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OUR WRITERS SAY FOOTBALL IS BOOMING



GRANT DORRINGTON:

"Now let's thrash the Vics"

FOOTBALL is so strong and exciting in WA that we could beat the Vics without our star players now in the VFL.

It would be a great move to play Victoria without those players when the two States meet on July 12.

WA had a great win against the South Australians on Saturday and we unearthed some talented young players who showed that they were up to interstate standard.

To beat the Victorians without our expatriot stars would be the ultimate humiliation, especially seeing as though they were thrashed by South Australia.

By leaving out the outstanding players we have exported to the

VFL, we could prove that WA is the breeding ground for the best footballers in the land.

Without taking anything away from our players who are now in the VFL, I believe WA has an outstanding array of talent playing here now. We could pick a very strong team which could beat the Victorians.

While I appreciate that the WA players now in Melbourne deserve the opportunity to represent their State, they are no longer living in WA.

It is the players who are playing league football in Perth at the moment who deserve the honour of donning the black and gold guernsey on July 12.



BOB CRIBB:

"It's a promoters dream"

AT long last it has happened — the floodgates have opened and league football in this State is booming again.

The promotional gamble taken by the WAFL in 1983 has paid off and it all fell into place.

In what was a giant bonanza for football, more than 60,000 people watched the weekend's games and saw football at its very best on Saturday and Monday.

The thrilling victory by WA over South Australia and the spine tingling derby on Monday were watched live by thousands more in direct telecasts to the country.

The result is a massive boost — a giant shot in the arm for the game.

It is now a promoters dream and you just watch the people come streaming through the turnstiles in the weeks to come.

I cannot remember a more exciting finish to a club game than the derby last Monday.

That game was watched live by more than 17,000 people and by thousands of holiday makers on TV in Mandurah, Bunbury, Busselton, Albany and Geraldton.

It's just what the game needed and just what the WAFL hoped for after a shaky start to the football year.

Credit must be given firstly to John Todd and his young State team.

They have given the game a mighty helping hand just when it was needed most.

Now we can look forward to the sporting contest of the year in four weeks time when WA meet Victoria.

That game will be a complete sellout.



GARY STOCKS:

"East Fremantle the heroes"

JUST over a month ago the top four in the WAFL looked cut and dried.

But that was before the remarkable form of East Fremantle.

They bore the brunt of some stinging Shark jokes after changing their name — but have answered their critics the only way a football club can — with on-field brilliance.

Since the Emu Export Carnival East Fremantle have been like a breath of fresh air for the competition and have revived the battle for the top four.

Claremont and South Fremantle look safe in the top two positions — but four clubs are now in the hunt for the other two vacant spots.

Swan Districts, East Perth, West Perth and East Fremantle are separated by just four points and every game in the next six weeks will be vital.

The battle for the four is now looming as the most exciting for many years and we have East Fremantle to thank for that.

Too often in the past has the competition for the top four positions been decided half way through the second series. It has been traditional in WA to have weak teams every year.

But this year that appears to have changed. Although Perth and Subiaco could not make the four, there are still 75 percent of the teams in the WAFL with the possibility of making the finals.

With the four sides below South Fremantle and Claremont capable of beating those top two teams, there should be some interest in the formation of the final four right up until the last qualifying game.

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JOHN DUCKWORTH (WP) 95
CLINTON ROBERTS (P) 94
DOUG SIMMS (P) 94

*Denotes that tally includes games played with other clubs as follows:
Peter Murnane 80 Hawthorn

150 GAMES

BRIAN NEEDLE (EF) 147
BRIAN ADAMSON (WP) 146*
SHANE FITZSIMMONS (WP) 145*
GREG WALSH (EP) 145
BARRY BEECROFT (C) 144*
ALEX HAMILTON (EP) 142
PAUL MOUNTAIN (WP) 142*

Denotes that tally includes games played with other clubs as follows:
Brian Adamson 22 Norwood, Shane Fitzsimmons 63 Melbourne, Barry Beecroft 70 Sydney Swans, Paul Mountain 23 Swan Districts, 116 South Fremantle.

200 GAMES

STEPHEN MICHAEL (SF) 197
LES FONG (WP) 192

250 GAMES

GRAHAM MOSS (C) 240

300 GAMES

ALAN WATLING (WP) 283

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Jumper auction

WEST Perth also came up with a novel way to raise funds. After Monday's game they auctioned off the players jumpers and bidding was fierce. The jumpers hadn't even been washed and the auctioneers were noticeably hesitant to put the guernseys too close to their noses. But this did not bother the Falcon supporters and skipper Les Fong's guernsey brought a bid of \$120. But that was topped by a bid of \$170 for John Duckworth's No. 1. The keen Falcons fan? None other than Nick Lekias of the Blue Fin Seafood Restaurant. The cheapest jumper was Ray Holden's which went for \$30. That was a little hard to follow — after all he has been the State full back for the last two seasons.

Hot Howard

"THAT was a disgrace as far as umpires go," — a forthright comment from radio 6PR's news commentator Howard Sattler on Tuesday morning — and his team South Fremantle, were winners in the controversial Derby! Sattler said that regardless of which team you followed, you would have been unhappy with the umpires in the game. "If those two fellows get another league game this year, it's wrong," he said.

Leederville lunch

WEST Perth have been trend-setters, off the field at least, in the last two seasons and their latest venture to ensure that members have the best in facilities is certainly a move in the right direction. From Wednesday to Friday members can again have lunch at the club. The cost of \$9 gives the member a delicious four course meal in their favourite surroundings. Among those to enjoy the magnificent lunch and atmosphere last Friday was visiting South Australian football writer Ashley Hornsey.

Brehaut angry

EAST Perth coach Greg Brehaut was in an angry frame of mind on Saturday morning after learning that Peter Thorne was asked to join the State team the previous evening. The Royals coach and former All-Australian player said it was a disgrace that Thorne should be called upon at 6pm on Friday night. He claimed that Thorne should have been a member of the original squad.

Cheers!

THE South Fremantle cheer squad upset the Sharks on Monday when they planted their run-through banner squarely in the middle of a Sharks logo painted on the surface of East Fremantle Oval. Old Easts general manager Bob Uittenbroek, asked the South squad to move their creation to another location.

Heavy Perth toll

The interstate team arrived back in Adelaide last Sunday with a heavy injury toll.
Danny Jenkins suffered a depressed fracture of the cheekbone and will miss six matches.
Team-mate Michael Aish was concussed, while Sturt's Peter Motley had a suspected broken thumb.
Port Adelaide captain coach Russell Ebert has a torn hamstring, Craig Williams (West Adelaide) had a strained shoulder and Tony Giles (Port) a corked thigh and an ankle injury.

**OVER
THE
FENCE**



Well said

WEST Perth forward Graeme Comerford had some harsh words to say to the club members after the game against Swan Districts on Monday. He kicked seven goals and when he went up to receive his award he said he had heard several members blaming individual players for the three point loss. He added that if that was the attitude they were not true blue West Perth supporters and the club would be better off without them. He went on to say that losing against Swan Districts really hit Mick O'Brien, Paul Mountain and himself right in the gut — being former Swans players.

Timely Thorne

EAST Perth's Peter Thorne turned in an incredible game against Perth on Monday — he just didn't seem to be able to escape being where the ball was. After his good debut for WA on Saturday, Thorne looked fresh and fit and ran hard throughout the game to finish with nearly 50 possessions. He picked up 25 kicks and 23 handpasses (plus 11 marks) but he didn't have the success in front of goal that he deserved. Thorne kicked 1.5 and deserved better figures than that. In addition, his destructive handpassing set up plenty of other goals, including two in a minute to Dean Turner in the middle of the second quarter.

Jumper swap

FOR years coaches have racked their brains in efforts to find something new to gain the ascendancy in psychological ploys over rival coaches and players.
South Australia coach Bob Hammond found the latest in providing confusion for the home side when he had look-alike brothers Michael and Andrew Aish swap jumpers.
Andrew was to wear the No. 5 with Michael in No. 8. But the move caused more concern in the press box of Subiaco oval than it caused on the ground.
Whatever confusion it did cause was sorted out by brilliant WA rover Willie Roe. In the early stages of the second quarter Roe collided with Michael Aish — listed as Andrew in the Budget — knocking the ruck rover unconscious resulting in his being carried from the ground to take no further part in the game.

**Birthday
greetings**

IS your favourite footballer about to celebrate a birthday?



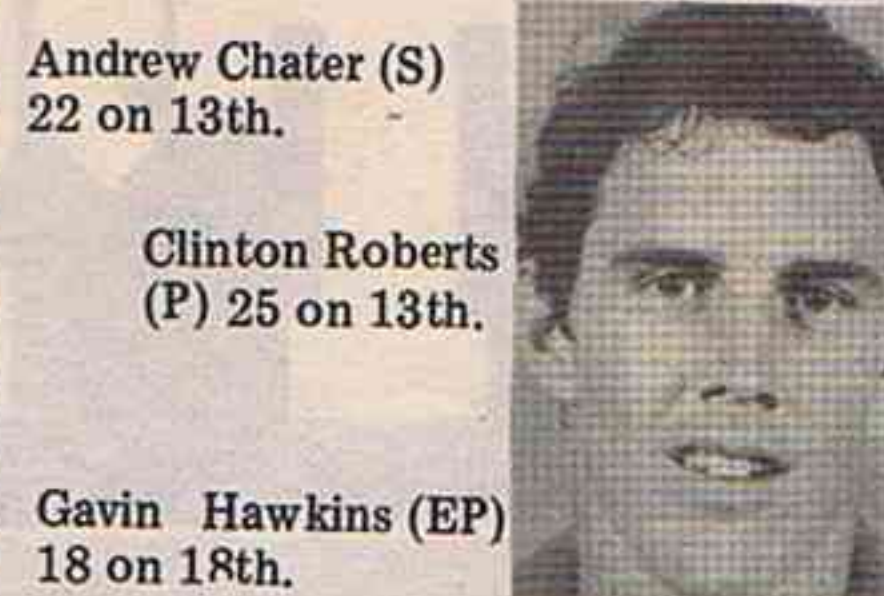
Cam Shepherd (P)
22 on June 9th.



John Faulkner (EF)
26 on 11th.

Geoff O'Brien (SF)
26 on 12th.

Brett Symons (P)
21 on 13th.



Andrew Chater (S)
22 on 13th.

Clinton Roberts (P)
25 on 13th.

Gavin Hawkins (EP)
18 on 18th.



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WEST PERTH, W, L, W, W, L, L, W, L, L, L v Perth at Subiaco Oval
EAST PERTH, L, L, L, W, L, W, W, W, L, W v Claremont at Claremont Oval
SOUTH FREMANTLE, W, W, W, W, W, W, L, W, W, W v Subiaco at Fremantle Oval
EAST FREMANTLE, L, L, L, L, W, W, L, W, W, L vSwan Districts at Bassendean
SUBIACO, W, W, L, L, L, L, L, L, L, L v South Fremantle at Fremantle Oval
CLAREMONT, W, W, W, W, W, W, W, W, L, W v East Perth at Claremont Oval
SWAN DISTRICTS, L, W, W, L, W, L, W, L, W, W East Fremantle at Bassendean Oval
PERTH, L, L, L, L, L, L, L, L, W, L v West Perth at Subiaco Oval

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**FOOTBALLER OF
THE YEAR**

S. Malaxos (C) 12
S. Michael (SF) 12
K. Taylor (EF) 9
J. Ironmonger (EP) 9
L. Fong (WP) 8

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**GOALKICKER OF
THE YEAR**

W. Ralph (C) 57
P. Edwards (EP) 41
P. Arnold (SF) 39
C. Stasinowsky (SF) 37

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MARK-OF-THE-
DAY**

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\$100

**WILLIE
ROE**
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MICHAEL**
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THIS WEEK'S GAMES**

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Too many one-sided games

The average winning margin in West Australian football is ridiculous.

So far this season we have had 16 games which have been decided by 10 goals or more and I firmly believe that too many games turn into a demonstration of how good one side is, rather than a typical contest of skills between the two teams involved.

Close finishes bring crowds to football and I believe that in order to bring people back to the game there needs to be some changes made to the game's structure.

Too many goals are being scored and one of the main reasons for this is the rule which presently allows only four players from each side in the centre square at centre bouncdowns.

BIG SQUARE

With such a big square and only eight players allowed in there at the bounce downs it makes it far too easy for a side to win the ball out of the middle and get it into their goal scoring zone.

I believe that if the wingmen were allowed to enter the square goal-scoring would be restricted markedly.

This would also allow wingmen to return to their traditional role at centre bouncdowns. That is, helping win the ball out of the middle.

BODY CONTACT

The move would also bring more body contact into the game, something which is lacking in the fast run-on style of play which needs to be adopted for a side to be successful these days.

The added body contact and congestion at the bouncdowns would cut down scoring greatly and the result would be closer finishes.

Last weekend we saw two games decided by a total of just four points and that is what the football public wants to see.

A BONUS

However, it has been unusual to see teams separated by such small margins in WA football. It was a bonus to have two exciting clashes on the one weekend.

Another suggestion would be to maintain just eight players in the square, but reduce the size of the square.

When you look at it the size of the centre square is really quite ridiculous and with just eight players allowed in that zone there is far too much room for those players in there.

A reduction in the size of the square could also work towards the aim of reducing the winning margins in WA football.

I think either idea could work.

Ken McAullay Channel Seven critic and WAFL State selector

Is this week's *Guest Columnist*

presented by **McInerneyFord**



State rover Willie Roe breaks clear with the help of Ray Holden

Conned again

Another role I have enjoyed this year has been that as a selector with South Fremantle.

A few weeks before the start of the season "Conman" Mal Brown rang me to ask if I would be a selector with South Fremantle this season.

My first thoughts were that (1) with my Channel 7 commitments I would not see South Fremantle on a regular basis. But this still did not seem to bother Brown. He considered it would be good to have an outsider sitting on the selection panel.

Then (2) I had to take into consideration how far Fremantle Oval was away from both my home and work.

I told Brown to leave it with me and I would ring him back with an answer. Although I had no intention of ringing Brown and I hoped he would forget.

But an elephant doesn't forget and hey presto I am now a South Fremantle selector.

I have previously been a selector at East Perth (1972-74), West Perth (1977-79) and Perth (1980-81) and have enjoyed the role I have played at those clubs. However there is no truth in the rumour that I am trying to break Percy Johnson's record of being involved with almost every club in town.

The approach by Brown to help him out on the selection panel reminded me of an incident which cropped up when I was playing under him at East Perth.

Before Brown lobbed on the scene I was playing at centre half back, but under his coaching I was playing mainly on a flank. I had always enjoyed playing at centre half back and continually asked him to put me back there.

My complaints fell on deaf ears.

Then one day he shrewdly asked me if I would like to become a club selector and then I could have some say as to which position I would play.

He said the position would also help me as a player and make me think more about the games. I believed him and jumped at the opportunity, thinking that things would now be different.

But they weren't. It was my one vote against the other four selectors and as one of them I could no longer criticise my placement on a half back flank.

State selection

One of the greatest honours I have received during my football life has been the appointment as a State selector.

I have thoroughly enjoyed the role and it was tremendous to beat the South Australians on Saturday.

During my time as a State selector I have had the pleasure of working closely with three of the best coaches ever to take on a position in WA - Ken Armstrong, Mal Brown and John Todd.

They have all been successful and totally committed to the game. Things that all the coaches looked for include:

- Skill.
- Temperament. i.e. Ability to rise to the occasion in big games, and in particular finals.
- Consistency.
- Versatility - the player who gives you plenty of position coverage.

The State squad will now be split up for a few weeks before re-grouping a fortnight before the big match against the Victorians on Tuesday, July 12.

This match will be extremely important to WA, because if we can win it we will become the Australian Football Champions for 1983.

We have an enormous amount of talent in WA and that was shown on Saturday by the performances of a number of the younger players who were brought into the side and we should be able to take the game right up to the Vics.



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Determined to succeed in WA

NOEL Mugavin walked into West Perth in a hurry just over a month ago, but he is sure to leave a lasting impression on WA football fans if his attitude is going to be the key to his success.

The agile big man who was sacked by Richmond is determined to succeed in West Australian football.

He was not sacked from the VFL Tigers because his performances were not up to scratch. Nothing could be further from the truth.

Mugavin had been dogged by injury during his 51-league game career with Fitzroy and Richmond and when injured at the start of the season Richmond considered he was too much of a risk and did not want to take any chances.

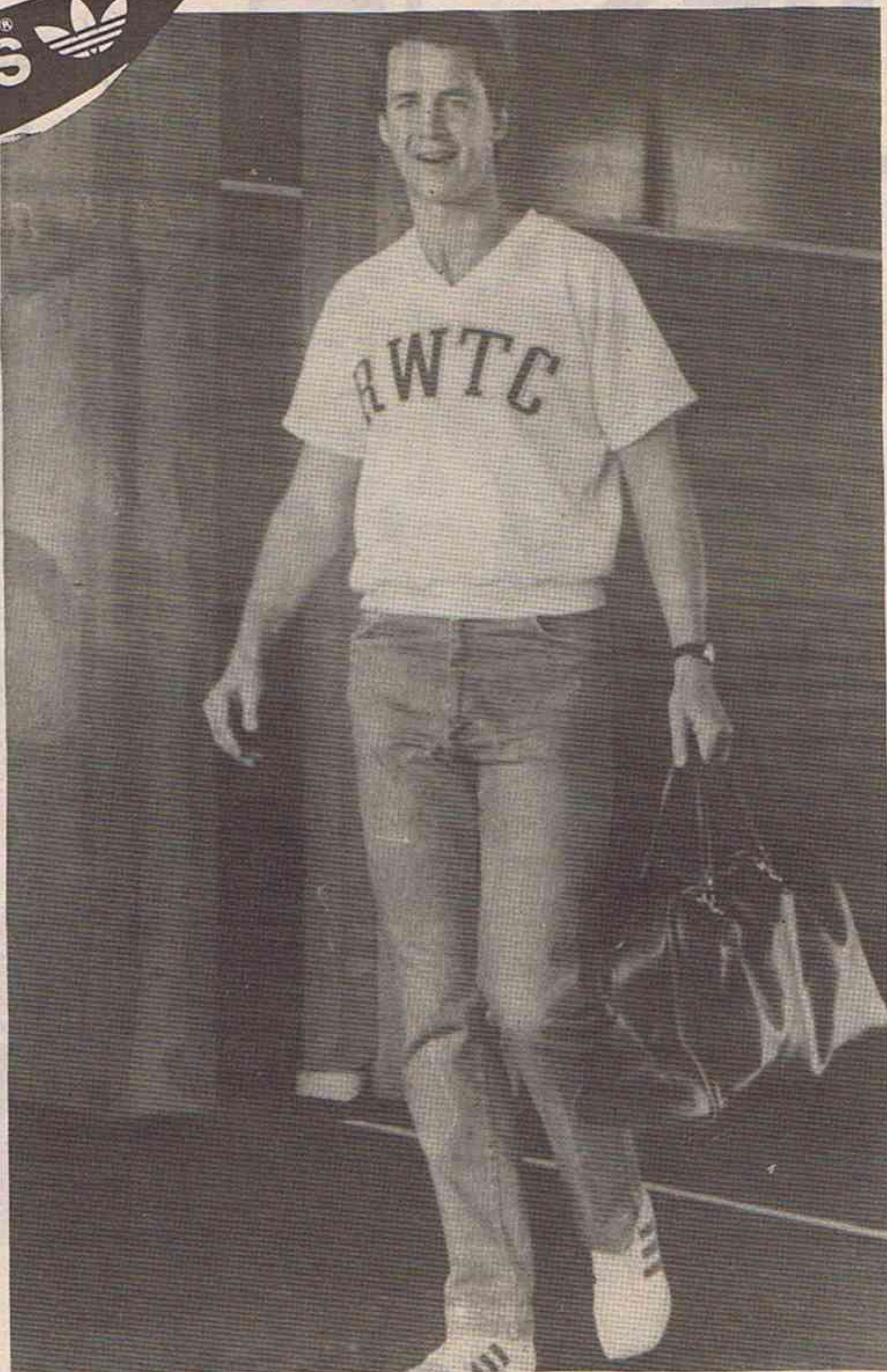
He played 49 games with Fitzroy, showing that he had the ability to do well at the highest level.

Obviously Dennis Cometti, Rod Brown and Graeme Pleydell have the utmost respect for his ability because as soon as he was placed on the open market they secured his services.

He moved to Richmond last year, but had considered to move West before signing on the dotted line for the Tigers.

Now West Perth fans are anxiously waiting to see Mugavin at his best — and that should not be too far away.

Westside Football's GARY STOCKS spoke to the Falcons latest recruit and found out more about the man who has wandered into WA football almost unannounced.



Noel Mugavin... he comes from a footballing family

Government in Melbourne with the Department of Youth, Sport and Recreation. I also had a lot of mates over there, but foremost my parents and nine brothers and sisters are in Victoria.

Q. Do any of your brothers play football?

A. My older brother, Brian, played in practice matches with Fitzroy, but he was a farmer and he put that on the top of his list of priorities. One of my younger brothers, Kevin, who is 20, has the ability to play league football. Another younger brother, Leon, who is 16, also has a lot of ability so they could both make it. But probably the best of them could be the youngest one. Tim is 12 and while he may not have all the skills yet he has so much determination he could get there. He saw me play in finals and play league football and he has decided that is what he wants. He really wants to do it.

A. Are you the middle child in the family?

A. No, I'm third. I have got three sisters and six brothers. It is a football family really, my three sisters are younger than me and two of them are married to prominent footballers. Julie married Bill Picken and Mary married Brian Brown, who played for Fitzroy and now he is at Essendon.

Q. Your family is also fairly heavily involved with the greyhound industry in Victoria is it?

A. Yes. It is booming in the Mugavin family at the moment. We have got one bitch which has had 10 starts and has won about eight of them. A few of those were in Melbourne so we are pretty happy with that. I like horse racing. I went to Belmont at a mid-week meeting a couple of weeks ago and that is quite good.

Q. How have you settled in at West Perth?

A. Very well. It is a great club. The only bad thing I have got to say about West Perth is that we are not winning. It probably started four weeks ago when I played my first game and we seem to have gone backwards since then. Every club goes through bad periods where the players don't do the hard things which win games. It is infectious and it goes right through the whole club. We were thrashed by East Perth and that has done us some good — if you can ever gain anything from a loss. It has made everyone realise that we must analyse our mistakes and go about rectifying them.

Q. How do you find Dennis Cometti?

A. I have only been here for just over a month and I would say that he is one of the best coaches I have played under. I have the greatest admiration for him as a coach and he is doing everything within his power to get us back into a winning frame of mind. It is up to the players now.

Q. How hard was it to break into VFL football?

A. Very hard. I made my debut with Fitzroy in 1978 under Graham Campbell, and I only played one game. We won that day, but although I thought I had played reasonably well I was dropped for the next game. I hadn't played for two years previous to that because I had a crook back. I had a slipped disc. I started playing with Fitzroy in 1975, playing under-19s and a couple of games of reserves. In 1976 and 1977 I didn't play because of the back trouble which almost finished me as a footballer. When I made my comeback I was very enthusiastic and they gave me a chance. I played in the third game of the year against Hawthorn and I probably wasn't the greatest player on the day, but I thought I had done alright. Harvey Merrigan, the State full back at the time, had to come back into the side and I got the chop. Because of my two years out, I don't think I was physically ready to play league football.

Q. What did you do to get yourself fit again?

A. In 1979 I took up professional running. I won a couple of heats and built up my pace. My father was a runner and he encouraged me to do it for general fitness and then I had my best year in 1979. I think I played about 19 games in that season, including two finals games. I played a couple more years there, but at the start of 1982 I decided to make a clean break so I went to Richmond and I played the first two games there. In fact, in the first game, which was against Fitzroy, I kicked four goals and I was happy with the

way I played in the second game; but I copped another injury. I ruptured a spleen and that ruined the rest of the season. At the start of this year I trained hard over the summer, but Richmond felt they didn't need me any longer so I came to Perth. I had lost two stone after my spleen operation and they felt I couldn't come up to it again. I didn't come over here for monetary reasons, I came over to prove myself in league football.

Q. You must be fairly fast for a man of 6.3½ then, after all, you were playing on a half forward flank?

A. Yes, I suppose I am for my size, but I wasn't taking enough marks. I was more content to run beside the packs and get the ball fed out to me. I have been working on my marking since coming here. Against Subiaco I took 13 so that aspect of my game may be improving.

Q. You played on a half back flank in that game, but do you have any preference for one position?

A. I played my best football as a ruck rover in the VFL, but I also enjoy playing on the half back line. I especially enjoy it here because I play alongside John Duckworth and he instils a tremendous amount of confidence in the players around him. When I was coming through the ranks at Fitzroy he was a senior player and I have a great amount of respect for him.

Q. It must have been a tough decision to pack up all your gear and move all the way to Western Australia?

A. Yes, it was a tough decision because I had a very good job with the State

adidas PLAYER PROFILE

Name: Noel Mugavin

Born: Warrnambool, 28.6.56

Height: 6.3½ (191 cm)

Weight: 13.10 (87 kg)

Lives at: Scarborough

Occupation: I am out of work at the moment, but I have applied for a couple of jobs over here.

Football honours: I have played in final round matches in the VFL and when I was 16 I was runner-up to best and fairest for Port Fairy in one of the major Victorian country leagues.

Favourite food: Steak

Favourite drink: Beer

Hobbies and relaxation: Horse racing, trotting and greyhounds.

Football likes: The team winning and playing well myself.

Football dislikes: Losing

Football idols: Des Tuddenham and Ted Potter.

Hard things in football: Playing consistently well each week.


Ambitions: To play as well as I can for West Perth and hopefully to play for Western Australia.

Girlfriend's name: Leanne.

League debut: 1978 Fitzroy; 1982 Richmond.

Games: 49 Fitzroy; 2 Richmond.

Guernsey number: 21.



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ALAN EAST	31	Swans	West Perth	Claremont	South Fremantle
PETER POAT	32	East Fremantle	West Perth	Claremont	South Fremantle
DAVE CLEMENT	31	Swans	West Perth	Claremont	South Fremantle
MOTHER BROWN	34	Swans	West Perth	Claremont	South Fremantle
GRANT DORRINGTON	34	Swans	West Perth	Claremont	South Fremantle
ROBERT BENNETT	33	Swans	West Perth	Claremont	South Fremantle
IAN MILLER	26	Swans	Perth	Claremont	South Fremantle
GARY CARVOLTH	30	Swans	West Perth	Claremont	South Fremantle
BOB CRIBB	34	Swans	West Perth	East Perth	South Fremantle
MOST FAVOURED	35	Swans	West Perth	Claremont	South Fremantle

Important match for new-look Sharks

EAST Fremantle must beat Swan Districts at Bassendean Oval this week if they are to stay in the race for the four.

That is a tough assignment, especially with the amount of injuries received by the Sharks in this week's derby. But the task is not beyond their reach.

They have improved dramatically in the last month and they now have to beat teams ahead of them on the premiership table.

The Sharks have shown they have the capacity to trounce lower teams — and two weeks ago they also demolished the previously undefeated Claremont. But to beat Swans at Bassendean would be their best achievement of the year.

Ron Alexander has his young side playing an irrespressible brand of football and they should be able to take the game up to the black and whites.

Swans returned to something like their best football against West Perth, although after a brilliant 20 minute burst in the first quarter they went to sleep for 2½ quarters.

In the final analysis they were lucky to win that game.

However, the win should give them some confidence. The Falcons have proven to be Swans bogey side in recent years.

It should be remembered that East Fremantle beat Swans at Bassendean in the first game last year when they were



By **GARY STOCKS**

only a shadow of the team they now are. But Swans have the edge in experience and that should see them through in what promises to be a great contest.



Ed Blackaby.....a danger man

Lions lack the talent

AFTER one of the greatest derbies in history, South Fremantle will be keen to continue their fine winning run by beating Subiaco at Fremantle Oval.

The Bulldogs are showing their best form since winning the 1980 premiership and Subiaco are going to be on the receiving end of a brilliant brand of football.

The Lions simply do not have the capacity to halt the influence of players like Willie Roe, Stephen Michael, Noel Carter and Benny Vigona.

On top of that Rod Barrett returned to the back pocket and produced the sort of football which saw him represent the State in that position last year.

He can have an enormous influence on a match from deep in defence and it all adds up to another sad day for Subiaco.

The Lions have been ordinary, and even sub-standard since winning their first two games. While they will welcome the return of full forward Clinton Brown, after serving a two week suspension, it will not be enough for them to beat the Bulldogs.

South Fremantle will win and win easily.

TIGERS IN A BATTLE ROYAL

Another top game should result when Claremont tackle East Perth at Claremont Oval.

The Tigers, even with four State players out, were too good for Subiaco and East Perth destroyed Perth on Monday.

The Royals have grown in confidence and stature in the last month. After losing four games early in the season the Royals have now won four of their last five and could throw out a challenge to the Tigers.

Claremont will welcome the return of Wayne Blackwell, Steve Malaxos, Michael Mitchell and Mike Aitken and the added stability these players will give should give them the power needed to beat East Perth.

The Royals rely heavily on John Ironmonger, Peter Thorne, Peter Spencer and Craig Edwards and the major objective of the Tigers will be to nullify these extremely skilful players.

Thorne has been outstanding this year and along with Spencer he picks up kicks almost at will.

But the Tigers have a more even spread of talent than East Perth and they should be able to hold off the Royals and take the four points.

There's still fight in the Falcons

WEST Perth may have lost the four points at Leederville Oval on Monday, but they certainly would not have lost any support from their members.

At one stage, in the middle of the second quarter, they were trailing Swans by 31 points. But by half time they held a one point advantage.

They eventually went down by three points, but had shown great fighting qualities to get back into the contest and that spells bad news for a Perth side which was thrashed by East Perth on Monday.

The Falcons have grown in confidence while Perth have to go back to the basics. Even at Subiaco Oval they appear to be no match for the high-flying Falcons.

On top of their disappointing loss to the Royals they received a couple of injuries and will be struggling to take the game up to West Perth.

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PATHETIC PERFORMANCE

PERTH went from 'chocolates to boiled lollies' in one week with a pathetic display against East Perth on Monday when we kicked just three goals in the first three quarters of football. Last week we kicked 23 goals in the same period. It was certainly a disappointment after we had made significant progress in the past month. Too many players rested on their laurels from the week before and sat back waiting for the easy ball. They were not prepared to get in and commit themselves as their East Perth counterparts did. The hard running from the previous week was not evident. Good players and good teams are consistent performers week in, week out and until many of the Perth players can produce a consistent and committed effort each week they — and the team — will struggle.

That adage of 'you are only as good as your last game' will certainly be the case at the Perth selection table this week.

VAGUE MEMORY

Clint Roberts, who was felled with an elbow to the head after disposing of the ball early in the first quarter and left the field with concussion, could not remember taking the field. His loss was certainly a setback because he has been in excellent form this year. I'm sure many of his team-mates wished they could forget they had taken the field.

150 UP

Congratulations to Perth captain Bryan Cousins on his 150th appearance for the club. Bryan is having another good season and has continually set the standard for his team-mates. I know Cuz was disappointed as it will not be a game he will remember with satisfaction.

STATE HIGHLIGHTS

WA proved once again that they have SA's measure on Subiaco Oval and it was a great result. Some interesting points came out of the game.

* I was surprised that SA coach Bob Hammond sat at ground level and not in the coaches box, which gives a great view of the game.

* SA's use of two runners — even though it is against the laws of the game — was an excellent idea and I would certainly like to use it at Perth.

* Two SA players who really impressed me were centre-half-forward Peter Motley and winger Craig Bradley.

* It was good to see the players have to 'earn' their kicks and the game allowed to flow, particularly from SA umpire Rick Kinnear.

* Stephen Michael proved again that he is one of WA's best players.

* It was a good move to play a combined country All Stars game between the two States as the preliminary.

* The use of 21 players — three interchange — once again proved to be successful.

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VFL reputation on the line

WA'S win over South Australia last weekend has given the VFL plenty of food for thought between now and their July 12 clash with W.A. in Perth.

If WA win that match the VFL would almost certainly finish third in the three State contests for the Australian championships, a thought which is hard to accept for the big white V.

South Australia's big win over Victoria in Adelaide put them in a handy position on percentages and despite their loss to WA, remain well placed to finish second, irrespective of the result of the July game in Perth.

Interest in interstate football has never been higher in Melbourne than it is at the moment... all stops are being pulled out to put the skids on the sliding reputation of the VFL.

VFL clubs are currently considering lifting a restricted selection ruling which has been in force for several years.

Hawthorn strongman Leigh Matthews has welcomed the news to allow the best possible representative side to be picked for the match against WA.



He said there was nothing like a defeat (referring to the loss against SA) but he felt the VFL was reacting for the wrong reasons.

"There is no doubt, West Australia and South Australia can pick teams to give Victoria a 'run for their money' and for this reason, the decision is likely to be made for the side to be picked with virtually no restrictions," he said.

"I agree with this principle but I believe it should be the case even if Victoria were capable of winning by 20 goals every time.

"In recent years many worthy players have missed out because there were teammates selected before them, and restrictions on the number of players able to be picked from any one VFL club meant that these players were not picked.

"Interstate football is not a handicap sport.

"The great honor of wearing a Victorian guernsey should go to the best 20 players who qualify under the State of Origin concept.

"Clubs' individual interests would make them unhappy about supplying up to half a dozen players for the side.

"But from the players' angle, it is unfair that they have less chance of playing in a Victorian side because they represent a top club."

Barassi denies rift reports

MELBOURNE coach Ron Barassi has denied reports of a conflict between himself and ruckman Peter Moore.

And he has also quelled speculation about his future as coach of the Demons.

Barassi described the Moore issue as "a complete joke".

Speculation of a Barassi-Moore feud was fuelled when the former Collingwood Brownlow Medallist was a shock late withdrawal from the recent game against Hawthorn.

However, though Barassi steadfastly denied a rift, he admitted that Moore had been unhappy at being taken off the ground in the second quarter against Essendon the previous week.

Asked if he contemplated continuing his coaching career at the end of this his third season with the Demons, Barassi replied: "I'm just contemplating next Saturday."

Barassi said of his controversial decision to take Moore from the field against Essendon: "He (Moore) wasn't happy when he was taken off.

"But it hasn't been discussed since."



Craig Bradley

Big decision

SOUTH Australia's 18-year-old centre-man Craig Bradley will have some sleepless nights in his not-too-distant sports future.

Bradley is vice-captain of the Australian under 19 cricket team due to tour England later this month — and was among his sides best players in his third interstate match last Saturday.

The young all-round sportsman was in Perth in January for the under 19 cricket carnival from which he was selected for the England tour. At the same time he was receiving pressure from VFL club Essendon to join them for the 1983 season.

He will now be needing to make some further decisions on his future in way of cricket, football, . . . and where.

ONE WAY TRAFFIC

RICHMOND recognised as one of the most ruthless clubs in the VFL, is receiving some of its own medicine.

In the late sixties and early seventies the Tigers achieved a lot of success with players they recruited from other clubs.

But now the Tigers, who are trying desperately to rise from the doldrums, are running into a brick wall every time they try to recruit a player.

According to club secretary Kevin Dixon, the other VFL clubs are putting up the shutters each time the Tigers make an approach for players.

This year it has been all one-way traffic from Punt Road. The Tigers have lost experienced men such as David Cloke, Geoff Raines and Bryan Wood without finding suitable replacements and rival clubs are still trying to reduce the senior list — the latest being Essendon who have applied for permission to interview tenacious utility, Peter Welsh.

Sheedy signs

ESSENDON coach Kevin Sheedy has signed a new contract binding him to the Bombers until the end of 1986.

A delighted Sheedy said, "I'd hate to be leaving now. I've recruited a lot of the players myself, and they are playing the style of football I want."

Sheedy is regarded as one of the most respected VFL coaches and his new signing rules out any prospect of his leaving Windy Hill for another VFL club.

WA PLAYER ROUND-UP

Twenty seven former West Australians made appearances with VFL clubs last weekend.

RICHMOND		
David Palm	13	5 3
Maurice Rioli	16	6 1
Robert Wiley	22	7 3
COLLINGWOOD		
John Annear	13	5 5
Mike Richardson	13	9 9
FITZROY		
Gary Sidebottom	6	6 3
FOOTSCRAY		
Jim Sewell	10	6 2
Simon Beasley	4	1 2
Bruce Duperouzel	6	13 1
Andrew Purser	1	5 2
Ian Williams	10	8 5
CARLTON		
Ken Hunter	18	5 9
Ross Ditchburn	13	2 12
Mike Fitzpatrick	9	6 8
ESSENDON		
Wayne Otway	13	2 —
Tony Buhagiar	12	12 9
GEELONG		
Gary Malarkey	7	8 2
Alan Reid	9	8 5
Peter Featherby	24	6 2
NORTH MELBOURNE		
Ross Glendinning	16	7 10
Stephen McCann	10	5 3
Phil Krakouer	9	3 3
Craig Holden	6	— 2
HAWTHORN		
Ken Judge	8	6 3
Gary Buckenara	15	6 8
MELBOURNE		
Alan Johnson	19	7 3

EBERT HEADING FOR SOUTH AUST. RECORD

PORT Adelaide captain-coach Russell Ebert is now 12 games short of equalling Paul Bagshaw's SA record of 374 senior games (360 for Sturt and 14 for SA).

Ebert has now played 333 games for the Magpies and 29 for SA. But add his 25 games with North Melbourne and he's played 386 senior games.

Only four other players in Australia have played more senior games.

Richmond's Kevin Bartlett who broke the Australian record last weekend when he played his 425th senior match to pass the long-held national record of former Fitzroy and East Perth stalwart Kevin Murray.

Barry Cable with 407 games and Graham Farmer (392) are the only other players ahead of Ebert.

If Ebert plays until the end of next season he will move into second place behind Bartlett and on current form that looks a strong possibility.

Lihou retires

Glenelg defender Jim Lihou has retired from league football after 154 club games and eight for S.A.

An Achilles tendon injury and a long-term virus influenced his decision. In



addition Lihou said that he wishes to devote more time to his family and his job.

Lihou, 27, intimated that he might continue football in a lower grade and has already had offers from country leagues.

Motley report

THE Sydney Swans are annoyed with a report that Sturt star Peter Motley may end up with Carlton.

Motley, who was one of SA's best players in the match against WA last Saturday, was drafted to the Swans last season and was a guest of the club, together with father Geof, in Sydney a couple of weeks ago for the match against Carlton.

Port half-forward Greg Anderson and his father were also guests of the Swans for the same match.



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TODD THE GREAT

John Todd — stand up and take a bow.

The record books show that Todd is the youngest winner of the Sandover Medal in open competition.

The youngest winner was Laurie Bowen in the under-age competition in 1942.

Many of those who saw Todd play consider him to be the best footballer ever produced in this State.

He and John Gerovich were the two most gifted WA footballers I have seen.

But Todd's reputation as a footballer is gradually being submerged by his exploits as a coach.

Saturday was yet another example of Todd's prowess as a coach.

While there have been coaches with better results than him in recent times, I doubt that there have been many better coaches.

While Todd has only two premierships to his credit — East Fremantle in 1974 and Swan Districts last year — it is not a true measure of his success.

LOCAL PRODUCTS

Unlike many other coaches he has been prepared to concentrate on locally grown products. Not for him the expensive imports of some clubs.

When he took Swans over in 1977 they were on the slide.

They had plunged from two successive years in the four to second last spot on the premiership ladder.

Few coaches would have been prepared to risk their reputations by taking on a club in such circumstances.

I, for one, thought Todd crazy to leave a club like East Fremantle for Swans.

But then Todd isn't concerned about reputations.

He faced two frustrating years at Swans. They took a further dive under him to land the wooden spoon for two successive years.

But gradually Todd's perseverance with young players started to pay dividends.

How many coaches have taken a team from last to first?

Certainly some have taken over a club that finished last the previous year to a premiership the next year. But Todd started at rock bottom.

The premiership he achieved with Swans last year was his and his alone.

His faith in young players was reflected on Saturday when a novice WA side beat one of the best SA teams assembled in the past 18 years.

PLAYERS

While Todd may not be able to point to many premierships he can indicate a long list of players developed by him who have gone on to make it in the big time — and that includes State and VFL football.

I wonder how many people are aware that Todd has been coaching continuously since 1973.

Previous to that he had four years with South Fremantle. It would be interesting to know how many games he has notched up as a coach.

A quick calculation shows he has more than 300 league games to his credit.

That's an awful lot of coaching experience.

Todd must be very close to a record involvement in WA league football.

He is now in his 30th year, most of which have been continuous.

He has been player, media critic and coach.

IDEAL CHOICE

If Todd decides to take a break from club coaching (which I doubt, as he lives for the game) then he would be an ideal choice as a full time coach with the WAFL.

That role could involve not only State football but also coach-in-chief of all league clubs.

In the second instance he could assist and advise league coaches.

WA football would have to benefit by having such an experienced person in that role.

No doubt Todd will still have his "downs" but it is the end result that counts and in that respect there are few achievements left in league football for him.

However, he is now on line for one of them... coach of a WA side that wins an Australian championship.

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

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Our Mal was a guest of Centrals recently, addressing a special club function. Last weekend he was seen in deep conversation with Vince Zerellor, an influential Central District club patron who was in Perth for the interstate match.

The word is that Centrals are saving their bickies . . . because they figure Brown will cost them \$60,000 per year and they don't expect to secure him till the 1985 season.



If Malcolm gets that job in Adelaide . . . I certainly hope he tucks his shirt in. He didn't look too suave at the derby on Monday.

Slow board

THE scoreboard at Perth Oval certainly let the fans down on Monday, even if the attendance itself was down. The scoreboard was a long way behind the two other exciting games right from the outset. Even half-time scores were completely wrong in the West Perth-Swan Districts game. And then when the East Perth-Perth match finished several minutes before the two close ones — West Perth and Swans and the Derby — the scoreboard attendants went home. People crowded around transistor radios where they could to hear the finish of the cliff-hangers.

My spy at Leederville Oval tells me it was little better there, but on the credit side, that much maligned electronic board at Subiaco Oval did do a magnificent job, in keeping patrons at that ground fully informed of the progress both at Leederville and East Fremantle Ovals. It continued to transmit information till both the vital games had finished despite the fact that the game at that ground was well and truly over.

Rough one

ADELAIDE radio duo Bazza and Pilko would have sent up the blood pressure of Al Grasby had he heard the comments they made about South Fremantle wonder boy Willie Roe during their broadcast of the State game last Saturday. In their commentary — which went exclusively to Adelaide, in describing a brilliant overhead mark by Roe, one of the duo remarked . . . "I'll bet he can't read and write . . . surely he couldn't do that as well."

Early finish

JOHN K. Watts has often been known to say something funny — and he used his excellent football judgement on Monday to get the Subiaco fans riled. At the 12-minute mark of the first term in the Claremont-Subiaco clash, J.K. said that the game was well and truly over. Claremont had kicked 4.1 to Subiaco's two points!

Watch it Alex!

ALEX Ishchenko . . . you should be ashamed of yourself! And, what's more, you should be suspended this week. You are a young East Perth player and your team did well against Perth — helped a little bit by your unfair removal of Perth's Clinton Roberts early in the match. You unloaded Roberts with an elbow to the head as you ran past him on the half-back flank — and the ball was a long way away. So too, were the umpires obviously, as no reports emerged. But people notice, Alex, and there will be a price on your head (literally) if you keep that type of football up.

Rowdy mob

THERE seems to be a West Perth contingent set to downgrade the club's official cheer squad. I sat up in the stand at Leederville Oval on Monday and this group of yah hoos carried on all day and made life extremely difficult, not just for Swan supporters, but also for their club members. No one could knock energetic barracking, but this group of hooligans went overboard and they would be best served by listening to the game on radio and staying home. I am sure they will keep a number of Swan supporters away from football matches between the two sides in the future.

Official uniform

LAST week I congratulated the East Perth cheer squad on being decked out in an official uniform, but it seems the Royals are not the only ones who have adopted a squad outfit. The South Fremantle cheer squad has had their Bulldogs Scream Team in club colours all year. They wear Coca Cola T-shirts with a huge Bulldog on the back, wear Coca Cola caps and also have jackets. These cheer squads are tremendous for the game and it is great to see them getting about in official uniforms.

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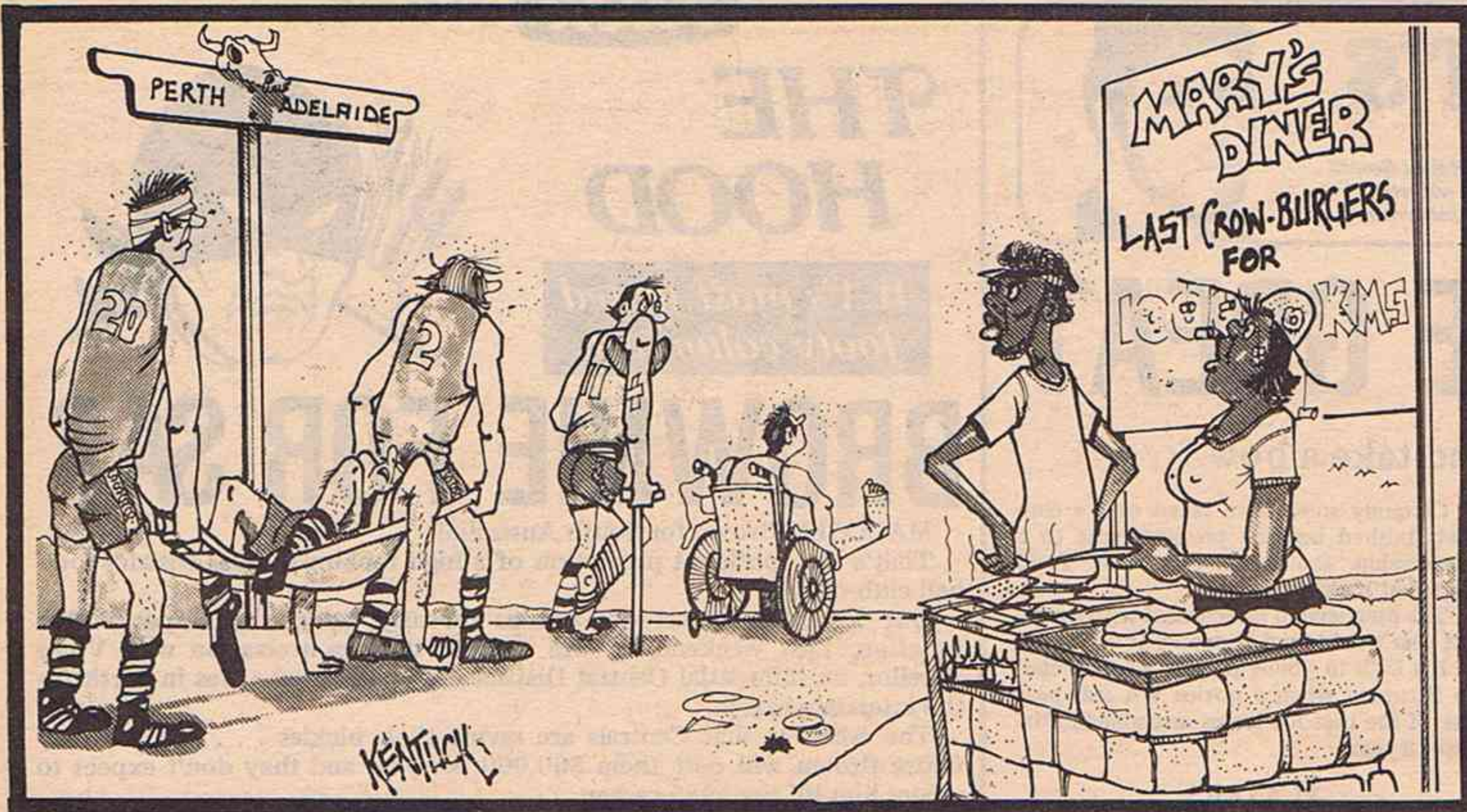
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Extra man

I had to smile a little at Claremont's suggestion to use an extra reserve for last Monday's fixtures (sure they were the hardest hit with six players in the big game last Saturday).

Remember the day they actually did use an extra man! Back in 1976 their coach Mal Brown suddenly invented the interchange rule. Some of the repercussions were that -

- : Brown resigned as coach of Claremont.
- : The WAFL suspended Brown for one year from holding an official position.
- : Claremont's total score for this game was annulled (it was against West Perth at Leederville and the player involved was John Colreavy).

A long time

DID W.A.'s nine first State game players last Saturday represent a record?

Well, it's a long time since more than nine made their interstate debuts together. The circumstances were different, but when WA met SA in 1946, the first State game after the war, I'm sure that all except three would have been wearing black and gold for the first time.

A tough record to better

DESPITE today's high scoring football, one individual goal kicking record still stands after 30 years.

In 1953 Bernie Naylor, of South Fremantle, kicked a record 167 for the season. Of this record, 48 were kicked against the bottom team Subiaco, with tallies of 18.3, 7.4 and 23.6. However, he did kick 35 against the second side West Perth (South were first naturally) that year from the five times they met.

His double figure tallies that year were a 23, 18 and 11 twice. He also kicked nine a couple of times. Unlike today's goal kickers all of Naylor's goals would have been scored with torpedo punt kicks.

...and another

TALKING of record holders, I was talking to 'Bonny' Campbell last week at the trots (he rarely misses a meeting). Bonny, now a sprightly 85-year-old, holds

the interstate record with his 23 goals against Queensland in Hobart in 1924. Campbell told me he kicked all these goals in the first three quarters and was moved to full back for the last quarter.

Unique situation

QUITE a unique situation has developed this season. There are 10 Brownlow Medal winners still in league football. Eight in the VFL are Keith, Grieg, Gary Dempsey, Graham Teasdale, Peter Moore, Barry Round, Bernie Quinlan, Kelvin Templeton and Brian Wilson. Throw in Graham Moss and Woodville's Malcolm Blight and it's the most that's ever appeared in one year.

By comparison there are only six Sand-over Medallists still playing. The four in WA are Peter Spencer, Stephen Michael, Phil Narkle and Graham Melrose with Brian Peake and Phil Kelly in the VFL.



South Fremantle rover Noel Carter was in the thick of things in Monday's derby and here desperation is written all over his face as he tries to get the ball on despite a strong tackle from East Fremantle's Rod Lester-Smith. Carter kicked the winning point for the Bulldogs but besides winning the game for his side he takes out our Hard Yakka award and wins a pair of fabulous Rigs Trousers or Yakka jeans.

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A bumper weekend

WHAT a terrific weekend of football! It all started with the country All Stars game on Saturday between WA and SA - and the two teams staged a tremendous match. WA were a long way behind, but made a remarkable comeback to win the contest. I would like to congratulate the WAFL for staging such a match and would like to see it continue. I would also like to congratulate Wesfarmers for sponsoring the WA team. The State match that followed saw a great contest between two fine teams. A number of outstanding young prospects made their interstate debuts and the future of WA football looks extremely bright. Then there were Monday's games with two exciting matches being decided by a total of only four points. It was a great shot in the arm for West Australian football and the WAFL could not have wished for better games after the State matches.

COUNCIL BLUNDER

THE Fremantle Derby at East Fremantle Oval on Monday was one of the best games I have ever seen. However, I think the council could have done a much better job in ensuring there was a more fluent flow of people into the ground. Some patrons had to stand in queues for almost an hour before they eventually got through the turnstiles. Everyone knew there was going to be a big crowd for what promised to be a great game - except the council! People will not put up with waiting for long periods outside a ground. It was an enormous blunder and marred what was otherwise a magnificent day.

SHAMEFUL

HOW fickle can football followers be? On Saturday everyone in the State was praising the efforts of South Fremantle champion Stephen Michael as he led the assault on the South Australians. And then on Monday it was sad to see so many people booing him when he used his body superbly to bump a couple of East Fremantle players. Michael is a tremendous competitor and I believe the booing was shameful.

LUCKY DOUBLE

COUNTRY people could not believe their luck when the Fremantle derby was telecast to them on Monday and Channel 7 should be congratulated. Country people had the interstate clash telecast to them on Saturday and they certainly enjoyed a great weekend of football.

DESERVED WINNER

THIS week's Playboy Hairstylists free hair cut goes to Stephen Michael for his tremendous effort in the interstate match on Saturday. He was the player who kept WA in the contest in the first half and he thoroughly deserved the Simpson Medal.

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SUBIACO SIDELIGHTS

By KIM HAGDORN

Globetrotters

WATCHING the brilliant ball handling skill and superb flair of WA's Aboriginal stars Stephen Michael, Phil Narkle, Michael Mitchell and Willie Roe is like watching the world famous Harlem Globetrotters basketball troupe in action.

The quartet were magical last Saturday, after showing their opponents what WA fans have become accustomed to week in and week out.

Their deft ball skills and mystifying agility leaves defenders in a puzzle at times.

Booked out

THE South Australians were not too popular with their own journalists who had travelled to Perth with the side. The SANFL had refused media access to the players before the big match and felt it safer for the travelling press party to find alternative accommodation arrangements.

It was a move that created some last minute confusion among the journo.

Great idea

WHAT a great idea the All-Stars country game was as a preliminary to the big game at Subiaco last Saturday.

Though many of the local lads might well have been thinking of their duties on the farm now that winter has finally arrived, they certainly had their minds fully on the game.

The match was a fairy tale start to this type of encounter with WA turning a five goal half-time deficit into a memorable six point victory 12-18 to 12-12.

Wesfarmers, the sponsor of the WA side and West End Brewery who sponsored the South Australians, were pleased with the outcome of the inaugural match. Both companies have pledged further involvement in order to stage a re-match in Adelaide next year.

Cheer squad

THE continued involvement of cheer squads in local football was evident at League Headquarters again last Saturday, when the West Perth, Subiaco, East Perth and Swans Scream Teams combined to provide a big banner for the WA players which read: "KEEP WA BEAUTIFUL KILL A CROW".



WA umpire Mike Ball has a word to one of SA's runners

Two runners

THE South Australians used two runners for the big game as they had done on their visit to Perth last season, a move that on more than one occasion found them in trouble with the umpires.

Former Melbourne and Norwood forward Ross Dillon was one runner with former world 3,000 metre steeplechase champion Kerry O'Brien the other.

Rocky Four

THE atmosphere was a relatively relaxed one in the WA rooms before the big match with all players having been instructed to put themselves through their normal preparation.

WA captain Stephen Michael was the centre of attraction with his warm up when he sparred with boxing coach Laurie Flanders.

The power and speed Michael showed was an insight to what was to follow as Michael bounced out in brilliant form that was to see him add a Simpson Medal to his already incredible array of success.

Early decision

WA's top umpire Mike Ball was his usual calm, cool and collected self before his interstate debut last Saturday.

Ball and South Australian umpire Rick Kinnear had to make their first decision of the big game before they had even run onto the ground.

It was left to the two of them to decide how to use the two different type of football of the States. Ball decided the game should begin with the home side ball, a Chesson and thus use the visitors ball for the second and fourth quarters.

Copped it sweet

THE State selectors had no easy task deciding the final line up of the WA side.

From the 22 man squad naturally one man had to miss out and at 9 o'clock Saturday morning Shark full back Clinton Browning was told he was the one.

Coach John Todd and his selection panel commended the manner in which the youngster accepted the news of his omission.

Surprised

ACE full forward Warren Ralph will not be in too much of a hurry to remember the State game from a personal view point. Leading goal kicker for three consecutive years, Ralph sets himself a high standard of excellence and his 3.5 performance hasn't satisfied his aims for the game.

But Ralph will remember his feeling of elation when he was named team vice captain.

Ralph said of his selection to the honourable post: "I was very surprised to be named vice captain, but absolutely elated."

Finale

WHEN WA play host to the Big white V at Subiaco Oval on Tuesday, July 12 the match will be billed as the grand final for the Australian football championships.

On current form - and with the addition of top WA players from the VFL - WA look favourites for the title.

CUP WITHIN GRIP

WESTERN Australia took a major step towards becoming the Australian football champions when they beat South Australia last Saturday and the NFL Cup is almost on show at Subiaco Oval.

All that is now required is for WA to beat Victoria at Subiaco Oval on Tuesday July 12.

And with the selection being based on State of Origin, WA's chances of being the champs for 1983 look great.

The stars who provided WA with the interstate victory on Saturday did exceptionally well and with some of our expatriot VFL players available for selection, WA should throw out a big challenge to the Victorians.

Victoria will obviously name a new squad for this contest after their disappointing nine goal loss to the Croweaters a month ago.

They have been the top State in the nation for many years and WA now has a golden opportunity to wrest the crown away from them.

WA players have bolstered their competition in recent seasons and there are now something like 35 players who began their careers in WA playing in Melbourne.

A win against Victoria would certainly be a great result for WA and they will give their all in attempt to win the NFL Australian championship cup.



Good guide

Readers who used our State match tipsters poll as a guide in tipping competitions last weekend would have found us pretty close to the target. Of the 11 West Australian tipsters, 10 correctly tipped WA to win and five of our panel were within seven points of the correct winning margin. Dave Clement was one point short of the actual 24 point margin and Gary Carvolth one point the other way.

COMMENT

CONTRICK

...Action should be taken

The Aish con-job at Subiaco Oval last Saturday should not pass without official protest from the WAFL to their South Australian counterparts.

The incident which involved a switch of guernseys by the South Australian Aish brothers, Michael and Andrew, was a childish act of football stupidity.

It was a senseless and weak attempt to confuse the opposition.

Surely the South Australian brains-trust who devised the plan didn't think in their wildest dreams that they would confuse John Todd and his colleagues. Todd is no 'Johnny-come-lately' and probably knows the South Australians as well as their own mothers, thanks to the magic of video.

After all, Michael Aish is a Magarey Medallist, and that in itself generates publicity, even here in West Australia.

The move obviously wasn't a spur of the moment ploy.

The conspirators in this miserable con-trick obviously had it planned. On Friday, a press photographer who took pictures of the brothers at the airport was given the wrong names. It followed an incident with the same newspaper last year when three South Australians were photographed relaxing at their hotel pool in Perth. The three players all gave false names.

The fact that eight radio and two television channels which covered the game at Subiaco were confused by the foolish fiddle didn't worry the South Australians.

Moves to create confusion with last minute field placing changes are tolerated as the right of coaches.

However, positive action must be taken before there is mass expansion of this latest stunt.

- PETER POAT

TEAM RATINGS

WEST AUSTRALIA

Table listing West Australia players and their ratings from 1 to 9.

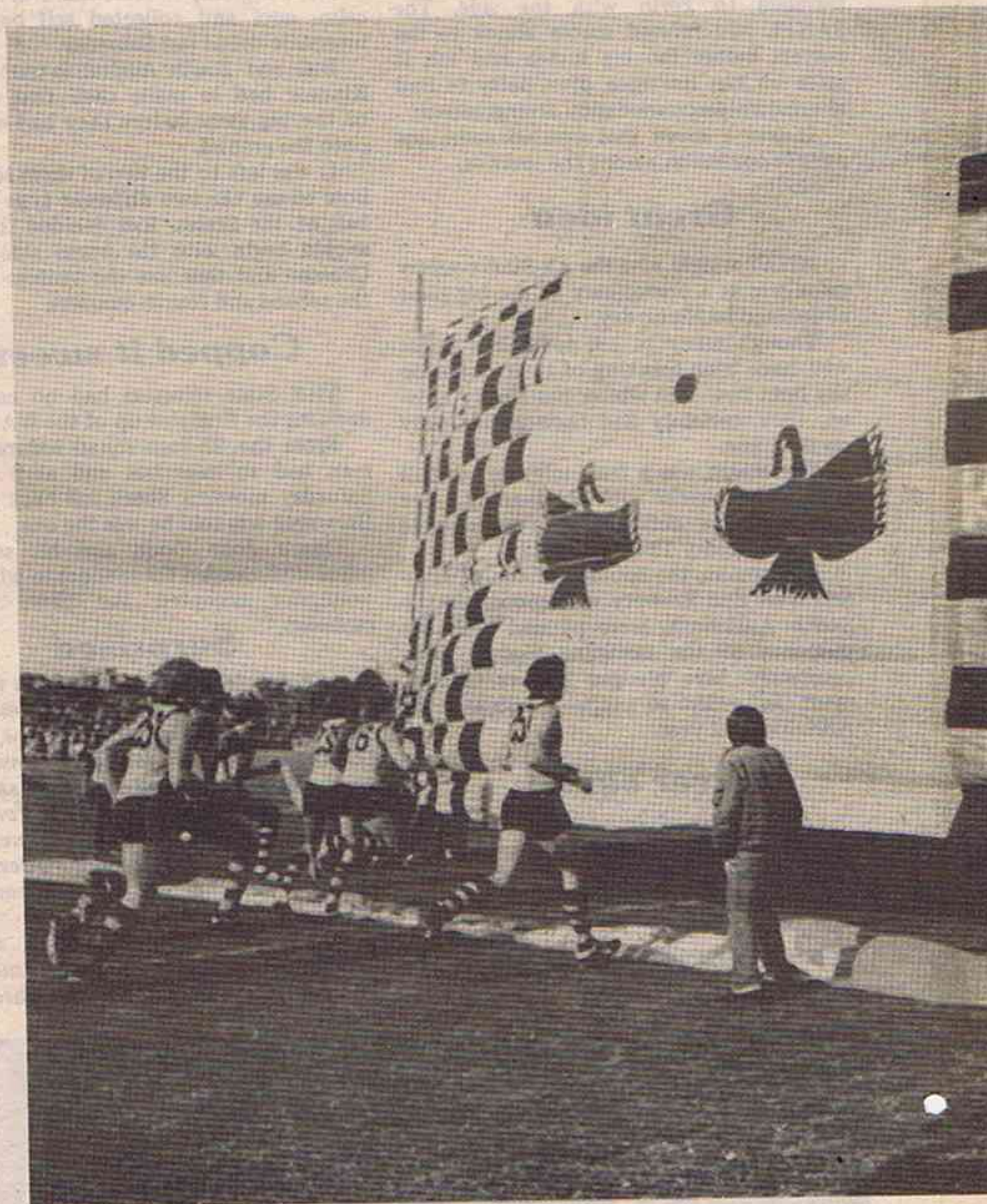
SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Table listing South Australia players and their ratings from 1 to 6.



**SWAN GO
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It was the day 21 young WA footballers rose to the occasion and lifted local football to remarkable heights to down the cocky Croweaters at Subiaco Oval.

The South Australians came here with the reputation as the giant killers after beating the Victorians, but they were brought back to earth by a desperate WA combination.

Top left: West Australian rookie ruckman Paul Harding duels with SA's Frank Spiel.

Left: Expatriot West Australian Steven Curtis looks a worried man as he directs traffic.

Above: The WA Cheer Squad gave the players the message of what they wanted: Keep Western Australia Beautiful — Kill A Crow.

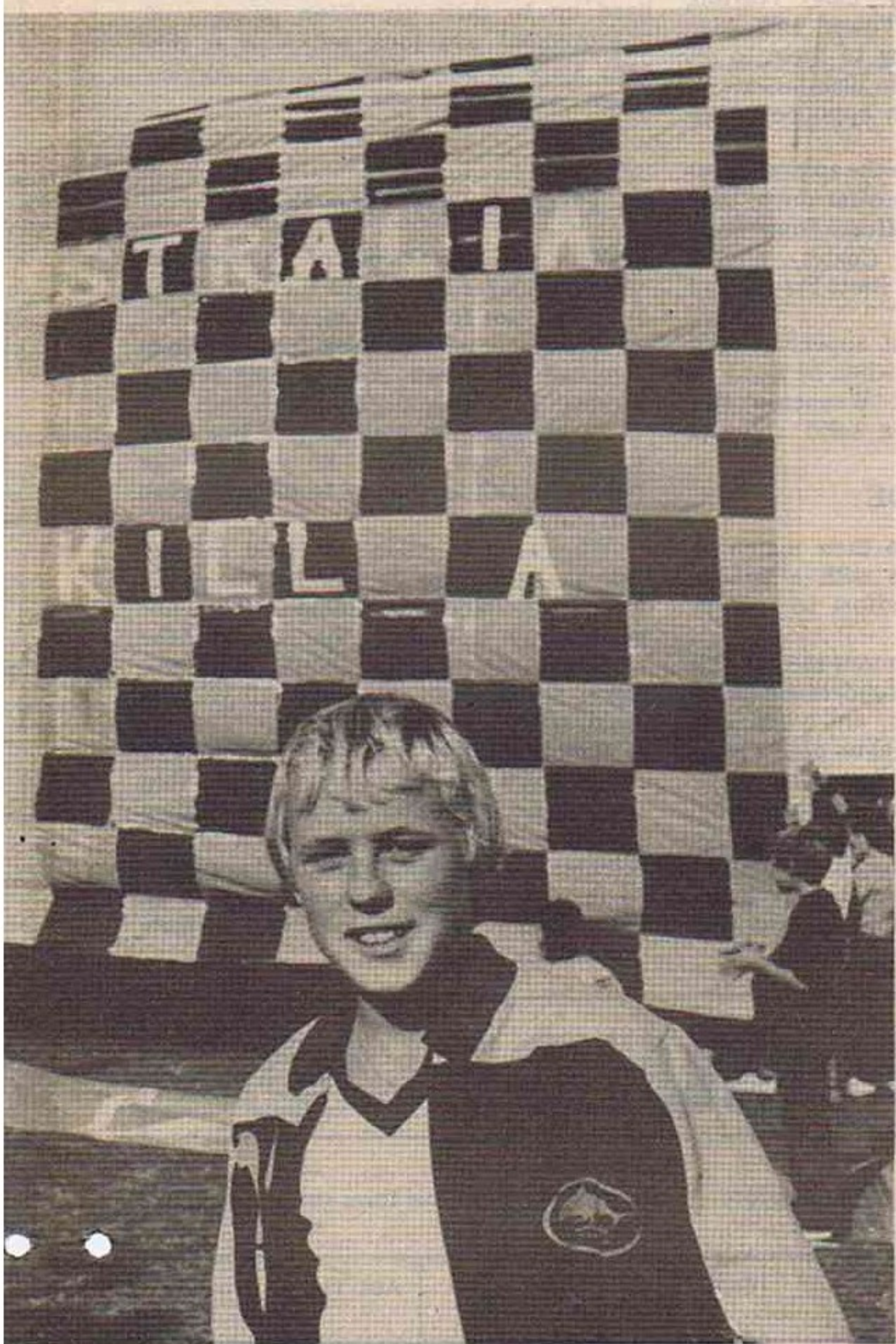
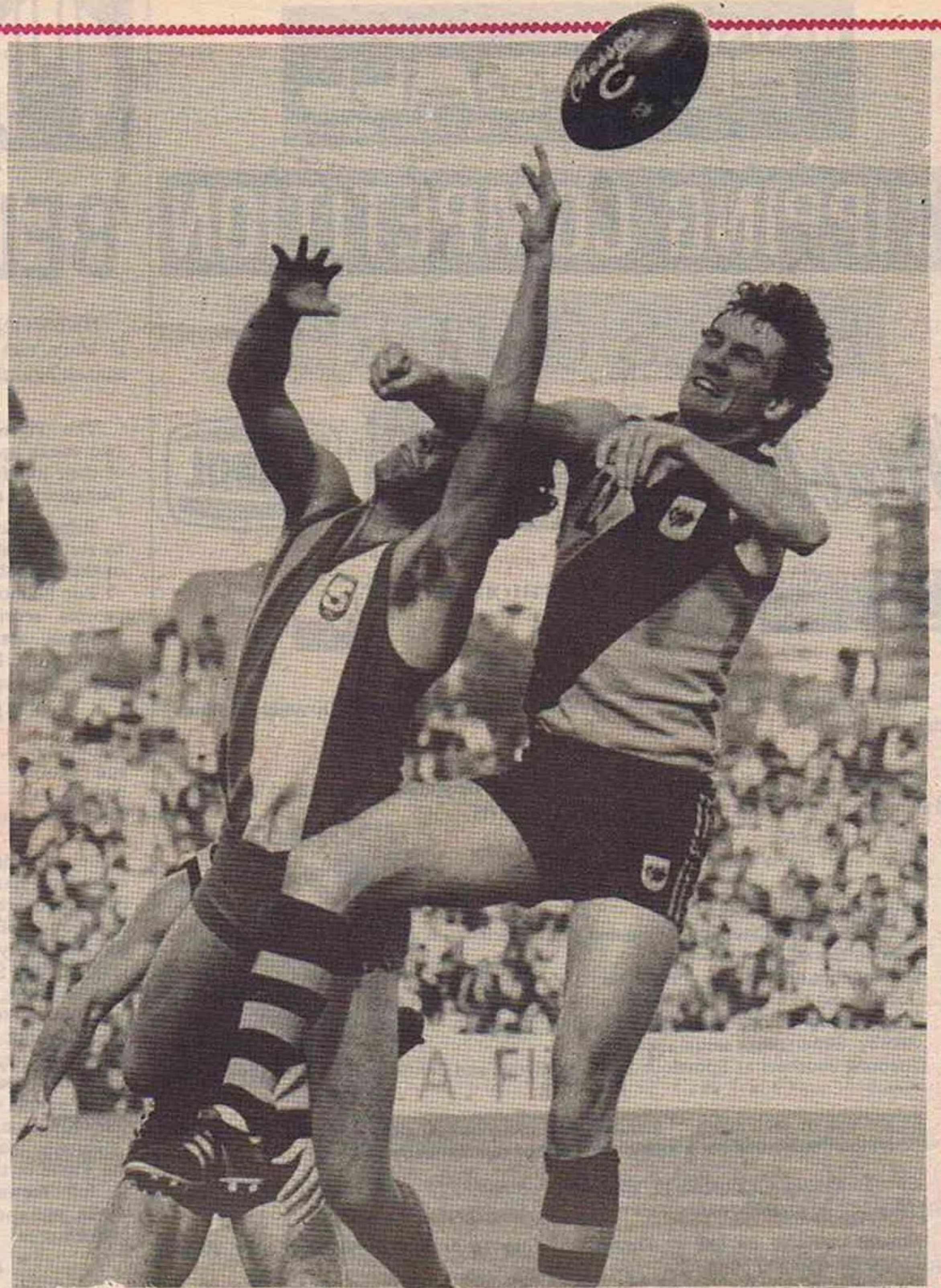
Top right: WA ruck rover Don Langsford uses his body well to get in position to take the ball.

Right: Simpson Medallist Stephen Michael looks downfield for a team mate. The WA captain was the man who initiated the assault on the Croweaters.

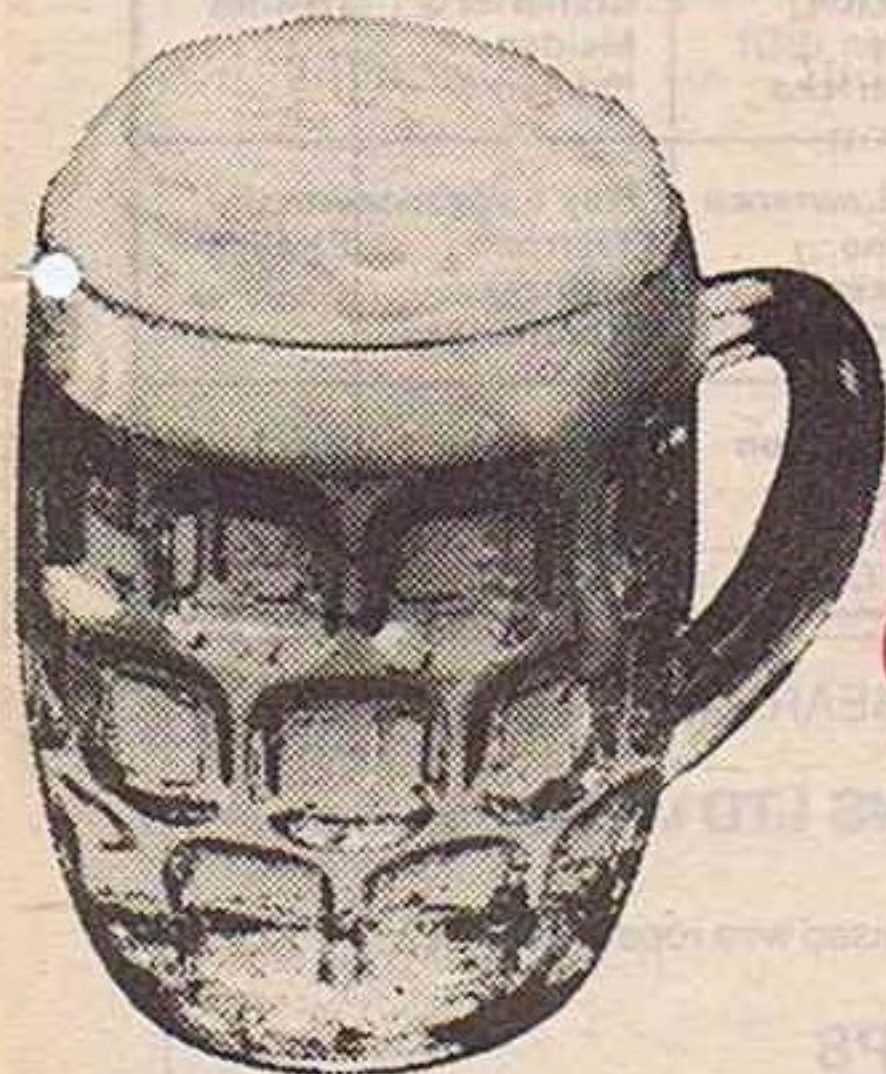
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At the end of each series of games (every seven games) there will be a weekend at the Sheraton-Perth hotel for a lucky name out of our competition barrel.

Entries should be posted to Westside Football, 215 Oxford Street, Leederville (or they can be dropped in).

Entries can also be left at Travel-Time International, 105 William Street, Perth (just near Murray St.).

\$10 Ampol Voucher — L. Wolfe, Frankland; Double-pass to a theatre or drive-in — A. Harper, Greenwood; Two bottles of Hardy's Wine — V. Davey, Wongan Hills; \$10 voucher on Marlow's Auto. Parts — D. Lehman, Osborne Park; Double pass to a WAFL qualifying game — L. Fisher, Gosnells; Footy Radio — S. Cox, Midland; Grosby Supersportz casual shoes — G. Minitier, Albany; Sportique vouchers — R. Kelly, Bunbury; T. Newton, Girrawheen; S. Rogers, Mt. Lawley.

Subiaco v Swans
W. Perth v C'Mont
Perth v E. Frem.
S. Frem. v E. Perth.

Entries close at 5pm on Fridays.

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BELMONT CAN WIN

BELMONT can cause the biggest upset for many years in WAFA football if they can carry their confidence and improved form into Sunday's big match against last year's grand finalists, South Perth.

The Tigers showed against Wanneroo two weeks ago that they have found some of their lost form; but are still not putting four quarters of football together.

Belmont, on the other hand, are starting to realise that they are not the easy beats of the competition any more.

For Belmont to win they will need to provide scoring opportunities for their forwards against the rugged Tiger half backs Gary Diver, Peter Lewington and rookie Clayton Whittle.

GREAT FORM

Lewington, the former South Fremantle and Subiaco player and the 18-year-old Whittle have been in great form for the Tigers, but have lacked support in the back line.

Belmont have been well served by the consistent Ken McSherry, Barry Pearton, Paul McGrath, Norm Tower and Alan Scott and will be looking to these to set the pace early in order to demonstrate to their visiting South Perth opponents they mean business.

For South to overcome the spirited challenge Belmont are sure to offer them, they will again rely on big efforts from Tony Capriotti, coach Kerry Coates, veteran Dick Peel and newcomers Brett Francis and Gary Kingston.

Francis made his first appearance for the Tigers in three years when he lined up at full forward against Wanneroo two weeks ago and put in a solid six goal performance.

ATTITUDE

Mosman Park go into their match at home against Applecross with a win-at-all-costs attitude in an effort to stay in touch with the top four.

Their shock loss to Belmont meant they missed the chance of consolidating a place in the four and, instead, are lying in a precarious sixth place equal on points with South Perth and Southern Port-Hamilton.

South Perth cling to the fourth spot by 0.1% over the Port who face the daunting task of trying to beat the might of Wanneroo. The Roos are fresh from a very quiet week after the lull in competition and will be keen to improve their percentage.

Southern Port-Hamilton face the daunting prospect of toppling glamour side Osborne Park in what appears another goal kicking outing for leading goal scorer Norm Uncle.

Uncle has already booted 60 goals from only seven matches and Saints officials must be busily checking record books in an effort to provide the crack goalsneak with targets for the remainder of the season.

Port will have to wait some time yet for the opportunity to force their way back into contention for a spot in the four as their next two fixtures are against the top two sides in the WAFA.

The club who promises to be the biggest improvers have another huge hurdle to cross this Sunday when they host to the powerful Wanneroo at Melville Reserve.

Yet to win a game, Melville have not lived up to their pre-season promise of improvement and look set, even at this early stage of the season, for the wooden spoon honours for 1983.

Player of the week

With the suspension of fixtures last week no player has earned the recognition from Westside for special mention.

But Player of the Week from Westside Football this -week goes to long serving Mosman Park wingman Neville Barker.

Barker has been with the Red legs since his junior days and at 29 years of age believes he still has plenty to offer his club and team mates.

When Neville takes the field Sunday against Applecross it will be his 100th league appearance for Mosman. He has not got accurate records of other games for the club but estimates at about 40 reserve games for Mosman during his 10 years at senior level.

Barker's form was largely responsible to his club's rise up the table to be within striking distance of the top four when they played Belmont two weeks ago. It was no coincidence then that when he was unable to take the field in that game due to an ankle injury Mosman lost, ending their consecutive run of wins.

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 6	West Australian	Weekend News	Sunday Times	Sunday Independent	Channel 7	6PR	6IX	6KY	6WF	ABC TV	Umpires
E. Frem. v. S. Frem.	Geoff Christian Carter (SF) Winmar (SF) Jones (EF)	Robbie Burns Carter Wilson (EF) Winmar	Ray Wilson Carter Wilson Barrett (SF)	Kim Hagdorn Carter Browning (EF) Barrett	Percy Johnston Barrett Jones Carter	Oscar Howard Rankin Carter Hardie	Harvey Deegan Carter Wilson Hardie	Les Mumme Carter Jones Winmar	Tony Parentich Barrett Michael Cassidy	Keith Slater Browning Michael Barrett	Buckey/ Rowe
West Perth v. Swan Dist.	Robert Wainwright Comerford (WP) Langsford (SD) Menaglio (WP)	Bruce Butler Fong (WP) Langsford Comerford	Colin Hopkins Comerford Langsford Mugavin (WP)	Gary Stocks Langsford Fong (WP) Comerford	Ken McAullay Comerford Langsford Mugavin	Peter Van Helden Menaglio Langsford Comerford	Bill Valli Comerford Langsford Fitzsimmons	Colin Hopkins Comerford Langsford Mugavin (WP)	Eric Sarich Alderton Maiden (SD) Comerford	Ian Brayshaw Comerford Maiden Cronan	Starcevic /Gillies
East Perth v. Perth	Steve Wright Thorne (EP) Ironmonger (EP) Turner (EP)	Michael Thomson Thorne Ironmonger Turner	Max Wilson Thorne Spencer Ironmonger	Darrin Ramshaw Thorne Spencer (EP) Turner	Bob Miller Thorne Ironmonger Spencer	Alan East Thorne Edwards (EP) Dawson (EP)	Phil Mulcahy Thorne Spencer Ironmonger	Joe McKay Spencer Thorne Turner	Ray Lawrence Thorne Spencer Ironmonger	Ray Lawrence Thorne Spencer Ironmonger	Austin/ Phillips
Subiaco v. Claremont	Ken Casellas Goulding (C) M. O'Connell (C) D. Lamb (S)	Paul Simpson Goulding Morton (C) Wilkinson (S)	Rob Bennett Goulding M. O'Connell Morton	Peter Poat M. O'Connell Goulding Keene (S)	Marty McDonnell Beecroft Barns Ralph	Bob Hicks Morton Goulding Wilkinson	Chris Mitsopoulos M. O'Connell Keene D. Lamb	Joe Fanchi Goulding M. Watson Wilkinson	David Dyson Morton Ralph M. O'Connell	David Dyson Morton Ralph M. O'Connell	Ball/ Johnson

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PRESENTS...



OUR footballer of the year based on the Westside Ratings will be in for a fabulous holiday at the end of this football season. The top points-getter will receive a trip for two to Darwin, with one week's accommodation at the magnificent Phoenix Hotel... plus a hire car for his own use and a night out at the Darwin Casino.

WESTSIDE RATINGS

LANGSFORD LEADS

SWAN Districts ruck rover Don Langsford has maintained his lead in the Westside Football - Crestwood Inntown Perth Hotel player ratings.

He polled eight points last week to move to 74 points. Hot on his heels is West Perth skipper Les Fong on 71. In third position are West Perth ruck rover Phil Cronan and South Fremantle captain Stephen Michael.



CLAREMONT

Player	V	EP	SF	C	SD	WP	EP	SF	C	SD	WP	Tot
AITKEN, Mike	8	4	5	6	6	6	6	7	8	5	5	55
BARNES, Colin	6	7	7	5	3	6	7	6	7	6	6	44
BEECROFT, Barry	7	7	5	6	7	6	7	6	6	6	6	62
BETTS, Gerald	2	6	6	3	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	15
BLACKWELL, Wayne	7	8	7	6	5	6	6	6	6	6	5	51
COOPER, Russell	7	6	8	6	6	8	5	6	6	6	6	64
DANIELS, Allen	7	6	8	6	6	8	5	6	6	6	6	58
DAVIDSON, Peter	7	5	4	3	5	4	4	4	4	4	4	28
DICKFOS, Michael	7	5	4	3	5	4	4	4	4	4	4	39
DUKE, Wayne	3	4	4	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	17
FARMER, Brett	3	4	4	2	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	17
FARMER, Dean	7	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	13
GOULDING, Steve	7	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	61
HANN, Mark	6	5	4	5	5	4	6	5	4	3	4	47
HARPER, Baden	7	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	6
JAMIESON, Peter	7	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	14
KICKETT, Larry	7	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	15
LEWIS, Cameron	6	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	9
MALAXOS, Steve	7	9	7	8	6	8	6	8	6	4	6	63
MITCHELL, Michael	7	8	7	8	6	6	6	6	6	5	4	42
MORTON, Noel	5	6	6	5	5	5	4	8	5	4	5	53
MOSS, Graham	6	5	6	6	5	5	7	5	7	5	7	52
O'CONNELL, Mike	6	6	6	6	5	7	6	7	5	5	5	59
PANIZZA, Darrell	5	4	2	5	4	3	3	3	3	4	4	30
PAPALIA, Paddy	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	10
PEARCE, Tom	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	17
POEPJES, Robert	6	5	6	5	8	4	6	8	5	7	6	60
RALPH, Warren	6	5	6	5	8	4	6	8	5	7	6	22
REYNOLDS, Brad	5	4	5	5	5	5	6	6	6	4	6	52
WATSON, Mark	5	4	5	5	5	5	6	6	6	4	6	52



SUBIACO

Player	V	EP	SF	C	SD	WP	EP	SF	C	SD	WP	Tot
BENGOUGH, John	7	7	3	5	7	4	5	8	7	8	4	46
BRADY, Shane	7	7	6	6	8	5	4	5	7	8	4	58
BROWN, Clinton	7	7	6	6	8	5	4	5	7	8	4	44
BROWN, Rod	7	7	6	6	8	5	4	5	7	8	4	44
BUSHE-JONES, Matt	7	7	6	6	8	5	4	5	7	8	4	10
CASTLES, Peter	7	7	6	6	8	5	4	5	7	8	4	12
CHAPMAN, Terry	7	7	6	6	8	5	4	5	7	8	4	2
COTTER, Gerry	7	7	6	6	8	5	4	5	7	8	4	4
DAWSON, Wayne	7	7	6	6	8	5	4	5	7	8	4	33
DEAN, Warren	7	7	6	6	8	5	4	5	7	8	4	28
DUNNE, Bill	6	4	3	5	4	6	5	4	6	5	4	19
FAIRCLOUGH, Michael	4	5	4	3	4	2	5	4	3	4	3	36
IRONMONGER, Geoff	6	3	3	5	3	3	4	4	5	4	4	23
JOHNS, Michael	6	4	5	9	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	51
KEENE, Laurie	6	4	5	9	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	46
KELLY, Greg	6	4	5	9	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	62
LAMB, Dwayne	7	7	6	6	8	5	6	7	4	6	6	59
LAMB, Phil	7	7	6	6	8	5	6	7	4	6	6	13
LEE, Mick	5	6	5	6	6	6	6	6	5	4	5	52
LEISHMAN, Steve	5	6	5	6	6	6	6	6	5	4	4	5
LIDDELOW, Laurie	5	6	5	6	6	6	6	6	5	4	4	5
McFAULL, Brendon	6	3	4	3	3	2	3	2	3	2	3	6
McVILLE, Vic	6	3	4	3	3	2	3	2	3	2	3	21
MORT, Michael	6	8	5	6	5	6	6	6	6	6	6	36
PERRY, David	6	5	6	7	5	4	5	4	5	4	5	48
REEVES, Ray	6	7	4	7	7	7	6	6	6	6	6	55
SCOTT, Phil	7	7	6	6	8	5	6	7	4	6	6	32
SHELDON, Michael	7	7	6	6	8	5	6	7	4	6	6	16
STAPLES, Mick	7	7	6	6	8	5	6	7	4	6	6	10
TAYLOR, Neil	8	7	5	5	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	61
THOMAS, Peter	7	7	5	5	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	23
TUCKER, Ian	7	7	5	5	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
WARNER, Bevan	8	6	5	5	4	6	6	6	6	6	6	42
WILKINSON, Greg	4	5	7	5	4	6	5	4	6	5	4	52
WILSON, Dean	7	7	5	5	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	17
ZANOTTI, Mark	7	7	5	5	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	7



WEST PERTH

Player	V	EP	SF	C	SD	WP	EP	SF	C	SD	WP	Tot
ADAMSON, Brian	5	5	4	2	3	7	5	3	7	6	7	29
ALBERTON, Rod	5	4	8	7	5	5	5	5	7	6	5	57
AVEY, Peter	6	3	6	4	4	5	4	5	4	5	4	37
BOGUNOVICH, Ramsay	5	5	6	7	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	10
BRADMORE, Phil	3	5	6	7	5	4	7	4	4	4	7	47
COMERFORD, Graeme	5	6	8	9	7	7	6	7	7	7	7	69
CRONAN, Phil	7	5	5	3	5	4	5	4	4	6	4	48
DUCKWORTH, John	6	5	7	6	4	7	6	4	3	4	3	45
ELLEN, Russell	6	5	7	6	4	7	6	4	3	4	3	48
FALCONER, Dean	7	6	6	7	5	4	3	4	3	4	3	45
FITZSIMMONS, Shane	7	6	6	7	5	4	3	4	3	4	3	48
FONG, Les	8	8	8	8	6	7	6	6	6	6	8	71
FOTHERINGHAM, Neil	6	6	6	7	7	6	6	5	4	3	5	56
FRASER, Tony	4	4	3	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	10
GAVRANICH, John	7	6	5	8	5	7	6	5	4	6	5	53
GIBBS, Ross	6	6	7	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	31
HART, David	6	6	7	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	29
HENDRIKS, Geoff	3	6	6	4	5	5	5	5	6	2	6	29
HOLDEN, Ray	5	3	6	8	4	6	6	5	5	5	5	53
JAGER, Ben	4	6	6	7	5	5	6	4	5	5	5	56
MENAGLIO, Peter	7	6	7	7	4	7	4	7	7	7	7	49
MICHALCZYK, George	6	5	8	7	5	7	7	5	4	4	4	54
MOUNTAIN, Paul	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	4	6	4	30
MUGAVIN, Noel	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	4	6	4	30
MUNNS, Ross	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	4	6	4	30
NELSON, Craig	6	6	5	8	5	7	4	7	5	4	7	46
O'BRIEN, Michael	6	6	5	8	5	7	4	7	5	4	7	5
POLSON, Gordon	7	7	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	7
WARWICK, Dean	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
WATLING, Alan	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4



SOUTH FREMANTLE

Player	V	EP	SF	C	SD	WP	EP	SF	C	SD	WP	Tot
ARNOLD, Paul	5	6	3	6	6	6	6	3	4	4	4	51
BARRETT, Rod	6	4	5	6	5	6	5	4	8	4	8	49
BORTHWICK, Lindsay	5	4	5	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	19
CARTER, Gavin	7	5	7	8	8	3	4	7	7	8	6	8
CARTER, Noel	5	7	7	5	7	7	5	4	7	7	8	43
COCKIE, Michael	5	7	7	5	7	7	5	4	7	7	8	43
CORNELL, Kevin	5	5	4	5	5	4	4	4	4	4	4	29
DELMEICO, Wayne	5	5	4	5	5	4	4	4	4	4	4	29
GILLIES, Geoff	6	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	11
GILLJUSICH, Rod	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	18
HARDIE, Brad	6	6	7	5	5	8	6	8	6	8	6	57
HAYES, John	6	6	6	6	8	6	7	3	4	4	4	48
HENWOOD, Wayne	7	5	3	6	5	5	5	4	4	4	4	40
KELLY, Tony	4	4	4	7	5	7	5	4	4	4	4	36
MATERA, Wally	5	6	6	5	3	8	4	7	7	5	5	56
MICHAEL, Stephen	6	8	6	8	5	6	7	9	8	6	6	69
MONTEATH, Bruce	7	7	6	7	6	6	6	5	3	5	5	52
MOSCONI, Warren	7	5	5	6	7	6	6	6	5	7	6	57
MOUNT, Stephen	5	5	5	5	6	4	6	5	6	5	6	27
O'BRIEN, Geoff	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	33
QUICK, Barrie	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	32
RANDALL, Neil	5	4	6	5	5	6	6	6	6	6	6	44
RAWLINSON, Dave	5	6	5	6	7	4	7	8	8	7	6	50
ROE, Willie	5	6	5	7	6	7	7	8	8	7	6	64
STASINOWSKY, Chris	4	3	6	6	5	4	4	4	4	4	4	43
TOWNSEND, John	5	5	5	5	4	8	5	7	5	7	5	58
VASOLI, Paul	5	5	5	5	7	4	8	5	7	5	5	59
VIGONA, Benny	8	7	6	5	6	7	6	7	6	6	6	58
WINMAR, Nicky	8	7	6	5	6	7	6	7	6	6	6	7



Remarkable rover led Swans from the wilderness

Still coaching

THE legend of Haydn Bunton junior began in South Australia, but his real triumphs were in the West.

His league career began with North Adelaide as a 17-year-old of much promise and just one year later he donned his State's colours for the first time.

By 19 he had gained All-Australian selection, a truly remarkable feat.

He took on his first senior coaching appointment with Norwood before he was 20 and he was re-writing the South Australian record books.

And in his first season as Norwood coach he almost completed a fairy tale story by winning the premiership. He took them to the grand final only to be beaten by 11 points.

Bunton came to WA in 1961 with that impressive record behind him and it would have been easy for him to have rested on his laurels.

But Bunton was one of the game's real hard workers and would be satisfied with nothing less than total commitment.

He took over the coaching reins at Swan Districts — a team that had never won a premiership — and he set about the task of building up a side capable of getting that first pennant on the club's Bassendean walls.

DUMPED

Swans showed improved form in the qualifying matches and they eventually won their way to the second semi final. However, they were uncerimoniously dumped by East Perth in that match and any chance of them breaking the ice seemed to have been crushed.

But Bunton took the side back to the basics and they came out in the preliminary final, beat Subiaco by 16 points and earned the right for another crack at the Royals.

Because Swans had gone down by 48 points in the second semi final some punters obtained odds as good as 40-1 for Swans in the two team contest.

Bunton and his men had been underestimated.

COUNTRY STAR

He had as his roving partner a promising young country star in Billy Walker, his ruck was led by one of the all time greats in WA sporting history, Keith Slater and other talented players sprinkled around the ground included Ken Bagley, John Turnbull and Fred Castledine.

Swans came out a fierce combination in the grand final and they managed to reverse the earlier result, winning their first premiership by virtue of a 24 point win over East Perth.

Slater won the Simpson Medal with an outstanding display of his rucking skills.

That was the start of a magnificent run for Bunton. He was an inspiring leader on the field who commanded the utmost respect from his team mates.



In 1962 Swans were faced with the difficult proposition of winning premierships back to back and if any man could help to achieve that it was Bunton. And this time they did it the easy way.

They won the second semi final against East Fremantle in brilliant fashion — earning a berth in the grand final courtesy of a 35 point win.

East Fremantle won their way through the preliminary final to again throw out a challenge to Swans. But once more Bunton's Bassendean boys rose to the occasion and they had won their second premiership in succession.

To cap off another great year for Swans, Bunton won this State's highest individual accolade — the Sandover Medal.

He was then faced with the prospect of recording a hat trick for the club and he achieved that goal when Swans won the first semi final against East Perth, the preliminary final against Perth and then repeated that dose they had handed out to East Fremantle in 1962 by again beating them in the big game — 17.10 to 13.12.

That was Swans last premiership until 1982, when Graham Melrose, the 1974 Sandover Medallist while playing with East Fremantle, who had gone to Swans after several seasons with North Melbourne, led them to a magnificent victory over Claremont.

Melrose was inspirational from a back pocket and he won the Simpson Medal for his efforts.

He had stamped himself as a great player when roving, but the little veteran, who had compiled more than 300 league games with three clubs in two States, accepted his role in defence and repelled many Claremont forward thrusts.

His performances, along with those of Bunton, have a special place in the history of WA's youngest club.



Haydn Bunton's football career has certainly taken him to many parts of Australia with various teams. He started his coaching career in South Australia before coming to the West to coach Swans in the early 1960's and then returning to the other side of the border. But he returned for a short stint with Subiaco, before once again going home to coach South Adelaide. He finished with that club at the end of last season, but came back to Subiaco Oval last Saturday to coach the SA All-stars country team.

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AMATEUR NEWS



A WEEKEND OF CRITICAL MATCHES

SEVERAL teams face the crossroads in the ninth round of 'A' grade fixtures.

North Beach, Old Wesley, Nollamara Collegians and Old Scotch could have their football destiny decided after the results at the half-way mark of the 1983 season.

On present form only four teams - Mt. Lawley, Wembley, University and the seasons big improver Trinity Aquinas - look assured of final appearances.

The battle for fifth is still up for grabs with only Collegians and Maylands having little chance.

Lower teams in 'A' must be concerned with performances as there appears several teams in 'B' grade worthy of higher ranking next season.

Old Wesley are hanging desperately onto fifth spot and played well enough last start (against Mt. Lawley 'Hawks') to suggest that they can down the North Beach combination.

Norths have lost their last four games by increasing margins.

The transfer of the game to Riley Oval should bring the scores closer.

Mt. Lawley should gain percentage in their outing against Maylands.

Lawley could be looking for the double - the 'A' grade premiership and W.A.A.F.L. club champions - in their 21st year and 15th in the premier divisions.

Wembley will be pushed hard by the improving Nollamara 'Roos'.

In past seasons little has separated the teams despite their positions on the table.

Nollamara, a regular 'A' grade team since 1975, have to double their present number of wins to feel confident of their 1984 ranking.

Wembley have possibly the most experienced team in amateurs backed by a top administration.

Trinity Aquinas have the opportunity to cement their fourth placing against Collegians, who don't seem to be able to run out a full game despite some of the most capable players in the competition.

For the past three seasons they have hovered around the lower half of the ladder, but they have players capable of going onto higher things.

Have Old Scotch run their race?

After four successive grand final appearances and three premierships (1979 'C', 1980 'B' 1982 'A') they appear to have lost their run and zip.

University should add to their woes, and hand out a defeat to reverse their 1982 grand final result.

B GRADE

The top five teams - Scarborough, C.B.C., Nth Fremantle, Bayswater and Floreat Marist meet the bottom five this week.

Unless upset results occur, it could be the beginning of the end for Wembley No 2, M.H.W.P. Morley, Uni No 2 and City Beach.

C.B.C., with the distinction of having three current State players in their team, and North Fremantle - coached by former State player Glen Hurst - continue to press Scarborough.

C GRADE

Innaloo have improved in recent starts and are only one game from fifth.



A round-up from the West Australian Amateur Football League.

Hellenic, the 1982 'D' Premiers, have not had everything their own way, having lost key players. But they still have the capacity to finish in the five.

Carlisle are chasing their best effort... (1975 'A' with 13 wins).

W.A.I.T., who competed in 'A' grade (1974-75), won 10 games last season to finish fourth and are capable of upsetting Carlisle.

Whitfords, yet to win a senior flag, are giving steady performances. Forrestfield in their eighth season, are giving creditable efforts.

Osborne Park are way down on their ten winning game effort of last season.

D GRADE

Dianella, trend setters, since joining 'E' (then the lowest grade) in 1975 have enjoyed success in an area close to other top clubs (Mt. Lawley, Coolbinia-Yokine, A.I.C.A.). North Beach No 2 are keen to be in a position to contest their fourth successive grand final (premiers 1980 'F' 1981 'E').

Bassendean won twelve games last year and will improve on that effort.

Brentwood are traditional finals contenders, this year should be no different.

Swanbourne, formed in 1947 and once one of the back bones of the W.A.A.F.L., continue to struggle despite hard work by officials.

OTHER GRADES

Edgewater 'G' seem to have forfeited any chance to play in the finals having lost games through ineligible players.

University No 3 must defeat undefeated leaders Applecross to keep in the five. John 23rd are set for their second successive finals appearance. Melville are not as strong as last season (13 wins).

Scarborough No 3 and City Beach No 2 ('I') should provide fireworks at City Beach Oval to resolve top billing. A.I.C.A. No 2 (up from 'K') are emerging a serious threat after a slow start. Murdoch (from Sunday competition) are still struggling to be competitive. Girrawheen 'J' should finish the first half of the season on top.

Applecross No2 and Brentwood No 2 ('K') are set for top honours with Dinaella No 3 and Lynwood-Ferndale No 2 (a successful young club).

The clash of the two top sides should bring the best out in top players Graham Hawkins, Phil Roach (Morley) and Budd, Bengough and Zilnay (Scarb).

SUNDAY COMPETITION

A.I.C.A. in a thrilling fast and physical game against Swan Athletic, went to the top with a five goal victory.

Veterans Joe Ferraloro and Sam Izzi set the pattern of desperation for A.I.C.A.

SA RETAIN CUP

THE S.A. amateurs retained the Southwark Cup when they outplayed W.A. after half-time to record one of the biggest wins for several seasons.

Failure in Adelaide last Sunday of W.A. defence to curb their more creative opponents - plus a lack of round-the-ground drive from the rovers - made the job difficult.

The match was played in fine conditions and W.A. won the toss.

Details:

S.A.A.F.L.	3.5	7.8	12.11	19.14	128
W.A.A.F.L.	3.3	5.7	7.12	11.15	81

Goalscorers:
S.A.A.F.L. - Hannock 6, Webber 5, Allan 2, Hurley 1, Kenny 1, Fiore 1, Crosby 1, Hann 1.

W.A.A.F.L. - K. Pride 4, R. Cronan 3, C. Northcott 2, J. Morrison 2.

BEST S.A.A.F.L. Gillies, Cousins, Kenneth, Sharley, Hannock, Homand.
W.A.A.F.L. R. Cronan, J. Morrison, K. Pride, N. Stanisis, K. Kosovich, D. Volk.

Information supplied by Doug Frame.

Starting times

CLUB officials please note that all colts games MUST start no later than 12.40 and finish NO LATER than 2.25.

All senior games MUST start by 2.30 p.m.

The laws of the game state that the quarter time break shall not exceed three minutes, half time break no longer than twenty minutes and the three quarter time interval is five minutes (Rule 15.1.2).

Time keepers and umpires are being requested to enforce the laws as some games are finishing well past 5 o'clock.

RADIO SHOW

Every Thursday afternoon the W.A.A.F.L. has a segment on Amateur Football on Radio 6PR. It is heard on John Hunt's Sportstalk programme. The amateur round-up has been successful and is generally put to air around 3.15 p.m.

VALE

BOB MERRITT



Followers of amateur football were stunned by the tragic death last weekend of Bob Merritt. Affectionately known as "Trooper", he was a well known worker for Wembley for over 20 years and more recently was an A-grade trainer and was associated with State teams from 1980. Also a member of the Mounts Bay Sailing Club, Trooper will be missed by all.

Premiership tables

Subject to official confirmation

'A' League: Mt. Lawley 28 (146%), Wembley 24 (145%), University 24 (1345), Trinity 20 (1115), Old Wesley 16 (107%), Old Scotch 16 (98%), Nollamara 12 (91%), North Beach 12 (79%), Collegians 8 (79%), Maylands 0 (57%).
'D' League: Dianella 32; Bassendean 24; North Beach 24; Brentwood 20; Nollamara 16; Old Wesley 12; National Bank 12; C'wealth Bank 12; Swanbourne 4; Carlisle 4.
'E' League: Lynwood 32; Bayswater 24; R & I Bank 20; University 16; St. Norberts 16; Maylands 16; Collegians 16; Trinity 12; Claremont CAE 4; Mt. Lawley CAE 0.
'F' League: Churchlands 24; Coolbinia 20; Koondoola 20; Nth Fremantle 16; Scarborough 12; Coolbellup 12; Floreat 12; Muresk 8; C.B.C. 0.
'A' Colts: Wembley 28; University 28; Mt. Lawley 28; Nollamara 16; Old Wesley 16; North Beach 12; Collegians 12; Old Scotch 8; Trinity 4; Maylands 0.
'B' Colts: Scarborough 28; Morley 24; C.B.C. 22; University 20; Floreat 18; Nth Fremantle 16; Bayswater 12; MHWP 8; City Beach 8; Wembley 4.
'C' Colts: Innaloo 28; Whitfords 28; Dianella 24; Coolbinia 24; Bassendean 24; W.A.I.T. 20; Osborne Park 16; Forrestfield 16; Mt. Lawley 16; Bassendean 12; Carlisle 8; Hamersley 4; Collegians 4; Old Wesley 0.

Compiled by Carl Evans.

PRESENTATION OF JUMPERS

Former All Australian players Dick O'Shannessy (twice), Mike Salmon, Ray Reeves and Greg Wilkinson presented the State jerseys before last week's interstate trip.

The function was held at and sponsored by the Vegas Hotel in North Perth it was a tremendous success with sponsors Adidas, Burley and Betts & Betts supplying track suits, bags and shorts. Travel Time International also generously arranged all air fares.

Special Sport Awards and badges from the department of Youth, Sport and Recreation were presented to members of the 1982 carnival side and announcement of captain and vice captain to Jeremy McGrade and Neale Fong was made by State coach Harry Neesham.



Former amateur All Australian player Greg Wilkinson (left) and now with Subiaco, is pictured with Brad Dunn (centre) and Tim Bovell.



Another former amateur player, Ray Reeves (centre), also now playing league football with Subiaco, with Nick Stanisis (left) and Neil Fong.

MILESTONES

150 GAMES: Lee Donovan (Nollamara). A ruckman who started in 1974 in 'B' colts (premiers), 1976 'C' grade most improved player award; fairest and best 1977 'D' grade, member 1978 'F' premiership team. Played 'A' grade 1975 and 76.



100 Games: Peter "Bomber" Hughes (Mt. Lawley) 21 year old ruckman, forward, a member of 1980 State colts team, 1982 State Carnival Squad and victorious W.A.A.F.L. team against South West (1982). Member of 1979 'A' Colts Grand Final and 1980-81 Premierships teams. 1982 Club 'A' grade fairest and best. Committee man since 1981.

Weekend Fixtures

North Beach vs Old Wesley at Riley Oval.
Mt. Lawley vs Maylands at Inglewood Oval.
Wembley vs Nollamara at Leederville Oval.
Collegians vs Trinity Aquinas at Perth Oval.
Old Scotch vs University at Fremantle Oval.



George Cash (right) congratulates Mt Lawley president Jim Watts on their new clubrooms

Stirling's deputy Mayor, George Cash, recently opened the Mt Lawley Amateur Football Club's renovated clubrooms at Hamer Park, Inglewood.

Mt Lawley now boasts some of the best facilities in the Amateur league and Mr Cash performed the opening ceremony in front of a packed house.

The West Australian Amateur Football League's president, Mr Colin Jamieson MLA was also a special guest at the function.

Club members, helped by the State Government and the Stirling City Council, carried out \$20,000 worth of extensions in the club's 21st anniversary year.

The club has certainly come a long way since 1963.

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State greats

THE State game on Saturday certainly produced a hectic opening — and South Australia's first goal came after some rugged work on the boundary line from wingman Craig Bradley. In a man-to-man duel with Darrell Panizza, Bradley won out, picked himself up off the deck and kicked a magnificent goal from an acute angle.

QUICK THINKER

BIG SA ruckman Frank Spiel came to WA with a reputation that he could not kick — but WA fans would have found that hard to believe after his second quarter goal. Spiel read the ball off hands at centre-half-forward and was about to be pounced on by three WA defenders. He realised time was at a premium and simply guided the ball onto his boot without really grabbing it. The result was a brilliant goal which gave the Croweaters some breathing space.

MICHAEL'S MAGIC

WHEN WA were in trouble in the second quarter it was captain Stephen Michael who kept the home team in the game. His aggressive approach rubbed off on his team-mates and produced a powerful brand of football. Typical of the way he led the WA revival was when he bumped his SA opponent out of the way at a boundary throw in 20 metres from goal. By using his body well, he was able to take clean possession and burst through a pack of players, dodging and weaving. The result ant goal won him the \$100 Town and Country award on the Channel 7 World of Sport show.

Falcon flyer

WEST Perth were off to an emotion charged start in the first quarter against Swans and it was largely due to the efforts of big kicking players Ray Holden and John Duckworth. At one stage Holden kicked the ball out from goal after a point had been scored and lobbed it about 10 metres short of the centre of the ground. The ball then bounced forward, past the centre circle and Duckworth picked it up. He ran about 20 metres and then sent a 60 metre kick straight through the goals.

YOUNG STAR

ONE of the most impressive of the South Austaians was young centre half forward Peter Motley. Son of selector Geof Motley, he showed he was a player with a big future by taking some strong marks and giving his side something to kick to up forward. He also showed he was an opportunist when he kicked a great goal in the last quarter. In a man to man duel with Tony Solin, the WA player punched the ball backwards hoping for a forced point, but Motley never took his eyes off the ball and followed it all the way back. He arrived just in time to get boot to ball and bring up full points.

Marlboro's Top Ten

Warren Ralph (Claremont)57.30
Craig Edwards (East Perth)41.15
Paul Arnold (South Frem)39.27
Chris Stasinowsky (South Frem) .37.16
Colin Waterson (East Frem)34.17
John Scott (East Perth)33.16
Peter Spencer (East Perth)31.16
Allen Daniels (Claremont)29.17
Clinton Brown (Subiaco)28.17
Peter Thorne (East Perth)26.23



Wesfarmers COUNTRY ROUNDUP

Country football clubs, associations and leagues are invited to submit news items and photographs for inclusion on this page.
Contributions should be posted to WESTSIDE FOOTBALL, 215 Oxford Street, Leederville or phoned through on 443 2262.



WA centreman Peter LeCras prepares to handball as SA's John Burgoyne moves in.

FUTURE ASSURED

THE future of interstate country matches are now assured after the brilliant success of the inaugural WA-SA game at Subiaco Oval last Saturday.

Wesfarmers, who sponsored the WA All-Stars team, were quick to join with SA's sponsors, West End beer, to confirm that their joint support will continue.

WA won the initial clash between the two States — with just six points being the margin — and the return match is planned for Adelaide next year when the SANFL play host to the WAFL.

The country match received strong support from the two senior bodies — the WAFL and the SANFL — and both groups confirmed their acceptance of the country All-Stars match.

The WA side, under the astute coaching of Bunbury veteran John Depiazzi, produced a magnificent seven-goal third quarter to turn what seemed certain defeat into an impressive victory.

The South Australians, under the guidance of the legendary Haydn Bunton, had dominated the first half. But they wilted under WA's constant pressure and trailed by five points at three-quarter time after holding a five-goal lead at half-time.

WA stretched their lead to 18 points at one stage, but the visitors were not to be denied and fought back to within a goal. With just minutes remaining, the Croweaters stormed into attack and when it looked like a goal was certain, the WA defence rallied magnificently and held them out.

Depiazzi summed up the feeling of the WA camp after the match:

"That was a tremendous team effort; a win full of character. You can all feel proud of yourselves. You are part of country football history."

The South Australians, who had about \$20,000 injected into their preparation for the event under West End's country football sponsorship program, were full of praise for the Sandgropers even though their victory provided a disappointing end to their trip across the border.

Murray Tippett, the SANFL's official representative to the country team, praised the home side.

"You have turned on magnificent hospitality and produced a great display of football for the home crowd."

"We just hope that we can do the same in Adelaide next year — including notch a win before our fans."

Wesfarmers' marketing official Colin Delmenico said after the game that his company's support for the match — which is also part of a strong sponsorship involvement with country football generally — would certainly continue next year.

WEST AUST. 0.4 1.8 8.15 12.18 90
SOUTH AUST. 4.2 6.8 8.10 12.12 84
SCORERS: WEST AUSTRALIA: Wright 4.3; Jeffrey 2.0; Quartermaine 1.5; Robertson 1.3; Duffield, West 1.1; Herd, Ditchburn 1.0; Tyson 0.2; Bairstow, Hall, Le Cras 0.1. SOUTH AUSTRALIA: Harris 5.3; Proud 2.1; Burgoyne 2.0; Dunhill, Saunders, Miller 1.0; Smith 0.3; Sheehan 0.2; Gardiner 0.1; forced 0.2. BEST: WEST AUSTRALIA: Le Cras, Tyson, West, Jeffrey, Robertson, Quartermaine. SOUTH AUSTRALIA: Saunders, Proud, Smith, Dunhill, Chenoweth, Harris.

STRONG SQUAD

The Upper Great Southern National Football League has named a strong squad for the rapidly approaching colts carnival.

Matches are held with neighbouring leagues as a lead-up to the Great Southern Carnival and the best teams from two zones play off in the final on the Sunday of the carnival.

The squad is: J. Coten, P. Roads, D. Rhodes, J. Campbell, P. Kain, W. Goater, T. Young, K. Hart, G. Whitehorn, J. Leach, K. Quartermaine (Towns), M. Jetta, D. Hewton, R. Cooper, D. Stone, A. Humphries, M. Mumme, F. Winmar, M. Moulton (Pingelly), D. White, K. Melvin, G. Taylor, B. Pauley, G. Snow (Wickepin), P. Ball, K. George, T. Hansen (Wagin), H. Webb, D. Falls, S. Masden, B. Falls, W. Keady (Cuballing), B. Stuart, S. Cowcher, C. Gillett (Williams), G. Fletcher, K. Denholm, K. Harken, S. Faber, R. Height, S. Harken (Railways), S. Abbott, P. Park (West Arthur), W. Mason, K. Clarke (Lake Grace), M. Farmer, G. Withers, K. Farmer (Boddington).

13 REPORTS IN PILBARA

Karratha Kats, the unbeaten league leaders in the Pilbara Football League, scored a crushing 89 point win over Karratha Cardinals in a sensational game.

There were 13 reports in the match and former East Fremantle player Danny Malone, now captain coach of Cardinals, is the central figure in three of them.

Malone, who kicked 13 goals a fortnight ago, left the ground late in the second half with a leg injury.

Cardinals had led by just six points at half time, but once Malone left the ground they dominated in every position and ran away with the result.

It was certainly a fiery contest between the top two sides in the competition.

This week South Hedland will play Rovers, Wickham meet Port Hedland Panthers and Karratha Kats will play Dampier.



The inaugural winner of the Crestwood Inntown Perth Hotel YIP weekend in the city is WA's country All Stars coach John Depiazzi.

The South West coach had the difficult task of bringing a team together from all parts of the State, getting them to learn each other's game in just one training session and then hoping for a big performance on Saturday at Subiaco Oval.

Even under these adverse conditions, Depiazzi got the best out of his players and they took out a thriller against their South Australian counterparts.

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JUNIOR PAGE



CARNIVAL TIGHTEST IN YEARS

THE annual Swan Districts Football Club junior zone carnival held over two days last weekend provided the closest competition seen in years, so much so that the highest winning margin in the three grand finals was seven points.

Competing were visiting associations Esperance, Bunbury (this season with a red and blue division) and Hills together with the hosts Metropolitans.

In the 12s grade the first encounter between Bunbury Blue and Bunbury Red was drawn, but the former went on to win two games and lose one before making the final. Bunbury Red only managed to win one of their four games, as did Esperance and Hills.

Metro were undefeated all weekend and beat Bunbury Blue 3.4 to 2.3 in the grand final where D. Walley (Metro) was awarded the fairest and best for the game.

The 14s grade was dominated by the two Bunbury combinations, with the crown eventually going to the Red corner after their magnificent 9.3 to 8.5 victory over Blue in the grand final.

In the qualifying games, Bunbury Blue downed their counterparts by five goals and won their other three matches easily.

Bunbury Red won three games and lost one, Metro came out even with two wins and two losses, Esperance won one against Hills, who never registered a win.

Although they lost the title Bunbury Blue player T. Thorn was presented with the fairest and best for the match.

The 16s provided an extremely close affair and some controversy. The organizers had to exercise their authority in deducting two victories from the Hills Association after they were found to have played more players than the rules required.

It was unfortunate for the Hills as they had won three games, the most ever by a 16s side for them in a carnival, but were eventually credited with one win.

Bunbury Blue won three qualifying games to make the final and Metro won two, as did Esperance who missed out only on percentage.

Bunbury Red had one victory by default.

Metro won the exciting final beating Bunbury Blue 4.6 to 3.5 and the victors had M. Balla awarded the fairest and best afield.



AROUND THE CLUBS

By Gary Bartholomeusz

Carnival fairest and best trophies were awarded at a players dinner/presentation to conclude the weekend and the 12s ended in a three-way tie. D. Johnson (Metro), G. Dehring (Bunbury/Red) and J. Gurney (Bunbury Blue) will all receive medals.

Bunbury Red's S. Basso won the 14s award and the 16s went to clubmate M. Micklaus.

Fairest and best trophies were also presented for each team over the carnival and following are the winners: 12s - D. Johnson (Metro); N. Abram (Esperance); R. Lord (Hills); R. O'Neil (Bunbury Blue) and M. Crain (Bunbury Red). 14s - D. Pickett (Metro); T. Ward (Esperance); T. Gow (Hills); A. Littlefair (Bunbury Blue) and P. Dawson (Bunbury Red). 16s - T. Pepe (Metro); B. Keevil (Esperance); J. Pratt (Hills); D. Moloney and S. Heasman (Bunbury Blue) and M. James (Bunbury Red).

Jon Pratt (Hills Association 16s) won the David Hewitt (Club Director) award for the most potential player likely to play league football for Swan Districts.

ESSO SQUAD

Claremont Football club's 25 player Ezzo squad were all presented with track-suits, boots, jumpers and bags at a dinner held for them last week at the club.

The 16s and under contingent will be given specialized training under Les House and Gordon Watson each Tuesday at Claremont Oval for the remainder of the season.

CUP TEAM

THE West Australian Teal Cup team faces a tough contract in Darwin this weekend in the annual interstate championship series for under-17 footballers.

WA have been drawn in the same group as Northern Territory, Victoria and the ACT.

WA play the strong NT side first up -- at 11.30 a.m. on Friday -- and if they win, they meet the winner of the Victoria-ACT match.

The other group comprises Queensland, NSW, South Australia and Tasmania, who will also play two matches on Friday and Saturday.

The winner of the Teal Cup will be decided between the winners of the two groups who will then clash on Monday.

The WA team, -- which is sponsored by the Town and Country WA Building Society, pictured above is :

BACK ROW: Grenville Ugle (Wesley); Howard Collinge (West Perth colts); Alex Rattray (East Perth colts); Wayne Dawson (Subiaco reserves); Warren Taylor (Subiaco colts); Bruce Edwards (South Frem. colts); Brett Little (South Frem. colts); Anthony Begovich (Marist College); Bill Bell (Mandurah); Richard Wilson (Guildford Grammar); George Earnshaw (trainer).

MIDDLE ROW: Gordon Watson (selector); Rod Bogaards (Northam); Steve Brown (South Frem. colts); Dean Nalder (Wesley); Craig Robins (Warwick); Tony Watson (Wesley); Darren Williams (Bunbury); Darren Best (East Perth colts); Andrew Tigchelaar (Swan Districts colts); Albert Humphries (Pingelly); Jack Clayton (selector).

FRONT ROW: Mick Moylan (asst. manager); Derek Collard (South Frem. colts); Jeff Hogg (East Frem. juniors); Richard Dennis (East Perth, captain); Eddie Pitter (coach); Tony Popotto (East Perth reserves, vice-captain); Steve Wyn-Taylor (Subiaco colts); Kim Pallier (Perth colts); Ross Davis (team manager).

MOSSIES ALIVE

Queens Park J.F.C. won three of the four titles at last Sunday's 15th annual Mossie Day hosted by the Manning J.F.C.

After winning the march-past as the best presented team -- in a split decision from East Vic Park -- the Queens Park 8s went on to win their grade title.

The 10s grade was also won by Queens Park although it was a closer contest.

The victors downed South Perth 4.9 to 3.4 in the semi-final and beat Canning 2.6 to 1.6 in the grand final.

South Perth salvaged some prestige in winning the 12s crown, they first beat Forrestfield 7.6 to 3.0 in the semi-final then trounced Kensington (who defeated Carlisle 6.0 to 5.4 in their semi), 10.8 to 0.2 in the grand final.

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Junior Quiz,
Westside Football
215 Oxford St
Leederville 6007

Entries close every Tuesday, so get your letter off today.



The answer to last week's Junior Quiz was Paul Vasoli and the winner is Louis Milne of Carnarvon.

R & I Little League

Lynch sets Lions on fire

AN outstanding performance from Subiaco's Brendon Lynch set his side on the road to victory in the R. and I. Little League match against Claremont on Monday.

Lynch kicked three goals to be the best player afield.

He received strong support from Brendon Fisher and Damien Meerman. Troy Warwick, Hamish Muntz and Terry Austin did well for Claremont, but they still lost 5.2 to 1.2.

East Fremantle kicked 4.7 to South Fremantle's 1.1. Best for East Fremantle were Michael Librizzi, Paul Freeman and Shane Pettit while Dale de la Hunty, Dale Foster and David Mulligan did well for South.

East Perth scored 2.3 to be too strong for Perth (0.2). Ricky Goodacre, Bret Campbell and Glen Yates did well for the Royals while Daniel Wood, Jason Haywood and Shane Manual were best for Perth.

Swan Districts compiled 1.2 to sneak home by one point against West Perth.

Major contributors for Swans were Steven Pepe, Troy Howard and Troy Gordon while Lougi Cabone, Ralf Mosechillo and Rocky Fazari were best players for the Falcons.

Swan Districts were represented by Redcliffe, West Perth (Balcatta), Subiaco (Kingsley), Claremont (Carine), East Perth (Maylands), Perth (Central Mortlock), East Fremantle (Great Northern) and South Fremantle (South Coogee).

Next week Harvey Brunswick will represent Swan Districts, East Fremantle (Lynwood), Perth (Quarading), West Perth (Northern Suburbs), South Fremantle (Cockburn), Subiaco (Whitfords), Claremont (City Floreat), East Perth (Dianella).

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West Australian Football League

Home side named first
**To be played at Subiaco Oval

Round 1 - March 26
Swans 20.8; Claremont 26.12
East Frem. 15.13; Subiaco 22.16
Perth 12.11; Sth. Frem. 19.22

March 27
West Perth 18.26; East Perth 17.13

Round 2 - April 2
Subiaco 20.8; Perth 11.14
Sth Frem 18.11; West Perth 16.8

April 4
East Perth 22.9; Swans 23.20
Claremont 27.15; East Frem 13.5

Round 3 - April 9
East Frem. 9.9; Swans 18.24
E. Perth 14.8; Cl'mont 23.22
W. Perth 22.24; Perth 14.10
Subiaco 9.19; South Frem. 27.22

Round 4 - April 16
Swans 10.13; W. Perth 20.18*
Cl'mont 17.15; Subiaco 15.10
Perth 13.15; E. Perth 18.19

April 17
S. Frem. 24.16; E. Frem. 14.9

Round 5 - April 23
Swans 21.18; Subiaco 17.8
Cl'mont 22.15; W. Perth 11.8
East Frem. 19.22; Perth 10.11
E. Perth 19.14; Sth. Frem. 28.14

Round 6 - April 30
Sth Frem 24.22; Swans 13.18
Perth 15.14; Claremont 17.18
W. Perth 19.15; East Frem 19.19
Subiaco 12.17; E. Perth 19.13

Round 7 - May 7
Swans 17.25; Perth 15.13
Cl'mont 17.10; S. Frem. 15.16
E. Frem. 18.12; E. Perth 31.18**
W. Perth 17.18; Subiaco 9.19

May 14/15 - Weekend Carnival
Won by East Fremantle

Round 8 - May 21
East Perth 19.18; West Perth 10.9
Subiaco 18.10; E. Frem. 19.18
S. Frem. 26.18; Perth 12.18

May 22
Claremont 24.17; Swans 18.19

Round 9 - May 28
E. Frem. 24.18; Cl'mont 19.15
Swans 26.20; E. Perth 19.16
W. Perth 16.16; S. Frem. 22.16**
Perth 29.15; Subiaco 19.7

June 4 WA 20.14, SA 16.14

Round 10 - June 6
W. Perth 15.21; Swans 16.18
S. Frem. 18.20; E. Frem. 19.13
E. Perth 22.21; Perth 10.12
Subiaco 14.15; Cl'mont 24.10

Round 11 - June 11
Swans v East Frem
Perth v West Perth**
Sth Frem v Subiaco
Claremont v East Perth

Round 12 - June 18
Subiaco v Swans
West Perth v Claremont
Perth v East Frem

June 19
Sth Frem v East Perth

Round 13 - June 25
Swans v Sth Frem
Claremont v Perth
East Frem v West Perth
East Perth v Subiaco**

Round 14 - July 2
Perth v Swans
Sth Frem v Claremont
East Perth v East Frem
Subiaco v West Perth

Round 15 - July 9
Swans v Claremont
East Frem v Subiaco
Perth v Sth Frem
West Perth v East Perth

July 12 W.A. v Vic.

Round 16 - July 16
Claremont v East Frem
East Perth v Swans
Subiaco v Perth

July 17
Sth Frem v West Perth

Round 17 - July 23
East Frem v Swans
East Perth v Claremont
West Perth v Perth
Subiaco v Sth Frem

Round 18 - July 30
Claremont v Subiaco
Sth Frem v East Frem**
Perth v East Perth

July 31
Swans v West Perth

Round 19 - August 6
Swans v Subiaco
Claremont v West Perth
East Frem v Perth
East Perth v Sth Frem

Round 20 - August 13
Sth Frem v Swans
Perth v Claremont
West Perth v East Frem
East Perth v Subiaco

Round 21 - August 20
Swans v Perth
Claremont v Sth Frem
East Frem v East Perth
Subiaco v West Perth

Finals
August 27 - 1st Semi-Final
September 3 - 2nd Semi-Final
September 10 - Preliminary Final
September 17 - Grand Final



Victorian Football League

Round 1 March 26
Geelong 15.16; Footscray 11.9
Carlton 20.16; Richmond 11.10
Fitzroy 16.15; Hawthorn 20.11
Melbourne 19.11; C'wood 20.15
Nth. Melbourne 14.16; St Kilda 12.15

March 27
Swans 17.9; Essendon 15.20

Part Round 2 - April 2
Collingwood 14.12; Geelong 15.11
Footscray 14.15; Carlton 12.10
Richmond 15.10; Melbourne 18.11

Part Round 2 - April 4
Nth Melbourne 6.7; Fitzroy (P) 12.16
Essendon 20.11; St. Kilda 10.10
Hawthorn 9.16; Swans 5.15

Round 3 - April 9
Carlton 13.19; Col'wood (P) 11.21
Fitzroy 14.13; Essendon 7.14
Footscray 16.15; Melbourne 11.13
Geelong 13.16; Richmond 6.10
St Kilda 6.6; Hawthorn 26.15

April 10
Swans 5.15; Nth Melbourne 27.23

Round 4 - April 16
St Kilda 11.13; Geelong 13.12 (P)
Ess'don 20.21; Col'wood 17.15
Fitzroy 17.23; Swans 6.16
Hawthorn 12.25; Footscray 17.16
Melb. 13.12; Carlton 14.15
Nth. Melb. 18.19; Richmond 14.19

Part Round 5 - April 23
Carlton 9.11; Fitzroy 18.17
Col'wood 9.19; Hawthorn 14.11

April 24
Swans 24.16; St. Kilda 21.11

Part Round 5 - April 25, Anzac Day
Richmond 17.12; Footscray 18.8
Nth. Melbourne 17.21; Essendon 20.8
Geelong 16.14; Melbourne 18.13

Round 6 - April 30
Hawthorn 12.16; Richmond 15.16 (P)
Carlton 12.13; Geelong 14.11
Collingwood 19.16; Nth Melb 15.18
Essendon 27.19; Footscray 7.7
Melbourne 18.18; Swans 12.21
St Kilda 15.12; Fitzroy 22.11

Round 7 - May 7
St. Kilda 11.9; Melb. 16.12
Fitzroy 11.10; Geelong 9.13
Footscray 11.16; Col'wood 14.4
Hawthorn 13.13; N. Melb. 21.16
Richmond 16.16; Essendon 21.11

May 8
Swans 18.10; Carlton 22.17

Round 8 - May 14
Col'wood 16.11; Richmond 8.11 (P)
Geelong 11.18; Swans 16.14
Hawthorn 20.17; Ess'don 14.11
Melb. 12.15; Fitzroy 18.17
St. Kilda 12.17; Carlton 22.13
Nth. Melb. 29.15; Footscray 11.8

May 16
S.A. 26.16; Vic. 17.14

Round 9 - May 21
Fitzroy 13.21; Footscray 22.13 (P)
Carlton 15.14; Hawthorn 14.12
Essendon 22.17; Melbourne 17.13
Geelong 12.12; Nth. Melb. 18.16
St Kilda 16.12; Richmond 13.15

May 22
Swans 18.13; Collingwood 14.15

Round 10 - May 28
Melbourne 16.13; Hawthorn 27.9
Coll'wood 10.17; Fitzroy 13.15
Essendon 15.19; Geelong 15.7
Footscray 17.26; St. Kilda 11.16
Nth. Melb. 29.19; Carlton 11.16
Richmond 16.10; Swans 14.10

Round 11 - June 4
Carlton 15.11; Ess'don 19.12
Fitzroy 20.16; Richmond 16.18
Hawthorn 12.16; Geelong 14.11
Melbourne 18.17; Nth. Melb. 20.19
St. Kilda 21.18; Gool'wood 24.16

June 5
Swans 17.19; Footscray 15.12

Part Round 12 - June 11
Essendon v Swans
Hawthorn v Fitzroy
St. Kilda v Nth Melbourne

Part Round 12 - June 13
Collingwood v Melbourne (P)
Footscray v Geelong
Richmond v Carlton

Round 13 - June 20
St. Kilda v Essendon (P)
Carlton v Footscray
Fitzroy v Nth Melbourne
Geelong v Collingwood
Melbourne v Richmond

June 21
Swans v Hawthorn (S)

Round 14 - June 27
Richmond v Geelong (P)
Collingwood v Carlton
Essendon v Hawthorn
Hawthorn v St. Kilda
Melbourne v Footscray
Nth Melbourne v Swans

Round 15 - July 2
Footscray v Hawthorn (P)
Carlton v Melbourne
Collingwood v Essendon
Geelong v St. Kilda
Richmond v Nth Melbourne

July 3
Swans v Fitzroy (S)

Part Round 16 - July 9
Fitzroy v Carlton (P)
Footscray v Richmond
Nth Melbourne v Essendon

July 12
West Australia v Victoria in Perth

Part Round 16 - July 16
Hawthorn v Collingwood
Melbourne v Geelong
St. Kilda v Swans

Round 17 - July 23
Nth Melbourne v Collingwood (P)
Footscray v Essendon
Fitzroy v St. Kilda
Richmond v Hawthorn
Geelong v Carlton

July 24
Swans v Melbourne (S)

Round 18 - July 30
Geelong v Fitzroy (P)
Carlton v Swans
Collingwood v Footscray
Essendon v Richmond
Nth Melbourne v Hawthorn
St. Kilda v Melbourne

Round 19 - August 6
Footscray v Nth Melbourne (P)
Carlton v St. Kilda
Essendon v Hawthorn
Fitzroy v Melbourne
Richmond v Collingwood

August 7
Swans v Geelong (S)

Round 20 - August 13
Richmond v St. Kilda (P)
Collingwood v Swans
Footscray v Fitzroy
Hawthorn v Carlton
Melbourne v Essendon
Nth Melbourne v Geelong

Round 21 - August 20
Hawthorn v Melbourne (P)
Carlton v Nth Melbourne
Fitzroy v Collingwood
Geelong v Essendon
St. Kilda v Footscray

August 21
Swans v Richmond (S)

Round 22 - August 27
Essendon v Carlton (P)
Collingwood v St. Kilda
Footscray v Swans
Geelong v Hawthorn
Nth Melbourne v Melbourne
Richmond v Fitzroy

Matches to be played on grounds of first named clubs, except where otherwise determined by the VFL.

(P) indicates matches to be played at VFL Park; (S) indicates matches to be played in Sydney.



South Australian National Football League

Matches to be played on ground of first mentioned club except first listed game each week to be played at Football Park.

Round 1 - April 2
Port 19.9; Glenelg 17.16
West 23.22; Centrals 8.10
Woodville 13.24; Torrens 18.19
North 14.9; South 7.18

April 4
Sturt 12.14; Norwood 11.7

Round 2 - April 9
Central 20.23; Nth. Adel. 8.12
Sth. Adel. 17.12; W. Torrens 9.12
Port 15.11; Norwood 17.16
Sturt 22.8; Glenelg 12.11
West Adel. 21.22; W'ville 15.7

Round 3 - April 16
W. Adel. 29.13; Glenelg 23.11
N'wood 17.12; Centrals 14.14
W'ville 6.7; Sth. Adel. 19.21
N. Adel. 14.17; W. Torrens 15.15

April 17
Port 18.23; Sturt 15.11

Round 4 - April 23
Port 16.8; Central 12.10
W'ville 10.13; North 15.15
W. Torrens 14.10; W. Adelaide 18.17

April 25
Sth. Adel. 13.17; Sturt 15.15
Norwood 29.14; Glenelg 12.12

Round 5 - April 30
South 13.13; Port 15.11
Centrals 16.17; Woodville 11.10
Glenelg 12.14; North 14.17
Torrens 15.17; Sturt 20.17

May 1
West 14.16; Norwood 16.6

Round 6 - May 7
Glenelg 15.16; Torrens 23.11
South 19.16; Centrals 12.6
Port 16.17; West 22.16
Sturt 24.19; Woodville 16.9
North 29.15; Norwood 13.10

Round 7 - May 14
Port 15.16; Torrens 10.15
West 15.16; North 12.12
Glenelg 7.12; Woodville 16.3
Norwood 13.10; South 10.5
Sturt 12.10; Central 13.11

May 16
S.A. 26.16; Vic. 17.14

Round 8 - May 21
West 17.14; Sturt 29.16
South 20.13; Glenelg 7.15
Centrals 25.13; Torrens 16.14
Woodville 14.10; Norwood 26.6
North 19.11; Port 21.7

Round 9 - May 28
Glenelg 15.12; C. District 7.10
Sturt 23.25; North 10.14
Torrens 14.7; Norwood 13.10
W. Adel. 13.17; S. Adel. 6.8

May 29
Port 11.16; Woodville 15.11

Round 10 - June 4
Torrens 22.15; W'ville 23.18
South 19.13; North 12.15
Central 13.13; West 20.13
Norwood 20.11; Sturt 21.12
Port 14.12; Glenelg 15.11
WA 20.14; SA 16.14

Round 11 - June 11
Centrals v North
Woodville v West

June 12
Sturt v Glenelg

June 13
South v Torrens
Port v Norwood

Round 12 - June 18
Central v Norwood
South v Woodville
Glenelg v West
Sturt v Port
Torrens v North

Round 13 - June 25
Sturt v South
Glenelg v Norwood
Port v Centrals
North v Woodville

June 26
West v Torrens

Round 14 - July 2
Centrals v Woodville
Norwood v West
Port v South
Sturt v Torrens
North v Glenelg

Round 15 - July 9
Norwood v North
Torrens v Glenelg
West v Port
Woodville v Sturt

July 10
Centrals v South

Round 16 - July 16
Centrals v Sturt
Torrens v Port
Woodville v Glenelg
North v West

July 17
South v Norwood

Round 17 - July 23
Centrals v Torrens
Glenelg v South
Norwood v Woodville
Port v North
Sturt v West

Round 18 - July 30
Sturt v North
South v West
Norwood v Torrens
Woodville v Port

July 31
Centrals v Glenelg

Round 19 - August 6
Centrals v West
Sturt v Norwood

August 13
South v North
Glenelg v Port

August 14
Torrens v Woodville

Round 20 - August 20
Woodville v West
Glenelg v Sturt
Torrens v South
North v Centrals

August 21
Norwood v Port

Round 21 - August 27
Torrens v North
South v Woodville
Centrals v Norwood
Port v Sturt
West v Glenelg

Round 22 - September 3
Port v Centrals
Norwood v Glenelg
Sturt v South
West v Torrens
Woodville v North

Elimination Final
September 10

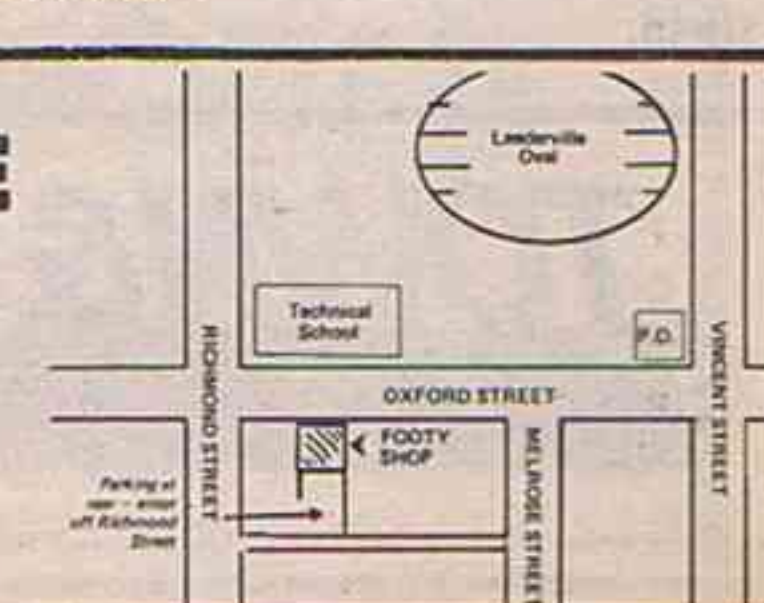
Qualifying Final
September 11

1st Semi Final
September 17

2nd Semi Final
September 18

Preliminary Final
September 25

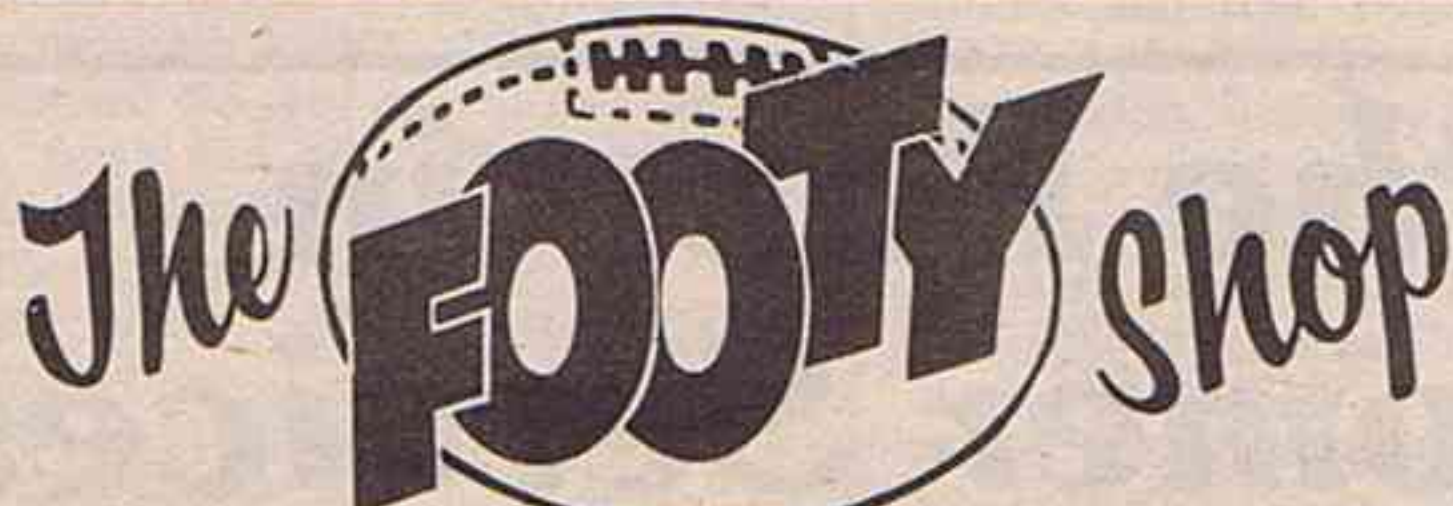
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October 1



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SWAN DISTRICTS	7.6	10.9	12.14	16.18	114
WEST PERTH	3.5	10.10	13.20	15.21	111
SCORERS: SWAN DISTRICTS: Nowotny 3.2; M. Smith 3.1; Maiden 3.0; Boucher, Werner 2.0; Shine 1.3; Johns 1.2; K. Narkle 1.1; P. Narkle, Blackaby 0.3; Langford 0.1; forced 0.2. WEST PERTH: Comerford 7.1; Avery 4.3; Duckworth 1.3; Ellen 1.1; Nelson, Mountain 1.0; Gibbs, Fong, Fitzsimmons, Warwick 0.2; Menaglio, Munns 0.1; forced 0.3.					
UMPIRES: T. Starcevlch, D. Gillies. West Perth won toss and kicked to northern end. Free-kicks: SWAN DISTRICTS: 7, 8, 7, 8 - 30; out of bounds 5; 15m 2. WEST PERTH: 4, 6, 6, 7 - 23; out of bounds 1; 15m 3. Played at Leederville Oval, attendance 11,728					
SOUTH FREMANTLE	5.4	8.7	13.15	18.20	128
EAST FREMANTLE	3.5	11.7	15.8	19.13	127
SCORERS: SOUTH FREMANTLE: Arnold 4.3, Hardle, Winmar 3.1; Roe, O'Brien 2.0; N. Carter, Monteath 1.4; Griljusich, Townsend 1.0; Vignona 0.3; Michael, Mount 0.1; forced 0.2. EAST FREMANTLE: Cassidy 5.1; R. Lester-Smith 4.1; Sterrett 3.3; Kerr 3.1; Jones 2.1; Waterson 1.2; Cormack 1.0; Jenzen, N. Lester-Smith, Taylor 0.1; forced 0.1.					
UMPIRES: R. Buckley, D. Rowe. South Fremantle won toss and kicked to northern end. Free-kicks: SOUTH FREMANTLE: 4, 7, 9, 6 - 26; out of bounds 3; 15m 3. EAST FREMANTLE: 6, 12, 12, 2 - 32; out of bounds 1; 15m 4. Played at East Fremantle Oval, attendance 17,560					
EAST PERTH	4.2	9.11	16.17	22.21	153
PERTH	2.3	2.6	3.8	10.12	72
SCORERS: EAST PERTH: D. Turner 6.2; Edwards 5.3; Dawson 3.2; Spencer 3.1; Thorne 1.5; Ironmonger, Hamilton, Dimmer 2.1; Scott 1.0; Carpenter, Ishchenko 0.1; forced 0.3. PERTH: Rea 4.0; Carter, O'Connell 1.2; Baynes, Shepherd 1.1; Hooker, S. Turner 1.0; Molr 0.2; forced 0.4.					
UMPIRES: R. Austin, R. Phillips. Perth won toss and kicked to southern end. Free-kicks: EAST PERTH: 6, 9, 6, 7 - 28; out of bounds 2; 15m 9. PERTH: 8, 6, 7, 7 - 28; out of bounds 2; 15m 8. Played at Perth Oval, attendance 5,840					
CLAREMONT	5.2	9.4	15.8	24.10	154
SUBIACO	3.5	5.9	9.11	14.15	99
SCORERS: CLAREMONT: Ralph 8.2; B. Farmer 4.0; Daniels 3.0; M. Watson 2.2; Kickett 2.0; M. O'Connell 1.3; Moss, Panizza 1.1; Goulding, Morton 1.0; Lewis 0.1. SUBIACO: McFaul 6.2; P. Lamb 2.2; Dean 1.3; Ironmonger, Kelly, Staples 1.1; Lee, Perry 1.0; Braddy 0.3; Keene, Tucker 0.1.					
UMPIRES: M. Ball, D. Johnson. Subiaco won toss and kicked to western end. Free-kicks: CLAREMONT: 6, 8, 7, 6 - 27; out of bounds 0; 15m 2. SUBIACO: 6, 8, 10, 5 - 29; out of bounds 3; 15m 1. Played at Subiaco Oval, attendance 4,791					

INTERSTATE MATCH DETAILS

WESTERN AUSTRALIA	5.2	9.5	15.10	20.14	134
SOUTH AUSTRALIA	5.6	1.8	11.11	16.14	110
SCORERS: WA: Ralph 3.5; Blackwell 3.0; Thorne, Fong 2.1; Narkle, Michael, Edwards 2.0; Roe 1.2; Goulding, Panizza, Cronan 1.1; Rance 0.2. SA: Motley 3.2; Davies, Bradley 3.1; McGinness 2.0; McAdam, Kernahan, Jenkins 1.1; Ebert, Spiel 1.0; Craig 0.2; A. Aish, Thomas, Lindner, McIntosh 0.1; forced 0.1.					
BEST: WA: Michael, Harding, Blackwell, Langford, Fong, Rance, SA: Motley, Williams, Bradley, Curtis, Giles, McAdam.					
UMPIRES: M. Ball (WA), R. Kinnear (SA). WA won toss and kicked to eastern end with wind. Free-kicks: WA: 4, 8, 4, 3 - 19; out of bounds 8; 15m 0. SA: 5, 7, 4, 8 - 24; out of bounds 4; 15m 1. Played at Subiaco Oval, attendance 20,980					

SIMPSON MEDALLIST: STEPHEN MICHAEL

MARLBORO CUP

South Fremantle 16; Claremont 13; East Perth 12½; Swan Districts 9½; East Fremantle 8½; Perth 6; Subiaco 3½; West Perth 3.

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FITZROY	7.6	11.9	17.12	20.16	136
RICHMOND	3.5	8.8	11.11	16.18	114
SCORERS: FITZROY: Conlan, Wilson 5, Quinlan 4, Roos 2, Sidebottom, Carlson, Coates, Lawrie 1. RICHMOND: Jess 5, Wiley 4, Bartlett 3, Rioli 2, Ablett, Sartori 1.					
BEST: FITZROY: Conlan, Wilson, Lawrie, Quinlan, Harris, Sidebottom. RICHMOND: Rioli, Wiley, Rowlings, Lee, Jess, Landy. Played at Junction Oval, attendance 16,153.					
ESSENDON	3.3	9.6	13.10	19.12	126
CARLTON	6.4	9.6	12.10	15.11	101
SCORERS: ESSENDON: Copping 4, Madden 3, Buhagiar 3, Merrett 3, Hawker, Beard 2, Neagle, Danher 1. CARLTON: Ditchburn, Meldrum 3, Marcou, Madden 2, Buckley, Ashman, Marchesani, Kourkoumelis, Harmes 1.					
BEST: ESSENDON: Madden, Danher, Merrett, Buhagiar, Weston, Otway, Andrews, Watson. CARLTON: Marcou, English, Hunter, Harmes, Johnston, Kourkoumelis. Played at VFL Park, attendance 60,619.					
COLLINGWOOD	5.4	11.9	18.14	24.16	160
ST KILDA	6.6	11.8	19.12	21.18	144
SCORERS: COLLINGWOOD: Dalcos 6, Morwood 5, Richardson 4, Edwards 2, Williams 2, Fellowes 2, Raines 2, Annear. ST KILDA: Brown 4, Crow 3, Meehan 3, Chiron 3, D. Cunningham 2, Burns 2, Smith 2, Morwood, Jackson.					
BEST: COLLINGWOOD: Richardson, Picken, S. Morwood, Phillips, Dalcos, Raines, Williams. ST KILDA: Sarau, Smith, Brown, Gellie, G. Cunningham, Lane, Burns. Played at Moorabbin Oval, attendance 25, 153.					
NORTH MELBOURNE	4.5	5.9	15.13	20.19	139
MELBOURNE	6.3	10.6	16.9	18.17	125
SCORERS: NORTH MELBOURNE: Hodgeman, P. Krakouer, Glendinning 4, Schimmelbusch 3, Holt, Kelly, Jones, Dempsey, Demetriou 1. MELBOURNE: Wilson 5, Healy 3, Flower, Johnson, Templeton 2, Moore, Icke, Ellingworth, Sutcliffe 1.					
BEST: NORTH MELBOURNE: Dempsey, Greig, Schimmelbusch, Hodgeman, Glendinning, Abernethy. MELBOURNE: Giles, Jarrott, Wilson, Flower, Icke, Moore. Played at MCG, attendance 25,249.					
GEELONG	3.4	7.4	8.6	14.11	95
HAWTHORN	3.3	6.7	10.12	12.16	88
SCORERS: GEELONG: Neal, D. Christensen 3, Flanigan, Darcy 2, Mossop, Reynolds, M. Kol, Yeates 1. HAWTHORN: Matthews 3, Judge, Buckenara 2, Wallace, Tuck, Bennett, Knights, Kennedy 1.					
BEST: GEELONG: Johnston, Neal, Mossop, I. Nankervis, Witcombe, D. Christensen, HAWTHORN: Matthews, Moore, Buckenara, Knights, Mew, Tuck. Played at Princes Park, attendance 13,465.					
SYDNEY SWANS	4.3	9.9	11.16	17.19	121
FOOTSCRAY	8.3	11.4	13.9	15.12	102
SCORERS: SYDNEY SWANS: Braddy 5; Sutton 4; Frangalis 2; Browning, Allender, A. Danher, Wright, Rhys-Jones, Stirling. FOOTSCRAY: Beasley, Royal 3, Sewell, Williams 2; Hawkins, Burton, Wallis, Cordy, Duperouzel.					
BEST: SYDNEY SWANS: Braddy, Sutton, Roberts, Wright, Round, Rhys-Jones. FOOTSCRAY: Beasley, Royal, Hawkins, Wallis, Edmond, Cordy. Played at Sydney Cricket Ground, attendance 10, 710.					

SANFL



WOODVILLE	2.2	9.3	17.6	23.13	151
WEST TORRENS	3.9	11.13	18.13	22.15	147
SCORERS: WOODVILLE: Bilght 7, McSparran 5, Bolton 2, Beecroft 2, M. Fuller 2, Schwarz 2, Koop, Harradine, Taheny. WEST TORRENS: Johnston 4, K. Hill 3, Pavlich 3, Carter 3, Pilmora 3, Hodson 2, Ingils, Morrell, Robson, Hanna.					
BEST: WOODVILLE: Bolton, Bilght, Matheson, Dettmann, Darmody. WEST TORRENS: K. Hill, Carter, Ingils, Johnston, Morrell, Dillon. Played at Football Park.					
GLENELG	5.4	7.5	12.7	15.11	101
PORT ADELAIDE	4.1	3.2	4.8	14.12	96
SCORERS: GLENELG: Twelftree 3, Sallsbury 2, Duthy 2, Hall 2, Symonds, McDermott, Garton, Carey, Motlop, Jercock. PORT ADELAIDE: Cunningham 3, Huppatt 3, Russell 2, Faletic 2, Natt 2, Porplycla, Robertson.					
BEST: GLENELG: McDermott, Motlop, Symonds, Hall, Marshall, Hewett. PORT ADELAIDE: Cunningham, Kinnear, Kennedy, Porplycla, Huppatt, Faletic. Played at Alberton Oval.					
STURT	4.2	10.6	15.9	21.12	138
NORWOOD	4.5	9.8	14.10	20.11	131
SCORERS: STURT: Willmott 6, Fielke 3, Barbary 2, Graham 2, Hollis 2, Wilson 2, P. Heinrich, Derrington, Hargreaves, Zubrinich. NORWOOD: Roberts 9, Turbill 3, O'Dwyer 3, Menzel 2, Michalanne, Neagle, Ahmat.					
BEST: STURT: Hollis, Fielke, Barbar, Wilson, Paynter, Willmott. NORWOOD: Roberts, Button, Thomas, Scanlon, Neagle, Stewart. Played at Norwood Oval.					
WEST ADELAIDE	6.2	11.3	14.12	20.13	133
CENTRAL DISTRICT	4.4	4.6	6.10	13.13	91
SCORERS: WEST ADELAIDE: Smith 4, R. Winter 4, Luders 4, Conlen 3, Lamb 2, Morris, McKinnon, Borchard. CENTRAL DISTRICT: Wilson 3, Van Dommele 2, Livesey, Trigg, Krieg, Fraser, McEvoy, Hart, Edwards, Moore.					
BEST: WEST ADELAIDE: Dreher, Smith, McKinnon, Mickan, Watson, R. Winter. CENTRAL DISTRICT: Krieg, Bohem, Prior, Hart, Van Dommele. Played at Elizabeth Oval.					
SOUTH ADELAIDE	7.5	11.9	13.10	19.13	127
NORTH ADELAIDE	2.2	5.5	10.9	12.15	37
SCORERS: SOUTH ADELAIDE: Hateley 3, Chapman 3, Martin 3, Grigg 2, Cornes 2, Hewitt 2, Would, Hawkins, Darren, Kappler, Conder. NORTH ADELAIDE: Roach 3, Dietrich 2, Sanders 2, Jarman 2, Klomp, Owens, Bennett.					
BEST: SOUTH ADELAIDE: Hateley, P. Brooksby, Butler, Would, Chapman, White. NORTH ADELAIDE: Tiller, Sanders, Roach, Phillips, Antrobus, S. Riley. Played at Adelaide Oval.					

PREMIERSHIP TABLES									
W.A.F.L.	P	W	L	For	Agst	%	Pts		
SOUTH FREMANTLE	10	9	1	1503	1018	147.64	36		
CLAREMONT	10	9	1	1445	1069	135.17	36		
SWAN DISTRICTS	10	6	4	1275	1291	98.76	24		
EAST PERTH	10	5	5	1343	1253	107.18	20		
West Perth	10	4	6	1147	1148	99.91	16		
East Fremantle	10	4	6	1152	1396	82.52	16		
Subiaco	10	2	8	1069	1350	79.18	8		
Perth	10	1	9	979	1388	70.53	4		

W.A.F.L. Reserves

P	W	L	For	Agst	%	Pts	
EAST PERTH	10	8	2	1202	895	134.30	32
EAST FREMANTLE	10	7	3	1246	1182	105.41	28
SOUTH FREMANTLE	10	6	4	1283	1089	117.81	24
WEST PERTH	10	6	4	1203	1302	92.39	24
Swan Districts	10	5	5	1148	1202	95.50	20
Claremont	10	4	6	1282	1104	116.12	16
Perth	10	2	7	1021	1217	83.89	10
Subiaco	10	1	8	1071	1465	73.10	6

W.A.F.L. Colts

P	W	L	For	Agst	%	Pts	
EAST PERTH	10	9	1	1039	514	202.14	36
CLAREMONT	10	6	4	985	745	132.21	24
SOUTH FREMANTLE	10	6	4	1056	839	125.86	24
SUBIACO	10	6	4	753	908	82.92	24
Swan Districts	10	5	5	813	704	115.48	20
East Fremantle	10	4	6	707	872	81.07	16
West Perth	10	3	7	680	936	72.64	12
Perth	10	1	9	580	1095	52.96	4

V.F.L.

P	W	L	For	Agst	%	Pts	
FITZROY	11	9	2	1220	939	129.9	36
NORTH MELBOURNE	11	8	3	1473	1037	142.0	32
ESSENDON	11	8	3	1363	1129	120.7	32
HAWTHORN	11	6	5	1098	946	116.1	24
GEELONG	11	6	5	1023	1009	101.4	24
Carlton	11	6	5	1145	1214	94.3	24
Footscray	11	6	5	1089	1238	88.0	24
Collingwood	11	5	6	1170	1166	100.3	20
Swans	11	5	6	1070	1294	82.7	20
Melbourne	11	4	7	1204	1308	92.0	16
Richmond	11	2	9	1029	1252	81.5	8
St Kilda	11	1	10	1015	1429	71.0	4

SANFL

P	W	L	For	Agst	%	Pts	
STURT	10	8	2	1304	1004	56.50	16
WEST ADELAIDE	10	8	2	1318	1022	56.32	16
NORWOOD	10	6	4	1142	992	53.51	12
PORT ADELAIDE	10	6	4	1101	1050	51.19	12
South Adelaide	10	5	5	994	813	55.01	10
North Adelaide	10	4	6	1025	1089	48.49	8
Central District	10	4	6	967	1070	47.47	8
West Torrens	10	4	6	1071	1193	47.31	8
Woodville	10	3	7	951	1297	42.30	4
Glenelg	10	2	8	945	1288	42.32	4

Other competitions

W.A.F.L. RESERVES

SWAN DIST.	8.5	15.9	23.15	31.20	206
WEST PERTH	3.2	9.4	13.6	16.11	107

SCORERS: SWAN DISTRICTS: Marshall 10; M. Smith 6; J. Sartori 5; Holtzman 3; Kimberley, Hodyl 2; Outridge, Platts, Moore. WEST PERTH: Gastevlch 4; Hathaway, Campbell, McEvoy 3; Morgan, Masters, Wright. BEST: SWAN DISTRICTS: Stone, Hodyl, Marshall, M. Smith, Davidson and Burgess. WEST PERTH: West, McEvoy, Masters, C. Davies, Wright, Polson.

EAST PERTH	4.0	5.4	8.12	14.18	102
PERTH	4.1	8.4	10.7	12.11	83

SCORERS: EAST PERTH: Wilson, Hawkins, Wrenstead 3; Bartlett, Williams, Dale, Blakely, Bewick. PERTH: Marshall 3; O. McGulre, Ashworth, Collie, McGuinness 2; McCracken. BEST: EAST PERTH: Kerr, Fullarton, Cocker, Morgan, Wilson, Dale. PERTH: Campbell, Bell, Cope, Marshall, Bogarts, Whittington.

CLAREMONT	3.4	9.7	16.9	21.14	140
SUBIACO	2.6	10.10	12.13	18.18	126

SCORERS: CLAREMONT: Rowe 5; Hansen 4; Jamieson, McArthur 3; Foules, Reynolds 2; Kanther, D. Klemm. SUBIACO: Brennan, Brewer, Thomas 3; Fairclough, Mowat, Zanotti 2; Clune, Crutchfield, Dawson. BEST: CLAREMONT: R. Watson, Foules, Duke, Jamieson, Baron-Hay, Harper. SUBIACO: Broman, Lidlow, Thomas, Zanotti, P. Wilson, Brewer.

EAST FREM.	2.5	7.9	13.12	18.16	124
SOUTH FREM.	4.2	7.6	10.10	17.15	117

SCORERS: SOUTH FREMANTLE: Lynch 4; Gillies 3; Martin, Beard, Amoroso 2; Simpson, Dobson, Cockle, Cooper. BEST: EAST FREMANTLE: Fields, Locker, Waterman, Pitorini, O'Sullivan, Turco. SOUTH FREMANTLE: Lynch, Martin, Hardman, Sims, Gillies, Cornell.

W.A.F.L. COLTS

SWAN DIST. 17.15 b WEST PERTH 5.5

GOALS: SWAN DISTRICTS: Kieran 5; Cope 4; Douglas 2; Hooper, Heys, Bixon, Hampson, Walley, Harvey. WEST PERTH: Blockey, G. McParland 2; Patterson. BEST: SWAN DISTRICTS: Allen, Kieran, Cope. WEST PERTH: Darby, Brown, Laidley.

EAST PERTH 20.15 b PERTH 9.6

GOALS: EAST PERTH: Dennis 4; Sladforth, Rattray 3; Bell, McKinlay 2; Daniels, Nitsos, Copeland, Higgins. PERTH: Valenta 3; Burgess 2; La Roche, Taylor, Rompoto, Davis. BEST: EAST PERTH: Latray, Bock, Van den Dungen. PERTH

WESTSIDE WINNERS



BOB CRIBB
Westside Football

Claremont v East Perth

East Perth will never get a better chance than this to beat Claremont. Even the League switched the game back from Sunday to Saturday to make it harder for the Tigers.



KEN McAULLAY
Channel 7

S. Fremantle v Subiaco

The Bulldogs scored a great win in a great derby and they will relish an easier game against Subiaco and be easy winners.



FRED WOODS
Westside Football

Swans v E. Fremantle

East Fremantle were unlucky against South last week but Swans will be a tougher proposition on their home turf and they should win.



ALAN EAST
Western Mail

Perth v West Perth

If there was a second division in WA football, Perth would be chasing relegation. The Furious Falcons will tear their hearts out and make devilled Demons.

Let's recognise the work of Jim Davies

DORRO'S DIARY

by GRANT DORRINGTON



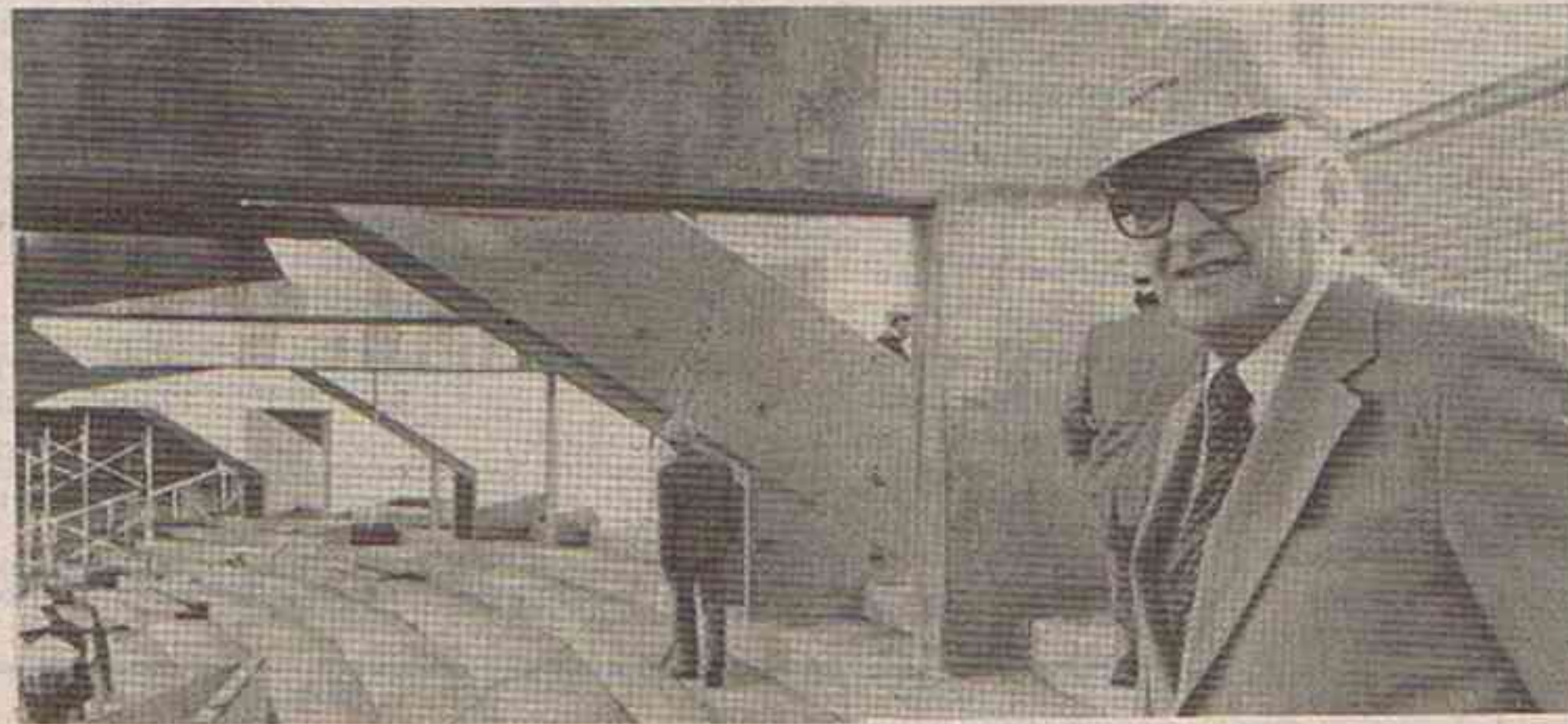
ONE of the real shames of the cut throat football world was the demise of the former president of the WAFL Jim Davies.

Jim was president at a time when football was going through some revolutionary changes, highlighted by the construction of the new grandstand that now is very popular with many football followers.

Jim put a great deal of time and effort into his time as president and when you consider his previous football history — including winning a Sandover Medal, to be left in the football wilderness now is a shame.

Football must recognise the people who have contributed, so that future workers for the game can see the tradition that has been established.

Now that some of the directors who



Jim Davies inspects the new grandstand during his term as president.

Great application

SATURDAY'S magnificent game between WA and SA saw the arrival of many new, young stars for Western Australia. A lot has been said and written about Willie Roe, Paul Harding, Murray Rance and co, but one player I watched very carefully was Swan Districts half back Tony Solin.

Tony was switched onto Peter Motley early in the first quarter when Motley appeared to be the player who was going to destroy the West Australians. He showed enormous skill and ability.

Tony never left him from then on, making him earn every kick. While he did not stand out as one of WA's best he showed great application.

Top job

WHILE coaching the Teal Cup side last week at Claremont Oval I had the chance to look over the Claremont building additions.

They are magnificent. The football rooms are spacious and now have nearly every conceivable apparatus required: gymnasium, sauna, warm-up room, coaches room and lockers.

The Claremont club are to be congratulated on their professional approach to remaining at the top. Squads of 14s, 16s and 17s, the best from the Tigers' local junior clubs, were also training on the oval.

The whole club has an air of success as a result of sound planning and direction.

undermined him have left, it would be a worthwhile gesture by the WAFL to recognise Jim's service and get him involved again.

Jim has still a great deal to offer the game and the game needs his experience.

The professional

IN the last decade, player payments have increased at an alarming rate — a rate that has caused most clubs to be in financial difficulties.

Having been involved in the coaching of teams during that decade, I have seen the physical training aspects of the game change dramatically.

Club administrators, when appointing coaches, are demanding the implementation of all the latest scientific training data. This training research has shown the need for more concentrated and tabulated training programmes.

Players are given programmes for 12 months of the year and being supervised by physical education personnel.

This huge increase in player training time and the request from club administrators to attend compulsory member social functions has put great demands on players' personal lives. To illustrate this point I have drawn up a daily timetable for a normal league player.

7 a.m. Breakfast.

8 a.m. Work — shorter lunch and tea breaks to be able to get to training on time.

4.30 — 5.30 Finish work — straight to training before dark.

5 p.m. — 7 p.m. Training

7 p.m. — 8.30 p.m. Team meetings/extra weights, medical treatment.

9 p.m. — 9.30 p.m. Arrive home.

This programme would occur 4 days a week — with things like football, special training, coaching clinics etc. being organised.

The sacrifices made by players entitles them to seek all the financial rewards they can obtain. They are being trained at a professional level and then criticised for endeavouring to obtain financial recompense.

If clubs continue their demands on players' times, they will have to find the ways of generating funds.

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