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Annual Meeting Northcote Auxiliary R.V.E.B.

In the Northcote Town Hall, Westbourne grove, on Monday afternoon, the fifth annual meeting of the Northcote auxiliary for the Royal Victorian Institute of the Blind was held. There was a splendid attendance, which was seated around tables covered with dainty dusky pink cloths, and the floral decorations were in pale pinks and salmon. The stage was beautifully decked with Japanese maples and palms, and vases and bowls of gaily coloured flowers were profusely grouped on pedestals and along the front of the stage.

Mrs. W. F. Brownell (auxiliary president) welcomed the Mayor and Mrs. McAdam and the Mayor took the chair. He extended a welcome to Mr. W. C. Willmott, (Board of Management of V.I.B.) Mrs. Hedger, Mrs. J. Frost (president Council of Auxiliaries) Mesdames Green and Duthie (Masonic Hospital auxiliary), Mesdames Kirton and Page (Thornbury Red Cross auxiliary), Mesdames Jowett and Kenny (Northcote-Thornbury St. Vincent's Auxiliary) Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thomson, Cr. and Mrs. W. Oliver, Crs. J. W. French and J. O. Hughes, Cr. and Mrs. A. V. Peters Mr. and Mrs. T. Pollock, Mrs. Allchin and Miss Bean (Preston Benevolent Society), Mrs. R. Thompson (Northcote Red Cross), Mrs. G. H. Mott (Mayoress of Preston), Mesdames A. G. Davis, L. W. Williams and L. Jones (Preston), Mesdames Dale, A. Glanfield, S. Dennis, B. E. Johnson, Dr. Brownell and Rev. Cleverdon.

On the motion of Cr. Oliver supported by Cr. A. Peters, the annual report and balance sheet were adopted. Cr. Oliver said that the auxiliary work gave the members something that no other work could. It broadened their outlook gave them understanding of the needs of their fellows, and developed their minds towards the realisation of ideal citizenship, using time, thought, and energy which might otherwise be wasted.

Cr. Peters enumerated the many functions which had been successfully carried through with the ultimate result of a substantial donation to the R.V.I.B. He congratulated the ladies on their excellent work for the year.

A hearty vote of thanks to the retiring officers was moved by Cr. Hughes, and Mrs. Brownell responded.

In speaking of the activities at the Blind Institute, Mrs. Frost said the future of the institute would be assured only if the auxiliaries continued their support. They had established a blind nursery, and it was the only one of its kind in the Southern Hemisphere. This enabled curative work to commence earlier, and children to receive attention that in many cases gives some measure of sight. Thus, instead of making them a burden to the State, they could take their places in the world of competition.

A pleasing duty devolved upon Mrs. Brownell to hand to Mr. Willmott a cheque for £140 as a donation from the Northcote auxiliary. For this Mr. Willmott expressed the thanks of the institute, as it would assist them to carry on and give more help to the inmates.

Mrs. McAdam paid a tribute to the past secretary (Mrs. French) and handed her a token of the love and esteem of the members in the shape of a handsome supper-cloth and serviettes, and a hand-knitted bed-jacket. Mrs. French thanked the members suitably.

A vote of thanks to the speakers was proposed by Cr. French, and a response came from Mr. Willmott. Mrs. Frost thanked Dr. Brownell

for his assistance in backing up the President and Dr. Brownell said he was glad to be of any use to the auxiliary, and thanked the donors of the flowers, which had made the room so gay and bright.

An attractive birthday cake had been made and decorated by Mrs. W. Johnson. It was decorated in pink and surmounted by a lighthouse, the symbol of the Blind Institute. Mrs. Hedger lit the five candles, and to Mrs. McAdam fell the duty of cutting the cake.

Thanks to the chairman for presiding were voiced by Mrs. Brownell, and the Mayor replied. Afternoon tea was served by the social committee, during which the Blind orchestra played selections and Mr. Sutcliffe rendered solos.

During the afternoon an interesting and entertaining moving film was screened of the grounds, activities, play and work and inmates of the Blind Institute, and a running commentary was given by Mr. Willmott.

Bouquets were presented to Mrs. Brownell (brown pansies and wallflowers), to the Mayoress (deep red roses), and to Mrs. J. A. Thomson (golden daffodils).

Officers elected were — President, Mrs. W. F. Brownell; vice-presidents, Mesdames B. E. Johnson, T. Pollock, G. S. Scott, S. S. Riches, W. J. Clayden; delegates to Central Council, president, secretary, and Miss E. Grenfell; treasurer, Miss Gwen Holden; Birthday League secretary, Mrs. Holwell; patron, Cr. McAdam; auditor, Mr. L. C. Lavender; publicity secretary, Miss Macmillan; patronesses, Mesdames Brownell, Montgomery and McAdam; nomination for secretary, Miss Gwenda Riches (to be confirmed at next meeting).

A splendid balance sheet was presented. The credit was £117/6/-; subscriptions and donations £15/6/5; functions, £130/8/1; Birthday League £2/4/-. Expenditure included: Blind Institute £115; printing, telephone and postage £3/4/6; catering £2/6/-; Cancer Appeal £1/10/-; leaving a credit balance of £143/4/-.

Proposed New Football Association

PRESTON "NOT INTERESTED"

At the meeting of the Preston Council on Monday evening, a letter was received from the Town Clerk, Brunswick inviting the councils of the northern municipalities to a conference to discuss proposals for the formation of an independent football association.

Cr. Pike said he considered that the control of football was not a matter for municipal councils, and he moved that the writers be informed that the Preston Council was not interested.

Cr. Nisbett also said he did not think the matter was one for the council to interest itself in.

The motion was carried.

STRAYING STOCK AT PRESTON

Of late there have been complaints about the damage caused by wandering stock in Preston. The council ranger has been active, and at the Preston Court on September 29 some twenty persons were prosecuted and fined sums ranging from 5/ to 30/ and costs. Of late there have been more complaints to the council, and there is every likelihood that there will be another big list of prosecutions at an early date.

MOTORIST FINED ON TWO CHARGES

At Preston Court on September 29, Eric Cecil Collee, salesman was fined £5 for driving in a manner dangerous to the public; and £2 for failing to stop and render assistance to a person with whom his car came into collision.

Edgar Head, salesman, of High street, Epping, stated that on September 3, he was riding his motor-cycle along St. George's road. He was turning into Bell street at about eight miles per hour when his motor-cycle was struck by a cream sedan car which did not stop, but proceeded along Bell street. The car had to stop about 170 yards further on, as the railway gates were closed against it, and witness ran after it and spoke to the defendant, who was the driver. Defendant said he was not aware that his car had struck the motor-cycle. Head was not seriously injured, and the motor-cycle not greatly damaged. Head telephoned for the police.

Robert William Alderman, electrician, said he saw the car strike the motor-cycle, and in his opinion it was an error of judgment on the part of the car-driver who evidently came too close to the motor-cyclist. He estimated the speed of the car at the time at 40 to 45 miles per hour. Alderman said that when the car did not stop, he gave chase, and at the railway gates spoke to defendant, who said he was not aware that he had been mixed up in a collision, but he said that he did feel a bump.

Collee denied having made the remark that "he had felt a bump". He had stated to the constable that he did not think he had struck anything. When the constable pointed out to him red scratches on the off-side of the car, which were apparently made by the red rubber handlebars of the motor-cycle, he admitted that the car must have struck the cyclist. Before that he was unaware of having knocked the motor-cyclist over.

The bench decided to accept the evidence of the prosecution, and imposed the fines mentioned above with 15/ costs.

HOUSE SHORTAGE AT PRESTON

Many Ejectments.

The impossibility of getting houses to rent in Preston was again stressed at the Preston Court on September 29, when a number of ejectment orders were granted. In most cases it was not that the rent was in arrears, but due to the fact that properties had been sold, and the new owners, desirous of living in Preston, required possession.

Orders were made against the following: J. A. Edwards, Youngman street; Thomas Johnston, Cambrian avenue; Albert McKechnie, Milton street; Henry G. Jensen Pershing street; Alfred Winyard, Victoria street; and Cyril Frank Marsden, Bell street.

TWELVE MONTHS' EXTENSION

On the recommendation of the committee of the Northcote Council, it was decided to extend Mr. T. W. Hawthorn's appointment as Electrical Engineer for twelve months. In accordance with the council's policy that members of the staff should retire on reaching 65 years, Mr. Hawthorn's term should expire in November next year. In view of the excellent service rendered by him, the council has extended Mr. Hawthorn's appointment until November 1939 in lieu of gratuity or retiring allowance.

Northcote City Council

CORRESPONDENCE

The following correspondence was received at the meeting of the Northcote Council on Monday:

Police Department, declining to provide traffic constable at corner of High street and Arthurton road as the amount of traffic did not warrant same. A census showed that the bulk of the traffic was going south and north along High street, and that the cross traffic in Arthurton road and Separation street was very light.

Brunswick City Council re formation of an independent football association for municipalities north of the Yarra, convening a conference at Brunswick on October 13, and asking that Northcote send three representatives. — Referred to the committee of the council on the motion of Cr. A. V. Peters, Cr. W. Turner seconding. It was intimated that a similar letter had been sent to Preston, Heidelberg and Coburg councils.

ORDINARY BUSINESS

Cr. Peters drew attention to the disgraceful condition of an easement in Helen street. He moved that the matter be referred to the engineer to report. Cr. Shewan seconded. — Carried.

The matter of a sunken channel in Westgarth street, opposite the Leeds Dye Works was mentioned by Cr. S. Dennis, and the engineer will submit a report.

The effect of heavy rain during the past month formed the substance of a complaint by Cr. J. W. French, on behalf of several residents in the East Ward, who had been flooded out. Supported by Cr. B. E. Johnson, he stressed the necessity for improved drainage in Clarke street, from the school to Oxford street. The engineer will report.

Cr. J. O. Hughes mentioned the condition of the footpath in Normanby avenue between High street and the railway gates. — Referred to Public Works committee.

Cr. Hayes said something should

No 'Stop' Lights On Trams

TRAMWAYS BOARD'S REPLY TO PRESTON COUNCIL.

The Tramways Board advised the Preston Council on Monday that the question of fitting "stop" lights to trams had been considered by the Board on many occasions, but the Board did not think the cost of installation and upkeep was justified. It was pointed out that trams ran on fixed rails, and cars should travel at such a distance behind trams as to be able to stop within a reasonable distance in case the tram did stop.

Cr. Adams, at whose instance the request for fitting stop lights to trams was sent to the Board, said he did not agree with the reply to all motorists were expected to stop behind stationary trams, and were liable to prosecution if they did not do so. No hardship would be imposed on the Board by introducing stop lights on trams. Trams were a public utility, and though they ran on fixed rails, that gave no indication as to when they were going to stop.

"Traffic Would Be Blocked"

Cr. Adams said that if, as the Board so naively suggested, cars should be driven at such a distance behind trams as to be able to stop in case the tram stopped, the roads would be blocked by the congested traffic, and the Traffic Code would break down. Still, such a reply was only to be expected from a body such as the Tramways Board. Tramways controlling bodies in other parts of the world had adopted "stop" lights, and this perhaps indicated to some degree the intelligence of the Melbourne Tramways Board.

The letter was received on the motion of Crs. Adams and Nisbett.

be done to the footpaths in Dennis street, to put them in a reasonable state. — Referred to Public Works committee.

It was stated by Cr. Turner that the footpaths in Hutton street, between High street and the railway were fast becoming dangerous. — Referred to Public Works committee.

Mayor Of Preston's Dances

Patrons attending the City and Town Halls, Preston, had an enjoyable time last Saturday night when another of the popular "Cootie" dance programmes was held. The outstanding feature was the bands' twelve instruments on the City Hall stage, until after the Electoral Officer had made way in the Town Hall for the "modern" dancers.

The "Old Time" programme is very popular with such dances as "Charmaine," "The Embrace" waltz, "Palma" waltz, "Sydney" (tune) and "La Rinka." Mr. Geo. Cootie is always on the look-out for improvements, and the attendances over the past few weeks have been outstanding.

The combination of Jack Quin and G. Cootie looks like proving as big a draw card as last year.

Thursday night "Old Time" dances are now well attended, and an open competition is to be held. Commencing on Thursday, October 14, the "Charmaine" waltz has been selected. A special trophy will be presented to the "most improved" couple of learners attending the Thursday night dancing class, also commencing on Thursday, October 14. Entries close with Mr. J. Quin, Town Hall, Preston JW 1147.

Mr. Jack Quin desires to thank the Electoral Officers for the prompt manner in which they handed over the Town Hall at 8.30 last Saturday night; and also Mr. Walter Jackson for having the dancing floor ready on time.



Mr. G. Cootie and Miss Toots Daw, V.S.D. (Dip) will demonstrate the latest "old time" dances every Thursday night

THE LEADER
BOXING

JIM STARR (NORTHCOOTE)
OUTPOINTS SPAGNOLLA

At its meeting on Monday, October 4, the Northcoote Y.M.C.A. boys from Wardrop House, Northcoote. After listening to the business, the visitors were entertained by the Mayor (Mr. McAdam) in the Mayor's room, where at the conclusion of the evening, empty plates and dishes testified that the youngsters fully appreciated the feast provided by the Mayor and Mayoress. After the loyal toast, Mr. Hayes, supported by Mr. Sheehan, proposed the toast of the visitors. Besides the boys under the leadership of Mr. T. Pollock, the visitors included the secretary of the Northcoote Chess club (Mr. A. E. Fell) and Mr. Hayes said the Mayor and Mayoress to have as their mentor, Mr. Pollock, through whose hands had passed no fewer than 900 boys during his nine years' term of office. It is quite an example, Master Harold Brown (who was described as a musical genius) was now in Europe undergoing a study of the violin in Berlin, Paris and London. The boys were of an exceptionally good type, and were a credit to the movement.

Mr. Pollock suitably responded, pointed out that the institution was proud to be invited yearly to attend a council meeting, and have the opportunity to watch and learn how a city's business was transacted.

Messrs Dowling, Coyle, Taylor, Anderson and Hill supported Mr. Pollock's remarks.

Mr. Fell, on behalf of the Northcoote Chess club, thanked the Mayor for his hospitality, and invited the councillors to pay a visit to his club which was conducted in the Town Hall every Tuesday night.

In conclusion the Mayor thanked the visitors for their good wishes. He was greatly interested in the Y.M.C.A., and in a few words described their work during the Great War.

The visitors and councillors made the Town Hall ring with a rendering of "Auld Lang Syne" at the conclusion of the function.

PRESTON CYCLIST INJURED

Eric Gibaud, 32, of Holme street, Preston, professional track cyclist, was admitted to St. Vincent's Hospital on Tuesday with a probable fracture of the skull received during a training ride. Gibaud was riding along Queen's parade, Clifton Hill, when the front fork of his machine snapped. He struck his head heavily on the roadway and was rendered unconscious. Gibaud was just beginning his training for the track season.

NEW TRAFFIC BY-LAW

On Monday night, October 4 the Northcoote City Council confirmed a resolution for the gazetting of By-law 82 (Special order), dealing with regulation of traffic, processions, etc., within the City of Northcoote.

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STATE ELECTION RESULTS

The results of the polling on Saturday were as follows:

NORTHCOOTE
Number of electors: 24,603
CAIN (Lab.) 15,977
HOLT (U.A.P.) 6,365

CRAIN HOLT
3,374 1,422
4,882 1,697
988 336
1,507 712
2,512 1,150
2,324 972
289 96

Majority for Cain, 9,612.
Result of previous election.—
Cain (Lab.) 15,103; Edmunds (U.A.P.) 7,191

HEIDELBERG
Number of electors: 29,703
ZWAR (U.A.P.) 14,024
DUNLOP (Lab.) 12,873

DUNLOP ZWAR
1,602 1,602
936 453
291 311
145 145
206 473
1,336 2,513

Majority for Zwar, 1,151.
Result of previous election: Zwar (U.A.P.) 14,577; Webber (Lab.) 12,021.

MR. ZWAR CONGRATULATED

At the meeting of the Preston City Council on Monday night, Mr. P. Zwar, M.L.A. who is an ex-councillor of the City of Preston was welcomed by the Mayor (Mr. G. H. Holt).

At a later stage, in the Mayor's room, the health of Mr. Zwar was proposed, and he was congratulated upon his return as the member for Heidelberg, during a toast proposed by Mrs. Nisbett and Grey.

In replying, Mr. Zwar said that the campaign, though short, had been very strenuous, and he was pleased at the victory, as there had been ranged against him stronger opposition than he had ever before encountered; and he was indeed pleased to know that he retained the confidence of the electors. He had worked hard in the interests of the electorate, and would continue to do so.

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Preston Jottings

The Progress of Preston
PRESTON continues to hold its own in the erection of new buildings. Following are the figures for September: 3 brick villas (3,900); 7 flats (1,250); 2 shops and dwellings (3,425); 13 timber-framed villas (8,435); 8 additions (550); 7 garages (235); 1 service station (60); 1 shop (110); 1 neon sign (30). Totals 47 permits; estimated cost £23,046.

Who Took the "Five"?
CR. H. Swain of Preston is poorer by the loss of a £5 note. He was one of the 80,000 operators at the Collingwood v Geelong match on Melbourne cricket ground, and the note was stolen from his hip pocket.

Preston Angling Club
THE above club held an excursion to Kellor. 17 members made up the party, but the outing was not a success from a fishing viewpoint. The winner of the competition was A. Henry with a trio of trout weighing 2 lb. 14 oz. T. Harding was next with 1 lb. 15 oz. Other catches were: H. Gray, 1 lb. 8 oz.; E. Carrilton, 1 lb. 8 oz.; and J. Voice, 10 ozs. This week-end members of the club will try their luck at Mordiallo.

LAST Saturday, Preston firemen were called to Mansfield and Newcastle streets; and on Sunday to Emmaline street, and Leinster grove. Both calls were from Northcoote and both alarms were false. Mayoress of Preston's Engagements

A busy time is ahead for the Mayoress of Preston (Mrs. G. H. Holt) who is due to attend the following receptions by metropolitan Mayoresses: October 5, Camberwell; October 7, Box Hill; October 10, Fitzroy; October 12, Prahran; October 14, South Melbourne; October 19, Northcoote; October 20, Preston; October 21, Kew; October 26, Williamstown; October 27, Heidelberg; and October 28, Malvern.

In addition the Mayoress in company with the Mayor is due to attend the ball to be given by the Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress (Cr. Sir George and Lady Wales) in Melbourne Town Hall on October 29, and a Garden Party at Government House on Wednesday, November 3.

New Commissioner
CR. H. Swain has been appointed commissioner for affidavits and declarations under the Evidence Act 1928.

Preston Ladies' Bowling Club
ON Wednesday, September 29 there was an all-day tourney and a most enjoyable function it proved to be under the guidance of the capable president (Mrs. W. B. Howie) who received assistance from lady members, Mrs. Howe, in a few graceful sentences, extended a cordial welcome to visitors

Reading Matter
MR. H. P. ZWAR, M.L.A. acknowledges receipt of reading matter from Mrs. Jones, Joffre street, Preston and Mr. Webb, for the use of Preston men in country camps.

THE season opened last Saturday when the local girls played a ladies team at Garden City (Port Melbourne). Preston were disposed of for 102 (P. Edwards 37, R. Hanna 31 and D. Stiles 18; A. Dean 6.25, A. Daley 4/29) Garden City then batted, and were 5/27 when stumps were drawn. The match will be resumed next Saturday.

South Preston S. S. Mothers' Club
AN enjoyable euchre party and dance attracted about 200 visitors to the Gowerville on Wednesday, September 29. About 112 were raised, which will be devoted towards providing an Xmas treat for South Preston school children.

Members Luncheon and afternoon tea were partaken of. Among those who attended were Mrs. Bridgford (president of the Victorian Ladies' Bowling club) and Mrs. Winter (hon. secretary). The prize-winners in the rink tourney were Mesdames Magensien, Hill, McKibbin and Henshaw; Mrs. Angus (winner) and Mrs. Foxwell (runner-up) (lucky number). Representatives from Alma, Alphonson, Coburg, Richmond, Fairfield, East Kew, Surrey Hills, Middle Park and West Brunswick were among those who took part in the hospitality accorded by the Preston ladies.

West Preston Church of Christ.
A new room has been added to the Chapel for storing school furniture, thus making more space available for kindergarten purposes. The auxiliaries connected with the church financed the cost of material for the building, which was erected by voluntary labor. The Ladies' Guild raised over £6 towards the church building debt.

Religious Essay Results
THE annual essay competitions under the auspices of the Joint Council for religious instruction in State schools took place recently. Among the prize-winners was Ronald Thompson, Gower street, Preston, who was awarded third place (98 2/3 pts) in the junior section.

Rate Collections in Preston
THE Preston Rate Collector (Mr. A. McCasker) reported to the Preston Council on Monday that in the last financial year, of £41,458 of current rates to be collected, the sum of £39,784 had been received— or 96 per cent, as against 92.5 per cent last year. The collections from the West Ward totalled 90 per cent. The council decided to congratulate the Rate Collector upon the efficient work he was doing.

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STOLE A PAIR OF SHOES
William Roberts, 61 years of age, was sentenced to three weeks imprisonment at the Northcoote Court on October 1, on a charge of having stolen a pair of shoes valued at 7/11, the property of Ezywalkin Pty Ltd, High street, Northcoote, on September 30.

Ray Archibald John James, manager of the Northcoote branch of Ezywalkin Pty Ltd said that at about mid-day on September 30 after being told something, he left the shop and saw the defendant walking away in a southerly direction along High street. The man broke into a run and turned into an alleyway in the middle of the block. Witness gave chase, and after running through several lanes, caught defendant in Butler street; and as he grabbed him, a pair of shoes fell from under his coat. These shoes were the property of Ezywalkin Pty Ltd. They had been hanging, together with several other pairs on a bar outside the shop.

At the police station, the defendant was questioned by plainclothes Constable Crawford. Roberts told the constable that he was "broke" that he was "crook" and that he wanted a bottle of medicine. To purchase same, he stole the shoes, intending to sell them.

In reply to the P.M. (Mr. E. E. O'Grady) the constable said that there was no sign of drink on the defendant.

Roberts pleaded guilty. He said he had bronchitis, and was "breaking up" with old age. His mates were coming from Western Australia to pay his fare to Western Australia, where he had friends and relatives.

Roberts was convicted, and admitted several prior convictions of a similar nature.

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STOLE A PAIR OF SHOES

William Roberts, 61 years of age, was sentenced to three weeks imprisonment at the Northcoote Court on October 1, on a charge of having stolen a pair of shoes valued at 7/11, the property of Ezywalkin Pty Ltd, High street, Northcoote, on September 30.

Ray Archibald John James, manager of the Northcoote branch of Ezywalkin Pty Ltd said that at about mid-day on September 30 after being told something, he left the shop and saw the defendant walking away in a southerly direction along High street. The man broke into a run and turned into an alleyway in the middle of the block. Witness gave chase, and after running through several lanes, caught defendant in Butler street; and as he grabbed him, a pair of shoes fell from under his coat. These shoes were the property of Ezywalkin Pty Ltd. They had been hanging, together with several other pairs on a bar outside the shop.

At the police station, the defendant was questioned by plainclothes Constable Crawford. Roberts told the constable that he was "broke" that he was "crook" and that he wanted a bottle of medicine. To purchase same, he stole the shoes, intending to sell them.

In reply to the P.M. (Mr. E. E. O'Grady) the constable said that there was no sign of drink on the defendant.

Roberts pleaded guilty. He said he had bronchitis, and was "breaking up" with old age. His mates were coming from Western Australia to pay his fare to Western Australia, where he had friends and relatives.

Roberts was convicted, and admitted several prior convictions of a similar nature.

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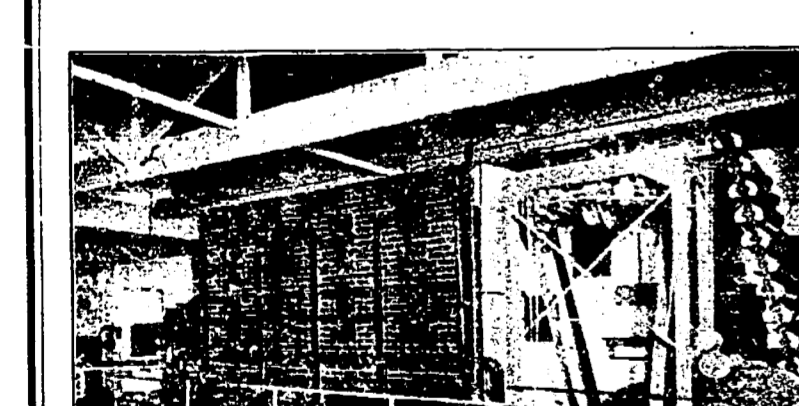
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THE VICTORIAN HOUSEWIVES' ASSOCIATION PAGE

Letter To Members

Dear Members—Now that the State election in which great interest was shown among women by the nomination of a lady (Mrs. Clarence Weber, for the Nundawading electorate), is over, I think you will all join in a hearty congratulation of this charming woman.

Let it be clearly understood that the Victorian Housewives' Association has no wish to work in opposition to men in politics, but to share equally with them in the making and administration of the laws. There is so much dissatisfaction with the present party system that almost every elector feels the need for a moment towards our own activities. The splendid work being done by Miss Gwendolyn Evans, our choral conductor, is frequently acknowledged by music lovers belonging to our association. In the September issue of the "Progressive Woman" (our magazine), much is said about our able conductress. Before closing, I want to add that there will be a presentation of old English songs (in costume) at Nicholas Hall (second floor) 43 Swanston street, on Wednesday, November 17 at 8 p.m. Miss Evans will conduct the V.H.A. choir, and other artists will assist with an enjoyable programme. Miss Violet Parkinson Mus. Bac. will be the accompanist for the evening. Yours etc., DOROTHEA FOX, General Secretary, V.H.A.

Star Of Northcote I.O.R.

At the fortnightly meeting on September 23, Bro. A. Robinson, C.R. presided over a very large attendance of over 100, those present including members of the seven junior tents, and the Pride of Northcote Ladies' Tent. Two new members (both from the Dennis Junior tent) were initiated, and were welcomed by Bro. T. Williams, on behalf of the Tent. Bro. J. Woodgate reported on the activities of the local branch of the Victorian Local Option Alliance, in connection with the forthcoming "No License" poll, and the Tent officers were empowered to form a committee to canvass that portion of the district allotted to the Tent. The results of the recent State schools Temperance Examination were received, and these showed that the work of the pupils in the local State schools was up to the usual good standard. Detailed results appear elsewhere in this issue.

The cricket club secretary, (Bro A. McDonnell) presented the annual report and balance sheet. Although the club had little success on the field, the players nevertheless had an enjoyable season. The tent decided to donate £10/10 to the club, which will again field two teams. The playing ground is off Dorebin road, near the Fairfield North State school, and any member of the tent desirous of playing should see either Bro. McDonnell or Bro. W. E. Findlay. Congratulations were extended to Bro. M. Carthew and Mrs. Carthew on their recent marriage. Bro. Findlay, on behalf of the members offering best wishes for the future happiness and prosperity of the couple, both of whom are active workers in the interests of the Order as a whole. At the close of business, members and visitors were entertained at a picture show. The cinema machine used was the one recently purchased by the tent, mainly for the entertainment of the Juniors, and with Bro. E. Webb as operator. "Hose" presented was provided with a most instructive and educational programme. The main picture shown was "The Great Water-Supply", every phase of this great work, from the wild mountainous catchment areas, to the city reticulated scheme being followed with interest. A hilarious short comedy sent the younger members home in a happy mood. TENT WINS INDOOR BOWLS PREMIERSHIP. Once again, the Tent's indoor bowlers have proved their superiority in the I.O.R. competition, the 1937 team having won the 1937 premiership. This team went through the preliminary rounds with only one defeat, and won the remaining semi-final and final matches rather comfortably to gain the shield for the tent. This is a fine achievement when it is considered that the competition has 86 teams in this year's premiership. In the past ten years the tent have won the premiership on three occasions, and have been runners-up twice, while of the remaining five years they won the section prize four times—a splendid record. The tent now hold two bowls shields permanently, and have now go a "leg-in" for their third. The tent's premier team this year consisted of Bros. G. Gange (capt.), H. Morris, J. Hillman, A. Tombs, R. Foxcroft, J. Coombes and W. E. Findlay.

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RAN CONSTABLE INTO GUTTER

On September 11 at about 11.5 p.m., Constable Powley, of the Thornbury police station, was riding his bicycle on the street, Preston, when a car driven by Thomas Walter Reid, travelling in the opposite direction, suddenly swerved and continued on the wrong side of the road, forcing the constable into the gutter. The motorist continued down Dundas street. Powley tried to take his number, but so poorly illuminated was the rear number plate that the constable was unable to do so. Powley told the court that he chased and overtook defendant, who could not give any explanation for driving on the wrong side of the road. With Reid the constable tried to read the numbers of the rear number plate from 60 feet away, the distance prescribed by the traffic regulations, but was unable to do so.

The bench convicted Reid on two charges, fining him £1 for driving on the wrong side of the road with out justifiable cause; and £1 in default distress for having an ineffective rear-light.

Northcote Branch A.N.A.

The fortnightly meeting was held on Thursday, September 30. Boys of St. Vincent de Paul Orphanage will give a boxing and wrestling display on Thursday, October 14 to which members are invited. Six new members were welcomed, and seven more nominated. Messrs A. Turnbull, T. Bolt, T. Aldridge and L. Berry reported on sick members. In reporting on social activities, Mr. T. Aldridge said forms for the Xmas treat were being received, and members are urged to get their forms in as early as possible. The combined A.N.A. and A.W.A. social was a great success, and an old-time dance will be held on October 21 at the Merry Palms in aid of the cricket club. Mr. T. Bolt presented the financial statement and balance sheet of the social committee. Mr. L. Berry reported on the rifle team. Collingwood 239 defeated Northcote 237 in the last match. Mr. Berry reported on cricket activities. K. Eastman was elected captain, and S. Jackson, vice-captain. Mr. Turnbull reported on association meeting, and Wednesday night cricket meeting. At the meeting on October 28 a debate tournament will be held. The question to be debated is "Should home work be abolished in schools?" Messrs F. Carney, T. Bolt and R. Campbell will take the affirmative and Messrs F. Ward, P. Aldridge and H. Smalley the negative. The syllabus item was single handed bowls, and after a keenly contested game, Mr. Hubbard won the tournament. Next meeting will begin at 7.45 as the syllabus item is a boxing and wrestling display.

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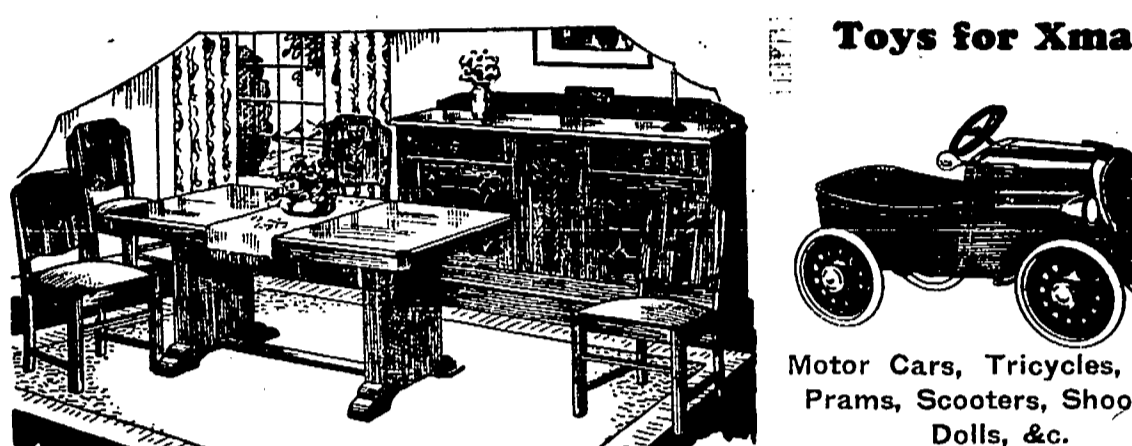
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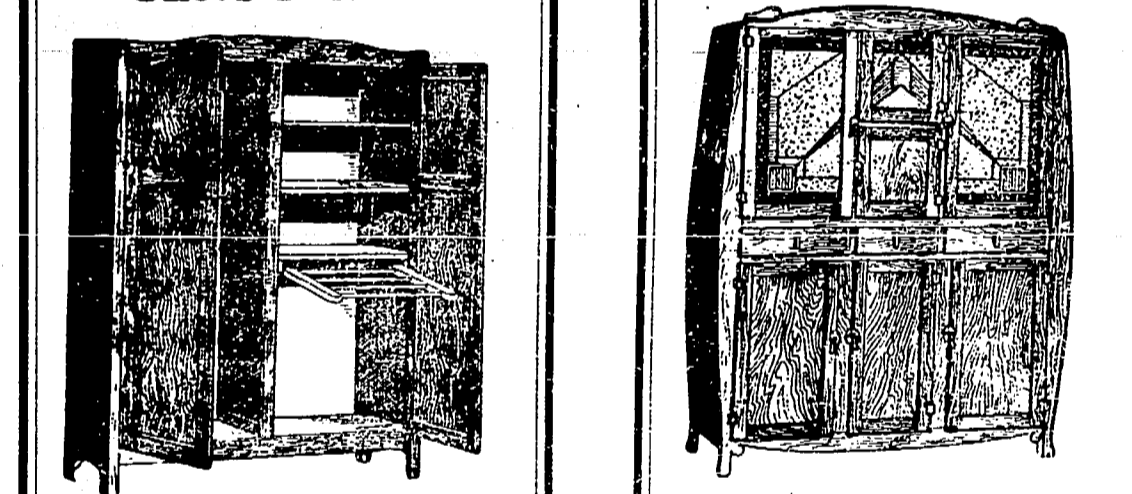


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Northcote Postmaster Farewelled

Many pleasant memories were revived when friends and co-workers of Mr. A. W. Green gathered in the Northcote Town Hall, on Thursday, September 30, to bid farewell to the retiring post-master of Northcote. The various speakers traced Mr. Green's career with the department, which he entered in 1887, joining the North Fitzroy post-office as a telegraph boy at 12 per month salary. He occupied various positions in Rutherford, Sale, Wangaratta, and was finally made post-master at Nathalia in 1912. From there he moved in the position of post-master to Tallangatta, Preston, and finally in 1924 came to Northcote, where he remained until the present. Mr. Green, who is 64 years of age, and who resides in Ross street, Northcote, has been for many years a member of the Northcote Bowling Club. In flowery speeches various speakers extolled Mr. Green's courtesy and devotion to service, his active interest in sport, etc. Among the speakers were Messrs. Gill (president of the Bowling Club), Hills, McCracken, Maxwell, Miller, Kenny, and Theistic, the latter on behalf of the postal staff and friends of Mr. Green, presenting a wallet of notes to the guest of honour. Mr. Vic. Steinhilber, who will, for the time being, occupy the position of post-master at Northcote, was in the chair. Other speakers to wish the best to Mr. Green were, Mr. Wearne, (post-master at North Fitzroy), Mr. Thomas (retired postal overseer), and Mr. Kenton (now at Preston, but who has happy memories of his association with Mr. Green at Nathalia). An excellent programme was presented by the following artists: Messrs. G. Foristal, J. Mayger, Frank Dalton, Woods, and Eric Jones.

At the conclusion of the function a vote of thanks was passed to Messrs. Considine, Bridgeman, Foristal, and Messrs. J. O'Brien and Ivory for the organisation and arrangement of a most successful evening.

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A nation of honour, four bridesmaids, and two flower-girls attended Miss Daphne King, when she was married at Holy Trinity, Thornbury, on September 4 to Mr. William Bromley. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. J. A. King, Dennis street, Northcote, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bromley, of Warrandyte. Rev. W. H. Chamberlain performed the ceremony, which was choral, the choir (of which the bride was a member), preceding the bridal routine to the chancel steps. The church, adorned with bowls of lilies and heath, a silver bell, and lover's knots at the pew-ends, was crowded, the bride being a popular identity at Holy Trinity. She is a member of the Dramatic Club. The bride, who was given away by her brother, Mr. Harold King, chose a gown of snow-white lace mounted on satin, which had a Peter Pan collar, the sleeves gathered above the elbow, and a long rounded train, studded with orange blossoms. A plaited sash halo clasped her tulle veil, and she carried white carnations and camellias. Mrs. Ethel Leson (the bride's sister was matron of honour, and the bridesmaids were Misses Valerie King (the bride's niece) Elsie and Gladys Hulet and Freda Tolverton, Laurel King and Joan Risk were the flower-girls. All were clad alike in green lace with short puffed sleeves and plaited belts. Brief tulle veils fell from green and scarlet halos, and they held scarlet camellias and carnations. Mr. W. Hulet was best man, and Messrs. Ray King (the bride's brother) and Les Thom acted as ushers. During an interlude Miss Gwen Pearson sang "Ave Maria". The couple will reside in Northcote.

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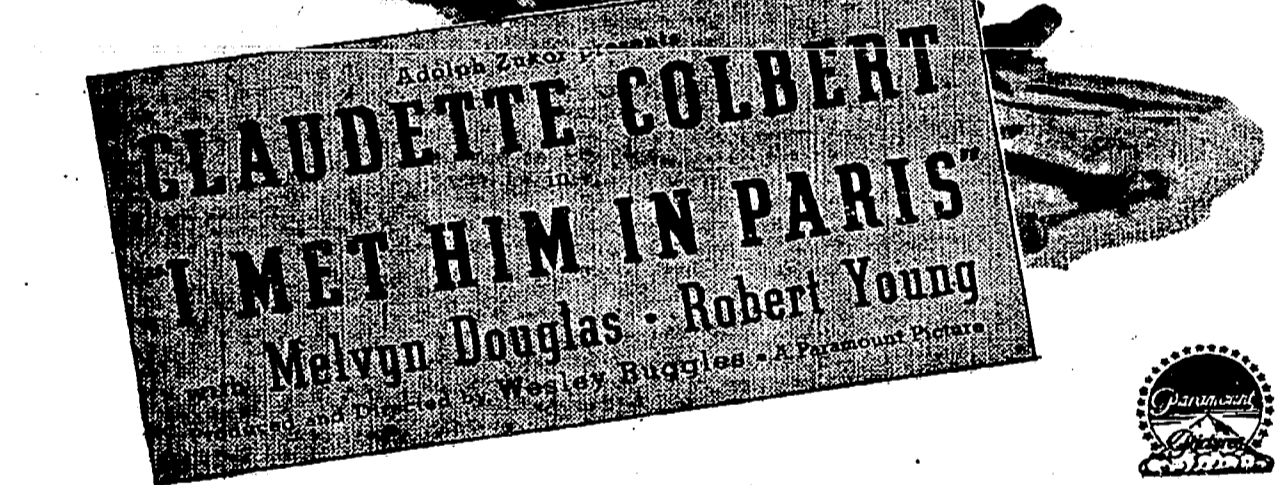
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News & Views OF THE WORLD OF FILMS

"A THOUSAND MILES TO GO" SINGS CAST.

Shortest, and longest, location trips of any motion picture of the season. That is the dual distinction possessed by Claudette Colbert's new comedy-romance "I Met Him in Paris," which stars Douglas and Robert Young. First, film tests of players on ice-skates, to prove their ability, were taken by Paramount cameramen right across the street from the studios in Hollywood at an ice rink. Then the entire company, headed by the three stars and Director Wesley Ruggles, entrained for far-off Idaho, where at Sun Valley, swank new winter resort, a thousand miles away, alpine winter scenes were photographed.

SHE LIKES TO SKI

After spending seven weeks on location in the snow country of Sun Valley, Idaho, to make Paramount's "I Met Him in Paris," Claudette Colbert packed her skis and skates and headed right for her mountain cabin near Bishop, California. There she is snowed out of the year round. "I suppose it sounds silly to take a snow-filled vacation after working in snow for almost two months," she says, "but the facts are simple. I like to ski, and that is all there is to it."

SUFFERS FOR ART

Six good solid spankings were required to produce the "spanking scene" you will see in the Paramount comedy-romance "Easy to Take." The film script called for John Howard, to administer an old-fashioned wood-shed licking to Douglas Scott, child-player, in one of the picture's hilarious moments. Two rehearsals and four "re-takes" were required before Director Glynn Tryon pronounced the scene perfect. Scott, as ready as any actor to suffer for his art, did not complain.

Annual Temperance Examinations

RESULTS OF NORTHCOTE SCHOOLS. The annual examination in temperance psychology, conducted in the State schools of Victoria in July, attracted a record entry of over 18,000 pupils, and the results will hand show that once again scholars in various State schools in Northcote made a very creditable showing.

The examination is conducted by the Education Department in conjunction with the Independent Order of Rechabites. It is confined to pupils in Grades VI, VII, and VIII, and entry is purely voluntary. But for the prevailing epidemic, the entry no doubt would have been larger.

Of the Northcote schools, Helen Street had the largest entry, and on the whole, the percentage of passes was exceptionally good. To all pupils who obtained 60 marks or over, the I.O.R. presents a certificate, while to each competing school the Star of Northcote has donated prizes for the most successful scholars.

The full list of scholars who obtained passes is as follows:—Westgarth Central School—Ervie M. Steege 85; Allan Fish 72; Jack Bonnell 69; Gordon Crickmore 68; Keith Palmer 64; W. B. Truop 62; Violet Brown 62; Pauline G. Exter 61.

Hutton Street.—Rose Smith 78; Gladys Green 75; Phyllis J. Munton 74; May C. Crabtree 73; Alan Smith 71; Valda Tyrell 70; Mary Dimmock 69; Betty Huxal 68; Joyce Allen 68; Norman Kenny 64; Lorna J. Clarke 64; Valmal Sexton 63; Sheila Watson 63; Keith Curtis 61; Leslie George 60; Helen Street.—Douglas Gunn 75; Muriel J. Pickford 74; Joan

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TECHNICAL OR GENERAL QUERIES ANSWERED

Conducted by Messrs Barber and Anderson, of the Superior Radio and Electrical Service.

These columns are intended to be of interest as well as of service to the general listener, as well as the technically inclined. Queries relative to broadcast programmes, announcers, or artists or technical problems will be answered weekly.

A WORD PICTURE

Scene: A living room in any man's family.

Time: Ten years ago, or thereabouts.

Father is seated at a table gazing in vacant attention before him. He exudes a vague but complacent air of excitement and expectancy, and now and then leans forward, and with great care, makes a delicate and apparently very critical adjustment to the shining instrument in front of him.

Around the room, variously occupied, the members of his family are seated in complete subservience.

Young Harold, with dexterity born of long practice, almost noiselessly folds the evening paper, absorbed in a cross-word puzzle. Mavis is practically an abstract body, but mother suffers a streak of misfortune, as a long series of purr and plain, she sits one . . . and with a crash a steel needle falls upon the hearth!

Pressing his hands closer to his ears, father registers extreme annoyance at the intrusion of NOISE into his sanctity of silence.

Almost guiltily mother retrieves her knitting needle, and the solemn rites continue. When poor Harold catches a visiting sneeze, it brings forth an admonishing "Sh—sh" from father, and even the cat curled upon the hearth-rug stretches slowly and eagerly to purr . . . Yes, you've guessed it—this ritual occurred in many homes when fathers started listening in on crystal sets!

The tickling of long suffering crystals with relentless catswhiskers is still going on, and readers may be surprised to learn that there are quite a number of crystal sets in active operation to-day. There are isolated cases where elderly people still depend on this type of receiver as their only means of radio entertainment. But in many cases, they are merely auxiliary receivers installed in sleepouts or the boy's bedroom.

As a hobby for the growing lad, the construction of a crystal set is very absorbing, and to get them to operate with more volume, there are scores of different circuits or hook-ups to experiment with at practically no expense after the headphones are purchased.

These parents who have their children home from school and are doing their best to amuse them at home, might welcome the suggestion . . . "Let him build a crystal set." Even sister can help in this, at least he is dependent on to do plenty of listening when big brother has finished the job.

Parts required for a simple but efficient crystal set are as follows: One .0005 (or 23 plate) variable condenser; one crystal detector; one 3in. diameter cardboard form; one quarter of a pound of 22 or 24 gauge cotton covered or enamelled wire; four terminals; one pair of headphones (up to three pairs may be used off the one set). A small piece of hardwood, or a cigar box, may be used to mount the parts on. We are pleating a circuit diagram upon our window at Radio House, 320 High Street, and copies are available free, also advice to any budding enthusiast. And here are a few points: (1) Most radio stores (and definitely ours) carry supply good used parts at a very low cost; (2) providing one listening license is held at the home no further license is required for second set; (3) a big outdoor aerial is not essential, so mother's clothes props will not have to be clandestinely appropriated; and last, but not least, if the all elect-

ric model gives up the ghost just when urgently needed . . . well, a crystal set can be used as a pinch.

Answers to Correspondent.

K.G.L. (Northcote) We do not advise the reconditioning of your receiver as the parts in the set are too old to modernize. It is not advisable to make any alterations to obtain the selectivity you require, as this is only possible with the 5-valve superheterodyne type now sold extensively. Even if a further measure of selectivity were obtained on 3XY, 3AW and 3KZ, it would be at the expense of the higher wavelength stations—that is, you would find them coming in very weak. We suggest the less you spend the better until you can trade it in on a new receiver.

LICENSING OF RADIO MECHANICS

(To the Editor)

Sir,—As one who reads with interest the articles in your progressive paper, and among the latest is the solicitation of views from your readers by your correspondent of "On Your Wavelength."

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The next aspect is the fact that there are any amount of sincere, honest, and competent men, who, through force of circumstances (like myself) or through infirmity, have never been able to expend the sum on the furtherance of radio education except through the medium of text-books and technical journals. These men, all though lacking in the mechanical process of learning radio, are fully competent, and like myself, have expended a considerable sum on up-to-date equipment for the purpose of servicing receivers of all types, testing valves, etc. and are able to give the prospective trouble as well as the estimated costs of replacements or repairs in at least 20 minutes. That is service. Might I say that the cure for this evil rests with the public themselves, who can supply the remedy by inquiring from some friends who have had radio repairs done, and by whom, cost etc. and above all the amount of satisfaction they have gained. Personally my recommendation to anyone looking for radio repair service is to look for the man with equipment, and not one with the screw-driver and pliers. A good job always advertises itself, and that is the key-note of my success up to date. Yours etc. "RADIO BUG", Preston.

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THE LEADER

Thursday, October 7, 1937.

PRESTON COURT

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Panbourn secured the highest individual score in the association with 61. R. Taylor closely followed with 50 not out. Ireland (Dennis) secured the bowling honours with 6/11. Allen (Reservoir) and Greethead (Preston Druids) were next with 4/20 each.

HOWLERS

Julius Caesar was renowned for his great strength. He threw a bridge across the Rhine.

PRESTON CLUB

Preston Bowling club only had their No 2 team playing in the Penant competition which started on Saturday. Their Nos. 1 and 3 teams having been a win was recorded, the scores being: Preston No 2 115 v Heidelberg No 2 64, played at Heidelberg.

THE BETER BAKER

Next Saturday, October 9 Preston No 1 team plays S.M.C. No 1 at home. Their No 2 team is at home to Ivanhoe No 2; and the No 3 team is also at home to the S.M.C. No 2 team.

PALEY IS A KIND OF NEW WRITER'S DANCE.

A drug is any wholesome vegetable good for taking once in a way, but not as a regular food.

THE LIVER IS AN INTERNAL ORGAN.

The liver is the internal organ. It is the largest internal organ in the body. It is situated in the upper right quadrant of the abdomen. It is responsible for the production of bile, which is essential for the digestion of fats. It also stores glycogen and vitamins, and filters toxins from the blood.

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NORTHCOTE COURT

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 5
William Edward Thomas, a licensee, who failed to have his name painted on his box when engaged in hawking in Smith street, Thornbury on September 15 was fined 5/.

The P. M. (Mr O'Grady) said that for purposes of identification, it was important that the name and license number should be written on the boxes. In the circumstances, a small penalty would meet the offence.

On September 17 a fine of £4 was imposed on Roy Tempie, Gumer street, St. Kilda, for having exceeded the 25 miles per hour speed limit while crossing the intersection of a major and a minor street. The fine had not been paid, and the defendant was ordered to be imprisoned for 14 days in default of payment of the fine.

On October 5, before Mr. E. E. O'Grady, P.M., a defective light was noticed on a motor-cycle driven by Leonard Cheffers, of Mansfield street, Thornbury, and a bus driven and owned by Raymond Rebillard, Tenison street, St. Kilda, near the corner of High street and Arthurton road on August 28, the latter was asked by Senior Constable Kelly to produce his driver's licence.

Robillard said he did not have his licence with him, and was told to produce it within seven days at the Northcote police station. He failed to do so. A fine of 10/ was imposed.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 12
Before Mr. E. E. O'Grady P.M. and Mr. P. J. Kean J.P.,
Speedy Taxi-driver Fined a "Five"
Evidence of a taxi-cab streaking at 50 miles per hour was given by Constable Trauman, of the motor-cycle patrol, who said that on August 15 the patrol followed the taxi-cab from Eastings street to Dundas street, during which time the taxi-driver passed ten cars and swerved on to the wrong side of the road several times in doing so.

The driver of the cab, Cecil Davis of Canning street, Carlton was fined £5 in default distress.

The bench commented on the extremely dangerous practice of cyclists clinging to trams, lorries and cars, when passing the bench at Roy G. Hocking, of Osborne street, South Preston, who was charged with the above offence, committed in St. George's road, on August 19. Fine to pay allowed.

On September 14 the bench imposed fines totalling £3 on Leslie Cairns, of Elm street, East Melbourne for breaches of road traffic regulations. On October 12 Cairns appeared before the court to show cause why he should not be imprisoned for non-payment of the fine.

Defendant, a butcher, told the court that following the hearing of his case in September, he lost his employment, and was not in a position to pay. He asked for a stay of 14 days.

The bench fixed the default at 10 days' imprisonment, granting

No Merits In Mrs. Merritt's Case

THIRD ACTION IN MERRITT LITIGATIONS
Maintenance Application Dismissed

For the third time within the last six months, Ethel May Merritt, of Thornbury, appeared in court seeking a maintenance order against her husband, Benjamin John Lancaster Merritt.

On the first occasion, on March 16, the bench at Northcote made an order for 25/ per week, but between then and last Tuesday, October 5, Judge Foster in the Court of General Sessions upheld the husband's appeal, and quashed the order.

When the case came up for hearing on October 5, before Mr. O'Grady P.M. at the Northcote Court, the same set of circumstances and allegations were made against the husband, when Mrs. Merritt alleged that she was at the receiving end of a couple of black eyes that her husband had threatened her with an axe and a spade; and her wedding ring was torn from her finger and thrown into the street.

The only additional evidence was an alleged trifling threat over the telephone to shoot her, and an incident in the High street, where strong language was used by her husband.

In reply to counsel for the husband, Mrs. Merritt admitted that after the alleged threat of shooting which the defendant husband emphatically denied, she had lived for nearly twelve months with him.

As far as the Collins street incident was concerned, there was nothing in the nature of a threat against her life in what the husband said. Counsel suggested that the circumstances were exactly the same as when the case was heard in the higher court. He further suggested that the wife's admissions that on the eve prior to her husband's arrest she had been hit by him hardly supported her statement that when she left him she was in fear of her life.

The P. M. found that the facts were the same as in the higher court hearing, and that he must accept the judge's finding as to the authority: "I am not going for a divorce, but I am going to get a maintenance order." He dismissed Mrs. Merritt's application and an application for costs by the wife's solicitor was also dismissed.

So ended the third act of the Merritt v Merritt drama.

NORTHCOTE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The special services associated with the Centenary of the Presbyterian Church of Victoria will be continued at the Northcote Presbyterian Church on Sunday next, when in the evening the Rev. A. T. Jones will conduct a Women's Service. A fine musical programme will be reviewed, the soloists being Miss Edna Cogle and Miss Jean Thomson. A ladies' choir will lead the singing, and the Girls' Fellowship Choir which recently won the Association Competition, will sing.

APPROACHING AUCTIONS

By James Hobson & Son, on October 23 at 3 p.m. on the property, 5 Victoria road, Northcote South, shop and dwelling on land 45 x 132 ft. as advertised.

260 Gower Street, Preston, N.18

It is with a deep sense of Gratification that I desire to thank all those who assisted me in my recent State Election Campaign.

The success achieved was the direct result of an organisation which was made possible only by the hearty co-operation given by my many friends.

My gratification for my re-election has been considerably contributed to by the knowledge that they have the pleasure of knowing that their efforts have been successful.

During my term as the representative of the Heidelberg Electorate, I have at all times endeavoured to serve all sections of the community and would again assure those I represent of my keen desire to do my utmost to justify the confidence placed in me.

HENRY P. ZWAR.

"Common Humanity Comes First"

Declaration of Poll

At midday on Wednesday the poll for the Heidelberg Electorate was declared at Preston Town Hall, the final figures reading:—
H. P. ZWAR, M.L.A. 14666
M. DUNLOP (Lab.) 13387

Majority for Zwar 12779
Moving a vote of thanks to the returning officer, Mr. Zwar said that it was a hard fight, but a fair one and he carried on their diverse duties in an honorary capacity, and have always looked after the working man, as a matter of fact, better than those who are supposed to look after him. Common humanity always comes first with me," concluded Mr. Zwar.

Mr. H. J. Pratt, J.P., said he did not think Mr. Dunlop had been notified that the declaration of poll would take place on Wednesday at noon. He was away in the country electioneering. He was sure Mr. Dunlop would regret not having met his opponent. On his behalf he thanked the returning officer.

NORTHCOTE POLICE DECLARED
At noon on Wednesday, October 13, from the steps of the Northcote Town Hall, the Returning Officer for Northcote (Mr. Glanville) declared the result of the recent State election, in which Mr. J. Cain (Lab.) was re-elected to the Legislative Assembly. The final figures were:—
CAIN, J. (Lab.) 18,513
Majority for Cain 9,922

Detective Tremewen narrated how on September 26 he went to Hill's house, where he saw a gold watch (produced) hanging on the wall. Hill told him that he had bought it for 10/. Three days later his agent visited Hill's house and on that occasion accused hand-club a number of articles, including the New Zealand shillings (produced). On October 1 at 7 a.m. witness in company with Det. Delmonico arrested Stanford in a house in Gave street, Fitzroy. At the house in Gave street, Fitzroy, the Detective Officer Stanford admitted the two housebreakings. Later on Hill also made a statement in which he admitted that the proceeds of the robbery in Flinders street, were sold by him for 14/6.

The P.M. (Mr. O'Grady) committed the two for trial, allowing £75 bail in each case, with a surety of a similar amount.

PRESTON MAYOR ON BENCH

In his capacity of Chief Magistrate of the City, the Mayor of Preston (Mr. G. H. Mott, J.P.) took his seat on the bench at the Preston Court on Wednesday last.

Mr. T. J. McMahon, the usual chairman of the bench on the Justices' day, welcomed the Mayor, and invited him to take the chair. On behalf of the legal profession Mr. A. S. Wilkinson (Home and Wilkinson) paid his respects to the Mayor. Sergeant H. A. Lang on behalf of the police, Mr. Croft suitably responded, saying that he hoped by his actions to uphold the reputation for fairness enjoyed by the Preston Bench and thanked the speakers for their words of welcome. After the short speech Mr. Mott asked the chairman (Mr. McMahon) to resume his duties as chairman, and the court proceeded with its business.

Activities at Preston

By The Houseboat

THAT Rev. Fr. O'Grady, of the Sacred Heart Church, Preston, has sent notes from Dublin and Edinburgh containing greetings to Preston parishioners.

That Ireland has made a big impression on the reverend gentleman and his travelling companions. That Sacred Heart church school is thronged every Friday evening with keen student players. That vandals have been busy in Preston. Their latest freak being to cut half a dozen runners of the Virginia croquet which adorns the wall of one of the municipal out-buildings. The croquet, planted some years ago, was making excellent progress, but has now received a severe setback.

That variant dogs are another source of annoyance and do much damage to beds in front of the Preston Town Hall.

That a Preston lad said to his dad: "Oh, pater, I had your car out last night and took one of the boys to Whittlesea." Said Dad: to his lad: "Oh, that's all right. Tell the boy I found his little perfume handkerchief in the car, and he can call round for it."

That the infantile paralysis epi-

demic is responsible for one additional case in Preston, and one in Rosevear.

South Preston Mothers' Club

ON Monday evening there was an attendance of over 200 at a complimentary social tendered to friends and supporters who had assisted in gatherings organised by the above club. The function took place at the Governors Theatre. Mr. W. Crowe, president of the committee, spoke of the excellent work done by the Mothers' club, in the interests of children attending the school, and mentioned the fact that over 1750 had been raised during six years. The evening was spent in dancing and card-playing. Mrs. Kaufman (president) returned sincere thanks to all friends who had tendered generous and capable assistance during her term of office including Mrs. Dunoon (hon. secretary), and Mr. Nilley.

Municipal Estimates

MEMBERS of the Preston City Council will meet next Monday evening to deal with estimates relative to expenditure and works to be carried out during the year 1937-38.

Presentation
PRIOR to his departure to attend the annual conference of the Municipal Employees' Union of Australia, held in Mildura last week, Mr. A. Madden was presented with a travelling rug on behalf of the Preston members of the Union, by Mr. Frank McGill, Mr. Madden has been on the staff of the Preston Council for many years and for 13 years has been unopposed as shop steward and delegate to the Management Committee of the M.E.U.A.

More Shops and Offices
PRESTON is still going ahead in the erection of still more offices and shops. Messrs. Braithwaite Pty Ltd., are responsible for the building of shops and professional chambers on the south-western corner of High street and Murray road; and on the north-western corner of the same thoroughfares, shops and offices are in course of erection. It is stated that tenants will enter into possession of the new buildings before the Xmas season sets in.

Bell Railway Station
IN the month of September 1937 passenger traffic receipts at Bell railway station amounted to £941 and this year there was a drop to £832—a drop of £109. Parcels for 1938 totalled £21 and this year were £22. Travelling goods figures for 1937 were £1,129, and in 1937 £1,112. The biggest slump was in connection with outward goods, September of last year showing £135 and this year £50. The reason in the latter case is set down to a lesser despatch of bricks to country districts.

Housewives' Association
THE monthly meeting of the Housewives' Association (Howey Court) Preston branch, was held on Wednesday, October 7. The president (Mrs. Hann) occupied the chair. It was decided to donate a "climbing tower" to be placed in the new playground at Royal Park, Homes for Children. The president notified that she intended retiring from the office at the end of the year, as she contemplates a trip to England. Miss Wolman gave a demonstration of the "Walmacote" combined coat and skirt, which is claimed to be very useful. At next meeting there will be a demonstration of electrical appliances.

Preston I.N.F.
A large number attended the annual presentation night of the Irish National Foresters, on Monday night. Among those present were Father O'Rourke P.P., Father Cleary, Bro. Scott, I.C.R., Bros. P. Ryan (general secretary), Cavanagh and Stevens, of the Board of Directors, representatives of other branches, and members of the social societies. Sister Marsland C.R. introduced Bro. Scott, and requested him to make the presentations. Bro. Scott, in presenting a travelling rug to Bro. Duran, and a smoker's stand on their good work as Chief Rangers during 1936, and also the branch on its excellent progress during the year. Father O'Rourke congratulated the branch on its fine social work and on the excellent manner in which they conducted their meetings. Bro. Ryan then presented a handsome clock, in recognition of his fine work as secretary over the past five years. Five short plays, to whom the branch owes much of its success. The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing and other amusements, closing with the members singing "God Save Ireland."

"The Bohemian Girl"
The members of Our Lady of Lourdes Operatic Society will present Balfe's grand opera "The Bohemian Girl," in Northcote Town Hall on Wednesday 27 and Thursday 28 October at 8 p.m. An excellent cast has been secured and will be supported by a chorus of fifty voices with a full orchestra. Miss Josie Keen, of 310, who was understudy to Miss Gladys Moncrieff during the recent opera season, will play the lead ("Arlene") May Dixon (Mrs. Hussey), D. Graydon ("Thaddeus") A. Adeock ("Count"), C. Saunders ("Devilina"), G. Forester ("Pierstain") are the other principals. Mr. J. Stoyke (late of Pollard Opera Co.) assisted by J. Woods in producing the opera, and the musical direction is in the hands of Mr. Jas. Neilson, who, success with the Northcote and District Choral Society is well known. Details are advertised elsewhere.

Mr. H. P. Zwar, M.L.A. and Mrs. Zwar were guests at a theatre party at Her Majesty's City, given by Mr. J. Farrar Sutton and Mrs. Sutton, Mayor and Mayoress of Heidelberg, on Wednesday, October 8. Mr. and Mrs. Zwar also attended a dance at St. Kilda on Tuesday evening, the proceeds of which were in aid of the Eye and Ear Hospital.

C. and Mrs. H. Swain, also Cr. C. J. Jessop, of Heidelberg, left on Wednesday morning for a trip to the O'Shanessy, and expect to return on Friday.

Construction of St. George's Road.
A start has been made with the construction of St. George's road, formerly known as Frank street, between Bell street and Murray road.

Rainfall
THE rainfall during the month of September amounted to 187 points.

Basketball Premiers
THE basketball team connected with St. Raphael's, West Preston, has received a beautiful cup from the association, for winning the premiership of its section. Fire in Tyler Street.

LAST Saturday evening, at a house occupied by Mr. G. Moran in Tyler street, and owned by Mr. A. Bilzard, May street, Coburg, a fire broke out and destroyed tools and incubators in a shed at the rear of the premises. Preston fire brigade extinguished the outbreak.

Obstructing Cars in High Street.
OWING to the heavy traffic in High street, Preston, Sgt. F. Lane intends taking action against drivers of vehicles who leave their cars and vehicles in such a position as to cause an obstruction of the roadway, contrary to the Motor Car Act. Cars obstructing traffic will be towed away.

Bro. R. H. Lobbe reported on the activities of the Northcote Branch V.L.O.A., and a discussion took place as to the best method of allotting to the Tent for the forthcoming "No License" poll. Eventually a committee of four was appointed to draw up a plan of campaign. On behalf of the members of the Hope of Northcote Junior C.C., Bro. H. T. Morris presented trophy cups to Bro. D. Barnard (batting), W. Kavanagh (full-round), and D. Groves (bowling) won during last season.

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DANGEROUS BLASTING ALLEGED
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CONCERT AT THORNBURY
Last Sunday evening at St. Mary's Thornbury, the parish Operatic Society presented an excellent concert in the hall to a large audience. The programme was well received, many double encores being demanded. The star item was Signor Cerbasal whose renditions on the harp were beautiful, while his numbers with May Dixon (Mrs. Hussey) soprano, were never heard in better voice, were given. Miss Josie Keen sang very artistically and Messrs. J. Clinton, A. Baker, C. Saunders and E. Forbes were all in fine voice, while Miss L. Keen's violin solos were much appreciated. Comedy was supplied by Mr. Jack Woods in three humorous sketches. His assistants, Misses L. McDonald, D. Cummins and E. Cook with Mr. W. Ryan also performed excellently. The Operatic Society under the baton of Mr. J. Neilson, sang effectively. Mrs. G. Timmons was an efficient accompanist.

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STAR OF NORTHCOLE TENT I.O.R.
Bro. A. Robinson C.R. president, over a large attendance on October 7. Three new members were welcomed by Bro. M. Veveyer P.C.R., and two clearances accepted; three were granted, and several propositions were received. A motion of condolence was passed to Bro. L. R. Reid, who recently suffered a family bereavement.

At a recent meeting of Junior Superintendents, it was decided that the annual picnic for Junior members be held on Australia Day; and also that a sports programme be conducted early next year. It was also announced that Bro. L. Shattell, D.S.I.T., who recently returned from America, would give an illustrated talk of his travels in the States on November 24, at which supper will be provided. A donation of £1/11 was made to each of the John Vale and Craxton cricket clubs who are competing in the Junior I.O.R. competition. Congratulations were extended to Bro. E. Webb on his election as Divisional Junior Superintendent of No. 1 Division.

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NEWS & VIEWS OF THE WORLD OF FILMS

CRACK POLO PLAYER
Guinn ("Big Boy") Williams, who is featured with Jack Holt in Columbia's "End of the Trail" is one of the outstanding polo players of America. He is rated as a five-goal man by the National polo association, which is just a few points below famous internationalists.

Williams is also probably the biggest man in a grade polo competition in America. He is 6 ft. 2 ins. and weighs 215 pounds.

Upon completion of "End of the Trail," at Columbia, "Big Boy" headed east to take part in the national open polo championships at Long Island, taking with him a string of 23 ponies. "Big Boy's" polo activities are also unique in the fact that he has made the game an asset rather than a liability. To the average polo enthusiast, the game is a tremendous expense. Williams has counteracted this by becoming a breeder of polo ponies on his ranch. He has disposed of all but 40, but he has plans to replenish his stock at the conclusion of the national championships.

MIRACLES OF MAKE-UP
Imagine Eros without his bow—Chaplin without his cane—Neg-

retti without Zambra, or Tom Walls without his moustache, and Ralph Lynn without his monocle. It seems impossible, but these two last named miracles happen in the new Capitol Production "For Valor." In this picture Ralph Lynn appears in certain scenes as a doddering old man of 85. Tom Walls appears as a man 20 years his junior, but without a moustache, and adorned with the nicest cauliflower ear you have seen for years.

Herman Rosenthal, one of the greatest make-up experts of the day, took nearly 24 hours to get each of these stars ready for the scenes in which they thus appear. He it was who was responsible for George Arliss' appearance as the "Gavner" and Betty Hutton's make-up in "My Old Dutch," and once received a command to make-up Prince Wilhelm as his ancestor, the Emperor Frederick.

His greatest triumph, however, is Tom Walls' make-up. The star had, of course, to dispense with his moustache and sideburns when he appeared as an old man, but now and again these had to be replaced for those scenes in which he appears in his own familiar guise. Tom Walls confesses that this was a most peculiar sensation, particularly as it was impossible to tell that he was made-up.

"For Valor" is one of the most intriguing comedies in which these two stars have ever appeared, for it provides them with splendid opportunities for some brilliant character acting, and boasts a plot the unique qualities of which have never before been surpassed. Tom Walls was responsible for the direction of the picture, the action of which switches with rapidity from the War years to the Brighton front in 1937.

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"FEUDINAND" by Nina Bradshaw.
"THE TIPSTER" by Roland Danil.
"GLAD SURRENDER." by Helena Greese.
"SET ME FREE." by Denise Robins.
"WORLD WELL LOST." by Monica Ewer.

The above-mentioned books are available at the

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Asta—The Terrier

Asta has become a dramatic actor. The little wire-haired terrier who bravely "stole" scenes from William Powell and Myrna Loy in "The Thin Man" is again playing himself in the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer sequel "After the Thin Man". Frances Goodrich and Albert Hackett wrote a real role into Asta. He has been learning his lines for the past several months under the direction of owner Harry East. Asta accompanied the W. S. Van Dyke company to San Francisco for opening scenes of the picture. Powell and Miss Loy have presented Asta with a dog-house with a sign on it. "He's a better actor than I am," said Powell, when Asta took a scene away from him. "He deserves the star."

THEY ARE BACK

"After the Thin Man" is more than just another sequel. It picks up in the high where "The Thin Man" left off. Nick and Nora, having conquered New York, are on their way to bustling cosmopolitan San Francisco, with its colourful, certain Chinatown. Its energetic ferries, and its magnificent bridges. Nick has put his sleuthing career in moth balls for good. He and Nora want nothing but lots of peace, quiet and relaxation. It is New Year's Eve when they arrive at the door of their swank Nob Hill home. And they walk into a whoopee party. Half of San Francisco society, policemen, race track touts, ex-puns, and underworld friends have dropped in, to welcome them home.

Nick and Nora are invited to dinner. Selma, Nora's dissolute cousin is in trouble. Her dissolute husband Robert has been missing for three days. Nora's testy aunt, an over-bearing grand dame would not have anything to do with Nick but the family honour must be kept out of the headlines.

Robert leaves the café for home and shortly after, is found murdered, shot to death. Selma is discovered with a gun in her hand. David, who has always loved her, comes to the rescue.

The rest of the story is a deep dark secret, the ending being locked in a safe. To assure that the usual climax would not be prematurely revealed, the last three scenes were not filmed until the rest of the picture was completed.

Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer has spared nothing to make "After the Thin Man" the funniest, snappiest, most exciting comedy-mystery-melodrama ever screened. It is aimed at only one thing, sheer, unadulterated audience entertainment.

BATMAN ELECTORATE



Vote U.A.P.

1 PETERS, A. V.
Polling Day: Saturday October 23
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Northcote Public Assistance Committee

SEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT
The committee is constituted as follows: The Mayor (Chairman) Mr. A. V. Peters, (Chairman) Mr. Dennis, McAdam and the Town Clerk (Mr. J. A. Thomson) representing the Northcote Council; Mrs. R. Thompson (Honorary Secretary); Mrs. S. Dennis (Dorcas Society); Rev. W. H. Chamberlain, (Protestant churches); Mr. J. McGivern (Catholic churches); Mr. Thomson was appointed honorary secretary.

The number of families receiving assistance at the end of August 1937 was 248 as against 237 in August 1936, 480 in August 1935, 549 in August 1934, 587 in August 1933, 1176 in August 1932, and 1543 in August 1931. The number was made up as follows:—Single men as unit of family: 2; Single men without dependants: 7; men with one dependant 57; men with two dependants 39; men with three dependants 35; men with four dependants 15; men with five dependants 5; men with six dependants 2; men with seven dependants 2; men with eight dependants 1.

Most of the men are working in return for sustenance, therefore are paid in cash. Total amount paid for the twelve months ended August 1937 £21,376/4/ and £205/9/6, paid to men unable to work. Special Christmas and Coronation grants amounted to £381/4/2. In addition to the men receiving assistance, there were 87 men registered for work only, as against 112 on September 1, 1936. Also at the end of August 1937 there were 104 men on country relief work, 248 men were given relief work during the year.

1622 pairs of boots were repaired and leather supplied by the government was 78 sides (958 lbs.). State Relief Committee supplied 210 women's secondhand garments and 150 children's. The government supplied wood, and the committee paid for carting to five depots—1078 tons were received, and 2,553 allotments made, 792 pairs of boots distributed.

Finances.—Balance forward, £265/3/7; refunds Sustenance Department, £170/10/-; other receipts £52/5/2, giving a total of £487/19/9. Expenditure was £325/17/10 leaving a balance of £162/1/11.

Attack On Girl
A young Northcote girl was treated at Royal Melbourne Hospital on Thursday evening October 7, for a lacerated scalp and abrasions, following an attack with a bottle.

The girl, Joan Connor, 16 years, Cunningham street, Northcote, was a passenger in a North Carlton-bound train. She was the only occupant of a carriage. Miss Connor told the police that between Princes Bridge and Jolimont stations, a boy leaped over the partition between the two compartments, and made offensive remarks to her. Then he leaped over and struck her several times with a bottle.

Later a boy was detained by the wireless patrol, and charged with unlawful assault.

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CR. PETERS TO ADDRESS MEETING

Mr. A. V. Peters, endorsed U.A.P. candidate for the Batman electorate in the forthcoming Federal election, will hold a public meeting in the Northcote Town Hall, Westbourne grove, on Wednesday, October 13, at 8 p.m., and not 7 p.m. as stated on the hand-bill. Senator J. F. Guthrie will also speak.

MUNICIPAL NOTICES

City of Northcote

TENDERS

TENDERS Returnable at 12 Noon on MONDAY, 18TH OCTOBER are invited for the SUPPLY OF HORSES, HARNESS AND DRAYS. Specification of Contract may be obtained at the office of the City Engineer.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
By order,
J. A. THOMSON,
Town Clerk.

Municipal Offices,
Northcote,
6/10/37.

BYLAW NO. 82

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the City of Northcote has passed Bylaw No. 82 for regulating traffic and processions, preventing obstructions of the carriage ways within the City, suppressing nuisances, prohibiting spitting or expectorating on footpaths, prohibiting the throwing, placing or leaving upon any public highway or carriage-way, or road, or other vegetable matter, rubbish or other heavy material upon any footway or carriage-way, regulating the use in or on any fence or other erection on land adjoining any street or road of any wire with spikes or ironed projections, regulating and prohibiting the writing, painting, printing, stencilling, placing or affixing of any letter, figure, device, poster, sign or advertisement upon any footpath, street or road, or upon any building fence or other property vested in the Municipal Council or under the control and management of the Council, the prohibition of maintaining the road rule and government of the Municipality and for repealing Bylaws Nos. 42, 45, 48, 52, 56, 60, and 79.

A copy of the Bylaw may be inspected or obtained at the office of the Town Clerk.

This Bylaw was published in the Government Gazette on the 6th day of October, 1937 and came into operation on the 7TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1937.

J. A. THOMSON
Town Clerk.

Municipal Offices,
Northcote, N.16,
7th, October, 1937.

LEGAL NOTICES

F. P. WALSH, M.A., L.E.B.
Barrister & Solicitor, 452 High St., Northcote. Hours of attendance: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Monday and Friday evenings, 7.30 to 8.30; at the Reserve Bank Agency, Station Entrance, 2-5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday evenings, 8 to 9; and at 133 Clarke St., Northcote (Tel. JW 2222).

ALLAN L. HUGHES, M.A., LL.M.
Barrister & Solicitor, 314 Collins St. Melbourne. (Tel. Cent. 8422) may be consulted at 782 High St., Northcote (Tel. JW 2252) on Tuesday evenings, 7.30 to 8.30; at the Reserve Bank Agency, Station Entrance, 2-5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday evenings, 8 to 9; and at 133 Clarke St., Northcote (Tel. JW 2222).

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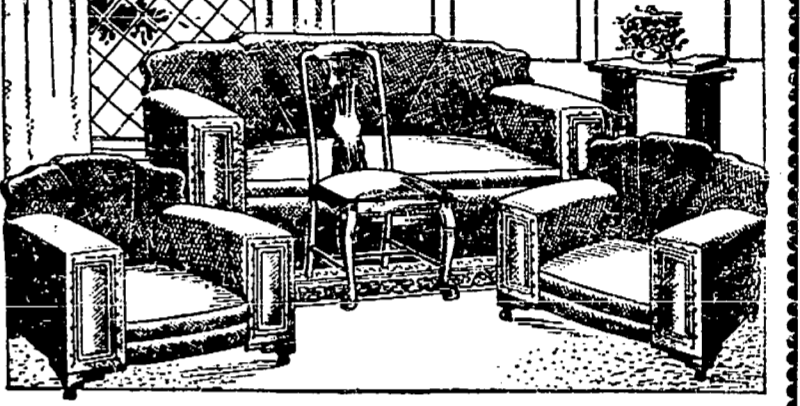
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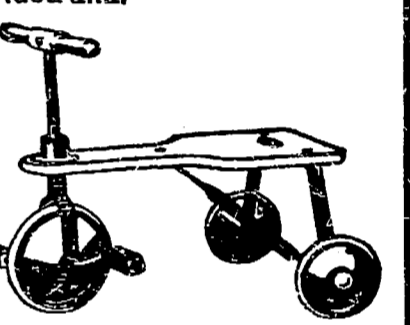
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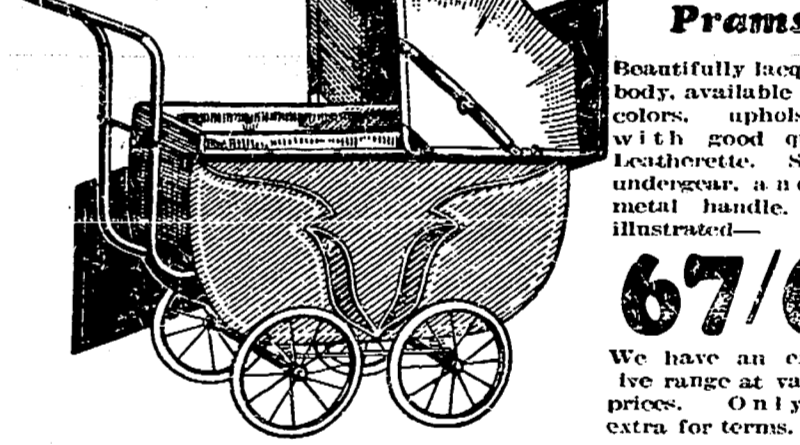
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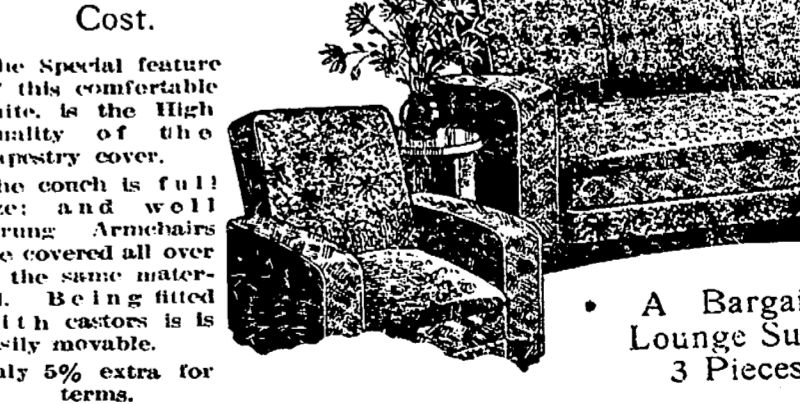
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The selection of heat winners will be decided by popular vote, and one adjudicator. The competition is open to all adults living within the metropolitan area.

The first night of this wonderful entertainment has not, as yet, been finally decided upon, but it is expected to begin about the 2nd Wednesday in November. Watch the "Leader-Index" for full and final particulars.

The whole scheme reflects the greatest credit upon Mr. M. J. Collins, the managing director of M. J. Collins & Co., popular furniture store, at 345-347 High Street, Northcote. It is just over two years since their opening, but at that time the firm has gained the confidence and approval of local residents for fair dealing, good values, and first-grade furniture. Mr. McKay deserves the greatest credit for the marked organisability shown in preparing schedules and working out details of this monster P and A. Parade.

CHRISTMAS MAILS FOR UNITED KINGDOM AND EUROPE

The Deputy Director of Posts and Telegraphs notifies that the time has arrived to prepare Christmas lists and despatches for despatch to the United Kingdom and Europe.

Latest date for posting parcels— to ensure delivery before Christmas they must be posted to reach the P.O. Melbourne before noon on Monday November 8, when mail losses for despatch per "Orion."

Other articles.—The last mail for letters and packets for delivery before Christmas will be despatched by the R.M.S. "Moldavia." Packet mails will close at Melbourne at 4 p.m. on November 18, and letters at 4 p.m. on the same date.

Although the "Moldavia" will reach London on December 18, the public is asked to post, so far as is practicable, Christmas mail in time for despatch by the "Orion." The packet mail by the "Orion" will leave at 3 p.m. on November 11, and the other mail at 4 p.m. on the same date.

The Director desires to emphasise that as in the case of parcels, the orders of small packets are required to fill in and affix a declaration form indicating the nature and contents of the parcels, and that such parcels and packets must be posted by being handed in over the counter of a post office.

BOARD AND RESIDENCE

VACANCY for gent. boarder, close tram and train 13 Ross St. Westcote.

Federal Elections

CR. A. V. PETERS

He has always taken a keen interest in politics, being a loyal supporter of the Lyons Government.

Mr. Peters has identified himself with all the sporting activities throughout the electorate.

Mr. Peters solicits the vote of all thinking men and women, as he claims to stand for a fair deal to all classes and for stable government.

During the year 1936-37 he was Mayor of the City of Northcote, and was generally regarded as one of the most popular Mayors the city has had.

Mr. Peters, who is a young and vigorous man, is a native of Northcote, and with the exception of the period of his active service with

MR. FRANK BRENNAN M.H.R.

BROADCASTS

Mr. Frank Brennan M.H.R. spoke over the National radio on Tuesday evening.

He said it was an honour to speak for it throughout Australia. The issues were similar to those of the last election, but the people had suffered the U.A.P. three years longer.

Liberal opinion everywhere divorced itself now from the shabby gentility of this decadent party, and nothing was more pathetic than to see an occasional young man of honest working class training attaching himself to the U.A.P. for the "social" distinction of mixing with those who regarded him as beneath the butler because they themselves are less than the cook.

Occasionally Mr. Lyons is shocked by unpleasant truths as for instance when his own Minister for Health tells him that there are 40 per cent of our children underfed, although we can in a single year export £14,000,000 worth of wheat, £8,000,000 worth of meat, £9,000,000 worth of butter, and over £50,000,000 worth of wool.

Speaking of banking, Mr. Brennan said Labor established a Commonwealth Bank—a National buttress—Mr. Lyons believed in it. But times and manners change. The management of a bank should be for the manager. The banking policy belongs to the nation. Credit should not be controlled by profiteers for profit, but by trustees for the public good.

On Monday, October 18, Mr. Brennan will broadcast on Defence.

Northcote-Thornbury St. Vincent's Auxiliary

In the Committee Room of the Northcote Town Hall on Thursday, October 14, at 2.30 p.m. the Northcote-Thornbury Auxiliary for St. Vincent's Hospital will hold its monthly meeting over which Mrs. W. Jowett will preside.

On Thursday, October 21, the auxiliary is sponsoring a Card Afternoon in the Committee Room of Northcote Town Hall at 3.30 p.m.

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RAMON NOVARRIO'S SISTER MAKES FILM DEBUT

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"If I get my chance through ability," she said proudly, "my chances of success will be greater."

The youthful, dark-eyed beauty realised her dream when she won a role in Grace Moore's current picture "When You're In Love."

ROCHELLE IS CHOSEN

She was chosen personally by Miss Moore and Leon Leonidoff, famous burlesque dancer, for the role of a blue-eyed beauty who wanted to become an actress.

Carmen has been appearing on and when the opportunity presented the stage with Novarrigo for two ed itself, she made the trip to Hollywood. Brother and sister have just completed a world tour which took them all over South America, Canada, Europe. Now that she has crashingly proved her ability, and she has received the gates of Hollywood on her is co-starred with Robert Kent in one, she intends to forsake the currently released "That I May Live."

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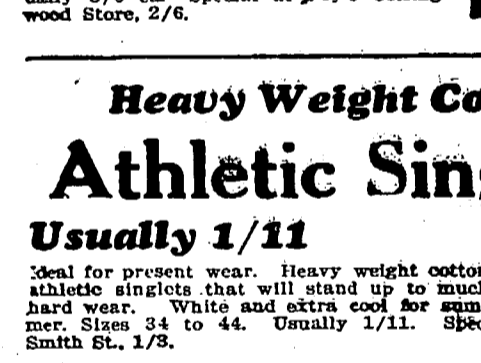
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WHAT CONSTITUTES DRIVING?

Anyone who studies driving on the road today probably realizes that the average driver merely knows how to start the engine, steer the vehicle, push down the accelerator pedal and apply the brakes. All that the average driver has not the faintest idea of the meaning of momentum, inertia, no control force. One sees drivers around town and street corners at speeds which simply dash in and out of traffic at speeds which excite the spectators watching the act. It is not the age of miracles has not passed, and certainly it is not for the extraordinarily good driver and tyre to-day, many more drivers of this type would spend most of their time in hospitals. The cause of much of this lack of control and courteous driving appears to be a lack of proper teaching, for there is more in learning to drive an automobile than the merely mechanical side of handling an automobile. Unfortunately during recent years, too often the youthful would-be driver picks up his knowledge of driving from a relative or friend, who, in many cases, is ill-equipped to pass on even the rudiments of good driving. The novice is taught how to change gear and steer the vehicle, and apart from a possible caution about keeping to the left and "blow the horn if any one cuts in the way" little effort is made to convey to beginners at least some knowledge of the ethics of safe and courteous driving. The result is the increasing number of drivers who know little or nothing of the finer points of driving, take no pride in the way they handle their car, and apparently have no desire, even if they knew how, to improve their driving methods. At one time the acquisition of driving skill was a matter of personal pride.

The moral is that it is eminently desirable when learning to drive a car, that a properly qualified instructor be selected to initiate one into the art of driving. It would be interesting to learn what percentage of those who take out their first driving license have gone through a thorough course of learning how to drive correctly. The subject is one that definitely affects the safety of the road. A little enquiry on this point might lead to better provision being made to ensure that the driver of tomorrow at least has been properly tutored in what he or she should, or should not do when handling an automobile on the public highway; and furthermore, it would save many a driver from committing offences against the traffic regulations, with a subsequent appearance in court, and fines.

Egg Day Appeal 992 DOZEN COLLECTED

The following eggs were received and distributed as stated below in connection with the Egg Day Appeal conducted by the Mayresses of Northcote (Mrs. A. Meadman) on October 12, viz:— St. Joseph's School, 28 doz; Helen Street school 32 doz; High School 48 doz; Hutton Street school 88 2/3 doz; Pender's Grove school 40 doz; St. Mary's school 42 doz; Station Street school 15 1/2 doz; Wales Street school 45 doz; Westgarth school 70 doz; Westleigh College 173 doz; total from schools 428 doz. These eggs were distributed as follows:—Melbourne Hospital 110 doz; Women's Hospital 75 doz; St. Vincent's Hospital 80 doz; Children's Hospital 102 doz; After Care Hospital 36 doz; Queen Victoria Hospital 45 doz; total 428 doz. Collected by members of Northcote Auxiliary, 290 doz; Thursday Afternoon Community Singers 35 doz; collected by members of the Thornbury auxiliary 238 doz. These were distributed as follows: Northcote auxiliary to Melbourne Hospital 325 doz; Thornbury auxiliary to Queen Victoria Hospital 239 doz. The grand total of eggs received and distributed amongst the hospitals was 992 doz.

The general distribution took place on the basis of beds occupied in various hospitals according to yearly reports.

CONSTABLE TRANSFERRED

First Constable Francis Thomas Fennessy, who for a number of years has been stationed at Northcote, was last week transferred to Hawthorn. His place is being taken by Constable Elliott, late of Bourke street West.

Circumstances Alter Kisses

When a Manchester resident was summoned at Crewe (England) for not having proper control of his moving car, a policeman told the magistrates that the man kissed his companion three times in 100 yards. When stopped he said he was kissing my wife. We have been married only a few hours. It was a foolish thing to do. The magistrates, dismissing the case on payment of costs, said that the circumstances were very extenuating.

APPEAL FOR BOOKS

(To the Editor) Sir,—The Free Book Distributing Society is making a special appeal for books for distribution to all charitable institutions before Christmas. We would be most grateful for any publicity through your paper. All types of books are useful as we supply (free of charge) various institutions such as hospitals, orphanages, homes for the aged, relief camps, etc. We do not need magazines just now. Your readers may send parcels of books to our address. They will be carried freight free. Thanking you in anticipation of your co-operation. Hon. Organiser, (Mrs.) FLEM. POSNER, Olderfield Buildings, 475 Collins street, Melbourne.

"Jamming Is Next Dance Craze"

Movies, with all their influence on fashions, manners and decoration, most obviously influence us in creating new dance crazes. "Turn Off the Lights" the Paramount musical comedy featuring Charlie Ruggles, Eleanor Whitney, Johnny Downs, Ben Blue, Kenny Baker, and Phil Harris, has its own contribution to American life. "Jamming," created by Leroy Prinz, one of Hollywood's acerbic directors, "Jamming" is the "me plus ultra" in swingtime rhythm. It is a swing with variations, a shuffle with a mixture of Suzy.

Murder Trial Methods

Considerable food for thought to those who hold opinions on capital punishment as an institution as well as those who feel that circumstantial evidence should be entirely ruled out in capital cases, is contained in "Paramount's 'The Accusing Finger,'" a new drama featuring Marsha Hunt, Robert Cummings, Kent Taylor. "The Accusing Finger" tells of Kelly, a district attorney with a perfect record, who is himself entangled in a series of circumstances which result in his being sentenced to die in the electric chair. All the evidence is against him, and it is a perfect case. It is known that he is in love with Miss Hunt, and not with his wife, Miss Hayes, whom he was overheard threatening when she created a scene in a public restaurant. It is also known that he was arguing with her only a few moments before her body was found in her bedroom. He alone knows how she came to be killed, but with the exception of Miss Hunt and Taylor, an investigator in the district attorney's office, nobody believes him. Taylor is also in love with Miss Hunt, but despite the fact that the coroner would remove a rival suitor, he undertakes to prove the man innocent of the crime.

The hotel was the scene in the country. As the two visitors retired to the bedroom, one of them snuffed suspiciously and said "Well if that's not the limit. There's gas escaping." "Can you blame it?" replied the friend bitterly.

P. W. Carnaffan, Prop.

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LOST ON VENUS

—Edgar Rice Burroughs. The action of the story takes place, as the title implies, on the planet of Venus, and it tells of the remarkable adventures of Carson Napier, in the weird and unearthly surroundings of the Shepherd's Star. Napier pursues his hopeless love for the unattainable daughter of a Venusian emperor, which leads him into the trackless waste of a remote and unexplored Venusian continent. The story is a story of delight for followers of Edgar Rice Burroughs.

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FILIPINO UNFORTUNATE INJURY "Clever Henry" Burdett, the Filipino welterweight...

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Did you know? A scientist states that vegetables can be ill in the same way as human beings...

Johnny Shields, now the proprietor of a freighting business at Westarrah, gained yet another k.o. victory...

THE BOHEMIAN GIRL The members of Our Lady of Lourdes Operatic Society will present "The Bohemian Girl"...

After a three weeks spell, Hughie Hobson of Northcote, still undefeated in his recent record...

"Sorry, sir," said the butcher to a customer, "but beef is up to-day, two-pence per pound..."

CRICKET

JIKA ASSOCIATION

Weather conditions were not in favour of cricket for the opening of the season on Saturday...

Reports of several cricket matches, coming to hand for late cannot be inserted...

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NORTHCOTE COUNCIL

MONDAY, OCTOBER 19 ORDINARY BUSINESS Cr Bird drew attention to the poor condition of the street name plates west of St. George's road...

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Chess Corner CHESS CORNER NORTHOTE LOSERS IN CLOSURE GAME

Chess Club Deputation At the meeting of the Northcote Council a deputation from the Northcote Chess Club was heard...

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CRICKET

SUB-DISTRICT
Yarraville v Preston
Firsts - Preston 5/17/25 declared...

JIKA ASSOCIATION
The weather was perfect on Saturday. The highest total was that of Reservoir, and the lowest that of Pastrecocks...

Northcote A.O.F. v Preston Boys
A.O.F. gave a poor display of batting their total for both innings being only 58...

Preston Baschallers v Prestonite
Resulting with 1/6. Short and Curwood batted well for the Baschallers...

Bell Ramblers v Bell
Bell carried their score for 2/12 to 150. Pike batted nicely. Ramblers played out time...

Reservoir v Craner
Reservoir batted all the afternoon for 190. Allen top-scorer gave a fine display...

Northcote Junior Footballers v Northcote P.A.F.S.
Owing to a sudden wicket, play commenced on Saturday in this match. Footballers knocked up a good total...

United v Highview
United carried their score to 104 and declared. Highview batsmen Sharkey and Pike defied the bowlers...

TENNIS

NORTHCOLE AND PRESTON CHURCHES
R. Grad v Thornbury Presbyterians 78 and 92 (Reg Davidson 17 and 28...

PRESTON ASSOCIATION
Saturday's results: Special Grade - Hill 61 d Rothwell 56...

PENNANT MATCHES
Prahran and Northcote concluded a match on Saturday at Toorak Park...

AMATEUR ATHLETICS
1937-38 TRACK SEASON
Last Saturday 1,500 athletes paraded at Olympic Park for the opening of the season...

Club Notes
The teams for next Saturday are: B Grade v Glenhurst - 100 yards...

BOOT TRADE
Myrl Shoe v Whybrow's resulted in a draw. Scores: Myrl Shoe 122, Whybrow's 122...

A.N.A. COMPETITION
Preston played Fitzroy at National Park. Fitzroy made 234...

CYCLING

PRESTON AMATEURS
Under the supervision of the Preston Amateur Cycling Club the senior five-mile road race was completed for last Saturday...

NORTHCOLE MOTOR-CYCLE CLUB
Following is the programme of events to be run at the Motor-cycle Club on Saturday...

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 lowing letter from Mr. R. J. Whalley, honorary secretary of the
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Dear Sir,—I have been dis-
 pleased by the "Leader" article
 of the Committee of the North-
 cote Free Library to extend to you
 their warmest thanks for the re-
 ception of the "Leader" notice you
 have had in the "Leader" during recent
 months, and to say that they
 greatly appreciate your interest in
 this institution.
 In your issue of September 22,
 you refer to the lack of technical
 books for women. Permit me to
 say that two years ago we procured
 a full range of such books, but they
 have been stealthily removed from
 the shelves. Yours faithfully,
 R. J. WHALLEY,
 Hon. Secretary.

October 21, 1937.

"NEW LAMPS—OR OLD?"

This is a very interesting little
 book from the pen of N. Lightner.
 Readers of the "Leader" will
 be pleased to know that the
 author is a Northcote resident. The
 story of Aladdin and his wonder-
 ful lamp forms a suitable setting
 for this essay. The foolish Prince
 and the slaves, ignorant of the
 value of the lamp, and the magi-
 cian bartering his basket of new
 lamps for old ones, are used to de-
 pict the movements of the magi-
 cian of modern times, offering us
 new methods in science, religion,
 politics, society, and morals. The
 author urges us to choose from the
 "great array of allegorical lamps"
 the ones that will be most valua-
 ble in helping us to gain the greatest
 good from life.

Philip II. of Spain, one of the
 most cowardly of all tyrants, pos-
 sessed the largest heart of any
 known man.

MANY YEARS AGO

Dear Sir,—I have been re-
 ceived by the secretary of the
 Northcote Free Library. It is cer-
 tainly pleasant to note that the
 Club of Northcote is being heard
 of in far-away places. We are in-
 terested in your letter, and are ver-
 y glad that you will make this an-
 nouncement and probably renew old
 friendships of some of Northcote's
 old residents.

Dear Sir,—As an old Northcote
 native who has been away from his
 home town for many years, and
 who has now, when approaching
 the end of his life, taken up the
 game of chess, may I make this an
 excuse for the liberty I am taking
 in writing this? Although I have
 been out of touch with the old town
 for many years, it has come to my
 knowledge that a chess club has
 been in existence there for some
 time now, and I take this oppor-
 tunity of wishing it good games.
 I had nearly written "good luck"
 but I just remembered in time that
 in chess, luck is rather out of place.
 My memories of Northcote go

back to the days (or nights)
 of skittles at the old Peacock Inn
 and the time of Northcote Foot-
 ball Club at the Recreation Park. Pos-
 sibly some of our old members
 will recall these times. Also, it is
 just possible that some of them will
 remember the name at the end of
 this letter. I intend to visit the old
 town this coming Xmas, and would
 like to pay your club a visit. In
 the meantime, is there one of your
 members who would like to have
 a game by post? I have already
 told you that I have only recently
 taken up the game. In fact, I am
 not yet a member of a club, as I
 do not think I am up to club stand-
 ard. Therefore, I leave it to you
 not to send one of your top-notchers
 on to me, as that would rather
 spoil the idea of mine, and take
 the interest out of it if I had no
 chance. However, I hope to be
 able to meet you at some time, and
 least hear from you what progress
 the club is making; and, as already
 stated, I hope to pay you a visit
 at Xmas. Once again wishing the
 club all the best. I remain yours,
 A. BROWN,
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| 7/11 FULL FASH. HOSE Remarkable Offer! Ladies' Suede Crepe Pull Fashioned Hosiery with lovely lace inserts. Choose from all the newest Shades, manufac- turers and gradings. | 3/6 FULL FASH. HOSE Another Wonderful Offer! Ladies' Full Fashioned pure Silk and Rayon Hose smartly dull, neat sandal heel. Shades—Burnt Ochre, Burnt Nude, Olive-Gold and Russet. | 6/11 Spun Chene FROCKS Colored frocks in two-tone stripe spun chene. Frocks in short sleeves, double breasted front, collar, pleats and pockets in skirt. S.W. to O.S. sizes. |
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The Truth About Television

AN AUTHENTICATIVE ARTICLE ON A CONTROVERSIAL SUBJECT

Early Experiments: Progress in Other Countries: Prospects in Australia.

LEADER radio enthusiasts, and I think we all come under this heading these days, are interested in the possibilities and progress of television in Australia. During conversations and discussions on the subject, which the writer has sometimes participated in, viewpoints have been most conflicting, and many assertions made, which were obviously merely wild conjectures.

It is our intention therefore, to clarify this subject for you, and in order to cover it comprehensively, this article will be continued in next week's issue of the "Leader-Post," and concluded the week after that.

During this series, we would be pleased to hear from you both to tell us if our efforts in this direction please and interest you, and also to answer any questions which you may desire to ask. To make this article thoroughly authoritative, we have referred to best books on television which we have acquired until the present year, and we believe you will find it extremely informative and especially interesting, because we have been fortunate enough to have secured first-hand information on the progress of television broadcasts in England.

EARLY TELEVISION EFFORTS
 In 1929 the first television transmitters and receivers employed the Photo Electric Cell and Scanning Discs. The subject to be televised was placed in a strong light before a circular party per-

tory, having been almost entirely superseded by other systems which reproduce larger and clearer images.

LATER EXPERIMENTS

In 1925, an English amateur, (G.I.P.) was a foremost experimenter in the television field, and the Baird system at this time was given considerable publicity. In America, the Donkey, R.C.A. and Philco companies were spending large sums in furthering their experiments, whilst in Finland, television tests were carried out with a public hall, equipped with television receivers, and the public invited to "look-in" at a small fee.

In England, the British Broadcasting Co., after several years of experiments, commenced the first regular experimental television transmissions in August 1929. This was at the time of the 1929 Radio Exhibition, and the public had their first demonstration of practical television. Television receivers were offered to the public at £24; whilst a combined television and broadcast set was obtainable for £125.

Many people have been under the impression that the television receiver would only reproduce the pictures, and the broadcast set was necessary to produce a musical accompaniment. This is not so, as the television receiver will reproduce three sound as well as vision. The advantage of the combination receiver is of course, convenience, just as it is with the modern broadcast dual-wave set. The British Broadcasting Company used two systems—the Baird and Marconi E.M. system. Finally, the Marconi system was adopted in preference to the other.

(To Be Continued Next Week)
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 Dynamic-Action Torchy Blane, the nose-powdering newswalker, is off on another of her short-minute, laugh-second adventures! Come on along as she circles the globe in two weeks and one daze!
FLY-AWAY BABY
 GLENDA FARRELL
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 NOT SUITABLE FOR GENERAL EXHIBITION
 Joseph King • Raymond Hatton • Gordon Holt • Anderson Lawler • Harry Davenport • Emmet Vogan • George Guhl • Directed by Frank McDonald

London floored at the Stage Play for two weeks... it's twice as funny on the screen!
 B.I.P. JOHNSON
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NEXT TUESDAY -- THE MELBOURNE CUP ON THE SCREEN
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ANYTHING TO SELL—USE THESE ADS!

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FOR SALE
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FOR HIRE
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CUP EYE BALL

MAKE appointment for your weeding...

CHEAP bicycle for sale, free easy...

WANTED KNOWN
IF you want a sewing machine...

FOR HIRE
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WOMAN wants work mornings or...

YOURSELF
You're progressing, getting to know...

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LOST AND FOUND
SINGERS, latest cabinets and...

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If Your Radio Gets the Jitters Even If It's Cup Day!

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LODGE NOTICES
Sickness or accident comes when least expected...

Star of Northcote Tent
Full particulars from: W. E. FINDLAY, J.P., Secretary...

CHURCH NOTICES
HOLY TRINITY, THORNBUARY
Saturday and Sunday, October...

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
FOURTH CHURCH OF CHRIST
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WANTED A House to House Organise on a committee...

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Thornbury Bowling Club

Owing to the recent rain, a friendly match on the home green on Wednesday, October 20 had to be postponed...

Another round of pennant play on Saturday was completed, and again the club in general suffered defeat...

Local club competitions only forms are filling to satisfaction. It is expected the draw will soon be made...

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SOCIAL NOTES.

Annual Dinner
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Personal Paragraphs

Sister Mary Columba, the popular and esteemed teacher of infants at the Sacred Heart school, Bell Street, Preston...

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Activities at Preston

By The Rouseabout.

They Say—

THAT arrangements for the opening of the Preston Baths for the coming season are at a standstill, owing to the infantile paralysis epidemic.

That a blind man, seeking the services of a boy to lead him round in Preston offered £1 per week.

That one lad, when approached said "Not me. I've tried the game before. It's a Chinaman's job."

That the Presbyterian denomination headed the list in the Hospital Sunday collections.

That the united contributions from that church amounted to £2,845 as against £2,914 in 1936.

That Rev. Father O'Grady of Preston, now touring abroad, writes thus of Scotland—"Bonnie Scotland is right. It is really lovely. The Highlands are rugged and beautiful, full of colour and formation. The lochs are dream lakes in lovely frames."

That the reverend gentleman adds: "Many of the crops would almost make me think I was back in Australia."

That everyone and everything is so intensely Catholic, he says.

That the better class homes in Scotland are wonders of solidarity and comfort.

That "poor old Ireland" suffers very much in comparison, even in the new ones they are building.

That we visited the Sunlight Soap model village. Very nice—but our average Aussie has a nicer home.

That "we have met only one beggar in Scotland, so far."

That Gretta Green is liberally the limit in "Barbarianism."

That Fr. O'Grady, concluding "Give our kind regards to all the people in Preston. Tell them there is no place like home."

That an effort is being made to raise funds to place a stained glass window in the sanctuary of Sacred Heart Church, Preston.

Preston Angling Club

THE club held a competition at Plenty River on Sunday for a club trophy. There was an attendance of 16 members. The winner was C. Ely with two English perch (2 lb. 2 oz.). Others to weigh in were, W. Carr, 1 trout, 1 lb. 10 oz.; T. Butler, 2 trout, 1 lb. 10 oz.; Others to catch fish were J. Yates, 2. Carlton, A. Henry, H. Wales, A. Beck, T. Harding, J. Connell, and R. Ross. The next outing is to be commencing place on Sunday to fish for the H. P. Zwar trophy.

Preston Technical School

ON Monday evening, about 25 members of Preston branch A.N.A. paid a visit to the school and spent a couple of hours in visiting the various classrooms, and seeing the work of the students. Mr. Aberdeen, principal of the school, received the visitors, and gave them a cordial welcome.

Sacred Heart Mothers' Club

CARD afternoons to augment the funds were held in the school hall, Clifton grove, recently. Bridge and euchre were played, and afternoon tea was served by the committee. A pair of towels, gift of the hostesses was won by Mrs. Isles, and crystal dishes passed into the hands of Mrs. Capper.

"THE BOHEMIAN GIRL"

The Lourdes Operatic Society gave a brilliant performance when "The Bohemian Girl" was presented at the Northcote Town Hall on Wednesday night, October 21. A large audience keenly appreciated the charming melodies of this old opera, and the manner in which it was presented reflects credit on all concerned with the production.

Josie Kean was brilliant in the role of "Arlene" and richly deserved the applause which greeted her solo numbers. May Dixon (Mrs. Hussy) gave a fine portrayal of the old gypsy queen and her duet with Devilshot was enthusiastically received. Mr. Arthur Adcock's fine baritone voice was heard to advantage, especially in "Heart Bowed Down." Among the cast were: Mamma Saunders, Dave Grayden, Gen. Farnham. The finest performance of the opera was the magnificent work of the chorus, which would have done credit to any professional production. Their singing reflects the greatest credit on the musical director, Mr. James Neilson, who conducted the opera.

Missor Candella's full operatic orchestra gave a fine finish to the performance. The production was in the hands of Mr. J. D. Story (of the late T. Pollard Opera Company) and Mr. J. Woods was stage director. The Mayor and Mayoress (Cr. and Mrs. McAdam) were present, with the Town Clerk and Mrs. J. A. Thomson, and Mr. F. Brennan, M.P. and Mrs. Brennan.

Northcote High School Old Boys' Harriers

Saturday, October 23 saw the official opening of the Victorian Amateur Athletic Association's Inter-club Track competitions. A colorful display was presented when 1250 athletes from 43 clubs marched on to the arena at Olympic Park, and lined up in front of the grandstand. The clubs who won last year's premierships lined up to receive pennants.

The Northcote High School Old Boys' Harriers opened the season in a higher grade, by a sound victory over Carlton Harriers, winning by 35 to 22 points. The inclusion of Jack Joyce, a former Collingwood harrier, gave the team a good start when he won the 220 yards event in fine style. Results: Mile Walk—J. Mead (C.) 1; W. Joyce (N.) 2; 220 yards—J. Joyce (N.) 1; E. Twomey (N.) 2; Brendel (N.) 3. 880 yards—L. Griffin (N.) 1; O'Neill (C.) 2; Bolton (C.) 3. High jump—Newbold (C.) 1. (5 ft.) Broad jump—Brendel (N.) 1 (19 ft. 2) 4 x 110 yards relay. Northcote 1; Carlton 2.

Next Saturday the Old Boys' Harriers club will meet Mt. Carmel Old Collegians at Olympic Park. The club would welcome support from old boys of the High school.

Club Notes

Training for the track contests is held every Monday and Thursday evening at the Northcote Cricket Ground between 5 and 7.30 p.m. The club is fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Doug. Nicholls, former sprint athlete and Fitzroy footballer, as coach.

Intending members are asked to get into touch with R. Jones, hon. secretary, at 2 Maude street, Ivanhoe, or at the ground on any Monday and Thursday between 5.30 and 6.30 p.m.

Next Saturday, October 30, the club will hold its first annual presentation night. About 200 guests are expected, and club championship trophies will be presented.

CHESS NOTES

Cup Night Engagement

On Tuesday night next, a selected team from the Northcote Chess Club will meet Melbourne Chess club in the Athenaeum Building. Northcote players are: N. Nicholoff (captain), J. Cooper, W. Pearce P. Fisher, Dr. Downing, F. Murphy, W. Birch, G. McCulloch, and W. Owen.

First Const. B. McNulty, a member of Preston police force, is enjoying a week's holiday at home.



Holy Trinity, Thornbury

A splendid response was made to the Hospital Sunday Appeal on Sunday, when the offertories amounted to £12, the highest total for many years on this day. Profuse supplies of eggs, groceries, and fruit were received at all services. During the afternoon service, the children from the Sunday School (five dressed as nurses) proudly presented their gifts to the choir-boys at the chancel steps. All the produce was then placed before the altar, and later in the week was sent to the Mission of St. James and St. John. Sympathy for the sick was the dominant theme at all services, and the vicar offered prayers for the alleviation of suffering, and the great work of healing.

Owing to the infantile paralysis epidemic, the Sunday School picnic usually held on Cup Day has been postponed. The date will be reviewed in February.

Next Sunday the vicar will conduct and preach at all services, his evensong sermon being entitled "Humdrum."

The Preston Rowing club donated the proceeds from a dance in the Parish hall on Saturday night to church funds.

Members of the Croquet club assembled on the lawn beside the vicarage on Monday afternoon when the season was officially opened by Mrs. W. H. Chamberlain, who hit the first ball. Afternoon tea was served, and a delightful afternoon spent. Various competitions were played, and the prize-winners were:—Crazy croquet, Mrs. Meates 1; Mrs. Brennan 2; 20 strokes tournament, Mrs. Meates 1; Mrs. Northey 2; "Making Hoops", Mrs. DeHais 1; Mrs. Gallagher 2.

At the physical culture display by the boys' club last week, the vicar presented silver cups to Harold White (best all-rounder), and Birkett Beecroft (most improved junior). A presentation was also made to Mr. Allan Pyburne (instructor) from the boys, and Mrs. Turner received a bouquet for her services as pianist.

Christian Science

"Everlasting Punishment" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon at all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, October 31. The golden text is from Psalms 94:12 "Blessed is the man thou chasten-

est, O Lord, and teachest him out of thy law." Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible. "It is of the Lord's mercies that we are not consumed because his compassions fail not. They are new every morning; great is thy faithfulness." (Lamentations 18: 22, 23.) The lesson sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science Textbook "Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Divine Love corrects and governs man. Men may pardon, but this divine Principle alone reforms the sinner. God is not separate from the wisdom He bestows. The talents He gives, we must improve." (Page 6.)

Pedestrian Seriously Injured.

While crossing Heidelberg road, Clifton Hill, on October 25, Clifton Jorgensen, 20 years, of Separation street, Fairfield, was knocked down by a motor truck, and rendered unconscious. He was taken by ambulance to St. Vincent's Hospital and admitted in a critical condition, with severe head injuries, and probable fracture of the skull.

Fell From Roof.

Aubrey Carroll, 6 years, of High street, Northcote, fell eight feet from the roof of a shed at his home on October 25, and was admitted to the Children's Hospital with a fractured skull.

Head Injuries.

Falling 20 feet from a ladder while cleaning a window in Abbotsford grove, Ivanhoe on October 25, Francis Goodwin, of Rennie street, Thornbury, received head injuries. He was admitted to St. Vincent's Hospital.

EIGHT FEET OFF THE KERB

Two motorists appeared before the Preston Court on October 27, charged with leaving their cars in such a position as to cause obstruction in High street, Preston.

Constable Bridgland said that the offences were committed on the first and second Friday of the present month. (October 1 and 8), the defendants respectively being David L. Tarpey, Gipps street, East Melbourne, and Clement George Mudford, Bartlett street, Preston. In both cases the vehicles were about eight feet off the kerb, being parked alongside another vehicle, although plenty of parking space was available. Both vehicles were parked in that position for about a quarter of an hour, forcing other vehicles on to the wrong side of the road.

The bench, consisting of Messrs T. J. McMahon and A. E. Newton, J's. P. imposed a fine of 10/- default distress in each case.



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