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WHO'D be a goalkeeper. This is the situation Newcastle United's Phil Dando found himself in earlier this season. Towering over the prostrate Dando is Lions striker Bobby Ferris.

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POINTS TO PONDER

IT has to be the quote of the week. Happened during Wynnum's match against Townsville last weekend. One player made a plaintive cry to the referee: "Hey, he's got my leg." One spectator couldn't resist and called back: "Don't worry, he'll give it back when he's finished."

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ONE State League player must have a cast iron constitution. Before match last weekend he was seen drinking what looked like a malted milk, some 50 minutes before kickoff time.

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REMEMBER Greg Jackson, the former Eagles and Frenchville defender and son of likeable Eagles official, now spectator, Stan Jackson. Greg is on working holiday overseas but seems to bob up in the trickiest of situations. He was in Germany when a bomb exploded during the Munich Beer Festival and recently was in Athens when the earthquake hit Greece.

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ONE referee who has been handling State League games this season is getting to be known as the "flasher". When ever the game gets a bit hot and he is under pressure, he eases the situation by "flashing" a card. Colour doesn't matter.

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THERE have been those who for years have complained about the sight of players taking the field with socks rolled down and shirts hanging out. Therefore it was probably no surprise to see a referee running the line in two senior matches last weekend wearing a white washing hat.

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IT had to happen sometime. The soccer press chappies are used to copping criticism because they have not written up a particular match but things took a new twist last weekend when one correspondent was berated by a spectator for not publising "the match that never was." Seems the complainant felt more publicity should have been given to the fact that Brisbane Lions did NOT have a match at home last Sunday because of the second round of the Philips Cup.

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DRAT, blast it. Townsville local Channel 7 is telecasting the Townsville-United-Mareeba United State League match at the Sports Reserve on Saturday. We hear some whistlemen who specially had their locks trimmed at the barber and had nails manicured were sadly disappointed at missing plum job. Game is to be handled by former FIFA ref. Des Miles.

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WHATEVER you say about Grange Thistle coach George Pagan, you have to admit the man's got a sense of humour. For the last two Mondays at Perry Park at lunchtime, George has been greeted by usual lunch companions who sported black arm bands. Thistle lost last two games 3-0 but George responded by asking, "Where's mine."

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PITY there are no awards handed out at the end of the season to supporters of clubs. Despite poor results generally over the two and a bit seasons of State League, Rockhampton crowds supporting first Frenchville, then Capricornia, have not dropped to any great degree. That alone should make most hope John Ward can soon come up with some good results.

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THOSE who continually criticise the Summer Soccer proposal should have been at Bundamba last Saturday. Most of the players from Coalstars and Mitchelton responded to the extreme heat by sporting a good coating of zinc cream.

STATE LEAGUE ROUNDUP

EASTERN SUBURBS 2 (Griffiths 21st; Hudson 83rd) d GOLD COAST CITY 0.
Halftime: 1-0.
Referee: Jack Wood, rating 7.

A full strength Easts, with the return of Rod Stein, whose usual colourful eloquence boosted organisation at the back, had an even battle with City in the first 15 minutes. The visitors were unlucky to lose Paul Sleight in the 7th minute through injury and he was replaced by Bobby Harris. City also took the field without top defender John Brown and promising striker Peter Curtis. Harris got into the game immediately and boomed a shot over the bar in the 12th minute, which went close to being City's best chance of the game.

The 1-0 scoreline to Easts at halftime flattered City, as the home side played some of the best attacking football seen at Heath Park for some time, and most of the highlights took place around the City goal.

Bruce Rehbock had a shot cleared off the line and one move which included 11 consecutive passes broke down at the last minute. But soon after, Russell Griffiths gained possession on the edge of the box, beat two markers and slotted Easts ahead. The rest of the half was all Easts, with Lex Donsky firing over the top, Phil Thompson having one cleared off the line and Paul Scanlan making a good save from Rehbock. The opening of the second half fell a little flat but Easts again went on to dominate the rest of the session.

New boy Brian Hudson replaced Angus Meikle after 65 minutes and immediately tested Scanlan. Rehbock had a diving header saved before Hudson added No. 2 to mark a great debut. Easts had another saved off the line and one disallowed for offside and the final summing up was: Chris Carroll had a Gold Coast holiday at Heath Park.

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TOWNSVILLE UNITED 1 (Walton 58th) d WYNNUM 0.
Halftime: 0-0.
Referee: Bill Monteverde, rating 7.

This match loomed as the best drawcard of the round and it turned out that way, as there was plenty of action, if not goals, to satisfy most. New signing Bobby McGuiness went close to scoring as early as the second minute when he scraped the crossbar paint following a Mark Spiegelhauer pass. Townsville looked by far the stronger as Wynnum took some time to settle and Dave Mewburn had to smother a solid groundshot from Cliff Whiteside. But it was Wynnum who came close to scoring in the 18th minute. Peter Lelliott and Keith Walker created an opening for Nigel Rehbock, whose shot crossed the face of the goal, where Keith Royle, desperately clearing only just missed the crossbar, in what would have been a sensational own goal.

Townsville easily should have been in front eight minutes after the break. Tom Walton and McGuiness combined well on the left and Mick Geoghegan was left with Mewburn to beat, but mis-kicked badly. Tommy Gray kept Phil Figgins honest with a deflected shot from a Cameron Bell cross. Then came the breakthrough in the 58th minute, which started with Frank Houston on the right and finished with Spiegelhauer's perfect cross from the left and Walton made no mistake.

A splendid Gray pass sent Allan Collins in the clear, and although Townsville players were upset claiming an offside, the linesman was spot on.

Figgins any way made a great save and Collins pushed the rebound into the side netting. Spiegelhauer burst through to hit the post after a 1-2 with Geoghegan and yet another good Houston pass and Mc Guiness did the same five minutes later with a curler which had Mewburn beaten. In the last minute, Gray sent Phil Campbell into the box, and he came down, but referee Monteverde ignored Wynnum's claims for a spot kick.

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MAREEBA UNITED 3 (P. Trovalusci 15th, 85th; Ruiz 50th) d GRANGE THISTLE 0.
Halftime 1-0.
Referee: Dave Nugent, rating 9.

Mareeba claimed their first victory over Thistle in State League by a handsome margin. Thistle played newcomer Jim Cameron at left back and had Huisdean Lazenby playing in front of the back four. Mareeba, at the time of writing, had sacked Ivor Schofield as player-coach and John Hardaker seems to be now in charge. Thistle were well in the game in the first quarter hour and certainly later did not agree that referee Nugent should have awarded a penalty in the 15th minute.

Following a defence mistake, Paul Trovalusci was in the clear and John Ferguson came out to protect his goal. The players clashed, and referee Nugent surprisingly had to consult his linesman before pointing to the spot. The rest of the first half was pretty even but Mareeba took an iron grip when Manuel Ruiz headed in a Ray Junna cross in the 50th minute.

Thistle had their best chance to come back into the game in the 70th minute when a Len Pollock shot had Hardaker beaten but skimmed the crossbar. Trovalusci, last year's leading State League scorer, broke away to add No. 3 with five minutes left.

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MT. GRAVATT 5 (G. Bohan 35th, 61st, 65th; B. Bohan 75th; R. Stewart 11th) d CAPRICORNIA 0.
Halftime 2-0.

Referee: Col Amos, rating 7.

Capricornia slipped to their second heavy defeat in a row and the Fred Robins grin *is* getting wider each week. Capricornia had a couple of chances to score early but they were behind the eight ball in the 11th minute after Russell Stewart scored a straight forward goal from a Harry Stew-art pass.

Mt. Gravatt were much too fast and found space easily and shot away to a 2-0 lead before halftime, when Shane Sargent's back pass was short and Gary Bohan capitalised. The scoreline could have been greater but for some good keeping from Steve Cunningham. But the keeper never saw Mt. Gravatt's third goal, a Bohan overhead shot from a corner. Only four minutes later, Bohan completed his hat-trick chasing a long through ball to lob over the advancing keeper. John Reid had a goal disallowed and Bevan Bohan had all the time in the world to chip over Cunningham after breaking clear in the 75th minute.

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IPSWICH UNITED 1 (Dann 39th) d ACROSS THE WAVES 0.
Halftime: 1-0.
Referee: Bill Turkington, rating 6.

Ipswich dominated the first half to such an extent that John Bennett had to wait 30 minutes to make his first real save. The goal stemmed from the attacking Wayne Warren, whose pass to Jeff Dann resulted in John Gorza being caught wrong-footed and the shot just scraped inside the upright.

Peter Tokesi was a tower of strength at the back for Waves as Ipswich continued to come forward. Ipswich picked up where they left off after halftime and John Gorza had to save well twice. The best Waves chance was a John Wood shot which brought out the best in Bennett.

With 18 minutes left, Dann was sent off after earlier getting a yellow card and this setback enabled Waves to forge back strongly in search of an equaliser which never came.

State League Standings

HOME

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Mareeba	2	1	1	—	3	0	3
Easts	2	1	1	—	4	2	3
Waves	1	1	—	—	8	1	2
Mt. Gravatt	1	1	—	—	3	0	2
Thistle	1	1	—	—	3	0	2
Wynnum	2	1	—	1	4	2	2
Gold Coast	1	1	—	—	1	0	2
Ipswich	2	1	—	1	2	2	2
Capricornia	2	—	1	1	2	7	1
Townsville	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

AWAY

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Townsville	2	2	—	—	3	1	4
Mt. Gravatt	2	1	1	—	5	0	3
Wynnum	2	—	1	—	2	2	1
Gold Coast	2	—	1	1	2	4	1
Ipswich	1	—	—	1	0	1	0
Mareeba	1	—	—	1	1	3	0
Waves	2	—	—	2	0	4	0
Thistle	2	—	—	2	0	6	0
Capricornia	1	—	—	1	1	8	0
Easts	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

AGGREGATE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Mt. Gravatt	3	2	1	—	8	0	5
Townsville	2	2	—	—	3	1	4
Easts	2	1	1	—	4	2	3
Wynnum	3	1	1	1	5	4	3
Mareeba	3	1	1	1	4	3	3
Gold Coast	3	1	1	1	3	4	3
Waves	3	1	—	2	8	5	2
Ipswich	3	1	—	2	2	3	2
Thistle	3	1	—	2	3	6	2
Capricornia	3	—	1	2	3	15	1

SALISBURY SNIPPETS

Salisbury's winning run continued with a crushing 3-0 win over Taringa Rovers at Massinger Street last weekend. If anyone thought their 5-1 thrashing of Trident-Valleys in the first home game was a fluke they were set right last Saturday when Salisbury handled the physical Taringa and cruised home in total dominance. The Salisbury team kept their cool in extremely hot conditions and were rewarded with both points. The match started at a rough hectic pace, with many Taringa tackles bringing roars of disapproval from the home crowd.

But Salisbury endeavoured to play good football and their first goal resulted from a well executed move. Winger, Richie Smiles, who has started the season in devastating form, easily beat his man to sprint down the left wing and cross to the six yard line.

Striker John McArthur was too quick for the Taringa defence and sprinted in to slam the ball into the net. Salisbury continued to pressure but good saves by the Taringa keeper kept the score to 1-0 at halftime.

The second half started much slower, with few players willing to run due to the heat and for a long period the game was a back and forward midfield affair. But towards the end of the half, Salisbury began to get on top again but forays on the Taringa goal were constantly stopped by big kicking defence and sound keeping.

The turning point for the home side came with the replacement of injured midfielder John Slater by striker Bob Hage. With his first touch of the ball Hage floated a curling shot into the top corner of the goal to make it 2-0 and give the team the impetus to finsh strongly. And that they did. Continual attacks on the Taringa defence resulted in another goal, through Smiles, and had the game gone on longer it is likely the disheartened Rovers would have again been beaten.

In fact during the latter stages of the game Salisbury keeper Scott Spencer, playing his first division debut, had little to do.

To Taringa's credit, their goalkeeper and central defence were probably let down by ineffective forwards and a midfield with little imagination. In the reserves a failure to put away the chances cost Salisbury their undefeated record. The home side dominated early but in their first attack Taringa scored. Salisbury fought back and levelled the score by halftime, but in the second half it was all Taringa.

Rovers dominated midfield and their strikers always looked likely to break through.

And that they did twice to run out deserved 3-1 winners This week we travel to Pine Rivers to resume last year's battle. Rivers have started the season almost as well and we expect our toughest game to date. Hopefully as many supporters as possible will make the trek to support our boys in what will be the match of the round.

ALL THE POINTS TABLES

S.E.Q. LEAGUE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Brisbane City	3	3	—	—	12	3	6
Brisbane Lions	3	2	1	—	11	2	5
Mt. Gravatt	3	2	—	1	15	7	4
Easts	3	2	—	1	6	4	4
Thistle	3	1	—	2	7	7	2
Wynnum	3	1	—	2	4	7	2
St. Helens	3	—	1	2	1	7	1
Gold Coast	3	—	—	3	2	21	0

FIRST DIVISION

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Salisbury	3	2	1	—	9	2	5
Darra	3	2	1	—	12	8	5
Coalstars	3	2	1	—	6	2	5
Pine Rivers	3	2	—	1	10	4	4
Trident-Valley	3	2	—	1	5	5	4
Annerley	3	1	1	1	6	3	3
Acacia Ridge	3	1	1	1	1	2	3
Taringa	3	1	1	1	3	5	3
Mitchelton	3	—	2	1	1	4	2
Olympic	3	—	1	2	1	4	1
Sunnyside	3	—	1	2	2	10	1
Eagles	3	—	—	3	4	11	0

FIRST DIVISION RESERVES

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Pine Rivers	3	3	—	—	11	2	6
Acacia Ridge	3	3	—	—	7	3	6
Taringa	3	2	—	1	7	3	4
Mitchelton	3	1	1	1	8	5	3
Salisbury	3	1	1	1	5	5	3
Olympic	3	—	3	—	4	4	3
Coalstars	3	1	1	1	8	9	3
Darra	3	1	—	2	10	10	2
Annerley	3	1	—	2	5	7	2
Trident-Valley	3	—	2	1	2	4	2
Sunnyside	3	1	—	2	3	7	2
Eagles	3	—	—	3	2	13	0

STATE LEAGUE ROUND 4

Sunday, March 29th, 3 p.m. Dittmer Park

MT. GRAVATT		IPSWICH UNITED
1	MARK DAVIS	1 JOHN BENNETT
2	STEVE CLARK	2 NEV O'SULLIVAN
3	CHRIS CORCORAN	3 IAN HUMPHRIES
5	BEVAN BOHAN	4 WAYNE WARREN
6	JOHN FERGUSON	5 JEFF DANN
7	RUSSELL STEWART	6 RANDALL McKEAND
8	HARRY STEWART	7 JON KITCHING
9	IAN HEAD	8 RICHIE WILSON
10	GARY BOHAN	9 IAN LAWRIE
11	JOHN REID	10 BRYAN KATHAGE
12	MICKEY ROONEY	11 JOHN MILLER
13	JIM McINTYRE	12 MURRAY KITCHING
15	ERIC THOMPSON	13 DAVE PERRETT
16	ARCHIE FRASER	14 BILL McQUEEN
19	CRAIG DICKSON	15 KERRY STUMER
20	ROSS CORCORAN	20 MARK KORHECZ
Coach:	FRED ROBINS	*Coach:* GRAHAM KATHAGE
		Sponsor: JACARANDA DAIRY
Next week's opponents:		Next week's opponents:
EASTERN SUBURBS (away)		GRANGE THISTLE (home)

Previous Results: 1979 — 0-0, 0-3; 1980 — 2-0, 2-0.

Sunday, March 29th, 2.15 p.m. Martens Oval

ACROSS THE WAVES		EASTERN SUBURBS
1	TONY SPRUCE	1 CHRIS CARROLL
2	ELIO MARCON	2 PAUL MYLONAS
3	PETER KELLY	3 LEON WILSON
4	MORRIS ZAINA	4 JEFF DOLAN
5	GRAHAM YOUNG	5 ROD STEIN
6	BRIAN KIBBEY	6 LEX DONSKY
7	ANDREW CHAPMAN	7 MARK BRUSASCO
8	RON SMITH	8 RUSSELL GRIFFITHS
9	JOHN WOOD	9 BRUCE REHBOCK
10	GARY BROMFIELD	10 PHIL THOMPSON
11	TOM KENNY	11 ANGUS MEIKLE
12	PAUL BONGIOLETTI	12 GARY FISHER
14	BOBBY FORD	13 LYNDON HADLEY
18	PETER TOKESI	14 DAVE BLACKADDER
20	JOHN GORZA	15 GARY THOMAS
		16 MARK JACKSON-KNAGGS
		17 MICK SINN
		20 BILL DAVIS
Coach:	EDDIE CARRIGAN	*Coach:* MAL BLAND
Sponsor:	WIDE BAY BRICKWORKS	
Next week's opponent:		Next week's opponents:
WYNNUM (away)		MT. GRAVATT (home)

Previous Results: NOT APPLICABLE

Saturday, March 28th, 8 p.m. Lanham Park

GRANGE THISTLE		CAPRICORNIA UNITED
1	STEPHEN LINDSAY	1 COLIN BALDERSON
2	JIM CAMERON	2 IAN LAMB
3	MARK APONAS	3 SHANE SARGENT
4	HUISDEAN LAZENBY	4 BRAD SMITH
5	IAIN FAGAN	5 PETER LOCKE
6	STEVE DOLAN	6 GEOFF FELTELL
8	JOHN PATERSON	7 MARK STEGEMAN
9	RICKI MANGAN	8 WARREN JARVIS
10	LEN POLLOCK	9 DALE MURPHY
11	KENNY GORDON	10 STERLING McQUIRE
12	STEVE JUDKINS	11 GREG McMILLAN
13	KEITH MARSH	12 CLAYTON McBETH
14	WILSON MAELAUA	13 BRETT DRUERY
15	ALISTAIR PAGAN	14 MARK RYCEN
16	ROSS SWAN	15 KERROD NUNN
17	ALAN MARLEY	16 WAYNE DRUERY
18	BEN SOKENI	20 STEVE CUNNINGHAM
19	DEREK BARRON	
20	JOHN FERGUSON	
Coach:	GEORGE PAGAN	*Coach:* JOHN WARD
Next week's opponent:		Next week's opponents:
IPSWICH UNITED (away)		MAREEBA UNITED (away)

Previous Results: NOT APPLICABLE

Saturday, March 28th, 4 p.m. Townsville Sports Reserve

TOWNSVILLE KERN UNITED		MAREEBA UNITED
1	PHIL FIGGINS	1 BRUNO FEGATILLI
2	KEVIN JOHNSON	2 BRIAN STOPFORD
3	KEITH ROYLE	3 FABRIZIO SONCIN
4	MARK SPIEGELHAUER	4 MICHAEL PIROVICH
5	HUGH MONTGOMERY	5 GEOFF MAYES
6	DALE WHALLEY	6 IVOR SCHOFIELD
7	FRANK HOUSTON	7 RAY JUNNA
8	CLIFF WHITESIDE	8 MANUEL RUIZ
9	MICK GEOGHEGAN	9 STEVE TROVALUSCI
10	TOM WALTON	10 PAUL TROVALUSCI
11	DAVE COSTA	11 TONY PANETTA
12	BRETT KITCHING	12 FRANK TOSONI
13	GREG PATTEL	14 DAVE WATSON
14	DARYN WHITE	15 MAKSE SRHOJ
15	JOHN BRUCE	16 CHRIS YOUNG
16	BOBBY McGUINESS	17 HENRY LUITOO MA'ARODO
20	DAVE LINDENMEYER	20 JOHN HARDAKER
Coach:	TIM WHITE	
Sponsor:	KERN CORPORATION	*Coach:* JOHN HARDAKER
Next week's opponents:		Next week's opponents:
GOLD COAST CITY (home)		CAPRICORNIA (home)

Previous Results: 1979 — 4-0, 2-1; 1980 — 2-2, 2-5.

Sunday, March 29th, 3 p.m. Italo-Australian Park

GOLD COAST CITY

1 PAUL SCANLAN
2 MICHAEL BENTON
3 STAN MORLEY
4 JOHN BROWN
5 GORDON COUTTS
6 PAUL SLEIGHT
7 KEITH BUFFEY
8 DENNIS DODD
9 BARRY PARSONS
10 TONY KINNEAR
11 BARRIE FAIRBROTHER
12 JOHN LAVELLE
13 STEVE BRISTOW
14 PETER CURTIS
15 ROBERT HARRIS
16 DAVE SPENCE
20 STEPHEN WALSH

Coach: BARRY DANN

Next week's opponents:
TOWNSVILLE UNITED (away)

WYNNUM

1 RICKY ALLEN
2 STEVE ROBINSON
3 WAYNE GRACEY
4 GLEN PORTER
5 PETER EDWARDS
6 DAVID LARGE
7 MICHAEL MASON
8 TOMMY GRAY
9 PHIL CAMPBELL
10 NIGEL REHBOCK
11 WENDELL HENDERSON
12 CAMERON BELL
13 ALAN COLLINS
14 PETER LELLIOTT
15 STEVEN BOOTH
16 KEITH WALKER
17 STEVE BROWN
18 TONY COCHRANE
20 DAVE MEWBURN

Coach: BILL BRYANT

Next week's opponents:
ACROSS THE WAVES (home)

Previous Results: NOT APPLICABLE

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AC/DC Plays at Lanham Park

Thistle's coach George Pagan casts his eye over the AC/DC team prior to their 5-1 win at Lanham Park.

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Yes, AC/DC did play at Lanham Park, but not a concert — a football match. This match came about through a challenge issued by the Australian members of the concert party when they arrived for their recent Australian tour.

The match was duly played in Melbourne which the visitors won 2-1. Because of the closeness of the game, the Australians decided there would have to be a re-match, which was duly played at Lanham Park on the 3rd March. This time the "Poms" won 5-1.

The Australian team consisted of Australian born members of the road crew, representatives of the tour promoters with agents from EMI, their record distributors. The English team consisted, naturally, of British members of the road crew and the band.

Thistle's coach, George Pagan, came out to the ground to see if there was any hidden talent worth signing up, whilst he was impressed with many of the skills shown by the visitors, he decided reluctantly, that they were more suited for concert tours rather than football tours.

The groups latest album, "Back in Black" has been certified double platinum and has sold well over 100,000 copies since its release. The group will be touring Australia again in about 18 months time and already feelers have gone out for a re-match, but this time at cricket.

So who knows, AC/DC could well be "Back in White" at Lanham Park on this occasion.

Left to Right — George Young, George Pagan, Brian Johnson.

George Young was named after Glasgow Ranger's famous centre half of the 1950's. George is a prolific songwriter and producer and has produced most of the albums for AC/DC, he is an ex-Easybeats member, and now records only occasionally with George Vander as "Flash in the Pan".

Brian Johnson is the newest member of the group and comes from Newcastle in the North East of England, and, like most Geordies, takes to soccer very naturally, and follows the game whenever time permits.

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PRESTON RAMS

Preston Soccer Club — Preston who? Many soccer aficionados shook their heads in disbelief last November when the Philips League admitted this Victorian club, so little known outside their own state.

However, Preston — now called the Rams — arrive with quite a bit of reputation and a good record of crowd support in recent years. In fact, they confidently predict that they will be vying with South Melbourne, the traditional pace-setters, for top crowds in Melbourne.

They have installed 2000 seats and provided cover for another 1,500 fans at their Connor Reserve ground, at Reservoir and have also carried out other facelifting operations since last November.

The team itself will be strengthened from last year's when they won the Victorian State League. Their players then included some experienced campaigners, such as former national team goalie Lou Kastner and ex-Socceroo star Peter Ollerton. Gary Ward was their top scorer in 1980, with 25 to his credit. Other leading players include Rob Cullen, George McMillan, Claude Lucchesi, Geoff Faulkner, Steve Beech and Ljuba Petrovski.

The club is based on Makedonian migrants. Makedonia doesn't exist as a sovereign state though one major province of Yugoslavia is called Makedonia. Greece, Bulgaria and Albania also have Makedonian minorities. So the Rams are certain to compete for a large slice of the ethnic market in Victorian soccer — while also trying to attract as many non-Makedonians, including Australians as possible.

A large social club opened in October just across the ground and this is seen as one of the foundations for a financially solid future.

Well known Melbourne coach Brian Edgley will be in charge of the team. Interstate he is best known perhaps through his association with Mooroolbark in 1977 though he also coached Wilhelmina, Croatia, Doveton and Hellas. In their initial year in the Philips League, Preston will hasten slowly though they have no intention of finishing near the bottom of the table. Then, they say anything can happen and bring up the example of Heidelberg which, in a very short time, emerged from the lower ranks to become one of Australia's top teams. The Rams are keen to follow the same path.

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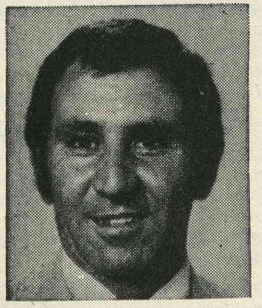

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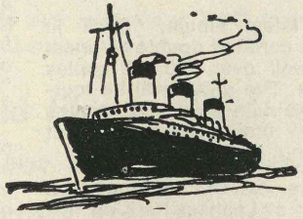

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TRIDENT VALLEY TOPICS

Perry Park provided the venue for the first division match between Trident-Valley United and Olympic on Sunday 22nd March 1981 with Trident Valley winning the First Division 2-0 and a nil all draw between Trident-Valley and Olympic Reserves.

FIRST DIVISION

Trident-Valley attacked from the outset and had Olympics defence well and truly beaten, but the final shots always went wild of the target.

The game was only one minute old when a precise through ball from Ian Rathmell to Frank Mangotti who ran through but was pulled down from the back — penalty. 'The Doog' notched up his first goal of the season.

Maintaining the pressure Trident-Valley had another four good chances to go further ahead;

Near misses: 4th minute — Joe Bell passes the ball to Ian Gentles who in turn passed it to Peter Carey who turned, moved into position and hammered the ball goal bound only to see the Olympic keeper knock it back into play.

10th minute — Near miss by Peter from a John Kennedy pass.

15th minute — An individual effort by John Kennedy misses by inches.

22nd minute — Olympic keeper saves a John Kennedy corner kick.

This is how the half finished at score Trident Valley 1, Olympic 0.

The second half started where the first half was left off with Trident-Valley on top and pressuring their opponents at every opportunity, and in the eighty-fourth minute they cemented their two points.

Frank Mangotti latched onto a through ball took it to the by-line, crossed it to oncoming Peter Carey who made no mistake of his first and Trident Valley's second goal.

Trident-Valley had several good scoring chances during this half in fact almost a replica of the first.

Frank Mangotti hits the far post with a great shot. Peter misses a couple in the penalty area and Ian Rathmell's 20 metre shot went just outside the post.

With all those scoring chances went begging the final score was Trident-Valley 2, Olympic 0.

Trident Valley played some good football throughout the game showing many individual skills as well as good team play but their final finishes require a lot to be desired. Remember it's goals that win the games.

FIRST DIVISION RESERVES

The game was most disappointing for Trident Valley. They squandered numerous chances to go on a goal scoring spree but they failed to finish movements in a positive manner.

Although Trident Valley shared the point they should not be happy with it. They did not capitalise in either half and especially in the second half where all the play revolved around Olympics half/eighteen yard box.

NOTE — Arrangements are being made *for* both teams to go to the Belmont Rifle Range for SHOOTING PRACTICE (but first they will have their boots zeroed for a 24ft. x 8ft. MPI Group — main point of impact is the back of the opposition net, meaning goals!).

Leading PSL Goalscorers

4 Goals —
Kenny Boden (Sydney City)

3 Goals —
George Christopoulos (Sth. Melb.)
Jamie Paton (Heidelberg)
Phil O'Connor (Leichhardt)
Peter Ollerton (Preston)

2 Goals —
Paul Wilkinson (Brisbane City)
Joe Palinkas (Brisbane City)
Malcolm McClelland (Newcastle)
Ian Buckley (Newcastle)
John Kosmina (Sydney City)
Alun Evans (Sth. Melbourne)
Alan Hughes (Leichhardt)
Gary Cole (Heidelberg)
Clive Campbell (Wollongong)
Jim McBreen (Wollongong)
Derek Laing (Syd. Olympians)
Mark Koussas (Syd. Olympians)
Chris Dunleavy (Wollongong)
Peter Boyle (West Adelaide)
Doug Brown (Preston)
Robert Cullen (Preston)
Walter Valeri (Canberra)
Geraldo Gomez (Sydney City).
Zoran Ilioski (Footscray)

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PLAYER OF THE YEAR AWARD

THANKS to the generosity of Guido Canale, the manager of Valley World Travel, Go Soccer is again able to conduct the Player of the Year competition for players in the State League. This is the third year the award has been conducted on State League, with the previous winners Steve Dolan in 1979 and Brian Kibbey last year. As usual, the winner receives a return air ticket for one to New Zealand, compliments of Valley World Travel. Remember, support the companies which regularly support Soccer and anytime you need travel requirements, make a point of getting in touch with Guido Canale. This year the points allocation will be slightly different and will be awarded covering the whole match, on a basis of 6-5-4-3-2-1 for the top six players of each particular game. Full points will be revealed up until the end of the first round, but then some will be concealed in the second round, to keep the winner's identity in doubt.

Points for last weekend's third round were awarded to —

CAPRICORNIA v MT. GRAVATT: 6 Bevan Bohan (Mt.G), 5 Russell Stewart, (Mt.G), 4 Gary Bohan (Mt.G), 3 S. Cunningham (C), 2 Archie Fraser (C), 1 Mark Davis (Mt.G).

IPSWICH UNITED v ACROSS THE WAVES: 6 Ian Humphries (I), 5 Jon Kitching (I), 4 Gary Bromfield (ATW), 3 Wayne Warren (I), 2 John Gorza (ATW), 1 Morris Zaina (ATW).

EASTERN SUBURBS v GOLD COAST CITY: 6 Leon Wilson (ES), 5 Russell Griffiths (ES), 4 Rod Stein (ES), 3 Paul Mylonas (ES), 2 Paul Scanlan (GC), 1 John Lavelle (GC).

WYNNUM v TOWNSVILLE UNITED: 6 Dave Costa (T), 5 Tommy Gray (W), 4 Mark Spiegelhauer (T), 3 Dave Large (W), 2 Frank Houston (T), 1 Allan Collins (T).

MAREEBA UNITED v GRANGE THISTLE: 6 Paul Trovalusci (M), 5 Dave Watson (M), 4 Chris Young (M), 3 Geoff Mayes (M), 2 Huisdean Lazenby (GT), 1 Steve Dolan (GT).

LEADING points scorers: 12 Watson (M); 11 Curtis (GC), Bromfield (ATW); 10 Spiegelhauer (T); 9 Ferguson (GT), Wood (ATW), Thompson (Mt. G), Large (W); 8 G. Bohan (Mt.G); 7 O'Sullivan (I), P. Trovalusci (M).

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ON THE WYNNUM WAVELENGTH

WYNNUM goalkeeper Dave Mewburn was successful in his appeal to the QSF to have his $2,000 transfer fee reduced. It was reduced and he left Mitchelton for $1,200. When he appeared before the QSF management committee, Dave was asked by the president, Ian Brusasco: "Well Dave, you're here to prove to us how bad a player you are."

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GOOD news for the club is that Jimmy Carpenter, who has been overseas for a year, is due back at the end of March and will certainly be a welcome addition to the State League squad.

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BAD luck for club man Wendell Henderson, who twisted his knee in the trial match at Beerwah four weeks ago. The injury has not responded to treatment and Wendell, after starting the season in fine style, has been forced to spend most of his time serving in the club bar.

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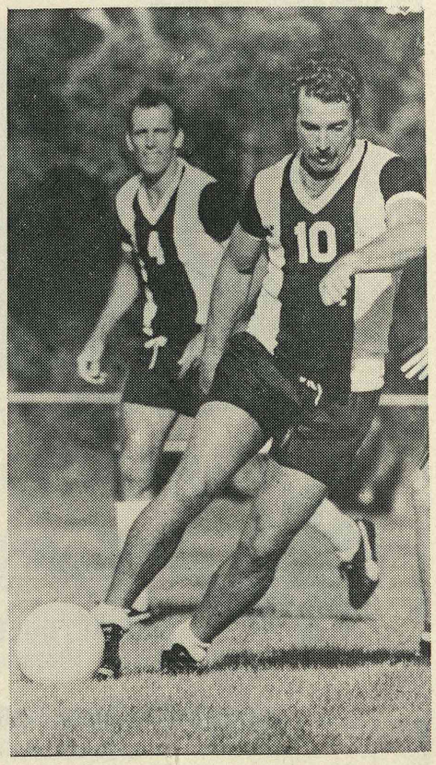
There is no truth in the rumours spread by Allan Collins that Wynnum is being invaded by a tribe of gypsies. The caracan park outside the club grounds belongs to Brian Jones, who has been appointed Club groundsman.

—oOo—

THE eyesight of Eddie Wilkins cannot be as bad as he makes out. While sitting on the bench in a recent SEQ match he spotted three gate crashers climb the fence to gain admittance. Eddie dashed across the field to warn president Jim Blackburn, who subsequently nabbed the offenders.

FOCUS ON STEVE ROBINSON

Full Name: Steve Robinson
Birthplace: Liverpool, England.
Birth Date: 14/12/54
Weight: 10st 8lb.
Previous Clubs: Merton East, Souths United.
Married: Yes, to Kathy.
Children: One boy, Danny.
Car: Mazda RX4.
Favourite Players: Kenny Dalglish
Most Difficult Opponent: They are all difficult.
Favourite other Sports: Golf.
Occupation: Owner Driver.
Most Memorable Match: My first game for Wynnum.
Biggest Thrill: When Danny was born.
Biggest disappointment: Haven't had any.
Best Country Visited: America
Favourite Food: Steak and eggs.
Miscellaneous Likes: Winning, staying up until 2 a.m. drinking other people's wine.
Miscellaneous Dislikes: Losing.
Favourite T. V. Show: Match of the Day, The Sweeney.
Favourite Singers: David Bowie, Rod Stewart.
Favourite Actors: Dustin Hoffman, Steve Brown.
Best Friend: Danny.
Biggest Influence on Career: My wife.
If you weren't a footballer what do you thing you'd be: Fat.
Which person in the world would you most like to meet: Bill Shankly.



NIGEL REHBOCK (Wynnum)

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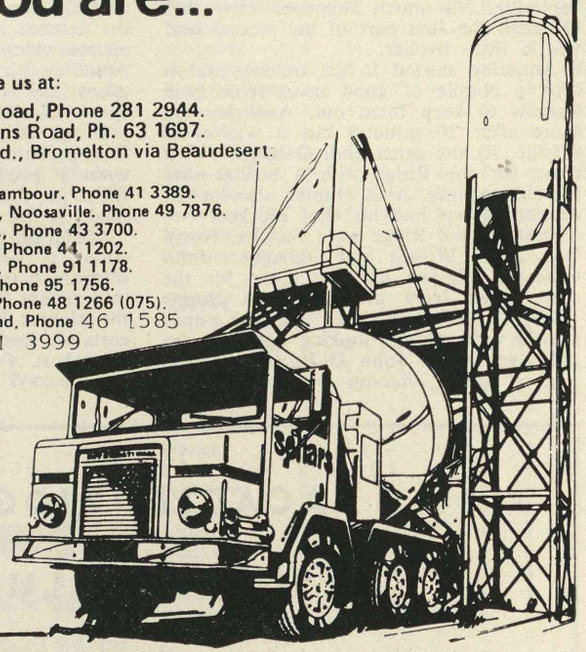

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RIDGE REPORTING

YAWN. This game did not exactly get the old adrenalin going, in fact I thought I heard someone snoring. I've seen more life in a wet sock than what some of these players gave their clubs. The Ridge could not have got off to a better start against Annerley by scoring in the 5th minute, when a cross from the right wing was flicked on by Steve Gallagher's head. The Annerley keeper seemed to have it but lost the ball and Jimmy Spence was there to captialise. Not much happened after that although the first part of the second half was a little livelier.

Annerley started to get on top and it took a couple of good saves from Rob Farrow to keep them out. Annerley did score after 20 minutes but it was ruled offside. At the other end, Gallagher went close for the Ridge with a header into the side netting. Alan Hunter also looked dangerous but had his shot blocked.

Best for the Ridge were Farrow, Norm Bell, Hulk Wilson and Gallagher. John Gillespie, playing his first game for the club, must have pleased coach Buster Rogers. For Annerley, Brian Lampitt played well, always looking good on the ball and keeper John Di-Bartolimeo had a good game, winning everything in the air. I would like to compliment the young lad who came on for Annerley at halftime, who had already played the game before. He tried his heart out and was a little unlucky at times.

In the early game the Ridge came out winners 3-2 after struggling earlier on. Annerley were first to score after 11 minutes with a well taken goal after a mixup between Fuzzy Hill and Mike Kulik. In the 25th minute Alan Teague scored a glorious goal for the Ridge. Breaking away from the defence he hit a fierce shot from 18 metres which flew over the keeper's head. Annerley hit back with an equally well taken goal. In the second half the Ridge had it all to do and did it well.

In the 29th minute that man Teague was there again to put the Ridge back on terms with a good header. Shortly after the Ridge got the winner when Tony Fullolove made it 3-2 from the penalty spot.

Some of my comments over the past couple of weeks have not been of a very pleasant nature and I have failed to take into acount the present weather conditions the players have had to endure and that certainly has not helped them to produce their best. For this I apologise.

Mike Collins

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SHOT FOR ARROWS

SYDNEY — Canberra City Arrows received a boost to their Philips League prospects with news of an increase in their sponsorship and the signing of two experienced Scottish players.

The managing director of Lotto NSW, Alan Lovell, announced that sponsorship for the Arrows would be increased to 40,000 dollars for the current season.

"We know that Canberra people support their local team, and through our marketing and promotion expertise, we hope these moves will enable the club to finish in the top four," he said.

Canberra coach George Murray said he expected the two new players, Ian Purdy and Ian Gibson to be in his team for the match against Marconi on Sunday.

"I got these players in exchange for Sebastian Giampolo, and I believe they will prove better in the long run," said Murray.

Leading State League Scorers

5 Goals —
Gary Bohan (Mt. Gravatt)
4 Goals —
John Wood (Across The Waves)
3 Goals —
Paul Trovalusci (Mareeba)
2 Goals —
Nigel Rehbock (Wynnum)
Wilson Maelaua (Thistle)

BEAR NEWS

Bardon Latrobe has been in full training for 10 weeks now with a squad of approximately 30.

We have retained all but one of our 4th Division Premiership team and have added George Fraser from the now defunct State League team St. George-Souths and Rod Thomas. Our reserve side has been strengthened also with the addition of Daryl Thomas, Paul King, Steven Meaghan and Peter Kent.

The results of the 5th division team have been promising with quite a high level of football being played. Our 3rd division side have started the season quite impressively with a loss to North Star their only blemish.

Last Sunday we visited Riverside and the 5th Division played a hard fought 0-0 draw with both sides missing good opportunities. The 3rd Division ran out 3-0 winners over the 2nd Division side after an even first half which was played at a furious pace.

George Fraser finished with 2 and Mark McDonnell 1 to complete the scoring.

Best of luck to all opponents.

RED BEAR.

Philips League Standings

HOME

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Sth. Melbourne	3	3	—	—	4	1	6
Sydney City	3	2	1	—	7	1	5
Brisbane City	3	2	1	—	5	1	5
Woll'gong City	3	2	1	—	6	3	5
Preston	3	2	—	1	6	2	4
Leichhardt	3	1	2	—	4	3	4
Newcastle Utd.	2	1	1	—	4	1	3
Syd. Olympians	2	1	1	—	5	3	3
Canberra City	3	1	1	1	3	2	3
Marconi	2	1	1	—	2	1	3
West Adelaide	2	1	—	1	2	1	2
Adelaide City	3	1	—	2	3	3	2
Footscray	3	1	—	2	4	5	2
Heidelberg Utd	3	1	—	2	3	6	2
Blacktown City	2	—	1	1	2	3	1
Brisbane Lions	2	—	1	1	1	2	1

AWAY

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Newcastle Utd.	3	2	—	1	3	2	4
Marconi	4	2	—	2	3	7	4
Woll'gong City	2	1	1	—	4	1	3
Canberra City	2	1	1	—	1	0	3
Sth. Melbourne	2	1	1	—	4	3	3
Preston	2	1	—	1	3	3	2
Brisbane City	2	—	2	—	2	2	2
Leichhardt	2	1	—	1	2	2	2
Brisbane Lions	3	—	2	1	2	3	2
Sydney City	2	1	—	1	1	2	2
West Adelaide	3	1	—	2	3	4	2
Blacktown City	3	—	2	1	2	4	2
Adelaide City	2	—	1	1	1	3	1
Heidelberg Utd	3	—	1	2	4	7	1
Syd. Olympians	4	—	—	4	2	9	0
Footscray	3	—	—	3	1	8	0

AGGREGATE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Sth. Melbourne	5	4	1	—	8	4	9
Woll'gong City	5	3	2	—	10	4	8
Sydney City	5	3	1	1	8	3	7
Brisbane City	5	2	3	—	7	3	7
Newcastle Utd.	5	3	1	1	7	3	7
Marconi	6	3	1	2	5	8	7
Preston	5	3	—	2	9	5	6
Canberra City	5	2	2	1	4	2	6
Leichhardt	5	2	2	1	6	5	6
West Adelaide	5	2	—	3	5	5	4
Adelaide City	5	1	1	3	4	6	3
Brisbane Lions	5	—	3	2	3	5	3
Blacktown City	5	—	3	2	4	7	3
Heidelberg Utd	6	1	1	4	7	13	3
Syd. Olympians	6	1	1	4	7	13	3
Footscray	6	1	—	5	5	13	2

Philips League

MATCH OF THE DAY

BRISBANE LIONS

1 TONY SCANLAN
2 PAUL ONTONG
3 COL BENNETT
4 GERRY LINDSAY
5 ALAN NIVEN
6 JIM HERMISTON
7 STEVEN HOGG
8 JIM McLEAN
9 BOBBY FERRIS
10 RON MILLMAN
11 MARK McNAUGHTON
12 STEVE KONSTANINOU
14 JOHN OGDEN
16 LYLE BRYCE
19 CALVIN DAUNT
20 NIGEL LOWNDS
Coach: MATT CARSON

PRESTON RAMS

1 LOU KASTNER
2 MIKE RAINEY
3 STEPHEN BEECH
4 PETER OLLERTON
5 JOHN HIGHAM
6 JEFF FAULKNER
7 ROBERT CULLEN
8 GORDON FLAVELL
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10 LUBE PETROVSKI
11 DOUG BROWN
12 GARY WARD
13 CLAUDE LUCCHESI
14 JOHN LITTLE
16 ALAN WHITTLE
20 GARY CLAYTON
Coach: BRIAN EDGLEY

Next Week's Fixtures

Brisbane City v Footscray
Adelaide City v Brisbane Lions
Preston v Blacktown City
Sth. Melbourne v Newcastle United
Wollongong v Leichhardt
Canberra Arrows v Sydney Olympians
Sydney City v Heidelberg
Marconi v West Adelaide

Today's Other Matches

Heidelberg.... v Brisbane City....
Blacktown City.... v Sth. Melbourne....
West Adelaide.... v Leichhardt ...
Newcastle Utd..... v Wollongong....
Footscray ... v Adelaide City ...
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