for the position. Len Smith, at centre half-forward, was one of the best men on the ground. Simmonds and Gray were the best of the others.

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Danny Warr's Record

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Last Saturday's Results

Preston 7-14 (56), d. Northcote, 5-8 (38). Brunswick, 11-11 (77), d. Coburg, 7-12 (54). Prahran, 20-17 (137), d. Port Melbourne, 5-3 (33). Brighton, 14-24 (110), d. Sandringham, 12-8 (60). Williamstown, 7-14 (56), d. Yarraville, 4-16 (40). Oakleigh, 15-9 (99), d. Camberwell, 13-10 (84).

Attendances and Receipts

Coburg v Brunswick (4,000), £83. Northcote v Preston (1,500), £15; Brighton v Sandringham (1,100), £12; Oakleigh v Camberwell (750), £12; Williamstown v Yarraville (1,200), £7; Port Melbourne v Prahran (800), £7; total (9,050), £136.

Premiership List

Club	P	W	L	Pts.	Pts.
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Prahran	12	9	3	129	36
Camberwell	12	9	3	117	32
Brighton	12	8	4	104	28
Coburg	12	7	5	121	28
Northcote	12	6	6	112	24
Preston	12	6	6	104	24
Williamstown	12	5	7	65	20
Yarraville	12	4	8	96	16
Sandringham	12	3	9	76	12
Oakleigh	12	2	10	76	8
Port Melb.	12	1	11	68	4

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LACROSSE

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Matches for Saturday

D Section play Teachers' College at Preston. E Section play Essendon at Essendon. Players catch bus, Ball and High streets at 1.30, transferring to Essendon bus at Sydney road, Coburg.

GOLF

IVANHOE CLUB

Club Trophy Stroke 18 Holes, Saturday, July 4.—A. Sullivan (23), 64; C. J. Buckley (26), 72; W. Morris (25), 72; R. M. Bone (19), 74; J. A. E. Harrison (4) 75. In spite of the very inclement weather, except for casual water on the fairways, the links were in very fair playing order. It was decided to postpone the mixed foursomes event listed until Saturday, August 1.

The social and dance held on Saturday evening was an outstanding success, the large number present in spite of a most unfavorable night presenting striking evidence of the popularity of these functions. Trophies won during the present season were presented by the president (Mr. J. H. Durant) to Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Page, Mr. C. K. Wright and Mr. A. G. Harwood. The music was supplied by Mr. H. Maxwell's band.

The date of the next social function has been fixed for Saturday, August 1, and no doubt, this will be noted by the many who enjoyed Saturday's function.

HIGHLAND PARK CLUB

PRESIDENT'S DAY

On account of the continuous rains President's day was postponed until August 1. All present expressed sympathy with Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins at their disappointment after all the trouble they had gone to.

A sweepstakes played over 12 holes was won by Wally Thomas from Eric Gibaud and Bert Wild. Results: W. Thomas 47 (11); E. Gibaud 48 (10); A. Wild 49 (14); W. Gibaud 50 (12); D. Davies 50 (12); R. Millard 55 (17).

We are pleased to report that a prominent club member, Jack Doherty journeyed to Taralgon and was successful in winning the Gippsland A.L.F. Golf Tournament (a case of cutlery valued at £10/10) with the excellent score of 86 of the stick for a net 63, 12 strokes under par.

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BOXING

REILLY'S RUGGEDNESS PREVAILS

Due to Herb. Bishop, the ex-champion lightweight of Australia, sustaining a rib injury on Friday last, he could not meet Terry Reilly for the junior welter-weight championship as arranged.

Len Fay, one of the most promising young boxers in the sport, was substituted over 2-minute rounds. Fay was defeated because of his inability to punch hard enough to stop his opponent. Reilly's toughness, determination and good condition are prominent factors in each of his contests, and although he is sometimes punished in the early rounds, he becomes a dangerous opponent over the last half of a contest. Fay, faster and more elusive, on several occasions set himself and punched with a knockout. The position appeared hopeless when it was seen that his hardest punch had no serious effect on Reilly. With Fay tiring in the fifth round, Reilly increased his pace and connected repeatedly with powerful rights to the jaw. During the sixth round the referee realised that Reilly's ruggedness must prevail and stopped the contest to save a plucky but fruitless punishment.

Preliminaries Al Bastian and Johnny Lee met in a return contest, and on this occasion Bastian used his greater science to good purpose. Boxing on the whole, he steadied Lee with well-judged lefts and prevented him from connecting too often with his damaging right.

Dick Carroll, in outpointing Alby Mann, showed that he is improving with every contest. In eight contests he has lost one, a narrow points decision, to Young Roberts, whose thrilling battles with Spider Webb will long be remembered. Alf Watson, the Northcote boxer, and Mick Maloney provided a thrilling six round bout that had the spectators roaring with excitement from the outset. In the eighth round a great contest, the referee showed some leniency in giving the decision to the referee giving his decision as a draw.

Prize was newly expressed concerning the tiered seating accommodation at the middle-class seats, the biggest!

LODGES

Star of Northcote Tent I.O.R.

The fortnightly meeting on July 7 was largely attended, Bro. M. Veivers, D.R., presiding. Three new members were initiated and two nominations received.

Reference was made to the passing of Bro. Samuel Mauger, J.P., P.D.C.R. District Treasurer, and the members observed two minutes' respect as a mark of respect to this great worker in the Temperance cause. In response to a notification from the District, the Tent decided to nominate Bro. E. H. Jenkin as District-Treasurer.

Donations of 1/11, each were made to the Northcote Croche and Kindergarten and the Northcote City Band.

The secretary presented the quarterly balance sheet, which showed the Tent to be in a very sound financial condition, the total funds being £11,399. After several matters had been explained satisfactorily, the balance sheet, together with the auditors' report, was adopted.

Bro. R. Lobbe (dispensary delegate) gave a detailed report of the recent meeting of the Clifton Hill and Northcote Dispensary. Bro. H. T. Morris was elected a delegate in place of the late Bro. E. J. Jones.

The recent Diamond Jubilee celebrations of the Tent were discussed, and the members were of the opinion that they were an unequalled success. The Tent social committee were congratulated on their efforts in organizing the functions, and it was decided to recognise their work in a suitable manner.

Various reports were received concerning the Junior tents, and also the Tent bowls team and the John Vale Old Boys' Football Club.

The minor business had been dealt with further games in the I.O.R. bowls competition were played. The A team, after an interesting game, went down to Preston by 16 to 11, while the B team maintained its unbeaten record by defeating the Northcote Ladies by 12-10 after a very close game.

The next meeting will be held on July 16, when further bowls games will be played.

Preston P.A.F.S. Nos. 24 and 72

The fortnightly meeting was held on July 2, at the All Saints' Hall, Preston. There was a large attendance, including visitors from Brunswick Lodge No. 18, who offered the lodge. Two new members were initiated, making a total of five since quarter night. A bowls team from Footscray Lodge No. 43 played Preston B team, the locals winning by 15 to 8. Preston are now winners of their section, having won eight games and lost two. The social secretary (Bro. Dean) gave a report on the social committee meeting for the combined anniversary dance.

After lodge, dancing and supper were provided by the social committee, and the Monte Carlo prizes were won by St. Underhill and Bro. McIntyre.

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M. W. and Sisters' Effort

About 200 attended the Preston Town Hall on Wednesday, July 1 when the Preston branch of the Mothers' Wives' and Sisters' League held a successful annual ball. Proceeds will go to the fund for local distressed diggers and their dependants. A splendid programme included both old-time and modern numbers, which were thoroughly enjoyed by those present. Novelties introduced were ballrooms, the lucky number of which was held by Mrs. McDonald, and Monte Carlo dances, one of which was won by Mrs. Horwood and partner.

Mr. Donah made a capable M.C., and the function went with a swing to rhythmical and tuneful music. The guests were received by the president, Mrs. G. Evans, and secretary, Mrs. J. E. Swain.

Mr. Rangoon, President Preston R.S.L.L.A. and Mrs. Rangoon, Mr. Bell Johnson, and Mrs. Bell Johnson, (President T. B. Association), Mr. Thomas (Secretary T. B. Association), Cr. and Mrs. J. S. Grey, Cr. and Mrs. H. F. Nisbett, Cr. and Mrs. C. T. Barling, and Cr. and Mrs. F. G. Pike.

In the hands of members of the League, headed by the executive committee, a tempting supper was daintily prepared and laid on tables set in the annex. Gold and silver Iceland poppies were grouped with gum-tips in vases, and gold and brown, (the branch colors), further the appearance of the tables. Two sittings were arranged.

The colorful and attractive frocking of the ladies was matched by the gay balloons, which were sold to further swell the funds. Mrs. Swain's fur shawl, cape covered a blue and gold shot taffetas gown; Mrs. G. Evans chose a blue tulle gown with a white fur coat; Mrs. J. Gaskin, burgundy maroon with gold; Mrs. Dodge (treasurer) black georgette and lace; Mrs. Donah (vice-president) terra cotta diagonal cloque and gold lace; Mrs. Chown, (vice-president), black crepe with a floral design; Mrs. Voss, black satin; Mrs. Mather, floral tulle; Mrs. Trevillian, gold tulle; Mrs. Larnach, white georgette with floral pattern in pink; Mrs. Rangoon, black georgette and lace; Mrs. Nisbett, black ring velvet with silver; Mrs. Barling, black lace with white and tango tulle; Mrs. Pike, salmon pink ring velvet; Mrs. Grey, brown diagonal faille with coral pink flower. Wrist posies of daphne and berries tied with gold and brown ribbons were worn by the members of the committee, and the president carried a bouquet of gold poppies and green hydrangeas.

The next meeting will be held on July 16, when further bowls games will be played.

ANGLING

PRESTON CLUB

THE club held its annual meeting in the club room on July 2 in the presentation of balance sheet and annual report and election of officers. There was a large attendance of members. The balance sheet which showed a good credit and no liabilities was presented. This was encouraging to the members.

Mr. E. Schou spoke of the progress since 1927 and Mr. A. F. Deacon expressed pleasure at such a glowing report on the steady progress made and the club's sound financial position. Officers elected were:—President, Mr. E. Schou; vice-presidents, Messrs F. Yates, L. A. Watkins, L. Downey; committee: Messrs F. Pittard, H. Rose, C. Ely, A. Beck, J. Connell; Piscatorial Council Delegates: Messrs C. Harrigan, F. Pittard; secretary: Mr. E. Schou; assistant-secretary and treasurer: Mr. W. Curwood; auditors: Messrs P. Daft, E. F. Gardner; trustee: Mr. D. McIntyre; press correspondent: Mr. P. Daft.

About 25 of the members went to Ballarat last Sunday to inspect the trout hatcheries and the visit proved very interesting. On the way up the party had a snow-balling competition. The snow-balling contest could not quite decide who "weighed-in" the biggest!

Amateur Athletics PRESTON AND NORTHCOTE CLUB

Owing to bad weather the Junior 5 Mile teams' championship of Victoria was postponed last Saturday and will be run at Moonee Valley Racecourse to-morrow. The final team will consist of:—T. Easton (C.) A. Wilson (v.c.), R. Coleman, J. Jovett, F. Teifer, A. Reid, Vic. Kirkland, Gus Kirkland, J. Graham, A. Trotman, A. Aldridge, E. Phippard, Emergencies M. Jones, B. McNabb, E. Short (in that order).

It is hoped that E. McNabb, who has been unwell, will be available if needed. Members are to meet at Moonee Valley Racecourse at 3 p.m. and proceed to the ground via East Preston tram to Arthurton road, thence by bus which passes the racecourse.

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THIS WEEK'S SPECIALS AT  
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AFTER STOCK CLEAN-UP SALE  
6/11 Men's Cotton and Wool  
Underwear ..... 2/6  
7/6, 6/11, 5/11 Men's Cardigans  
Pullovers, Jerseys, &c. .... 4/11

**Church Notices**  
**HOLY TRINITY, THORNBURY**  
Shaftesbury Pde. (off High St.)  
"The Church with a Welcome"  
July 12—5th Sunday After Trinity  
8 a.m.: Holy Communion.  
11 a.m.: Choral Eucharist.  
7 p.m.: Evensong and Sermon.  
Celebrant and Preacher the Vicar  
(Rev W. H. Chamberlain)

**ST. MARY'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND**  
Plenty Road, East Preston  
Sunday, 12th July  
8 a.m.: Holy Communion.  
10 a.m.: Service for Children.  
11 a.m.: Holy Communion (choral)  
Preacher: Rev J. Harrington Vaughn  
Victorian Secretary Bush Church Aid  
Society.  
7 p.m.: Evensong, Rev A. M.  
Capper.

**CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY**  
Bayview Street, Northcote  
Sunday, July 12  
8 a.m.: Corporate Communion of  
the Young Peoples' Club.  
11 a.m.: Mattins, the Rev J. O.  
Hughes.  
7 p.m.: Evensong, the Rev W. Tyler  
Rev P. E. Thornton, M.A., Vicar

**NORTHCOTE PRESBYTERIAN  
CHURCH**  
Sunday, July 12  
11 and 7—Usual Services. Rev  
A. T. Jones.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE  
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SCIENTIST, MELBOURNE**  
A BRANCH of the Mother Church,  
The First Church of Christ Scientist  
in Boston, Mass., U.S.A., holds  
services in the WESTGARTH HALL,  
UNION ST., WESTGARTH, as follows:  
Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7.15 p.m.; Sun-  
day School, 11 a.m. Testimony Meet-  
ing, Wednesday, 8 p.m. Reading Room  
in Westgarth Hall, Monday, Wednes-  
day, Friday, 2.30 to 4.30 p.m.

**THE BIG MARQUEE**  
HIGH STREET, CROXTON  
Sunday, 7.15 p.m.  
Community Singing. All Welcome.

**MUNICIPAL NOTICES**  
**City of Preston**  
**Notice of Holding of  
Revision Court**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that  
an OPEN COURT will be held at  
the TOWN HALL, HIGH STREET,  
PRESTON, on WEDNESDAY, 22ND  
JULY, 1936, at 10 O'CLOCK A.M.,  
to revise the VOTERS' LISTS and  
SEPARATE VOTERS' LISTS for the  
EAST WARD, CENTRAL WARD and  
WEST WARD of the City of Preston.  
Dated this 10th day of July, 1936.  
H. SWAIN, J.P.,  
Mayor of Preston.

**City of Preston**  
**TENDERS**

TENDERS are INVITED, returnable  
up till noon on MONDAY, 20th  
JULY, 1936 for—  
ALTERATIONS TO TRAINING  
ROOMS, GRANDSTAND, PAY-  
LION, PRESTON PARK,  
CHAMBER STREET.  
Particulars available at Building  
Inspector's Office.  
BEN JOHNSON,  
Town Clerk & Engineer.  
8/7/1936.

**City of Northcote**  
**ENGINEERING CADET**

APPLICATIONS returnable on FRI-  
DAY 13th JULY ARE INVITED  
for the POSITION of CADET in the  
office of the City Engineer.  
Qualification—Leaving standard  
with mathematics.  
Salary at Award rates, minimum  
£65 per annum.  
Applicants must apply in own hand-  
writing, supply copies only of refer-  
ences and state age and experience.  
Canvases of Councillors directly or  
indirectly will be deemed a disquali-  
fication.  
By Order,  
J. A. THOMSON,  
Town Clerk.

**City of Northcote**  
**REVISION COURT**

NOTICE is hereby given that I have  
appointed TUESDAY the 21st day  
of JULY, 1936, at 10 a.m., as the time  
for holding a REVISION COURT at  
the Municipal Offices, High Street,  
Northcote, for the purpose of hear-  
ing any claims for INSERTION OR  
OBLIVION TO NAMES on the  
Voters' Lists for the several Wards  
of the City that may have been lodged  
with the Town Clerk and for re-  
vising such lists.  
S. DENNIS,  
Mayor.

## ELECTION ADVERTISEMENTS



**MR. T. ANDREWS**  
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**Preston Municipal Elections**  
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Mrs Swain) at the PRESTON CITY  
HALL, Gower Street, Preston, on  
THURSDAY, JULY 16th, at 8 p.m.  
The Subscription is 10/6 per single  
ticket; and it is desired that res-  
tidents should make application for  
entree cards as soon as convenient.  
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Chairman.  
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Town Hall, Preston.  
MR. L. W. WILLIAMS,  
Hon. Treasurer.

**Preston Ladies' Benevolent Society**  
THE next MEETING will be held in  
the Lounge at the Preston City  
Hall on TUESDAY NEXT, July 14 at  
3 p.m.  
Ladies who desire to link up with  
the work are cordially invited to at-  
tend.  
H. SWAIN, J.P.,  
Mayor of Preston.

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ness from there being transferred to  
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garth business will be conducted under  
the name of Gray & Johnson Pty. Ltd.  
As before, Mr. A. Gray will manage  
the Thornbury and Mr. E. J. Bourke  
the Westgarth offices. Anyone inter-  
ested in property would be well re-  
served by a call at either office and  
should they desire any information  
regarding property matters in North-  
cote and Preston districts they can  
be assured of expert advice from  
specialists in real estate.

## MEN And WOMEN Drivers Compared

**Which Are the Most  
Efficient?**  
Some interesting details were re-  
cently published by the Harvard  
University Bureau of Street Traffic  
Research on the skill of men and  
women drivers. The result of the  
investigation which was conducted  
with the object of determining what  
human elements play a part in the  
causing of traffic accidents was—  
(1): That skill varies with age;  
(2): That there were no perfect  
drivers; (3): That women drivers  
on the whole are not as expert as  
men.

people, that among all classes of  
drivers, young men of 23 years of  
age have the quickest reactions to  
danger and have on the average a  
shorter time lag in application of  
brakes.  
Contrary to general opinion, Dr.  
H. R. Silva of the Harvard University  
found that the braking time of the  
average person, after taking alcoholic  
drink is faster, not slower than nor-  
mally. He, however, qualifies that  
finding by stating that the general  
efficiency of the driver is lowered,  
but in this particular operation the  
re-action of the driver is speeded up.

The tests showed, on laboratory  
apparatus which simulates all man-  
ner of traffic conditions, that al-  
though the average driver can de-  
crease his braking re-actons by a  
tenth of a second by considerable  
practice on the apparatus, quickness  
seems to be an inborn potential  
factor.  
It was learned that as a group,  
women steer a car less readily than  
men, but it is disclosed that women  
continue to improve in steering as  
they drive, while men stop improv-  
ing.

"Checking steering ability against  
the driver's age, it was revealed  
that children under 15 years do very  
poorly, over 15, show a marked im-  
provement. Young people of from  
17 to 21 scored highest points of  
all tested. From the age of 23 the  
average driver's braking reaction  
time (about half a second) length-  
ens gradually. At 35 steering abil-  
ity ceases to fall off, indicating that  
drivers should take more precau-  
tions after this age to compensate  
for their increasing loss of driving  
co-ordination.  
A driving disability termed  
"tunnel vision" was also segregated  
during the investigation, it being  
found that a number of drivers only  
see what is directly in front of them  
as if they were driving through a  
tunnel.  
The co-ordination between eyes and  
hands is obviously of great impor-  
tance in safe driving, and it was pro-  
ved that this quality was closely  
allied with intelligence.  
Emotional stability and other  
personality traits were also found to  
render a person more or less prone  
to "lost driving" and accidents. In  
fact the investigation showed that  
it is the faulty machinery of the human  
organism, with its varying perception  
of distance, color, judgment of speed  
wandering attention etc., which are

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SHEETS, 2 Large Hemstitched PIL-  
LOW CASES, 2 Large White TOWELS  
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### MEN ON PREMISES AFTER 6 P.M.

#### Drunken Man Blamed

P.M. SAYS STORY IS RIDICULOUS

At Preston Court on Wednesday charges of having been found in the Goverville Hotel, Plenty road, Preston, during prohibited hours, were preferred against William Battley, Josephine grove; David Blennerhassett, Hotham street; Victor and Cecilia Deslandes, Wilcox street; Robert Dunn, Bell street; James Dryer, May street, John Hearn, Bell street, George Stafford, Gower street; Frank Teller, Hawker avenue; and James Wood, Mary street, all of Preston. The licensee, Colin Arthur Hill, was charged with having allowed persons on his premises during prohibited hours.

First Constable Bridgland said: With Constable McNulty, I went to the Goverville Hotel at 6.25 p.m. on May 23. We listened at the east door and heard the clinking of glasses and the knocking of bottles. After a little delay the door opened and when slammed shut, I banged at the door and called out, "We are police."

There was then an uproar inside, and I heard a noise as if the bar door inside had been slammed shut. The door eventually opened, and in the passage I saw the licensee. Three men stood in the passage and others stood about. The licensee said, "A man here would not let me close the bar-door. Nobody came in after six." The commotion did not start until I kicked the door. I heard a woman in the bar call out, "Come away from that door, you can't get out there." The bar door opened and a man came out. He said that he had come in for a post. I interviewed the defendant, Stafford said he was there through an argument. Dwyer said he went in to stop a fight. The woman said she came for her husband. Most of the others denied they could not get out because of the disturbance.

Cross-examined: You saw no signs of trading?—No, the door was closed. Did not the licensee say he had been assaulted, and was not Dunn arrested and convicted for assault?—Yes.

Constable McNulty gave similar evidence. The licensee, Colin Arthur Hill, said: At 6 p.m. on May 23, after a football match at Preston, there were 200 people in the bar. I was taking steps to close the hotel and started to pull down the slides when a man named Dunn objected and put his hand on the slide. We could not push him away; he threatened to fight and created a disturbance. He went into the bar and came at me with two bottles of beer. He dropped one. It was because of the trouble pulling this man out that the other man stood in the passage and waited until the disturbance subsided. No one entered the hotel after 6 p.m.

All the defendants said that they would not leave the hotel because of the fight. Several men said that they were sorting out football tags in the parlour.

The P.M. said this story that one man could stop the hotel being closed and prevent others from leaving was ridiculous.

Mr R. T. Campbell, the defendant, submitted that it was proved that these men were on the premises for an unlawful purpose. All had sworn that they were not.

The P.M. (Mr Justice Gable) he did not believe the story. The licensee would be fined 10 pounds, and the other defendants 5 pounds each.

### ANNUAL MEETING

#### Preston Benevolent Society

The 48th annual meeting was held in the Preston Town Hall on Tuesday afternoon. There was a good attendance. The Mayor (mayor) was in the chair, and the meeting was opened by a prayer by Rev Woods.

Mrs J. Dale read the minutes of the previous annual meeting. The mayor read and commented upon the excellent report and balance sheet, and expressed approval of the work done by the ladies. He was supported by the town clerk (Mr Ben Johnson) and Rev Woods.

The report set out the many functions which the society organised during the year. Many citizens had sent along gifts of clothing and goods, and the flower day held in May, was a great success. 159 families had been assisted. To a balance of £22/12/9 were added subscriptions £19/5/-; donations from various organizations and functions £167/15/1; and government grant £250, making a total of £469/12/9. Expenditure included relief groceries, meat, milk, etc., £456/5/8; expenses £17/1/4.

**Office Bearers.** The office bearers elected were—President, Mrs Allechin; Vice-presidents Mesdames Sheppard, Dale and Biemly; Secretary, Miss J. S. Bean; Delegate to Benevolent Council, Mrs. Allechin; Assistant Delegate, Mrs. Dale; Life-members, Mesdames W. B. Howe and Broadhurst; Committee, Mesdames L. Jones, A. K. Allechin, Apled, Brunley, Armstrong, Booth, J. Dale, Crowe, W. Mulliner, Richardson, R. Mattinger, G. E. Robinson, F. Sheppard, Stone, Adams, Newton, Green, and Warr, and Miss J. S. Bean.

Among the attendance were the mayor and mayoress of Preston (Mr and Mrs H. Swain), Mrs S. Dennis (mayoress of Northcote), Rev and Mrs Woods, Mrs Tilly (President, Melbourne Society), Mesdames L. W. Williams, J. Sutch, W. Glanfield, J. H. Green, R. Thompson, W. F. Erowell, W. B. Montgomery, J. Fagan, J. W. Binney, A. Campbell, C. T. Barling, O. McGregor, D. M. Carr, J. McIntosh, F. G. Andrew (Camberwell), F. W. Tilly (Box Hill), L. Jones, R. Duncan, Crowe sen., W. Scott, F. L. Todd, C. N. Jones, N. Cathie, A. E. Newton, F. Apled, Stone and E. G. Green.

**UNLICENSED DRIVER IN COLLISION**  
Was Learning to Drive  
On June 18 two cars were involved in a collision at the corner of High and Bell streets, Preston. The drivers were Victor Albert Fetter, 120 Railway place, Preston, and William James Brown, Murray road, Preston. The police were notified of the accident, and subsequently Fetter was charged with having driven a car which was unlicensed. He told the Preston Court on Wednesday that he was learning to drive, and that there was a licensed driver seated alongside him. Fined 11.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

#### 'NORTHCOTE LEADER' — 'BUDGET' PUBLICATION ON WEDNESDAYS

FROM next week the "Budget," which has made such strides in its short period of existence, will be incorporated with the "Northcote Leader" and the combined paper will be known as the "Leader-Budget," and will be circulated free to every home in Northcote.

The proprietors of the "Northcote Leader" have entered into this arrangement with the "Budget" sponsors the object being to give advertisers 100 per cent. cover of the Northcote district, in which 10,000 copies of the "Leader-Budget" will be circulated on Wednesday of each week.

Copy for Advertisements much reach the office, 309 High Street, Northcote, on Tuesday morning.

The "Preston Leader" will be published as usual and will be on sale at all Preston newsagents as before.

### NORTHCOTE NOTES

**Northcote Council Quarry**  
Applications returnable at noon on Monday, July 27, will be received for removal of overburden at the Northcote Council quarry.

**Northcote Free Library**  
The hours of the Northcote Free Library have been altered, and in future will be—Monday to Friday, 1.30 to 5.30, and 7 p.m. to 10 p.m.; Saturday, 7 p.m. to 10 p.m.

**Holy Trinity Boys' Club**  
Holy Trinity Boys' Club, which is affiliated with the Y.M.C.A., spent a happy evening at the annual rally of the Y.M.C.A. on Saturday, July 11, which hundreds of boys attended. Holy Trinity Club, at its first essay, captured second honors for the best decorated table.

**Cable Tram Hold-Up**  
Cable trams were held up in High street last Friday night at 5.30 p.m. for over half an hour as the result of a collision at the corner of Beavers road, between a lorry and the dummy of a cable tram. The grip, which had become firmly fixed in the cable slot, was eventually extricated, but not until many trams had backed up.

An elderly man, Mr B. Kendall, of Elton street, Thornbury, sustained severe injuries on Sunday afternoon when struck by a motor cycle which was competing in the Hartwell Motor Cycle Club meeting at Balwyn. The machine, out of control, left the track.

**Y.W.C.A. ACTIVITIES**  
The Y.W.C.A. Club meets in the Northcote Town Hall every Monday night and has been running for close on a year, under the guidance of a local committee of councillors' wives and others interested. The programme includes all kinds of handicrafts, dressmaking, dramatics, gym and games. The girls belonging to the club have shared in campfires and recreational groups of all kinds. The main object of the club is to increase the interests in the lives of all members, and to stimulate thought and responsibility to community life.

—to put it in one sentence, "to help make sense out of life."

Dancing enthusiasts will be given an opportunity of seeing a demonstration by the Australian professional dance champions, Gerald Hales and Rene Nicholson, at Northcote Town Hall on Saturday night. The tango will be featured, showing the various forms from various parts of the world. A programme of modern and old time dances to Green's band should fill in a good night. See advertisement.

### DEATH OF WELL-KNOWN CITIZEN

Mr William Cox, who conducted a coach-building business in High street for over 60 years and was a well-known identity in Northcote, died on July 11 at the residence of his daughter (Mrs G. B. Anthony), Spencer street, Northcote. He left a wife. There are three members of the family, Elsie, Bert and five grandchildren. Mr Cox was of the kindest disposition and was always unobtrusively active in helping others. He was a Grand Lodge officer of the O.E.T., and was actively connected with the High Street Methodist Church and the Red Cross. Lately he had conducted his business in Beaconsfield parade. A month ago he met with an accident when he was knocked down by a bicycle. A motion that a letter of sympathy be sent to his wife and relatives was passed at the Northcote Council meeting last Monday. Regret was expressed by Crs. Bird and Johnson at the passing of one of Northcote's most respected citizens. One of the largest funerals ever seen in Northcote followed the cortege to Coburg Cemetery where the remains were interred.

**MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS**  
EAST WARD  
NORTHCOTE

It has been persistently rumored that Cr B. E. Johnson, J.P., representative for so many years of the East Ward in the Northcote City Council, would not again be offering himself for re-election in the forthcoming August elections.

Cr Johnson desires to deny this rumor and to announce that he will definitely be offering his services to the electors whom he has served so faithfully and well over so long a period.

**NORTHCOTE KINDERGARTEN APPEAL**  
The following further contributions have been received and are acknowledged:

Cash previously acknowledged	£21 15 6
Olympic Tyre & Rubber Co.	10 6
Mr S. Avison	1 1 0
Lawrence Leathers Pty. Ltd.	2 2 0
Total Contributions	£25 9 0

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### PRESTON COURT

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15

Before Mr A. Noonan, P.M., and Mr T. J. McMahon, J.P.

**School Cases**  
For failing to send their children to school the required number of half days the following were fined—Geoffrey Baguley, Erin street, Preston, 3; Irene Allen, Davies street, Preston, 2.

**Unpaid Fines**  
In default of payment of a fine of 15 imposed on April 22 for possession of an unregistered pistol, John Thomas, Moorabool of High street, Preston, was ordered to be imprisoned for two weeks.

A similar default was fixed in the case of L. R. Gardiner, High street, Windsor, who was fined 15 on June 3 for riding a noisy motor cycle. He was granted a further stay of four weeks.

**Number Plates Not Returned**  
Lionel Davey, Dawson street, Regent, charged with having failed to return to the police, the number plates of a motor cycle, the registration of which had expired, was fined 12. Davey said he had mislaid the plates and could not find them for some time. He subsequently handed the plates to the police.

**Licensing Charges**  
Harry Robert O'Neal, Bell Street, Richmond, was fined 11 for having been on licensed premises during prohibited hours, and 13 for having falsely reported himself as a bona-fide traveller.

The evidence showed that on Sunday, May 31, at 4.45 p.m., O'Neal was found by licensing police on the premises of the Commercial Hotel, South Morang. Defendant said he had driven to South Morang from Werribee and thought that as he had travelled over 20 miles he was a bona-fide traveller. He admitted he had been at his home on the previous night.

### GIRL GUIDE NEWS

#### PRESTON DISTRICT

The monthly meeting of the Local Association of Girl Guides of Preston was held in the town hall on June 24. The President (Mrs W. B. Howe) occupied the chair. Reports on the Guide Hall were satisfactory and it is hoped before long that a start will be made on the building. A deputation from the Association to include Mr W. B. Howe (president, Miss V. Ross (commissioner) and Mrs R. Smith (secretary) waited on Mr H. P. Zwart, J.P., M.L.A., Cr H. Swain, J.P., and Mr D. Ross and these gentlemen have consented to act as trustees of the Guide Hall.

The Commissioner (Miss V. Ross) reported that Brownies, Guides, and Rangers are progressing satisfactorily in their work and attendances are good. In the Guides several girls have passed their Tenderfoot test and will soon be enrolled as Guides. All Brownies, Guides and Rangers are preparing for the competitions in the Stradbroke Cup which they hope to secure this year for Preston District.

**4th PRESTON RANGERS**  
On Saturday June 27, 4th Ranger Coy. went to Mitcham to play basketball which Preston won.

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is hereby given that have been transferred to the Thornbury office, and the West-garth business will be conducted under the name of Gray & Johnson Pty. Ltd. As before, Mr A. Gray will manage the Thornbury and Mr E. J. Bourke the West-garth offices. Anyone interested in property would be well repaid by a call at either office and should they desire any information regarding property matters in Northcote and Preston districts they can be assured of expert advice from specialists in real estate.

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# Activities at Preston

By The Reassortment

**They Say:**

THAT Mr. J. O. Lewis reports that stray cattle are few and far between nowadays in Preston.

That all the same, there are still a few about, as a motorist found when driving his car in East Preston on a recent cold, wet and dark night.

That he missed the errand animal by the proverbial "coat of paint".

That complaints are being made in regard to the playing of football in Preston streets on Sundays.

That as a result of street football a fair amount of damage is caused to overhead electrical wires, with consequent inconvenience to users of current.

That Mr. L. W. Williams is the President-elect of the Preston Bowling Club.

That Mr. Ern. Parr made such a success of his "chicken" party at a recent social gathering, he has since received three further applications to preside at community singing sessions.

That there was some verbal hard hitting during the "Rites" debate at the last meeting of the West Preston Progress Association.

That members were not inclined to follow the dictum "Of with the old and on with the new."

**The Preston Market**

FOR the week-end, July 17 and 18, special bargains are offered to shoppers at the Preston Market, Plenty road. A full range of all household requirements may be obtained there, all under the one roof, at prices to suit all pockets. Among the specials are meat, fruit, vegetables, clothing, groceries, confectionery, and dozens of other lines all keenly priced.

**Sacred Heart School Mothers' Club**

WITH Mrs. McGinty presiding, a large number of ladies attended the fortnightly meeting on July 7 at Gahnan's Hall. The meeting was followed by bridge and coffee. The prize for cards was divided by Mesdames McGinty and Gellately. A knitted cushion, donated by Mrs. H. Palmer, passed into the hands of Mrs. O'Keefe, Falconer street, Fitzroy. A cruet became the property of Mrs. M. McGinty. Hostesses who provided a dainty afternoon tea were Mesdames Brown, Cooper, Grogan and Hussey. The next meeting will take place on July 21.

**False Fire Alarms**

NO LESS than six false alarms of fire have been received by the local brigade during the week.

**M.M.B.W. Inspector Honors**

IN the presence of local planners and Board officials at the Board's depot, Kelvin grove, Preston, on Saturday, July 11, Inspector J. Handley was presented with a handsome travelling rug.

Mr. J. Thompson, of Preston, congratulated the retiring Inspector on his long service with the Board and the esteem held for him both in the service and with the tradesmen.

Mr. Howard Morris spoke in high terms of his association with Mr. Handley. By his retirement the Board have lost a good servant, one who has set a high standard for those who follow.

Plumbing Inspectors Harris and Harper supported in glowing terms and hoped Mr. Handley would long be spared to enjoy his well-earned rest.

Former Inspectors J. Lancaster and W. Dickens recalled their pleasant associations with Mr. Handley.

Mr. Handley, in reply, thanked all for their good wishes and presentation. It would bring back many happy memories spent with the Board of Works.

**Preston Housewives' Association**

ON WEDNESDAY evening, twenty-five members paid a visit to Parliament House, in order to listen to the debates then in progress. Mr. H.P. Zwart, M.L.A. showed the party round.

**Preston Court Quarterly Returns**

FIGURES showing the business transacted in connection with the Preston Court for the quarter ending June 30 are: 235 cases; 25 arrests; 190 offences on summons; 124 debt cases in which \$864 was claimed and \$517 awarded; 29 ejection cases. Attendances of Justices were: T. J. McInnes 12; A. E. Newton 7; P. Bird 4; H. P. Tullach 2; E. G. Sutton, J. Bunting, A. Stiel, A. J. Wilson, 2 each; J. Mason, H. L. Wood, V. T. Robson, G. C. McInnes, B. Lewis, and W. D. Gibbs, one each.

**Health of Preston.**

IN HIS QUARTERLY REPORT, Dr. W.H. Steele, Preston Council's Medical Officer reports that in June there has been a welcome fall in the number of diphtheria cases. Amongst the cases reported were four infants, and in these were twins. It was rather unusual for cases to occur in children as young as six and twelve months. Cases of gastric influenza amongst children are still frequent; sore throats amongst adults are less frequent; and the minor infections are uncommon, except for chicken-pox. Pneumonia is less frequent than it has been for two months. The average attendances at the baby-health centre were 802, expectant mothers 11, and 47 invitations were sent out.

**Plenty Road.**

USERS OF PLENTY ROAD are pleased to see that a start has been made with the top-surfacing of the stretch of road that has been in an unfinished state for several months. It should not be long now before the work is completed.

**Surprise Party.**

LAST SATURDAY evening a surprise was sprung on Mr. T. Kelly of Showers street, Preston, when a number of friends and relatives gathered to wish him "Many Happy Returns" in honour of his 73rd birthday. A convivial evening was spent in dancing and with games, and the health of the guest was honored. Mr. Kelly made a suitable response.

**Basket Ball.**

PRESTON GIRLS of the P.A.F.S. defeated North Melbourne by 11 goals last Saturday. Next Saturday the game will be against Northcote.

**Application for Drainage Grant**

PRESTON COUNCIL intends to apply to the Minister for a grant with which to undertake urgent drainage works in Preston for the relief of unemployed.

**Preston A.W.N.L.**

A SUBJECT of great interest—"Slum Abolition"—will form the basis of a talk by a well-known author, in Dr. Ramsay Moller, at the quarterly meeting of the Preston A.W.N.L. to be held at Preston Town Hall on July 20 at 2.45. There will be a programme and all ladies are cordially invited.

**Amateur Athletics**

PRESTON AND NORTHCOTE CLUB

A. Wilson Runs Sixth in Junior Five-Mile Teams' Race

St. Stephen's Harriers, with excellent team work, scored their tenth success in the last seven seasons with a score of 120 points. Footscray Harriers (193 points); Richmond Harriers (195 points); The battle for individual honors was one of the keenest in recent years, the second man, J. Turnbull (Ballinacree), setting the pace for most of the distance. The winner was S. Maguire, a 26-year-old member of the Metropolitan Fire Brigade, who showed considerable promise last track season. He is the first Melbourne Harrier to win since G. R. Hyde in 1923. The runners were sent away to a good start and after completing a circuit of the flat, left the Moonee Valley Racecourse, and proceeded across country. On the way back to the racecourse, Turnbull led until the last few hundred yards, when Maguire, finishing strongly, passed him to win by 70 yards. Final placings were:—S. Maguire (Met.), 27 min. 21 sec.; J. Turnbull (Ballinacree), 27.32; H. Preestone (Oakleigh), 27.41; R. H. Goodall (Geelong Guild), 28.27; S. M. Stoney, (Geelong Guild), 28.29; A. Wilson (Preston and Northcote), 28.38, 6.

For Preston-Northcote Club, A. Wilson ran a splendid race, being placed handsomely all the way and thoroughly earning his sixth position, fifth, then following J. Jovett, A. Reid, T. Easton, Vic. Kirkland, Gus Kirkland and A. Aldridge. All club members finished the race, and A. Wilson was the youngest runner, deserving mention for his plucky run. Next Saturday at 3 p.m. a pack run will be held from St. Mary's Hall, East Preston.

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**Northcote Council**

MONDAY, JULY 13

The Northcote Council met on Monday evening. Present were the Mayor (Cr. S. Dennis J. P.) and Crs. E. Johnson, W. Glanville, J. W. French, J. H. Green, A. McAdam, A. C. Bird, M. C. Jones, W. H. Turner, W. Oliver, W. Hayes, C. H. Burnham, A. V. Peters and J. Sutch.

**Public Works Committee**—Northcote's appointment for this year is 124/1/6. (250/5/8 last year).

**Health Board Sanatorium**—The cost to the council for the current year will be \$34 against £28 last year.

**Municipal Employees**—The Municipal Association advised that the Municipal Employees Union had applied to the Arbitration Court for a reduction of hours from 48 to 44 per week.

**Unemployed Relief Works**—The Council of Northern Municipalities advised that it was proposed to interview the Premier with a view to obtaining grants for carrying out works in the metropolitan area. It was requested that Northcote should be included in the list of works that could be so undertaken.

Cr. Jones said that relief work should be found in the city, especially for the married men. When they were sent to the country they lived under conditions which imposed hardship, and often the health of the men suffered. There were plenty of works that could be undertaken in the Northcote suburbs. The Merri Creek beautification scheme, the elimination of the bend in the Merri Creek, improvements to parks and gardens, and proposed drainage works be included in the schedule to be prepared for submission from the council.

The motion was carried.

**General.**

Mr. Richardson re roadwork in Melbourne street—P.W. committee.

**Northcote branch, Old Age and Invalid Pensioners Association** sought free use of a hall for a meeting—Finance committee.

The combined Masonic Lodges of Northcote requested the use of town hall on a Sunday in August for a P.S.A. the proceeds to go to the Northcote Ladies' Benevolent Society—Finance committee.

C. Gieka sought permission to erect a w.h. house in Hartley street.—Granted.

Railways Department advised that the question of lighting the pathway on west side of Merri station was receiving consideration.

Cr. E. Phillips and others sought the re-construction of Northcote street.—P.W. committee.

A. Epton re roadwork and footpath Dundas street, east end.—P. W. committee.

**A.N.A.**

NORTHCOTE A.N.A.

The fortnightly meeting was held in the lodge room, Northcote Town Hall on Thursday, July 9. It was learned with regret of the death of one of our old members, Mr. W. R. Kelly.

It was decided that the branch donate £1/7 towards the building of the Northcote Kindergarten. One new member was elected and two nominations were received. Messrs T. Bolt and A. Turnbull retired on sick members, and Mr. Aldridge was granted leave of absence during July and August.

Messrs J. Johnson, T. Aldridge, and T. Parry were elected to represent the branch on the Combined Social Committee. At the next branch meeting there will be a lecture by Mr. Edwards.

After the meeting a jovial evening was held at which there was a very large attendance of members, wives and friends. Dancing was indulged in and games were held, of which winners and place-getters received the highest points was by Yallourn (570 points), with Preston Life Saving Club (131) second. Points gained by clubs in the Northcote district were: Preston, 4 awards, 13 pts; Alphington, 2 awards, 12; Fairfield, 15 awards, 68; Fogg and Hogan's Class, 3 awards, 22; Northcote L.S.C., 1 award, 12.

While it is pleasing to see new clubs like Preston high up on the list, it is disturbing to see the Northcote club so low down. Since its formation in 1928 Northcote has been a leading life-saving club in the district, and it is to be hoped that its present position will be improved. Northcote won the premiership in 1932-33. The Fairfield ladies' team made a record in the life saving championship (ladies' section), and included in that team were two ladies who first learnt life saving with the Northcote club (Misses M. Cooper and M. Hennessy). As this year's organisation in the Northcote district during a lecture or demonstration on resuscitation or life saving as a syllabus item are advised that the Society's representative is Mr. J. A. Hogan, of 3 Woolton avenue, Thornbury, who will be pleased to arrange for a lecturer and demonstrator.

**Thomas Hurford Memorial Cup**

The Thomas Hurford Memorial Cup presented by the Royal Life Saving Society to the scout troop gaining the highest number of the Society's awards has this year been awarded to the 1st Essendon Scouts with a total of 34 awards. This troop was coached by Mr. J. A. Hogan, of Northcote. This award is given to perpetuate the memory of a boy scout named Thomas Hurford, who gave his life in an attempt to save the life of an elderly man in the River Yarra at Richmond some six years ago. It is open to all scout and guide troops in Victoria, or schools that have a scout troop, to win the cup. As yet no scout troop in the Northcote or Preston district has made any effort to win his cup. Mr. Hogan will be pleased to give full particulars and instruction if necessary.

**OBITUARY**

DR. ISABEL THOMAS

News has been received by her relatives by cable of the death on the 8th inst. of Dr Isabel Thomas (formerly Dr Isabel Wilkinson), wife of Rev George Thomas, of Tunbridge Wells, England. Dr Thomas was a native of Preston, being the youngest daughter of the late William and Mrs Wilkinson, of Bell street, and a sister of the late Dr J. F. Wilkinson and of Mr A. S. Wilkinson, Mrs Keller and Mrs J. F. Robinson. Dr. Thomas received her early education at the South Preston State School, from which she proceeded to the Presbyterian Ladies' College, East Melbourne, and Melbourne University. She was one of the College from which she gained a Government Exhibition, and she graduated at the University with honors in the degree of M.B., B.S., at the age of 22 years. She was for a time a resident medical officer at the Melbourne and Women's Hospitals, and also served for a year as medical officer in charge of the Greenvale Sanatorium. In 1909 Dr Thomas left Melbourne for England, where she resided at the time of her death. Dr Wesleyan Missionary Society. In China she was for some years in charge of a women's hospital at Hankow. Whilst in Hankow she was married to Rev George Thomas and with her husband continued her work in China, being stationed at various times in Sui Chow, Hankow, and Wu Chang, and during which time Dr Thomas and her husband had many varied and exciting experiences during these troublesome years. Dr Thomas left China after a period of twenty years of missionary work and with her husband proceeded to England, where she resided at the time of her death. Dr Thomas left her husband and three children surviving.

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Nicky and Nancy Lee, the "chums" are taken on a tour of a thousand delights. Among them is the Thursday "Chum's Cavalcade," amateur session in which the youngsters themselves perform under the air. A weekly "Margery Fynn" party—the last one was attended by 600 "chums"; a weekly concert and competitions of all kinds.

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**CLIFTON HILL AND NORTH FITZROY**

Clifton Hill and North Fitzroy branch of the A.N.A. held a meeting on July 9, in Queen's parade, Clifton Hill. The president, Mr. L. Laver, occupied the chair. The branch carried a vote of sympathy for the late Mr. S. Manger, who had been a prominent member of the branch. The discussion was held on the closing of the pathway at Rushall station, and it was moved by Mr. G. Gratton, and seconded by Mr. W. Alexander, that the secretary write to the Fitzroy Council and enquire as to who was responsible for the closing of the pathway, which has been a great setback to the public.

**PRESTON BOWLING CLUB**

President Entertains Committee

To mark the termination of his office as president of Preston Bowling Club, Dr R. J. E. Yule entertained members of the committee at a dinner at "Ranui," High street, on Monday night.

Practically every committee man and official was present. The mayor (Cr. Swain) who is secretary, president of the club, proposed the health of the host, and was ably supported by Mr. H. P. Zwart, M.L.A., and Mr. W. B. Howe. Dr Yule expressed his pleasure at the presence of so many of his colleagues who he thanked for their loyal co-operation during his presidential term.

The committee met afterwards to finalise executive reports and general business for the year in preparation for the annual meeting on July 25. An excellent record of progress, financially and numerically is likely to be placed before the members.

"To-morrow night, (Saturday 18th) the annual smoke night and presentation of prizes will be held."

At the weekly card party last Saturday winners were Mrs Sinclair Mr Morgan and Miss McIntosh; the attendance was below expectations.

**CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOUR**

The first meeting of the Northcote and Preston Consolated Endeavourers Choir was held at Croxton Methodist on Monday night. Although the attendance was small quite a deal of preliminary business was done.

Reports from societies re their activities are as follow:—

**Regent Baptist:** Society's activities have been deep and varied. A meeting by proxy was most helpful and interesting.

**Preston Church of Christ:** "Sunners" and "Intermediates" are progressing and have had very helpful and instructive meetings.

**Prince of Wales Park Intermediate:** "This branch sends us a thought from one of their meetings. "Prayer is a key, which turned by the hand of Faith, unlocks God's treasures." Following that, an object lesson on Trees, brought members to ask themselves if they depended on God as much as did these forest giants.

**FINANCE**

Accounts passed for payment:—P.W. committee £3654/14/9; private street construction, £358/14/2; E.L. A/C £1293/4/7; Parks etc, £240/2/8; Finance committee: £1337/7/1.

**Public Works Committee**

H.C. Coles was granted permission to build an additional house on land 70 ft. 8 in. in Collins street.

Lane construction.—The construction of a lane at rear of the east side of St. George's road, and south of Harwood street cost £144/19/11. (£14/15/7 below the estimate).

**Finance Committee**

It was decided to erect notices at Cunningham street drawing attention to one-way traffic in the east section of High street at the rear of the rockeries, between Westmarsh street and Cunningham street.

Cr. Turner said it would be useless to erect notices if the council did not enforce the regulation.

Cr. Jones: Prosecutions are frequently being taken for similar offences in other parts of the city.

**ORDINARY BUSINESS**

Cr. Bird said that the footpath abutting on the railway in Herbert street had never been properly made and it was in a very bad state.—P. W. committee.

Cr. Bird told the council that the road in Elm street was so bad that cyclists were forced to ride on the footpath. The slabs in front of Batman Park were in need of attention —P.W. committee.

Cr. O'over urged that something be done to regulate the queues of people that formed outside the Regent Theatre on Saturday afternoons and evenings. People not only blocked the footpath, but overthrown on to the road. He moved that the matter be referred to the police.—carried.

Cr. Hayes submitted a report on the progress made with the erection of the new kindergarten hall at Northcote Circus.

Cr. Bird urged that provision should be made for improving the McDonald and Merri Parks, which were used for sporting purposes.



Social News

MRTHS, DEATHS, &c. THE charge for BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES AND IN MEMORIAM ANNOUNCEMENTS is 1/6. Poetry or quotations, 5d. per line extra.

IN MEMORIAM

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DEATHS

THOMAS (Dr. Isabel Wilkinson) at Northbridge, Wexham, England, on July 15th, 1936, aged 72 years. Deceased by Mrs. A. S. Wilkinson, Mrs. A. Keller, Mrs. J. F. Robinson (W.A.), Dr. J. P. Wilkinson (deceased), Archer Wilkinson (deceased), Charles Wilkinson (deceased).

THANKS

FALDON.—Mr. G. Faldon, 108 Rene street, Preston, wishes to thank the Preston City Council employees and neighbours and friends for their kindness, also Mr. Dickens, Mrs. Woods and Mrs. Cady in his recent sad bereavement.

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PERSONAL

The friends of Mr. Jack Deacon, of Bedford avenue, Preston, will be pleased to learn that he is home again after spending several weeks in hospital, and is progressing slowly but favorably.

Miss Elsie Martin, V.T.N.A., left by aeroplane on Monday for Sydney, Brisbane and Cairns to spend a holiday with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thier, "Talum," Mareeba, North Queensland. On her return she will join the nursing staff at the Austin Hospital.

Mrs. Beatrice M. Whiting, wife of Mr. Richard (Lou) Whiting, of Alexander street, Thornbury, died suddenly on July 11. She leaves a family of eight children.

Mr. John James Bobbie, of Mansfield street, Thornbury, died on July 15 at his home. He left a wife and son. He was aged 52. A service was held at the Thornbury Salvation Army Citadel on July 9, after which the corpse moved on to Preston Cemetery where the interment took place.

The death occurred on July 13 at St. Vincent's Hospital of Miss Ruby Barnett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barnett, of 113 Charles street, Northcote, at the age of 35 years. Deceased was interested in the New Melbourne Cemetery, Fawkner, on Tuesday, the arrangements being carried out by Messrs W. G. Apps and Sons.

At the age of 43, William C. Mitchell, of 20 McDonald street, Dennis, passed away suddenly on July 13. He leaves a wife. The funeral at the Preston General Cemetery was conducted on Wednesday by Mr. H. J. R. Lewis.

On July 16 at her home, 116 Maltravers road, Ivanhoe, Mrs. G. A. Watkinson passed away. She leaves a daughter, Lily, Messrs W. G. Apps and Sons had charge of the funeral arrangements at the Borondara Cemetery.

The death occurred on July 16 of Mrs. Mabel Tutin, of 22 Harper street, Northcote. Her husband, who deceased her and she leaves an adult family. Mr. Henry James Johnston passed away at Whittesia on July 16, aged 62 years. He leaves a widow and family of four.

At her residence, Buchanan street, Ivanhoe, on July 5, Mrs. Margaret Wallace was called Home. A husband and family survive.

The death occurred on July 10 at her residence, 713 High street, Northcote, of Mrs. J. A. Walker. Deceased, who was highly-esteemed by a wide circle of friends, is survived by her husband and son and daughter, Lindsay, and ten.

On June 21 a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. Drews, of 8 Edgar street, Regent. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Malcolm, of Nash street, Northcote, are the parents of a son, Bruce Robert, born on June 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Hapsby, of Shakespeare avenue, East Preston, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Raymond Noel, on July 9. At her home, 14 Arthur street, Fairfield, on July 6, Mrs. Emily Christina Somerville passed away at the age of 81 years. Mr. Stephen Somerville (her husband) and family of five are left.

Miss MacMillan, of Clarke street, Northcote, is enjoying a holiday cruise to Queensland. Stephen Andrew Fahey, late of Reng street, Preston, retired railway employee, who died on June 10 last, left by will dated August 6, 1935, real estate valued at £1266, and personal property valued £6454, to his children and grandchildren, subject to a gift to a friend.

Mr. L. Leach, secretary of the Preston Football Club has recovered from an illness extending over three weeks. During that time, the duties connected with the club have been discharged by Mr. J. E. Thomson, assistant secretary.

Mrs. Millman, Plenty road, Preston is confined to her home by illness. Mr. Burchall is carrying out the duties of post-master at Preston during the absence on leave of Mr. Wingfield.

Captain R. C. Roy has been appointed to take charge of Salvation Army affairs in Preston. Mr. Morrison, J. Johnson, aged 64 years of Ailing street, Preston, died on July 8 and was buried at the Kew cemetery on the following day. He leaves a widow and three sons.

The Rev. T. Wilkinson read the burial service and Mr. Eric Jensen carried out the funeral arrangements. Sister Holland is still an inmate of Epworth Hospital and is progressing satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Hall, Down street, Regent, are rejoicing in the advent of a baby boy to the home circle. Mr. E. H. Griffiths, assistant engineer in Preston City Council employ, has succeeded in passing the examination qualifying him as a civil engineer. This is the second municipal officer who has been successful in the direction indicated within the last two weeks.

The marriage of Miss Jean Mary Beeson, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Boone, "Doonside," Murray street, Thornbury, to Mr. H. W. Hutchinson, of Brunswick, will take place at Thornbury Presbyterian Church on Saturday, July 25.

Mr. King Keatinge, an old resident of Thomastown and Preston, passed away at his home in Ashton street, East Preston. He was 77 years of age and had been in ill-health for some time. He died on Tuesday, the arrangements being carried out by Messrs W. G. Apps and Sons.

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SOCIAL NOTES...

Birthday Party. Young friends of Mr. Bill Yeomans assisted him to celebrate his birthday last week at the Footscray on July 9 by gathering at the Footscray Theatre, and later enjoying supper at the invitation of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Yeomans at their home, "Merwill," Hastings street, Northcote.

Children's Hospital Auxiliary. Proceeds from two functions during the last week go to the funds of the Thornbury Auxiliary for the Children's Hospital. A dance party attended by the Merri Palais and was augmented by members from the Thornbury Young Women's Club. The night of Thursday night pleasantly.

The second one was a card evening at the home of Mrs. Downie, of Preston, where a jolly night was spent on Saturday at euchre.

A Night of Comedy. Tuesday's function proved a veritable "night of comedy" at the St. Joseph's Hall, James street, Northcote, when the St. Joseph's Girls' Club Players presented a programme arranged by Miss E. Burke. The audience was delighted with the performance and the players themselves did justice to the part taken.

The executive of the club is: President, Miss Margaret Moore; treasurer, Miss Edie Moore; secretary, Miss Edie Moore; and social secretary, Miss Kath McNamara.

Surprise Birthday Party. Organized by Miss Dorothy McIntosh, hon. secretary of the Preston Younger Set, and assisted by Miss Rosie Goldstein, a surprise birthday party was tendered to Miss Jean Hutchinson, on July 15, 1936, at the home of Miss McIntosh's parents, 11 Hildford avenue, West Preston, on Monday, July 13.

Mr. R. Carr, sen., proposed the toast of the evening, and all joined in singing "The Jolly Good Fellow." Mr. Carr thanked Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh for the use of their home for the occasion. In responding, Mrs. McIntosh said it always was a pleasure for her to assist in making young people happy.

Items were rendered by Miss Isabel Palmer (pianist), Mr. Cyril Ross, Mr. I. Goldstein, Mr. R. Carr, and Mr. C. Davis.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh, Mr. and Mrs. R. Carr, Misses D. McIntosh, R. Goldstein, M. Goldstein, I. Palmer, S. Holmes and B. Christie; Messrs A. Ash, C. Ross, F. Hough, J. Goldstein, G. Berry, R. Baum, C. Davis, R. Carr, Jun., and K. McIntosh.

Card Afternoon. Funds for the Northcote Auxiliary for the Women's Hospital were augmented on Friday, July 10, when Mrs. W. C. O'Brien entertained a card afternoon at her home, 87 Penders street, Thornbury. Tables were reserved for bridge and crazy whist, and a most enjoyable time was spent.

The members of Northcote (Mrs. S. Dennis) thanked Mr. O'Leary for her generous action and presented prizes to Mrs. S. Pinkney (bridge) and Mrs. Howman (whist). Chocolates were disposed of and the lucky number was held by Mrs. Len Roberts.

Leonard Dobbin, Kemp street, Thornbury, said that at about 6.30 p.m. on June 6 he stopped his car at the corner of High street and West-garth street to let a passenger alight. Defendant's car came up on his right and swung sharply to the left across the front of his car, damaging the front right mudguard. Defendant did not stop. The defendant said he felt a slight bump, but thinking no damage was done, proceeded on his way.

Flined £3, with 10 costs.

Thompson, A. Main, T. Pollock, S. S. Ritches, W. Johnson, A. W. Nancarrow, T. W. Hawthorn, S. Butcher, Blackman, F. Waters, A. Kieron, W. T. Mott, Bevan, J. W. Clayton, L. O. Angus, McDonald, one-time mayor of Northcote. Fifty-six relatives and friends attended a party given in their honor.

Birthday Party. On Saturday afternoon, July 4, Mr. and Mrs. L. Bryant, of 87 William street, Preston, gave an afternoon party at their home to their thirteen-year-old son, William. Many playmates joined in wishing "Many Happy Returns." The afternoon was spent in games. A number of presents and balloons the kiddies had a happy time, after which an appetizing tea was served.

At the last monthly meeting held in the Lounge, City Hall, the mayor (Mrs. H. Swain) presided. A card afternoon was arranged for Tuesday, July 28, the honoree to be "A. Bryant" entertained many relatives and friends at a musical evening, which terminated with supper.

Musical Afternoon. In the last issue a report appeared of a musical afternoon held in the lounge of the City Hall, Preston, on July 2. It was stated that the proceeds of the evening were for the Women's Hospital Auxiliary. This is incorrect, and in fact, the proceeds will go to the Mayors' Guild, and in turn will be donated to the Eve and Ear Hospital.

There are few games which are as interesting as chess, and it is one which has many exponents. Many people have wished to learn to play but have not had the chance. An opportunity will be afforded to people of Northcote to gain an insight into this interesting pastime by the formation of a chess club, a meeting for which will be held at 522 High street, Northcote, on Tuesday, July 21, at 8 p.m. See advertisement.

APPROACHING AUCTIONS. By J. and H. Burgess, estate agents, (Geo. Henderson, auctioneer) on Wednesday, July 22, at 3 p.m. on the property, 16 Keon street, Thornbury, auction of s.t. w.b. dwelling, 4 rooms, on land 25 x 132. See advertisement.

By Gray and Johnson, estate agents (G. T. Bourke, auctioneer), on Wednesday, July 22, at 3 p.m. on the property, 24 Crawley street, Preston; auction of d.f. brick villa, five rooms and conveniences. See advertisement.

Red Cross Ball. In the Northcote Town Hall on Wednesday night a good muster of citizens attended the Cinderella Ball held by the Northcote Social Club in conjunction with the Northcote Red Cross Auxiliary. Dancing filled a happy evening, and supper was catered for by Mrs. Olorenshaw, of Normanby Hall, Thornbury, in her usual capable and tempting manner.

As a result a goodly sum will be added to the funds of the auxiliary, which assists the Royal Melbourne Hospital. Dr. S. Dennis (mayor) acted as chairman, the town clerk (Mr. A. Clark, Northcote) and Mr. W. M. Houston joint hon. secretaries and treasurers, and the committee was composed of Messames Dennis, R. Thompson, M. C. Jones, W. Glanfield, J. J. Ryan, and Messrs H. Kennard, J. Gould, E. L. Sharp and J. Ross.

The mayor announced that about £50 had been raised by this effort. Mrs. Green and Lady Stowell, representing the Hospital, congratulated the auxiliary and club on the organization and expressed appreciation.

Hospital Inspection. Members of the Preston St. Vincent's Hospital Auxiliary held their meeting (a Fruit Afternoon) in the Board Room, St. Vincent's Hospital on Wednesday.

The guests were received by the acting president of the auxiliaries (Mrs. J. J. Daly) and the president of Preston auxiliary (Mrs. C. T. Crisp), and after afternoon tea inspected the hospital.

Among those present were—The hon. secretary (Mrs. A. Ludeman), hon. treasurer (Mrs. Webster), Messames H. P. Zwar, C. Crooke, W. H. Treagar, Spence, A. Condon, J. G. W. Shaw, M. C. O'Brien, Cahill, Quinn, McCarthy, Thomas, Lane, McGinty, Sier, McFadden, Street, Hardnack, Thomas, Piper, and Carter.

Annual Meeting. The annual meeting of the Northcote Council on Monday, J. McCarty and 25 other property owners voted protesting against the proposal to construct a drain between Ryan and Trail streets, in the ground that the cost was excessive.

There were many other objectors present. Mr. Higgins said that he had done much filling and did not want the drain. There was a definite slope to Trail street, by his land.

Mr. Corry said that the easement was of no use to him, and the price was far too high. He was billed for £7. He had cemented his yard.

Five others objected to the scheme, some on the ground of excessive cost, and others that the work was unnecessary as the land was already well drained. One said the work should have been done some years ago.

Mr. French moved that the plans be adopted. Cr. Turner seconded. Cr. Peters moved an amendment that the matter be referred back to the Public Works Committee, as there was no money available.

The amendment was lost, and the motion carried.

CLEVELAND STREET AND LANE. The council also decided to proceed with the construction of Cleveland street and a lane to Reid street. Many property owners objected to this work at a previous meeting of the council, and at the stage further consideration of the plans was deferred to enable a notice to be served.

Debate. The Northcote S.S.L.L. debating team to meet St. Kilda on Friday, July 17, at 8 p.m. at the home of H. S. W. Marshall. The subject is: "The increased employment of women in industry is harmful to the community." Northcote will take the affirmative. The debate will commence at 8 p.m.

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BELL SCHOOL NEWS. Enjoyable house parties have been given recently by members of the Mothers' Club to raise funds for school requisites and the Christmas treat. Thanks are due to Mrs. Parker, Miss Langdon and Mrs. Rankin, the promoters. Other afternoons are being planned.

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Annual Meeting West Preston Progress Association

PAST YEAR'S ACTIVITIES. The annual meeting on July 8 attracted a large attendance of members, and the reports of the various activities during the year were well received. The secretary's report disclosed that thirty-two communications had been forwarded to the Council, and while in certain respects expectations had not been fulfilled, it was gratifying to members to know that some very marked improvements had been effected.

The financial position of the Association is shown to be particularly good, and the result of the expenditure submitted by the building committee reveals wise management in the affairs of the Association. The credit balance of approximately £100, after allowing for an expenditure of £200, is pleasing, and this, together with the credit balance disclosed in the general account, will be of material assistance in financing contemplated improvements to the hall.

The social activities of the Association has proved a great success, and the attendance at functions held under its auspices has severely tested the capacity of the hall. The secretary (Mr. N. O'Neill) and those associated with him are to be congratulated on the result of their efforts.

The elections for the various offices in the Association were keenly contested, and resulted in Mr. A. Wicks being elected president, Messrs Uhlhorn and Heppner vice-presidents, with Messrs J. Cuffe and R. Winter treasurer and secretary respectively.

The general committee, Messrs Ewen, A. Clark, N. Clarke, Garlick, Hannaford, Haggart, Vandervulps and Wyld, is fully representative of all sections of the Ward, and the building committee, Messrs Cuffe, N. Clarke, Stack and Wills, happily blends business and business experience. Trustees are Messrs Chapman and Winter.

No effort will be spared in the coming year to increase the strength of the Association by the enrolment of additional ratepayers and the preparation of an appeal to assist in the purchase of the site for the new hall. With this end in view and having regard to the social position of the Association, the membership subscription has been reduced and arrangements are in hand to inaugurate a vigorous drive throughout the Ward.

LACROSSE. D SECTION. Progress Defeat Teachers' College. The above match, played at Preston, resulted in a good win for the locals, who outmarched their clever opponents in all parts of the game. In the third quarter Preston, with a sudden burst, added three goals, while the Teachers failed to score. Final scores:—Progress 8, Teachers' College 7.

St. George's Road Collision. A collision occurred between a motor truck and a milk cart on the morning of June 9 in St. George's road. As a result the driver of the milk cart, Albert Bradford, Malpas street, Preston, was fined £3 at Northcote Court on Tuesday for having driven on the wrong side of St. George's road, in contravention of the Northcote City by-law.

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Tree Planting. During the past week 63 Poplar trees were planted along the bonny daisy fence of the school ground. Altogether, there are now 160 trees planted in the grounds and they consist of planes, Queensland box, and poplars. In years to come these trees will do much to beautify the surroundings as well as providing shade and breakwinds.



SCOUT LAW No. 7

A Scout obeys orders of his parents, Patrol Leader, or Scoutmaster without question. This law is closely allied to the loyalty which Scouts feel to their leaders, and others that the work was unnecessary as the land was already well drained. One said the work should have been done some years ago.

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DRAIN CONSTRUCTION

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There were many other objectors present. Mr. Higgins said that he had done much filling and did not want the drain. There was a definite slope to Trail street, by his land.

Mr. Corry said that the easement was of no use to him, and the price was far too high. He was billed for £7. He had cemented his yard.

Five others objected to the scheme, some on the ground of excessive cost, and others that the work was unnecessary as the land was already well drained. One said the work should have been done some years ago.

Mr. French moved that the plans be adopted. Cr. Turner seconded. Cr. Peters moved an amendment that the matter be referred back to the Public Works Committee, as there was no money available.

The amendment was lost, and the motion carried.

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NORTHCOOTE'S IMPRESSIVE WIN

Too Strong for Yarraville
SYSTEMATIC GAME: MANY INJURIES

The meeting of Northcoote and Yarraville was expected to produce some splendid football, as both teams have been in premiership honors in recent years.

THE TEAMS
Yarraville.—Backs: Hall, Ryan, Cave. Half-backs: Rawson, Parks, Storey. Centres: Penny, Kenny, Boniface. Half-forwards: McGrath, Willford, Turner. Forwards: Buckley, Howarth, Hopkins. Followers: Evans, Peters. Rover: Wedgwood. 19th man: Coppock.

THE PLAY
Northcoote soon got under way, and showing plenty of dash, soon began to build up a handy lead.

Yarraville strove to make up the loss, but Northcoote with crisp attacking long kicking and splendid aerial work attacked relentlessly and continued to forge ahead.

Yarraville, by the use of hand-ball and good system infused plenty of vim into the game.

Northcoote was well served by Ross who roved splendidly, and made many openings. Holden and Lyngoin were consistent defenders.

Final scores:
NORTHCOOTE 16-14 (110 pts)
YARRAVILLE 6-13 (61 pts)

GOAL-KICKERS.—Northcoote: Seymour (5), Honig (3), Simmonds (2), Downie (2), Smith, Gray, O'Shea, Ross. Yarraville: Buckley (2), Wedgwood (2), Howarth (2), Hall, Hopkins.

Table with 5 columns: Club, P, W, L, Pts. Lists scores for Brunwick, Prahran, Camberwell, Brighton, Coburg, Northcoote, Preston, Williamstown, Yarraville, Melburnians, Oakleigh, Port Melbourne.

United Churches Association

As the first four teams were again opposed, no material change took place as regards positions last Saturday.

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PRESTON WINS BY CLEVER TACTICS

Hard Match Against Oakleigh

By good generalship Preston downed Oakleigh in a hard game on Saturday at Preston and the home side gaining victory with a comfortable margin.

THE TEAMS
Preston.—Backs: Maslin, A. Hyde, Cannaway. Half-backs: Gale, Blackman, Brown. Centres: Cluck, G. O'Connor. Half-forwards: Chapman, Hutton. Forwards: Murray, Fisher, Dunstone.

THE PLAY
Preston continued to attack, and play was exciting as the scores were one way and then the other, but soon became apparent that Preston held off the Oakleigh rushes.

Final scores:
PRESTON 17-11 (101 points)
OAKLEIGH 11-6 (61 points)

GOAL-KICKERS.—Preston: Fisher (4), Harding (3), Dunstone (3), Hutton (2), Hyde, Oakleigh—Anderson (5), Chapman (2), Heintz (2), Campbell (2), Wilnot, Kennedy, Harrison.

ENTHUSIASTIC BOXING
GOOD MUSTER ATTENDS
A GOOD crowd attended the "Gympah" Amateur boxing contest, on Saturday night to witness the elimination boxing contest for Northcoote District Boxers.

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REGGESS DEFEATS ABORIGINAL
At Fitzroy last week, Jacky Burgess defeated a low swinging aboriginal body, by decisively disposing of Tommy Jaro, 9.8, in the sixth round.

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BASEBALL

NORTHCOOTE AND PRESTON CHURCHES' ASSOCIATION
Croton A Defeat Epiphany
Although both teams started off with good baseball, toward the concluding stages of the game Epiphany faded away, and Croton won comfortably.

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Preston Football Club Ball

PLAYERS IN BALLET
One of the high-lights of the football season for the Preston Club is the annual ball which was held this year on Wednesday, July 8.

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The Church with a Welcome
July 19—Sixth Sunday After Trinity
8 a.m.: Holy Communion.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND
Plenty Road, East Preston
Sunday 19th July
8 a.m.: Holy Communion.

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY
Bayview Street, Northcote
8 a.m.: Holy Communion.

NORTHCOTE PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH
Sunday, July 12
11 and 7—Usual Services.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
FOURTH CHURCH, 401 HIGH ST.
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THE BIG MARQUEE
Sunday, July 19, 1936
8 p.m.: Subject—"The Halo-Abyssinian Question" Spenser G. G. Stewart.

MISSION TO LEPERS
Special Services—Sunday, July 19
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MR. JACK CROFT
(A RESIDENT PROGRESSIVE CANDIDATE)
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Meeting of his Friends and Supporters:
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EAST WARD SEAT
CR. B. E. JOHNSON, J.P.,
ANNOUNCES that He WILL BE A CANDIDATE for the
EAST WARD SEAT in the NORTHCOTE CITY COUNCIL
at the forthcoming August Elections.

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Who is a Candidate for the above
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TENDERS
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Six Hundred Attend Preston Return Ball

HOSPITALITY TO MAYOR AND MAYORESS

Thursday, July 16, was a day to remember in the annals of the City of Preston, when 600 citizens were present at the City Hall to return hospitality to the Mayor and Mayoress (Cr and Mrs H. Swain) and also to congratulate Cr Swain on his 71st Birthday.

DECORATIVE SCHEME
Orange Iceland poppies were used in the decorative scheme of the ball-room. Epergnes of poppies relieved with fresh gum-tips and asparagus fern brightened the window embrasures and balconies.

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At an interval, Mr. Zwar, the chairman of the Return Ball Committee, from the stage said that the Mayor had carried out the mayoral duties in a splendid manner, and the residents desired to show appreciation of his efforts.

During the supper, a surprise was in store, the lights being "blacked-out" and a monster birthday cake of three tiers, with 71 candles blazing, was carried into the main supper room.

Birthday congratulations were conveyed to the mayor on behalf of the assembly by Mr. W. H. Webber, who also made presentations to the mayor of a pair of sleeve-links, a set of diamond studs, and a tobacco pouch, and when he cut the birthday cake the company sang a birthday greeting.

Carefully set were the upper-tables in the main supper-room and stage, and in the engineers' and town clerk's offices. Here the guests were all comfortably seated and were well cared for by the deft waiters.

Attractive catering
The mayor returned thanks. He thanked all who had assisted him during the year, especially the town hall staff who had given wonderful service. Concluding the mayor made a presentation of a gold locket bangle to little Misses Dorothy Bird and Aileen Bird, for services rendered at the mayoral ball.

THE SUPPER
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NAMES IN THE NEWS

MR. E. LANGFIELD, of High Street, Thornbury, is recovering after undergoing an operation. MR. E. E. O'GRADY, the presiding magistrate at the Northcote court has returned to the bench after three weeks' leave.

MRS. F. STONE, of Flinders Street, Thornbury is confined to her home by illness. MRS. SLATCHFORD, and her son Reginald, of Ethel Street, Thornbury, spent last week-end at Bendigo.

THE STORK has visited Mr and Mrs. N. Baxter, of Union Street Northcote, bringing a daughter. ON FRIDAY July 17, Mrs. Emma S. Bearham, of Balmssdale, died, suddenly, at a private hospital. She was the wife of Mr. George Bearham M.A., and Dr. George Bearham of St. George's road, Northcote is an only son.

MR and MRS. G. A. DALGLEISH, of High Street, Croxton, who are prominent members of the Clifton Hill Skating rink, recently filled second place in a heat, and second place in the semi-final of a Couples skating competition.

MR. H. H. OLNEY, M. L. C. and Mrs. Olney, recently returned from a holiday trip to Japan. Both are well-known in Northcote. DR. SWAN, M.A., B.D., an Australian, who took an excellent course at the Berkeley University, California, is on a visit to his mother-in-law (Mrs. Madsen) of St. George's road, Northcote. He will speak at the High Street and Thornbury Methodist churches on Sunday. It is of interest to note that the late Rev. Madsen was a past president of the Methodist Conference.

A DAUGHTER has been born to Mr and Mrs. Frank G. Collins now of Adelaide, but formerly of Northcote. The new arrival has been named Judith Ann.

THE DEATH OCCURRED on July 15 of Mrs. Johanna Bailey, of Emaline street, Northcote at the age of 82 years. She leaves a husband and family. The interment was made at the Fawkner cemetery.

AT THE MELBOURNE Hospital on July 15, Mr. William Carson Mitchell passed away, at the age of 43. He was a resident of McDonald street, Dennis. His wife survives him.

AT THE AGE of 68 years, Mr. Isaac Johnston, husband of Mrs. Elizabeth Johnston, a well-known resident of McCracken avenue, Northcote, died at Garfield, suddenly on July 16.

News of the Lodges

STAR OF NORTHCOTE TENT, L.O.R. On July 16 Bro. W. J. Dennis, C.R., presided over a large attendance at the fortnightly meeting. Balance sheets of Dennis and Croxton Junior Tents showed that both were making good progress. It is probable that all six Junior tents will enter for the Model Tent competition conducted by the District, for which a cup is awarded. A meeting to discuss hall renovations will be held next Friday night. After business, bowls matches were played. The B team remains unbeaten by defeating Ivanhoe 16-9; but A team lost to North Preston 11-18. The syllabus item for next meeting (July 30) is quarterly social evening, the business meeting to start at 7.45 p.m.

R.A.O.B. Prince of Wales Lodge. The Royal Antislavery Order of Buffaloes is one of the most ancient orders, records of its workings before 1771 being existent. An Order, which has 8,000 lodges in all parts of the world, is non-political, non-sectarian; and philanthropy and conviviality play a prominent part. The objects are to relieve the poor, to assist necessitous brethren, widows, or dependants or deceased brethren, etc. The Prince of Wales lodge, formed twelve years ago, is a branch of this great organization, and meets every Wednesday night at Dispensary Hall Gooch street, Thornbury. Many good functions have been carried out by the lodge, and details may be obtained from the secretary. (See advertisement.)

TEN CASES OF JAM. FALSE PRETENCES CHARGE. How a jam-manufacturer supplied ten cases of jam to a man, who had had former dealings, because he was led to believe that the goods would be distributed to theatre patrons, was the subject of a charge of having obtained goods by false pretences. The evidence showed that a telephone message, purporting to come from the defendant as received by Ernest W. Williams a director of Hy. Williams and Sons, Alphington, who was requested to sell on cases of jam. The jam, according to the message was intended for distribution at certain picture theatres. The jam was taken away from the factory by a carrier. The carrier, Ernest John Henry of Brunswick, told how he delivered the jam to a grocer in Rathdown street, Carlton, and the grocer, Thomas William Wilcox, informed the court that he had bought the jam from the defendant for 11/12/-.

Defendant was committed for trial at General Sessions on August 3, bail being fixed at £50 with a surety of a like amount.

NORTHCOTE COURT. TUESDAY, JULY 21. Before Mr. E. E. O'Grady P.M. Mr. J. Hartnett and Mrs. M.A. Buckingham J's, P. No Hear Light. Charles J. Power, of Summer avenue, Northcote, was fined 10/- on a charge of exceeding driver's motor truck in Ethel street, Northcote, without a rear light.

No Name on Wagon. Because he drove a wagon on the side of which his name was not painted, Albert Forth, Swift, Creche, in addition to the cash donations, many local businessmen have given donations of materials.

Railway Charge. On July 14 a ticket-checker found Elaine Morley, of Park street, Northcote, riding in a first-class carriage, and holding a second-class ticket between Victoria Park and Dennis. She was fined £1 with 7/6 costs.

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### PRESTON MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

**EAST WARD**  
Despite inclement weather, an enthusiastic committee meeting for Mr. T. Andrews was held during last week to report work done to date. Mr. Read, of Bell street, was voted to the chair. Mr. O'Meara, reported the canvass was well in hand. Mr. Fred Morgan said residents were anxious to have a resident candidate to care for their interests. Reference was made that despite the fact that



MR. T. ANDREWS

Preston had rollers and a bitumen plant, a Northcote roller and supervisor were to be seen at work in plenty.

### WEST WARD

An enthusiastic meeting of supporters of Mr. J. Croft was held in the Methodist School Hall, Murray road, on Tuesday. Reports were favourable.

Mr. Croft outlined several points and the meeting was interested to know that his advice was being sought by the Advisory Board of the new technical school on the proposal to establish a textile course at the school. Another matter was that of sub-division of the West Ward so that ratepayers could have fuller representation. The campaign is proceeding satisfactorily.

### PRESTON MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

#### WEST WARD

##### MR. JACK CROFT AT RESERVOIR

Mr. Jack Croft, of Reservoir, who is contesting the west ward municipal election, addressed a large attendance of ratepayers and residents in the Methodist school room, George street, on July 14. Mr. Robinson occupied the chair. The candidate was heartily received, and outlined his aims. He particularly stressed his desire to work for the progressive interests of the city as a whole, and saw undoubted possibilities in the west ward. He strongly advocated the subdivision of the ward; and also intimated his interest in the new technical school, his advice having already been solicited.

### BELL SCHOOL NEWS

On Saturday the Jumble fair is to take place to provide funds for the Xmas treat.  
Mr. H. O'Brien, head teacher, has added to his latest equipment at the school a film-script projector, whereby the children are shown scenes, industries, and physiological series by means of films. This is a new device in visual education, and should prove of great benefit.

### GOLF

#### HIGHLAND PARK CLUB

The second round of the club championship last Saturday saw the defending champion (Eric Thomas) leading by four strokes from a promising player in Eric Gibaud (last Australian champion excellent). The stroke handicap was won by Eric Gibaud from Wally Thomas, with four players sharing third. Results:—  
Championship aggregate scores: W. Gibaud 181, E. Gibaud 175, A. Wild 184, I. Glowry 186, S. McInyre 181, S. Davies 173, J. Jones 175-22, P. Ryan 176-23.

#### PRESTON BRANCH A.N.A.

There was a good attendance of members at the meeting on Monday. Mr. H. Rancecroft was in the chair, and among the reports was one from the Preston Dispensary Committee. Miniature rifle shooting is a popular sport in the branch at present, and several of the members have reached a high standard. The leaders are Messrs Moylan, Decker, Jeffrey, Hepburn, Jones and Morris, and the final promises to be made for an address by Mr. Bruce Brown on "Monetary Reform" at the next meeting.

At the conclusion of the ordinary business, members were the guests of the A. W. A. The lodge room was filled to capacity and items rendered by the president of the A. W. A. (Mrs Windle) and "Girle" Greenwood, followed by musical numbers and dancing. The evening most enjoyable. Visitors were present from the Northcote A.W.A., and mutual greetings were exchanged by the presidents. The arrangements were excellent, and Mrs. Windle and those associated with her are to be congratulated.

#### WEST WARD

##### MR. E. D. PEADY

The campaign is progressing very satisfactorily. All the cards for the personal canvass have been completed. Several canvassers have been operating for over a week and very excellent reports of support for Mr Peady are to hand.

## Activities at Preston

**Custom Hatching**  
Northcote-R.A.S.I.L.A. The debating team was successful last Friday against the St. Kilda branch. The subject was: "The increasing competition of women in industry is harmful to the community." Northcote took the affirmative view and won by nine points. Next Tuesday Northcote will debate Caulfield on the subject: "That the Hitler regime has proved beneficial to Germany." Northcote will take the negative.

**Rowing Club Bazaar**  
THE Preston Ladies' Rowing Club is holding a bazaar at the Byland street Church Hall on Friday and Saturday, July 31 and August 1. All sorts of novelties for children, well-stocked with sponge cakes, competition, and Mickey Mouse will be some of the many attractions. The opening ceremony will be performed on the Friday night at 7.30 by the mayoress of Preston (Mrs H. Swain). Proceeds will go to the building funds.

**False Fire Alarm**  
THERE has been many false alarms of fire in Preston in the past few weeks. A pleasant surprise was given to the fire brigade when a girl, One youth was presented in Preston Court on Wednesday; and it is likely that the other youth and the girl will appear before the children's court.

**AW.N.L.**  
THE quarterly meeting of the Preston branch of the Australian Women's National League was held in Preston town hall on Monday. There was a representative gathering from the various women's organisations who were most interested in a stirring address given by Mr. Ramsay Muller on "Slum Abolition." The programme was conducted by Mrs. Lee, Miss McPherson and Miss Macnee.

**Basketball**  
PRESTON branch P.A.F.S. basketball team played Northcote last Saturday afternoon. Scores were: Northcote 26 goals; Preston 18. Next Saturday, Preston meet Newmarket.

**Mothers' Clubs and School Committees**  
IN Preston Town Hall on Thursday evening July 30 members of Mothers' Clubs and School Committees are to be entertained at a dance by the Mayor and Mayoress.

**160 Mile Road Race**  
THE annual 160 mile Barnet Glass Road Race which finishes at Preston will be held in September. Starting from Kew the course is via Lydiard, Heathville, Narbetham, Buxton, Alexandria, Yea, Flowerdale, Kinglake, Whittiesia, Mernda and Epping.

**Reservoir Branch of Christ Ladies' Guild**  
The monthly meeting was held at the home of Mrs J. O. Iles. Mrs Cameron presided and welcomed several visitors. A pleasant time was spent with singing &c., and a talk by Mrs Cameron on "The Touch of Faith." Parents were included A. Wilson, J. Jowett, T. Easton, R. Coleman and V. Kirkland. The slow pack included Arthur Trotman, who has resumed training. E. Short and Alex Reid.

**Notes**  
On August 1 the 10,000 metres Ferguson memorial race will be held at Maribyrnong, and this club will be represented by W. Weightman, J. Jowett and T. Easton. A keen race for fastest time should ensue between W. Weightman and Hassard, both off scratch.

**Annual Relay Race at Ivanhoe**  
A team of ten runners will be needed for this race on August 8. For the club five-miler on Saturday, members are asked to meet at East Preston tram terminus not later than 3 p.m.

**The Misses Edwards, who are the principals of Westleigh College, Northcote, and the branch school in Preston, with the co-operation of the parents, have every intention of establishing both those centres progressive schools worthy of the suburbs in which they are situated.**

**Demonstration of social water and Pep Steps will be given by Gerald Hales and Rene Nicholson at Northcote Town Hall on Saturday night. Old-Time and Modern Dancing. Admission 1/4.**

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"The Walking Dead" comes to the Rivoli Theatre on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, July 29, 30 and 31. The story is about a group of racketeers headed by Nolan, an attorney (Ricardo Cortez) and Lodler, political boss (Marton MacLane), are seeking a method of getting rid of Judge Shaw (Joseph King). John Ellman (Boris Karloff) is released from prison, and the racketeers seize the opportunity to kill Judge Shaw and leave evidence pointing to Ellman, who is convicted and sentenced to die in the electric chair.

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#### EAST WARD ELECTION

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### THANKS

SMITH — Mrs Smith and family desire to THANK their many relatives and friends for letters, cards, telegrams, floral tributes, and personal expressions of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement—65 Leicester St., Preston.

### AMUSEMENTS

#### SUNDAY EVENING, August 9

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PRESTON DISAPPOINTED
Amazing Finish by Camberwell
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After leading comfortably for three quarters, Preston were gradually worn down by Camberwell last Saturday and deprived of the opportunity of contesting the 1936 pennant.

In the last quarter Camberwell came at Preston determinedly and by keeping up a constant attack, won by 15 points. At the beginning of the term they appeared to be hopelessly defeated, but managed a remarkable recovery.

The Teams
Camberwell.—Backs: Finlayson, Henderson, Boag. Half-backs: Rowe, Slettleck, N. Clump. Centres: Pierce, R. Williams, Wilson. Half-forwards: Vane, A. Davidson, Tatham, Ware, Followers: Mason, T. O'Halloran, Meehan, Rover: H. Davidson, 19th man: Delaney.

Preston.—Backs: Maslem, Hyde, Brown, Half-backs: Brown, Gale, Underhill. Centres: Clark, Mott, Underhill. Half-forwards: Beagley, Hughson, Clarke. Forwards: Murray, Fisher, Warr, Followers: Harding, Cooper, Rover: Dutton, 19th man: Whitechurch. Whitechurch replaced Cannaway (injured) in last quarter.

The defeat of Preston at Camberwell last Saturday, where the home side staged an amazing last quarter (assisted materially by the strong breeze) has marred Preston's play of the better football in the first four.

Throughout the afternoon Preston played the better football, displaying by always taking the initiative and making the attacks more purposeful.

The scores at half-time were: Preston—7-8 (30 pts.), Camberwell—0-1 (1 point). With the advantage of the breeze in the second quarter, Camberwell managed to reduce the deficit before the adjournment, mainly through the efforts of A. Davidson, Jones, Meehan and O'Halloran.

Preston continued to give a far better display by always taking the initiative and making the attacks more purposeful. The scores at half-time were: Preston—8-11 (65 pts.), Camberwell—4-8 (42 pts.).

Though Camberwell played considerably better after the adjournment, they were unable to effect a successful counter to the doggedness of the attacks continually launched by Preston, who at the last change led by 24 points, the score being: Preston—11-17 (83 pts.), Camberwell—7-7 (55 pts.).

Quite a different complexion came over the game in the last quarter when Camberwell entirely held away. They attacked forcefully and after 15 minutes of play had taken the lead and at the same time be- wildered their opponents by their dazzling finish.

However, a rather remarkable last quarter rally by Camberwell, when they scored 7 goals 2 behind to 1 point by Preston, enabled them to win by 15 points, which changed the game from one of no interest into one full of excitement and tense moments.

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CHURCH NEWS

Holy Trinity, Thornbury. A successful card evening was held at the home of Mrs. Winch on Monday, July 13. The vicarage was the rendezvous for a flag social in aid of the Boys' Club in the Kindergarten Hall was a great success.

Last Sunday the vicar, in the morning, preached on the subject "The Menace of Anger" based upon the gospel for the day. Evening singing, and the vicar's subject was "The Gospel of the Living Presence of Christ." He contended that the Living Presence of God had transformed the world and was still its real hope.

Northcote Church of Christ Last Sunday Pastor Saunders preached at both services. The morning service was well attended, and the reports showed that progress is being maintained.

To aid the Sweets stall at the annual sale of work, a social evening was held last Saturday.

Church of the Epiphany At evening last Sunday the Rev. T. Cole was the special preacher, and was warmly welcomed on his return to his former church. The Young People's Club conducted the services. The Vicar (Rev. F. E. Thornton) exchanged with the

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CHURCH NOTICES HOLY TRINITY, THORNBURY Shutesbury Pde. (off High St.) Sunday, July 20, 7.30 a.m.: Holy Communion, 4.15 p.m.: Evensong and Sermon. Celebrant and Preacher the Vicar: Miss Peggy Lot, soprano.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND, Plenty Rd., E. Preston 8 a.m.: Holy Communion, 10 a.m.: Service for Children, 11 a.m.: Matins, 7 p.m.: Evensong. Rev. Arthur M. Capper, Vicar.

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY Buryview Street, Northcote Sunday, July 26 8 a.m.: Holy Communion, 7 p.m.: Evensong. Rev. F. E. Thornton, Vicar.

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Cr. Johnson has now announced that he will definitely be re-nominate for the seat in the Northcote Council. He has long and consistent service in the Council. Mr. Robinson hereby announces that he will not be a candidate for the seat. He also desires to thank those ratepayers who have long and consistent assistance in his anticipated candidature.

WANTED The bridesmaids were the Misses Violet Bartlett and Mr. Reuben Bryan at the Church of the Epiphany, Northcote, on July 4. The bride was attended by her two sisters, and two brothers, who supported the groom. E. Smith, who also played wedding music.

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accompanied by Mr. John Clappison, who gave her away. She chose a smart costume of Oxford gown, and wearing navy trimmings and becoming hat to tone, and held a dainty bouquet of autumn flowers. Mrs. Carah was the organist, and prior to the bride's arrival and during the signing of the register rendered several solos. The bridegroom, who was wearing a tuxedo, received the bride at her home, Cunningham street, Northcote, and entertained at the wedding tea. The bridegroom wore a tuxedo, and the bride wore a gown of autumn brown ensemble with velvet hat to match, and a long gold chain. The bridegroom's mother wore a black fur-trimmed coat over her black matt crepe dress, and a small black felt toque. A shoulder spray of deep cream roses graced her coat.

A wedding cake held pride of place and was made by Miss K. Clappison, a friend of the bride. Later in the afternoon, the couple left for Warburton. They will make their future home in Northcote.

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Wedding Bells

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A beautiful gown of magenta satin with a cowl neck and full sleeves was chosen by the bride. Her long train, finely pleated, was adorned with three lower's knots of pearls, and a halo of orange blossom caught her tulle veil. Gladstone, amaranth and tuber roses composed her bouquet.

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accompanied by Mr. John Clappison, who gave her away. She chose a smart costume of Oxford gown, and wearing navy trimmings and becoming hat to tone, and held a dainty bouquet of autumn flowers. Mrs. Carah was the organist, and prior to the bride's arrival and during the signing of the register rendered several solos. The bridegroom, who was wearing a tuxedo, received the bride at her home, Cunningham street, Northcote, and entertained at the wedding tea. The bridegroom wore a tuxedo, and the bride wore a gown of autumn brown ensemble with velvet hat to match, and a long gold chain. The bridegroom's mother wore a black fur-trimmed coat over her black matt crepe dress, and a small black felt toque. A shoulder spray of deep cream roses graced her coat.

A wedding cake held pride of place and was made by Miss K. Clappison, a friend of the bride. Later in the afternoon, the couple left for Warburton. They will make their future home in Northcote.

BRYAN — BARTLETT REV. F. E. THORNTON solemnized the wedding of Miss Almee Violet Bartlett and Mr. Reuben Bryan at the Church of the Epiphany, Northcote, on July 4. The bride was attended by her two sisters, and two brothers, who supported the groom. E. Smith, who also played wedding music.

At the Memorial Hall, Northcote, many guests were entertained at the breakfast, and Rev. Chamberlain presided. Songs by Miss Lot and dancing followed. Before leaving for the home, the bride doctored the organ. The bride wore a costume of russet with black hat and accessories. On their return they will reside in Abbotsford. The bride's mother elected a black tailored costume and toque, and carried carnations. A figured maroon frock with black belt was favored by the groom's mother, and her flowers were pink carnations.

HANGER — JOHNSTONE ON July 4, at the Methodist Church, Ivanhoe, Rev. Crane joined in marriage Mr. Edward Charles Hanger, eldest son of Mr. Charles Hanger, of Northcote, and Miss Lorraine Bartlett, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lorraine Bartlett, of Northcote. The bride looked charming as she entered the church on the arm of her father. She was accompanied by her sister, Irene, and Mr. Clyde Johnston, her best man.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, and a most enjoyable night was spent. The couple later motored to the country for their honeymoon. Gifts, including a full canteen of cutlery from S. A. Cullen, were received. They will reside at Preston.

FASHION NOTES

To solve the problem of a dull neckline, place a rather wide strip of white satin, tie the upper part round your neck with a narrow velvet ribbon, and let the top fall over to form a collar. A new way to wear a triangular collar all over to form a collar. A new way to wear a triangular collar all over to form a collar. A new way to wear a triangular collar all over to form a collar.

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BLOUSE PROBLEM "Yda Lapina, playing opposite George Raft in Paramount's "You're for the Asking," has bloused a blouse problem. Sheer fabric, white evening dress, a feminine feeling to a line. The blouse is a favorite accessory for informal hours. But the problem they present in slipping it down the skirt has been banished by ordering tailored blouses of handkerchief linen or similar material, made with tailored top-ins attached to the blouse.

NEW VERSIONS A smart version of the culotte, a fashion that is literally increasing by leaps and bounds because of its adaptability in active sports, is devised for Loreta Young and Misses Betty and Audrey Bartlett were the maids and chose dainty frocks of white, and each carried a bouquet of pink flowers, roses and sweet peas. Miss Lorraine Bartlett, as flower girl, was frocked in pale pink georgette, with tulle skirt and a pink halo. Her basket was filled with pink flowers.

The groom, who is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Bryan, of Eastgates, Northcote, was assisted by Messrs David and Lloyd Bryan as best man and groomsmen respectively, and the ushers were Messrs Herman and Raymond Bartlett (brothers of the bride).

HONIG — JOHNSTONE A QUIET wedding was celebrated on July 4 when Miss Iris Johnston, of Barker's road, Hawthorn, became the wife of Mr. E. Honig, of Croxton. The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Lorrimer A. Johnston. She was attired in a modish fawn tulle suit with Peter Pan collar of fur. Her hair, shoes and handbag were en suite.

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In his fifth Melbourne contest, Snoddy Clarke, 110, the Westralian champion, finished off Dal Costa, 8.12, in the second round.

PROMINENT PERSONALITIES

MR. ARTHUR SHANDS

Always interested in sport, Mr. Arthur Shands, well-known tailor of High Street, Westgarth, was captain of the Yarra Yarra Golf club for two years.

In 1908 he commenced business on his own account in his present location. Mr. Shands was connected with the Royal Philharmonic Choir for several years, having a pleasant tenor voice.

TRAFFIC CODE BEING ENFORCED

The new traffic code is now being enforced. Though it nominally became enforceable on June 3, in practice it has not been strictly enforced.

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Preston Council Meets

MONDAY JULY 27. The monthly meeting of the Preston council was held on Monday, July 27, at 7.30 p.m.

PRESTON METHODIST CHURCH

The quarterly meeting of the Preston Methodist circuit revealed a very healthy condition throughout.

Preston Lawn Tennis Association

ANNUAL MEETING. The annual meeting of the Preston Lawn Tennis Association was held at the Regent pavilion on Tuesday July 14.

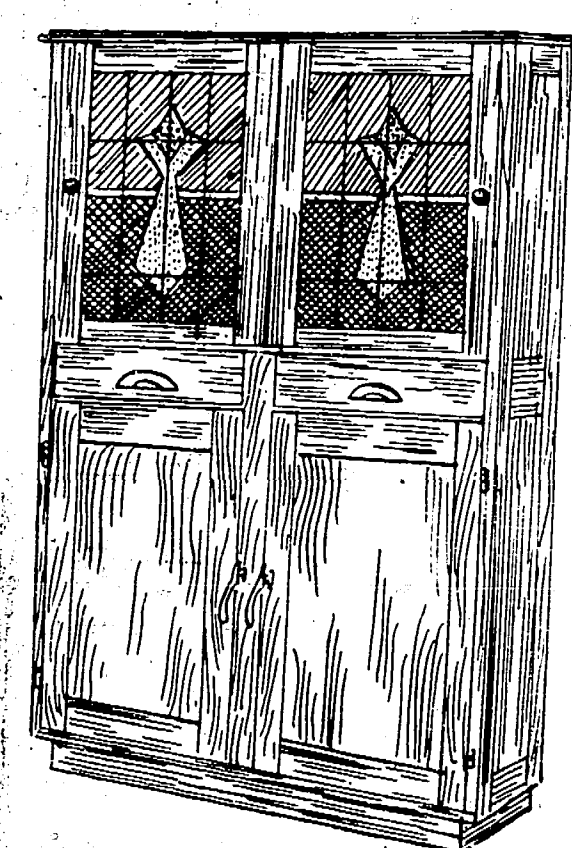
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CYCLIST INJURED IN COLLISION. On Sunday night, James Brogan, aged 23 years, of Wood street, Preston, sustained a badly lacerated ear and other injuries when a bicycle, which he was riding, came into collision with a motor car in Albion street, Brunswick.



WEALTHY--- BUT POOR!

PROMINENT PERSONALITIES

MR. C. A. A. SCHWABACH

That phrase sums up the strange contradiction of the world to-day. Wealthy in goods, in the power to produce, in immeasurable quantities, everything that is needed for the continuance and comfort of life, able to provide all with food, clothing, shelter, security, education, culture, leisure and anything else material, and yet so miserably poor in spirit, so chained to old conceptions of scarcity, so ignorant of the reality of the bounty of Nature, and so greatly apathetic that millions are permitted to suffer want and misery. Want and misery breed despair, foster crime, and begot rebellion that may yet make us suffer for our stupidity unless we act in time to remove the cause.

We have discussed the undoubted right of all to share in the benefits of civilization up to the fullest limits of desire and power to produce. There is an abundance of right is ours by inheritance from past ages and belongs to all and not alone to the few; and we know all too well that the present is the result of the action of the banks themselves, and that these deposits are not, generally speaking, the result of the savings of the people. No hesitation, but quite simple, banks "make" money by granting overdrafts and in other ways. We think at that making money was a sovereign right of the nation, but we, the people, have allowed the banks to exercise this sovereign right. Well, someone has got to make it, and if we, the people, do not, it serves us right if someone else appropriates the right. But it does seem hard that we should pay them for permission to use our own. Do we pay them? Well, a glance at the nation's interest will show that we do. "But how do you say 'our own'?" If the banks create "our money," isn't it theirs? says someone.

That is a nice point, and we ought to make up our minds about it. Here is the position: Money is of no value unless it can be exchanged for goods. The community, working together, makes goods and thereby creates all the values; the banks make no goods and no values; they are simply book-keepers. The sovereign right to "make" money belongs to the people, but the banks have been permitted to use this right and they use the values created by the work of the community as a basis for creation of money. This is then lent to the nation, and the nation pays interest on its own value to the banks.

Whose is the money? The answer is in your hands and there can be no doubt in the minds of all right-thinking citizens that the community should re-assess its right to establish its own electric light undertaking, and here again the wisdom and foresight of the councillors of this city has proved to be made and used so that to every citizen of this Commonwealth may flow that great benefit of economy, electricity, and the labor and achievements entitle us.

GOLF

IVANHOE CLUB

On Saturday, July 25, a Secret Hole-in-One Competition for Mr. K. Grant's trophy was played. Results: A. G. Hardes (19), 48; S. Moore (9), 50; E. A. Lee (17), 50; A. L. Sullivan (19), 51; F. D. Sinois (17), 51; A. J. Bayley (21), 51; T. Vaughan (21), 52; F. S. Impey (21), 53; H. Sloss (16), 53.

Next Saturday, Visitors' Day, Mixed Foursomes for Mr. J. J. Kelly's Trophies. (postpone a day). In the evening the monthly social and dance will be held, when the usual pleasant evening is anticipated. A first-class orchestra has been engaged, and prizes are being offered for several novelty dances. Visitors are welcomed.

Same Lamp Used for 25 Years. When charged at the Northcote court last Friday because he drove a motor car which did not have a white light to the front and a red light to the rear, George Munroe, Elm street, Northcote, said that he had used the same lamp for 25 years, and he was fined 10/-. For a similar offence, Fredrick Capp, Walsall avenue, Preston was fined 11.

For six years a Northcote councillor, and recognised as the leading historian of cycling in Australia, Mr. Carl A. A. Schwabach, had a very interesting career. He was born in Northcote in 1885, and received his education at the Helen street State school, and at Carlton College. His parents were among the pioneers of the city, having settled here in the year 1849. As a young man Mr. Schwabach was engaged in the jewellery trade for ten years. In 1901 he established a cycling business in Collins street, Melbourne. In 1906 he became manager in turn of two leading city cycling businesses. Cycling has been a lifetime sport with him and he computes that he has travelled more than 100,000 miles on them. With his first wife, he was a member of the first cycling touring party to cross the Alps. He was also prominent in track-racing, riding both the high and the safety types of machines. A noted cycling journalist, he compiled the first cycling road-map of Victoria in 1900. He has occupied many leading positions in the cycling world, amongst them being twice President of the Victorian Amateur Cycling Union; President of the Northcote Amateur Club; President of the Victorian Cycle Board of Trade. He is a past Vice-president of the Northcote Football Club.

In the years 1911-17 Mr. Schwabach served as a member of the Northcote City Council. It was during this period that there was a great deal of controversy over the proposal to lay down a tramway in St. George's road, and eventually Northcote agreed to co-operate with the adjoining municipalities to form a tramway trust with the Mayor as laying down this tramway. There some very prolonged debates on the subject, and Mr. Schwabach recalls that the council's decision to enter into the proposal was reached with a margin of only one vote, and he moved the resolution. That the tramway has been a boon to the city is now admitted by all, as it has helped to open up a vast area for the establishment of homes, which, without these transport facilities would have remained unsettled for many years.

It was during the same period that the Northcote council decided to establish its own electric light undertaking, and here again the wisdom and foresight of the councillors of this city has proved to be made and used so that to every citizen of this Commonwealth may flow that great benefit of economy, electricity, and the labor and achievements entitle us.

At the meeting of the Northcote Council on Monday, the final costs in regard to the construction of several lanes and drains were adopted. In each case the actual cost was below the estimated amount. These shunting property owners, to whom the cost of the work has been charged, will receive proportionate reductions in their assessments. The works dealt with were: lanes and drain between Thames street and Tanner grove, estimated cost £377, actual cost £189; lanes between Gadd, Kemp George's road, and St. George's road, estimated cost £1613, actual cost £1388.

Bruce Miller, Roseneath street, Clifton Hill was fined £1 at the Northcote court last Friday because he drove a motor car which was not properly illuminated.

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BRUNSWICK'S FIRST DEFEAT

Northcote Win by 42 Points

SOLID DEFENCE - RUGGED PLAY

CRUSHING defeat came to Brunswick, who, up till Saturday had held first position (undefeated) on the Premiership List. They found Northcote too rugged and solid and lost the game in the first half when their system was completely broken and thrown out of gear. SOLID defence, accurate kicking, rugged tactics with better adaption to conditions, secured the game for Northcote.

Northcote won the game in the first half through handling the greasy ball more surely, and allowing Brunswick to work a "loose man". The green and gold side showed some of that form of late years which enabled them to annex premierships. Through Brunswick, the hitherto unbeaten side, was outmanoeuvred and out-played. Brunswick was first away, but their moves were unimpaired by the strong Northcote back line. Play was taken to the other end where Seymour opened Northcote's scoring. Brunswick attacked with determination, but Holden, in goal stopped several shots. Northcote could not afford to ease up, even when, pace, drove home several thrusts. When the term ended, Northcote had a comfortable lead of 22 points, despite the fact that Brunswick had had the first use of the breeze.

Working to consolidate their position, Northcote took no chances. The home side was out-manned, out-paced and were ousted out of position. This made the home side's play look rather ragged, and militated against scoring. As a result of these tactics, Brunswick lost more ground; and at half-time it was quite apparent that the hitherto undefeated Brunswick was about to bite the mud.

V.F.A. SECONDS

Brunswick 11-15 defeated Northcote 7-17. Brunswick obtained a good lead in the first term and held it throughout. Northcote forwards were astray. Northcote's best were Frame, Westhore, Gilmore, Willoughby and Simpson. Northcote goal-kickers—Cornell, S. Sharwood, 2, Simpson and Twyman. F. F. A. Sub-Giants. Moonee Ponds 14-7 defeated Thornbury 5-9. Best players—Thornbury, Healy, L. Edwards, T. Edwards, Moss Hines, Derham. Goal-kickers, —Willburns 3, Edwards cuts.

PROTESTANT CHURCHES

Essendon Church of Christ v. Thornbury Presbyterian. Played at Essendon. Thornbury opened with the wind, and kicking with accuracy led by 1-0 to 1-2. Essendon came with a rush, and drew to within three points. The visitors got busy, and two goals were scored. At half-time Thornbury led by 7-0 to 5-4. Rain began to fall, and conditions were unpleasant. For this quarter the visitors notched 4-2 to 0-3, and had the game well in hand. Faster to the ball, and showing better anticipation, Thornbury continued to go ahead, winning very comfortably. Final scores: Thornbury 15-4, Essendon 5-8. Goal-kickers, —(Thornbury), H. Douglas 7, Payne 3, Butler, J. Chaffers, Cople Newton. Best players, H. Douglas, Butler, McDonald, Sutherland J. Hooper R. Hooper, Morrison.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL

On Wednesday or last week a match was played between the senior eighteens from the Northcote and Willamstown high schools. Northcote gained an early lead, and won comfortably. Final scores were: Northcote, 14-21; Willamstown 6-13.

Northcote goal-kickers—Payne 4, Morahan 1, Hele 2, Nance 2, Gemmel and Mather. Best players:—Payne, Williams, Jones, Morahan, Ashman, Hele, Mather Morahan and Davies.

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CHURCH NEWS

Preston Methodist Church

The aboriginal footballer, Doug, Nichols, is not only popular on the playing field, but also gives a very real message from the pulpit. He will occupy the pulpit at the Preston Methodist Church on Sunday evening next.

Methodist Babes' Home

Representatives from the Methodist Babes' Home of South Yarra came to the Preston Circuit on Sunday last; Mr. H. F. Oliver to High Street; Mr. A. E. Williams to Thomastown; and the High Street Bible Class; Mr. O. Phillips to West Preston; and Mr. Bert Hales to Reservoir.

BOY SCOUTS

The six-monthly competition for the Weston Centenary Inter-patrol challenge shield concluded recently, and was won by Kookaburra, it being their first win. The troop is actively engaged in training for the forthcoming district sports, and in practising for a concert.

CHURCH NOTICES

PRESTON METHODIST CHURCH High Street, Preston. 11 a.m.: Rev. L. Shears Saunders, Subject: "Jesus' Teaching and Practice." 7 p.m.: Doug Nichols of Fitzroy Football Club.

AMUSEMENTS

PRESTON LADIES' ROWING CLUB A BAAR In the BYFIELD STREET, CHURCH HALL FRIDAY AND SATURDAY AUGUST 7 and 8. In aid of Building Fund. Novelties for Children: Well-attended. Sniffles Sniffles Competition: Mickey Mouse Attraction.

PICNIC

PRESTON YOUNGERS will hold a picnic at Mt. Donna Buang on Sunday, August 3, leaving Preston Town Hall, 3.30 a.m. Tickets 3/-, may be obtained from Miss Silvie Deacon, High Street, Preston. H. ROOS, Social Secretary. F. DEACON, Social Treasurer.

MUNICIPAL NOTICES

CITY OF PRESTON TENDERS TENDERS are INVITED, returnable up to 11 o'clock on MONDAY, 10TH AUGUST, 1936, for the CONSTRUCTION OF GRANDVIEW ROAD AND TASMAN STREET, PRESTON.

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Activities at Preston

They Say—

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Infectious Disease Abates

IN THE PAST month four cases of diphtheria and four of scarlet fever were reported in Preston. These figures show a sharp decline on the figures for the previous month.

Street Construction

ON MONDAY evening the Preston council decided to proceed with the construction of Grandview road and Tasman street, under the street construction scheme. There was only one objector, who in a letter complained at the high cost.

Reservoir Footpaths

IN REPLY to a request by the Reservoir A. L. P. the Preston council has decided to give what attention is possible to unmade footpaths at Reservoir.

Extension of Tram Sections

PRESTON COUNCIL has decided to request the Tramways Board to extend the fare section on the West Preston tramway, so that the section will extend to Gilbert road and Bell street instead of the corner of Gilbert road and Oakover road as at present.

Food Analyses

OF TWENTY-FIVE food samples taken for analysis in Preston, during the past three months, only three did not comply with the standard. Of 22 milk samples, only one was deficient.

Transfer of School-Teacher

MR. A. E. McDonald has been transferred from the teaching staff of the West Preston State school to St. Kilda.

St. John Ambulance Brigade

THIS brigade has decided to form a cadet corps to be attached to the Preston senior division. Boys from 11 to 16 years will be enrolled in the corps. A course of instruction at Preston on Sunday, August 2, at 10 a.m. will be held. The Preston secretary is Mr. F. W. Ames, of 5 Nugent street. Dr. Martin of the Preston Police will lecture to the class now being held.

Pensioners Hold Deputation

A deputation comprising Messrs. McGregor, Ramsay, Jones, Yager, Young, and Kelly, (Preston) and the secretary, representing the Supreme Council of the Australian Pensioners' League, was recently introduced to the Federal treasurer by Mr. Blackburn, M.H.R. The deputation made a request for the restoration of the old age pension to 11 weeks; and it was asked that certain anomalies which now exist, be rectified. The Federal Treasurer, (Mr. Casey) promised sympathetic consideration of the requests.

Visit to Mills

MEMBERS of Preston Mothers, Wives' and Sisters' League will visit to Prestons' History Mills on July 23 where an interesting and enjoyable afternoon was spent.

OBITUARY

Mr. Catherine Graff passed away peacefully on July 18 at her son's residence, Percival street, Preston. She was interested in the Lutheran Cemetery, Thomastown, on July 19. Rev. Sheelock read the service at the funeral. Mr. Casey, Federal Treasurer, (Mr. Casey) who left a grown-up family, was 64 years of age, and a former resident of Thomastown for over 30 years. The pall-bearers were Messrs T. Martin, E. Martin, W. Jeffkins, J. Tomkins, C. Meagan, and G. Hines. Mr. Ern Jensen had charge of the funeral arrangements.

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PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cameron, Jannysson street, Preston, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter—Ruby Mary. Mrs. Shieldrick is relieving at Preston Baby Health Centre during the absence in hospital of Nurse Gange.

Names in the News

MR. J. FAULKNER of Johnson street, Northcote has not enjoyed the best of health of late. MR. W. W. SAUNDERS, pastor of the Northcote Church of Christ for the past five and a half years, is to transfer to Adelaide in October.

Publication of the Leader

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NORTHCOTE COUNCIL

The Northcote council met on Monday night. There was not a lengthy business sheet, and the meeting concluded at an early hour. Present the Mayor, (Cr. S. Dennis) and Crs. J. Sutch, A.V. Howard, C. H. Burroughs, W. Oliver, M. C. Jones, A. C. Bird, A. McAdam, J. H. Green, J. W. French, W. Glanville, B. E. Johnson, and J. O. Hughes. Apologies were received from Crs. Hayes and Turner.

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GOLF

HIGHLAND PARK CLUB

The concluding round of the club championship played over 64 holes last Saturday resulted in a win for the defender, Wally Thorne by two strokes from Eric Gibaud and Bill Gibaud. This handicap resulted in a tie between Roy Millard and Roy Smith, with Syd Davies third. The R. N. Millard cup for best net aggregate score over the 64 holes was won by Syd Davies by one stroke from Roy Smith, with Stan Jones third, one stroke behind. Results:—Championship—54 Holes—W. Thorne 289, E. Gibaud 282, W. Gibaud 275, S. Davies 276. Best nett aggregate over 64 holes—S. Davies 307, R. Smith 298, S. Jones 295.

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YOUTH CHARGED WITH GARAGE THEFTS

Says He Was at Yan Yean

ON Wednesday, Cyril Benjamin Willey, Gertrude street, Preston was charged with having broken into the garage of Todd & Hill, Electric road, Preston, and with having stolen petrol, 17 bottles of oil, 2 tins of oil, tools and other articles valued at £15.

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INDECENT LANGUAGE CHARGE

"HERE COMES A JOH"

This and other offensive language according to Constable Gleason, at Preston Court, Wednesday, was used by Harold John Patterson, of Bender's street, Preston, at 6.30 p.m. on Saturday, July 25 in High street, Preston. Patterson was charged with having used indecent language. Constable Gleason said that the defendant was under the influence of liquor.

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INFORMAL FROCK



THE LEADER

Thursday, July 30, 1936.

Football
PRESTON HAS EASY WIN
Port Melbourne Overwhelmed
SCRAMBLING GAME IN THE MUD

Preston had no difficulty in defeating Port Melbourne last Saturday under conditions that were far from pleasant. Preston led most of the attacks, and adapted themselves better to the day.

Little interest was shown in the game, as the result was a foregone conclusion.

At Preston, Attendance 500, Umpire, Lewis.

THE TEAMS

Preston.—Backs, Maslem, Hyde Barr; Half-backs, Gale, Brown, Cannaway; Centres, Enderhill, O'Connor, Clack; Half-forwards, Beagley, Blackman, Whitechurch, Forwards, Cooper, Fisher, Dunstone, Follows, Muir, Milroy, Rover, Warr; 19th man, Walsh. Port Melbourne.—Backs, Woods Payne, Ware; Half-backs, Onley, Bloomer, Plumridge; Centres, Murray, MacBeth, Russo; Half forwards, Eastmuir, Farnan Russell; Forwards, Nugent, Aldridge, Davis; Followers, Tyson, Maloney, Rover; Keating; 19th man Tracy. Walsh replaced Muir (injured leg) in the third quarter; Tracy (Port Melbourne) replaced Bloomer, (injured knee) in the last quarter.

The conditions were most unpleasant, the sloppy ground soon making the ball very greasy, and it was hard to handle. Good football was out of the question, and Preston's use of system and weight completely out-phased Port Melbourne, who visited Preston.

THE PLAY

The visitors began strongly, and in the early stages were slightly superior. Showing strong ruck work and solid defence, Port Melbourne settled down, and using weight freely, soon took the lead, and by the end of the quarter, had gained a definite advantage.

Quarter-time: Preston 2-7; Port Melbourne 1-1.

In the second term Preston attacked continuously, and the Port Melbourne backs had plenty to do. The home forwards kicked inaccurately, piling up minor points where goals might quite easily have been obtained. The Port forwards were more accurate at the half-time adjournment and had made up some of the leeway.

LEADING GOAL-KICKERS.

COLLINS (Coburg) 108; COOPER (Brunswick) 68; HAWKINS (Prahran) 61; Jones (Camberwell) 57; Seymour (Northcote) 53; Fisher (Preston) 51.

RESULTS OF OTHER MATCHES

Northcote, 14-10 (94), d. Brunswick, 7-10 (62), d. Brighthorn, 9-12 (66). Camberwell, 18-13 (121), d. Yarraville 11-15 (81). Preston, 10-24 (84), d. Port Melbourne, 1-9 (39). Prahran, 14-13 (97), d. Williamstown, 6-14 (50). Coburg, 29-26 (209), d. Sandringham, 3-3 (21).

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LACROSSE

Preston E. v. Coburg

Played at Preston, the same result in a win for the visitors. Play in the first quarter was very fast and clean, and the ball travelling up and down at a great pace. The first goal came from Coburg, who as a newcomer is playing a great game. Returning to the centre, Coburg soon evened the score. Quarter time scores: Preston 1, Coburg 1. After the change Coburg made better use of their opportunities, and at the end of the term had a three goal advantage. Half-time scores:—Preston 2, Coburg 5.

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THE LEADER

Health and Physical Fitness

THE PART OF DIET AND EXERCISE. The old Latin saying which indicates that a "sound mind and a healthy body" go hand in hand, living in it. We must have physical fitness if we are to be true to our best selves and if we are to get the "most out of life".

After all, physical fitness is the result of intelligent living. It is the only sound basis for an efficient and serviceable life. Physical fitness means health, and health is established by a well-nourished, physiologically sound organism. It is a thing of great value, and it is attained by diet, exercise and other hygienic means, and is buttressed by strong health and sound mental principles.

Many people imagine that exercise of the muscular system is the only way to achieve health and fitness, but this is giving such activity a false value. Exercise is only one way of gaining health. Real nutritional health depends on a well-balanced and adequate diet. Proper feeding will keep an adult fit with a moderate amount of exercise, and will enable a person to put on weight or take it off as the occasion may arise. Of course, the supreme importance of correct food and exercise in the growth of children and adolescents is obvious to all.

The balancing and evaluating of the numbers of health dependents, available for human consumption into diet form, into meal combinations, that maintain variation, tastiness, palatability, digestive and chemical values is a gigantic task. It is not an amateur's job.

Similar is the prescribing of exercise. The day has come in which a big-muscle blacksmith can delude young and old into paying big sums of money for fancy pieces of apparatus and unscientific sets of exercising movements that are claimed to have the magic power of making the purchaser a man of brawn like the verger. To-day it is recognized that the human machine is

an extremely complicated piece of mechanism that requires expert attention. It can be put and kept in smooth running order. Behind the modern scientific health service lies a study of the osteology, myology, kinesiology, or biochemistry and biophysics, of psychology, the social sciences, and the "quack" theories evolved by certain advertisers desirous of selling fancy foodstuffs and so-called "exercise systems" and patent medicines, but to constructively apply modern hygienic, dietetic and exercise knowledge to achieving of good health for all.

Those who follow Shakespeare's advice: "Be thine own self, be true", must discriminate between the good and the bad. Food and exercise are the fundamentals of good health, but if their use is misdirected by ignorant "physical culturists" or "food experts", then their value is nullified. Under scientific training and experienced direction, correct food and applied exercise are the natural roads to health and happiness, with mental and physical fitness.

The membership, last year, increased by 100, and already eight new members have been proposed.

PRESTON C.Y.M.S.

DEBATING TEAMS DOING WELL

The fifth round of debates was held on July 20, when the No. 1 team (Messrs L. Webster and E. Gardiner) defeated the Brunswick team by 203 points to 100.600 Messrs. Newman and 201. Preston had the advantage of the subject, "That too little is placed on individualism in Modern Civilization." Mr. F. O'Rourke was the adjudicator. The No. 2 team, (Messrs C. Bolger and K. Kelly), were successful against Newport by 189 points to 172. Mr. R. Sharke was the adjudicator, and the subject was: "That the Nationalization of the Manufacture of Armaments would militate against War." Preston took the affirmative. The No. 3 team, Messrs L. Kelly and Smith, also had the affirmative of this subject, and defeated Heidelberg by 134 points to 119. Mr. J. O'Meara adjudicated.

THE NEXT ROUND WILL TAKE PLACE ON AUGUST 10

and 3 teams will visit Essendon, and the No. 2 team will go to Hawthorn. The No. 1 team will have the negative of the subject, "That Germany's Colonies, lost as a result of the War, should be restored." The other two teams will have the negative of the subject. "That the principle of equal pay for equal work, irrespective of sex, should be applied".

THEIR SAFE ROBBERED

When the Westgarth Theatre was opened on Monday morning, it was found that the safe containing £80 had been stolen from the office safe. On Monday morning, when he opened the theatre, the caretaker found that the window of the manager's office had been forced. The safe was open and the money (Mr. E. C. O'Connell) was missing. The manager of the theatre (Mr. E. C. O'Connell) had the key of the safe in his possession all the time. It is thought that the thieves may have used a skeleton key.

AN AMERICAN ASTRONOMER SAYS THAT TO THE MARTIANS, THE EARTH WOULD LOOK BLUE.

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REGENT ROVERS v. SANDRINGHAM

Regent Rovers and Sandringham met at Sandringham on Saturday, when the Rovers proved too steady for the visitors. Both sides marked well and showed plenty of pace. Latham for the visitors was the outstanding player on the ground. The Rovers were much the better players, and superior in the air after the first change. Better system in the final term secured a convincing win for the Rovers. Final scores: Regent Rovers 2-0; Sandringham 0-2.

THE LEADER

CYCLING

NORTHCOTE AMATEURS. Jack Kortum Breaks Club 33-Mile Record. At his second appearance from scratch, Jack Kortum, riding brilliantly, won the 33-mile race on Monday, July 27, in 17 min. 2 sec. Jack, who is still a junior, has the makings of a champion. It is the first time in the history of the club that a junior rider has been placed on the coveted rostrum. The winner, Jack Kortum, a newcomer to the club, has had his second win in two races. Breaking away with G. Garbutt about five miles from home, they established a commanding lead and fought out the finish, Kortum winning by three lengths. Results:—Kortum, 17 min. 2 sec.; G. Garbutt, 17 min. 2 sec.; W. Harrison, 17 min. 2 sec. (Club Record).

NORTHCOTE CYCLING CLUB

At a meeting convened by Mr. A. E. Pell, and held at 525 High Street, Northcote on July 21, it was decided to form a new club. Eighteen were present, and all became members, the annual fee being fixed at 1/6 plus 1/4 for each playing night. Officers appointed were:—President, Mr. W. Pearson; Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. A. E. Pell; Committee Messrs J. Cooper, F. Murphy and J. Harris. The drafting of a constitution was left in the hands of the committee, and the address was given by Mr. A. Dall. Meetings will be held every Tuesday, and anyone interested is invited to attend.

UNLIGHTED BICYCLES

Despite all the warnings that have been given from time to time, cyclists continue to ride bicycles after dark without lights. Week after week batches of cyclists are fined at the court due to the activities of the police. Last Friday seven persons came before the court on charges of riding without lights. The fines were ranging from 10/ to 1/1. Most of the fines were of the order of 5/.

Those charged were:—Edwin Evans, Victoria road, Northcote; Ivanhoe; Norman J. Cochran, Kemp street, Thornbury; Morris Thornton, Vallant street, Abbotsford; Bruce M. Ball, Pender street, Thornbury; George M. Eynon, Tennyson street, Preston, were each fined 1/; whilst Arnold Rutledge, Ronnie street, Thornbury was fined 10/.

DANGEROUS WOMAN DRIVER

Car in Third Line of Traffic. On July 6 a motor cycle patrol was in Heidelberg road, when the constables saw a car being driven by a woman travelling abreast of two other cars, thus blocking the roadway for traffic coming in the opposite direction. At Northcote court on Friday, Joan Greenwood, of Lower Plenty road Heidelberg was fined 13 on a charge of having driven in a dangerous manner.

BOY SCOUTS

An interesting church parade was held at Peter's Grove Methodist church when an address was given by a Filian. The boxers are busy training under Mr. Herbert. The scout committee held a dance on July 23. The troop was well represented at the Scouts smoke social. Mr. Stevenson has resigned as chairman of the group committee. Mr. Hamlyn has been elected in his stead. An orange and flower service will be held at the Thornbury Presbyterian church in August, for the benefit of the Scouts. A great work after the Leaders' instructional class at Brunswick.

MORE POLICE WANTED

The mayor (Mr. B. Dennis, J.P.) has been appointed as a Northcote Council representative on Monday deputation to the Chief Secretary on August 13, to present a request for extra police protection in the metropolitan area.

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Northcote Horticultural Society

ANNUAL MEETING. The annual meeting, held at the Northcote Club on Monday, July 27, was well attended, and Mr. W. H. Dunallan, President was in the chair. The annual report, outlining the society's activities, and conveying thanks to judges, stewards, donors of trophies, and the treasury's report, showing the society to be in a sound financial position, were adopted. Officers elected were:—President, Mr. W. H. Dunallan; Patron, Cr. J. Green. Messrs John Lukey, Wm. Gibson; Vice-presidents, Madames Bennett, and Bayner, Messrs A. G. Thomas, C. J. Alexander, J. W. Twentyman, A. Coxon, and A. Nourish; Committee, Madames Gibson, Bailey, Lovelace, Corry, Dunallan, Hamby, A. L. Johnson Quilty, Misses J. Bennett, E. Dunallan, and A. Twyford; Messrs B. Bohm, H. Ellis, J. Toole, F. Rayner, G. D. McNamara, W. Quilty, J. H. Johnson, S. T. W. Jenkins, and R. Gibson. Auditor, Mr. A. J. Tanner; Treasurer, Mr. F. H. Madden, Secretary, Mr. W. Beattie. Trophies for the monthly competitions were presented as follows:—First Division—Thornbury 12, Northcote B 11, St. George's Road Methodist 11, Thornbury C of C, Regent Baptists 7. Second Division—Thornbury 6, Northcote B 6, St. George's Road Methodist 11, Thornbury C of C, Regent Baptists 7. Third Division—Croxton A 25, Regent Presbyterians 21, Northcote A 18, Thornbury 15, Croxton B 13, Epiphany 11. Fourth Division—Thornbury 12, Northcote B 11, St. George's Road Methodist 11, Thornbury C of C, Regent Baptists 7. Cup won in the Northcote Ger-

BASEBALL

NORTHCOTE AND PRESTON CHROMES ASSOCIATION. Results of play on July 26:—Croxton A, 28 d. Croxton B, 3. Regent Presbyterians, 19 d. Epiphany, 11. Northcote A, 10 d. Thornbury A, 5. Thornbury Church of Christ, 14 d. Northcote B, 6. St. George's Road Methodist, 14 d. Regent Baptists, 15. Position of Clubs. First Division.—Croxton A 25, Regent Presbyterians 21, Northcote A 18, Thornbury 15, Croxton B 13, Epiphany 11. Second Division.—Thornbury 6, Northcote B 6, St. George's Road Methodist 11, Thornbury C of C, Regent Baptists 7. Third Division.—Croxton A 25, Regent Presbyterians 21, Northcote A 18, Thornbury 15, Croxton B 13, Epiphany 11. Fourth Division.—Thornbury 12, Northcote B 11, St. George's Road Methodist 11, Thornbury C of C, Regent Baptists 7. Cup won in the Northcote Ger-

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CHURCH NOTICES HOLY TRINITY THORNBUARY Shaftesbury Pde. (off High St.) August 2: 8th Sunday After Trinity 11 a.m.; Matins and Sermon, 7 p.m.; Evensong and Sermon, Celebrant and Preacher, The Vicar (Rev. W. H. Chamberlain)

ST. MARY'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND, Plenty Rd., E. Preston Sunday, August 2. USUAL SERVICES Rev Arthur M. Capper, Vicar.

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY Bayville Street, Northcote 8 a.m.: Holy Communion, 11 a.m.: Holy Communion, 7 p.m.: Evensong, Rev F. E. Thornton, Vicar

NORTHCOOTE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Sunday, August 2. 11 and 7-Usual Services-Rev A. T. Jones.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH FOURTH CHURCH OF CHRIST SCHEPERS MELBOURNE BRANCH OF THE MOTHER CHURCH The First Church of Christ Scientist in Boston, Mass., U.S.A. holds services in the WESTGARTH HALL, UNION ST., WESTGARTH, as follows: Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7.15 p.m.; Sunday School, 11 a.m. Testimony Meeting, Wednesday, 8 p.m., Reading Room in Westgarth Hall, Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 2.30 to 4.30 P.M.

THE BIG MARQUEE 8 p.m., July 26, 1936 All Welcome. Community Singing



THE WOMANS WORLD Conducted by "LESLEIGH"

BEAUTY HINTS

Astrid Allwyn, Fox Film player, believes a healthy skin is the foundation for beauty. Her own healthy complexion is one of the prettiest in Hollywood.

One of the daily cares which is essential to the girl who is intelligent is explained Astrid. "It is not necessary to follow strict diet. Just be sure that you eat enough fresh fruits and vegetables, and plenty of green salads. Do not eat too much meat, and for that matter, too much of anything."

By a BAND CONCERT BY BOYS BAND will be given in the School Hall, Wednesday, Evening, July 29 at 8 p.m. Great programme of Music and Sketches will fill a happy evening that you all will enjoy. Proceeds for Band Funds. Admission Adults 1/-; Children 6d.

LOVELY HAIR LOVELY HAIR is of such captivating charm that poets and artists cannot do it justice. It is the crown of beauty. Yet, many girls wear hats whenever they can! Is it time to ask the most? You will find this captivating over a girl's lovely hair—especially if it adds a touch of pliancy to the face.

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FASHION SHORTS

A wide shoulder scarf of electric blue chiffon forms an interesting contrast to a pale pink evening gown of cellophane lace. Trade Banton has designed for Dolores Costello Barrymore to wear in Paramount's 'Yours for the Asking'.

Tones of grey assert themselves again in the Hollywood fashion and Pat Patterson in Paramount's 'Spendthrift' wears a youthful college costume. A one-piece sports frock of grey ribbed wool is topped by a belted jacket of grey and green plaid tweed.

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DELICIOUS PINEAPPLE DESSERTS

POPULAR as the pine-apple is there are some people who cannot appreciate this wholesome fruit unless it is softened or grated. To such, the following suggestion will appeal.

Pine apple Trifle.—One grated pineapple, the juice of one lemon or of one orange, a pint of milk, 1 egg, 3 drops vanilla essence, 2 dessert-spoons cornflour, some small pieces of sponge cake, 100 desiccated cocoanut, sugar to taste. In a glass dish arrange a layer of sponge cake, squeeze oranges or lemon juice over it and add half the grated pine-apple. Make custard of the milk, sugar, egg and vanilla; pour half the custard (when cold) on the cake and pine-apple; add more custard and then the remaining pine-apple and custard. Sprinkle the top with cocoanut.

Stuffed Onions.—Required: 4 even-sized onions, about 1/2 oz. cold meat or ham, a quantity of breadcrumbs, the yolk of an egg, salt and pepper, a little milk. Wash the onions, cut off the top and remove without being broken. Drain them from the water, and leave until cold. Carefully remove the centres of each onion. Chop the centres finely and mix them with the chopped ham, a few breadcrumbs, and salt and pepper to taste. Next add the beaten yolk with enough milk to make the mixture moist. Fill the space in each onion with the mixture, heating it up neatly. Place in a fire-proof dish, pour a little milk in the dish, and put a small piece of butter or margarine on top of each onion. Bake for about 20 minutes, sprinkle a few browned crumbs, and serve with a little sauce. Next add the beaten yolk with enough milk to make the mixture moist. Fill the space in each onion with the mixture, heating it up neatly. Place in a fire-proof dish, pour a little milk in the dish, and put a small piece of butter or margarine on top of each onion. Bake for about 20 minutes, sprinkle a few browned crumbs, and serve with a little sauce.

FRESH SALAD SLICES FOR SUPPER Salads and veg. vegetables are both slimming and delicious. Here are some new ideas for supper. It is a true saying that in our everyday lives and dealings, we get what we give. If we give ourselves a good supper, we shall find that those with whom we come into contact daily, will never know what loneliness is.

GERMAN COOKING SPINACH is often a much disliked vegetable, but perhaps it was cooked the German way. It would be much more popular. German housewives have a clever way of cooking glass-of-beer-ova and their recipe for spinach is one of the best they can give us. They put the spinach into boiling water and leave it for two minutes, when they take it out and put it through a mincing machine. They then add a little saucepan and meat but in it braise a few slices of onion in the butter until they are brown, when they add two tablespoons of flour. Directly the flour has turned a golden brown they pour in a little of the spinach water from the other saucepan. Then they stir the mixture into a thick brown gravy over the fire, put in the spinach, and let it boil for two or three minutes, when it is ready for serving. Done this way the spinach itself is only about five minutes cooking altogether.

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The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O'Neil, of Winifred street, Preston, and the groom is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Robinson of Murray road, Preston.

Entering the church with her father, the bride made a charming picture in her gown of ivory mesh-ai-lasse. The draped bodice was fastened with a row of pearls. Her skirt fell into a long train. Her tulle veil draped softly from a coronet of orange blossom, and she held a bouquet of white blooms.

Attending were the Misses Ruby Sheehan and Ethel Fry, and the trainbearer was Miss Shirley Henderson. Matelasse cloque in a sunset pink shade was selected by the maids, and their modish frocks had short trains. Pink tulle hats matched, and pink and silver bows tied their flowers were a pink carnation, sweet peas, and chrysanthemums.

Supporting the groom were Messrs Les. Fry and Pat. McInnes. A reception and breakfast were held at a hall in Bell street, Preston, when the usual toasts were honoured, and the bride cut a handsome cake. Dancing and games followed and filled in an enjoyable evening.

For travelling the bride chose a black tailored costume, black hat, gloves, shoes and hand-bag. The couple will make their home in Northcote. Wedding photographs were taken by Wilbur A. Williams, 182 High street, Northcote.

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Treadway's have secured the Assigned Stock of G. E. Burton, mercer, of High Street, Northcote, at a ridiculously low tender and now offer it to you at prices that mean sensational savings. To make the offerings even more attractive much of our own up-to-the-minute stock has been included at equally startling prices. THURSDAY at 9 it begins—Be at the doors!

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### 14/6 "Luvisca" Shirts

A group of oddment "Luvisca" Shirts and high grade English Poplins and Woven Cloths showing smart, up-to-date patterns. Perfectly cut, well finished garments! Values to 14/6. Burton's Stock Sale, 7/11.

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Oddment Work Shirts in Black, Grey or Black/White cloths which will stand plenty of tubbing and constant hard wear. Values to 3/11. Burton's Stock Sale, 1/11.

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Men's Navy or Khaki Work Shirts made from a strong British cloth. A genuine 4/11 shirt reduced to 2/11. This value cannot be repeated. Usually 4/11. Burton's Stock Sale 2/11.

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### 7/11 UNDERWEAR

A table of Men's Winter Weight Wool & Cotton Singlets or Underpants, together with oddments in Wool, some of which are slightly imperfect. Imperfections, however, will not impair wearing qualities. Values to 7/11. Burton's Stock Sale 3/11.

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### 14/11 "Fitform"

## CARDIGANS

Well-known "Fitform" heavy weight Wool Cardigans in smart Lovat tonings. Perfect fitting garments warm and comfortable to wear. Usually 14/11. Burton's Stock Sale, 9/11.

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### 10/6 SERGE TROUSERS

A table full of Men's Heavy Weight Navy Serge Trousers finished with hip pocket and cuff bottoms. Genuine 10/6 value. Burton's Stock Sale, 6/11.

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### 4/11 WINCETTE PYJAMAS

Men's strong Winceyette Pyjamas made from heavy cloth showing brightly coloured designs. Usually 4/11. Burton's Stock Sale, 3/9.

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Men's Waterproof Mackintosh Coats in a serviceable fawn shade with check back lining. Single Breasted Style with full belt. Also oddments in Black Reversible Raincoats. Usually 22/6. Burton's Stock Sale 13/11.

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