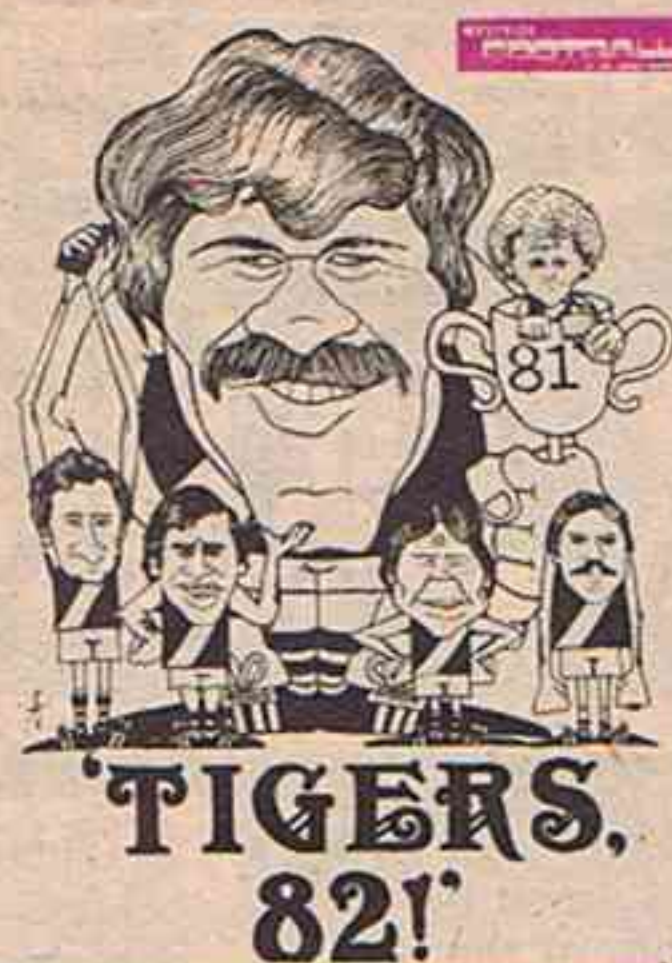




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TIGERS AT LARGE

YES, Claremont . . . you are good!

The Mighty Fighting Tigers proved last Sunday that they are premiership material . . . again.

When Claremont broke a 16-year drought and won last year's premiership, a lot of people said that the Tigers had made it . . . but only for a brief period.

Last Sunday, in front of a crowd of 18,500 people (the biggest crowd, incidentally, since May 10, 1980) Claremont proved that they are real football champs.

They outplayed West Perth early . . . and if they had kicked straight in the first half (eight goals from 24 easy shots) it would have been a walkover even though they were conceding the home-ground advantage.

Claremont are a football side of the future . . . they have a team of "goers" and plenty of youngsters who want to win the ball and then give it to their team-mates.

This Saturday that unselfish style of football will be on display once again . . . at Claremont Oval and East Perth will find that their premiership hopes will slump as they struggle against one of football's most professional sides.



Defender Gerald Betts shows typical Tigers determination to take this falling mark.

END OF AN ERA?

THE talk at South Fremantle is that football's hottest coaching property, Mal Brown, will quit at the end of this season . . . but that doesn't mean the Bulldogs are finished for 1982.

Brown, certainly WA's most controversial coach in recent times and probably the most successful, has made it clear that he feels he has run his race at Fremantle Oval.

Without divulging his future plans, it seems as though Brown will bow out of the coaching role at South Fremantle — but not before he sets the foundation for a promising future for the Bulldogs.

After taking South to three consecutive grand finals (with one win and two losses) Brown is struggling to get the Bulldogs into the four at this stage of the season.

He is working with a team that has plenty of young talent — but is suffering

from a typical football ailment — the end of era.

A lot of South Fremantle's top players in recent years are now struggling to maintain form and fitness — and the fact that 10 of last Sunday's league side, (who went down fighting to top side Swan Districts), were virtual rookies augers well for the future.

If there is so much talent at Fremantle Oval, why is Brown thinking of cutting his ties with the club?

The answer is simple.

The South Fremantle mastermind believes that five years is long enough at the helm of a club in this day and age.

"Each year it gets harder," the volatile Brown says. "The club is now going through a challenging period after being near the top for the last five years."

"I suppose it has been a successful time at South Fremantle although it was disappointing to have won only one flag to date."

"Now South have to go through a rebuilding programme. I think they also need to recruit three or four players," he said.

Brown added that the type of players South needed were a key forward, a key defender and a rover.

Brown's decision has come at a time



By **GARY STOCKS**

when the Bulldogs have their backs to the wall fighting for a place in the finals.

And if they are unsuccessful in their bid to work their way back into the four, it will be the first time since Brown took over the coaching reins at the club that they have been out of the premiership race before the first semi final.

Brown says that it would be most disappointing not to be around the place in September.

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THE YEAR OF THE SWAN... IF!

Swan Districts will win the 1982 premiership provided big ruckmen Alan Sidebottom and Ron Boucher are playing and are both fit.

It became plainly obvious last Saturday that Swans' success in the finals will depend largely on the performances of these two players.

It was the ability of Sidebottom and Boucher to completely dominate the centre bounciedowns that enabled Swans' skilful little players to cut the opposition to ribbons.

Boucher is the form ruckman in WA at the moment. He has always represented danger to opposing teams because of his physical strength, but in my opinion, his skills have improved remarkably which is making him an even more effective player.

His ability now to palm the ball rather than thump it at centre bounciedowns has increased the percentage of Swans' little men taking the ball away from the centre.

No doubt he has also appreciated the decision to leave him on the ground rather than the interchange bench when resting. His strong marking and improved goal-kicking from a forward pocket has been an added bonus to Swans this season.

Sidebottom has always had the potential but is only really starting to reveal it consistently this season. He is a valuable player because of his size and natural skills and is also one of the finest palmers of the football I have seen.

However, both players are injury prone and must be of some concern to the Swans hierarchy. Without either of

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them in the side, their task would be much more difficult.

It must be remembered that over the past couple of seasons neither player has been fully fit and Boucher, in particular, has spent more time off the ground than on it.

In addition to the importance of Sidebottom and Boucher, I believe Swans have the side capable of erasing memories of recent failures in final round games.

Ed Blackaby is now fully fit and past experience has shown that sides with top class rovers win premierships.

Finals are an entirely different ball game — the pressure is greater, the stakes are higher and there is no room for fancy football. Swans have failed in the last couple of seasons with the side that was arguably the most skilful in the competition. But, as Swans found out, skill alone is not enough to win a grand final.

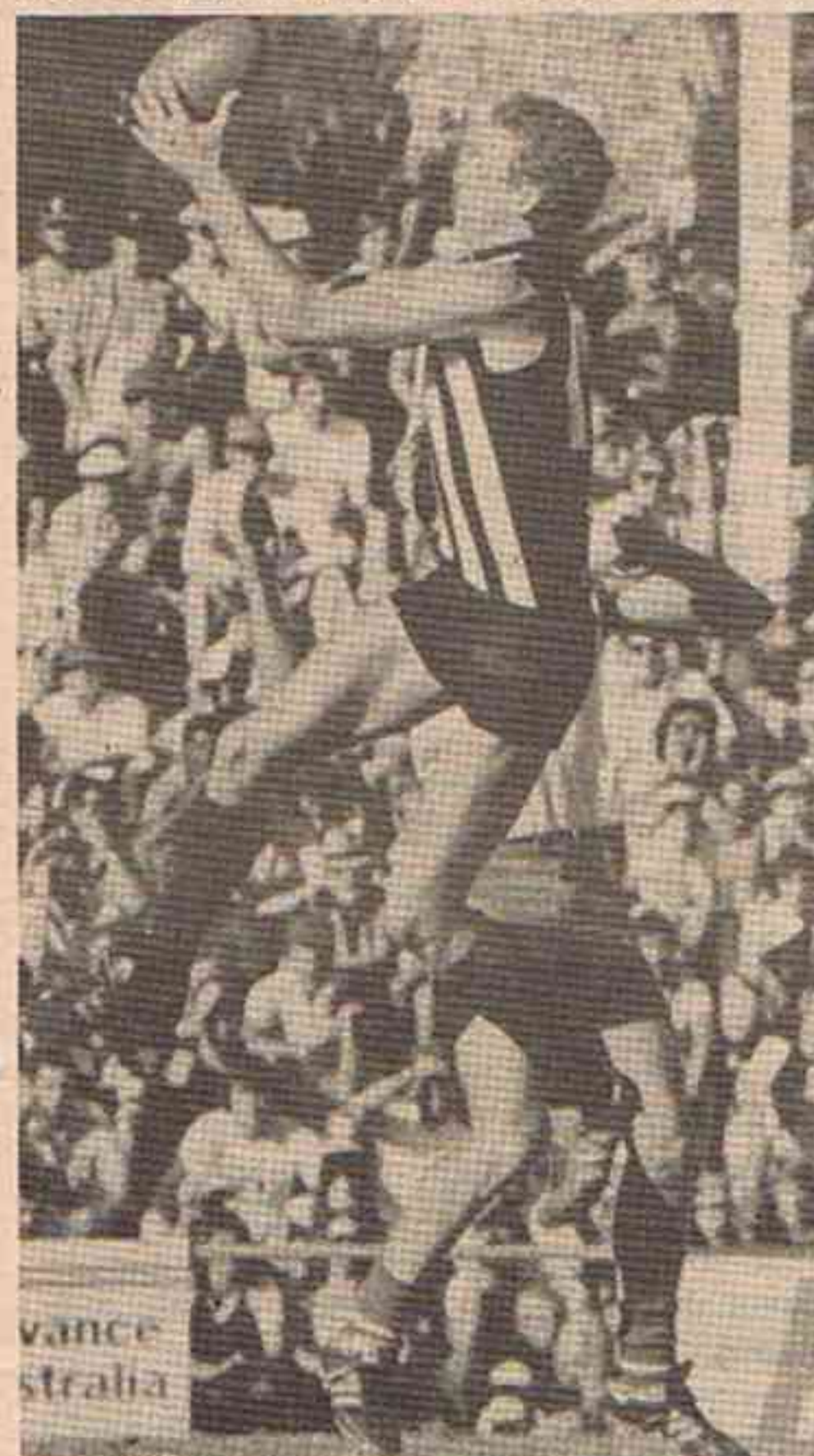
However, I believe this year that John Todd has developed a team less skilful than in the past, but prepared to do the hard things in football consistently enough to achieve a premiership.

The brilliance is still there but players are now prepared to sacrifice their own glory for the sake of the team — an essential ingredient in a team sport.

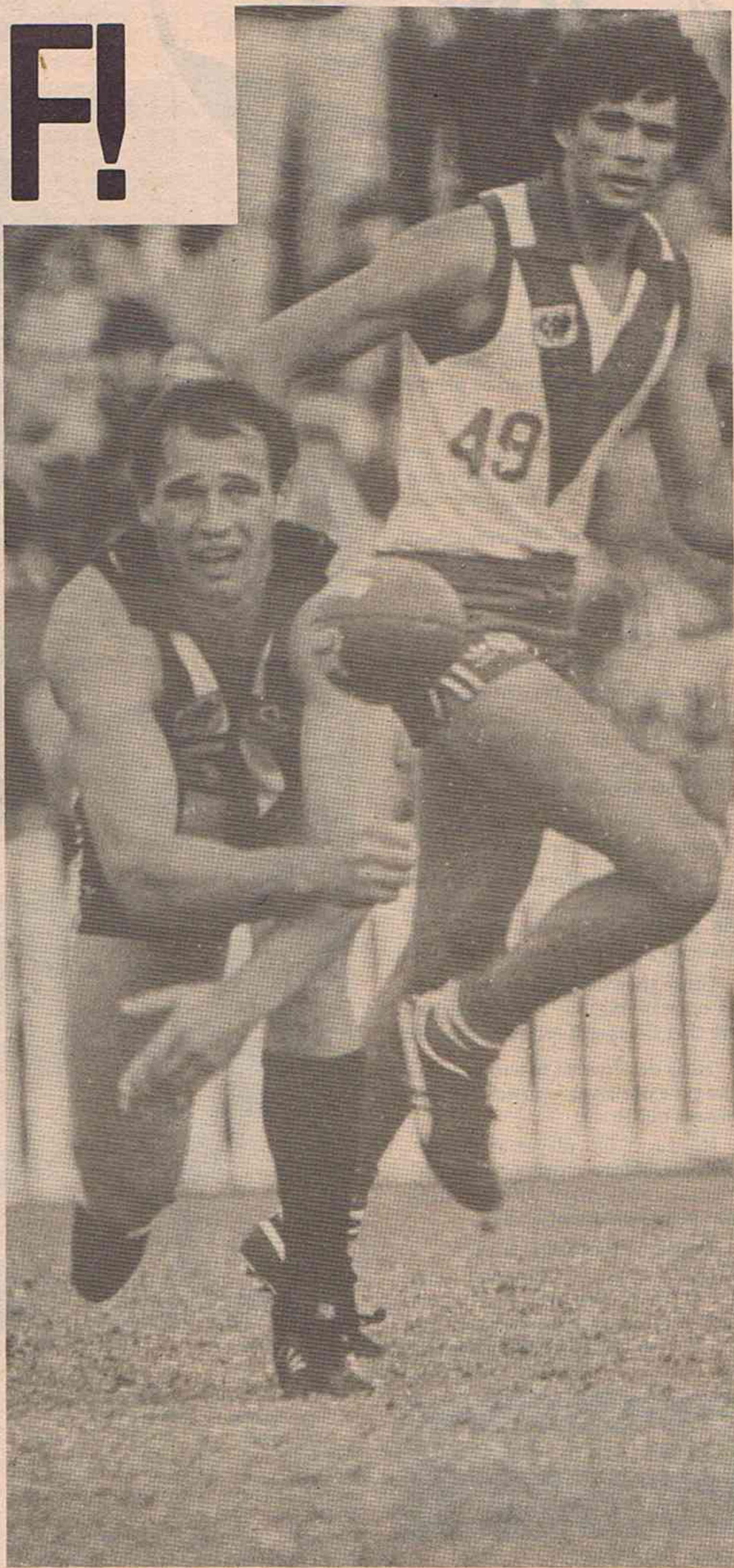
If Swans do have a weakness it is the lack of a class full forward to complement Stan Nowotny's role at centre half forward.

However, with the likely return of Garry Sidebottom from Victoria with a point to prove, the problem may be solved.

Swans will not be over-confident because they have tasted the bitterness of defeat and its consequences. 1982 should see that bitterness turn to the sweetness of victory.



Alan Sidebottom.....starting to show his best style.



Key man

Ron Boucher . . . a vital cog in Swan Districts quest to break the premiership drought.



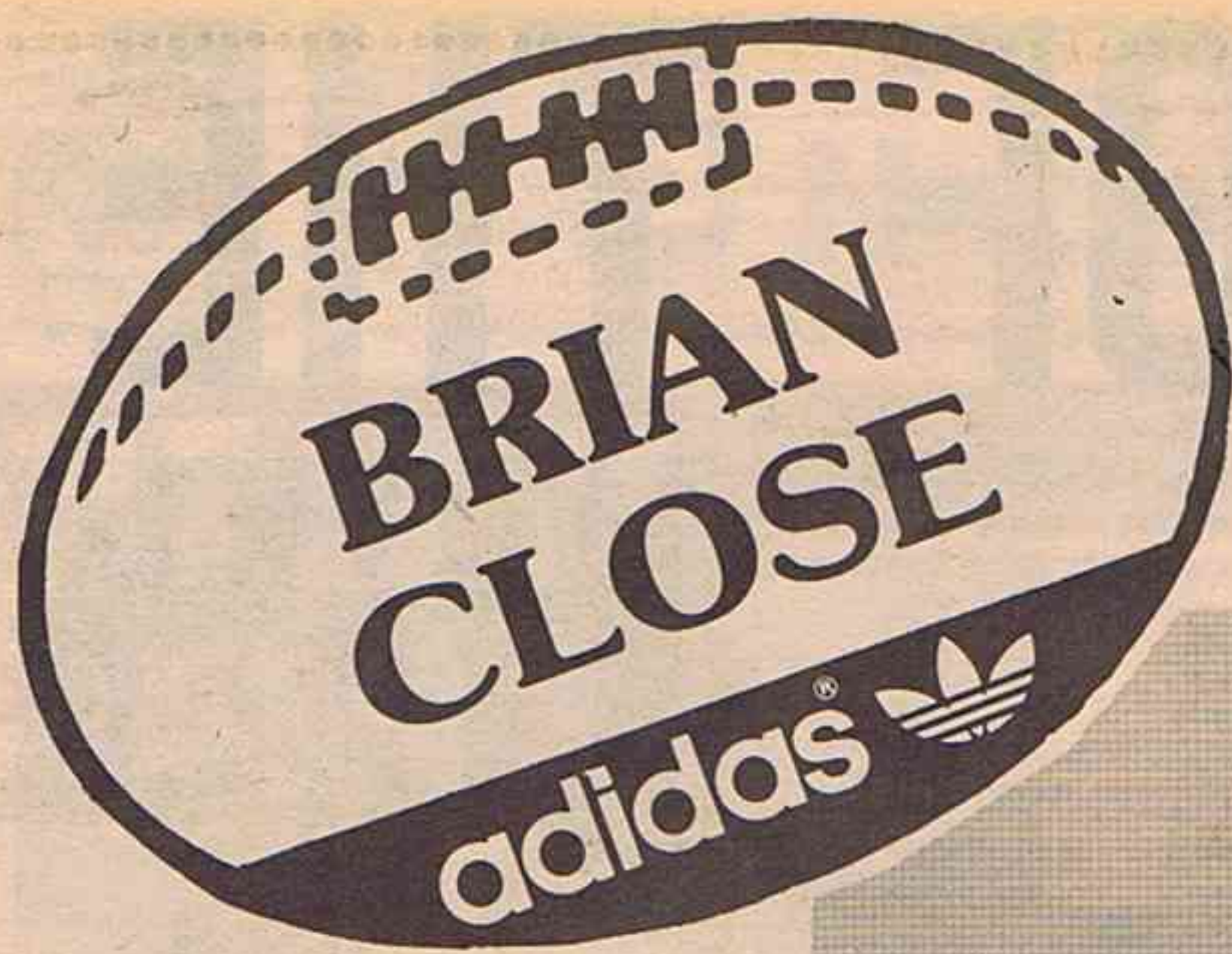
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... retirement plans were shelved

When Brian Close returned to Perth around Christmas time last year he had no intention of playing league football again.

He thought his playing days were over, but there was a man down Fremantle way who had other ideas.

Mal Brown, the illustrious South Fremantle coach, who is always ready to snap up a player of Close's ability wasted no time in talking to the former Swan Districts and Woodville utility player.

He was just the type of footballer who would succeed at South Fremantle and the Bulldogs persuaded him to unpack his bags and get into shape for another season.

And Close has not let South Fremantle down.

His pre-season form was excellent and he looked to be just the man to fill the hole left by the exodus of Maurice Rioli who joined Richmond.

Since then his form has not been as outstanding but the indications are that Close will return to his best.

He is determined to succeed and is the type of player who achieves what he sets out to do.

He was a top player at Swan Districts before moving to South Australia and proved with Woodville that he has plenty of ability.

Westside Football's GARY STOCKS spoke to Close and found out why he moved to South Australia and his reasons for returning to WA and then once again pulling his boots on.



Brian Close . . . pulling on an important role at South Fremantle.

of the associates of the club was involved in the furniture business and he got me a job with Kerby Furniture. And then when Rank took over Kerby they sacked most of their salesmen and I moved up the ladder from being sixth in line for the sales manager's job to taking over the position. And later I progressed to be State manager. Work-wise I did not think I would be able to get a job with the company over here but the position of sales manager became vacant and I was able to transfer back to W.A.

Q: With everything going so well over there with your football and work why did you come back to Perth and then to South Fremantle?

A: There were family reasons as well. The children were getting ready for school and I wanted to come back before I got so established in SA that I would not be able to come back. Initially I went over there for 18 months and stayed there for an extra two years and it meant either committing again for another two years and living in South Australia permanently or coming back. It was a big decision. As far as South Fremantle is concerned, I was 29 when I came back and thought my playing days were over. But Mal Brown heard I was in town and he talked to me and I decided to have a go with South.

Q: What were the circumstances as to how Mal Brown found out you were coming back?

A: The boss here is a sponsor of East Fremantle and he told Ken Smith who was coaching them at the time. When Ken went to South he told Brown and they approached me to have a run with them. I spoke to East Fremantle as well, but I had already committed myself to South. They showed plenty of interest and I thought it was worthwhile going to them. They are a successful club and I thought it would give me the opportunity of playing in a top side. I hope I can achieve an ambition with South and that is to play in the finals.

Q: Have you ever played in the finals?

A: In two of my first three years at Swans we played in the finals. Then when I went to Woodville they have only been in the league for 16 years and they made the finals for the first time while I was playing with them. It was like a grand final for them and even though we lost the elimination final by 10 goals the corks were flying.

Q: Do they have a big following, considering they are so young?

A: No not really. I think they only have about 1000 members. But because there aren't many of them they are close knit and they would be the best supporters I have seen at a football club.

Q: Your own form with South was good early, do you think you can work your way back into that groove?

A: I was pleased early but I'm not so pleased at the moment, mainly because I am lacking form. I don't think it is confidence because I believe I am still capable of playing like I did at the beginning of the year. I am only thankful that I played reasonably well at the start of the year because it made it easier to settle in.

Q: Do you have anything else which you would like to achieve in football?

A: As you get to the end of your career when you have not played in a premiership you always hope that you will play in a successful grand final side. And then you don't look to the next year you always hope that it will happen at the time. South Fremantle's record shows that they can get in there and hopefully I can do my bit to make sure we win a flag this year. That is my main aim for this particular year and in the future I want to coach.

Q: Who had an influence on your career in the early days?

A: Bill Walker played a big hand in my days at Swans even when I wanted to leave. When I started he was the number one rover and I was the forward pocket rover and he had a bit to do with keeping me going. Bill pointed me in the direction of South Australia when I was considering to give the game away and I thank him for that.

Q: Where did you begin your football and what was the reason behind you going to Swans to begin your league career?

A: I started with the Midvale Junior Football Club and moved onto Swans, then I moved onto Woodville in the South Australian League and from there I came back to WA and am playing with South Fremantle. As a junior I was bound to Swans and was a great fan of Ken Bagley. I supported Swans madly. As well, both my parents were involved with the club.

Q: Was it always a dream to one day play league football with Swan Districts?

A: I always dreamed of playing league football, but Swans was the ultimate, of course.

Q: Why did you leave Bassendean Oval to pursue a career with Woodville?

A: I had a difference of opinion with John Todd which led to me going to South Australia, but the interest shown by Haydn Bunton who was coaching there at the time was something which influenced my decision.

Q: Did you enjoy your football over there?

A: I did. I think a change is as good as a holiday. It was not only a holiday for football but a holiday from the living point of view. We thoroughly enjoyed every bit of it and South Australia is a beautiful place to live. And of course I got an opportunity with my work over there. I would not be set up now if I had not gone to South Australia. The only unfortunate part about the move was that I played my

best football over there. So there was enjoyment as well as a bit of hardship involved.

Q: How many games did you play for Woodville and in what position?

A: I played 80 games with them in about three and a half seasons and played as a ruck-rover or centre. The year I won the fairest and best I spent ruck-roving.

Q: Did you work your way into the State squad over there?

A: No. I have never been selected in a State squad. I am just a battler. I'm not a star. I think ambitions to play in those sort of games are past me.

Q: What successes have you been involved in during your career?

A: Every year I have played I have been in the top five players at the club — winning a trophy at the end of each season. I have been fairly consistent although I did miss out in the first year at Woodville when I was injured early in the piece. I hope my form continues this year to the extent that I rate among the top half dozen players. I remember kicking 10 goals as a rover with Swans one day and I enjoyed that.

Q: You said earlier that if you had not gone to South Australia you would not be set up job-wise like you are now. What were you doing over here before you left and what was the job you scored in S.A.?

A: I was a public relations officer with the government in Perth and when I took the family across I worked with Woodville because that was part of the deal. Then one

adidas PLAYER PROFILE

Name: Brian Close
Born: 7.11.52.
Height: 5.9½ (176 cm)
Weight: 12.0 (76 kg)
Lives at: Bayswater
Married: Yes
Wife's name: Shellie
Children: Yes, two. Melanie and Jarrod.
Occupation: Sales manager
Favourite food: Steak
Favourite drink: Beer
Hobbies and relaxation: Barbecues
Football likes: Playing well
Football dislikes: Playing badly
Football idols: Bill Walker and Russell Ebert
Preferred position: Ruck-rover or centre.
Hard things in football: Pre-season training
Ambitions: To play 200 games and to play in a grand final with South.
Football honours: Fairest and best Woodville, South Australia 1980.
Nickname: Closey
Came from: Midvale in Swan Districts junior council
League debut: 1974
Games played: 174
Guernsey number: 15

OUR EXPERTS SELECT:

	Tally	Claremont v E. Perth	Swan Dist. v E. Frem.	S. Frem. v Perth	W. Perth v Subiaco
GRAHAM CAMPBELL	41	Claremont	Swan Districts	South Fremantle	West Perth
GARY STOCKS	40	Claremont	Swan Districts	South Fremantle	West Perth
ROB BENNETT	38	Claremont	Swan Districts	South Fremantle	West Perth
DAVE CLEMENT	42	Claremont	Swan Districts	South Fremantle	West Perth
ALAN EAST	41	Claremont	Swan Districts	South Fremantle	West Perth
IAN MILLER	30	Claremont	Swan Districts	Perth	West Perth
MOTHER BROWN	40	Claremont	Swan Districts	South Fremantle	West Perth
PETER POAT	37	Claremont	Swan Districts	South Fremantle	West Perth
GARY CARVOLTH	36	Claremont	Swan Districts	South Fremantle	West Perth
MOST FAVOURED	42	Claremont	Swan Districts	South Fremantle	West Perth

Still hope for Souths



THE fight for fourth spot on the premiership table will be thrown back into the melting pot this week.

Claremont will keep South Fremantle in the fight for the four when they meet East Perth at Claremont Oval. The Tigers will be aiming for their seventh successive qualifying-round win against the Royals. If they succeed, then East Perth will find South Fremantle right on their tail again for fourth spot. While the Tigers and Royals normally have close clashes, Claremont have had their measure in recent years and it is unlikely that East Perth will reverse that trend this week. East Perth's ability to make the four this season will depend very heavily on them beating at least one of the three teams above them on the premiership ladder — they lost to each one in the second round.

Claremont brought them back to earth last Sunday. West Perth will go into this game with the knowledge that they usually have trouble against the Lions. Subiaco put them out of the finals two years ago with a surprise one point win and last year helped West Perth's slide out of finals contention with another win. So will it be the same again this week? Subiaco have pushed West Perth twice this season and their spirited showing against East Perth last Saturday indicate that they could again make things tough for the Falcons on Saturday. West Perth rely heavily on ascendancy on the ball. Claremont neutralised them in that department last week. No doubt Subiaco will try and stop the Falcons from developing any fluency in their game.



'It's with your head man... that could well be the thoughts of Swan Districts defender Allan Cransberg.

If they lose to Claremont they will probably face the difficult assignment of beating South Fremantle at Fremantle Oval on August 7 to assure themselves of a place in the four. It probably isn't a matter of whether they can beat the Tigers today — but whether they can prevent the Tigers from putting a big dent in their percentage.



EAST Fremantle have already won two more matches than last year... and that's about all the satisfaction they will have this season.

Swan Districts will end what little hope Old Easts have of making the four when they clash at Bassendean Oval on Saturday. Swans are anxious to avenge their first round loss to East Fremantle Oval on their home ground.

The quality of Swans football has improved steadily since they were trounced by West Perth at Leederville Oval on May 29.

It is unlikely they will allow East Fremantle to deprive them of a second semi-final appearance.

While East Fremantle are studded with top class players their overall team work has tended to be patchy this year. Coach Ron Alexander said they have had a concentration problem.



SOUTH Fremantle are in a corner. They have been in tight spots before now but they are facing their biggest challenge since Mal Brown took over as coach in 1978.

They will win at Fremantle Oval. But it will take a big effort for them to improve their percentage sufficiently to really press East Perth or West Perth for a place in the four.

While they have been hard hit with injuries this season South still have not been as competitive as they should have been. It has resulted in them taking some drubbings this season which has eroded their percentage to such an extent that it could anchor them out of the four at the end of the qualifying games.

Perth have tended to be easy pickings for South at Fremantle Oval in recent years and despite South's up-and-down form this season they don't look equipped to beat them on Saturday.

Given the desperate position South are in, this match is more likely to take on the complexion of their first clash than the last time they met.

JOHN K. WATTS
6 PR Radio
personality and
football
commentator.



WATTS UP? with J.K.

Hi there folks,
The cheek of Brownie

THERE'S no doubt about that Malcolm (The Mouth) Brown... imagine suggesting that John Todd is a liar!

Brownie is a man who has said a million words in his life and less than a thousand have been truthful! When he does say something that's on the level, you never know when to believe him.

You all saw that strange comment in the weekend press from Brownie about Toddy being "a liar"... the truth has yet to be told. Even I'm reluctant to divulge the full facts.

Well, actually it had something to do with last week's 6PR Football World show. Brownie said that he would play Brad Hardie in the centre; so Toddy said that seeing Leon Baker was chasing a State berth alongside Hardie, he'd play Baker there as well to see how the pair shaped up.

Brownie fell for the con... and Baker played elsewhere. But the sting in the tail was that Hardie was one of the best players on the ground!

DROPPING OFF

AS you probably know, I was commentating on the Subiaco-East Perth game last week... and the Royals nearly blew it in the last quarter.

The reason was that we all fell asleep at three-quarter time because it was such a dull and boring game! That included the East Perth players. But fortunately, the mighty, fighting high-flying Royals — like the Sleeping Beauty — woke up just before the final siren and managed to kick on enough to win the points.

The real fact is the Subiaco players were so surprised when they realised that they could almost win this match, that they fell in a huge hole...

COOL COMETTI

GEE, it was good to have Dennis Cometti on radio 6PR's Football World show last week.

The renowned ABC commentator (and sometimes coach of a rival football team) really speaks well... especially when he is exposed to genuine radio like 6PR.

I just hope that the other commercial stations (are there any?) don't listen to us and realise how good he is... otherwise, the Cardies (or whoever) might be seeking a new coach!

FUTURE STAR

I DON'T know whether you have ever heard of Robert Ruggiero... but watch out!

He's destined to be a football commentator of the future!

Last Saturday he was the inaugural 6PR guest commentator, courtesy of Wilkinson Sword, one of our sponsors. Robert won a contest run by 6PR, in conjunction with Target Supermarkets, and his reward was a seat in the press box alongside one of the greats in football... namely yours truly.

The fact that he picked the best players before I did was purely coincidence!

Anyway, the real facts of the story are that you, the football public, had better watch out... we've got some top young commentators on the way up!

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INTERSTATE UPDATE

SHAKE-UP EXPECTED AT COLLINGWOOD

THERE is a growing speculation that the Collingwood administration will be given a big shake-up at the end-of-season elections.

It was revealed last week that media chief Randal MacDonald may have a bid for the president's job.

Further evidence of discontent occurred last Saturday when Collingwood supporters were handed a questionnaire as they entered the ground for the club's match against Richmond.

The paper asked such questions as:

- What is wrong with the club?
- What did supporters think of the Hafey sacking?
- Is the present 12-man committee a viable proposition?

Supporters were asked to return the questionnaires to a private post office box number.

PUZZLED

Collingwood officials were puzzled about the move and claimed they knew nothing about it.

A somewhat humorous sidelight to the news that MacDonald may make a bid for the president's post came from current president John Hickey.

He said: "Really, I can't understand people who want to disturb things during a season."

"I thought it would have been fairer to leave it to the end of the season".

It seems an odd twist from the president of the club which sacked Tom Hafey mid-way through the season.



Geelong's Michael Turner is under pressure from two Essendon players in this action shot from the VFL.

300 GAME MILESTONES



There will be big celebrations at Moorabbin Oval this Saturday when St Kilda veteran, Barry Breen, makes his 300th league appearance.

Saints fans will be able to purchase a special certificate to commemorate the occasion.

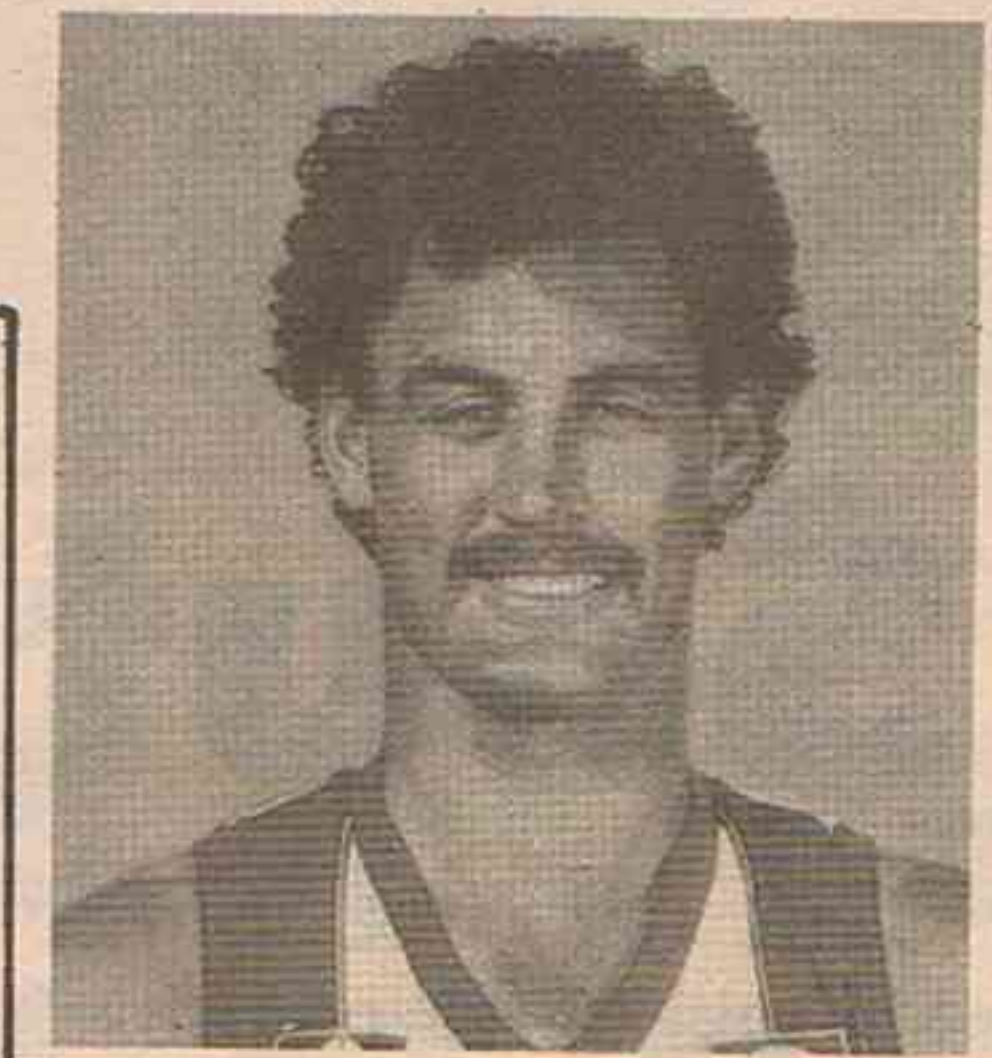
The certificate states "This is to certify that I was in attendance to witness Barry Breen play his 300th game".

... AND the tributes will flow thick and fast at North Melbourne as well when big ruckman Gary Dempsey reaches his 300th VFL club game.

Dempsey, now 33, will join the 300-game club after playing with two clubs... Footscray from the early days, running up 215 games before switching to North Melbourne in search of the elusive premiership.

He won the Brownlow Medal in 1975 and has now gone on to represent Norths in great style, putting down those medical people who said he would never be a sportsman again against suffering burns to 75 percent of his body in the disastrous fires of Lara (outback Victoria) in 1969.

Dempsey's long arms have saved many games for Victoria where his role in a back pocket or while hovering across the half-back line have often frustrated West Australian teams.



FUTURE IN FOOTY

The VFL is making available 12 cadetships in football administration.

The league advertised last week for people under the age of 21 who wished to make a career out of football administration.

From applications received, 36 will be chosen to attend a live-in administration course later this year.

From these 36 a final bunch of 12 will be selected and each successful applicant will be given employment at one of the 12 league clubs.

Tom wants coaching job

... Meanwhile, sacked Collingwood coach Tom Hafey is itching to return to the coaching scene.

In an interview on Melbourne radio last weekend he said: "It won't be something I'll be rushing into terribly quickly. But I'm pretty determined to coach."

"As far as the future is concerned, I'll sit back and have a real good look".

In the past most dumped coaches have preferred to have a total break from the

football scene, but Hafey loves the game and watches a VFL and VFA match every weekend.

Hafey said on the programme that he had been overwhelmed by the support he had received from Collingwood people since his sacking. He said he had received nearly 1,000 complimentary letters.

Shaw may return to 'Pies

Former Collingwood captain Ray Shaw is keen to return to the VFL scene.

Now captain-coach of VFA club Preston, he said this week that he would like to be released from the second year of a two year contract to return to Collingwood as reserves coach.

The 28-year-old Shaw said however, that he didn't feel he would go back as a player. "I have lost pace this year, not that I was ever a really quick player and VFL football is based around speed".



KNIGHTS NEARLY READY

Hawthorn champion Peter Knights could be back in the side within a fortnight.

Knights - who has played only three full games this year - has almost recovered from a rib displacement.

It had been earlier feared that there may have been more serious damage in the spinal area.

Concern over Taylor

Richmond are concerned about the future of their ace full-forward Brian Taylor.

The club is worried that the young West Australian - who returned to Mandurah last weekend for a few days break - will seek greener pastures.

Taylor has an escape clause in his contract which gives him the option to leave the club at the end of the '82 season.

As the VFL's current leading goal-kicker he would certainly be a big bonus to a club struggling for a top forward. The financial benefit of a swap would also be pretty attractive.

WEST TORRENS REVERSE FORM

WEST Torrens produced one of the biggest reversals of form in many years with a 57 point win over Central District last weekend.

Torrens had been thrashed by more than 15 goals in a night match against Port Adelaide the previous Wednesday - in a game where they failed to kick a goal until the final quarter.

Former VFL centreman, Glenn Elliott, - now coach of Torrens - said after the game: "They performed beyond anyone's wildest expectations".

Central's loss cost them a place in the top five.

West Adelaide lost second place on the SANFL ladder after going down to Norwood - who took over fifth place with their win.

Port Adelaide secured second place with a crushing 54 point win over fourth team Glenelg.

In another surprise, North Adelaide beat South Adelaide by 24 points.

Top side Sturt beat wooden spooners Woodville by 131 points.

NORTH SLATE RICHMOND

NORTH Adelaide has claimed Richmond have been enticing David Tiller to break his contract and finish the season in the VFL.

North general manager Mr. John Condon, threatened Richmond with legal action if they continued their attempt.

James may return

FORMER Port Adelaide and State utility Max James has quit the Swans (formerly South Melbourne) and said he was keen to return to S.A.

James made his decision after a meeting with the club's committee which told him



he would not be chosen in the senior side again this season.

James, now 29, was cleared to South Melbourne by Port Adelaide in April 1978 but never quite made it as a regular senior player.

Footscray move

STURT follower Neil Craig and North Adelaide utility Trevor Clisby are expecting to face intense pressure to play with Footscray in the VFL next season.

Footscray general manager Key Ryan forecast renewed efforts to secure the two players.

Clisby, 21 and Craig, 26, were assigned to Footscray in October last year when interstate players were drafted to VFL clubs for the first time.

Conlen for South?

SOUTH ADELAIDE are anxious to lease Victorian rover Bernie Conlen from The Swans.

Conlen, 21, was in Adelaide recently as South Adelaide's guest - part of an education visit. He had no idea of the Adelaide football scene and wanted to have a good look before committing himself to any deal.



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Midland Junction once a senior club

The railway town of Midland Junction had a brief 10-year period as a senior club in the Western Australian Association, and later, in 1908 in the League.

A former first-rate club, it's senior career came in two parts, the first from 1904-10 and the second from 1914-17.

Never really successful (except in 1915) Midland began with one win in its initial season, 6-3 to 3-3 over Subiaco.

Nevertheless, six games were won in 1906 — two each over North Fremantle, Subiaco and East Perth.

Several sterling performances that year included a near miss against Perth (9-8 to 10-7), who were a finalist that season.

In the following season, Midland Junction won only twice, both against Subiaco, although recording some very near misses.

The club was handicapped by being comprised mainly of railway workers and could not always command their best or even a full side due to work calls.

Against East Fremantle, they scored 1-9 and the following week scored 6-1 against East Perth.

West Perth, South Fremantle and Perth were all beaten for the first time in 1908 as well as North Fremantle and Subiaco.

A tied game, the first of the season, was played against the latter club and another tie in 1909 with Subiaco and a good win over West Perth relieved the monotony of defeat.

In 1910 the club won the first two games of the new season (Subiaco and East Fremantle) and its last (North Fremantle) before disbanding for three years with its players scattered over the other teams, especially West Perth.

Re-admitted in 1914, three games were won and in 1915 12 wins were a best-ever effort. It was only a number of losses at the tail end of the season which prevented the Amber and Blacks from taking their rightful place in the finals.

War time football in 1916 saw three early wins against nine full losses and in the last season (1917) the club lost all 12 games to go down into the 'B' grade competition.

Top players in the first era to 1910 were H. Denton, R. Denton, A. Fisher, Charles Gast and Bill Gast (rovers), Jim 'Burly' Hesketh (ruckman), John Hesketh (follower), George Higgins, George Jamieson, Charlie Kruger (a champion wingman), Bill Loughridge, Jack Nielson, G. O'Dwyer (captain in 1910), G. Robertson (centre), Jack Wells (later St Kilda and Carlton captain), and Tom Willoughby (a heavy-

weight ruckman).

From 1914-17 the more notable were George Blurton, Jack Borthwick (captain in 1915, the successful year), Alan Godecke, Peter Jamieson, Wally Mettam, Bill Mose, State full-back, S. Price, N. Renfrey, Pat Rodriguez (later Subiaco), William 'Poet' Smith, Charles Tyson junior, and Albert Watts, later State and carnival captain with Perth F.C.

PUBLIC BACKS ALCOHOL BAN

Football fans and the general public favor a continued ban on alcohol being taken into VFL matches.

A special VFL survey taken over three weeks has shown strong support for the current restrictions.

VFL General Manager, Mr Jack Hamilton said it was pleasing to report that crowd behaviour had also shown a marked improvement since the ban was introduced on May 8.

The survey results were released at last week's VFL Board meeting.

Mr Hamilton said it revealed that sales of beer from licensed booths within VFL grounds had decreased.

Under the alcohol restrictions, supporters are banned from taking alcohol into VFL matches.

NORTH PLAN

North Melbourne is currently studying a report from its architects for a \$22 million facelift to its Arden Street headquarters.

The plan calls for widening of the playing area, parking for 1,000 cars, convention facilities, a fitness centre as well as new social club amenities.

Racing and football often go together and in this weekly segment we present West Perth fan and 6PR race caller TREVOR JENKINS with a...

Run to Remember



JETVILLE, who was piloted by young apprentice Tim Crosby first-up last week, will make a safer landing at his next launching (helped by a more experienced commander) and should home in on target if the punters follow the right tracking station.

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THE HOOD

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Brother Hood has been up North on holidays for a couple of weeks and he brought me back this picture of the scoreboard at the Derby Oval. It looks as if it once served another purpose along some nearby highway.

Confusing Gary

How was Gary Carvolth going on 6IX's Countdown to the Bouncedown show last Saturday? Just before the show got under way, Lionel Yorke introduced Carvolth and asked him about the weekend's set of fixtures, and in particular the Sunday clash. Carvolth replied that he thought Sunday's match between the Falcons and Swan Districts would be a real beauty. You would expect the comper to remember who was playing. But worse was to follow... he tipped the Falcons!

Trespassing

CAN someone tell me why one of Subiaco's Miss Football Quest entrants should be holding a fund raising function way over at Maylands?

Surely there are enough halls (what's wrong with the Subi club itself?) in the Lions den to stage things like quiz nights.

Maylands is, after all the heart of Royals territory.

Joint effort

Brother Hood was out at Leederville Oval last Sunday and he was slightly mystified by something. In the outer, under a big tree behind the goals, he saw East Perth coach Grant Dorrington and Swan Districts coach John Todd talking to each other for about an hour. It seemed they were discussing the performance of the other two teams in the top four (Claremont and West Perth). Was it that Todd and Dorrington were helping each other work out flaws in the other of the sides' make-up. It could be that they have decided a joint effort will win the flag this year.

HOPES that the Australian game will grow in popularity in New Zealand received a ser-back recently.

An Australian was forced to pay \$40 customs duty when he took an Aussie Rules ball into the country.

A BIT GIRLISH!

EAST Perth fielded a girl in their R. & I. Little League team on Saturday... and one of the club's all-time greats almost had a heart attack.

There was 11-year-old Suzanne Lienert appearing in a Royals guernsey, representing Dianella, and wearing the conspicuous No. 20 jumper.

John K. Watts, that redoubtable commentator on radio 6PR (and, incidentally, a former East Perth footballer) had to watch the performance!

He breathed a sigh of relief when he saw that the young girl wasn't wearing No. 28 (his old guernsey) and was actually playing in the forward line — which is where he has always said that girls should play.

The fact that former Royals champion, Bradley Smith, wore No. 20 had nothing to do with her performance

Rose returns

DID you notice that big John Rose is back at Swan Districts.

The former Swans ruckman served his administrative apprenticeship as a marketing man at Swans and then moved to Subiaco as general manager, only to quit for health reasons.

But, after denying rumours that he would be Swans' next general manager on the departure of Peter Brophy to Leederville Land, he has lobbed back at Swans as... would you believe, their marketing man.

Seems as though the marketing mood at Bassendean is nowhere near as hectic as the managerial methods at Subi.

Early start

Brother Hood also reported seeing the whole East Perth league side at Leederville Oval. It seems that it was compulsory attendance for the Royals. But in order to fit the game in they had to start their weekly Sunday (training run at 8.30pm).

Our slip up

IT'S not often that we have to slip into our own newspaper in this vitriolic column... but we do this week. They say old habits die hard — in last week's Marlboro goals column we referred to Graeme Comerford as a Swan Districts player. Surely even our reporters should know that he's now a confirmed Cardie, er Falcon.

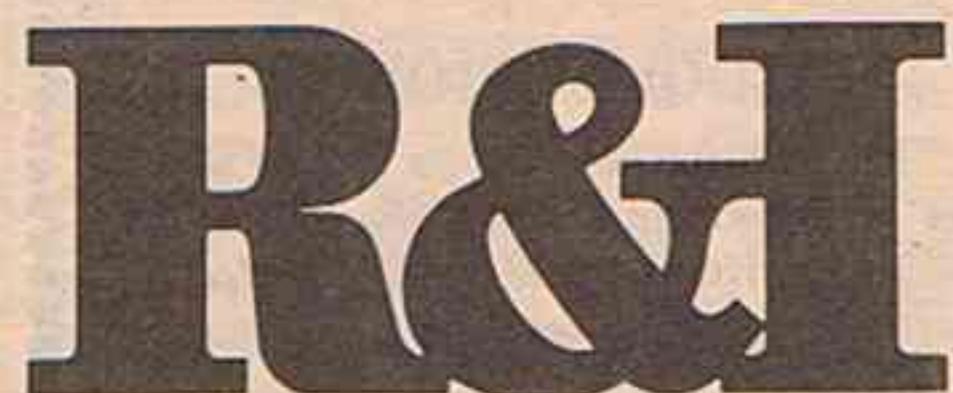
Common talk

THE ABC commentary box had a real West Perth flavour at Bassendean Oval last Saturday. Dennis Cometti, current West Perth coach, was calling the game as his Falcons were playing on Sunday — and his comments man was Graham Campbell, the coach he replaced at Leederville Oval.

Shades of Jacko

TALKING about Graham Campbell... he's always looking to introduce a little Victorian touch to WA football (he's Fitzroy born and bred) and last week's commentary was no exception. Swans ruckman Allan Sidebottom kicked his team's 12th goal — and to say that he was excited would be an understatement. He ran triumphantly around the half-forward line with his fists raised in the air — and then did a somersault to show his joy. Campbell quipped: "Shades of Kevin Bartlett and Mark Jackson rolled into one".

SOMEONE said this week that the most memorable thing about Tim Flynn is his forgetfulness.



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EILEEN BROWN, mother of football's Mr Controversy, Malcolm Brown, is Australia's first female football columnist.

MOTHER BROWN

New players

After the black week for West Australian football, at least there were some good things to come out of last weekends round of fixtures. It was great to see so many new faces bobbing up in league ranks and making their presence. Michael Mort and Warren Dean from Subiaco, Sam Sadler at South and Kevin Sparks from East Perth all seem set for bright futures. With the annual player drain to the VFL it is exciting to see these young players emerging.

STATE GAMES

The State selectors are now gearing up towards the two State games later this month. The first against Victoria will be played on July 13 and it is a pity that this match is to be on a Tuesday. Many people, because of work commitments, will not be able to see the game and will be deprived of seeing some of the game's best players in action.

FUNNY PEOPLE

It was great to see so many people turn out to last Sunday's big match between West Perth and Claremont. The WAFL must have been pleased with the crowd of nearly 19,000. But why did so few people go to Saturday's fixtures? It was an ideal day for football and all matches had some interest. It seems that every time I go to the football I see the same faces whether they be supporting South Fremantle or the opposition. What has happened to the loyal club supporter who would turn out to see their team play no matter who they were up against? Surely it does not have to be the game of the year for fans to get out and support their team.

CAMPBELL ON LOOKOUT

I hear on the grape vine that fellow Westside Football columnist Graham Campbell is on the lookout for a coaching job. But it seems there will be only one vacancy in WA next year and that will be at South Fremantle when Malcolm gives it away. Perhaps Graham will head back to Victoria to coach.

VIC. RUMOURS

In Melbourne rumours are strengthening that Peter Bosustow, the magical Carlton goalkicker, will be back in town next year. However, the news is not all good for Perth supporters. Former Perth and now Richmond rover Robert Wiley will not be back in 1983. He is enjoying a great season in Melbourne and wants to stay.

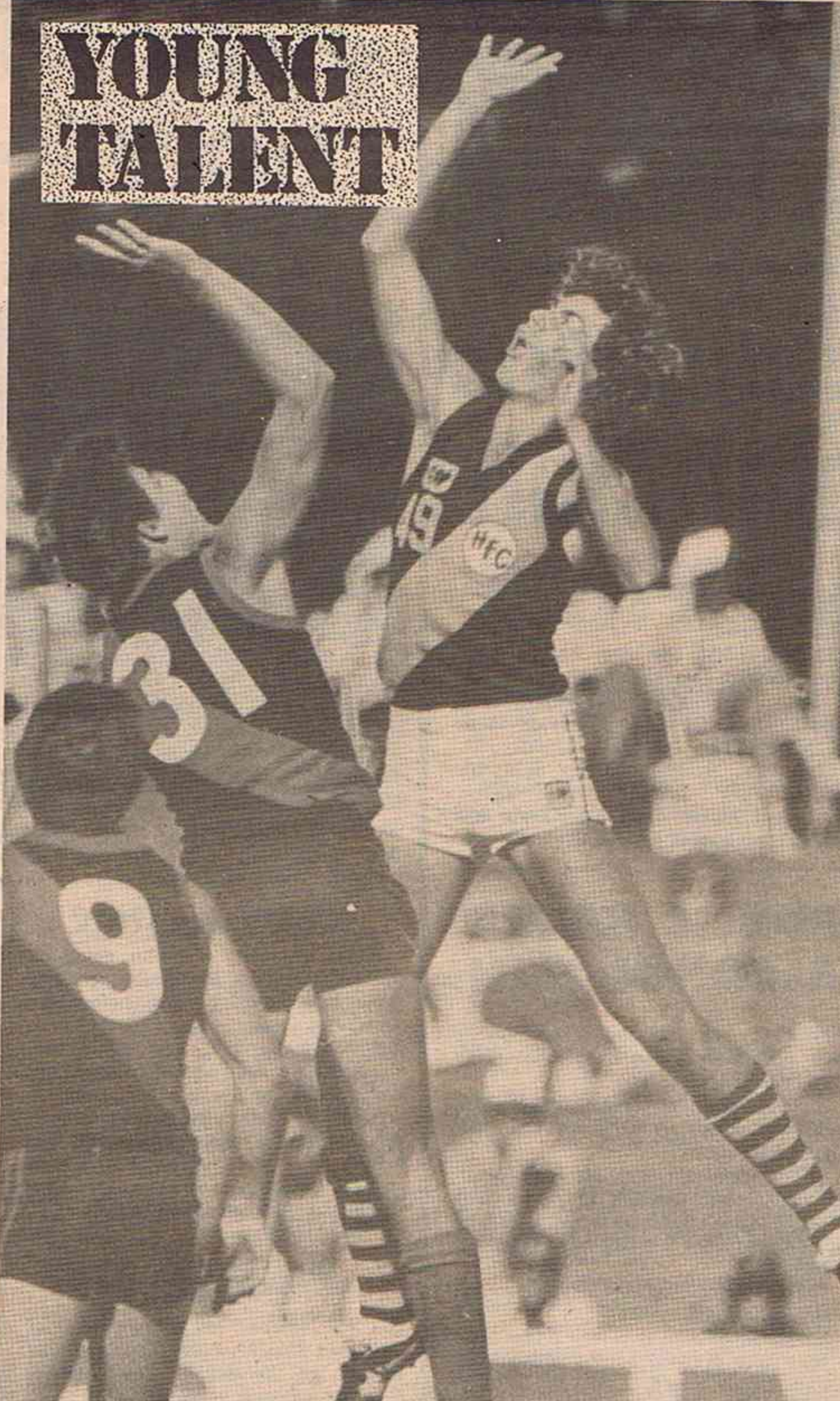
MY BOY'S PHONE CALL

I see my son Malcolm figured in the Hood column last week when the South Australians claimed to have taken a picture of him phoning dial-a-prayer. They said the photograph was taken after the interstate game a few weeks ago. But if that was the case it would be more likely he would be ringing dial-a-miracle.

WILLIE'S PAST

Young South Fremantle half forward Willie Roe has made a big impression since getting his chance while the State team was away. But a number of Bulldogs supporters are a little confused as to where the youngster comes from. Well, he is originally from Darwin and he was playing at East Perth initially. He was involved in the swap between the two clubs when East Perth gained Ross Kerr.

YOUNG TALENT



Dean Farmer . . . his career will come on in leaps and bounds. Here the young Claremont has eyes only for the ball opposed to Perth's Steve Turner.

Here comes Farmer III

ALTHOUGH young Claremont ruckman Dean Farmer has played just three games this year, he is displaying outstanding potential.

The second son of former great ruckman, Graham Farmer, he is showing all the skills which made his father a legend.

It is easy to see where Farmer junior gets his talent from.

He moves in a similar fashion to that which thrilled crowds in WA and Victoria for 18 seasons and 356 games at three clubs.

Dean has not been able to hold down a regular berth in the strong Claremont line-up, but the 18-year-old student showed enough in those three games this season to suggest he could be a part of the game in WA for many years to come.

He is a strong mark, good kick and reads

the play well — but most importantly, he is a good palmer of the ball.

When playing in the senior side he virtually gave his rovers an armchair ride as he continually pushed the ball down their throats.

Claremont's handling of Farmer must also be commended.

Too often youngsters with his amount of potential are thrown to the wolves.

But the Tigers have held him back. They have given him a taste of league football, but in order not to ruin that potential they opted to keep him in reserves for another season.

For that reason we should see the best of the 6' 4" (193 cm) giant next year.

He will be a year older, have a number of reserves games under his belt and know what league football is about.

No doubt during the off season Graham Moss will take him aside and give him even more advice on the art of ruckwork.

Farmer could not be better situated as far as tutoring in the ruck position is concerned.

He has two of the greatest ruckmen ever produced in this State at his disposal.

Moss created history in 1976 by being the first, and only, West Australian to ever win the Brownlow Medal. He recently played his 300th game so he is well qualified to hand out advice.

Graham Farmer was also one of the big West Australian success stories in the VFL when he played with Geelong.

The duel Sandover Medallist was the man who brought the handball into modern day football.



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GOALS!

ADDO'S BACK

THE return of Brian Adamson to league football last Sunday was a bold gamble by the West Perth camp after his nine-week absence through a broken jaw. But he showed his real courage and skill with a strong finish. He was out-pointed by Baden Harper in the first half, but four last-half goals would have helped his confidence. Several of his third-term goals were produced with quick snap shots, with Adamson steady-just that split second before kicking the ball. He hasn't forgotten where the goals are . . .

RALPH
ON
TARGET



ACE goalkicker Warren Ralph is becoming more than just a spearhead in the Claremont line-up. Ralph, whose five goals against West Perth maintain his five-a-game average, is starting to spend time out at centre-half-forward in tough games such as the clash with West-Perth. The idea is to put a fresher player out into the play more and Ralph doesn't mind a bit — especially after he has bagged his customary goals. Several of his goals last Sunday were the result of strong around-the-pack play and he is certainly a difficult player to counter.

DANGER-MAN

Ed Blackaby is fast developing into one of the most dangerous men around the goals in the WAFL. And the little Swan Districts rover proved he could kick the difficult goals last Saturday. His first against South Fremantle was the result of quick thinking. He picked up the ball at half-forward, realised he was under a bit of pressure, but slammed the ball onto his boot to bring up full points. But his second goal was even better. Blackaby read the ball brilliantly off the pack, ran around the boundary line and put the ball straight through the middle from an acute angle.

TOUGH LUCK

They say that when things are going against you there is not much you can do. And that was certainly the case for South Fremantle last week. Keith Narkle gathered the crumbs at half-forward and because a few defenders were set to pounce on him he had to hurry his kick. The result was the it fell short. Tony Kelly positioned himself astutely and seemed to have the ball covered before it bounced at right angles and passed through the goals between Kelly and the post.

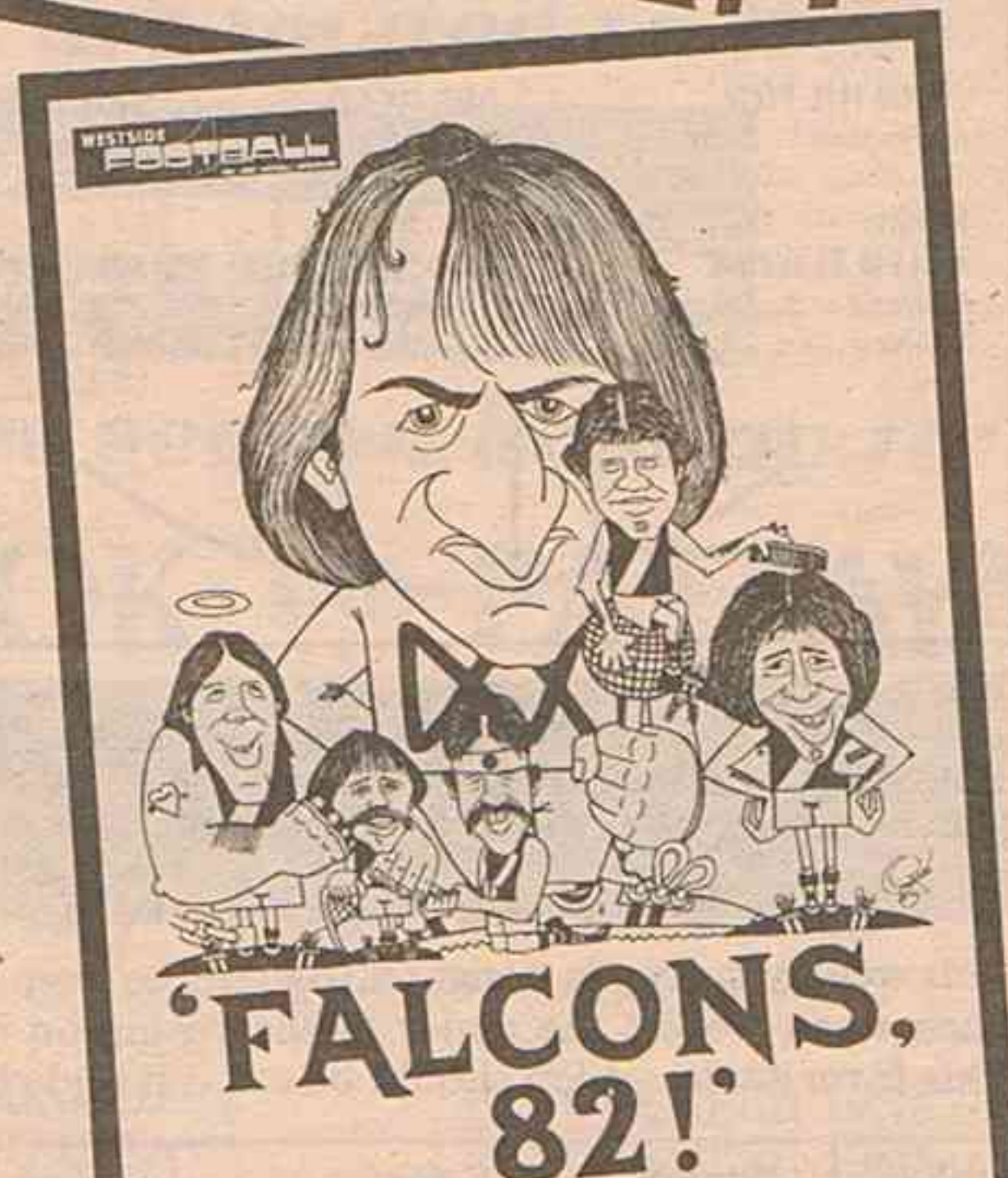
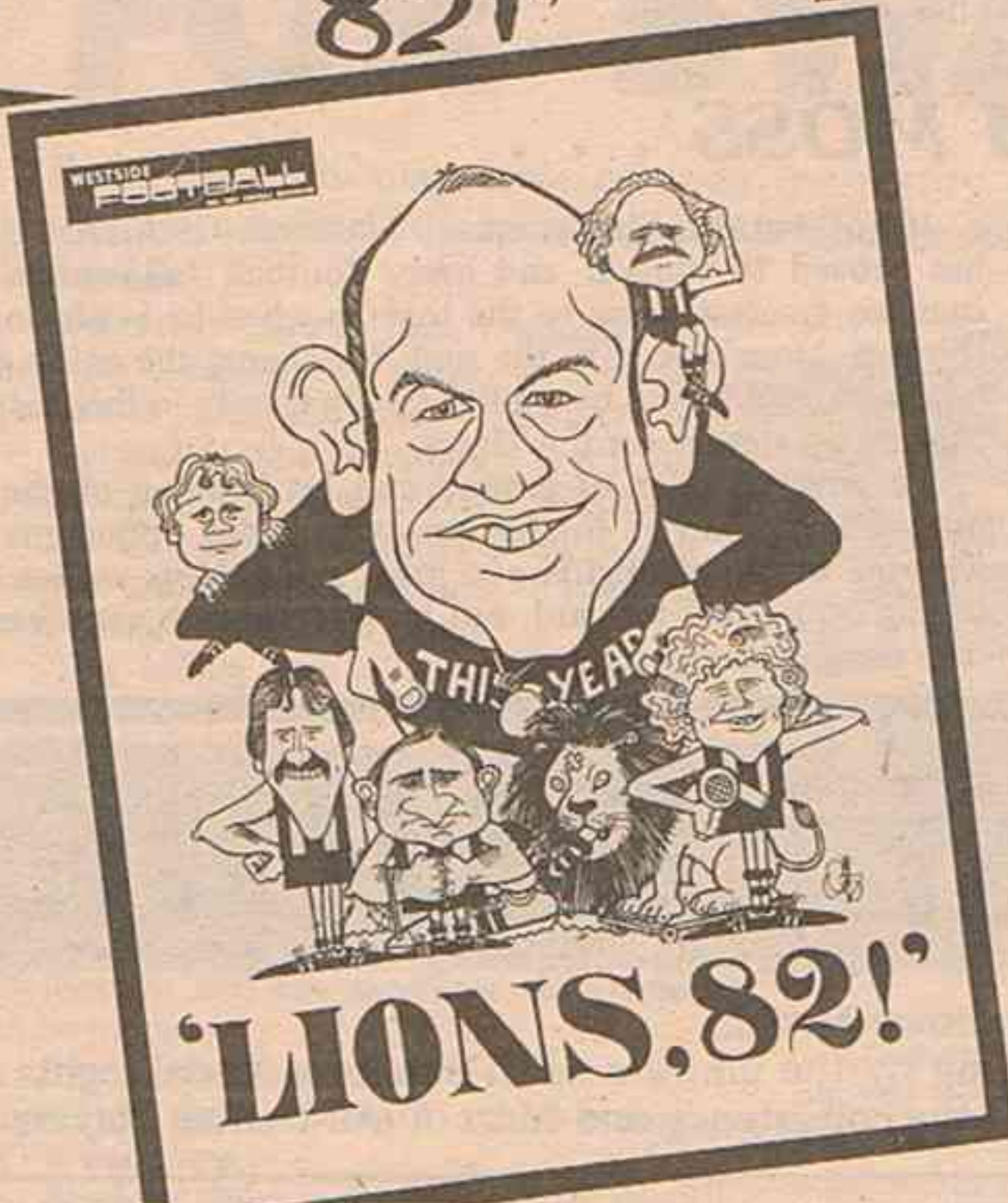
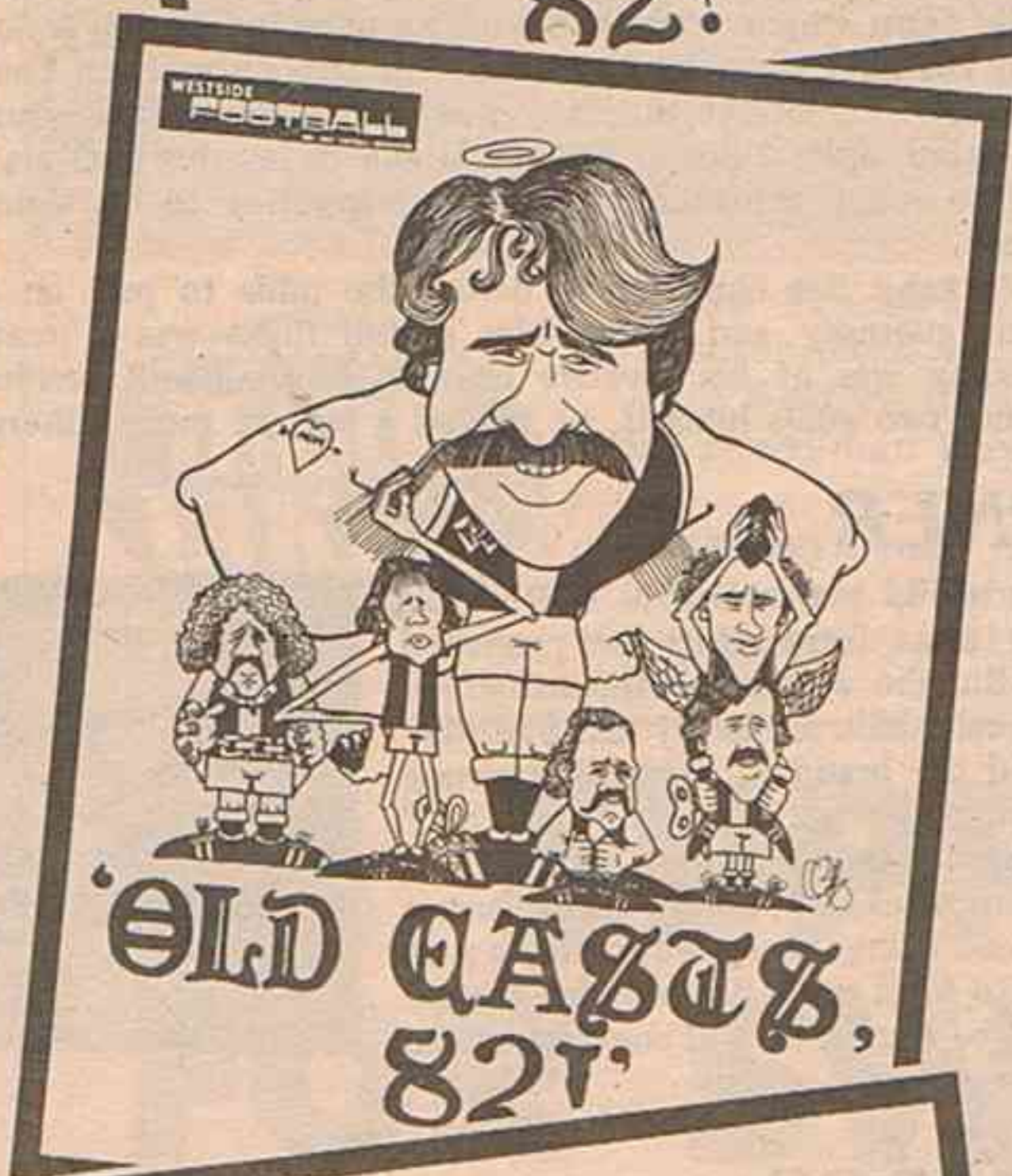
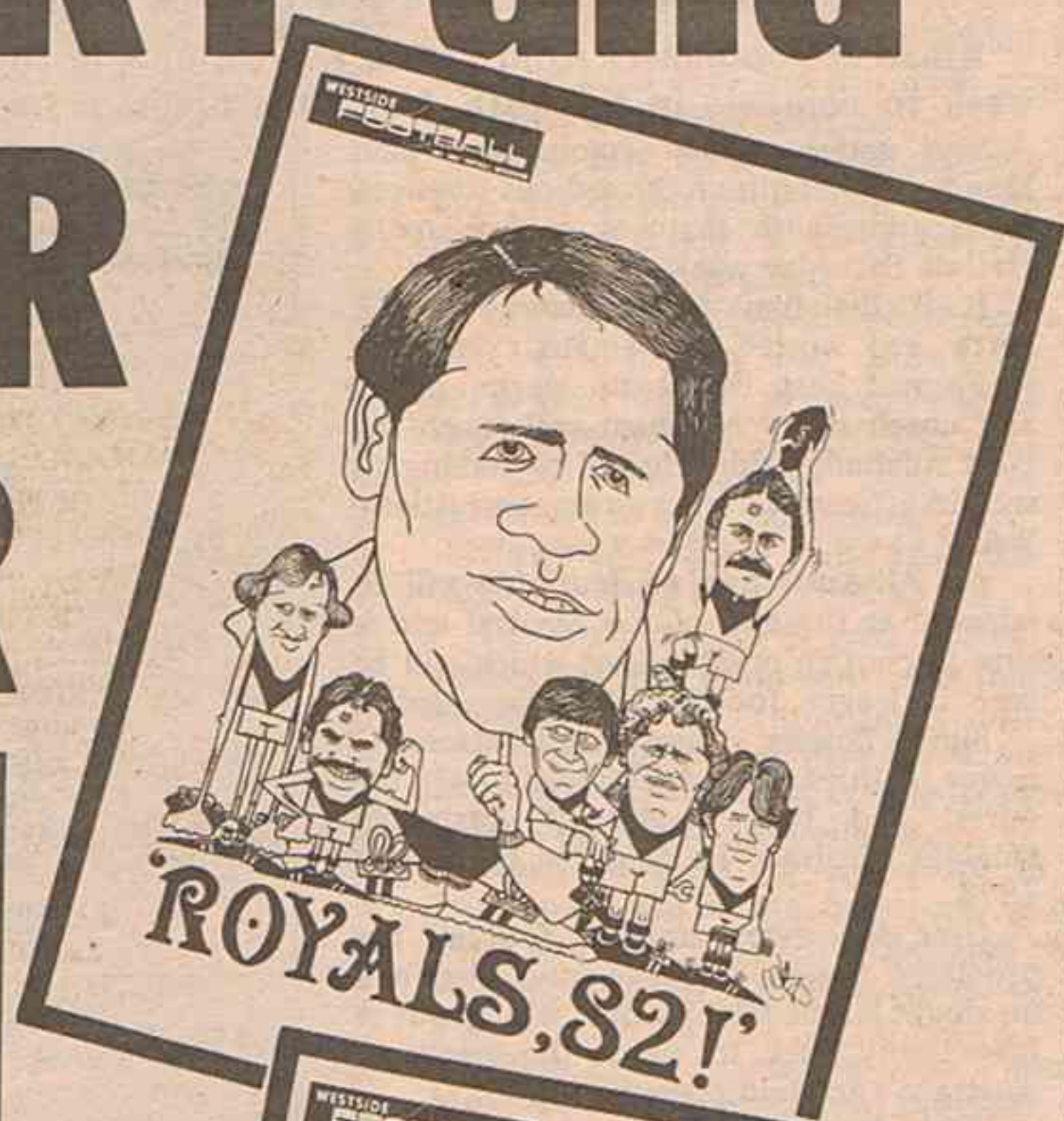
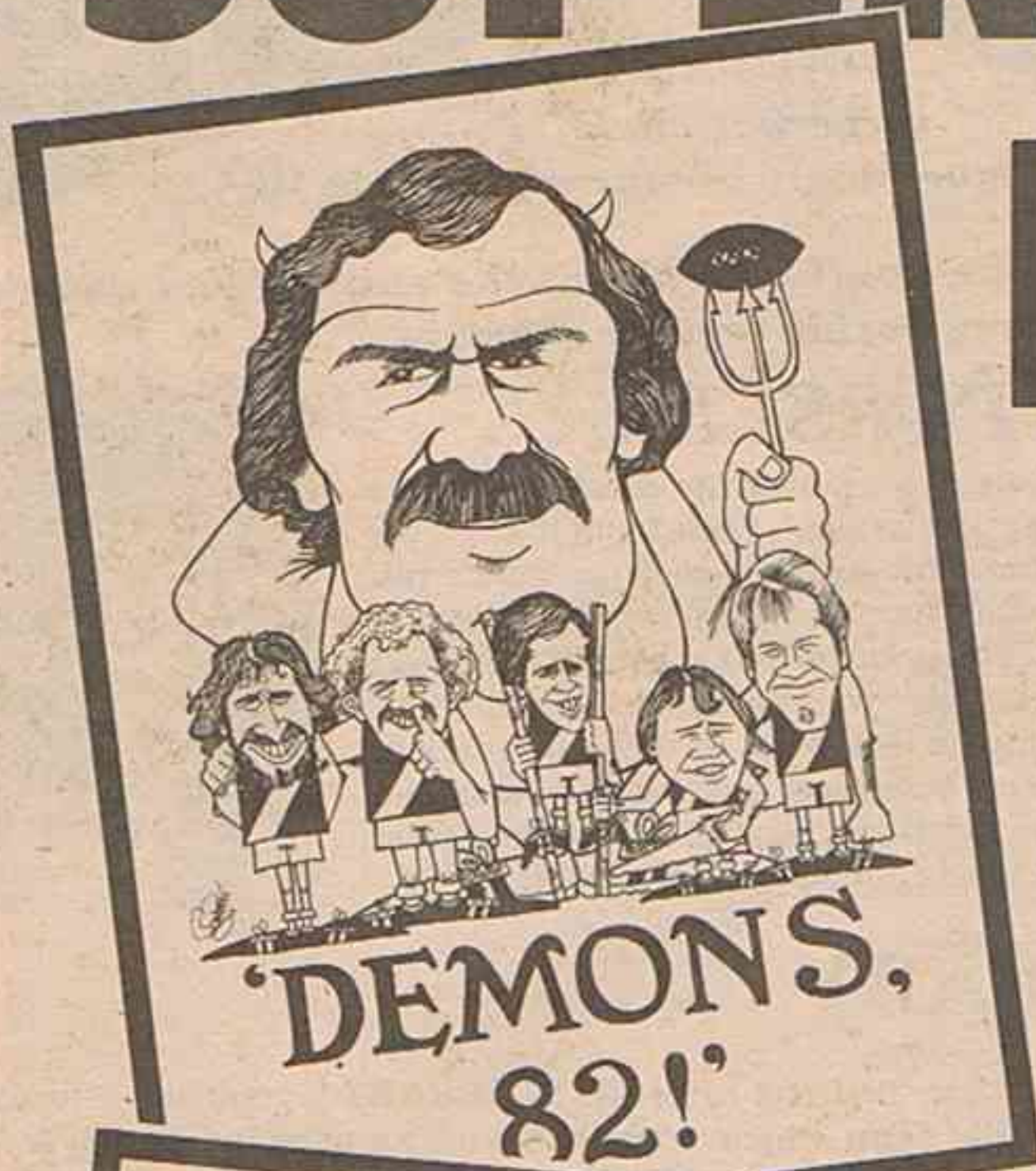
COOL CUSTOMER

You would have to go a long way to see a better goal than that kicked by Swan Districts star Mike Richardson on Saturday. Richardson used his pace to elude several defenders, but was forced to run around the boundary. It was a difficult angle but it did not seem to worry Richardson who coolly put boot to ball and watched it sail through for full points. That was Richardson's second of four goals in the first term.

Marlboro's Top Ten

Warren Ralph (Cl'mont)	75.33
Steve Malaxos (Cl'mont)	59.38
Mike Richardson (Swans)	53.25
Michael Rea (Perth)	45.18
Bruce Monteath (Sth. Frem.)	41.35
Chris Stasinowsky (West Perth)	37.23
Jeff Cassidy (East Frem.)	37.17
Peter Sartori (Swans)	35.11
Ross Gibbs (West Perth)	33.9
Graeme Comerford (West Perth)	31.16

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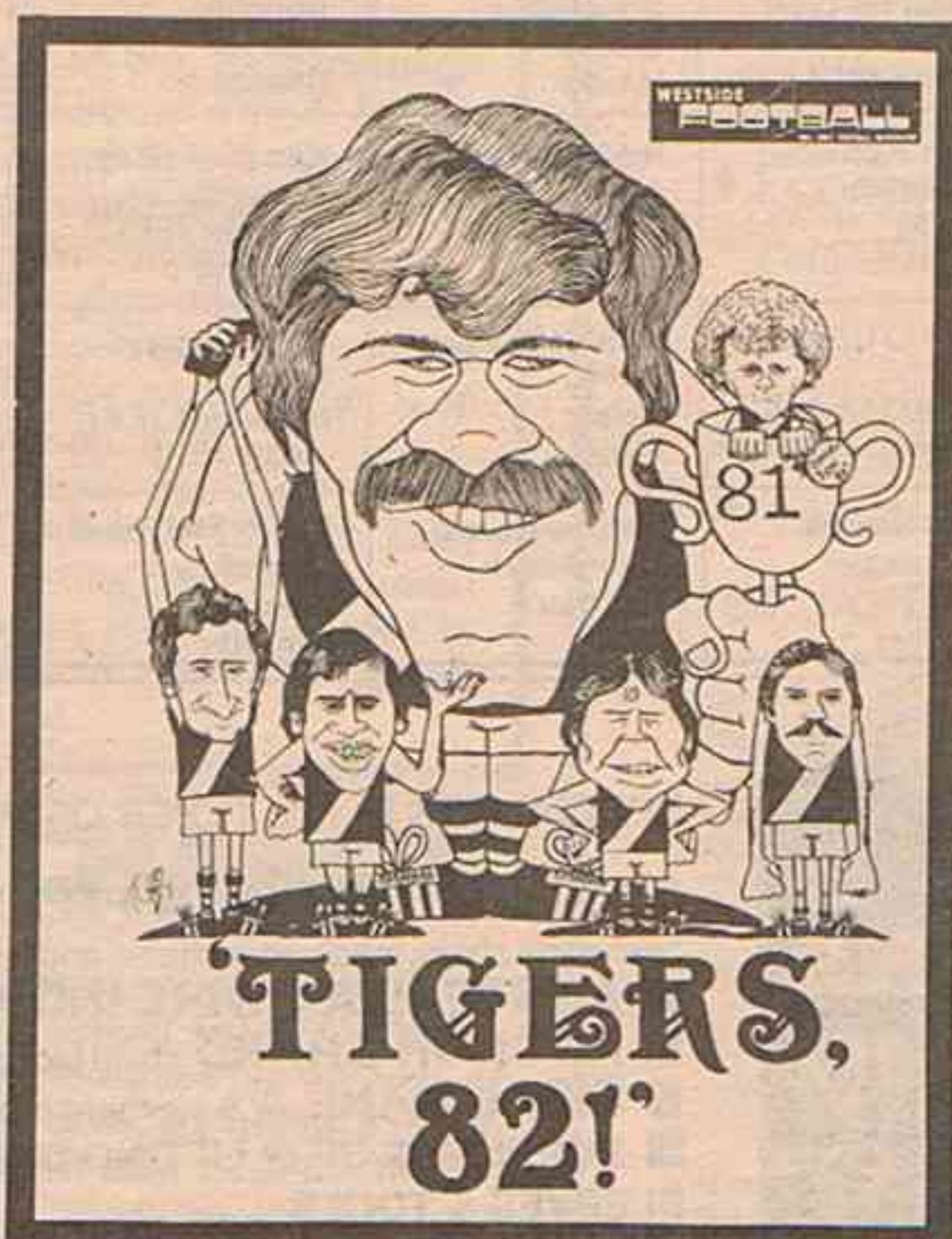


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Amateur footballers from across the nation will converge on Perth next week to compete in the 15th Australian Amateur football championships.

The series which commences next Monday will continue throughout the week culminating with matches at Leederville Oval on Saturday week.

It is the first time since 1970 that Perth has hosted an amateur carnival.

Former East Fremantle league player and coach Harry Neesham will coach the West Australian side. He will be making his second attempt to bring an amateur title to WA.

An All-Australian amateur side will be selected at the end of the carnival and is sure to contain many names which will be seen in league football in future seasons.

Simon Beasley — now with Footscray — is one of three West Australians to win the fairest and best trophy at Australian amateur carnivals. He achieved the feat in 1976.

Over the years amateur football has produced dozens of league footballers and no doubt league talent scouts will be out in force next week to watch the cream of Australia's amateur players.

Westside Football's amateur football writer John Davies has selected this team from some of the amateur players who have graduated to league ranks.

PROGRAMME

JULY 5th — 10th, 1982

MATCH PROGRAMME

MONDAY JULY 5th PERTH OVAL
TASMANIA v VICTORIA 11.30 a.m.

OFFICIAL OPENING

By Premier of WA Mr. R. O'Connor MLA
at 2.00 p.m.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA v
WESTERN AUSTRALIA 2.15 p.m.

WEDNESDAY JULY 7th

LEEDERVILLE OVAL
SOUTH AUSTRALIA v VICTORIA
11.30 a.m.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA v TASMANIA
2.15 p.m.

SATURDAY JULY 10th

LEEDERVILLE OVAL

SOUTH AUSTRALIA v TASMANIA
11.30 a.m.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA v VICTORIA
2.15 p.m.

• A preview of the carnival appears on pages 16 and 17.

Reserves selected from:

CYRIL LITTERICK (MHWP S. Dist.), FRANK BUCKNALL (Wembley — Subi), DINNY CONWAY (N. Fremantle — E. Frem.), TOM STANNAGE (T.T. Claremont — S. Dist.), NORM KNELL (MHWP — West Perth), DAVID RAWLINSON (University — Claremont — S. Fremantle), ANDY LECKIE (Maylands — S. Dist.), KEN MATHEWS (MHWP — West Perth), BRIAN LAMBERT (N. Fremantle — S. Frem.), JIM DOYLE (N. Fremantle — E. Frem.), R. MANN (N. Fremantle — E. Fremantle), PETER OVERHUE (Old Wesley — E. Frem.), GEOFF WATT (Carlisle — Perth), IAN WILLIAMS (Swan Valley — S. Dist.), KEN BELL (University — Subiaco), NEVILLE YOUNG (Maylands — Subi/St. Kilda), BRYNN CHUTE (Old Wesley — Perth), CHRIS RAYKOS (Nollamara — W. Perth), DAVID STEINPREIS (University — Perth), DON TAYLOR (Wembley — Subi.), ALAN COCKRAM (Wembley — Subiaco), JOHN FAULKNER (Carlisle — E. Frem.), JOE PITTORINI (C.B.C. — S. Frem./E. Frem.)

There are many more who have started in the WAAFL. We apologize for their omission.

WARREN RALPH Floreat — Claremont	BERNIE NAYLOR C.B.C. — S. Frem.	MIKE RICHARDSON Swan Valley — S. Dist.
GEORGE YOUNG Wembley — Subiaco St. Kilda	SIMON BEASLEY University — S. Dist. Footscray	GARY BUCKENARA Churchlands — Subi. Hawthorn
PETER FEATHERBY Wembley — Subiaco Geelong / Footscray	TONY PARENTICH University — S. Frem.	ALAN QUARTERMAINE University — East Perth
HAROLD JEFFERIES N. Frem. — E. Frem.	RAY REEVES Maylands — Subi.	ROSS PRUNSTER M.H.W.P. — W. Perth Perth
JOHN HILTON Inglewood — Clare.	DES REED C.B.C. — S. Frem.	GEORGE MEIERS N. Frem. — E. Frem.
Ruck: KEITH SLATER Midland — S. Dist. Subiaco	GERARD NEESHAM T.C. Graylands — S. Dist./S. Melb.	BRIAN CICCOTOSTO T.T. Claremont — S. Frem.

Marlboro MEN

STARS make the
turnstiles click . . .
and we have plenty of star material in W.A.

Each week Westside Football looks at the stars of last week's fixtures in this regular segment . . .

ANDREW PURSER . . .

With big Ron Alexander taking over the coaching reins at East Fremantle this year, last season's fairest and best player ANDREW PURSER has not had to carry as much responsibility. However, when he was called on to do the job last week he did it in fine style. Purser was the most dominant ruckman afield and he gave his rovers an armchair ride.

It took the big ruckman a few years to make his mark in league football, but after a great year last season he stamped himself as a player of the future. He has not had to do a great deal this year, but what he has done he has done well.



ED BLACKABY . . .



Swan Districts rover ED BLACKABY is gradually returning to the form which made him such an outstanding player for Swan Districts when he first made the trip across from Canberra. The diminutive Blackaby was everywhere in last Saturday's clash against South Fremantle and to see this man play after so many setbacks must be an inspiration to his teammates.

Blackaby has consistently defied the odds to pull on a Swans guernsey and to see him in full flight was a treat. Blackaby was at his creative best up forward and besides kicking two goals himself, he played a part in many others.

DEAN TURNER . . .

It has taken East Perth utility player DEAN TURNER a long time to regain the same form which he produced regularly earlier this year. But the wait was well worthwhile. Turner used his pace and ball skills brilliantly last Saturday against Subiaco and played the brand of football everyone had come to expect from him.

He won East Perth's fairest and best award in 1981 but had been struggling in recent weeks to pick up kicks. Turner is one player the Royals need firing if they are to play a part in the finals and his return to form could not have been more timely for them. They will be hoping he will continue in the same vein for the rest of the season.



GRAHAM MOSS . . .



If nothing else Claremont captain-coach GRAHAM MOSS has proved to himself and every football follower in this that his greatest value to the team is when he is playing on the ball. Moss played in the ruck for almost the entire game last week and it was his ability to win clearly in this position that set up victory for the Tigers.

He covered a lot of ground and his palming of the ball proved a big barrier for his less-experienced opponents and was one of the highlights of a great game. Moss wastes himself at centre-half-forward, but he was a match winner in his true position on Sunday.

SANDOVER MEDAL GUIDE

This weekly survey is designed to help the keen footballer follower keep an up-to-date guide for the Sandover Medal. Each week we list the major media voting on a 3-2-1 basis and leave room for you to fill in the voting by the umpires when Sandover Medal nights arrives. This form guide, which should be cut out and clipped in a file, will give you an easy-to-read indicator of the consistency and form of our leading players.

JUNE 26	Westside Football	West Australian	Sunday Times	Sunday Independent	Weekend News	TVW 7	6PR	6IX	6WF	Umpires
Swan Dist. v Sth. Frem.	Darrin Ramshaw: Hardie (SF) Blackaby (SD) Boucher (SD)	Doug Young: Boucher Blackaby Hardie	Rob Bennett: Blackaby Hardie Boucher	Gary Stocks: P. Narkle (SD) Hardie Kenny (SD)	Alan McIntosh: Boucher Blackaby Hardie	Wayne Harvey: Boucher Melrose Blackaby	Alan East: Boucher Blackaby Hardie	Chris Mitsopoulos: Boucher Blackaby Melrose (SD)	Tim Flynn: Hardie Blackaby Sidebottom (SD)	Morris/Rowe
Subiaco v E. Perth	Rod Lohar: Edwards (EP) Turner (EP) Mort (S)	Steve Wright: Edwards Turner Sparks (EP)	Geoff Worner: Edwards Turner N. Taylor (S)	John Appleby: Sparks P. Lamb (S)	Rod White: Allen (EP) Edwards Turner	Ken McAullay: Edwards Spencer (EP) P. Lamb	Bob Hicks: Turner Edwards C. Brown (S)	Phil Mulcahy: Edwards Turner Spencer	David Dyson: R. Brown (S) Edwards Turner	Buckey/Capes
E. Frem. v Perth	Ian Freeman: Ellis (EF) Sewell (EF) Purser (EF)	Steve Perkin: Sewell Ellis Purser	Colin Hopkins: Sewell Purser Lester-Smith (EF)	John O'Connell: Ellis Purser Sewell	Robbie Burns: Sewell Purser Ellis	John Rogers: Purser Browning (EF) Judge (EF)	Peter van Heiden: Ellis Purser Kimberley (P)	Neil Garland: Purser Ellis Browning	Ray Lawrence: Purser Ellis Sewell	Ball/Gillies
W. Perth v Claremont	Peter Poat: Michalczyk (WP) Moss (C) Kanther (C)	Geoff Christian: Michalczyk Moss Kanther	Rod Lane: Michalczyk Moss Daniels (C)	Gary Stocks: Michalczyk Moss Kanther	Robbie Burns: Michalczyk Kanther Moss	Marty McDonnell: Michalczyk Moss Kanther	Oscar Howard: Michalczyk Moss Fong (WP)	Harvey Deegan: Michalczyk Moss Kanther	Tim Flynn: Moss Michalczyk Blackwell (C)	Phillips/Powell

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GARY CARVOLTH,
6IX and TVW 7
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**GARY'S
GOSSIP**

I HAD a great time last Sunday, chairing a special panel at the Mandurah Football Club where special guests included Richmond stars Brian Taylor and Michael Malthouse.

Taylor, the VFL's leading goalkicker this year, says that his three year contract with the Tigers expires at the end of this season — and he then has an open clearance if he so desires.

If he decides to return to WA, he is apparently residentially bound to East Fremantle — which is ironical as Subiaco cleared him to Old Easts in exchange for Ken Marshall.

I can't see Richmond letting "Tails" go easily, but what a great addition he would make to the blue and whites should he return.

P.S.! A word of warning Ron Alexander, I saw Taylor and Malthouse engaged in quite a lengthy discussion with Lions coach Ken Armstrong, who was also a guest on the Mandurah panel.

BROWNIE'S FUED

MAL Brown refuses to appear on my first "Travelling Football Fun Show" — to be held at Bassendean Oval on Thursday, July 8 — because John Todd will also be on the panel.

It's a pity to see a fued break out between these two great football talents. Apparently, Brownie is claiming that Todd made a fool of him and the State selectors last Saturday.

It is alleged that both coaches had agreed to position certain players in the centre as a form guide to possible State selection.

Brown claims he kept his side of the bargain and Todd didn't. You may have read Mal's vitriolic comments in last week's Sunday Independent.

In the meantime, things are not too happy on the Brown/Todd front. I hope both guys can resolve the situation soon — so does John K. Watts, as Malcolm could very well withdraw from this week's 6PR Football World Show.

N.B.! Wattsie — Don't panic, Fred Woods is back in town.

PANEL PLUS

TALKING about Wattsie, I am delighted to be chairing yet another football panel on Wednesday July 7 at Uncle Domenic's Restaurant for Paul Watts (one of John's brothers) who is a guiding light behind the Mt. Lawley Football Club.

If you would like a great dinner (and what I hope will prove to be an entertaining sports panel show) ring Paul on 335 1122 for reservations and tickets. See you next Wednesday night at Uncle Domenic's.

QUIZ

The answer to last week's question was Perth and congratulations to Mrs. N. Beard, of Roleystone you have won a beautiful bottle of Beenleigh Rum.

This week's question is when was the last time East Perth finished outside the four.

Write your answer and your name and address on the back of an envelope and address your entry to Westside Football, 215 Oxford Street, Leederville.



Subiaco coach Ken Armstrong went up to WA's North West recently for a series of coaching clinics. He is pictured amidst a happy group of Derby High School students.
Picture Richie Hann

Former VFL and WAFL star, Sandover Medallist, and now Perth Coach.



**IAN
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**WAFL
STRIKE
GOLD**

The WAFL finally struck gold last Sunday with the game between Claremont and West Perth. Some 19,000 odd fans turned up to see two of this season's top teams fight it out for second place. The game was well promoted and played in ideal conditions. All supporters came away from the competitive game most satisfied — unless they supported West Perth.

It is difficult to compare this game with the Sunday game earlier in the year between East Fremantle and Perth which drew only 6,000 people. That game was not promoted in the same way and it was scheduled for Mothers Day which was not well planned. But one thing it does prove is that football supporters will come and watch the top teams battle it out. This league must have some flexibility so it can change Sunday fixtures if needed.

ALEXANDER CONFIDENT

Speaking with Ron Alexander after last week's match against East Fremantle he seems confident Old Easts can still make the final four, picking up their two game disadvantage in seven. With all his experienced players "firing" they can achieve their goal, as football is a game of opportunity every Saturday. It took me back to 1978 when East Perth had that incredible run of nine straight wins which took them from fifth spot to second. Only time will tell Ron.



NEWCOMER FIRES

One of the newcomers to the State squad announced this week was East Fremantle's Shane Ellis. His form at centre half back last week was excellent and he was certainly a stumbling block to the Perth forwards. Shane is a very competitive, hard working player who uses the ball well and is prepared to run hard and back up his team mates. I am sure that if he keeps up his current form the selectors will find a place for him in one of the two coming State games.

TEAM SPIRIT

After last week's disappointing effort against East Fremantle, people have said Perth will need to go back to square one and the basics. Going on that game those people may be right, but I don't agree. It is hard for teams who don't win consistently to maintain their effort, particularly in concentration. I believe it was just one of those days in football. Full credit goes to the Perth players because even though the results are not on the scoreboard their enthusiasm and teamspirit has been sustained.

TOP FOOTY

Last Sunday I watched the combined Avon Association team play a combined South Suburban team at Gosnells. Both sides played a very open brand of football and the highlight was the number of excellent goals scored in a game which produced 44 goals. Both sides had many former league players in their teams and most of them, including Marinus Potter and Herman van De Beek (Avon) played top football.



John Ironmonger

TOP RUCKMEN

It is always interesting to note how the pendulum swings in relation to player types. WA has an excellent record in producing top class ruckmen and rovers, but at the moment the ruckmen are in full control. This is highlighted by the State squad selections of Graham Moss, Baden Harper, Ron Boucher, Alan Sidebottom and Craig Edwards and you can add Ron Alexander, John Ironmonger and Stephen Michael. When it comes down to top class rovers the list falls away after Gary Shaw, Kevin Taylor, Noel Carter, Les Fong and Bryan Cousins.

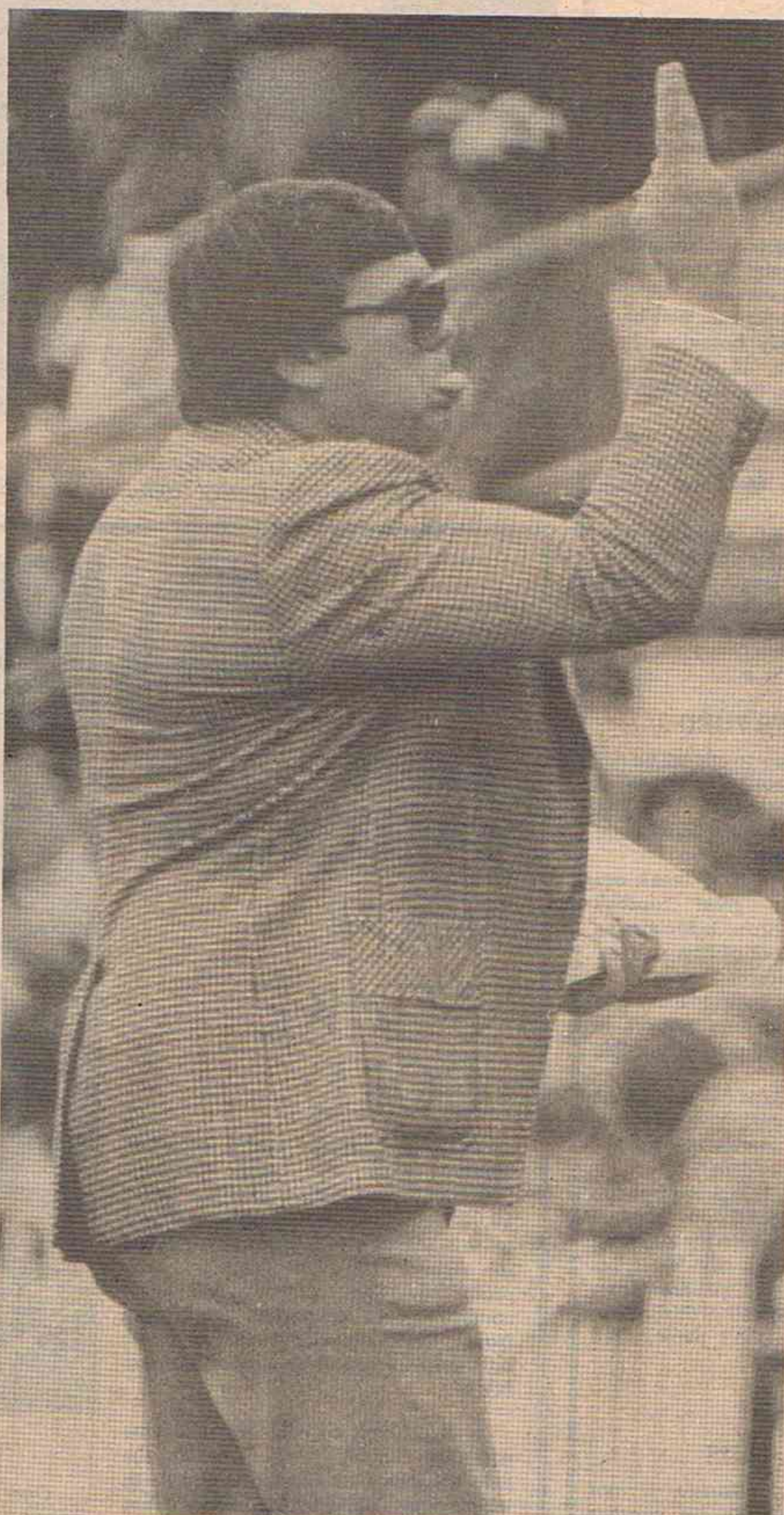
SWAN GOLD SPOTLIGHT MAL'S ANTICS



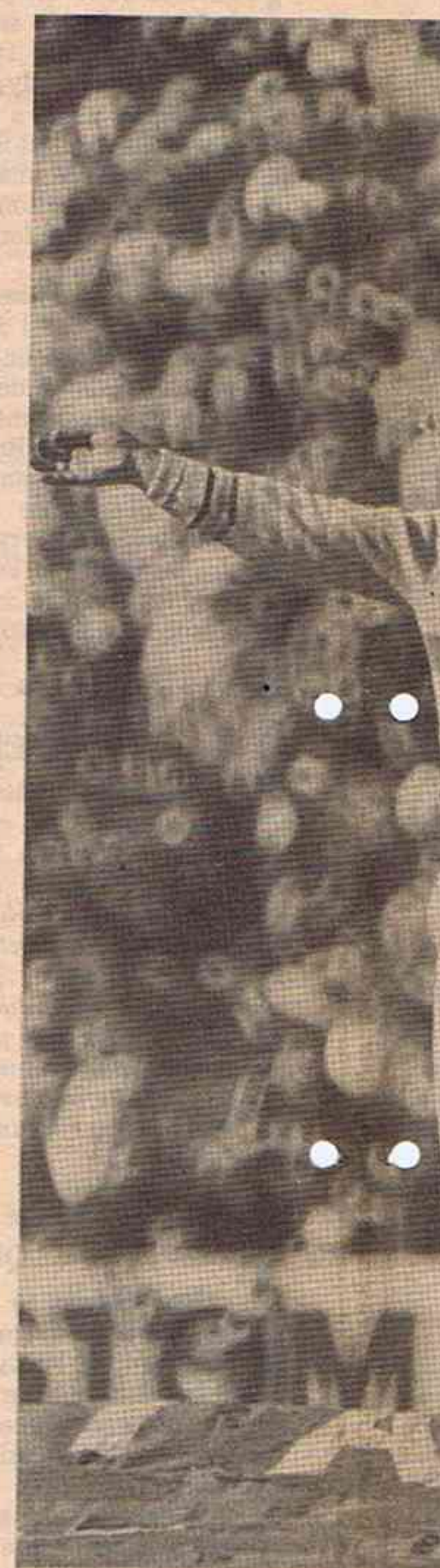
Malcolm Brown, South Fremantle's volatile coach, has been reasonably quiet this year — but he saved up some of his antics for the Swan Districts supporters at Bassendean Oval.

As he left the ground after addressing his players he looked towards the Bill Walker stand . . . and reacted to those one-eyed supporters who were having something to say!

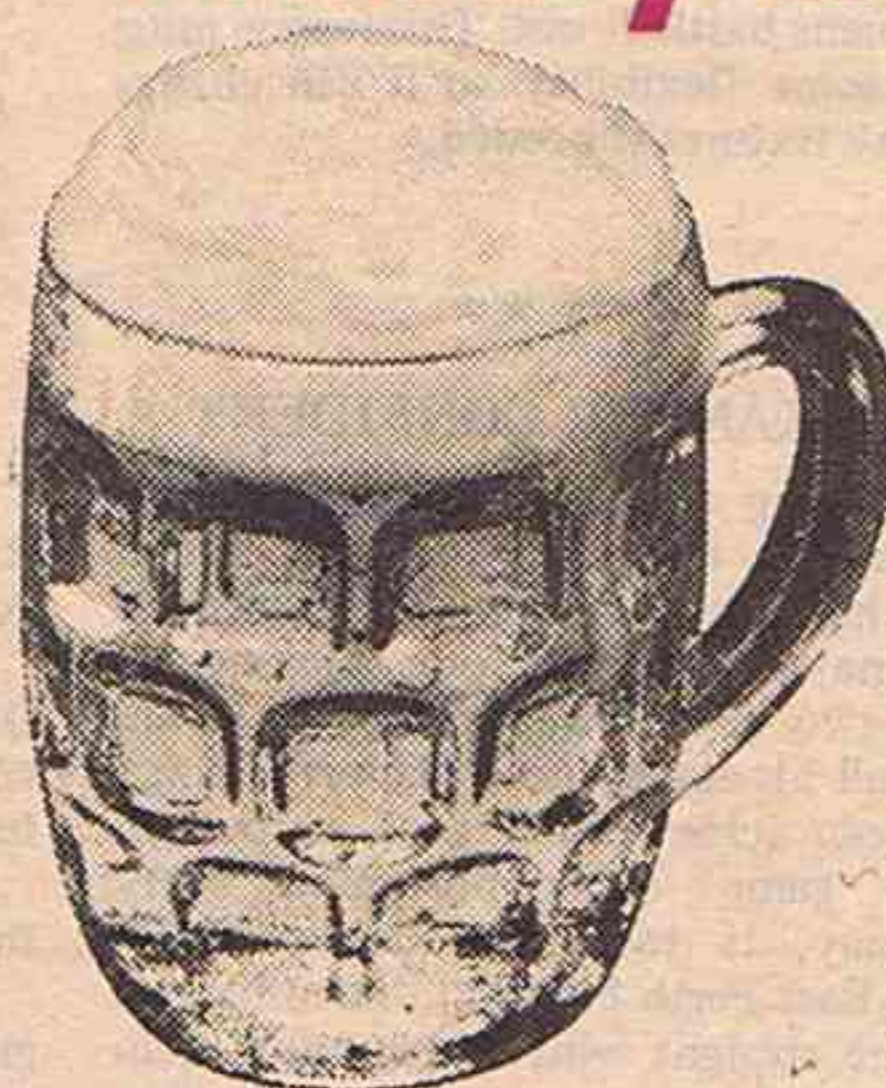
And to add even more fuel to the fire, out came Mal's tongue. That's more like the Malcolm Brown we all know!



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ng things moving Leederville

And Brown was not the only man getting a reaction from the crowd. This unknown West Perth supporter was keen to get the atmosphere going at Leederville in Sunday's big match against Claremont. With something like 19,000 fans watching him he displayed all the grace and style of an orchestra leader Don't let anyone tell you that football doesn't have its share of characters



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My selections for . . .

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East Perth v Swan Districts

East Frem. v Claremont

West Perth v South Frem.

Perth v Subiaco

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BENNETT'S

BURST

By Robert Bennett
'Sunday Times' and
'Australian' football
writer.



Pressure time for Cometti

DENNIS Cometti is ready to discover what
coaching a league club is all about.

He has had a dream run this season . . . but the pressure is about to go on.

Before last Sunday, many people were
talking in terms of a premiership for the
Falcons. Claremont punctured the balloon,
and probably a few heads, with their con-
vincing win last Sunday.

In the past two seasons, West Perth have
looked a finals chance at this stage of the
season only to falter.

In 1980 they were perched in fourth
spot, a win and percentage ahead of the
fifth side East Perth. Last year they were in
exactly the same position.

So are they going to fall in a big hole
again this year?

Certainly West Perth have a better
reservoir of players this year and they
appear to be more competitive. However,
they have tended to fail in pressure matches
in the past three seasons.

The business part of the season is about
to start. For Cometti, the season is really
about to start also. While West Perth have
played some memorable games this year,
he really finds himself in the same position
as did Graham Campbell.

Cometti has gone on record as saying
that he is only looking at making the four.
At least he was able to keep his head when
the Falcons strung together seven wins out
of eight games.

I'm yet to be convinced, as are a few
other people no doubt, that West Perth
have the players who can stand up to the
heat that is likely to be applied in the last
round in the cut-throat battle for the four.

There's no denying that West Perth are
laced with talented players. But can some
of their more lightly-framed players stand
up to the kind of pressure that is likely to
be applied this round?

I can think of three games this season
where West Perth failed under real pressure
. . . against East Perth and East Fremantle,
when they had the game sewn up at half
time, and last Sunday.

I don't think too much attention should
be taken of their big wins against South
Fremantle and Swan Districts. They jumped
to a big early lead in both games and were
not subjected to much pressure.

Given any kind of latitude West Perth
are probably as good a side as any other
in the competition.

But there is a big difference between
that kind of situation and the one they will
face in the last round.

This is where Cometti is going to be put
to the test. Will he be able to keep West
Perth going in the final round?

It's a bit like being the reinsman behind
a trotter that has a great turn of speed but
has tended to lack stamina over the full
distance.

WHAT a shambles the fixtures
have been this year. It was
accentuated last Sunday when Clare-
mont played their second successive
game against West Perth at Leeder-
ville Oval.

The same will apply between West
Perth and Swan Districts. Swans will also
have to play two successive qualifying
games away to West Perth.

But the absurdity of the fixtures have
been reflected in the East Fremantle-Swan
Districts matches. Old Easts will not play a
game at home against Swans.

This week's game between them will be
the second at Bassendean Oval. The other
was at Subiaco Oval.

Surely if there are to be matches at
Subiaco fixtures can be arranged where
both teams are treated fairly and get a
home game.

It is to be hoped that a bit more common
sense prevails when next season's fixtures
are drawn up.



WIRED FOR SOUND

THE day of the football robot is
almost here . . . West Perth's league
runner, George Young, was wired up
for instant instructions last week.

Young, the former Subiaco and St
Kilda star, is captured in full flight
(1970's pace, albeit) with his little
electronic box strapped to his belt.
With the help of that ear plug, he can
receive up-to-the-minute instructions
from Falcons coach Dennis Cometti.

The only problem was that George
had to spend so much time holding on
to the receiver and re-plugging his ear
hole that he forgot what the messages
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But the move is a sign of things to
come . . .



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END OF AN ERA?

But he has not given up hope of being a part of the 1982 final round.

South are only one game behind East Perth in fifth spot and it is quite possible that they will make the finals.

They have been crippled by injury to key players this season and in addition to that, Brown says the name players have not performed to their ability.

"The young guys who have come up have done a great job," Brown says. "I am always tolerant of young players who show endeavour."

"But some of the stars have not performed to their capabilities."

However, injuries have been the real killer.

Last Saturday they sadly missed Noel Carter and Paul Mountain — the Bulldogs' linkmen.

In addition to that, Paul Vasoli, another key figure in the South Fremantle line-up, is still overcoming a foot injury.

When all these players return to the fold, South will be a far better side. If they don't run out of time, the Bulldogs could still be there at the business-end of the season.

Their young players like Warren Mosconi, Willie Roe, Jon Dorotich and Sam Sadler have done the job well and when there is a bit of experience around them, they will be even more effective players.

The message is — don't write South Fremantle off just yet.

THE HAPPY WANDERER

The W.A.F.L. administrator of Football Development, Ross Davis, has made more moves than a chess board lately.

Before travelling to Brisbane with the Teal Cup squad recently, he did many seminars at various country centres.

Last week he visited Derby with Subiaco league coach Ken Armstrong, international cricketer of the year Bruce Yardley and journalist Geoff Christian for their annual Boab Festival.

While in Derby the above people were guests at a sportsman's panel show and luncheon.



In last Sunday's action packed match between Claremont and West Perth there was no quarter asked nor given.

Here West Perth utility player George Michalczyk receives a solid bump from Claremont centreman Wayne Blackwell and team-mate Noel Norton is also emerging on the scene.

Michalczyk may have copped a pretty good knock but there is some consolation. For his effort he wins the Hard Yakka award for this week and will receive a pair of Yakka jeans or fabulous Rigs trousers.



SA SUPPORT FOR SWANS

Swan Districts may have come-in for plenty of flak locally for their actions in sending a reserves side to Melbourne for their Escort Cup match last week.

However, there was widespread support for their stand in South Australia (Australia's No. 1. Vic haters).

Typical of the reactions was a front page story in that State's Football Times by editor, Ashley Hornsey which said in part: "Swans should be praised, not criticised for their stand."

"By telling the VFL to stick it up their jumper Swans took a courageous stand and tackled the VFL on the question of equal rights."

The Escort Cup, in its current format, has few benefits for any sides outside Victoria because of the travel to Melbourne and the sacrifices that have to be made.

Swan Districts took a stand and indicated they wouldn't rubber-stamp VFL decisions.

Because they took that stand they shouldn't be left out on a limb and they should have the full backing of the WAFL and also the SANFL.



It's now up to the two major leagues outside Victoria to stand up and tell the VFL that bulldozer tactics will not be accepted in the future.

The Escort Cup competition was designed to accommodate the VFL and boost the shallow coffers of the VFL clubs.

Without SA and WA clubs participating the competition would lack a national flavor and it's unlikely the sponsors would guarantee as much money as they have this season.

At least that gives the two States some bargaining power in demanding a better deal if the competition is to continue next season.

In the meantime we look to the SANFL and the WAFL to show their strength by telling the Victorians that a competition selfishly tailored to the requirements of the VFL will no longer be accepted.

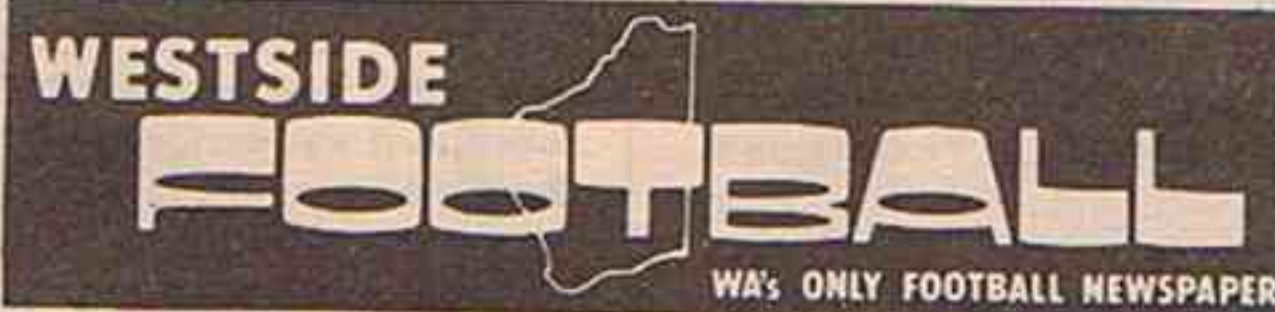
VFA CHANGE

The 16-man-a-team system which has operated in VFA football since 1959 seems certain to be discontinued at the end of this season. Many clubs are urging a return to the traditional 18 man sides for the '83 season.

SUBIACO SPECIAL

Subiaco may be down, but they are far from out. Westside Football's Gary Stocks is spending a week in the Lions den and he will bring his findings to readers in an exclusive in-depth report in next week's issue.

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CARNIVAL PREVIEW

AUSTRALIAN AMATEUR FOOTBALL CARNIVAL



TASMANIA

Amateur football in Tasmania commenced in 1931 at Launceston.

Old Launcestonians, Old Patricians (now St. Patrick's Old Collegians) and Associated Banks were the foundation clubs. The Public Schools Old Boys Association was founded at Hobart in 1931 with Hutchins, Old Virgilians, Friends' and Clemes affiliating.

1932 saw the commencement of annual intra-state games, now traditionally known as North versus South matches. In 1947 the P.S.O.B.A. changed its name to the Southern Tasmanian Amateur Football Association and in 1946 affiliated with the Northern body to form the Tasmanian Amateur Football League - the respective bodies being known as the Northern and Southern Divisions.

Each Division controls amateur football in their area and elect three delegates to the State Council. The State President and Secretary are from the same Division and hold office for two years after which the offices are assumed from the delegates from the other Division. This system of administration has been outstandingly successful and forms the only truly statewide competition for football in Tasmania.

Since 1948 the League has developed from 15 teams to 52 teams in the two Divisions, with 37 in three sections in the South and 14 teams in two sections in the North.

Despite being relatively small in numbers Tasmania has been a regular participant at all Carnivals and since 1960 has been playing regular matches against the V.A.F.A. Success has been limited but enthusiasm has never lacked.



SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Founded in 1911 the South Australian Football League is the second oldest amateur football body in Australia. It now occupies a place in S.A. football second only to the National Football League.

It has grown from five clubs in 1911 to now having 49 clubs, 156 teams in 15 divisions. The only remaining foundation club with the League is Adelaide University.

Interstate matches with Victoria were commenced in 1925 and have been held annually ever since with the exception of the war years. These games were dominated by Victoria until the seventies from which time there have been several close encounters.

South Australia has gradually gained strength. The South Australian Amateur Football League has been successful in Carnivals winning the 1970 in Perth, the 1973 in Melbourne and the 1976 in Adelaide.

In 1961 the League purchased their own building in Tynte Street, North Adelaide.



VICTORIA

The Victorian Amateur Football Association, which was formed in 1892, is an older body than the Victorian Football League, which was not established until 1897.

Originally known as the Metropolitan Junior Football Association, the word "Junior" was later dropped and when professionalism appeared in Victorian football, the association adopted an amateur definition, and included the word "Amateur" in its title.

Known as the Metropolitan Amateur Football Association from 1912 to 1932, the association adopted its present name at the beginning of 1933 in keeping with its recognised status as the governing body of amateur football in Victoria.

The only foundation club remaining in the association is Collegians, which, incidentally, won the first premiership in 1892.

Despite the difficulty of obtaining suitable grounds, the association grew from eight clubs in 1920, to 40 clubs in 1932, and remained at that level until the war intervened, and competitions were suspended. Competitions were resumed in 1946 with 27 clubs, which have now increased to 157 teams.

In 1939, the association sponsored the formation of the Victorian Junior Amateur Football Association, which merged with the V.A.F.A. in 1953, to become the Junior Section.

Then in 1960, the Reserve Section was introduced and gradually filtered down through the grades until by 1971 it became compulsory for all Clubs A to F grades, to field Reserve teams.

THE SUNNY CITRUS CUP

First competed for in 1980, donated by Sunny Citrus for games between Western Australia and Victoria, with both teams holders on one occasion.



WESTERN AUSTRALIA

In 1922 the Perth Mercantile Football Association was formed, through the efforts of the late Billy Orr, secretary for many years of the Western Australian National Football League.

In 1928, the name was changed to the Western Australian Amateur Football Association. That name was retained until 1970 when it was decided to change to the WA Amateur Football League.

Like the amateur bodies in the other States, additional clubs are being admitted each year, and the only thing that can stop further growth is the lack of suitable playing fields. However, with the building up of new suburbs, the local authorities fortunately are providing new sporting grounds, and the future of the amateur football in Western Australia seems assured.

From 1922 until 1936 the number of teams alternated between five and seven, however since that date, the increase has been consistent year by year. There is now in the vicinity of 57 clubs supplying 150 teams that compete each week.

The Hon. C.J. Jamieson, MLA, Leader of the Opposition has been President since 1971.

Perth carnival

Western Australia competed at the first two Australian Carnivals, in 1936 and 1938, but it was not until after the West's admission as a member of the Council that the first Carnival was conducted in Perth. That was in 1948 and it has been followed by the Carnivals of 1959 and 1970, all of which have been most successful, both from the organisational and social point of view. This year should prove no exception.

When a conference was held in Melbourne in January 1933 for the purpose of taking steps to obtain uniformity in the management of amateur football in all states, Western Australia was represented by Mr J.D. Chapman. However, at the Inaugural Meeting of the Council held later in the year WA was not present, the biggest obstacle to their membership being their definition of an amateur footballer, which was not acceptable to the other states.

Although the W.A.A.P.A. was not a member of the Council she took part in the Carnivals which were held in Adelaide and Launceston and it was decided to offer her the opportunity to conduct the Carnival which it was proposed to hold in 1940. However the outbreak of World War II put an end to that proposal.

In 1947 the Western Australian Amateur Football Association was admitted as a member of the Council, Mr H.B. Grosvenor attend-



Tasmania

PHILIP ATKINS: State Coach since 1980, after success with club and Northern Division representative under 21 teams. A fitness fanatic this is his 1st Carnival.

Victoria

JOHN FISHER has represented the Victorian Amateurs on many occasions. He captained the side and played with Hawthorn in the V.F.L., but later returned to his Amateur Club Kew as captain, and later took over as coach. He was appointed non-playing coach of the Victorian Amateur Football Association at the beginning of the 1980 season and experienced both the pleasures of winning (against South Australia) and the disappointments of losing (against Western Australia) in his first year.

In 1981 was successful against Western Australia and South Australia. Recently he coached V.A.F.A. against the V.F.A. winning 23.15 (151) to 19.17 (131).

Western Australia

HARRY NEESHAM was described as a 'child prodigy' in football, coaching East Fremantle while young in years. Harry had played for East Fremantle before completing his National Service Training in Victoria where he took the field in VFL circles.

Harry's three season coaching appointment followed.

He joined CBC in the WAAFL and was a squad member prior to the 1976 Carnival. This is Harry's 2nd Carnival.



as its delegate, and it was agreed that the 1948 Carnival should be played in Perth.

Since then the W.A.A.F.A. has played a big part within the Australian Amateur Football Council, providing the President of the Council on three occasions - C.J. Veryard 1957 - 1959 and C.J. Jamieson 1967-1971 and 1979-1982; the Best and Fairest player at three Carnivals - Bill James in 1959, Simon Beasley in 1976 and Greg Wright in 1979. Twentynine Western Australian players have been chosen in Australian Amateur teams with Bill James (1960) and Brian Lambert (1968) being selected as vice-captain.

D.V. Gunn
Hon Secretary (since 1957)
Australian Amateur Football Council

ACCOMMODATION

The Tasmanian team is staying at Lincoln Lodge with W.A.A.F.L. Life Member Jim Davies their Liaison Officer and Bayswater their host club.

Both Victoria and South Australia are at Airways Apartments. Trevor Howard and Mt. Lawley are looking after the Victorians while Wembley and Ray Snell will be attending to South Australia.

Sponsors donate major trophy

Smith and Nephew (manufacturer of Elastoplast and Elastosport) major sponsors of the Carnival have donated a trophy for the Champion State Team. It will be competed for on the same lines as the W.A.F.L. Marlboro Cup, 2 points given for a win and 1 point each quarter for the most score kicked.

Westside Football will award trophies to West Australia's Fairest and Best player in each game, and the W.A.A.F.L. will award trophies to the South Australian, Tasmanian and Victorian Best players in each game against West Australia. The overall WA Fairest and Best player in the Carnival will be awarded the Grosvenor Trophy as well as the inaugural Betts and Betts Award.

WA TROTTLING ASSN SHIELD

The Perpetual Shield presented to the winner of the Amateur Carnival was originally donated by the W.A. Trotting Association as their contribution to the support of Amateur Football in Australia in 1948.

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THE WA SQUAD

W.A.A.R. State carnival squad: Mike Salmon; Brett McCallum; Simon Lill; Peter Annear; Dick O'Shannassy; Ian McCarrey (University); Brad Dunn; David Gaunt, Steve Hughes; (Mt. Lawley); Kevin Kosovich; Bill Payne; Wayne Howes (Wembley); Ian Ginbey; David Spinks; Peter Andrews; Gary Dennis (North Beach); Neil Bartlett; John Price; Jeremy McGrade; (Trinity-Aquinas): Ken

Duffy; Gerard Hunt (Old Wesley); Rod Cronan; John Pietroniro (C.B.C.); Russell Henry (Nollamara); Ian Moustaka; Greg Wilkerson (Old Scotch); Jeff Clohessy; Gary Clohessy (Maylands):

Three players will be omitted before the start of the carnival, to reduce the squad to the permissible 25.

NORTH BEACH IN UPSET

NORTH Beach won their most important game in A league when they caused the upset of the season by downing table leaders premierships favourites Wembley.

The Tigers join University as the only teams to defeat the Magpies.

The win was set up by one of amateurs' top young ruckman 6'5" Mark Kiely.

Newly recruited rover Graham "Mousie" Sertorio, along with around-the-ground support from their enthusiastic runners, left their older and more experienced opponents flat footed.

Wembley's loss has once again thrown the premierships race wide open between at least six teams.

It was the first time that North Beach's senior team has beaten Wembley.

Old Scotch retained third position by scraping home against a tenacious Nollamara, who were unlucky losers.

Nolla's loss has seen them drop to last place.

Collegians drew with Trinity-Aquinas, inaccurate Kicking for goal costing them their third victory.

Old Wesley, with three successive losses, gained valuable premierships points over Maylands, who have been without a win in their last six games.

University had greater goal front accuracy and led all day against Mt. Lawley.

This week all State carnival team representatives will be missing from their club line-ups and this will cause added interest to the outcome of some otherwise predictable results.

Nollomara, on last week's form, have a great chance to down Old Wesley, both having at least one player in the State team.

Wembley have a big chance to redeem themselves against possibly one of their biggest threats, Old Scotch, who will be hit by the absence of some key players.

A win for Old Scotch could see them grab second spot.

Fourth spot is at stake in the game between giant-killers North Beach and vastly improved Trinity "Boomers". Both will be missing at least three players each.

Trinity could be hardest hit with their two top ruckmen (McGrade and Bartlett) missing. University with the highest representation (six) missing from their game against Collegians, may find it a very tough encounter.

Collegians, (The Blues) while winning a large percentage of the play in most games, have not enjoyed a great run of luck.

The Mt. Lawley-Maylands clash should be the most even with perhaps Maylands slightly favoured to gain their fourth victory.

The "Hawks" will be without their top key position players.

'B' League: Scarborough regained top billing by overruling the improving Carlisle. Bayswater (second) failed against Morley who are now looming as district premierships contenders. C.B.C. affectively knocked City Beach out of any finals chance.

North Fremantle "Magpies" and Wembley No. 2 bounced back after successive losses. Both University No. 2 and Carlisle have to start winning consistently to prevent relegation. Floreat Marist still are finding wins hard to gain.

'C' LEAGUE: M.H.W.P. are odds-on for the flag. Four teams - Whitfords, Osborne Park "Saints", W.A.I.T. and Wembley No. 3 - have all won seven games. A loss by any team could end their chances.

Hammersley, not far behind, won their first game in three weeks. Forrestfield "Hawks" have won two on end while Innaloo have failed in their last five starts.

'D' DIVISION: Hellenic with state squad members, Gary Martin, Vic Christian-Opolis (1981 state player) and Lindsay James running hot, are three clear games from second placed Brentwood.

Nollamara No. 2 have slid to fifth. Ashfield continue to impress in recent weeks.

COLTS: - 'A' COLTS: Maylands lost ground by losing for the second week. Old Wesley, with five wins in a row, are challenging University and Mt. Lawley for second spot.

Wembley despite a close call against North

Beach, head the table. Old Scotch won their first game for 1982.

'B' COLTS: C.B.C. have opened up a two game break from Wembley No. 2. City Beach haven't been successful since the first game. Morley and Bayswater (coached by 300 game player Billy Choules) have already improved on 1981's efforts.

'C' COLTS: Innaloo, with only one loss, head W.A.I.T. and Dianella (coached by Doug Scott.) Three teams, Hellenic, Osborne Park and Ashfield, chase fourth place. Hammersley have won after three losses and Whitfords seem to have lost any chance for the final round.

R.A.A.E., . . . "J" Division, lost their first game of 1982, defeated by North Beach No. 4, who have come from nowhere to take fourth place.

Last week's results

A LEAGUE

North Beach 17.15 d Wembley 12.12; Old Scotch 17.15 d Nollamara 12.15; Old Wesley 20.16 d Maylands 14.12; University 22.9 d Mt. Lawley 14.8; Trinity drew Collegians.

OTHER GAMES OF INTEREST

B LEAGUE: Morley (4th) 18.18 d Bayswater (1st) 17.15. F LEAGUE: Lynwood (1st) 16.17 d Trinity (2nd) 9.10. H LEAGUE: Old Scotch (5th) 16.16 d W.A.I.T. (3rd) 11.17. J LEAGUE: North Beach (4th) 14.7 d R.A.A.F. (previously undefeated) 8.18. K LEAGUE: MHWP (5th) 40.29 d Edgewater (10th) 3.2; W.A.I.T. (6th) 14.19 d Dianella (4th). A COLTS Old Scotch (10th) 7.11 d Nollamara (8th) 5.7.

THIS SATURDAY

Old Wesley v Nollamara at Perth Oval; Old Scotch v Wembley at Lathlain Park; North Beach v Trinity at Leederville Oval; Mt. Lawley v Maylands at Inglewood Oval; University v Collegians at McGillivray Oval No. 1.

PREMIERSHIP POINTS

All tables subject to official confirmation.

A LEAGUE: Wembley 36; University 36; Old Scotch 32; Trinity 26; North Beach 24; Old Wesley 24; Mt. Lawley 12; Maylands 12; Collegians 10; Nollamara 8.

B LEAGUE: Bayswater 32; Scarborough 32; Morley 28; C.B.C. 28; Wembley 24; North Fremantle 24; Floreat-Marist 16; City Beach 16; University 12; Carlisle 8.

H LEAGUE: Bullcreek 40; Applecross 40; Robbs Jetty 32; W.A.I.T. 28; Old Scotch 24; Mt. Lawley 20; Dianella 16; Osborne Park 8; Old Wesley 8; Swanbourne 4.

I LEAGUE: Nollamara 40; Wembley 38; Swanview 32; Bayswater 22; Hellenic 20; Mt. Lawley 20; City Beach 16; Ashfield 16; Maylands 12; Collegians 4.

J LEAGUE: R.A.A.F. 40; Whitfords 32; City of Perth 32; North Beach 24; Koondoola 24; Coolbinia 20; Girrawheen 16; Bullcreek 16; Hammersley 8; Carlisle 8.

K LEAGUE: A.I.C.A. 40; Scarborough 36; Brentwood 28; MHWP 28; W.A.I.T. 28; Dianella 24; Lynwood 16; Coolbellup 16; Greenwood 4; Edgewater 0.

SUNDAY: AICA 36; Swan Athletic 28; Graylands 28; Fire Brigade 24; East Fremantle 16; Stirling 12; Murdoch 4; Langford 0.

Results, games of interest and premierships tables compiled by CARL EVANS.

Leading goalscorers as at 19/6/82.

A League: J. O'Neil 40 (N. Bch), B League: G. Fathers 49 (Morley), C League: G. Schofield 27 (Os. Pk), D Division: C. Kirby 39 (Ash), E. Division: P. Maine 36 (Nat. Bank), F. Division: B. Samuels 49 (Lyn), G. Division: D. Mongoo 27 (F'Field), H Division: P. Freund 56 (Bullcrk), I League: B. Hearsey 32 (Noll) J League: J. Holland 33 (AAF), K League: R. Cox 31 (Brntwd), Sunday: D. Andrijich 55 (SW Ath), A Colts: A. Samuel 34 (Uni), B. Colts: D. Franklin 25 (Uni), C. Colts: E. Tannen 21 (Inn).



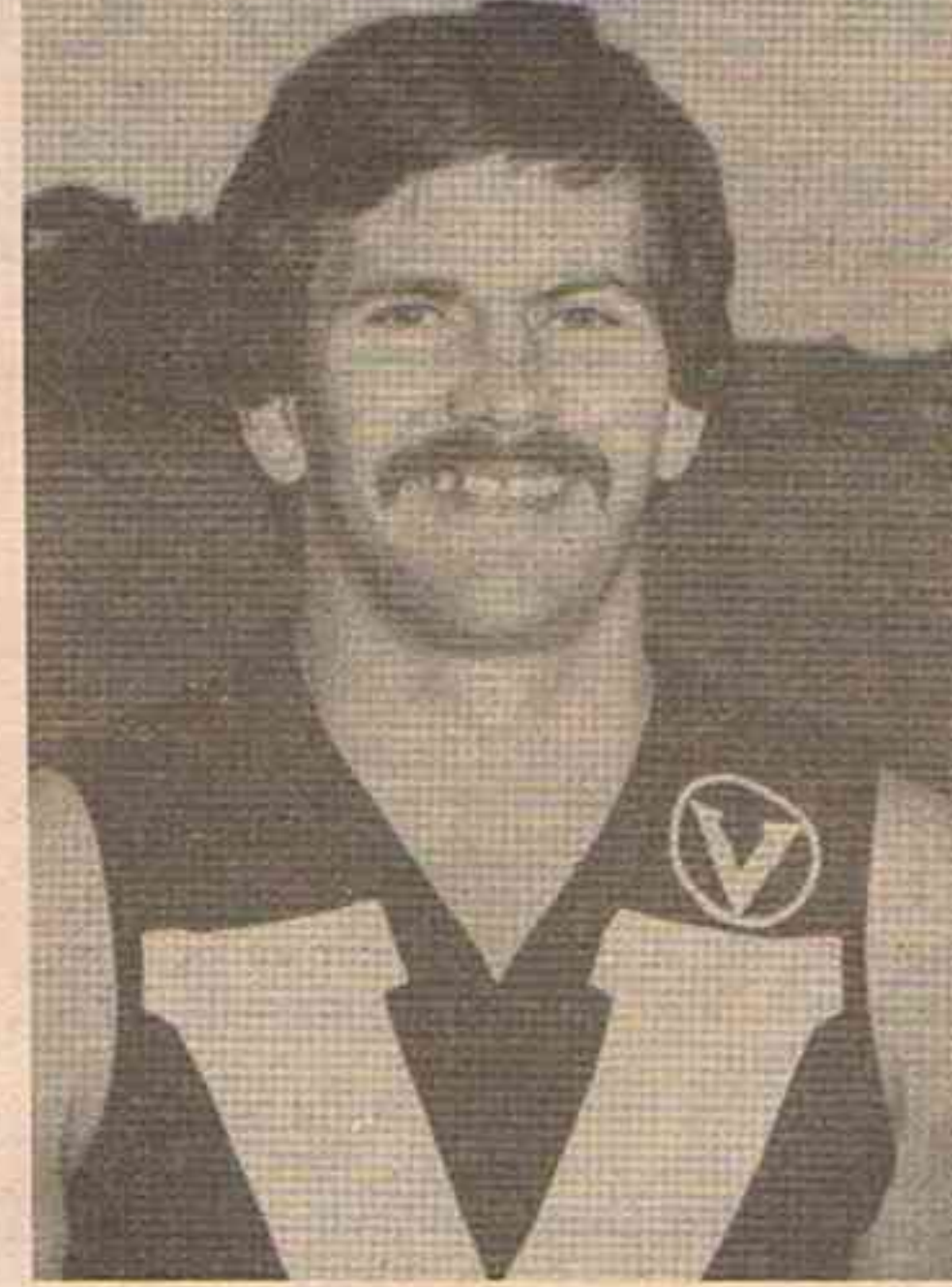
JOHN KUIPERS appointed playing Coach of Lindsfarne A.F.C. (Hobart) in 1981.

Prior to joining Amateur ranks was a successful wingman with Sandy Bay in the Tasmanian Football League, playing for the T.F.L. in intrastate matches on several occasions and represented Tasmania on the interstate scene against Victoria, Queensland, New South Wales and East Fremantle (Escort Cup).

In Amateur football John has continued to display his talents as an inspirational and physically strong player capable of excelling in many positions.

Tasmanians look forward to a major contribution from this determined and dedicated player.

W.A.A.F.L. Executive Officer Mr. John Ashley has been enlisted with the responsibility of overall Carnival Manager.



Victorian captain Brian Bourke made his interstate debut in 1977.

He is a half-back flanker who captained V.A.F.A. in their recent historic win over the V.F.A.

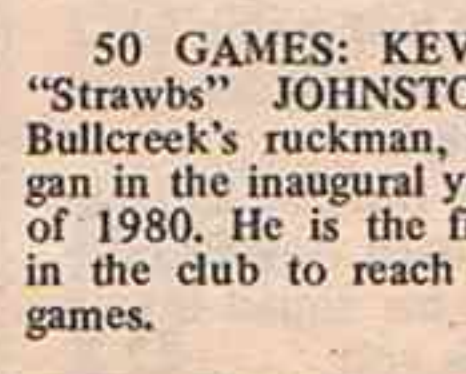
He won the 'A' Section fairest and best award in 1980.

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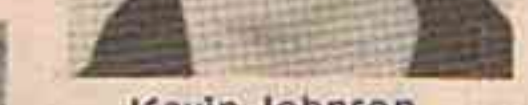


Jim Manifis

100 GAMES: Hellenic's colts coach JIM MANIFIS began in 1976 mainly at centre. He won the club's senior fairest and best award in 1976 and reserves in 1981. He was runner-up in 1977, club president in 1976 and 1981 and is now treasurer.



50 GAMES: KEVIN "Straws" JOHNSTON, Bullcreek's ruckman, began in the inaugural year of 1980. He is the first in the club to reach 50 games.



Kevin Johnson



Bob Merritt

50 GAMES: North Beach's former senior coach (1980-81) JOE O'NEIL is the 'A' league's current leading goal-kicker. He represented WA amateurs against Victoria and South Australia (1981). Formerly from Swan Districts and Thornlie.

THANKS

The W.A.A.F.L. wishes to acknowledge the help given to it by the many organizations and people who have contributed towards the 1982 Carnival.

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PAST CARNIVALS

Year	Played at	Winner	Best and Fairest
1936	Adelaide	Victoria	I. Galbraith (Victoria)
1938	Launceston	Victoria	L. Wilson (N.S.W.)
1948	Perth	South Australia	K. Rollason (Victoria)
1951	Melbourne	Victoria	J. Martin (Tasmania)
1953	Adelaide	Victoria	W. Thomas (Victoria)
1956	Hobart	Victoria	G. Hibbins (Victoria)
1959	Perth	Victoria	W. James (Western Australia)
1962	Melbourne	Victoria	G. Parker (Victoria)
1964	Adelaide	Victoria	D. Hughes (Victoria)
1967	Launceston	Victoria	R. Newton (Tasmania)
1970	Perth	South Australia	T. Brown (Victoria)
1973	Melbourne	South Australia	G. Rope (South Australia)
1976	Adelaide	South Australia	S. Beasley (Western Australia)
1979	Hobart	Victoria	G. Wright (Western Australia)

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CARNIVAL CELEBRATES GOLDEN JUBILEE

The first great Southern Football Carnival was held at Albany in 1922.

Football owes a continuing debt of thanks also to the many men who in the intervening years from 1922 have nurtured and developed the carnival concept to the stage where this week the Great Southern celebrates the Diamond Jubilee of Australia's oldest country football carnival.

Over the years the competing teams have altered, the numbers gone up and down and faces have come and gone, but yet the carnival has survived.

Throughout the 1920's and 1930's when transport and life both moved at a more leisurely pace the Great Southern Carnival was more than a football contest — it was also a major social event and the five towns through which it rotated looked forward eagerly to the year in which it was their turn to "run the carnival". After the 1922 carnival the venue moved to Katanning and then to Mt Barker where in 1924 the first of many changes occurred when the Wagin and Tambellup associations were admitted and the length of the carnival was extended from two to three days climaxing on the Saturday night with the Grand Carnival Ball.

Each of the six associations, with the exception of Tambellup which did not have the accommodation, hosted the event until 1937 when the first serious upheaval occurred and Katanning withdrew from the competition. To keep the teams evenly balanced a new association was formed mainly from the eastern end of the then very powerful Wagin association and the new team came into being as Dumbleyung-Lake Grace.

The last of the pre-war carnivals was played in 1939 and this was the first time that the carnival was broadcast to listeners throughout the area.

When Katanning was readmitted in 1939 it produced an odd number of teams so an elimination match was needed and Katanning defeated Albany before the actual event, thus causing Albany to miss its only carnival ever.

The Great Southern Council was reformed in 1946 after the war and numerically reached its greatest strength with the admission of Denmark. But the eight team competition proved too hard to handle, mainly through accommodation needs and only two carnivals were played with the eight teams.

For a few years elimination games were necessary to decide the six teams to take part, but after a few years Denmark withdrew.

One of the most significant changes in the carnival came in 1949 with the introduction of the colts competition and this special junior competition is something of which the Great Southern Council is justifiably proud.

In the late 1950's the trend towards major leagues was under way with Albany and Mt Barker combining in 1958 to form the first of the Great Southern leagues. However, the ultimate formation of leagues took a few more years and the old associations retained their carnival identity until 1962 when with much heartburning the first carnival of leagues was conducted and names like Narragin, Wagin, Albany and Katanning ceased to exist and Upper Great

Southern, Central Great Southern and Southern Districts came into being. With nowhere to amalgamate, Dumbleyung-Lake Grace changed their name temporarily to the Eastern Great Southern League but they eventually adopted the name of the Lake Grace-Kulin Association. The league carnivals were not popular. There was a lack of identity for many years. The social atmosphere of the carnival was lost and the interest fell away.

By 1974 the Great Southern Council was tottering and its premier event suffered as a result. For the one and only time, apart from the war years, no carnival was conducted.

Although the colts had been preserved the end result was even less successful and after two of these in 1975 and 1976 the decision was unofficially made to disband the council and so in early 1977 it met in effect to preside over its own demise.

Fortunately the Southern Districts delegates, who had arrived at the meeting prepared to go along with the winding up of the council, took a gamble.

They decided on the spur of the moment to offer to conduct a full scale carnival again. Permission was granted but the Upper Great Southern League declined to take part.

Their place was taken by the Ongerup Association which had been trying for some time to gain admittance to the Council and at the same time permission was granted to invite the Lower South West League to take part which they did on an invitation basis.

The special carnival proved a great success and with Upper Great Southern returning in 1978 six leagues were constituent members of the council as it remains today.

THE TEAMS

The squads playing in the annual Great Southern Carnival are:

CENTRAL GREAT SOUTHERN: D. Jessop, H. Edwards, M. Bowman, R. Trevaskis, G. Hall, M. Eades, S. Hill, B. Hunt, B. Loxton, R. Zilm, K. Ladyman, G. Ogilvey, J. Plietner, K. Broom, A. Brown, H. Milne, G. Saunders, B. Stewart, R. Hayward, G. McDonald, K. Jenkin, M. Batchelor (Capt.), P. Philpott (Coach), M. Gibbs.

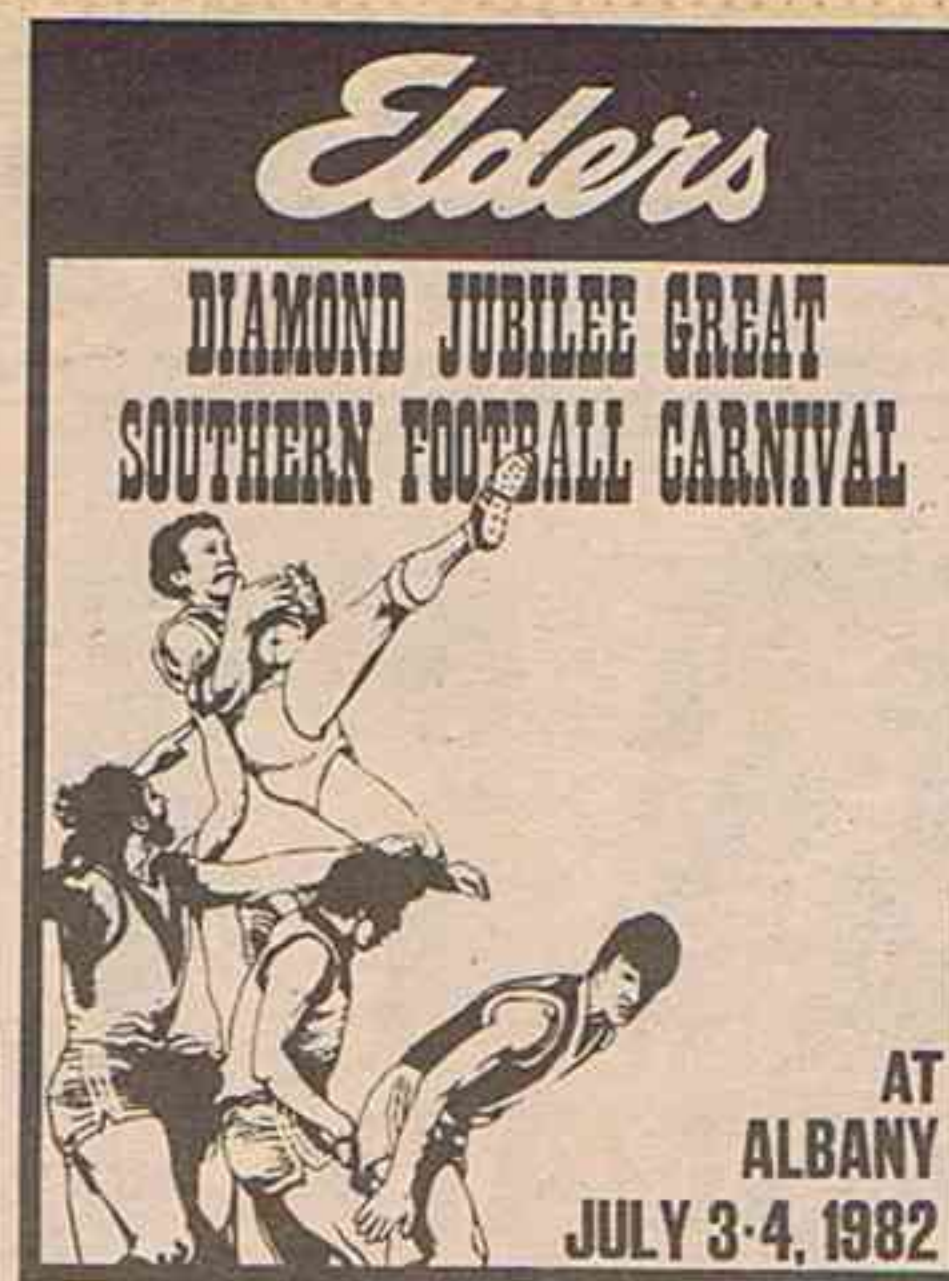
LAKE GRACE-KULIN: M. Halden, K. Kirn, D. Bradford, K. Arundel, D. Frost, B. West, T. Nosworthy, R. Edwards, M. Lestel, J. Ditchburn, R. Duckworth, B. Prater, J. O'Neill, R. Power, F. McGlenn, N. Bairstow, C. Robertson, T. Hardy, A. Smith, A. McDonald, M. Ledwith, P. Tilbrook, W. Simons, E. Mansfield, C. Szczesny, M. McGlenn, C. Dunkeld.

UPPER GREAT SOUTHERN: K. Drage, B. Duffield, P. Winmar, B. Hughes, G. Marsh, T. White, P. Naylor, S. Quartermaine, P. Cook, M. Ford, G. Ugle, G. Mason, M. Kain, M. Hiller, G. Baird, B. Winmar, S. Gillett, D. Webb, D. Tilbrook, G. Broad, G. Bolt, P. Dennett, K. Timms, R. Harrington, Coach — Ray Browne.

ONGERUP: D. Curtin, P. Smith, B. Badger, N. Harris, B. Bungly, N. Gray, G. Paterson (Vice-capt.), G. Bungey, I. Faulkner, P. Watkins, T. Broadhurst, L. Cheetham, R. Smith, T. Ross, R. Beattie, D. Badcock, M. Davis, R. Altham, R. Jones, S. Tuffley, A. Matthews (Capt.-Coach), R. Lester, B. Glossup, K. Sivigur, C. Connelly.

SOUTHERN DISTRICTS: W. Loo, K. Stephens, J. Hood, K. Williamson, C. Elliot, R. Mountford, K. Allsop, P. Howie, C. Cameron, J. Stothard, G. Lubcke, B. Dwyer, B. Khan, C. Bevan, R. Briggs, B. Beaton, G. Simpson, W. George, W. Edgar, R. Waugh, M. Waugh, S. Woods.

The team list for Lower South West did not arrive in time for the feature.



 Centennial Oval Saturday:
 9.45am : Lower South West v Upper Great Southern.
 12.45am : Southern Districts v Upper Great Southern.
 2.40pm : Southern Districts v Lower South West.
 Collingwood Park Saturday:
 9.45am : Central Great Southern v Lake Grace Kulin.
 12.45am : Central Great Southern v Ongerup.
 2.40pm : Lake Grace Kulin v Ongerup.
 Collingwood Park, Sunday:
 10.15am : Third and fourth play off.
 11.55am : Colts grand final Southern Districts v Upper Great Southern.
 2.30pm : Grand final Great Southern Carnival.

Carnival will be keenly contested

The Great Southern Football Carnival reaches a big milestone this year when the carnival celebrates its Diamond Jubilee this weekend.

The carnival, which will be conducted over two days at the town's two main football grounds, will be sponsored by Elders with support from Boral-Cyclone, Rumevite, Castrol and ICI Australia. A total of \$2,400 has been injected into the series by the sponsors and there is sure to be plenty of top competition for the prizemoney.

Since the carnival was rejuvenated in 1977 the prizemoney has been well shared. In 1977 Lake Grace-Kulin took off the title then did it again last year under Ross Ditchburn, who is now playing with VFL club Carlton.

Despite his loss, they should play a big part again this year. Their first match is against Central Great Southern at Collingwood Park and will be an important pointer to both sides prospects in the carnival.

After going through last year's series without notching a single win, Central Great Southern are sure to approach this weekend's carnival with plenty of determination. The side has been consistently down since winning the 1978 series.

The host league — Southern Districts — haven't won a title since 1979 and could be struggling again this year, following the loss of some of their regular stars.

Former captain-coach Peter Walsh is now playing in the South West and will be sadly missed.

Michael Bell and Ramon Smith have also moved away from the district, but on the credit side, former Claremont player Kim Bevan will add some strength.

The Lower South West Football League failed to win a game at last year's carnival and is yet to win a Southern Districts Carnival.

Their side looks stronger this year and will be well tested in their first match when they meet carnival favourites, Upper Great Southern at Centennial Oval.

Upper Great Southern finished third in last year's carnival but coach Ray Browne seems to have moulded his squad into a more competitive unit this year.

Ongerup have not performed too well over the years as far as winning games is concerned but they always make it difficult for the opposition.

They have the ability to win games in this carnival.

Preliminary games will begin on Saturday morning and the carnival will culminate with the playing of the grand final on Sunday afternoon.

DINNER FOR MEDALLISTS

As a special part of the 60th anniversary celebrations a special dinner will be held for the previous winners of the Caris Medal — awarded to the carnival's fairest and best players.

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Wesfarmers COUNTRY ROUNDUP

AVON DISPLAY TOP FORM

The Avon Football Association served notice they will be strong contenders for the Wesfarmers Football Championships title when they put up a solid performance against South Suburban sides on the weekend.

In a high scoring game in the A-grade game South Suburban won by 34 points - 24.25 to 20.15.

But it was a heartening effort from the Avon side.

There was nothing between the two teams all day and at the last change Avon were down by just 17 points.

G. Edwards (Avon) won the Range Ford award for being the best player afield while A. Jack (SSMFL) won the Perth Football Club award and D. Chaplin (SSMFL) received the East Fremantle award.

D. Kickett, Herman van De Beek, T. Reidy, M. Cramer, G. Webb and B. Fancote also put in big contributions for Avon.

G. Edwards was outstanding in kicking six goals.

In the B-grade game Avon proved successful and there were a number of players in the line-up who showed they deserved selection in the top side for the Wesfarmers carnival later this month.

Avon had a comfortable four goal lead at half time, but South Suburban came right back into calculations with an outstanding third quarter.

At the last change the scores were tied at 11.12 apiece.

Avon proved too strong in the run home and won 15.19 to 12.15.

W. Ryder (AFA) won the Range Ford award for being the best on ground and C. Brierty (SSMFL) won the East Fremantle award.

D. Clarke, S. Eeles, G. Henderson, M. O'Malley and G. Hughes were other good players for Avon.

KELLY DEFENDS TRIBUNAL

South West National Football League secretary Ray Kelly has defended the local tribunal.

Two players who did not attend a hearing as witnesses were suspended for one playing date each.

Their respective clubs then criticised the tribunal for what they thought were harsh penalties.

Bunbury's David Boothey and Augusta-Margaret River player Peter Semini were the players suspended.

Augusta-Margaret River appealed against the suspension imposed on Semini but it was dismissed by the tribunal.

Bunbury Football Club director Alan French said he could not see how the tribunal could ignore non-attendance for so long and then suddenly penalise players for not turning up.

Semini runs his own transport business and gave his reason for not turning out to the hearing as being bogged while on delivery. He also said he had not been told he had to be at the hearing by his club.

Boothey was attending Technical College in Perth and had informed Mr Kelly that he would not be able to attend.

Mr Kelly said other players had driven down from Perth to give evidence and added that players would have to get their priorities in line.



AS the Wesfarmers country championship looms up, a number of country leagues are taking part in hard-hitting practice matches.

Photographer Graeme Collopy was out and about recently to capture the action in this clash between Motlock and Central Midlands.

Paul Dann (Central Midlands) has the front spot in his quest for the ball but he has three Mortlock players (from left) Greg Miller, Vaughan Uphill and Phil King right on his tail.

SOUTH BUNBURY IN TROUBLE

South Bunbury are in the hot seat following their loss to Carey Park in the South West National Football League last Sunday.

The Tigers went down by 11 points and now there are three strong challengers for the final spot in the top five.

Busselton, although thrashed by Bunbury on Sunday, Mines Rovers and Augusta-Margaret River are just one game behind South Bunbury.

Mines Rovers, as predicted, picked up four points against Boyanup-Capel-Dardanup, but it was not as easy as expected as the Cardinals put up their best effort of the season.

Mines won by 27 points.

The game of the day was expected to result when second team Bunbury did battle with sixth placed Busselton.

But that was far from the case.

Bunbury completely over-powered their opponents 28.29 to 5.4 in what could only be described as an outstanding performance.

Augusta-Margaret River proved too strong for Donnybrook when they won 18.18 to 13.10.

Top team Collie had some anxious moments when they met fourth placed Harvey-Brunswick before eventually running out winners by nine points.

DAY OF UPSETS

In a day of upsets in the Eastern Districts Football League the top three teams lost to sides outside the top four.

League leaders Merredin went down to seventh team Kondinin, second side Corrigin were beaten by sixth placed Burracoppin and Bruce Rock, who were third, lost to fifth team Nukarni.

This means that Corrigin and Bruce Rock have now been displaced from the top four.

Narembeen, who beat Southern Cross, are now in second position while the other two places in the four have been filled by Nukarni and Burracoppin.

Kondinin pulled off the surprise of the day when they beat Merredin. It was not so much the fact that they won that caused the huge boilover but how easily they did the job.

They won by an impressive 37 points.

UGSNFL COMPETITION SPLIT IN TWO

The top five teams have built a bridge between themselves and the other five teams in the Upper Great Southern following last Sunday's fixtures.

All scored comfortable victories and the top five would now appear to be settled. But top team Pingelly had to fight tooth and nail to eventually beat eighth team Boddington.

Pingelly, undefeated this season, were taken by surprise as the Eagles showed great fighting qualities.

They had several of their stars out of action and it was considered to be their weakest side of the season, but the youngsters who were given their chance did the job well.

At three quarter time there was only a couple of goals separating both teams, but Pingelly turned on their football skills in the last term to win by 45 points.

Williams returned to their best form when they beat Federals 38.27 to 6.7 and it seems they are getting their act together at the right time of the season.

Rovers consolidated their place in the top five with a strong win over West Arthur while Wickpin predictably were too strong for Cuballing.

In the other match Railways recorded a big win over Towns - 20.19 to 4.11.

HAWKS BREAK THROUGH

Southern Districts National Football League team South Mt Barker have finally broke through for their first win.

The Hawks have been struggling all season but they played first class football to defeat final four contenders Denmark by a mammoth 91 points.

South Mt. Barker played top class football all day and never allowed their opponents a look in.

The other two matches went according to prediction as North Mt. Barker easily beat Royals in a lack lustre game and North Albany were too strong for Railways.

The Demons kicked 17.10 while Royals could muster just 8.12.

However, North Albany had their problems with Railways who fielded their strongest team of the season.

The Kangas, fresh from their first defeat, rebounded and finally wore down the determined Tigers to win 15.13 to 14.8 in a great match.

BOYANUP'S BLUES

Busselton are currently on the lookout for a ruckman or a ruck-rover to bolster their ranks.

The club was hoping for the return from South Africa of their top ruckman of last year in Dave Roberts, which would be the answer to their problem.

Unfortunately, Roberts in his first game back in the reserves injured his back and will take longer to regain fitness.

Night game in Exmouth

Last Saturday Carnarvon played Exmouth in their annual interleague clash - under lights.

The night game is a regular fixture on the calendar it was again an outstanding success.

It was hard fought encounter and Carnarvon hung on in the last quarter to beat a fast finishing Exmouth combination by 22 points.

G. Evans put in a top game for Carnarvon when he booted five goals and was the best player afield. A. Mathews also contributed up forward with four goals.

M. Landon (four goals) and P. Dellar (three) did the bulk of the scoring for Exmouth.

Evans, W. Forbes, K. Phillips, I. Miller, Revel Oakley and R. Fitzpatrick played well for Carnarvon while Landon, Clint Johns, K. Mescke, P. Flinn, Craig Johns and K. Shanks did best for Exmouth.

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AROUND THE CLUBS

With Gary Bartholomew

SUBI SUPERIOR

The Subiaco Junior Council were supreme during the WAFL inter-zone carnival held over the Foundation Day long weekend. Three of their four grades qualified for the forthcoming grand finals.

East Fremantle will have two combined sides in the play-off.

The 12's grade, due to be played at Subiaco Oval on Sunday July 18 at 9.30am, will be between Subiaco and West Perth.

Subiaco and East Fremantle follow that game at 11 am in the 14's grade.

The 16's will find Swan Districts and East Perth contest the title at Subiaco Oval on Saturday July 17 at 10.40 a.m., the morning of the State game between WA and South Australia.

East Perth can be considered lucky to make it to the grand final. They firstly beat West Perth by a point to qualify, then survived a protest in the same game.

Immediately before the main game on that day, East Fremantle defend their title against Subiaco in the 17's grade.

Listed below are the ladders for each grade after all qualifying games, placings are percentage order.

12's Division One: S(12), C(4), P(4), SD(4).

12's Division Two: WP(12), EF(8), SF(4), EP(0).

14's Division One: S(12), C(8), SD(4), P(0).

14's Division Two: EF(12), SF(4), EP(4), WP(4).

16's Division One: SD(12), P(4), S(4), C(4).

16's Division Two: EP(12), WP(8), SF(4), EF(0).

17's: EF(8), S(4), SD(4), C(4), P(0).

Proud club

Ken Judge, Rodger Kerr, Mal Dobson, Mick Jez (East Fremantle), Joe McKay (South Fremantle), Ben Jager (West Perth), Alan Johnson (Perth) and Ron Bayens (Subiaco) all have something in common with their junior football - they have all played for Palmyra in the East Fremantle Junior Council.

In fact, the list adds up to 26 former club footballers going on to make league ranks after playing juniors for Palmyra.

On Saturday July 17, the Palmyra club are holding their 25th anniversary dinner in the Function Room at East Fremantle Football Club starting at 7pm.

Single tickets are \$10 and all former players, officials and supporters are urged to attend.

Guest speakers will include some of the league footballers mentioned above.

Please contact Ron Adams on 339 5513 for further information.

Double milestone

Ten-year-old Tim Barrett-Leonard and Michael Castledine (9), a nephew of former Swans champion Fred Castledine, became the first player for the Upper Swan Junior Football Club to play 50 games when they took the field last Sunday against Maida Vale.

The Upper Swan club is in its third playing season in the Swan Districts Junior Council.

Christopher Milentis is the only other club player who will shortly bring up his 50 game milestone.

SUPERBOOT

Swan Districts Junior Council club Ashfield completely annihilated Kalamunda last Sunday in the 17's grade, winning 42.19 to 1.2.

It was only three years ago when the senior grade Kalamunda side were top team and would have treated the opposition the same way.

Full-forward Victor Lowe bagged 25 majors for Ashfield.

First defeat

North Dianella Junior Football Club experienced their first defeat in the 12's grade recently when they were easily downed by Ocean Ridge in a West Perth Junior Council fixture.

The final score was 10.6 to 3.4.

VICTORIA BOUND

The Perth Junior Council has named their 16's and under squad to represent them in August this year when they travel to Victoria as guests of the Richmond Football Club.

The 24 players are: Geoff Richetts, Peter Wearing, Colin Day, Stephen Withnell (Canning); John Hardwicke, Tony Cairns, Tim Beeson, Ian Bennell (Manning); Kim Pallier, Sean Archer, Peter Gath (Carlisle); Steven Davis, Danny Nestor, Kevin Bennett (Queens Park); Marty Sheppard, Karin Drummond (Centrals); Matt Erceg, Michael O'Brien (Collier); Luizi d'Emilio, Elio Mancini (East Vic. Park); Garth Turbett, Shane Galbraith (Kensington); Anthony Watson, Mark Savietto (South Perth).

HELEN'S A FIRST

Helen Bancroft is the first girl to play for the Palmyra Junior Football Club.

She plays in their 13's and under grade and is always prepared to mix it with the dominant sex.

100 GAMES

PERTH J.C.: Shane Galbraith (Canning 16's). CLAREMONT J.C.: Kim Gorey (Mosman Park 15's); South Suburban: Robert Van Styn (Gosnells 13's); South Fremantle J.C.: David Brookes (Coolbellup 16's).

50 GAMES

WEST PERTH J.C.: Phillip Huggins, Anthony Monterosso (Cardinals 11's); Brett Nugent, Nicky Wilson (Cardinals 14's); Anthony Rigali, Jack Versalli (Cardinals 16's); Gory Wise (Balga 12's).

CLAREMONT J.C.: Mathew Edwards (Mosman Park 11's).

EAST FREMANTLE J.C.: George and Vic Strnadica, Bradley Wenn, Martin Major, Keith North (Palmyra 15's); Dean Collins, Jim Musharovsky, Steven Moore, Greg Allen, Shaun Cabbage, Bram Barker (Palmyra 13's) Clayton Anderson (Palmyra 11's).

PERTH J.C.: David Raven (Manning 12's).

HILLS JUNIOR FOOTBALL ASSOC. - SWAN DISTRICTS ZONE -

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There was plenty of pressure in this R and I Little League clash between South Fremantle and Swan Districts. Here a South Fremantle player tries to get a handball away while two young Swans apply tackles.

SOUTHS MOVE UP THE TABLE

A STRONG win over Swan Districts has enabled South Fremantle to move into fifth spot on the R and I Little League premiership table.

The Bulldogs' junior council teams struggled early in the year, but when they scored 2.3 (15) while holding Swans down to one point they joined Swans on equal points on the ladder.

However, their superior percentage has placed them above their rivals.

South Fremantle dominated on Saturday and their good players were Paul Begovic, Michael Crookes, Craig Lindsay and Darren Bailey while Todd Snengar, Callum Winn and Jock Smith did well for Swans.

In the closest game of the round, Subiaco scored an exciting five point win over East Perth - 3.2 (20) to 2.3 (15).

John Petsos, Steven Pugh and John Hunter performed well for the young Lions while East Perth's best players were Gregory Bull, Michael Rowses and Adrian Bonners.

It was interesting to see Susan Lienert line up in the Royals side.

Kevin Taylor had two brothers playing in the East Fremantle side which beat Perth 3.4 (22) to 0.2.

Richard and Peter Taylor contributed well to the Old Easts' triumph as did Darren Agar and Peter O'Dowd.

Perth's best players were Troy Clarke, Cameron McIntosh and Ian Brennan.

Claremont proved too good for West Perth in Sunday's match when they scored 4.3 (27) to 1.1 (7).

Daniel Hoskin, Wayne Smith and Jamie Franklyn were among Claremont's best players while Adrian Williams, Bradley Nice and Craig Waterson did well for the young Falcons.

Claremont were represented by Whitfords, West Perth (Nollamara), Subiaco (Takari), East Perth (Dianella), East Fremantle (North Midlands), Perth (Queens Park), South Fremantle (Rockingham) and Swan Districts (Mines Rovers).

This week Claremont will be represented by Mt Barker, East Perth (Noranda), Swan Districts (Mines Rovers), East Fremantle (Gosnells), South Fremantle (Upper Great Southern), Perth (Manning), Subiaco (Northern Districts), West Perth (Balga).

JUNIOR QUIZ

Our junior readers (under 16) have the chance to test their knowledge and win a Westside Football colour poster in our new quiz.

Four of our great caricature posters (shown in the advertisement on page 9) will be given away each week to the first correct entries opened.

The winners of last week's competition were: Frank Russo of Balcatta, Dayle Joseph of Geraldton, Greg Moss of Eden Hill, Joe Versace of Bunbury.

The answer to our first quiz was Peter Featherby.

WHO AM I?

I am presently playing for my second W.A.F.L. club. While in Victoria, where I also played for two clubs, I won the fairest and best award for the V.F.L. reserves competition. I notched up 147 games with my original W.A. club. The club I now play for have colours not seen in the Victorian or South Australian leagues. It is my second season with the club.

Answer:
Name:
Address:
.....P/C.....
Age:
My favourite club:

Send your entries to:

Junior Quiz,
Westside Football
215 Oxford Street,
Leederville, W.A. 6007.

Entries should reach us by the Tuesday following publication.

PREMIERSHIP TABLE

	P	W	L	D	For	Agst	%	Pts
SUBIACO	14	11	3	-	264	141	187	44
CLMONT	14	10	3	1	227	109	208	42
PERTH	14	9	4	-	289	131	221	36
W. PERTH	14	6	8	-	203	168	121	24
Sth. Frem.	14	5	8	1	154	213	72	22
Swan Dist.	14	5	8	1	105	230	46	22
East Perth	14	5	9	-	136	203	67	20
East Frem.	14	3	10	1	98	281	35	14



National FIXTURES-RESULTS



WAFL

Matches played on grounds of first mentioned clubs, except those indicated (S) which will be played at Subiaco.

MARCH 27
Cl'mont 20.9, East Perth 16.20
Swans 20.28, East Frem. 23.17
Sth. Frem. 24.25, Perth 12.12
Subiaco 13.11, W. Perth 15.21

APRIL 3
E. Frem. 15.10, Cl'mont 23.13
W. Perth 30.15, S. Frem. 11.16
Perth 16.10, Subiaco 13.17

APRIL 4 - SUNDAY
E. Perth 17.9, Swans 20.25

APRIL 10
Swans 25.18, W. Perth 13.13
Perth 9.8, E. Perth 17.9

APRIL 12
S. Frem. 20.19, Cl'mont 17.9
Subiaco 14.26, E. Frem. 23.15

APRIL 17
E. Frem. 11.11, S. Frem. 24.28
Cl'mont 28.18, Subiaco 10.16
E. Perth 26.15, W. Perth 24.7
Perth 20.14, Swans 26.14

APRIL 24
S. Frem. 16.11, E. Perth 18.15 (S)
W. Perth 21.10, E. Frem. 22.16
Swans 26.18, Subiaco 15.15
Claremont 27.24, Perth 10.8

MAY 1
Perth 18.10, W. Perth 25.12
Subiaco 18.10, Sth. Frem. 18.13
Swans 16.12, Claremont 12.16
East Frem. 17.9, East Perth 19.13

MAY 8
E. Perth 14.13, Subiaco 13.15
S. Frem. 12.7, Swans 28.16
W. Perth 16.13, Cl'mont 14.15

MAY 9 - SUNDAY
Perth 18.14, E. Frem. 24.18 (S)

MAY 15
E. Perth 11.11, Claremont 13.19
E. Frem. 13.15, Swans 19.21 (S)
Perth 13.15, S. Frem. 14.19
W. Perth 15.14, Subiaco 12.13

MAY 22
Swans 22.16, E. Perth 16.15
Cl'mont 24.22, E. Frem. 19.8
S. Frem. 17.17, W. Perth 15.14
Subiaco 19.15, Perth 23.17

MAY 29
W. Perth 20.21, Swans 11.13
E. Perth 20.13, Perth 12.11
Cl'mont 21.16, S. Frem. 21.19
E. Frem. 17.10, Subiaco 13.14

JUNE 5
W. Perth 14.20, E. Perth 13.10
Swans 19.14, Perth 14.14

JUNE 7
S. Frem. 13.16, E. Frem. 16.11
Subiaco 8.17, Cl'mont 14.11

JUNE 12
E. Frem. 14.14, W. Perth 21.15
E. Perth 19.21, S. Frem. 14.12
Subiaco 13.16, S. Dist. 25.17
Perth 19.15, Cl'mont 32.18

ADELAIDE:
SA 29.23, WA 12.9

JUNE 19
Cl'mont 18.16, Swans 17.12
E. Perth 19.13, E. Frem. 9.16
Perth 14.11, W. Perth 18.18
S. Frem. 24.30, Subiaco 11.9

JUNE 26
Subiaco 11.13, E. Perth 13.14
E. Frem. 20.16, Perth 14.13
S. Dist. 25.15, S. Frem. 15.14
W. Perth 15.11, Cl'mont 16.24

HOME GROUNDS

Subiaco Subiaco
West Perth Leederville
East Perth Perth
Perth Lathlain
East Fremantle East Fremantle
South Fremantle Fremantle
Swan Districts Bassendean
Claremont Claremont
League Headquarters Subiaco

JULY 3
Claremont v East Perth
Swan Districts v East Frem.
South Frem. v Perth
Subiaco v West Perth

JULY 10
East Perth v Swan Districts
East Frem. v Claremont
West Perth v South Frem.
Perth v Subiaco

JULY 13 - TUESDAY
Western Australia v Victoria (S)

JULY 17
W. Australia v S. Australia (S)

JULY 24
West Perth v Swan Districts
Perth v East Perth
South Frem. v Claremont
Subiaco v East Frem.

JULY 31
East Frem. v South Frem.
Claremont v Subiaco
East Perth v West Perth
Perth v Swan Districts (S)

AUGUST 7
South Frem. v East Perth
West Perth v East Frem.
Swan Districts v Subiaco
Claremont v Perth (S)

AUGUST 14
West Perth v Perth
Swan Districts v Claremont
East Frem. v East Perth

AUGUST 15 - SUNDAY
Subiaco v South Frem.

AUGUST 21
East Perth v Subiaco
Perth v East Frem.
South Frem. v Swan Districts
Claremont v West Perth

AUGUST 28
FIRST SEMI-FINAL (S)
SEPTEMBER 4
SECOND SEMI-FINAL (S)
SEPTEMBER 11
PRELIMINARY FINAL (S)
SEPTEMBER 18
GRAND FINAL (S)

VFL

Matches played on grounds of first mentioned club except where indicated as follows:— (P) VFL Park; (S) Sydney and (B) Brisbane.

MARCH 20 (Part Round 2)
Fitzroy 13.11 Rich. 20.10

MARCH 27 (Round 1)
C'wood 7.16, Geelong 21.10
Ess'don 29.16, F'scray 11.15
Carlton 16.17, Fitzroy 17.11
St Kilda 12.16, H'thorne 17.17
R'mond 18.14, Nth. Melb 15.14

MARCH 28 (Part Round 1)
Sth. Melb. 20.17, Melb. 16.12

APRIL 3 (Round 2)
Carlton 8.17, Essendon 13.13
F'scray 14.8, Col'wood 15.14
Hawthorn 13.19, Geelong 11.12
Melb. 20.26, St. Kilda 16.10
N. Melb. 24.13, S. Melb. 16.21

APRIL 10 & 12 (Round 3)
H'thorn 28.26, Footscray 7.9
Col'wood 13.16, Carlton 20.8
R'mond 25.28, Essendon 16.14
Geelong 21.12, Melbourne 5.16
Fitzroy 14.16, N. Melb. 25.14
St Kilda 17.14, S. Melb. 20.22

APRIL 17 (Round 4)
R'mond 15.17, Col'wood 10.15
Melb. 19.12, Footscray 19.19
Carlton 21.22, Hawthorn 12.15
Essendon 12.19, N. Melb. 14.24
St Kilda 16.9, Geelong 13.14

APRIL 18 (Part Round 4)
S. Melb. 24.18, Fitzroy 14.22

APRIL 24 (Round 5)
Melb. 9.12, Carlton 9.22 (P)
Hawthorn 13.22, R'Mond. 10.22
N. Melb. 19.22, Col'wood 18.11
Footscray 15.20, St. Kilda 20.9
Fitzroy 18.19, Essendon 15.12
Geelong 12.12, S. Melb. 11.16

MAY 1 (Round 6)
H'thorne 19.21, Nth. Melb. 15.11
C'wood 13.10, Fitzroy 12.19
R'mond 18.8, Melbourne 15.16
St. Kilda 11.14, Carlton 16.22
Geelong 17.20, F'scray 7.22

MAY 2 (Part Round 6)
Sth. Melb. 15.21, Ess'don 18.9

MAY 8 (Round 7)
Melb. 22.11, N. Melb. 28.12
Fitzroy. 19.14, H'thorne 17.15
Carlton 15.20, Geelong 7.7
Ess'don 17.20, Col'wood 9.13
Footscray 15.20, S. Melb. 20.11
St. Kilda 17.12, R'mond 21.14

MAY 15 (Round 8)
Fitzroy 13.21, Melb. 25.14
N. Melb. 23.18, St. Kilda 6.16
Geelong 12.15, R'mond 11.23
H'thorn 15.15, E'don 16.15
F'cray 11.11, Carlton 14.22

MAY 16 (Part Round 8)
S. Melb. 15.25, C'wood 13.19 (S)

MAY 22 (Round 9)
Geelong 15.19, N. Melb. 9.9
R'mond 21.13, Footscray 14.14
C'wood 13.14, H'thorn 17.12
Essendon 19.19, Melb. 12.13
St Kilda 16.19, Fitzroy 25.12
Carlton 27.23, S. Melb. 12.11

MAY 29 (Round 10)
Essendon 22.17, St. Kilda 18.11
Carlton 18.16, R'mond 16.11
Melb. 16.24, C'wood 17.11
F'cray 15.10, N. Melb. 23.20
Fitzroy 25.11, Geelong 19.18
S. Melb. 15.13, H'thorn 24.13 (S)

MAY 30 (Part Round 10)
South Melb. v Hawthorn (S)

JUNE 5 (Round 11)
F'scray 16.12, Fitzroy 23.22
C'wood 26.16, St. Kilda 21.10
H'thorn 26.22, Melb. 14.15
N. Melb. 13.18, Carlton 15.15
Geelong 10.11, Ess'don 17.9
R'mond 20.14, S. Melb. 18.25

JUNE 12 & 14 (Round 12)
Rich. 23.18, Fitzroy 17.16
St Kilda 14.11, Melb. 19.24
Geel. 6.17, Hawthorn 17.10 (P)
Essend. 19.12, Carlton 8.18
Coll. 24.19, F'scray 14.13

JUNE 13 (Part Round 12)
Swans 15.15, Nth. Melb. 16.15

JUNE 19/20
Swans 30.19, St Kilda 15.13
R'mond 12.10, Essendon 10.5 P
Carlton 12.26, C'wood 9.17
F'scray 16.11, H'thorn 12.20
N. Melb. 13.10, Fitzroy 11.21
Melb. 21.8, Geelong 10.10

JUNE 26 (Round 14)
F'scray 14.8, Melb. 13.16
H'thorn 17.14, Carlton 12.10
C'wood 10.12, R'mond 13.16
Geelong 17.8, St Kilda 10.3
N. Melb. 14.13, Essendon 15.15
Fitzroy 16.16, The Swans 20.13

JULY 3 (Round 15)
Collingwood v North Melb. (P)
Essendon v Fitzroy
St Kilda v Footscray
Carlton v Melbourne
Richmond v Hawthorn

JULY 4 (Part Round 15)
South Melb. v Geelong (S)

JULY 10 & 17 (Round 16)
Carlton v St Kilda (P)
Hawthorn v North Melb.
Melbourne v Richmond
Footscray v Geelong
Fitzroy v Collingwood
Essendon v South Melb.

JULY 24 (Round 17)
Hawthorn v Fitzroy (P)
Richmond v St Kilda
North Melb. v Melbourne
Geelong v Carlton
Collingwood v Essendon

HOME GROUNDS

Footscray Western Oval
Fitzroy Junction Oval
Richmond M.C.G.
Geelong Kardinia Park
Hawthorn Princes Park
South Melbourne Sydney Cricket Ground
Melbourne M.C.G.
Carlton Princes Park
Essendon Windy Hill
North Melbourne Arden St. Oval
St. Kilda Moorabbin Oval
Collingwood Victoria Park
League Headquarters V.F.L. Park

JULY 25 (Part Round 17)
South Melb. v Footscray (S)

JULY 31 (Round 18)
Richmond v Geelong (P)
Carlton v Footscray
Melbourne v Fitzroy
St Kilda v North Melb.
Essendon v Hawthorn
Collingwood v South Melb.

AUGUST 7 (Round 19)
Melb. v Essendon (P)
Hawthorn v Collingwood
Footscray v Richmond
North Melb. v Geelong
Fitzroy v St Kilda

AUGUST 8 (Part Round 19)
South Melb. v Carlton (S)

AUGUST 14 (Round 20)
North Melb. v Footscray (P)
Richmond v Carlton
Collingwood v Melbourne
St Kilda v Essendon
Geelong v Fitzroy
Hawthorn v South Melb.

AUGUST 21 (Round 21)
St Kilda v Collingwood (P)
Carlton v North Melb.
Melbourne v Hawthorn
Fitzroy v Footscray
Essendon v Geelong

AUGUST 22 (Part Round 21)
South Melb. v Richmond (S)

AUGUST 28 (Round 22)
Fitzroy v Carlton (P)
Hawthorn v St Kilda
North Melb. v Richmond
Geelong v Collingwood
Footscray v Essendon
Melbourne v South Melb.

SEPTEMBER 4
Team No. 2 v Team No. 3
Team No. 4 v Team No. 5

SEPTEMBER 11
Team No. 3 v Team No. 4
Team No. 1 v Team No. 2

SEPTEMBER 18
PRELIMINARY FINAL
SEPTEMBER 25
GRAND FINAL

SANFL

First match listed on each date played at Football Park. Thereafter, games played on home ground of first mentioned club. ● Sunday game (all at Football Park)

APRIL 3
W Adel. 23.11, C Dist. 20.19
Glenelg 17.13, N'wood 14.12
P. Adel. 17.21, S. Adel. 7.6
W. Adel. 20.20, Sturt 16.12
W. Torr. 13.18, W'ville 14.9

APRIL 10
P. Adel. 12.6, N'wood 12.13
Sturt 25.24, W. Adel. 21.20
W. Torr. 13.12, N. Adel. 24.22
W'ville 18.18, C. Dist. 26.10
S. Adel. 22.8, Glenelg 21.10

APRIL 17
W. Torr. 13.15, Sturt 29.18
C. Dist. 20.13, Glenelg 21.15
N'wood 17.17, S. Adel. 13.12
W. Adel. 13.12, P. Adel. 16.18
W'ville 15.11, N. Adel. 15.12

APRIL 24
C. Dist. 16.22, W. Torr. 9.12
W. Adel. 18.12, N'Wood. 17.10
N. Adel. 10.9, S. Adel. 16.11

APRIL 26
P. Adel. 11.15, Glenelg 12.9
Sturt 24.20, W'ville 7.8

MAY 1
W. Adel. 27.19, W'ville 13.13
S. Adel. 17.18, W. Torr 13.18
Glenelg 15.21, Sturt 24.16
N'wood 26.14, N. Adel. 11.16
P. Adel. 19.17, C. Dist. 7.9

MAY 8/9
N. Adel. 11.17, W. Adel. 20.18
C. Dist. 22.13, N'wood. 14.10
Sturt 23.12, P. Adel. 18.12
W'ville. 9.10, S. Adel. 28.23
W. Torr. 10.14, Glenelg. 19.20

MAY 15
C. Dist. 18.15, Sturt 20.15
S. Adel. 8.8, W. Adel. 15.19
Glenelg 31.30, W'ville 12.11
N'wood 25.22, W. Torr 9.6
P. Adel. 27.9, N. Adel. 15.15

MAY 17
S. Aust 21.13, Vic 18.19

MAY 22/23
P. Adel 20.21, W'ville 12.7
Glenelg 23.16, N. Adel 16.10
S. Adel 15.15, C. Dist. 23.13
W. Adel 36.12, W. Torr 16.5
N'wood 15.6, Sturt 17.21

MAY 29/30
Sturt 17.7, S. Adel. 11.18
Glenelg 32.13, W. Adel. 11.17
W'ville 15.14, N'wood 17.12
N. Adel. 17.15m C. Dist. 23.12

JUNE 5/6
N. Adel. 12.16, Sturt 25.16
S. Adel. 11.6, P. Adel. 24.14
N'wood 22.8, Glenelg 17.16
W'ville 18.9, W. Torr 19.17
C. Dist. 19.7, W. Adel. 18.19

JUNE 12
SA 29.23, WA 12.9

JUNE 14
Cent. Dist. 22.17, W'ville 7.16
Torrens 9.14, N. Adel. 19.21
Glen. 18.14, S. Adel. 14.11
P. Adel 11.12, N'wood 8.8
W. Adel. 20.12, Sturt 6.16

JUNE 19/20
Port Adel. 7.6, W. Adel. 10.15
S. Adel 11.7, N'wood 8.11
Sturt 12.9, W. Torr. 6.4
N. Adel 22.11, W'ville 15.5
Glenelg 12.13, C. Dist. 9.9

JUNE 26
S Adel 11.7 N Adel 14.13
P Adel 19.16 Glenelg 11.10
Torrens 21.10 C Dist 12.7
W'ville 6.13 Sturt 27.18
N'w 24.14 W Adel 17.15

HOME GROUNDS

North Adelaide Prospect
South Adelaide Adelaide Oval
Central District Elizabeth
Port Adelaide Alberton
Norwood Norwood
West Torrens Thebarton
Sturt Unley
West Adelaide Richmond
Glenelg Glenelg
Woodville Woodville
League Headquarters Football Park

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WAFL



SATURDAY JUNE 26, 1982

SWAN DISTRICTS	9.3	14.9	18.12	25.15	165
SOUTH FREMANTLE	3.5	9.8	13.11	15.14	104

SCORERS: SWAN DISTRICTS: Richardson 4.2; Baker 3.1; Boucher 3.0; Blackaby, Sartori 2.2; Nowotny 2.1; Melrose, K. Narkle, Shine 2.0; Holmes, P. Narkle, Sidebottom 1.1; Fogarty 0.1; forced 0.3. SOUTH FREMANTLE: Townsend 3.4; Monteath 3.1; Rawlinson 3.0; O'Brien, Vigona 2.1; Hardie, Roe 1.1; Vernon 0.2; Sadler 0.1; forced 0.2.

UMPIRES: J. Morris, D. Rowe. Swan Districts won toss and kicked to western end. Free-kicks: SWAN DISTRICTS: 11, 9, 10, 8-38; out-of-bounds 4; 15m 6. SOUTH FREMANTLE: 8, 9, 12, 8-37; out-of-bounds 0; 15m 1. Played at Bassendean Oval, Attendance: 10,151

EAST PERTH	4.5	7.9	11.12	13.14	92
SUBIACO	2.3	5.6	7.8	11.13	79

SCORERS: EAST PERTH: Spencer 4.3; Turner 4.2; Hayes, Campbell, Allen 1.1; Kickert, Christian 1.0; Nolan, Scott 0.2; Dimmer 0.1; forced 0.1. SUBIACO: Court 3.1; McFaul 3.0; C. Brown 2.1; Marshall 1.2; Scott 1.1; Lee 1.0; Valli 0.3; Cotter, Keene, Perry 0.1; forced 0.2.

UMPIRES: R. Buckley, R. Capes. East Perth won toss and kicked to western end. Free-kicks: EAST PERTH: 9, 8, 7, 5-29; out-of-bounds 1; 15m 8. SUBIACO: 9, 7, 8, 4-28; out-of-bounds 1; 15m 3. Played at Subiaco Oval, Attendance: 5,074

EAST FREMANTLE	7.3	11.4	13.12	20.16	136
PERTH	4.3	9.4	11.7	14.13	97

SCORERS: EAST FREMANTLE: Clucas 5.3; Waterson 4.0; Taylor 3.0; Sewell 2.5; Kerr, Lester-Smith 2.1; Pitorino 1.2; Brenton 1.0; Judge 0.2; Purser 0.1; forced 0.1. PERTH: Rea 5.2; Kimberley 2.1; Lane 1.2; Cousins, Whitfort 1.1; O. McGuire, Carter, Freame, Baxter 1.0; Simms 0.3; Shepherd, O'Connell 0.1; forced 0.1.

UMPIRES: M. Ball, D. Gillies. Perth won toss and kicked to western end. Free-kicks: EAST FREMANTLE: 11, 12, 5, 8-36; out-of-bounds 0; 15m 2. PERTH: 6, 10, 12, 11-39; out-of-bounds 2; 15m 1. Played at East Fremantle Oval, Attendance: 3,616

SUNDAY JUNE 27, 1982

CLAREMONT	4.8	8.16	13.19	16.24	120
WEST PERTH	1.4	3.4	11.7	15.11	101

SCORERS: CLAREMONT: Ralph 5.5; M. Watson 3.2; B. Farmer, Shaw 2.1; Malaxos 1.3; Goulding 1.2; Daniels 1.1; Jamieson 1.0; Hocking 0.2; Panizza, Kanther, Blackwell 0.1; forced 0.4. WEST PERTH: Adamson 5.2; Gibbs 3.0; Murnane 2.1; Stasinowsky 1.3; Warwick, Gavranich, Menaglio, Ellen 1.0; Fitzsimmons 0.2; Michalczyk, Palm 0.1; forced 0.1.

UMPIRES: R. Powell, R. Phillips. West Perth won toss and kicked to southern end. Free-kicks: CLAREMONT: 6, 8, 5, 5-24; out-of-bounds 2; 15m 1. WEST PERTH: 3, 6, 5, 6-20; out-of-bounds 5; 15m 1. Played at Leederville Oval, Attendance: 18,556

RESULTS - ROUND 2

West Perth (2) 30 (\$5,000); Claremont (4) 29½; East Perth (5) 26½; Swan Districts (4) 24; South Fremantle (1½) 22½; East Fremantle (5) 18; Perth (1) 10½; Subiaco (1) 8.

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ESSENDON	4.3	10.7	12.9	15.15	105
NORTH MELBOURNE	5.2	7.5	11.10	14.13	97

SCORERS: ESSENDON: Otway, Buhagiar, Copping, S. Madden 3; Watson 2; Hawker 1. NORTH MELBOURNE: Blight 4; Schimmelbusch 3; Carman, Dench 2; Kelly, Hodgeman, Atkins 1.

BEST: ESSENDON: Danlher, Neagle, Otway, Buhagiar, J. Madden, Copping. NORTH MELBOURNE: Blight, Schimmelbusch, Glendinning, Dench, Graig, McCann. Played at MCG, attendance 47,656.

HAWTHORN	3.4	6.6	12.10	17.14	116
CARLTON	3.1	7.3	11.7	12.10	82

SCORERS: HAWTHORN: Matthews, Goad, Kennedy 3; Russo, Wallace 2; Paton, Tuck, Loveridge, Greene 1. CARLTON: Fitzpatrick, Bosustow, Maylin, Ashman, Lenaghan 2; Marchesani, Glascott.

BEST: HAWTHORN: Matthews, O'Halloran, Eade, Mew, Wallace, Goad. CARLTON: Maylin, Glascott, Southby, Fitzpatrick, Harmes, Ashman. Played at Princes Park, attendance 23,354.

GEELONG	2.2	8.2	10.5	17.8	110
ST KILDA	3.2	5.3	9.3	10.3	63

SCORERS: GEELONG: Blake 4; Harrison 3; Reynoldson, Turner, Peake 2; Reed, Bruns, O'Keefe, Nichols. ST KILDA: Middlemiss 2; Sarau, Duperouzel, Dunne, Meehan, Scott, Burns, Odgers, Brees.

BEST: GEELONG: Reynoldson, Bruns, Turner, Murrle, Reed, Blake. ST KILDA: Cunningham, Dunne, Burns, Thomas, Meehan, Sarau. Played at Kardinia Park, attendance

RICHMOND	4.6	7.12	9.13	13.16	94
COLLINGWOOD	2.1	4.3	8.10	10.12	72

SCORERS: RICHMOND: Rowlings, S. Williams 3; Preston 2; Raines, Brewer, Weightman, Cloke, Lee 1. COLLINGWOOD: Williams 3; Teasdale, Daicos 2; Floyd, Ryan, Davis 1.

BEST: RICHMOND: Dunn, Preston, Wood, S. Williams, Rioli, Rowlings. COLLINGWOOD: Peart, Williams, Dlacos, Banks, Ryan, Moore. Played at Victoria Park, attendance 25,409.

THE SWANS	4.0	9.2	14.7	20.13	133
FITZROY	7.5	10.8	14.12	16.16	112

SCORERS: THE SWANS: T. Morwood, Bright 3; Smith, Braddy, Hounsell, Tauger, Scott 2; Foschini, Evans, Danlher, Kruse 1. FITZROY: Conlan, Wilson, McMahon 3; Gotch 2; Francis, Rendell, Serafini, Parish, Murnane 1.

BEST: THE SWANS: T. Morwood, Scott, Rhys-Jones, Kruse, Browning, Hounsell. FITZROY: Wilson, Serafini, Conlan, McMahon. Played at Junction Oval, attendance 12,300.

MELBOURNE	3.6	8.12	10.13	13.16	94
FOOTSCRAY	5.2	5.2	11.4	14.8	92

SCORERS: MELBOURNE: Jackson 5; Flower, Healy 2; Johnson, Battiston, Connolly, Icke 1. FOOTSCRAY: Beasley 6; Templeton 5; Edmond, N. Cordy, Christensen 1.

BEST: MELBOURNE: Johnson, Jackson, Icke, Flower, Fidge, O'Sullivan. FOOTSCRAY: Beasley, Templeton, Edmond, N. Cordy, Egan, Berry. Played at VFL Park, attendance 18,947.

VFL RESERVES

Footscray 21.19 (145) d Melbourne 5.9 (39); Collingwood 18.12 (120) d Richmond 6.14 (150); Carlton 21.14 (140) d Hawthorn 13.12 (90); North Melbourne 11.18 (84) d Essendon 8.18 (66); The Swans 18.13 (121) d Fitzroy 8.4 (52).

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VICTORIA: 58 - B. Taylor (Rich) 0; 57 - M. Blight (North) 4; 51 - G. Healy (Melb.) 2; 42 - P. Dalcos (C'wood) 2; 41 - S. Beasley (F'scray) 6; 40 - L. Matthews (H'thorn) 3; 39 - M. Jackson (Melb.) 5.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA: 57 - Evans (Port) 3; 55 - Edwards (Central) 2; 53 - Pierson (W'ville) 3; 49 - Davies (Sturt) 5; 48 - Reynolds (South) 5.

SANFL



WEST TORRENS	5.2	11.6	14.10	21.10	136
CENTRAL DISTRICT	5.0	8.2	9.5	12.7	79

SCORERS: WEST TORRENS: Phillippou 5; Inglis 5; Green 4; Robson 2; Downie 2; Hanna, K. Hill, Pavlich. CENTRAL DISTRICT: Wilson 3; Edwards 2; Beythien 2; Vivan, Mobbs, Platten, Moore, Bubner.

BEST: WEST TORRENS: Phillippou, Hanna, Inglis, T. Hill, Pavlich, Leskovic. CENTRAL DISTRICT: Platen, Mobbs, Bubner, Beythien. Played at Thebarton, attendance

NORTH ADELAIDE	5.5	9.7	11.10	14.13	97
SOUTH ADELAIDE	3.0	3.3	7.5	11.7	73

SCORERS: NORTH ADELAIDE: Dietrich 3; Owens 3; A. Stringer 2; Lokan, Antrobus, Phillips, Sanders, Russell, L. Stanbridge. SOUTH ADELAIDE: Reynolds 5; Fairclough 2; Kepler 2; Aitken, Irvine.

BEST: NORTH ADELAIDE: Philips, Clisby, Riley, Redden, Klomp, Owens. SOUTH ADELAIDE: Palmer, Ivanoff, Hawkes, Naley. Played at Football Park, attendance

STURT	1.6	14.11	20.14	27.18	180
WOODVILLE	2.2	2.5	5.10	6.13	49

SCORERS: STURT: Zim 6; Davies 5; Pfeiffer 4; Graham 3; Hollis 3; Howard 2; Smith 2; Zubrinich 2. WOODVILLE: Pierson 3; MacKereth, Fuller, Guest.

BEST: STURT: Graham, Zim, Howard, Zubrinich, Pfeiffer, Spiel. WOODVILLE: Fuller, Parker, Koop, Person, Dowsett. Played at Woodville, attendance

PORT ADELAIDE	8.1	10.3	15.12	19.16	130
GLENELG	2.0	6.2	8.5	11.10	76

SCORERS: PORT: A. Williams 3; S. Williams 3; Bradley 3; Huppatt 3; Evans 3; Kinnear, Belton, Cunningham, Ebert. GLENELG: Symonds 3; McGuinness 2; Kernahan, McDermott, Carey, Weston, Paynter, K. McInerney.

BEST: PORT ADELAIDE: Giles, Bradley, Phillips, Eckermann, Belton, Cunningham, Huppatt, Ebert. GLENELG: Kernahan, McGuinness, MacFarlane, McDermott. Played at Alberton, attendance

NORWOOD	4.4	10.6	19.8	24.14	158
WEST ADELAIDE	4.2	5.7	12.8	17.15	117

SCORERS: NORWOOD: M. Aish 4; Michallaney 3; G. Thomas 3; Roberts 3; Turbill 2; Fehring 2; Fosdike 2; A. Aish 2; Button, Warhurst, K. Thomas. WEST ADELAIDE: Lindner 6; Falting 3; Grosser 3; Mickan, Luders, Rechner, Bennett, Borchard.

BEST: NORWOOD: M. Aish, Laughlin, Turbill, K. Thomas, A. Aish, Winter, Schmaal. WEST ADELAIDE: De Jong, Falting, Fielke, Lindner, Grosser. Played at Adelaide Oval, attendance

PREMIERSHIP	P	W	L	For	Agst	Pc	Pts
SWAN DISTRICTS	14	11	3	2033	1528	133.04	44
CLAREMONT	14	10	4	1738	1355	128.27	40
WEST PERTH	14	9	5	1650	1464	112.71	36
EAST PERTH	14	9	5	1619	1475	109.76	36
South Fremantle	14	8	7	1704	1713	99.47	32
East Fremantle	14	7	7	1644	1818	90.43	28
Perth	14	2	12	1444	2020	71.48	8
Subiaco	14	-	14	1305	1805	72.29	0

WAFL Reserves

WAFL Reserves	P	W	L	For	Agst	Pc	Pts
EAST PERTH	14	9	5	1701	1472	115.55	36
SUBIACO	14	9	5	1555	1475	105.42	36
WEST PERTH	14	9	5	1683	1602	105.05	36
CLAREMONT	14	7	7	1698	1420	119.57	28
East Fremantle	14	7	7	1742	1531	113.78	28
Swan Districts	14	7	7	1566	1718	91.15	28
South Fremantle	14	5	9	1527	1832	83.35	20
Perth	14	3	11	1436	1777	80.81	12

WAFL Colts

WAFL Colts	P	W	L	D	For	Agst	Pc	Pts
EAST PERTH	14	11	3	-	1260	1000	126.00	44
SUBIACO	14	10	3	1	1333	841	158.50	42
CLAREMONT	14	9	5	-	1248	1055	118.29	36
SOUTH FREMANTLE	14	8	4	2	1352	1173	115.26	36
East Fremantle	14	8	5	1	1391	1082	128.55	34
Swan Districts	14	3	11	-	1087	1239	87.73	12
Perth	14	3	11	-	1053	1632	64.52	12
West Perth	14	2	12	-	970	1672	58.01	8

VFL

VFL	P	W	L	D	For	Agst	Pc	Pts
RICHMOND	14	12	2	-	1670	1395	119.7	48
CARLTON	14	10	3	1	1524	1256	121.3	42
HAWTHORN	14	10	4	-	1723	1324	130.1	40
ESSENDON	14	10	4	-	1623	1356	119.7	40
NORTH MELBOURNE	14	9	5	-	1719	1490	115.4	36
The Swans	14	7	7	-	1753	1697	103.3	28
Fitzroy	14	6	7	1	1654	1772	93.3	26
Geelong	14	6	8	-	1341	1295	103.5	24
Melbourne	14	6	8	-	1575	1666	94.5	24
Collingwood	14	3	11	-	1385	1596	86.8	12
St Kilda	14	2	12	-	1421	1953	72.8	8
Footscray	14	2	12	-	1320	1908	69.2	8

SANFL

SANFL	W	L	D	For	Agst	Pc	Pts
STURT	11	2	-	1790	1262	58.65	22
PORT ADELAIDE	9	3	1	1537	1024	60.02	19
WEST ADELAIDE	9	3	-	1694	1450	53.53	18
GLENELG	8	4	1	1688	1384	54.95	17
NORWOOD	6	6	-	1472	1303	53.14	14
Central District	6	7	-	1588	1460	52.10	12
North Adelaide	6	7	-	1433	1591	47.39	12
South Adelaide	5	8	-	1254	1433	47.02	10
West Torrens	3	10	-	1107	1748	38.77	6
Woodville	-	3	-	1100	2028	35.16	-

Other competitions

W.A.F.L. RESERVES

SWAN DIST.	4.2	11.5	16.6	22.12	144
STH. FREM.	2.4	6.7	11.11	19.13	127

GOALS: SWAN DISTRICTS: Asplin 5; Scheer 4; Egan 3; Smith, Platts 2; Stone, Allen, Hutton 1. SOUTH FREMANTLE: Hardman 4; Matera 3; Griljusch, Koyser, Harp, Beard 2; Doy, Zilm, MacDermid 1. BEST: SWAN DISTRICTS: Stone, Egan, Lynch, Asplin, Scheer, Ware. SOUTH FREMANTLE: Hardman, Matera, Outwaite, Reidy, Beard, Griljusch.

EAST PERTH	5.5	10.6	12.9	18.15	123
SUBIACO	3.2	8.4	11.9	15.12	102

GOALS: EAST PERTH: Bartlett 5; Lewis 3; McTaggart, Hyde 2; Scrimshaw, Bewick, Nitsos, Garnett, Blakely, Williams 1. SUBIACO: Johns 5

WESTSIDE WINNERS

Swans v East Fremantle



ALAN EAST
Western Mail

East Fremantle plucked a few unexpected feathers out of the Swans in the opening game of the season . . . and Old Easts will really be feeling their age when the Swans take revenge this week.

South Fremantle v Perth



MARTY McDONNELL
Channel 7

Good teams always bounce back and although the Bulldogs are not playing well they will be far too superior for the Demons.

Subiaco v West Perth



KEN MCAULLAY
Channel 7

The Lions must be wondering when their first win will come. And they still have that problem confronting them after they meet West Perth on Saturday.

Claremont v East Perth



TIM FLYNN
6WF

East Perth, for mine, are just getting there. Claremont are already there and they will win easily.

“ . . . out of the mouth of babes ”

IT'S a well publicised fact that V.F.L. president Dr. Allen Aylett claimed that Swan Districts sent a "Team of boys on a man's errand" in their recent Escort Cup match against Richmond.

Well, there's a story being bandied around in Melbourne that seems to back up the good doctor's assumption.

Apparently Richmond's Michael Roach, who had just kicked 10 goals in 1½ quarters of football, asked his opponent, Brent Hutton, if he was coming in for a beer at the after-match entertainment.

"Sorry, I can't" replied Hutton "I'm only in Form Five" . . . enough said!

Incidentally, one Melbourne critic, Michael Davis who writes for "The Sun", described the game as "an excuse for a football match".

I sadly agree.



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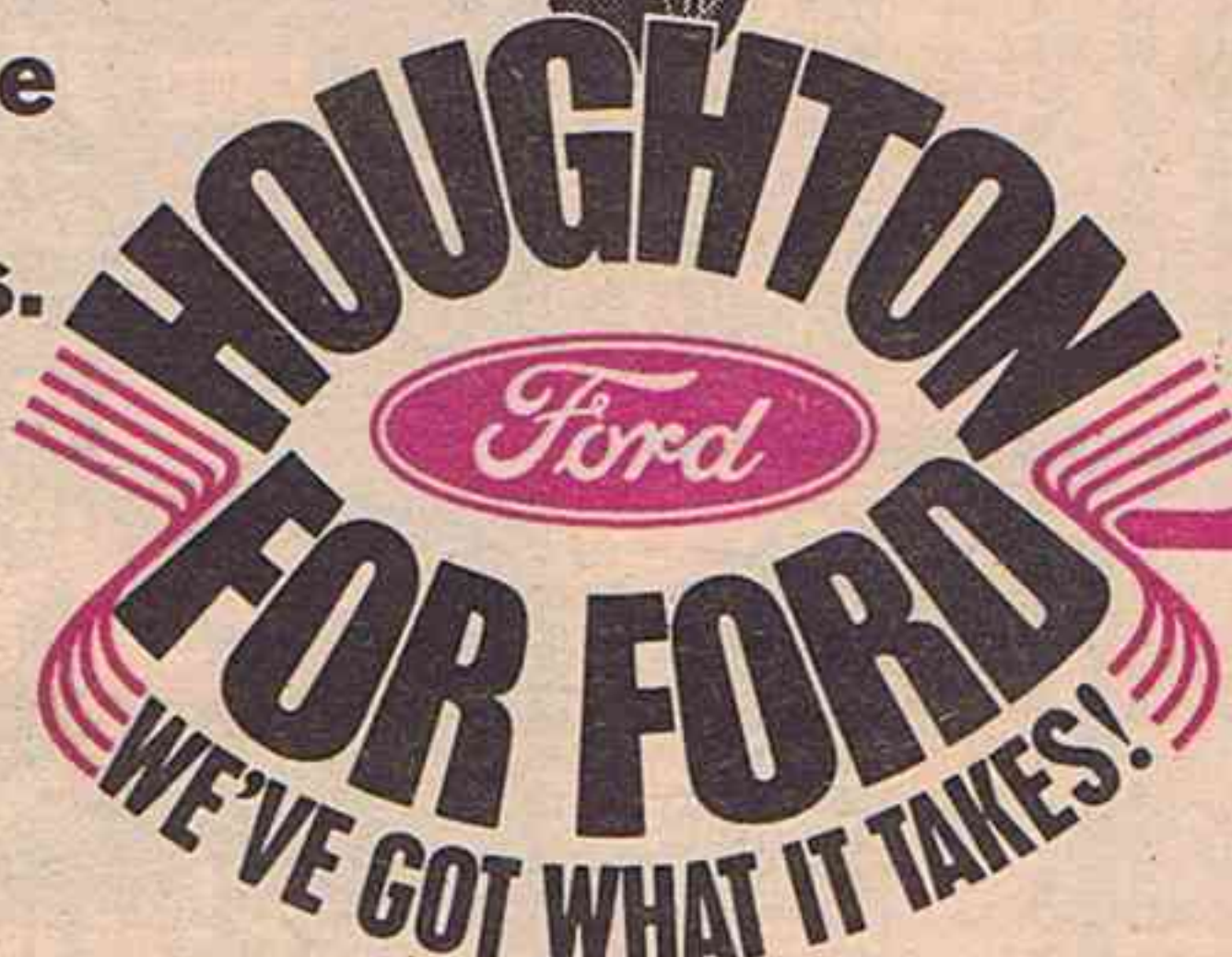
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It's Crackers

The clown prince of V.F.L. Football, Peter "Crackers" Keenan, has just had a book on his life in football released in Melbourne.

It is written by Ray Carroll, a former teacher of Keenan's at Assumption College a school that "Crackers" attended from 1964 to 1969.

The book is titled "Just Crackers Keenan and Football", and reveals that the veteran Melbourne ruckman received his famous nick-name long before he set foot on a V.F.L. ground.

The story goes that Keenan was playing for his college one wet, cold, miserable day and during the course of play he copped a hefty, hurtful whack from an opponent.

With the resultant free, an angry Keenan decided to kick the ball full bore at his antagonist's head.

"The poor guy went down like a bag of spuds", recalls Carroll.

"It was better than a punch, didn't hurt my hand and I didn't bleed", recounted Keenan, in explaining his action.

One of Keenan's team-mates shook his head after the incident and said "you're just Crackers" — and the name stuck.

Ducky's squad

HABITUAL viewers of ABC 2's The Winners will know what I'm talking about when I refer to Carlton centre-half-back Val Perovic's "Voom Squad".

For the uninitiated, the "Voom Squad" are a group of Carlton supporters who shout "Voom" whenever the sturdy Perovic puts foot to ball during the course of play.

In fact it's got to the stage where it appears just about everybody is yelling "Voom" when Perovic kicks the ball.

It's a gimmick that has really caught on among V.F.L. spectators.

And judging by what I have seen and heard over the last two weeks, it would appear that West Perth's John Duckworth has also gained a "Voom Squad" — maybe not as noisy as their Carlton counterparts, but worthy of recognition nevertheless.

I reckon it's a great sight to watch "Ducky" launch one of his missiles, and this latest practice by the Falcon fans gives his kicks even more "oomph".

Application helps

I WATCHED Jimmy Connors play John Alexander at Wimbledon the other night, and I couldn't help but admire the effort and concentration Connors puts into his game.

Every time he served, you could hear a loud grunt from the Yank champ as he put heart and soul into his efforts, and he chased everything that came back from the other side of the net, even when some of

those returns looked unreachable.

Connors is a classic example of a Sportsman getting the absolute maximum output from himself, and a few of our league footballers could do worse than watch 'Jimbo' in action to see what application in sport is all about.

Tipping time

Another clean sweep last week That makes it three weeks in a row. I've done the trick. Now I must develop a killer instinct and go on with the job so I can head the Tipsters' list.

SUBIACO v WEST PERTH: Talk about "Mission Impossible" for the win-less Lions. They are staring at 15 losses on the trot, and will achieve that dubious distinction in this game.

SWAN DISTRICTS v EAST FREMANTLE: Old Easts are the only team to beat Swans at Bassendean this season, but there's no way they can repeat the dose this time around.

SOUTH FREMANTLE v PERTH: South were very ordinary last week . . . but so were Perth. The Bulldogs still have a finals spot to fight for, and this will give them the edge.

CLAREMONT v EAST PERTH: In every round this season, the Royals have lost to the Tigers. I don't see that state of affairs changing this week. Claremont by five goals.

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