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LIFE SUCCEEDS IN MAINTENANCE CLAIM

THE ALLEGES CRUELTY evidence. Mrs. Jessie May Campbell, of Olive street, Reservoir, stated that on numerous occasions she went to work with her eyes blackened as the result of beatings given to her by her husband, Thomas Campbell, whom she had left in February last.

not appear) she went with a girl friend to the pictures. On her way home she was met at the tram by her husband who smacked her face, and practically tore the clothes off her back. She ran home, and he followed. There he knocked her down and kicked her. On the following day she left and remained with her mother for six weeks. In the meantime he begged her to return and promised to mend his ways, saying he realised what a mongrel he was, and that there would be a definite change in his behaviour. They lived together until last February. Due to her state of health in October last, she ceased to work, and said she could not keep the house going as she had ceased to work. He told her to go back to her mother and stay there until she was able to resume work. He promised to send 30/, which he did not do. On rare occasions he had given her two or three shillings, and a few weeks ago she had received 10/. With this 10/ she had issued a summons for the present proceedings.

TWO ASSAILANTS CHARGED AT NORTHCOTE COURT

Elderly Man Battered And Robbed The Cases Are Adjourned

With his face battered and his nose broken, Mr. John Tasman Middleton, 81-years-old tailor, of Station street, Fairfield, presented unmistakable evidence of the treatment he said he had received at the hands of the two accused on the night of June 25. Mr. Middleton gave evidence against Leslie Charles Goldberg, 29 years, of Rathmines street, Fairfield, and Alfred Joseph Whitbourne, 19 years, of Sackville street, Collingwood, who were charged at the Northcote Court on Friday last, June 30, with having assaulted and robbed him.

The case was part heard when the court adjourned. The highlight of the hearing was an alleged admission by Whitbourne. Both men, however, pleaded not guilty.

The evidence in the case for Middleton home. In order to test their bona-fides, Marsh asked the two accused where Middleton lived. Goldberg pointed in the opposite direction to where Middleton actually lived. Marsh said he would look after Middleton, who then came to and said "Ring up the police." Goldberg said "I will ring up the police," and asked his mate for some money to do so. Goldberg made a move to go away, but turned round and hit witness with his fist in the eye. Witness was struck several times by Goldberg. Whitbourne was standing a couple of feet away. Witness was dazed and did not see the men run away.

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NEW PARKING LAWS IN CITY

From July 1 motorists will be prohibited from parking their cars all day in the existing 17 areas of Russell, Queen and William streets. The City Council has provided additional accommodation for 650 cars in 64 new free areas. Officials explained that although the period of parking on the payment of 1/ had been limited to two hours, motorists would be permitted to transfer to any of the three limited areas for two hours' parking without further charge. They would also be allowed, after the payment of 1/, to transfer to the 64 new areas when the two hours period had expired. To protect cars parked in the free areas on the outskirts of the city, the council has appointed special bicycle patrols.

NORTHCOTE RESIDENT ATTACKED

Ernest Roy Yelland, Emma-line street, Northcote, paid a visit to the Palms, Alexandra avenue, on Saturday last to indulge in dancing. Hearing a disturbance outside the hall, he went out to investigate, and was attacked by four youths who were chasing another youth. Yelland was punched on the nose, and had to be treated at the Prince Henry Hospital. The youths who assaulted him escaped.

£3/12/ FOR HOSPITAL

A Flag Bridge afternoon organised by Mesdames H. R. Zwar, C. E. Crooke, J. G. Thrower and G. H. Mott was held in the Lounge at Preston City Hall on Tuesday afternoon. Prizes were won by Mesdames E. Hepburn, Pearce and Fleming, and the consolation prizes went to Mesdames Coleman, J. Moore and Wilson. The winner of the competition for a pair of silk stockings (donated by Mrs. G. H. Mott) was Mrs. P. Monk. The hostesses offered for sale home-made jams, pickles, sweets, cakes, etc., and a profit of £3/12/ for the afternoon goes to swell the funds of the Royal Melbourne and Women's Auxiliary.

MAINTENANCE ORDER MADE

The Northcote Bench on Friday June 30 was not asked to listen to the circumstances surrounding the married life of Gwenneth Margaret Kane, of Palmerston street, Carlton, and her husband, Thomas Michael Kane, of Shaftesbury parade, Thornbury, when the former proceeded against her husband to recover maintenance. The question at issue was to determine the amount to be paid to the wife, and for the two children.

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TWO TRAFFIC CASES

There were only two traffic prosecutions dealt with by the Northcote Court on Friday last, June 30. The first was against a cyclist who was riding his machine in High street Northcote on the night of June 1 without the prescribed lights. He was George Jamieson, Grattan street, Carlton, who was fined £1 in default three days' imprisonment.

SAVINGS BANKS TO OPEN EARLIER ON SATURDAYS

From Saturday, July 8, the Melbourne and suburban branches of the State Savings Bank will open on Saturdays at 9.30 a.m. instead of 10 a.m. It is thought that the change will prove a convenience to depositors wishing to transact business early on Saturdays.

Bicycles On Footpath

Six cyclists were fined by the Preston bench on June 29 for having ridden their machines on the footpath in Gilbert road during the first week in the present month. Fines of £1 each were imposed on the following: Thomas Roy Keew, Butters street, Regent; William Allen, Henty street, Reservoir; Dorothy Dean, Henty street, Reservoir; Morris George Hunt, Kingsale street, Reservoir; William James Regan, Byfield street, Reservoir; and Fred Woods, Byfield street, Reservoir.

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OWNER OF GAMBLING MACHINE FINED

CONSTABLE A. F. Mason told the Northcote Bench on July 4 that when he was passing a goods shop at the corner of Spencer and Emmaline streets, Northcote on May 22, he saw James Croxton, counting money near a "Win-ey" machine. When Thompson was questioned he told witness that he owned the machine, and that it was worked on a 50-50 basis with the shopkeeper.

Thompson was charged with having, for a consideration, lent to Hilda Charlton, a contrivance for gambling. He pleaded guilty and was fined 25 in default ten days imprisonment.

Constable Mason described how the machine was operated. One had to put a penny into a slot, whereupon a ball rolled out the end of a spiral. With a handle, the ball was projected around the spiral. There were seven openings in the centre of the machine, two extreme ones marked A and the rest B. If the ball fell into one of the openings marked A, the penny was lost. If it fell into a B opening, a penny would be disgorged by the machine.

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POOR BRAKES ON TIMBER TRUCK

The motor cycle patrol signalled a heavy timber truck to stop on May 22 as it was travelling downhill in High street, Northcote. The driver, Gilbert McNamara, of Bruce street, West Coburg, pulled up after going some distance. On examination, it was discovered that the truck had no hand-brake on it, and the footbrake did not work very well. McNamara said that he had only been driving the truck for a few days.

Later the police interviewed the owner of the truck, William O. Heinze, of Bundoora, who said he accepted all responsibility about the condition of the truck.

Heinze was fined 24, and McNamara 22, when the cases were heard at the Northcote Court on Tuesday, July 4.

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ACTIVITIES

BIG BUSINESS BALL TO BE HELD

Community Singing Popular The committee of the Northcote District Chamber of Commerce at their meeting on Monday, July 3, decided upon Tuesday night, August 1, as the date for their Big Business Ball.

This function will be held at the Northcote Town Hall and promises to establish a new "high" in town activities of this nature.

Mr. Hilton Dixon reports that last Monday's Community Singing Session proves that this fixture is now an established Northcote attraction.

Pridgeon's Paint Store, 1 pint in varnish stain. T. Dall, bag fruit. Woolworth's (Vic.) Ltd. G. J. Coles & Co. Ltd. Need's Stores, present val. 2/6

W.C.T.U. BIRTHDAY LUNCHEON

At the Baptist Church, Dennis on Thursday, June 29, the Westcote branch of the W.C.T.U. celebrated its 17th anniversary with a luncheon. Visitors from eight other branches were entertained. Mrs. Bright and Mrs. Fullard, who formed the branch 17 years ago, were guests of honor, and congratulated the group on the work accomplished.

Rev. A. Holland, pastor of the church, was the speaker at luncheon, which was held at the Northcote Club. He congratulated the W.C.T.U. on its 17th anniversary and wished them every success in the future.

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PERSONAL

MISS THELMA SCOTT, DAUGHTER OF MR. AND MRS. E. B. SCOTT

of Northcote, Victoria, is expected to arrive in Melbourne on July 4, after a visit to the "Lux Theatre of the Air" Sunday evening performances broadcast over a chain of stations acquiring great popularity.

On July 1 the death occurred of Mrs. Elizabeth Allen at the great age of 92 years at the residence of her son, 25 Gillespie street, Fairfield. She was the widow of the late Mr. Malcolm Allen. The family consists of Henry, William, Malcolm, Jeanie, Albert, Ray and Mairie (deceased).

Mrs. Catherine Goldworthy, wife of Mr. John H. Goldworthy of 27 Hohenstein street, Northcote, passed away on July 1. She leaves two sons and one daughter (Margaret).

The death occurred on July 5 at his residence, 55 Mansfield street, Northcote, as the result of an accident, of Mr. Charles Howard, aged 40 years, and one daughter (Florence). He was the son of the late Edward and Elizabeth Howard.

By the death of Mr. Richard Purcell of 3 Hayes street, Northcote, there passed away one of the old pioneers of Gippsland. Mr. Purcell was born in 1864. He was the son of the late Richard and Helen Purcell.

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TOBACCO CUTTING

PRIME MINISTER ASKED TO INVESTIGATE

The following is a copy of a letter sent to the Prime Minister by the independent tobacconists, who are asking for the retention of the Retail Tobacco Sellers Association of Victoria. The letter is signed by nine members of the executive of that body.

"Sir, We, the undersigned, being the Executive Committee of some 300 Melbourne tobacconists, respectfully beg to draw your attention to the disastrous condition of the retail tobacco trade in Melbourne and suburbs."

"The retail trade has been driven to the wall by the competition of the big foreign firms, who are selling their goods at a price which is well below the cost of production."

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RESERVOIR METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL

AN ENJOYABLE CONCERT

At Reservoir Methodist Sunday School on Wednesday evening, June 28 there was a packed house for the concert in aid of the funds of the Sunday School. Rev. S. Albon acted as chairman. The attendance was surprisingly large considering the weather. The concert was organized by the organists and choir, and was a most enjoyable affair.

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Boy Scouts

FIRST PRESTON TROOP Last week a party of senior scouts paid a visit to the Melbourne Observatory...

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hooper, Roseberry avenue, Thornbury, have returned after a pleasant month's trip by car to New South Wales...

Activities At ... PRESTON

Mr. Zwan's Engravings day from Tasmania after a visit extending over eight months...

METHODIST YOUNG MEN'S MOVEMENT

Work for Babies' Home In support of the above work services will be conducted in the following Methodist churches...

FLU AT RESERVOIR

Residents of Reservoir have not been spared the influenza epidemic. Almost every second person one meets has had the flu...

MUSICAL SUCCESSES

Jan Comfort, eight years, was successful in the Eighth Junior examination with 89 marks...

Personal

A cable message from Bahian announces the death of Officer Neil Elliott, son of the late Major General H. E. Elliott...

Birds Stolen From Cage

BETWEEN the evening of Thursday, June 29 and Friday, June 30, thieves made a raid on a cage in a garage at the residence of Mr. Harold Lacey...

REAL ESTATE

HIGHLAND PARK ESTATE Edward Houghton Pty. Ltd., of 379 Collins street, Melbourne...

SOCIAL NEWS

Making Her Debut Miss Secy Jackson of Gower street, Preston, made her debut last Thursday evening at Earl's Court, St. Kilda...

Around The Churches

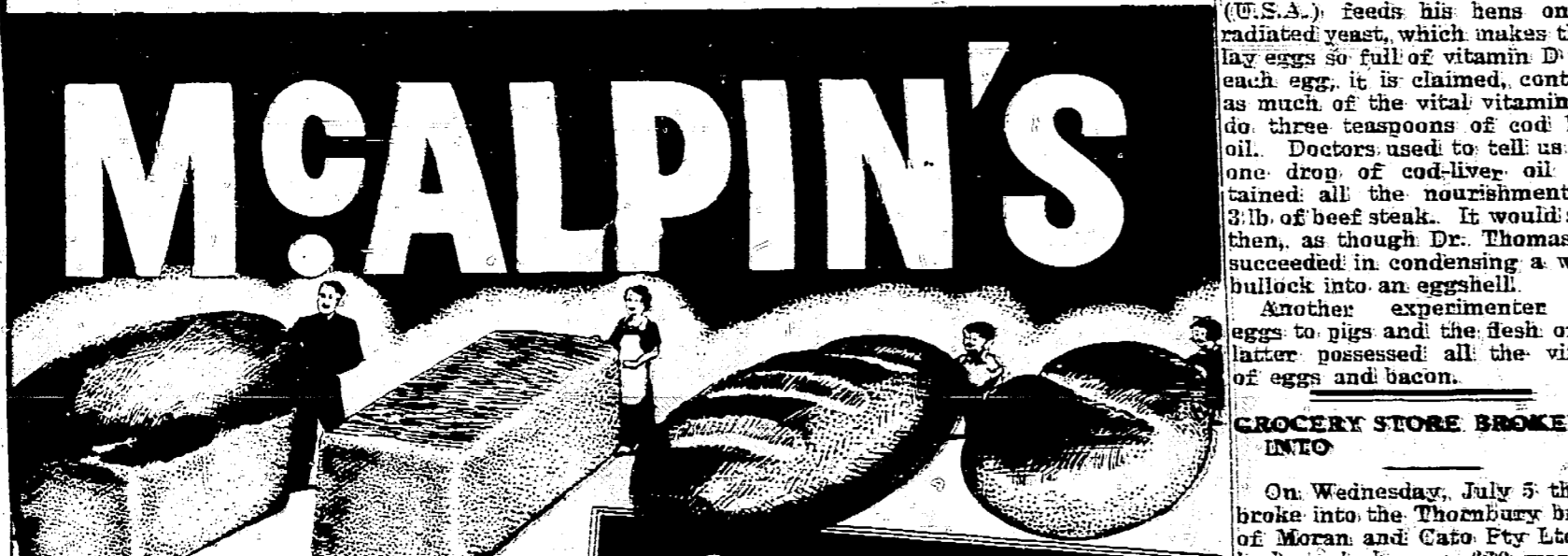
BAPTIST CHURCH, REGENT. (Rev. J. W. Fischer.) On Wednesday, June 28 the S.W.A. had a splendid address by Mrs. Cam on missionary work in China...

Personal

A man named Stanley Goodchild, 23 of Margaret street, Preston, was injured in a motor cycle and car collision...

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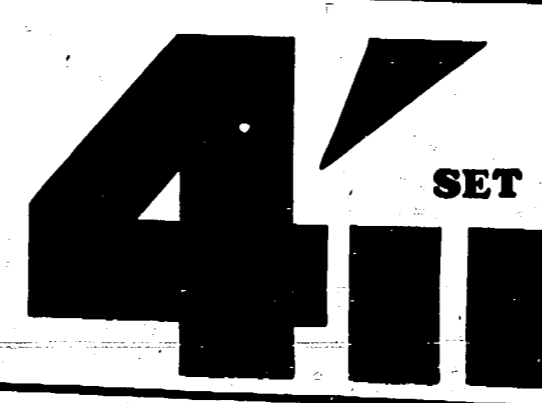
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In welcoming the Mayor and Messrs. Cr. and Mrs. J. W. French Cr. McAdam spoke of their fine work during the year. The Mayor extended an official welcome to Dr and Mrs. Mollison and Mrs. Constance Hughes (representing the hospital). Dr. Mollison spoke of the good work done by Northcote auxiliaries, and the appreciation felt by

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The patients, Board of Management, medical and nursing staffs, for the many kindnesses extended. So, there was still much to be done, and he trusted that the good work would be continued.

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The combined five branches of Love & Pollard Pty. Ltd., are holding their annual ball again this year at Ormond Hall on Wednesday, July 12. Proceeds are in aid of the Royal Victorian Institute for the Blind. The efforts of this organisation last year were so successful that they were able to hand over to the Institute a substantial cheque, and they aim at doing the same this year.

Tickets are 5/-, and dancing is from 8 p.m. to 2 a.m. Music will be supplied by the No. 1 Blind Orchestra, and a good supper will be provided.

UNITED KIDDIES' QUEST
11th Heat To Rendering Of "Rose Of Tralee"

Five juvenile acts comprised the programme of the 11th Heat in the United Kiddies' Quest, a children's P & A Parade, which is presented every Wednesday night at the Regent Theatre, Thornbury, and which is sponsored by several local business firms, prominent amongst which are Rowland's Drapery Store, of High street, Northcote, and Mac's Laundry, of High street, Thornbury.

The heat was won by Les Clarke who was in good voice when singing "The Rose of Tralee." He had a narrow victory over Valda Tanner, who was also entered for the semi-finals. This little girl was seen and heard to advantage in a song and dance number.

Roy O'Toole and his Hill-Billies registered a good performance. The Victory Six were seen in a fast tap dancing routine, while the remaining act, that of Ruth Grant, showed her as a capable impersonator.

During the performance a Mannequin Parade displaying Messrs. Rowland's Drapery Stores, and was greatly appreciated by the audience.

THE TIME and PLACE
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FRENCH'S ANNUAL SALE

WINTRY CONDITIONS SPOIL FOOTBALL

NORTHCOTE'S NARROW VICTORY

Bad Day For Big Men

PRESTON DOWN BY FIVE POINTS
Cold, bleak, wintry weather prevailed last Saturday at Preston Park when the second round of home and home matches was entered upon, Preston being pitted against Northcote. The latter's success was primarily due to forceful defence, whilst also, generally speaking, they were more resourceful, being better able to adapt themselves to the unpleasant conditions of mud, rain and wind.

THE TEAMS
Northcote: Backs: D. Hart, Holden, Oliver; Half-backs: Fowles, Riddell, Ackland; Contests: Dryden, McInerney, B. Hart; Half-forwards: Stabb, Archer, Meitzcke; Forwards: Rush, Lamprell, Cahill; Followers: Downie, Newman; Rover: Simpson; 19th man: Watt; Watt replaced Archer (for leg muscles) in the third quarter.

Preston: Backs: Hanscombe, Sleith, Watkins; Half-backs: Colborne, Clark, Finckley; Contests: Dowling, Loventhal, Dunham; Half-forwards: Beagley, Morrison; Dunstone; Forwards: Stewart; Rover: White; 19th man: Norman, Job; Rover: Miller; 19th man: Seedman. Seedman replaced Watkins (injured) in the third quarter.

THE PLAY
A heavy shower before play started, following on the heavy rain of Friday last made the arena very sloppy and good football was out of the question. The players were quite unable to handle the ball, whilst they were also astray in their anticipation of the bounce. Mr. E. L. Sharp was only to be expected.

A pleasing feature was the manner in which the game was played. There is a keenness between the two teams. Playing under such conditions (particularly when the scores were close throughout) it generally happens that tempers become frayed. On Saturday, though the game was not contested, it is to the credit of the players that there was not the least trace of any spite. All things considered, and whilst the game could not be described as a good exhibition, it certainly was entertaining and most exciting.

A cold south-westerly breeze blew across the arena, and the cke, winning the spin, decided to kick towards the Cramer street goal.

The game had not been long in play before players realised the practical impossibility of making the ball high so they resorted to the more tactical methods of leading out and trying to mark the ball on the chest.

Northcote moved forward when Downie registered a single. Scoring was not easy. Preston drove towards their objective when Miller, frequently coming under notice both when roving and playing in the forward pocket, scored a single, which he followed up with a goal.

Miller, playing cleverly in the forward pocket, was a constant danger to Northcote, and being a small player, he was more at home under the prevailing conditions than Hart.

Northcote pressed forward, and Lamprell marking well, easily scored full points. This effort was followed shortly afterwards by McInerney, who goaled with a long punt. Miller, who was playing grandly, allied with an opponent and after receiving attention from the trainers, was able to resume. A feature of the quarter was the splendid defence of Northcote. Quarter-time scores were: Northcote 2-4; Preston 1-2. On the change over, Preston attacked direct, whilst the fine mark by Norman, and another by Stewart, was instrumental in placing the ball to Miller, who completed the spectacular chain of marks by goaling.

Northcote's little men were scouting out well, waiting to gather in the "crumbs" from the hands of the fliers who, more often than not, failed to hold the ball. It was the little men's day out, and the big players were at

Resuming after the interval, most of the attacking was done by Northcote, who turned a leeway of eight points into an advantage of nine points.

Archer, who tore his leg muscles, was replaced by Watt. The big men were having a trying time and perhaps Meitzcke was the most serviceable of them all. He never failed to get his kick, and what is more, placed it to advantage, being cool and collected in his movements.

Hanscombe, promoted from the Preston second eight, was frequently under notice, and was distinctly impressive. Riddell and Lamprell were marking well for Northcote, and when an unexpected free came to Stabb, he took full advantage of it and bagged a sixer.

Though Preston rallied bravely, they could only manage a single for the quarter as against 2-6. Just before the term ended, Watkins retired from the game suffering from an injury to his shoulder. He was replaced by Seedman. The three-quarter scores were: Northcote 6-12; Preston 6-9.

This slight disadvantage of nine points by Preston was considerably set off by the aid of the south-westerly breeze, and Preston were considered to be in a rather favorable position. However, Northcote were first away. The coolness of Meitzcke enabled Lamprell to put Downie in possession and he scored in excellent style. Dunstone rather more difficult as he notched full points.

Downie, always an inspiration to his fellow players, and the hope of the home side supporters, sent the ball up to Roach, who failed to turn the chance to advantage.

Northcote relieved only temporarily, as a flying shot by Seedman was turned aside by the scrambling play became evident. Morrison eventually broke through and goaled with a long punt from a free.

Through Simpson, Northcote almost immediately replied with a goal, thereby depriving the

home side of their former advantage. This success was made possible by the Preston players allowing their opponents to wander away from them.

Both sides now showed signs of tiring under the grilling conditions. Norman, one of the most successful of Preston's big men, raised the hopes of the home side supporters by raising both flags.

Still a further chance fell to the lot of Stewart, who failed to score. A flying mark by Ackland frustrated another forward move by Preston, and the match ended with Northcote attacking as the only range. Final scores: **NORTHCOTE 8 goals 12 behind (60 pts.)** **PRESTON 7 goals 13 behind (55 pts.)**

Goal Kickers
Northcote: Simpson 3, Downie 2, Lamprell, Cahill, Stabb, Preston: Miller 2, Morrison 2, Roach, Dunstone, Norman.

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Northcote v Brighton
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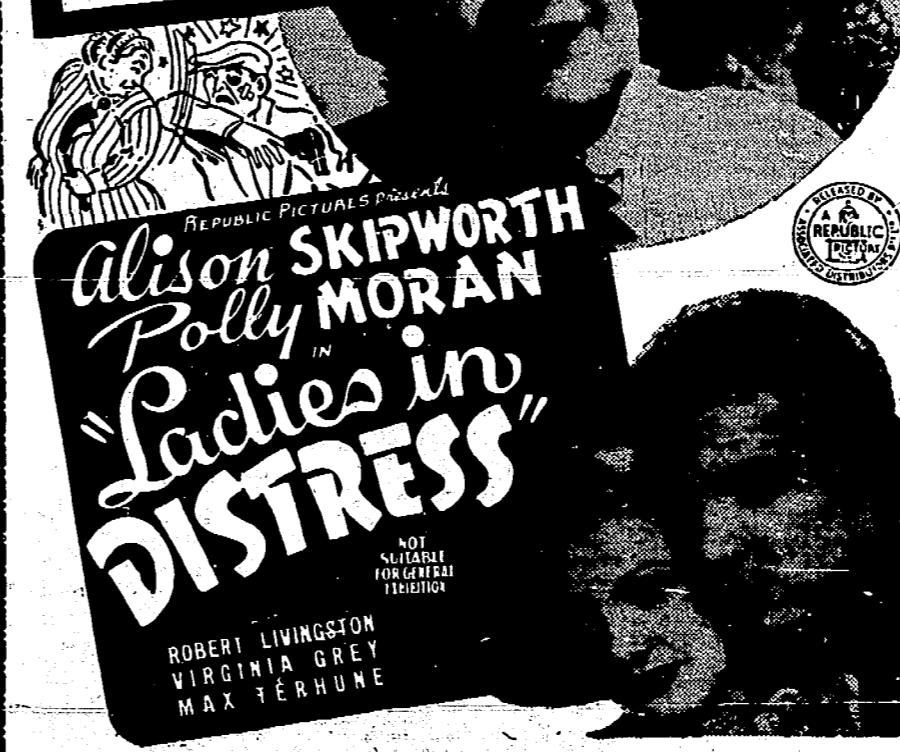
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SATURDAY bet. Preston Football Ground and Bastings St., N'cote, child's green bonnet. Will under please return 11 Edwards St., N'cote South. Reward JW 1647.

A CORRECTION

Mr. G. W. Carter of 201 Victoria road, Northcote, requests us to correct an error in the report of his wedding to Miss Alma Melbourne, which appeared in the "Leader Budget" of June 29. The date was given as June 17, whereas the actual date of the wedding was February 28. We regret the error.

W. D'FICIT £2-800,000

There are indications that the 1939-40 South Wales deficit for the present year will be £2,800,000. This is the amount forecast by the Premier (Mr. Stevens) at the meeting of the Loan Council last week, and for which the necessary financial provision was made.

AMUSEMENTS ETC.

BABY SHOW, Small Town Hall, Northcote, July 5. Free photograph offer. Particulars 9 Dwyer St., Clifton Hill. Id. stamp reply. Phone JW 611, not after 5 p.m. daily. Mrs. W. Walker, Hon. Sec.

THORNBURY Red Cross Auxiliary, Queen Vic. Hospital—Mrs. Paul Briggs you to her Birthday Party at Dispensary Hall, Gooch Street, Thornbury, Tuesday, July 11, at 8 p.m.—Euchre, Dancing, Refreshments, Prizes. Subscription 1/-, 167 Mansfield St., Thaburn. Wicket. Mrs. A. Page, Hon. Sec.

JUMBLE SALE
THE Northcote Girl Guides will hold a JUMBLE SALE in the Methodist Hall, 251 High Street, Northcote, on FRIDAY, JULY 7, at 2 p.m.

MEISTERSINGERS Male Choir, Saturday, July 8, 8 p.m., 1/4 Salvation Army High St., Thaburn.

HEALTH CENTRES' WELFARE CLUB

THE usual MONTHLY MEETING will be held on TUESDAY, 14th JULY, at 3 p.m. at the Northcote Town Hall (Small Hall), Westbourne Grove.

The meeting will take the form of a COOKING DEMONSTRATION including hints on cooking for toddlers.

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Engineer's Report

NORTHCOTE WORKS DURING FORTNIGHT

The Northcote City Engineer (Mr. V. J. Bradley) submitted on Monday last the following report of works completed during the previous fortnight:

Roadways
Reconstruction, Carpeting and Patching: Fenwick St. Roadway blinded and rolled, and now ready for second layer of metal. Kelvin Gr.: Roadway being rolled and blinded preparatory to spreading second layer of metal. Cain Av.: One section spread with metal, rolled and blinded. Hillside Av., Grandview Gr., and Thames St. Carpeting completed.

Patching effected in under-mentioned streets: Rossmoyne St. from High St. to St. David St.; Beaconsfield Pde. from St. George's Rd. to Woolhouse St. Railway Pde. from Beaver's Rd. to Beaconsfield pde., George St., Mason St., Leinster Gr. from Normanby Av. to Smith St.; corner High and Separation Sts.

Footpaths
Reconstruction, patching and Adjustment of Slabs.—Derby St., east side, Bastings St. to Brooke St. completed; Mitchell St., south side, Ellesmere St. to Northcote St. completed. Mitchell St., north side, High St. to Oldis Av., completed.—Martin St., north side, High St. to St. David St., path reconstructed, spread with screenings and sprayed with emulsion and premixed toppings spread. Salisbury Gr., west side, path reconstructed, spread with screenings and sprayed with emulsion; addition of hot mix material is required to complete. Cornwall St., both sides, paths reconstructed and are being spread with screenings. Westgarth St., north side, High St. to Railway path being reconstructed preparatory to being spread with screenings and hot mix. Dennis St., High St. to Cleveland St., path is being reconstructed and spread with screenings.

Patching work carried out in the following streets: Miller St., Bracken Av. to Taylor St., opposite No. 47 Hawthorn Rd., McCracken Av., corner Clarke and Mason Sts., Miller St., opposite Nos. 37-43; Ballantyne St., slabs adjusted; Clifton St., Hakatere St. to Oamaru St.

New Street Construction
Hammond St. to Wilmoth St., and part of Wilmoth St.: The bulk of excavation for roadway and channels in Hammond St. and Wilmoth St., north of Hammond St. taken out. Longitudinal sub-drains (4 in.) placed in Hammond St. and picher channelling commenced at east end of street.

Stormwater Drain Construction
Dennis St., on north side, easterly from High St.—Stormwater drain almost completed.

Unmade Roadways and Footpaths
Attention given: Arthur St., Darebin St. to Mountford's property; Swift St., Darebin St. to No. 44; Raleigh St., opposite No. 199; Easement, Thomson St. to Cain Av.; Speight St., Victoria Rd. easterly, earth drain cut and holes filled.

Building Report
Fifteen permits were issued during the past fortnight as follows: West Ward 6; North, East and South Wards 3 each.

Gardener's Report
Pruning of trees has been carried out in Kellett St. Christmas St., Darubin Rd., Martin St. and Main St. The following street trees have been weeded, staked and tied: Woolton Av., Comas Gr., Taylor St., Miller St., Hobson St., Huton St., Smith St., and Rennie St.

Fencer's Park, nine rose trees supplied; Oldis Gardens, four shrubs; Creech, 300 poppies 200 calendulas; High St. Rockeries, 18 roses; Fatman Park, 200 sal-piopsis, 200 ranunculi, 100 dianthus; Johnson Park, 66 roses.

FATAL COLLISION
ELDERLY MOTOR-CYCLIST KILLED

An elderly motor-cyclist, George M. Chester, 60 years, of Michael street, Fitzroy, was involved in a collision with a car on Saturday night, July 1, at the corner of Bell street and St. George's road, Preston.

Chester was killed instantly.

"So you gave Henry a piece of your mind?" "I gave him nothing." "That's what I said."

PERSONAL

Mr. Pat Carmody of Colac stayed last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton of Bell street, Preston.

Mr. Murdoch McKenzie died at the age of 80 years on June 30 at the residence of his brother, 60 Smith street, Preston. Deceased was a former resident of Bruce's Creek, Whittlesea.

Mr. George Whittlesea, head of the English Department at the Preston Technical School, has been off duty with an attack of influenza.

Mr. Snell, of Leopold street, West Preston, is away in the country on his annual holiday.

At the age of 89 years, the death took place on June 28 at her residence, Preston street, Preston, of Mrs. Martha Ann Evans, widow of the late Mr. John Evans. Deceased was a colonist of 84 years, and leaves a family consisting of Eva (Mrs. Turpie), Sis. (Mrs. McKenna, deceased), Nell (Mrs. Harding) Dolly and Harold (deceased).

Donald Smout, of Benambra street, West Preston, has gained his senior certificate for elocution. His sister, Grace, was also successful in passing the elementary examination.

Mr. and Mrs. George Arnel, of 52 Cramer street, Preston, are receiving congratulations on the arrival of another daughter.

The death took place on July 3 of Mrs. Sylvia Lonsdale, wife of the late Mr. Frederick Lonsdale, at her home, 20 Smith street, Preston. She leaves a family consisting of Mary (Mrs. Still) Ethel (Mrs. Rasmus), William (deceased), Sylvia (Mrs. Sommers), Lillian (Mrs. Rickards), Percy, Gladys (Mrs. Young), Roy, Myrtle (Mrs. Lee), Rose (Mrs. Wheeler), and George. Deceased had reached the age of 80 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans of Hawker avenue, Preston, have returned from Sydney and Queensland where they spent a most enjoyable holiday.

The Mayoral Ball at Fitzroy was held on Wednesday, June 28. Among the official guests were the Town Clerk of Preston (Mr. L. W. Williams) and Mrs. Williams. There were over 1,000 guests.

In her 78th year, the death occurred of Mrs. Susannah Beyer, widow of the late Mr. Edward Beyer, at the residence of her son, Leicester street, Preston, on June 25.

CHURCHES
ALL SAINTS' CHURCH OF ENGLAND (Rev. Wilkinson).

On Thursday, July 13 there is to be a social for the church. It is being organised by Mrs. Sunderland. The small hall next to the church has been renovated. The Sunday school children have raised the money for this work in pennies by means of pence cards.

Every Tuesday evening there is an "In-ter-Social." This has been conducted for the past eight years. Occasionally the Rev. J. J. Host from the Blind Institute speaks to the children and preaches at All Saints' Church. There is a box at the church for contributions by children and the proceeds are sent to the Blind Institute, St. Kilda road.

METHODIST CHURCH.
Another working bee has considerably improved the interior of the South Preston Methodist Church and Sunday School. New cushions have been placed in the pulpits, carpets have been laid on the rostrum and pulpit, whilst effective panelling adds to the general appearance.

Last Saturday night the circuit concert was held in the school hall, and on Sunday the circuit rally was held in the church. The evening sermon was preached by the Rev. Prof. G. Calvert Barber, M.A., B.D., Ph.D., who was assisted by the minister of the church, the Rev. R. Jackson.

In the Sunday School the bible class rooms have been enlarged, and a new platform, with modern footlights and floodlights on the stage now replace the old one. Most of the labor was voluntarily performed by members of the church, who also raised the necessary finance. Both church and Sunday School present a comfortable and homely appearance, and those responsible are to be complimented on the excellence of the work which has been so graciously carried out.

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Activities at... PRESTON

Technical School
Tuesday morning 40 boys from the Preston Technical School paid a visit to the New-roads workshops, and shown over them by officials.

Returned to Finder
SEVERAL months ago a child's pramulator was found in a street, Preston, and was taken to the Preston police station. A number of attempts were made to trace the owner without success, and the pram has now been handed to the person who found it.

A Seasonable Hint
THE spell of cold weather experienced of late makes one think of warmth and comfort, and a Preston resident forwards a simple hint for warming the bed on cold nights. Take an ordinary beer or other glass bottle, fill with water, and place before the fire. When sufficiently hot, cork tightly and place in bed. This simple method has been tried by quite a number of people who in the ordinary course have a use for a hot water bag, and in every instance has proved satisfactory. There is no danger of the bottle bursting or cracking provided there is not too much water in it.

Billiard Tournament
THE second round of the billiard tournament at Preston Fire Station results in the following: Messrs M. Nankervis, R. O'Meara, J. Clark, S. Patrick, F. Free, G. Morgan and R. Pear.

Nankervis Memorial
NEXT Saturday afternoon the Nankervis Memorial Wing at the Methodist Sunday School, corner High and Tully streets, Preston, will be declared open. It has been named after the late Mr. J. C. Nankervis, who for a considerable number of years was superintendent of the Sunday School, and who did a great deal to forward the interests of the Sunday School.

Eye and Ear Hospital
MRS. H. P. Zwar, of Gower street, Preston, presided at the annual meeting of the St. Kilda Auxiliary of the above, held at the home of Mrs. A. Michael last week. It was announced that members had raised more than £130 during the past year. The aim of this auxiliary is to maintain and equip the ear, nose and throat centre at the hospital and £116 was donated towards the maintenance of the institution.

Theft from Verandah
BETWEEN 7 and 8 p.m. on Monday, two pairs of single white blankets, a pair of sheets, and a red and white eider quilt were stolen from the verandah at the residence of Mr. Geo. Scott, manager, Gilbert road, Preston. The value of the stolen property is given as £8.

"Coin" Case
THE sound of the above words attracted the attention of passers-by to the yard attached to Preston Police Station on Monday. Wandering in, the visitor would have found First Constable P. Biddell engaged in selling goods which had been seized by the police to satisfy an order for debt made at the local court. Among the assorted lot was a pair of shoes, somewhat in the sere and yellowed stage, but in good order and mellow in tone. That lot raised a bid of £1 and was sold for the price named. A piece of lino realised 10/-, and three kitchen tables, wireless set, clockwork suite and sundries only realised moderate prices. The total sum received amounting to £5. A handful of people put in an appearance at the sale and the present secured by Robinson assisted First Constable Biddell.

Alleged Hit & Run Motorist

At the Northcote Court on July 11, Ross Faulkner, sporting goods manufacturer, of Ballantyne street, Thornbury, told the bench how, on May 20 his car was struck in Arthurton road, Northcote, by another vehicle. The other driver did not stop, but accelerated instead, and disappeared in the direction of Brunswick. There was about 25 worth of damage done to witness' car. His son, who was a passenger in the car, took the number of the other vehicle, the driver of which, Ernest Oldfield, railway employe, of Hawdon road, Heidelberg, was charged on Tuesday, July 11, with failing to give his name and address after an accident.

Oldfield was interviewed by the Heidelberg police on June 1 and made a statement which was produced in court. It was stated that after feeling a slight bump, Oldfield pulled up some 50 yards further on. He examined his car and found no marks of a collision on it. He then drove on, thinking that a bump in the road was all he had felt. At the time of the bump he passed another car, which in turn passed him while he was examining his car.

Defendant gave evidence on

A GIRL CYCLIST KNOCKED OFF HER MACHINE

Jose Mahalan, teapacker, of Cain avenue, Northcote, told the Northcote bench on July 7, how a month earlier she had been knocked off her bicycle as she was crossing High street at the intersection of Westgarth street. She was rendered unconscious.

The driver of the motor-cycle responsible for this, Reginald Stubbs, of Yeomans street, Westgarth, appeared before the court charged with driving in a manner dangerous to the public, and was fined £4.

Constable Cunningham, who witnessed the accident, said the motor cycle was too far off the kerb and skidded when the rider applied the brakes.

Mr. Ian Holland of Bell street, East Preston has recovered after an illness extending over seven weeks.

VICTORIA ROAD BASTINGS STREET DEATH-TRAP

MAN KILLED IN COLLISION

His Wife Also Injured
When two cars collided at the corner of Victoria Road and Bastings street, Northcote, on Friday night, July 7, Ernest Tilson, aged 29 years, of Russell street, Northcote, received a fractured skull. He died shortly after being admitted to St. Vincent's Hospital.

His wife, Mrs. Lillian Tilson, also 29 years of age, who was a passenger with her husband in the car, which was driven by Rupert Bates, of Murray road, Preston, was also taken to St. Vincent's Hospital where she was treated for cuts on the head and shock.

The driver of the other car, Victor Francis Schneider, of Barker's road, Hawthorn, escaped injury.

The impact was so great that the car in which Mr. and Mrs. Tilson were travelling was knocked over on its side into the gutter, and the top was torn off.

The other car mounted the footpath, and crashed through the fence of a house owned by Mr. J. Thompson. It capsized and came to rest upside down close to the house.

Mr. Thompson's property has been damaged twice during the past month when cars were involved in similar accidents.

This intersection is rather poorly lighted considering its importance, and is a danger to the traffic in the two thoroughfares, which carry a large volume of vehicles.

Dangerous Crossing To Be Investigated

VICTORIA ROAD-BASTINGS STREET FATALITY

FOLLOWING upon the fatal accident on Friday last at the corner of Victoria road and Bastings street, the Mayor (Cr. J. W. French) mentioned this dangerous intersection at the meeting of the Northcote Council on Monday evening. He suggested that a traffic disc be placed in the centre of the road, and a warning signal on the south-east corner.

Cr. Glanfield said he had heard complaints about the poor lighting of that intersection.

The Mayor said that the fences of the people living at the south eastern corner had been damaged through accidents no fewer than three times in the past three months. There were 27 equally dangerous crossings in Northcote.

When Cr. Glanfield mentioned the poor lighting of the intersection, the Mayor said the illumination at the spot was exactly the same as anywhere else in Victoria road.

Cr. Oliver: "Let us obtain a report on the matter."

ASSAULT AND ROBBERY AT FAIRFIELD

SECOND DAY OF HEARING

Both Accused Committed For Trial

The final day of the hearing of the assault and robbery charges preferred against Leslie Charles Goldberg, 29 years, of Rathmines street, Fairfield, and Alfred John Whitbourne, 19 years, of Sackville street, Collingwood, took place at the Northcote Court on Friday, July 7. The hearing resulted in the committal of both accused. Goldberg pleaded not guilty while Whitbourne reserved his plea.

A full report of the evidence for the prosecution appeared in our last issue. The following is a summary. On Sunday night, June 25 an elderly tailor, John Tasman Middleton, Station street, Fairfield, was assaulted by two men whom he subsequently identified as the accused. At the time of the assault, Mr. Middleton was on his way to the Baptist Church, Fairfield. After he was knocked down, Middleton was robbed of a gold watch valued at £25, a bunch of keys, and 11/6 in silver. Another elderly man went to the assistance of Middleton, and he also was assaulted by the two men, who ran away as some people came out of the church. The two accused were arrested on the following day in Albert street, South Melbourne, by Detectives O'Keefe, Hillman, and First Constable Grundy. They denied having assaulted the two elderly men at Fairfield, but later, one of the accused (Whitbourne) made an admission to Detective Perkins of Collingwood.

When the hearing of the case was continued on Friday last, First Constable Grundy gave evidence in corroboration of that given by Detective O'Keefe on the first day of the hearing. Constable Grundy narrated the circumstances of the arrest, the questioning of both accused, and how both accused were identified in a police line up by three previous witnesses.

The evidence as to the alleged admission was given by Detective John Thomas Perkins who stated that following a telephone conversation with Whitbourne on June 26, he interviewed the latter at the Northcote police station where the following conversation took place:

Whitbourne said: "I am in a bit of trouble."
Det. Perkins: "What is the trouble?" — "They have got me for assault and robbery."
Det. Perkins: "Is it that business at Fairfield last night?" — "Yes."

Det. Perkins: "What part did you take in it?" — "I punched the two 'blokes', but had nothing to do with the robbery. I will plead guilty to assault."
Det. Perkins: "Where is the property stolen from the old gentleman?" — "I gave it to a woman, and she sold it for 10/-, but I can get it back for you."

Continuing Det. Perkins said that Whitbourne then agreed to tell Det. O'Keefe what part he had played in the assault, and when Det. O'Keefe was called in to the office, Whitbourne repeated the alleged admission. Det. Perkins said he remembered Whitbourne saying he was very "boozy" on the night in question.

This concluded the case for the prosecution. Whitbourne reserved his plea, and Goldberg pleaded not guilty. The name of five witnesses were called on behalf of Goldberg, but they did not appear.

Both accused were committed for trial on charges of assault and robbery. Bail was fixed at £150 with a surety of a similar amount.

Took Motor Cycle For Joy-Ride

WHILE OWNER WAS AT PICTURES

EVIDENCE that while Allan Knight, of Westgarth street, Westgarth, was at the Plaza Theatre, his motor-cycle was taken for a joy ride, was given at the Northcote Court on Tuesday, July 11, when Reginald Douglas, of Westgarth street, Westgarth, pleaded guilty to a charge of using a motor-cycle without the consent of the owner.

Constable Frank Porter of the motor cycle patrol, told the bench how at 10.30 p.m. on June 5 he saw defendant ride a motor-cycle in High street, Northcote. Defendant pulled up outside the Plaza Theatre, and put the machine against the kerb. In consequence of something he was told, witness questioned Douglas, who said that the machine he had just parked belonged to a friend of his; that he had permission to use it; and that his friend was in the picture theatre. Later witness interviewed the owner of the motor-cycle, Allan Knight, who denied any knowledge of defendant.

Knight also gave evidence to the effect in the court. Defendant later admitted that he took the machine without the owner's consent.

Douglas pleaded guilty and was fined £4/10/-, with 9/- costs.

SOCCER

Northern Juniors. — Collingwood H.S.O.B. drew with Collingwood 2.

BIG NEWS

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There's Nothing Better After The Flu

This is bad weather to get rid of colds quickly... but the best method of drying up the tail end of a cold is to take a good cod liver oil emulsion... especially one containing Irish Moss. This has an additional soothing effect and nutritive value. A most effective emulsion of this type... pleasant to take, readily digested, and prepared from highest quality ingredients... is obtainable in generous sized bottles at 2/3 and 3/6 from R. Eymor, Resident Dispensing Chemist, 759 High St. Thornbury, JW1031. Dries up coughs that hang on.

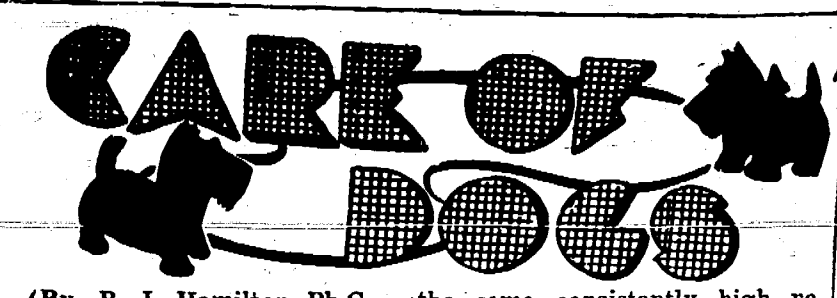
CITY OF NORTHCOTE

IMMUNISATION AGAINST DIPHTHERIA

NOTICE is hereby given that children from the age of ONE YEAR will be IMMUNISED AGAINST DIPHTHERIA without charge.

Parents may obtain application forms at the TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE, Town Hall, Northcote, and children will be attended on specified dates at the Baby Health Centre. Applications should be received not later than the 15th JULY, 1939.

J. A. THOMSON, Town Clerk.



KRECT... (By R. I. Hamilton Ph.C., F.R.S.)... This week there are several people writing for information. Mrs. B.H. of Preston wants to know the correct treatment for worms in her puppy...

BULLEN'S DRAIN... has had a lot of stomach trouble. Answer: Stomach trouble is very common in dogs which have been over-fed and under-exercised.

BOARD & RESIDENCE... LGE front rm. to share for 2 bus. ladies or gents, near tram and train, in Croxtun. Apply E.G. Budget Office.

WANTED TO SELL... MOTOR Cycle, two-stroke, 1934 Utility, reg. Nav., good one. 17/10/-. 9 Yeomans St., Westgarth.

CITY OF NORTHCOTE NORTH WARD... Mr. John Barclay DESIRES to notify the ratepayers of the North Ward that he will be offering himself as a candidate at the Municipal Elections on Thursday, August 24, 1939.

NOTICES... NORTHCOTE... MOD. V.E. handy St. George's Rd., must have car, N. Note send notice to...

SHIP THAT VANISHED... For nearly 30 years the fate of the ship, the "Warratah" passenger liner which disappeared between Durban and Cape Town with 211 persons on board, remained one of the greatest mysteries of the sea.

IRISH CUSTOMS... It may be of interest to hear of some of the customs of County Down, Ireland. When anyone wears a new dress or a new pair of shoes...

THE TEAMS... Preston: Backs: Watkins, Sleith, Seefman. Half-backs: B. Tobin, S. Hilton, J. E. Har-Hanscombe, Clarke, Beagley, Centres: Dowling, Lowenthal, Dunham; Half-forwards: Rose, E. B. Morrison, Dunstone, Norman, Job; Rover: 19th man: Robertson.

First Aid... When sterilising a needle in boiling water preparatory to re-usable, it is very difficult to remove the needle from the water. Try threading the needle with cotton, and then dip it into the water to burn the fingers when removing it.

CHILDREN AT COUNCIL MEETING... In the charge of their teachers pupils from the Westgarth School were present at the meeting of the Northcote City Council on July 10.

PRESTON FAILS AT PRAHRAN... A Day Of Eventualities... HAWKINS KICKS 14 GOALS... The highlight of the game at Toorak Park last Saturday between Prahran and Preston, was the spectacular display by Hawkins, the full forward, who finished the afternoon with 14 goals, nine of which were kicked in the third quarter.

BEAUTIFICATION OF PIPE TRACK... The pipe track adjoining the Regent Railway Station, which has long been used as a dump for rubbish and laid out in lawns and palms. At a recent meeting of the Finance Committee...

COMBINED NORTHCOTE MASONIC HALL... There are still a few vacancies in the Debanté Set of the Combined Northcote Masonic Club to be held on August 30 in the Northcote Town Hall.

Enamelled Ware That Gives You Better Service!... For the kitchen there are many things in Enamelled Ware that will save labor—keep the food properly covered—and always look good.

PRESTON DISTRICT GUIDES... The First Preston Guide Company held a Games Night and social evening at the Guide Hall on Saturday evening, July 11.

FINED FOR GANGETER Driving... Ivan Keith Brockenshire, electrician, of Beaconsfield parade, Thornbury, was fined £2/10/ with 10/- costs by the Northcote Court on Tuesday last, July 11.

At Northcote Court MINOR TRAFFIC CASES... A number of minor traffic cases were dealt with by Mr. Addison P.M. at the Northcote Court on Tuesday last, July 11.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL... Presbyterian Association... A. Grade: Preston 22 (J. Quin 22, D. Thornbury 7, N. Carlton 1, B. Taylor 6).

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Had No Motor-cycle License... Following an accident in High Street, Northcote on April 28, members of the motor-cycle club interviewed the driver of a motor-cycle which was involved in the collision.

Boy Scouts... FIRST WEST PRESTON... The first birthday of the club was celebrated on Tuesday, July 11, and about 130 parents and friends at a party in the hall of the club.

ERN. JENSEN... BEST WORK... IMMEDIATE ATTENTION... Every Care and Courtesy... 311 HIGH ST. PRESTON... Phone: JU 1910... The Only Local Undertaker

VACANCIES for JUNIORS... To Learn CORSETRY and UNDERWEAR Manufacture... Good opportunities for girls 15 to 17 years to learn trade... IDEAL WORKING CONDITIONS... NURSING SISTER & MEDICAL ATTENTION FREE OF CHARGE... CAFETERIA... LA MODE CORSETS Pty. Ltd., 43 VICTORIA STREET, FITZROY, N.S.

ROSE... THORNBURY Presents— SAT, JULY 15—FOR ONE WEEK! The New Shirley Temple... She's Grown Up!... "LITTLE MISS BROADWAY" Associate Feature—Saturday: CHARLES BICKFORD in— "TYPHOON" Short Features Include— "PORKY'S MOVIE MYSTERY" FOX AUST. NEWS Associate Feature—Wednesday: JOHN BARRYMORE—VIRGINIA WEIDLER "THE GREAT MAN VOTES" Plus— SCREEN SNAPSHOTS Delightful Entertainment... Every Wed.—United Kiddies' Quest

ANOTHER STEAM CAR... NEW AMERICAN POWER PLANT... An interesting development in power is an 8-cylinder steam motor which can be used in cars. It is a horizontal engine with two banks of four cylinders each working on a separate valve.

Gray & Johnson... AUCTIONEER & ESTATE AGENTS... 70 HIGH ST. NORTHCOTE... 742 HIGH ST. THORNBURY... 748 SYDNEY RD. BRUNSWICK... ANNOUNCE that from July 24, owing to increased business they are opening a branch office at 1st Floor, Smith's Buildings, 97 High St., Northcote.

GRAY & JOHNSON... The Leading Agents... WESTGARTH, NORTHCOTE, THORNBURY, BRUNSWICK... PHONES JW 1147 (2 lines) FW 2311... LOST... BUNCH keys, left tel. box, Beaconfield Pde., Croxtun, Finder return Budget Office, Reward.

BECKER... Mrs. Becker and daughter sincerely THANK all kind friends and relatives for floral tributes, letters, cards and telegrams in their recent expressions of sympathy in their bereavement. Also thanking Northcote branches of the A.W.A. and A.N.A. for their kind tributes of sympathy, and our deepest thanks to Dr. Cashmore for his kind attention to our loved ones. Will all please except this as a personal acknowledgment of our sincere gratitude.—22 Helon St., Northcote.

SYSTEMATIC COMPLEXION CARE... The complexion needs real systematic care, as the skin is apt to dry and freckle, and generally look dull and unattractive. This is the time when daily care and not the occasional treatment is necessary to preserve a youthful freshness.

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Enamelled Canisters... In all colors. 8/6 Biscuit & Cake Tins 1/11 Enamel Buckets 1/11 MAKE THIS YOUR LAY-BY SHOP. P. G. COLLINS (Late of Chandlers) 61 High St., Westgarth. Phone: JW 4455—JW 4770

NEW C.P.S. FOR NORTHCOTE AND PRESTON... Mr. J. Dillon, who for the past twelve months has been Clerk of Petty Sessions for Northcote and Preston, is at present on sick leave. When he resumes his duties it will be at Camberwell. His successor will be Mr. Cyril Thompson, who is at present in the meantime Mr. R. McDonald is relieving Mr. J. Dillon.

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ROBUR P. & A. PARADES WEAR WOOLLENS

Dead Heat On Tuesday Last
The adult heat of the Robur P. & A. Parade which was decided on Tuesday, July 4 at the Plaza Theatre resulted in a dead heat between Edna Marlow, Australian's Deanna Durbin, and Don Cook, cornet soloist.

WENT TO BRITANNY TO BE DROWNED
Elizabeth Bergner, who made the London one day for Brittany news of the location scenes were to be held in a series of "shots." Scenes were filmed in a dual role—part of a dual role—part of a dual role.

THIRTEEN CHILDREN HEAT-TEST JUVENILE HEAT
Numerically the Juvenile Heat in the Robur P. & A. Parade was the largest on record, no fewer than thirteen children taking part in the heat.

Death Of Mr. Oliver Bradley

VERDICT OF MISADVENTURE
On July 7 Mr. Mohr P.M. held an inquest into the circumstances surrounding the death of Mr. Oliver Bradley, of Belmont avenue, Ivanhoe, who was killed on June 19 when the car in which he was driving came in contact with another car at the intersection of Victoria road and Mansfield street, Thornbury.

Northcote Council Elections

WEST WARD
Cr. A. C. Bird intimates that he will again be a candidate for election at the forthcoming municipal elections. Cr. Bird has represented the West Ward for the past nine years, and claims to have given close attention to the ratepayers' interests.

Formed Third Line Of Traffic

Two persons were charged with forming a third line of traffic at the Northcote Court on July 7. The first, James Edward Dalton, of Herbert street, Northcote, was fined £2; and the second case resulted in a fine of £1. The second defendant was Thomas William Stage, of Gilles street, Fairfield, and in the opinion of the bench, the circumstances of his offence were of a less serious nature.

Football Competition

Only one entry named Football Association as the highest scoring League side, while all the others who qualified for the quarter-finals were named as the highest scoring League side. The following are the results of the quarter-finals: Brunswick 10-13 defeated Coburg 15-7; Williamstown 23-19 defeated Yarraville 11-13; Northcote 12-13 defeated Prahran 19-14; Prahran 10-12 defeated Brunswick 10-13.

Housing Commission Acquires Land

HOUSES TO BE ERECTED
It is reported that the Housing Commission has purchased the balance of the Huttonham Estate, comprising 68 blocks, in Bell street, Preston. The Commission intends to erect homes on the blocks.

The Sun Is Cooling Down

FROM 6000 DEGREES TO 5000
Scientists might imagine that it is impossible to estimate the heat of the sun's surface. But American scientists have not only discovered what the temperature is, they have found that its surface temperature is 4500 degrees as compared with previous estimates of 6000 degrees.

Football Results

Table with columns for Team, Score, and Result. Includes Brunswick 10-13 defeated Coburg 15-7, Williamstown 23-19 defeated Yarraville 11-13, etc.

Premiership List

Table with columns for Club, W., L., P., Pts. Includes Brunswick 11 1 185.4 44, Prahran 10 3 126.1 40, etc.

Next Saturday's Games

In accordance with the draw only four contests will be played next Saturday instead of the customary six. It is rather unfortunate that both Preston and Northcote will be spelling on the same day.

Advertisement for Blankets and Sheets, featuring a globe and the text '2/6 Weekly Sees You Warm and Comfortable'.

Some Recent Weddings

WHITE FRENCH NINON
On Saturday, June 10 the marriage took place of Miss Margaret Patricia Pollock (youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Pollock, of the Y.M.C.A. Hostel, Northcote) and Mr. Leslie John Morrison (second son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Morrison) at the ceremony performed by Rev. A. T. Jones.

Ivory Satin With Silver Thread

SCOTT - ARBUCKLE
Entering the Baptist Church, Castlemaine, on the arm of her father, Miss Norma Elizabeth Arbuckle presented an attractive picture in her gown of ivory satin with silver thread.

Brocade Satin Gown

BLACKBURN - CULLUM
Wesley Church, Lonsdale street, was the setting for a charming wedding on Saturday June 24, when Miss Lorna Joyce Cullum was married to Mr. Norman Blackburn.

Birth Party

FOR QUEEN VICTORIA HOSPITAL AUXILIARY
The Dispensary Hall was crowded and a happy evening was spent on Tuesday, July 11, when Mrs. Pugh (the dear old lady of the Thornbury Red Cross) celebrated her 83rd birthday in a very charming manner by giving a party for the Auxiliary funds.

Northcote Man Imprisoned

At Fitzroy Court on Monday, July 10 James David Dorman, 30, driver, Park street, Northcote, was charged with having stolen nine bicycles. The property of various persons.

Thrift of Bicycles

During the past six months, 1,000 motor vehicles were stolen in Victoria, and although nearly all were recovered, many were damaged from misuse.

The 'Illegally Using' Farce

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Housewives' Association REAL ESTATE

At the meeting of the Northcote Branch of the Housewives' Association (Howey Court) at Northcote Town Hall on Wednesday, July 5 the following resolution was passed: "That this meeting of housewives strongly condemn the National Register, and Supply and Development Bill, believing these to be contrary to the spirit of democracy and that they are steps to industrial conscription which menace both the liberties and the living standards of the housewives of all kinds are expertly and efficiently carried out. Phone JW 1147 (two lines) and FW 2391"

Advertisement for PUNTON'S SHOES, featuring various shoe models and prices. Text: 'OVER 1165 BUYERS HAVE TO DATE SAVED MONEY BY BUYING THE SHOES FEATURED BELOW, DURING PUNTON'S WINTER SALE! THERE ARE STILL SEVERAL PAIRS OF EACH OFFER LEFT - Get Yours Now -'.

Large advertisement for PLAZA THEATRE, featuring 'KINGS OF NEW YORK' and 'BERGNER REDGRAVE STOLEN LIFE'. Includes showtimes and contact information.

Advertisement for PUNTON'S SHOES, 363 HIGH ST., N'COTE (Next Coles). Text: 'PUNTON'S 363 HIGH ST., N'COTE (Next Coles)'.

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Allan L. Hughes

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HENRY J. R. LEWIS
ELECTRICIAN
3KZ Friendship Circle
Preston Branch
Dance & Social

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MRS. CAINE, fully experienced
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NOTICES
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WANTED TO SELL
EMPIRE Incubator, hot water
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BOARD AND RESIDENCE
VAC. boarder, room self, good

AMUSEMENTS &c
OUR Lady of Lourdes Parish
Production and Marketing of Petrol

WANTED TO BUY
CEDAR Chest, large wanted

CLYDE NURSERY
STANDARD ROSES 2/6 each

DEATH
SINDEN - Passed peacefully
NORTHCOTE DISTRICT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

THE SINGING
Every Monday, Plaza Theatre
FOOTBALL CLUB COMMUNITY SINGERS' CHORUS

CLIFFTON HILL RAILWAY STATION
Described as a "D.F. Fowlhouse"

BASEBALL
Metropolitan Division
A Grade: Brunswick 9 defeated

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
"Truth" will be the subject
NORTHCOTE ATHLETICS

AMATEUR ATHLETICS
North Preston Club
5-mile pack run, with 1-mile

For Your Next Dance
STERLING TICKETS
50, 5/100, 5/9, 150, 6/3

OUR LADY OF LOURDES PARISH BALL
TWELVE DEBUTANTES IN GRACEFUL GAVOTE

LECTURE ON RUSSIA
A.L.P. NOTES
MRS. TUTTON AGAIN FAVORS NORTHCOTE R.V.I.B. AUXILIARY

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NORTHCOTE BRANCH HOLDS BIRTHDAY DANCE

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BOY SCOUTS
FIRST BOY SCOUT TRIOOP
On Saturday afternoon a party

E. L. GATES 473 High St, N'cote
JULY STOCK - TAKING SENSATION!
\$12/12/- WORTH OF MEN'S CLOTHES FOR ONLY £6/6/0

ELDERLY CONFECTIONER FINED £20

S.P. Prosecution
Sixty-five-year-old William Arthur Jory, High Street, Northcote, who with his wife conducts a confectioner's and tobacconist's shop, was visited by the gaming police on July 6. Following this visit he appeared at the Northcote Court on Tuesday, July 18, to answer a charge of using the premises he occupied for the purposes of betting.

The facts of the raid, and what the police found, were not disputed. On July 6 the gaming police visited the shop, and by virtue of a warrant, made a search of the premises. They found betting slips containing seven bets to the total of £9, behind the counter. Later Jory produced six more betting slips from an ice chest.

Constable Moran said he questioned Jory, who said he had held him responsible if his selection had won. "It would have been their funeral—not mine," concluded Jory. The bench was satisfied that an offence had been committed under Section 98, and as the information was laid under Section 2 of the Police Offences Act, contained twenty-four bets to the value of £17.

The defence submitted by Jory was that he only took the bets to hand over to the bookmaker as an act of courtesy towards his friends, three of whom testified to that effect. Two of the slips found were betted by Mrs. Jory.

A lengthy legal argument ensued in which the defence submitted that the bets were taken by the bookmaker as an act of courtesy towards his friends, three of whom testified to that effect.

Preston Junior Angling Club ANNUAL MEETING

The club held its annual social and presentation night at the Preston Town Hall on Wednesday, July 5, where, in the presence of friends and parents, members, with dancing and Max Mitchell, who gave some clever impersonations. Mr. R. Smithwick acted as M.C. and helped to make the evening one to be remembered. An apology was received from Mr. H. P. Zwar M.L.A., who was indisposed, and Mr. R. Baron, the president, presided over the trophies.

The most outstanding trophy winner was Alan Duxbury, Club Champion, (Porter Cup); Malcolm Pulton, six trophies, Aggregating (H. P. Zwar Cup), Heavyest Fish (Hardy's); Jack Hutchison, the President's Cup (donated by Mr. R. Baron); Frank Downey, three trophies; Games competition, Essay and Competition. About 20 boys received trophies won during the past season. Thanks are due to the Ladies' Committee for the excellent supper provided. The evening concluded with a streamer dance, the streamers being in the club's colors.

Mrs. Elizabeth Karkreek, a resident of 36 Jackson street, Northcote, who was 58 years, passed away on July 11 at the age of 89. The funeral took place at the Northcote Cemetery. Deceased was the widow of the late Mr. George William Karkreek, and the mother of Poly (Mrs. Harris), deceased (Mrs. Mitchell), and Kate (Mrs. Jacobsen). Will and Edith (Mrs. Burgess). Will and Edith (Mrs. Burgess).

HIGH STREET METHODIST CHURCH PRESTON

NANKERVIS MEMORIAL EXTENSION TO S.S. HALL

Official Opening Celebrations
A most successful series of gatherings marked the occasion of the official opening of the Nankervis Memorial Extension at the High Street, Preston, Methodist Sunday School on Saturday afternoon and evening last, July 15.

At 4.30 p.m. a large audience assembled in the church where the opening ceremony took place. The leader of the players (Miss Wright) suitably responded. He declared that their audience was of regular quality and that their support was of equal praise.

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St. Raphael's Queen Competition
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Around The Churches

YANN STREET METHODIST CHURCH

Last Sunday being the Methodist Overseas Missions Day, the pulpit in the evening at the Yann Street Methodist Church, South Preston, was occupied by Rev. A. Cyril Cato, M.A., B.E. Dip. Ed., who delivered a short and most interesting discourse.

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OBITUARY
DEATH OF MR. J. KELLER
His death occurred on Thursday last, July 13 of Mr. J. Keller, of 6 Rosebery avenue, who, for close on half a century had resided in Preston. During his whole of this long period the late Mr. Keller and his wife had closely identified themselves with the Yann Street Methodist Church, Mrs. Keller being associated with the Women's Auxiliaries, connected with the church. The funeral took place last Friday, the place of interment being the Fawkes cemetery. The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. Holt Jackson, whilst the Masonic service was read by the Rev. T. Wilkinson, chaplain of the Preston Masonic lodge, of which he was a member.

Miss Edith Weir, of the Vicarage, recently died of an attack of tonsillitis.

VICTORIA ROAD DEATH-TRAP

In last week's issue of the "Leader-Editor" a report of a collision which occurred at Victoria road and Bastings street, Northcote, on Friday, July 17, which a man was killed, and his wife treated for shock, stated that requests had been made to the council for improved lighting in this vicinity.

The Northcote Electrical Engineer (Mr. T. W. Hawthorn) has informed us that the lighting in Victoria road at the intersection of Westgarth street, Clarke street, Mitchell street, Bastings street, Separation street, Mansfield street, and Dorebin street, received attention by the council in 1937. The council then decided that the lighting should be improved.

(To the Editor.)
Sir—Some hard things have been said about the council concerning several recent accidents at intersections of other streets with Victoria road. I know the opinion that in the main, the council has been unjustly blamed.

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Sir—The Northcote council to the council, it is for making good to do much to prevent accidents caused by speeding in Victoria street and its many intersections. The remedy would be a safe state that motorists would be forced to crawl along at ten or fifteen miles an hour, there would be no accidents.

ACCIDENTS AT INTERSECTIONS
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CROSSING DANGERS
(To the Editor.)
Sir—The Northcote City Engineer has stated that it is almost impossible to provide for the safety of road users at the intersections of Victoria road and its many intersections.

TRAFFIC CASES AT NORTHCOTE COURT
The Northcote Bench on July 14 dealt with six traffic cases. The first was against Frederick Adams, of Bell Street, Preston, who, it was alleged, on June 6 drove a brick loaded truck in High street, Thornbury, without having a tail light burning.

CROXTON MAN BREAKS BOND AND IS SENT TO GAOL
A young man named Dennis Mannix Hamilton, 21, of Gadfdto visit hotel premises and to street, Croxtton, cabinet maker, came before Judge Streetton on July 14 for a breach of a recognisance entered into by him, on July 6 of this year, at the Northcote Court, he was convicted of using threatening words, indecent language, and inciting a prisoner to resist. His Honor sentenced Hamilton to imprisonment for three weeks and ordered that his bond be forfeited for two years, and was treated.

The bench fined Adams £1. A fine of £2 was imposed on Alexander Grooms, of Connel Street, Herfortham, who it was alleged, drove a heavy truck at a speed greater than allowed by the regulations.

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The Ladies' Association for the Girl Guides has, with the assistance of the Boy Scouts, arranged a ball which will be held in the Town Hall, Northcote, on Tuesday, July 25.

FOOTBALL COMPETITION

The surprisingly good score by Yarraville upset the calculation of most entrants in last week's football competition.

Youth Receives Suspended Sentence

The Northcote Bench on July 14 imposed a sentence of one month's imprisonment on James Nicholson, 18, of Oxford street, Northcote, who pleaded guilty to five charges of having driven a motor car.

LAMPS... Which Spell Charm

One aspect of home decoration which is usually extremely stereotyped, is illumination. Yet it is so easy to introduce a little variation into home lighting when one considers the many different types of lamps available, all attractive in their own particular way.

WESTGARTH Curl Competition

There was a marked improvement in the totals of points gained in the 72nd Westgarth Curling Competition. The best entry named four without winners in Sir Gordon (11/2).

Engineer's Report

Mr. V. J. Bradley C.E. City Engineer to the Northcote Council, submitted the following report of works completed during the past fortnight, at the meeting of the Public Works Committee Monday night, July 17.

Golden Wedding Celebration

On Saturday evening, July 15 the Golden Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. A. Nancarrow of Glen Road, East St. Kilda, was celebrated by a party held at the home of their daughter, Mrs. W. Nancarrow, at Bank, Northcote.

ROBUR P. & A. PARADE

The current Adult Heat of the Robur P. & A. Parade decided on Tuesday July 11 at the Plaza Theatre, Northcote, was won by Pringle (mouth-organs and drums). He registered a splendid performance and the audience did not stint their applause in order to show their appreciation.

GOLF HIGHLAND PARK CLUB

The Highland Park Golf Club is experiencing another successful year. The links which are situated on Eleny road, Preston, are most splendidly playing order and are attracting large attendances each week-end.

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ATTENDANCES AND RECEIPTS Attention and receipts at the Association matches last Saturday were: Williamstown v Camberwell, 8,000, 117; Sandringham v Yarraville, 6,000, 120; Coburg v Port Melbourne, 4,000, 116; Totals, 17,500, 233.

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AMUSEMENTS HOLY Trinity, Thornbury, will hold an attractive Card Evening... SITUATIONS VACANT GIRL wanted for light house work... BOARD AND RESIDENCE VAC. gent. room self laundry...

SCOUT & GUIDE BALL TOWN HALL NORTHCOTE TUESDAY, 25th JULY DANCING 8-11 (O'clock extended hour) Olorenshaw's Catering... CRICKET GROUNDS APPLICATIONS closing 12 noon on SATURDAY, 12th AUGUST...

ELECTION NOTICES City of Northcote NORTH WARD Cr. Jones Resigns SOUTH WARD Cr. A. McADAM TO FURTHER THE RETURN OF CR. A. McADAM TO THE RATEPAYERS... CRICKET GROUNDS APPLICATIONS closing 12 noon on SATURDAY, 12th AUGUST...

WEST WARD A MEETING of friends and supporters of CR. A. C. BIRD ENDORSED LABOR CANDIDATE for the WEST WARD, will be held on WEDNESDAY, JULY 26, at 8 p.m., in the Croxton Methodist Hall... CR. M. C. JONES Annual Election - North Ward... EXTRAORDINARY ELECTION MR. ALEX. GRAY, in response to numerous requests, announces that he will be a candidate for the vacancy created by the retirement of Councillor M. C. Jones...

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PRESTON METHODIST SABBATH SCHOOL Unveiling Of Memorial Tablet TO THE LATE JOHN C. NANKERVIS An impressive service took place on Sunday afternoon, July 23, in the Preston Methodist School Hall, when a former scholar, Mr. Wilfred Mankey, unveiled a memorial tablet to the late John C. Nankervis, who was superintendent of the Sunday School for 31 years.

COWARDLY ATTACK ON ELDERLY MAN GOLDBURG GETS FIVE YEARS "A Brutal and Savage Assault" At the Criminal Court on Thursday, July 20, Charles Leslie Goldberg, 29, was found guilty of having assaulted two men, one aged 81 years and the other 60 years, and with having robbed one of them.

CHILDRENS ROUTED! Why suffer with burning, itching chibblains when comforting relief is so certain with Eymore's... MR. A. STAVES who is announced as a candidate for the North Ward in the Northcote Council elections to be held during August.

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NORTH WARD The committee of Cr. Jack Moore have been working enthusiastically during the past week and from reports received the ratepayers are desirous that he should again be one of their representatives in the council. Mr. Moore has been working on the cost of printing and postage of valuation notices. There must be some pruning in expenditure whether unimproved rates be adopted or not.

Mr. Adams' remarks were heartily and fully endorsed by Mr. Hilton Dixon (Chamber of Commerce), Mr. Du Feu (Thornbury Trades) and Mr. W. Shaw (Leeds Dyeing and Chemical Co.).

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SEQUEL TO VICTORIA ROAD COLLISION

In last issue we gave details of a speed as would enable him to stop immediately in case of sudden danger. Evidence was given by a Ball... a collision in Victoria road... at intersections of Victoria road... late as regards a collision... these intersections, and a number of suggestions have been made to make them safer.

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Numerous Traffic Prosecutions

CYCLISTS FINED

A number of cyclists were fined for offences by the Northcote bench on Tuesday, July 18. The bench fined five cyclists for riding on the footpath. One cyclist was fined for riding on the footpath in an easterly direction along Hastings street. On approaching the intersection of Victoria road and Hastings street, he was driving at a speed of 20 miles an hour. The cyclist was fined £1 for the offence. The bench also fined a cyclist for riding on the footpath in a southerly direction in the Northcote Court. The cyclist was fined £1 for the offence. The bench also fined a cyclist for riding on the footpath in a southerly direction in the Northcote Court. The cyclist was fined £1 for the offence.

FORGOT HIS HEADLIGHTS

A fine of £1 was imposed on a motorist for forgetting his headlights. The motorist was fined for the offence. The bench also fined a motorist for forgetting his headlights. The motorist was fined for the offence.

EXCESSIVE SPEED

Charged with driving at an excessive speed, William L. Johnson of Hopetown grove, Ivanhoe was fined £2. He pleaded guilty to the offence. The bench also fined a motorist for excessive speed. The motorist was fined for the offence.

ON WRONG SIDE

Constable Hannabery of the motor-cycle patrol told the court that a motorist was fined for driving on the wrong side of the road. The motorist was fined for the offence. The bench also fined a motorist for driving on the wrong side of the road. The motorist was fined for the offence.

BREAD CARTER FINED

Ray Frank Newman, bread cart driver, was fined for an offence. The bench also fined a bread cart driver for an offence. The bread cart driver was fined for the offence.

Mr. Addison P.M. assisted by two honorary justices disposed of a number of traffic cases at the Northcote Court on Friday, July 21.

All of the cases were offences against the traffic regulations, and related to failure to carry head or rear lamps on their cars or bicycles. Robert Ansell of Ballantyne street, Thornbury, drove a car in 20, which had neither head nor tail lights burning. He was fined £1. Absence of lighted headlights resulted in the fine of £1. The bench also fined a motorist for an offence. The motorist was fined for the offence.

SHEFFIELD KNIVES AND FORKS FOR MILITIAMEN

Firms in Sheffield, Britain, "Steel City," have received orders from the War Office for £40,000 worth of knives, forks and spoons with which to equip the British Army in England. The Sheffield cutlery industry has a further effect on the "domestic" output of a city which has recently been predominantly a munitions city.

JAPANESE ONIONS

Boycotted in New Zealand, Grocers at Auckland (N.Z.) have in refusing to handle any more of the Japanese onions. The onions are now en route to the Dominion. The onions are now en route to the Dominion. The onions are now en route to the Dominion.

ROAD DANGERS (Bad News For British Motorists)

ACCIDENTS AT VICTORIA ROAD INTERSECTIONS

(To the Editor.) Sir, Regarding the Victoria road intersections, I would like to improve on suggestions by last week's correspondent for making these crossings safer. "V-Gutter" says that a suggestion has been made that the existing annual registration fee of 15/- per horse power should be raised to 25/- per horse power as from January next. This is a terrific proposal and will come as a great shock to motorists. The Great Britain, where 1,340,000 men are employed in the construction, fitting and driving of automobiles, and the wages of motor drivers and employees at garages is alone computed at £200 million per annum. Since January 1935, when the registration tax was reduced from 10/- per horse power to 15/- per horse power, the Great Britain has obtained a drastic revision of the tax on private cars, which has been an excessive and detrimental to Britain's export motor trade.

Even on the current basis of automobile taxation, viz., 15/- per horse power on private cars, a sliding scale of tax on commercial vehicles based on weight of unit, and a petrol tax of 9d. per gallon, the cost of automobiles in Great Britain will not contribute no less than £35,550,000 (£52,000,000 in petrol tax) to the current financial year. The only ray of hope for motorists in the Old Country is that possibly in 1940, the European countries may have a more equitable tax system.

On July 18 the death took place at a private hospital of Mr. George W. Jones, 56, Northcote road, Northcote. He leaves a widow (Mrs. Margaret Alice Jones), the family consists of Mrs. Jones, Miss Jones, Herbert, Walter, Alice (Mrs. Sinclair), Harry, Sylvia, and a young son. The funeral took place at Fawkner cemetery on July 19.

AMATEUR ATHLETICS

The Preston-Northcote Hawthorn club has been successful in challenge terms race on Saturday, July 21. The club won the race. The club won the race.

COURT FILM

One of the stars of "The Ware Case" is the No. 1 Criminal Court at the Old Bailey. Here Sir Hubert Young (Old Bailey) is on trial for the mysterious murder of Lady Ware's brother, Sir Hubert's brother. The film is a dramatic story of crime.

OLD FRIENDS REUNITED ON SCREEN

His role with Akim Tamiroff in the recent "Spawns of the North" marked the renewal of the friendship between the two actors. The film is a dramatic story of crime.

At Northcote Court

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PRESTON BOYS' SILVER BAND

AND ITS AMBITIOUS AIMS

Since Mr. W. Collins decided to form a band among local boys matters have progressed considerably. The band is now receiving tuition. Their progress has been remarkable, so much so that their appearance as a band will be made in the not too far distant future.

Next Saturday the August 1st

will be an interesting event. The band will be playing at the August 1st. The band will be playing at the August 1st.

IVANHOE GOLF CLUB

The competition on Saturday took the form of a 4 ball stroke aggregate in which guests from various clubs participated. The competition was a success.

AN A.A.W.A. A MOST enjoyable evening was held on Sunday August 27 at the Preston Bowling Club. The evening was a success.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"Love" will be the subject of the lesson sermon in all Churches of Christ, Sunday, July 30. The sermon will be a success.

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Northcote Motor Cycle Club

At a committee meeting the following officials were appointed: Sports secretary, A. Thompson; Club secretary, G. Hand; Press correspondent, G. Hand; Handicapper, W. G. Leaney. The club is now receiving tuition.

INSPECT NORTHCOTE CITY COUNCIL WORKS

The sixty persons who were invited to inspect the works of the Northcote City Council, and the methods of carrying out the construction and other public works, spent a most enjoyable evening.

Amongst the visitors who inspected the works of the Northcote City Council, and who were entertained by the Mayor and the Council, were: Mr. Loder, Chief Engineer, Country Roads Board; Mr. W. G. Leaney, Chief Engineer, Institute of Engineers, Board of Municipalities; Messrs. Kinglake and Wolter, and any other interested persons.

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PRESTON BOWLING CLUB

THE ANNUAL SMOKE NIGHT
President's Successful Year
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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

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District Guide News 57/60 BATTALION Lighting At Victoria Road Intersection

Reports have been made in the press that requests to improve the lighting at the intersection of Victoria road and Hastings street, and to install a new set of traffic lights, have been made on the council. The Mayor (Mr. J. W. French) at the Northcote meeting on Monday night, July 24, will make a denial for no such representations have been made. He further stated that this intersection was as well lighted as any other in Victoria road. All the same candle-power.

PERSONAL

Mr. Donald Alfred Harker of 709 High Street, Preston, died on July 21. He was 72 years of age. He was a member of the Preston City Council.

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OBITUARY

MR. J. M. MANKEY
Many old Prestonians will regret to learn of the death of Mr. Joseph Michel Mankey...

MR. C. E. FAIRMAN
The death of Mr. George Ernest Fairman, of 221 Raglan street, Preston, occurred suddenly...

MR. ARTHUR 'HARLES' HURSTON
The death of Mr. Arthur Charles Hurstone, at the age of 78, at his residence, 12 Glendon avenue, Kew, on July 19, 1939...

MRS. J. SINDEN
The death occurred recently of Mrs. J. Sinden, widow of the Rev. Sinden, who was a preacher in the Primitive Methodist Church...

MRS. E. M. ROBERTS
On Monday the death occurred of Mrs. E. M. Roberts, aged 84 years, at her residence at Preston...

MRS. E. M. HYDE
On Wednesday, July 12 Mrs. Elizabeth Mary Hyde, Benjamin St., Thornbury died at the age of 76...

MRS. FLORENCE ETHAL WATSON
Mrs. Florence Ethal Watson, wife of Mr. William Ernest Watson, died on July 19 at the age of 58...

MRS. MARGARET BLOORE
At a private hospital on July 19 the death occurred of Mrs. Margaret Blore, wife of the late Mr. Benjamin Blore...

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Activities At ... PRESTON

Visit to Telephone Exchange
On Tuesday evening this week a party of about 20 members of the Telephone Exchange...

The Weather
On Monday night one of the most severe frosts ever experienced, paid a visit to all parts of the State...

Billiard Tournament
The billiard tournament in connection with the Preston Fire Brigade has resulted in a very interesting and successful event...

Unemployment
Like other suburbs, Preston is suffering from unemployment. The number of unemployed persons in Preston is estimated to be about 200...

Alleged Breach of Award Case
Finality Not Reached
Wednesday, July 26 was the second day of hearing of the case in which Mrs. Emily Lucy Dalton, licensee of the Albion Hotel...

SCHOOL BOY CRICKET COMPETITION
The Melbourne Boys' Club Cricket Association with Mr. Ben Barnett, international wicket-keeper as president, is making a special effort this year...

Boy Scouts
FIRST PRESTON TROOP
Last Friday evening a party of ten Scouts attended the Fire Station to commence a class under the instruction of the instructor, Mr. Young...

Procera Health Bread
Boys and Girls thrive on Procera, so easy to eat—it melts in the mouth, better, keeps fresh longer, and is the ideal bread for babies...

Northcote Council TRAFFIC OFFENCES

Amongst the visitors at the last meeting of the Northcote Council, was Ex-Cor. J. W. Adams, Mayor of Preston...

Another channel also mentioned by Cr. Oliver was in Pender street, east of Newcastle street, Skating in Streets.

Cr. Turner mentioned the fact of children skating in the streets. He said that they were not playing something like 'ice hockey'...

Cr. Hayes requested that a report be furnished on the possibility of building a footpath in Victoria road, north of Separation street.

Cr. Peters complained about pot holes in Herbert street. He referred to the Public Works Commission.

Cr. McAdam suggested that a letter be written to Mr. Burroughes, North Fitzroy, regarding the alleged breach of award...

Cr. Peters secured employment in the Tramway Workshops where he remained for ten years.

Witness was asked by counsel for the prosecution and later by the P.M. to write words contained in the letter to those in the disputed signature.

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Where it is not possible to give a mulch of manure or leaf-mould, the soil should be regularly stirred up with the hoe...

Any roses which have not yet been pruned should have this at the end of the season...

WATTLE BUDS UNFOLD
In spring we learn anew an overpowering joy. When wattle gleams in the sunlight...

ENGAGEMENTS
The engagement has been announced of Miss Alice, only daughter of Mrs. W. Long of Westgarth...

GUS. AARONS
501a High Street Northcote
(Right opp. Dennis St.)
Again Reminds You That

WARNING!
Housewives... You Are Hereby Warned Not To Be Absent From 377 High St. On Thursday, August 10th...

ROBUR P. & A. PARADE

THREE ACTS ENTERED FOR SEMI-FINALS
On Tuesday, July 18, three acts entered for a four act programme...

Jika Cricket Association
A MOST SUCCESSFUL SEASON
The following is a review of the annual report and balance sheet to be submitted to the annual meeting...

Northcote Chamber Of Commerce
NORTHCOTE BUSINESS BALL
The big business ball which is held annually by the Chamber of Commerce promises to be one of the events of the season...

COMMUNITY SINGING
A good session was held at the Plaza on Monday July 24 when an enthusiastic audience joined the capable band of Mr. Leo Leslie...

THE SINGING
Every Monday, Plaza Theatre 7-9 p.m.
Conductor Leo Leslie. Manager E. Hilton Dixon. Advertisement 3d.

PRESENTS GIVEN AT THEATRE BY ROWLANDS DRAPERY STORE
M. J. Collins & Co., Home Fur, Lingerie, Millinery, Tailoring, Upholstery, and Jewellery.

PRESENTS GIVEN AT THE STORES BY ROWLANDS DRAPERY STORE
M. J. Collins & Co. Love & Pollard, Drapers, Tailors, Hatters, Milliners, and Furriers.

Every Wednesday - United Kiddies' Quest
For all classes of Commercial Printing you should consult the LEADER PUBLISHING CO. 481 HIGH STREET, NORTHCOTE

THE NEW GIFT & HARDWARE STORE

Yes, Right in the Main Shopping Block... Just 3 Doors from Woolworths.
Hardware, Kitchen Ware, Crystal Ware, Crockery, Gift Items.

Everything for the LAW and GARDEN
KEYS CUT & FITTED WE INVITE LAY-BY
P. G. COLLINS
373 HIGH ST., NORTHCOTE

Northcote District Chamber of Commerce
BIG BUSINESS BALL
At the NORTHCOTE TOWN HALL Tuesday, 1st August

FIRST CLASS SUPPER TABLES FOR BRIDGE TICKETS OBTAINABLE ALL STORES SINGLE TICKET, 6/6

Regent
HIGH ST. THORNBURY
RING JW 2177 FOR RESERVATIONS
Saturday, July 29 - FOR THREE NIGHTS

"HEART OF THE NORTH"
(Not Suitable for General Exhibition)
ALSO - GLENDA FARRELL - BARTON MACLANE

"TORCHY RUNS FOR MAYOR"
(Not Suitable for General Exhibition)
Also SILLY SYMPHONY - "Moth and the Flame"

Wednesday, Aug. 2 - FOR THREE NIGHTS
GARY COOPER - MERLE OBERON
"COWBOY AND THE LADY"
With JACK HOLT in - "Strange Case of Dr. Meade"



Advertisement for Procera Health Bread, including text about its benefits and contact information for McAlpin's Bakeries.

Advertisement for Gus. Aarons, a hairdresser and barber, located at 501a High Street, Northcote.

Advertisement for Regent Theatre, listing plays and showtimes for the week of July 29-31.

Advertisement for Regent Theatre, listing plays and showtimes for the week of August 2-4.

Municipal Elections

CR. B. E. JOHNSON ANNOUNCES RETIREMENT

CR. M. C. JONES VACATES NORTH WARD TO CONTEST SEAT

EXTRAORDINARY ELECTION IN NORTH

There are indications that the 1939 municipal elections for the Northcote City Council will be most eventful.

To begin with, Cr. B. E. Johnson (East Ward) one of the oldest members of the Council (he entered the municipal life of this suburb 29 years ago), is retiring. His seat will be contested by Cr. M. C. Jones, who for some years has represented the North Ward, and who now lives in the East Ward. The seat thus vacated will be contested for at an extraordinary election which will coincide with the annual elections on August 24. Mr. A. Gray and Mr. T. Mercovich have announced themselves as candidates.

As appears at present, two contests will take place on that date besides the extraordinary election. Cr. A. McAdam will be opposed in the South Ward. An opponent has also been announced for the North Ward seat which becomes vacant through effluxion of time by Cr. W. Hayes. The last-named councillor has taken a most active interest in municipal affairs for nearly as long as Cr. Johnson.

Up to the time of going to press, no opponents have been announced to contest the seats of the other retiring councillors—A. Bird (West) and A. V. Peters (Central).

It is also doubtful whether a contest will take place in the East Ward. The two nominees to stand against Crs. Hayes and McAdam are Messrs. Barclay and A. E. Theisz.

EAST WARD

CR. JOHNSON, J.P. = CR. JONES AS YET UNOPPOSED

During the recent past, the people of the East Ward, Northcote and other Northern Municipalities, have enjoyed the benefit of the services of Cr. B. E. Johnson, J.P., who has been a member of the Council of Northern Municipalities for many years. His retirement from the Council of Northern Municipalities is a great loss to the community. Cr. Johnson has been a most active and successful councillor, and his retirement is a great loss to the community. Cr. M. C. Jones, who has been a member of the Council of Northern Municipalities for many years, is a most active and successful councillor, and his retirement is a great loss to the community. Cr. Jones is a most active and successful councillor, and his retirement is a great loss to the community.

CENTRAL WARD

CR. A. V. PETERS, J.P.

Cr. A. V. Peters, J.P., who has been a member of the Council of Northern Municipalities for many years, is a most active and successful councillor, and his retirement is a great loss to the community. Cr. Peters is a most active and successful councillor, and his retirement is a great loss to the community.

NORTH WARD

Mr. John Barclay

Mr. John Barclay, who has been a member of the Council of Northern Municipalities for many years, is a most active and successful councillor, and his retirement is a great loss to the community. Cr. Barclay is a most active and successful councillor, and his retirement is a great loss to the community.

SOUTH WARD

Mr. T. A. Mercovich

Mr. T. A. Mercovich, who has been a member of the Council of Northern Municipalities for many years, is a most active and successful councillor, and his retirement is a great loss to the community. Cr. Mercovich is a most active and successful councillor, and his retirement is a great loss to the community.

CENTRAL WARD

Mr. Alex Gray

Mr. Alex Gray, who has been a member of the Council of Northern Municipalities for many years, is a most active and successful councillor, and his retirement is a great loss to the community. Cr. Gray is a most active and successful councillor, and his retirement is a great loss to the community.

KEEN CONTESTS LIKELY

SOUTH WARD

Mr. A. E. Theisz

At the request of a deputation of ratepayers, Mr. A. E. Theisz, of 44 Simpson St., has agreed to contest the forthcoming South Ward election. Mr. Theisz has been an active and successful councillor, and his retirement is a great loss to the community. Cr. Theisz is a most active and successful councillor, and his retirement is a great loss to the community.

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NORTHCOTE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

SOUTH WARD

Owing to effluxion of time, my services as your representative on the Northcote City Council expire in August, and I wish to intimate to the Ratepayers of the SOUTH WARD that I shall AGAIN OFFER MYSELF FOR ELECTION.

CR. A. McADAM

I desire to THANK the Ratepayers for the confidence they have placed in me during the past 6 years, and trust that they will again see their way to elect me as their representative.

PUBLIC MEETING

A PUBLIC MEETING of Ratepayers of the South Ward will be held on THURSDAY, AUGUST 1, at 8 o'clock in the PAVILION, NORTHCOTE PARK, West Hill Street, CR. McADAM, who is a candidate for the forthcoming election, will give an account of his stewardship during the six years he has represented the Ward.

Chairman: CR. J. H. GREEN, J.P.

Supporting Speakers: CR. W. OLIVER, J.P., CR. S. DENNIS, J.P., CR. H. W. SHEWAN, J.P.

QUESTIONS WILL BE INVITED

A. J. STILL, Campaign Secretary

NORTHCOTE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

North Ward - Annual Elections

VOTE & WORK

FOR

JOHN BARCLAY

The Endorsed Progressive Candidate.

PUBLIC MEETING

Mon., July 31

Methodist Hall - St. David's St.

Secretary Thornbury Branch of the Aust'n. Labor Party

and

Endorsed Labor Candidate

Announces his intention to contest the vacancy in the North Ward at the Extraordinary Election, due to the retirement of Cr. M. C. Jones.

A MEETING of Friends and Supporters will be held at the

Dispensary Hall, Gooch St., Thornbury

On Monday, August 7, at 8 p.m.

MR. F. SRENNAN, J.P., and MR. JOHN CAIN, M.L.A. will support the Candidate.

LEO. PURCELL, Campaign Sec., Phone Inquiries JW 3619

NORTHCOTE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

North Ward - Extraordinary Elections

MR. THOMAS A. MERCOVICH

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North Ward - Annual Elections

CR. W. HAYES

J.P.

AGAIN SOLICITS YOUR VOTE

On Polling Day: THURSDAY AUGUST - 24th

"Your Tried & Trusted Candidate"

COMMITTEE MEETING

Thursday, July 27th, at 8 p.m. at the DISPENSARY HALL, GOOCH STREET

VOTE: HAYES, W. []

NORTHCOTE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

North Ward - Annual Elections

CR. A. McADAM

CR. A. V. PETERS

CR. M. C. JONES

CR. W. HAYES

CR. JOHN BARCLAY

CR. A. E. THEISZ

CR. M. C. JONES

CR. ALEX GRAY

CR. T. MERCOVICH

Particular attention is invited to the fact that the retirement of Cr. Jones is a great loss to the community. Cr. Jones is a most active and successful councillor, and his retirement is a great loss to the community.

CENTRAL WARD Cr. A. V. Peters, J.P.

Cr. A. V. Peters, J.P., who was chairman of the P.W. Committee, elected to the Northcote Council in February 1931, is offering that his services to the ratepayers of the Central Ward.

THANKS

To the Ratepayers of East Ward, City of Northcote, and Citizens in General

I BEG to express my sincere THANKS to all for the confidence placed in me as your representative for the past 29 years.

NORTHCOTE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

EAST WARD

CR. M. C. JONES, J.P.

FOR THE EAST WARD

Owing to the intimation of Cr. M. C. Jones, J.P., that he will not be seeking re-election in August, and at the request of numerous ratepayers of the East Ward, where I have been residing for the past 4 years, I desire to announce my intention of retiring from the North Ward and offering my services to the East Ward.

I trust that my 9 years of service to the North Ward will not be commended me to the ratepayers of the East.

VOTE: JONES, M. C. []

Polling Day: THURSDAY, AUGUST 24

NORTHCOTE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

North Ward - Extraordinary Election

VOTE & SUPPORT

ALEX. GRAY

THE PRACTICAL AND PROGRESSIVE CANDIDATE

Public Meeting

WED., AUGUST 2

At 8 p.m.

Dispensary Hall

Gooch St., Thornbury

COMMITTEE MEETING

Thurs., July 27th, at 8 p.m.

DISPENSARY HALL

VOTE: GRAY, A. []

Polling Day: THURSDAY, AUGUST 24

Campaign Sec. K. WHITE, 142, High St., Thornbury.

Where Buyers & Sellers Meet — The Classified Advertisements

LEGAL NOTICES

C. P. Walsh, M.A., LL.B. Barrister & Solicitor 452 High St., Northcote. Hours of attendance: 9 a.m. to 5.30 p.m.; Monday and Friday evening, 7 p.m. till 9 p.m. Phone: JW 3787. Private address, 789 High St., Thornbury. JW 4576

A. E. O'CONNOR BARRISTER & SOLICITOR 899 High St. Thornbury. Hours of attendance: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Fridays to 9 p.m. Telephone JW 3732. Private address: 80 Smith St., Thornbury. Tel. JW 4683

ALLAN L. HUGHES M.A., LL.M., Barrister & Solicitor 31 Collins St., Melbourne. (MU 2192) and at Reservoir Estate Agency on Friday evening from 8 to 9 p.m. May also be consulted at his home, 13, Clarke St., Northcote (JW 2229) every evening from 6.30 to 7.30 p.m.

UNDERTAKERS

HENRY J. R. LEWIS Local Offices: 247 HIGH ST., NORTHCOTE Tel. JW 1579 658 HIGH ST., REGENT Tel.: JW 1390 Head Office: Fitzroy, Tel. J1666 Satisfaction, Economy and Prestige — Motor Service R. H. LEWIS, Funeral Director

NOTICES

For That Better Plumbing Job Ring JW 4293 H. F. LOWE 29 GLANFIELD ST. N.COTE SANITARY PLUMBER Licensed M.M.B.W. Estimates Given for All House Repairs

CONCRETE AND ASPHALT PAVING H. J. EAGLAND All classes of work done. Workmanship guaranteed. Our prices are competitive. 406 CLARKE STREET near Fairfield Station JW 2544

AIRCRAFT WELDING learn this excellent trade at the Brunswick School Of Welding Quick, Easy, All-Practice Method occupying 16 weeks to complete course. Classes Limited. Enquire Now! 14 LARNOO AVENUE WEST BRUNSWICK Phone: FW 4839

BELMONT DAIRY, 130 Flinders Street, Thornbury, and 75 Gooch St. Northcote, for Tuberculin Tested Milk. Pure Milk delivered Daily. Latest up-to-date Brine Cooling Plant on premises. Inspection invited. LES SMITH, Dairyman. JW 4100.

DRESSMAKER, high class coats tailored — costumes, dresses, evening and wedding orders. Eileen Watt, 11 Armadale St. Thornbury. Phone JW 4364.

ELECTRICIAN T. HOLLWAY WF 2729 No Job Too Small. Immediate Attention

3KZ Friendship Circle PRESTON BRANCH Meets EVERY WEDNESDAY 8.15 p.m. Dance & Social MAYFAIR HALL New Members Welcomed Calling All Dancers! 50-50 DANCE Will be held EVERY FORTNIGHT NEXT NIGHT: JULY 29 MAYFAIR HALL David Street, East Preston Preston Tram stops at corner. Monte Carlo, Spot Dance, Good Orchestra, Supper. Admission: 1/1 (inc. tax) G. THOMAS, Sec.

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HOUSES raised and new foundations made, etc. W. Murray (late McLennan Bros.) 23 Martin St. N.cote. Phone JW 1247.

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NOTICES

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TOLIN — Special expressivity for school children. Studio 206 Clarke St. Northcote. JW 4110.

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with which firm he is now connected (Richmond Branch) and is now able to arrange longer Credit Terms for Old and New Clients. Ring J5624 and arrange for a comfortable Motor Transport to inspect.

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Don't Forget — You can also Purchase —

Player Pianos From £49: or 4/- weekly.

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"Complete Garden Service" ...

- Gardens Designed, Laid Out, Remodelled, or Renovated. Large-Varieties of Seedlings, Shrubs, Trees, Cupressus, Roses, Hedge Plants, available. Gardens maintained by contract. Write, call or ring —

The Clyde Nurseries 44 CLYDE STREET, THORNBURY (Off Victoria Road) JW3544 — Phone — JW3544.

AMUSEMENTS

DON'T FORGET THE Dispensary Dance (Gooch Street) IS STILL NORTHCOTE'S BEST 50-50 "Saturday Night" Dance

St. Joseph's PARISH BALL (NORTHCOTE) NORTHCOTE TOWN HALL Tuesday, August 8, 8.30 p.m. The President is Rev. D. Coakley, P.P., and the Ball is under the patronage of the Mayor & Mayoress of Northcote (Cr. and Mrs. J. W. French). Tickets from St. Joseph's Presbytery, or Mrs. K. Howse (JW 1808).

WANTED TO SELL

A.J.S. 23 s.v. good ord. reg Mar. good tyres, ready to ride away. 30 Derby St. N.cote.

B.R. Suite, 3 pce, good ord, also wire mattress and bedding. 21 Oldis Ave. N.cote.

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PCE. B. Suite and Couch, 30/32 Fyffe St. Thornbury.

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BOOKS. — Set of Thackeray's and Galworthy's works, S.H. "Books" care Budget.

ELECTROLUX, must be late model, pay cash or take over book. Win 4636.

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PRAM, must be good ord., reas. M.M., Budget Office.

LOST

BAG, brown, cont. 2 prs. glasses and other articles. Rew. on return to 21 Beaconsfield Pde., Thornbury.

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LOST, 3-stone diamond ring, bet. Dennis and Th'bury, W. Preston or City. Reward. Ring JW 3197.

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WANTED

FURN. bed sitting room, M.C., use kit., quiet, vic. N.cote near railway. J.C.

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SITUATIONS WANTED

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NOTICES

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(b) Semi-mod. WEATHERBOARD HOME, 5 rms., car entrance or garage, close tram; to 4750.

(c) PRESTON. — WEATHERBOARD PROPERTY, not necessarily mod., 5 or 6 rms., to £725 cash; urgent.

E. J. BOURKE 765 HIGH ST., THORNBURY (Cnr. Harold St.). JW 1771.

Also PROPERTY of all descriptions wanted FOR SALE in NORTHCOTE, THORNBURY, etc., required by our head office. Many good buyers waiting.

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REAL ESTATE

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NORTHCOTE, PRESTON AND FAIRFIELD BRANCHES

The annual meeting of the Northcote, Preston and Fairfield branch of the above was held on July 20 when the following officers were elected for the ensuing twelve months: President, Mr. C. B. Warlimont, Station Entrance, Reservoir; vice-presidents, Messrs F. Bates (Preston) and B. A. Pirkorn (Thornbury); hon. secretary and treasurer, Mr. F. B. Kingsbury, (Northcote); auditor, Mr. G. Henderson (Angus McDonald Pty Ltd) (Thornbury); Branch executive officers: Messrs A. Deacon, H. W. Mugden, R. Smith, C. H. Burnham, E. G. Sutton; delegates, Messrs F. Bates (Preston), M. Roberts (Howgate and Roberts, Thornbury); substitute delegate, Mr. C. B. Warlimont.



CR. A. McADAM, who is seeking re-election in the South Ward of the City of Northcote elections to be held on August 24.

E. J. BOURKE

E. J. Bourke, 765 High Street, Thornbury (JW 1771) notifies that he has numerous inquiries for properties for sale at all prices. Amongst others wanted are: s.f.w.b. villa, 4 rms to £650 cash; semi. mod. w.b. home, 5 r. to £750; Preston w.b. property 5 to 6 r to £725.

Properties are also inquired for for the firm's head office at 80 High Street, Westgarth. Vendors should lose no time in communicating with Mr. Bourke, as urgent buyers are waiting. See advertisement.

A. J. McCASKER & SON

Messrs A. J. McCasker & Son announce that they have opened a branch office as estate and business agents at 764, High St., Thornbury. Everything pertaining to real estate will be handled. Properties to let or for sale on hand. Phone JW 3400.

AUCTION SALE

By Gray & Johnson, 70 High St., Westgarth, 742 High St., Thornbury, and 784 Sydney Rd., Brunswick, on Saturday, July 29 at 3 p.m. on property 46 Henry St. Northcote, 5 r. d.f.w.b. villa as advertised.

CRECHE AND KINDERGARTEN CARD PARTY.

A card party in aid of the funds of the Northcote Creche and Kindergarten was held in the Committee Room at the Northcote Town Hall on the evening of Saturday, July 22. The severity of the weather somewhat affected the attendance, but £11 was taken including a handsome donation of £5 by Mr. J. Ross. Crazy whist was played, and after supper prizes were awarded. The ladies' prize was won by Miss Hewett and the men's by Mr. M. Gibaud. Silk stockings won by Miss Iris Aumont, (Yarra Falls) and sweets by Mrs. Houston. The president (Mrs. W. F. Brownell) thanked those present for their support. The Mayoress (Mrs. J. W. French) presented the prizes.

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In joy untold In feathery gold In gent's grateful mien Each twig is strewn With rich festoon Sweet clustering wattle-sheen. In beauty fair In fragrance rare In wonder of a dream The garnered gold Of buds unfold And radiant blossoms stream. Our fairest flower Australia's dower The very breath of spring. All golden bright In bush delight To wattle bloom we cling. —Grace L. Rodda.

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Next Meeting Thursday, August 3, 1939 Syllabus Item: Annual Cricket Meeting. All members are asked to attend. Secretary: Mr. R. L. Fitch JW 2745. Office: 254 High St. Northcote

Miss Gwen Jones, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jones, of Cunningham street, Northcote, celebrated her 21st birthday on Saturday, July 22 at the Northcote Town Hall. About 90 guests were present. A congratulatory speech was made by Mr. Warren Kerr (grand uncle). The guest of the evening made a suitable response to the toast of her health.