

**NEWS
CUTTINGS**

LACROSSE.

Improvement in Caulfield.

The return of J. Murrowood and Church has given much-needed 'sting' to the Caulfield attack. In their game with Melbourne High School Old Boys on Saturday...

O Section.—Glen Iris 19 goals d. Brunswick 11 goals; Coburg 16 goals d. Rox Hill 4 goals; Williamstown 10 goals d. Melbourne High School Old Boys 3 goals; Teachers' College 9 goals d. Caulfield 7 goals; Malvern 7 goals d. Brighton 6 goals; Hawthorn 7 goals d. Hartwell 6 goals...

BALLARAT, Saturday.—Ballarat Association games: Western 14 d. Imperial 3; Wendouree 11 d. High School 7.

"STAR" Thurs May 24 1934

MALVERN MAY BE PRESSED Meet Camberwell at Lacrosse

Excellent lacrosse should result from Malvern's visit to Camberwell on Saturday. The home team will probably go closer to lowering Malvern's colours than any other club has done this season.

The Camberwell defenders are capable of checking the recent high scoring of Malvern's forward line, but it is doubtful if their mid-field men can hold the Red and Blacks.

Caulfield are greatly heartened by the return of Murrowood and Church. Their dazzling last-quarter display against M.H.S.O.B. indicates improved stamina, and a fast game with Williamstown is expected.

The senders will replace P. Deacon (injured) last week's form, when they played the most systematic game they have given for years, they will account for Caulfield.

As their differences with the permit committee could not be settled satisfactorily, the school authorities have withdrawn the M.H.S.O.B. grade team. Claus, who was refused a clearance to this team, scored six goals for Caulfield's B team last Saturday.

Permits have been granted to R. Uren (Williamstown) to Teachers' College, E. Henry (O.T.C.) to University, J. Upton (Ballarat) to St. Kilda, E. Raymond (Y.M.C.A. to Hawthorn), P. Dudley (M.H.S.O.B. A to C), and C. Middleton (Malvern B to C).

Mr. H. R. Balmer has caused surprise by resigning from the permit committee, on which he has held office for 15 years, and from the position of instructor to the referees.

Mr. T. L. Pullon, a life member of the V.L.A., has been appointed a selector of the South Australian Association.

Referees for Saturday

A Section.—Coburg v. N. Fitzroy (E. Wignall), Camberwell v. Malvern (J. Drew), M.C.C. v. M.H.S.O.B. (H. Evans), Caulfield v. University (H. Lewis)...

Beatties' 30 Years Of Lacrosse

Jack Beattie, Malvern's astute leader, will be in the dual role of captain and manager of the Victorian team leaving Melbourne on July 17 to play Queensland.

Jack and his brothers are proud of a distinction that must be unique in sporting annals; one or more of them have been selected in every Victorian representative team for the last 30 years.



J. BEATTIE.

The eldest, Jim Beattie, was a defender against the Canadian, Mol, who was killed at the war, like Jack and Hugh, was a forward who reaped a harvest of goals.

Ray and Ivor formed the most effective combination of back-men ever seen in Australian lacrosse.

The Queensland trip will mark Jack Beattie's 20th year of interstate service, and last season he threw more goals than any other A grade player.

"Herald" Thursday May 24 1934

Lacrosse KEEN GAMES ASSURED Caulfield Meet Seaside

EVERY senior lacrosse contest gives promise of a stirring encounter on Saturday, with results very hard to forecast.

At the Caulfield cricket ground there should be one of the outstanding struggles of the day, when the home team and Williamstown meet.

Last week both Caulfield and Williamstown played lacrosse of a high standard. Jack Murrowood's return to Caulfield has strengthened their attack.

Williamstown have a fine defence and last week Jenkins performed a creditable feat in whitewashing the clever University forward, Cutts.

Ray Schmidt, the Caulfield captain has been ill, but hopes to take the field against his old team on Saturday.

AN OPENING VICTORY? At the Bell Street reserve Coburg meet North Fitzroy. Coburg have some fine material and a good goalkeeper in their latest recruit, Holden, who came from the South Melbourne Technica School.

North Fitzroy have been unfortunate this season; numerous injuries have handicapped the progress of the team but on Saturday they expect their opening victory.

Malvern meet Camberwell on the South Camberwell ground. It will be a good game with the honors at the end probably a little in Malvern's favor.

M.C.C. will be opposed by Melbourne High School Old Boys at Albert cricket ground.

The Old Boys' consistently good form this season stamps them as capable of extending all the laurels in the section. M.C.C. will have no easy task.

SETS WONDERFUL EXAMPLE Not many years has the standard of the senior teams (with the exception of Malvern) been so even.

Coburg will hold their annual ladies' day this year, but none of them has so far solved the problem of reaching the heights that Malvern is capable of.

The conference of players and referees held last week was one of the most successful held for many years.

The monthly meeting of the V.L.A. will be held Monday evening. It is to be hoped that nothing will be done to endanger the future of the Australian Council, the functioning of which will be discussed.

Mr. H. R. Balmer, who has been a member of the permit committee for over 25 years, has tendered his resignation.

The six-a-side tournament held on King's Birthday this year is one of the most popular events of the season.

After much criticism of referees, it is refreshing to hear the efforts of a referee praised by both sides.

The referees appointed for the senior matches to be played on Saturday are: Wignall (Coburg-North Fitzroy), Drew (Camberwell-Malvern), Evans (M.C.C.-M.H.S.O.B. Old Boys), Lewis (Caulfield-Williamstown).

B Section.—Martyn (Essendon-Caulfield), Izatt (Malvern-Ivanhoe), Marks (Williamstown-Well), Simpson (Artilery-Camberwell).

Mr Jack Beattie, captain of the Malvern club, has been appointed manager of the Victorian team which will leave Melbourne on July 17 for Brisbane.

It would be a graceful act on the part of the V.L.A. if an offer were made to the N.S.W. Association to allow the Victorian team visiting Brisbane in July to play an exhibition game in Sydney whilst enroute to Brisbane.

The withdrawal of the Melbourne High School team from the school authorities on account of the refusal of the permit committee to grant certain permits to the High School team has caused much anxiety among lacrosse officials.

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LACROSSE.

Malvern Still Undefeated.

Malvern followed were decimated when it was learned that their captain, J. Beattie, was not available for the game against Camberwell. Camberwell opened up well, but were unfortunate in shooting.

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Malvern also are experiencing a great run of success, and were very troubled to defeat over individual. Sectional scores were: 4-1, 10-3, 13-1 and 16 to 3. Evans, Wilson and Page were outstanding in defence for the winners, whose goals were scored by Lathbury (4), Ballion (4), Nichol (2), Pauliner (2), Armstrong (2) and Francis (2).

Williamstown 14 goals (Marrie 4, Westaway 2, Wallace and Middle 3), defeated Lerroy 3 goals (Bettes 2, Robin, Warnock and Chaswick). Sectional scores were: 1-1, 1-1, 10-4, 14-4. Best players—Williamstown: Murrie, Middle, Dettalick and Westaway; Lerroy: T. Kennedy, E. Kennedy, Bettes and Kilver.

Results in the other sections were as follows: D Section.—Power House (19 goals) d. Essendon (8 goals); University (11 goals) d. Hawthorn (8 goals); University High School Old Boys (22 goals) d. Camberwell (2 goals); Sunshine (8 goals) d. Adult Beas (3 goals); Floral Australian Naval Reserve (3 goals).

E Section.—University High School Old Boys drew with St. Kilda (4 goals each); Brunswick (6 goals) d. Camberwell (4 goals); Williamstown (11 goals) d. Coburg (6 goals); Brighton (11 goals) d. Melbourne Technica College II (8 goals); Melbourne Technica College I (14 goals) d. Old Trinity Grammar (10 goals); Malvern received a walk-over; Caulfield drew by.

F Section.—Melbourne Technica College I (10 goals) d. Caulfield (7 goals); Throver High School Old Boys (22 goals) d. Melbourne Technica College II (7 goals); Essendon (18 goals) d. Deaf Boys' School (nil).

BALLARAT, Saturday.—Ballarat Association: Wendouree 11 goals d. Imperial 5; Western 8 d. High School 4; B Section: Western 22 d. High School 21.

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THE overwhelming manner in which Malvern defeated M.C.C. last Saturday further demonstrated the superiority of the Malvern combination. There is little between any of the other teams in the senior section, all of whom are showing greatly improved form.

The continued success of the Malvern Club since the war has been one of the outstanding features of Australian lacrosse. With only one or two lapses, Malvern have won the premiership or have been runners-up in both the A and B sections practically every season. The big attraction on Saturday will be the game between Caulfield and Camberwell, on the Caulfield C.G. These teams are running level for the first four.

Williamstown at the Gardens Reserve will meet Coburg. The seafarers have a great side, and their recent lack of success is only temporary, but Coburg have a better side than for some years.

On the main University Oval the students will be opposed to Melbourne High School Old Boys. On recent performances the students should win.

M.C.C. will play North Fitzroy at the Albert Cricket Ground. M.C.C. should win.

Unbeaten Teams To Meet

One of the best games of the day on Saturday, apart from the Caulfield-Camberwell senior engagement will be that between the two unbeaten B Section teams, Malvern and Williamstown, who meet on the Malvern Cricket Ground. The seafarers' form against Caulfield was so impressive last week that many favor them. Malvern's experience may be the deciding factor, but the speed and cleverness of the young Williamstown side will be a stiff obstacle to overcome.

The Williamstown B team has a great player in McGregor, a defence wing man. His performance against Caulfield last week was outstanding.

In the six-a-side tournament on Monday R. Reid, the Glen Iris attack man, was the shining light. Reid represented Victoria in the junior match against South Australia last year. He has good stick work, lacrosse sense and great pace.

Malvern can sustain its present superiority even at six-a-side games—for the second time in successive years it won the tournament, but the brightest patch of the day was the great effort of the plucky Glen Iris six, who defeated every senior team except Malvern.

St. Kilda's Success

The hon. treasurer of the V.L.A. (Mr. D. Marshall) is responsible for the formation and success of the St. Kilda team. The victory of the St. Kilda lads in the junior section of the six-a-side must have given him tremendous satisfaction.

The throwing of the ball, which was introduced as a novelty event during the six-a-side tournament on Monday, has big possibilities and should be repeated next year. The event was won by Reid of the Glen Iris attack player, who threw 23ft. 7in. Gilles (M.C.C.) was next with 22ft. 10in. Brierley (Malvern) was third with 21ft.

There was a time when few lacrosse games had a referee, and often senior games were played without a controlling official. The players had a gentlemen's agreement to penalise a player who committed a foul by insisting on a free throw being given. Last Saturday a team in the D section refused to play because the V.L.A. did not provide a referee. This is the first time that such an event has happened.

It will now be interesting to see what action the V.L.A. will take. Will it award the game to the team which was willing to play without a referee or will it order the game to be played?

Referees For Saturday

The referees for Saturday's senior games are—Drew (Williamstown-Coburg), Evans (University M.C.C.), O.G. O.G. O.G. (Caulfield-Camberwell), Rabbling (M.C.C.-North Fitzroy).

B Section.—Simpson (Artillery-Caulfield), Marks (Malvern-Williamstown), Martyn (Essendon-Legacy), Wignall (University-Camberwell).

The referees have not yet decided who will be appointed as their coach to fill the vacancy caused by the recent resignation of Mr. H. R. Balmer, who has filled that position since the formation of the Referees' Association some years ago.

Mr. F. E. Dean, an ex-Victorian who was honorary secretary of the New South Wales Lacrosse Association, has resigned owing to pressure of business, and Mr. F. Wilkinson of the Western Suburbs Club has been elected in his stead as acting honorary secretary.

The New South Wales Association has definitely decided that it cannot conduct the carnival next year. The Australian Council, which meets this month, will decide the venue of the 1935 Carnival.

It is apparent from recent happenings that all is not well with lacrosse in New South Wales.

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B SECTION.

Williamstown failed to reproduce the standard—exhibited against Caulfield last week in their vital match with Malvern, and the game developed into a battle of team work against individualism. Malvern are fortunate in the possession of four players with senior experience, and was won by Malvern with 6 goals to 2. The winners' best were Lana-Nichol, Goal Throwers: Nichol (3), Glas-town, Cathness, A. Arthur, McGregor, and Newgreen were most prominent. W. Lancaster secured their goal.

Essendon made a gallant fight against Legacy, and despite the fact that they were shored up, were only won down in the final stages. The terminal scores were 3 all-ways and Gilbert, Bettes, War-winner, whose goals were thrown by Varnacke (4), Hobbins (3), Bettes (2), Suggitt (2) and Davidson. For Essendon: Trueman (5 goals) and Lewis (3), Block and Nixon were most prominent.

Camberwell defeated University in a fast game, where the greater steadiness of the latter, in defence proved the deciding factor. The terminal scores were 3-2, 6-5, 12-9 and 17 to 9. Montgomery, Gillard, Jones, Webster, Duncan, Ibbot and Slater were most effective for the winners, and for University: Ludie, Muller, Prankland, Bal-man and Ward were most in evidence. The winners' goals were obtained by Webster (6), the keery by Rateman (3), Muller (2), Ludie (2) and Trueman.

Artillery are showing great improvement in their recent games, and despite the fact that they were on short, they did well to hold the strong Caulfield side down to a 7-5 victory. The quarter scores were—5-1, 2-4, was Caulfield's best men. Goal Throwers: Gibbe (2), Byron (2), Croxley, Claus and Tunn. Artillery were well served by Smart, Pritchard and Taylor, with Workman (4) and Mckenough (1).

D Section—Hartwell 5 goals 4, Teachers' College 2, Coburg 10 d, Brunswick 6, Williamstown 14 d, Malvern 11, Hawthorn 14 d, Brighton 4, Glen Iris 14 d, Melbourne High School Old Boys 1, Box Hill 13 d, Caulfield 4.

D Section—University High School Old Boys 14 d, Sutherland 4, Power House 21 d, Hawthorn 2, Royal Australian Naval Reserve 14 d, Essendon 9, Adult Dept 11 d, University 4, Camberwell 4.

E Section—Old Trinity Grammarians 25 d, Coburg 8, Williamstown 14 d, Brunswick 4, Melbourne Technical College 1, 10 d, University High School Old Boys 3, Caulfield 4, Melbourne Technical College 11, 3, Trip-tip, Melbourne Technical College Old Boys 8 d, Camberwell 4, St. Kilda 4.

F Section—Deaf Boys' School 10 d, Melbourne Technical College 1, R. Williamstown 31 d, Melbourne Technical College 11, 3, Trip-tip, Grammararians and Essendon drew with 2 goals each. University High School Old Boys 18 d, Caulfield 3.

Members of the team to visit Queensland are to meet at the Amateur Sports Club on Thursday at 7.30 p.m. The team will leave Melbourne on 24th inst., and play in Brisbane on 25th.

A meeting of the Australian Lacrosse Council will be held at the Amateur Sports Club this evening at 8.

PLAYER COLLAPSES AFTER ACCIDENT. BALLARAT, Sunday.—Playing in the Wendouree lacrosse team on Saturday, Hesth-cote Hammer, 29 years, of Davy-street, received a blow about the eye with a stick. Laid on Saturday night he collapsed in the street while conversing with friends, and was admitted to hospital for observation and treatment.

BALLARAT, Saturday.—Ballarat association games: A Grade: Western 4 goals (Nichols 2), Wendouree 3, B Grade: Western 32 (Pearse 10, Gay 8, Woods 8, Copper-walt 6) d, Wendouree 2.

LACROSSE.

Caulfield Scores Again.

Caulfield lost their first two matches to Malvern and Coburg respectively, but have shown great improvement since, and their victory over the strong Camberwell side on Saturday was full of merit. In the early stages both sides were fumbling badly, and over anxiety ruined several scoring chances. Camberwell backed up with some great goal-keeping by McCook, had the better of the first quarter exchanges, and at its conclusion led 3 goals to 2. Caulfield's defence in the second quarter was splendid, and with their midfield team playing well to position they had reduced Camberwell's lead to 4 goals to 5 at half-time. Caulfield's forwards played a telling game in the third quarter, and with Booth and Murrwood showing perfect understanding, they kept the visitors on the defensive throughout this term. Camberwell fought well, but were straying from their position, and at the final change Caulfield had taken the lead, 10 goals to 8. Smith, of Camberwell, injured his shoulder in the third quarter and retired from the game, taking Murrwood with him. Both teams were all out in the final stages, and the respective defence lines played splendidly, Caulfield winning 10. The winners' best were Booth, Hesth-cote, Black, Gibbe, Kuring and Luttington, and their goals were thrown by Booth (5), Murr-wood (2), Church, Black and Main. For Camberwell, Fox, Harri, Scott, Kerrigan, Dickerson and Grant were most effective. Goals were thrown by Fox (6), Kerrigan (3) and Grant (2).

Williamstown's accuracy in attack gave them victory in a remarkable game against Coburg. Both teams favor the open game, and gave one of the best exhibitions of the season. The seafarers were quite in their game, and in an amazing first quarter they ran the Coburg centre men of their feet, and at quarter time had scored 10 goals to 3. Coburg made several alterations in their play during the second quarter, which was productive of fine defensive play by both sides. At half-time the board showed Williamstown 14, Coburg 4. The third quarter was a very even one on general play, but the ability of the leader's forwards to convert difficult chances put them in the lead at three-quarter time, when the scores were 17-7 in their favor. Coburg fought out the final quarter with great courage, and scored the only three goals of that term. Williams-town winning by 17 goals to 13. Ford, Jenkins, McCallage, Fowler, Hogarth, Crox and A. and F. Deacon were best for the winners, whose goals were thrown by Ford (4), Marshall (2), Ferris (2), Hogarth (2), F. Deacon (2), Jenkins (2), Crook (2), A. Deacon and O'Brien. For Coburg: Haggis, Haggis, Mince, Cole, Hutchinson, Holden and McCullough were most prominent, with Ahby (6), McGinness (2), Hutchinson and Brown the successful forwards.

University have to thank their superior condition for the narrow victory over the Varity high school Old Boys. The Old Boys started off with great dash, and had netted 3 goals in the first five minutes, but Varity found the net five times, and the second term was definitely in favor of the Varity men, who were combining well in attack, and at its conclusion they led, 11 goals to 6. Graf, who has not been in his usual position as goalkeeper in recent games, was again placed in the net in the second half, and the change worked a steadying effect upon the Varity forwards. At three-quarter time Varity led 12 to 8. The Old Boys put in a great run in the final quarter, and half-way through the term went to the front with goal margin, but the effort proved too much, and University finishing with great dash, won by 14 goals to 13. Hamill, Bradie, and Corbett (11 goals, injured) were outstanding for University, whose goals were thrown by Corbet (6), Jarrett (2), Cutts (2), Bradie (2), and M. K. May, Best players for the Old Boys were K. May (5), Cleary (4), Byles (2), A. May and Allan.

North Fitzroy made several changes in personal and playing, with most satisfactory results, in the game with M.C.C. The pro-motion of Galsinger, from IV.C.C. The pro-ject another reason from that team was secured himself splendidly in opposition to Hobson. North Fitzroy played excellent lacrosse in the first quarter, which ended 5 goals all-chiefs responsible for them leading 9-0 at half-time. In the third quarter M.C.C. were firm they ran to a 13-7 advancing good syn-ax change. North Fitzroy scored 6-6 at seen at their best in the second half, and the did light in this last quarter, and an suc-cessful bombardment of the M.C.C. goal. M.C.C. 13, North Fitzroy 9. For M.C.C. were most prominent were Gloyer, Hough and Leish best served by Bryning. North Fitzroy were by Logan and McDonald. Goals were thrown by Mace (3), Hobson (3), Gloyer (2), Hough (2), Logan (4), Galsinger (3), P. Clarke and M. Logan for North Fitzroy.

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WHERE CANADA'S NATIONAL GAME WAS BORN

Tradition has it that lacrosse originated on the shores of Lac Ile-à-la-Croise, in northern Saskatchewan. The mission station and trading post of the same name are near the source of the Churchill River.

AT ILE-À-LA-CROISE

there is a large mission.

It is on the Old Trade

route from the

Saskatchewan north

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famous meeting place

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Tradition has it that the Canadian national game, lacrosse, had its origin here, on the shores of the lake, where the Indians came to trade.

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ALL STATES REPRESENTED AT COUNCIL MEETING

Keen Game Listed At Caulfield

By Point
FOR the first time in the history of Australian lacrosse every State association was represented at the Australian Lacrosse Council meeting held this week in Melbourne.

The big match on Saturday will be again at Caulfield, where Caulfield and M.C.C. should provide one of the best games of the season.

M.C.C. hope that Robson will be available as he is now again stationed at Geelong. His presence may make a big difference last week M.C.C. will not make a final selection until Saturday.

MELBOURNE HIGH SCHOOL Old Boys will play a remarkably fine game against University that, at the Forrest Hill ground on Saturday, they hope to do even better and defeat Camberwell.

North Fitzroy will visit Williamstown and, remembering that the Seabirds showed a return to their best form last week, intend to show that they are improving.

Mr. R. O. MOORE, a vice-president of the V.L.A., who has been re-elected president of the council, is an old M.C.C. player and was a great goal-keeper.

Mr. C. U. B. Gurnett, one of the giants of N.S.W. lacrosse, received a hearty welcome from the council.

MELBOURNE High School authorities and delegates from the V.L.A. met in conference last week in an attempt to clear up the difficulties resulting in the school team being withdrawn from competition matches.

BALLARAT, Saturday.—Ballarat Association Games: High School 15, Wendouree 4; West End 10, from University; B Wendouree 17 d. High School 12.

Caulfield in Second Place.

The Caulfield-M.C.C. match provided one of the finest games of the season, and the home side emphasized the great improvement indicated by recent performances.

Melbourne High School team last Saturday took the field against Camberwell and won an exciting game by one goal.

At the half-time interval of the Camberwell-Caulfield A match on Saturday the Camberwell timekeeper complained that a dispute had occurred between himself and the Caulfield timekeeper as to the time.

Camberwell offered unexpected opposition to Malvern, who opened up with a great dash, and through the agency of their forwards scored 3 goals to nil in the first quarter.

Results in the other sections were as follows:—
B Section: Williamstown 10 d. Box Hill 9; Coburg 10 d. Brighton 8; Hartwell 10 d. Melbourne High School Old Boys 11; Hawthorn 20 d. Caulfield 16; Malvern 15; Brunswick 5; Glen Iris 19 d. Teachers' College 1.

LACROSSE CAULFIELD'S WINNING RUN Splendid Club Spirit Brings Success

By "Point"

The improved Caulfield team continue on their victorious career. Last Saturday their game against M.C.C. was one of the finest and most thrilling games of lacrosse seen in Melbourne for years.

On Saturday the big attraction is at the Albert Cricket Ground, where M.C.C. meet Williamstown.

MONTHLY MEETING
The monthly meeting of the V.L.A. will be held on Monday evening.

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LACROSSE

Williamstown Defeat M.C.C.

Expectations of a fast and clever exhibition by the M.C.C. and Williamstown teams were not realized, and the game was only redeemed by the closeness of the scores and the determined effort made by M.C.C. to avert defeat in the closing stages.

Caulfield proved far too even for University. The first quarter was a particularly brilliant one, and Caulfield scored 4 goals to 1, University played a greatly improved game in the second quarter, but Caulfield were always confident of the second half.

At the University Ground the students will meet Caulfield, and while Caulfield on recent performances should win, the outer University Oval has before today upset many visiting teams.

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LACROSSE

Interstate Games

At the monthly meeting of the Victorian Lacrosse Association reference was made to several instances of laxity in the appointment of umpires, and captains of teams were requested to give their subjects particular attention. Reference has been made to make their time-of signals more definite.

LACROSSE

END OF FIRST ROUND

Positions of Teams

The honorary record secretary of the Victorian Lacrosse Association (Mr. G. A. Beech) has supplied the following statement of the teams' position at the end of the first round:—
A Section—Malvern, 34 points; Caulfield, 28; M.C.C., 24; Williamstown, 24; Camberwell, 20; Coburg, 18; University, 18; Brighton, 10; Melbourne High School Old Boys, 8.

LACROSSE

Malvern's First Defeat

Williamstown deserves all credit for their great win over the leaders, particularly as they had their reserves in front. O'Brien, Roy, Deacon and Hick were absentees. Roy and V. Arthurs filled two of the vacancies and both were match winners. Malvern were without the services of their captain, J. Beattie, and their best player, J. Beattie, which generally is considered to be their strongest department. The first quarter was rough, and with both teams on edge, the checking became wild. Woods scored for Malvern within a minute of the start, and the quarter was well spent before the visitors opened their account. Hogarth scoring two nice goals, and the reserves hit 21 at the end of the quarter. Malvern repeated their first quarter performance, when W. Edwards netted early in the second term, but Williamstown threw the body into level terms, and scored their account. Hogarth scoring two nice goals, and the reserves hit 21 at the end of the quarter. Malvern repeated their first quarter performance, when W. Edwards netted early in the second term, but Williamstown threw the body into level terms, and scored their account.

SUCCESSFUL LACROSSE SEASON

Splendid Games and Unexpected Results

By "Point"
NO other season in recent years has provided so many very fine lacrosse games, and so many unexpected results. Last Saturday the sensation of the day was the defeat of Camberwell by North Fitzroy, who until then had not won a match this season. Such happenings as this combined with the great recovery of Caulfield, the temporary decline of M.C.C. and the return to form of Williamstown, provide each match every week with keen interest than for many years.

SENIOR PREMIERSHIP OPEN

Surprise Wins Even Up Points

The referees appointed for Saturday's senior games are—Evans (Coburg-Melb H.S. Old Boys), Wignall (North Fitzroy-University), Rabbling (Camberwell-Willamstown), Marks (M.C.C.-Malvern), B Section—Lown (Caulfield-Ivanhoe), Izatt (Williamstown-Camberwell), Drew (Arlington-EsSENDEN), Martyn (Legacy-University). Percy Murrowood, the Caulfield B team skipper, who last Saturday broke his leg, is an inmate of the Williamstown Hospital. Roy Head, the Williamstown interstate representative, who has not played regularly this season made the Williamstown forward line a 100 per cent more effective combination. He played brilliantly against Jack Beattie (Malvern), who has a knee injury, is unlikely to play against M.C.C. on Saturday. Arnold Hudson, the assistant hon. secretary of the V.L.A. and the North Fitzroy goalkeeper, has influenza. INTERSTATE PLAYERS. In the names of those chosen to play for Queensland against Victoria in Brisbane on the 24th inst. only S. Tealy is left of the 1933 carnival team which played in Melbourne. Hubbert is the best forward that Queensland has produced, is in the team and Melbourne Technical College trouble. It is very unfortunate that two teams should be out of the game through administrative misunderstanding.

Victorian Lacrosse Team

To Play in Sydney

SYDNEY, Thursday.—The New South Wales Lacrosse Association has accepted the offer of the Victorian team to play in Sydney, on its way to Queensland.

LACROSSE

Malvern Regain Form.

Malvern, without J. Beattie and Brierley, had many anxious moments in opposition to M.C.C. at the first ball, and it was only their superior team discipline and positional play that won the game in their favor. M.C.C. showed out early, and D. Melrose netted admirably. Goals following with a successful long shot towards the end of the quarter. V. Arthurs scored two goals in quick succession. J. Edwards followed up a clever run by giving Malvern a 3-2 advantage at the quarter. Melrose scored a brilliant goal for M.C.C., but received a nasty face blow, so going and was forced to retire for the rest of the game. Waring going off with him, Ivanhoo, the Malvern goalkeeper, was also injured in this quarter, and the teams completed the match with only ten men each. M.C.C. throughout the Agency of Hobson, gained a 9-4 advantage at half-time. Malvern netted 4-1 for the third quarter, and entered upon the final with a lead of 8 goals to 6, and ran out easy winners with 12 goals to 7. The winner's best were W. Edwards, Knowles, Page, Unkenstein and H. Edwards, and their goals were thrown by W. Edwards (7), H. Woods (3), H. Edwards (2), A. Evans (2), and L. Marks (2). For M.C.C. Mark, McClelland, Ashby (2), Corbett, Cantwell, Hunt, Lake, Robson and Gladys were most effective, and the successful forwards were Ashby (2), Gladys (2), McClelland (2) and Lake.

CAULFIELD CAPTAIN INJURED.

Williamstown were drawn upon by their visitors, and were obliged to give Camberwell permission to field one of their own champions. A. Claringbould, as a substitute, came down to play in the first quarter, and led 4-1. In the second quarter they were ahead 6-1, when their captain, P. Murrowood, came down in a tussle and broke his right knee. His absence threw the visiting defence into disorder, and thereafter the home side prevailed, when by the end of the quarter Claringbould (4 goals) showed that his long absence from the time he was by the side of his efficiency, and he was well supported by Brierley, Mervyn, Higgins (5 goals) and Westray. For Caulfield, H. Woods and H. Woods were good defenders, with Lums (3), Gaud (2), Main and Gibbs most effective in attack.

Malvern played a winning game in the first half against Legacy, but were unable to score 6 goals to 1, but the losers afterwards put up a great effort, and it was only the steadiness of the leaders that secured the victory. At the final score was—Malvern, 7; Legacy, 6. The visitors' best were Whyte, Anderson and Duff, with the goal throwers Ingram (3), Bolton (2) and Lansbury. For Legacy, Whyte, Whyte, Whyte, Whyte and Whyte were always prominent, and Mac Millan (2), Cheever and Robinson their goal.

University offered spirited resistance to M.C.C., but was manhandled by the latter, and it was chancy in this instance of the game that M.C.C. prevailed, and established it to lead at quarter time and at half-time. The quarter was a more even one, each side netting three times. M.C.C.'s experience was evident in the second half, when they were able to clean game with a score of 13 goals to 7. Lake, Glover, Robson, Cantwell, Grey, Nichol and Martyn were the players for M.C.C., whose goals were netted by Glover (3), Robson (3), Leigh (2), Lake, Melrose, University were netted by Martyn (3), Hamill and Corbet, and the successful forwards were Curtis (2), Corbet (2), Clancy (2), Jarrett (2).

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BALLARAT, Saturday.—A Grade: Hill School 10; Victoria 12; H. School 9; B Grade: Western 12; D. Wendoree 9.

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EsSENDEN gave one of their best displays for many years in their match against Victoria, and their superior reserves in attack was the chief factor in their 15-4 victory. The winners' best were Trevayne, E. Nixon and Jenkin, and their goals were thrown by Trevayne (7), Jenkin (5), Brown (2), Garrard, Kerr, Trevelyan and Abop. For University, Frankridge, Denton, Evans, Griffiths and Miller were most conspicuous. Ivanhoe improved on their recent games by extending a strategy to their team to a 10-1 victory. With a little more strategy in attack they have distinct possibilities. Campbell gave of their best in the third term, and their goals were served by Webster, Abbott, Duncan and Adams, with Doolan (5), O'Sullivan (3), J. Beattie (3), Adams (2) and Duncan (2) at goal throwers. For Ivanhoe, Gallagher, Embury, Dixon and Gay were most successful. For University, Frankridge (7), Bartlett (4), Gay and Crozier scored.

EsSENDEN gave further evidence of their steadiness by prevailing in a good game against Artilery, and the result was in doubt until the final bell. Artilery forwards play too much as units, and EsSENDEN, showing superior cohesion, led 3-2 at the first change, and won with a score of 12 goals to 6. Best were Trevayne (4 goals), Kerr (2), Nixon (2), Brown and Garrard, and Artilery were well served by Greg MacMillan (2), Macnaughton, with Taylor (3), Popper (2), Macnaughton (2), Green and Workman successful forwards. Legacy, faster, heavier and better in attack, gained a winning lead by their visitors, but the University overcame their lead with 12 goals to 6. Bettles, Kilvert, T. Kennedy and Buggett were winners, whose goals were thrown by Robins (2), McWilliam (3), Bettles (3), Davidson (2) and Buggett. For Victoria, H. Watson, Lett, Frankel, Griffiths and Noh were most prominent in defence, and Evans, Madie, Balcain, Trebheris and Griffiths were successful forwards.

"Camberwell" with a weakened defence, which had been ravaged by their visitors, were outplayed in the first half by the strong Williamstown side, which scored 2-1, but were 12 to 6 at half-time. Lett, Bartlett and Davidson were outstanding for the winners, whose goals were thrown by Hildie (5), Walton (2), and New (2). For Camberwell, McCorkell, Jones, Double and Duncan were always prominent, and the goals were thrown by Double (2), Duncan and Webster.

Lacrosse

MALVERN, WILLIAMSTOWN, M.C.C. AND CAULFIELD FOR FOUR?

Preparations for Interstate Game

TEAMS who should play off for lacrosse premiership honors should be Malvern, Williamstown, M.C.C. and Caulfield.

Camberwell has in recent games shown a decided return to form, but it seems unlikely that they can regain their place in the four of the senior section.

With only one more round of matches to be played before the interstate match against South Australia, on the Malvern C.G. on Saturday week, the form of the candidates for inclusion in the Victorian team at all the senior games on Saturday next will be interesting.

Williamstown will visit Coburg. Fowler, the V.L.A. hon. sec., will be out of the Williamstown side. Coburg's captain, Ron Cole, and Bassett, may be back from Brisbane in time to play.

University and M.H.S. Old Boys meet at the University oval. On the South Camberwell C.G., Camberwell and Caulfield should provide the match of the day. Caulfield should win. M.C.C. at the Albert C.G. will meet North Fitzroy.

INTERSTATE TEAM

THE South Australian team in the interstate match against Victoria on August 11 is: J. Pedler (goal), J. Muecke (point), J. Spencer (cover pt.), Mr. Martin (3rd man), L. Watson and R. Symonds (defence wings), G. Jeffrey (centre), G. Hall and D. Hill (attacks), K. Geller (3rd home), R. Cook (2nd home), J. Lee (1st home), B. Giffen, reserve.

Mr. Harold Rule is manager and the team will also be accompanied by Mr. F. Davidson and Mr. B. Otto, vice-presidents of the V.L.A.

W. Rabbling will referee the match. Mrs. Evans and Ford will be boundary umpires.

Mr. Harold Rule, with the exception of the 1920 carnival team, has been in charge of every South Australian team since the war.

Harold Rule is a keen cricketer and has charge of the South Australian Juniors.

The Victorian team to meet South Australia has not yet been selected because

of the absence of Jack Beattie, one of the selectors with the Victorian team in Brisbane. The Victorians touring Queensland are expected to return in time for Saturday's matches.

A match between the D and E section teams will be played before the interstate game on Saturday. The teams will be selected from the following:—

D Section: Gilles, Mollison, Taylor, D'Helm (University H.S. Old Boys), Beauland, Miller, Arthurs (R.A.N.R.), Chambers, Alcock, Park, King (Power House), Gilles, Gibson, Wallis (Sunshine), Elliswood (Adults), Buckley (Essendon), S. Bryant (Hawthorn).

E Section—Edney Scott (Brighton), F. Kitch, Isaac (Melb. Tech. C.), Lockyer, Gallagher (Williamstown), Brown, Rae (St. Klida), Batt, Potter (Old Trinity), Colvin (Coburg), Robinson (University H.S. Old Boys), Garlick, Worcester (Melb. H.S. Old Boys), Russell (Caulfield), Bartlett (Camberwell).

The Williamstown team will meet a North Tasmanian team in Launceston on Saturday.

REFEREES APPOINTED

THE referees appointed for Saturday's senior matches are:— Rabbling (Coburg-Williamstown), Lewis (University-M.H.S. Old Boys), Drew (Camberwell-Caulfield), Evans (M.C.C.-North Fitzroy).

B Section. — Axford (Caulfield-University), Marks (Malvern-Artillery), Simpson (Legacy-Camberwell), Izatt (Essendon-Ivanhoe).

Last Saturday's matches in the F section ended. On Saturday one semi-final, Essendon v. University H.S. Old Boys, will be played at Caulfield.

The Deaf Boys' School, because of a vacation, may forfeit to Williamstown in the other semi-final.

The final match will be played on August 18. Williamstown has the right of challenge in this section.

BRISBANE TOUR

THE tour of the Victorian team to Brisbane has been a success and should do much to revive interest in lacrosse in Brisbane and Sydney. The Victorians won the games in Sydney and Brisbane.

That Jack Beattie is still a wonderful forward was demonstrated during the tour of the Victorian team. Against N.S.W. he got ten goals and against Queensland seven—a great effort for a veteran.

LACROSSE

South Australian Team

The South Australian team to play against Victoria on August 11 will be as follows:—J. Pedler, goalkeeper; J. Muecke (captain), J. Spencer, and M. Martin, backs; L. Watson and R. Symonds, defence wings; G. Jeffrey, centre; G. Hall and D. Hill, attacks; K. Geller, B. Cook, and J. Lee, forwards; Reserve, H. Giffen. Mr. Harold Rule, who sent the final selection in a letter to a member of the Victorian association, will be the manager of the team, which will also be accompanied by Messrs. F. Davidson and B. Otto, vice-presidents of the South Australian Lacrosse Association.

INTER-VARSITY MATCH.

The Melbourne University team for the inter-Varsity match at Adelaide is as follows:—L. McGregor, R. Hamill, W. B. Gray, R. Howell, S. Laidou, F. Shann, K. Brad, J. L. Clancey, J. Ballantyne, T. Cutis, Corbet, F. Jarrett. Reserves: H. Volk and T. Bateman.

MID-WEEK COMPETITION.

The final four in the Melbourne Technical Schools' competition are:—Melbourne A. 40 points; Footscray, 22; Caulfield, 20; Brighton, 16. The draw for the semi-final is: Footscray v. Caulfield, at Jolimont Park; Melbourne A. v. Brighton, at Caulfield Park.

BALLARAT, Saturday—A Grade: Western 11 d. High School 6. B Grade: Wendouree 9 d. High School 5.

LACROSSE.

Camberwell's Comeback.

Camberwell are faced with a big task in their attempt to re-enter the final four, but if their display in opposition to Caulfield on Saturday is any criterion of future performances they look like succeeding. First quarter ended with two goals each. The standard of play in the second quarter was disappointing, each side scored twice. McCorkell stopping splendidly, Camberwell gradually took charge, and at three-quarter time led 8 goals to 4. Caulfield's effort were nullified by the excellent defence of the home side. Camberwell added two goals, closing with 12 goals to 4. Outstanding for the winners were Scott, Harris, McCorkell, Dickeason, Evans, and Corbett, and their goals were scored by Gray (3), Scott (2), and Adams (2). For Caulfield, Gault, Corbett, and Ireland were always in the thick of the fray, and the successful forwards were Scott (2), Gault, and Harris.

Coburg are probably the most improved side of the season. The game against Williamstown was a particularly brilliant one, uncharacteristic for the home side work of both sides. Williamstown in the first quarter led 3 to 2, Coburg, exceeding in round play, equalized the tally at half-time—4 all. Coburg were ahead 5 to 4 in the third term. Just before time, Williamstown scored the equalizing goal—5 goals all. For Coburg, Adams, Alcock, and Ireland and Ireland were the most conspicuous. Will. Adams (3), Birnie, and Alcock, the goal throwers. Williamstown's goal throwers were Gault, May, F. Dineen, Laurie and H. Dineen.

The University—Melbourne High School Old Boys' match was interesting, the result was in doubt up to the final bell. The outstanding feature was the post-kicking of Gray and McCorkell. Varsity, who won 9 goals to 5, generally showed more resource in front of goals. Several scores were 2-0, 3-0, 4-0, and 5-0. Varsity were best served by Eddie Bradley, McCorkell, Clancy, Gray, and Luce. Goals were obtained by Clancy (2), Bradley (2), Clancy, Ballantyne. For the Old Boys, Gray, Charlie, Moore, English, Dunne were most useful, and the backs were Gault, Gault, and Gault.

Despite good work of the North Fitzroy defenders, M.C.C. were ahead 5-0 at quarter time. North Fitzroy played good lacrosse in the second quarter, but M.C.C. had the game well in hand, 8-0, at the long interval. North Fitzroy gave a pretty-improved display in the third quarter, and held a goal at ten minutes. In the final quarter, both sides clapped on the pace, but M.C.C. won 12 goals to 10. For M.C.C., Gault, Gilles and Camberwell were best. For M.C.C., whose goals were thrown by Leigh (3), Gilles (3), Hough (2), Glover (2), and Johnson. For North Fitzroy, Dickeason, McCree, Hinkley, Kirk, and Ebban were most useful. For M.C.C., Ebban (2), Kirkner (2), B. Clarke and M. and W. Logan scored.

D SECTION.

Caulfield, after a cautious opening, proved more even than University, and in a spirited and fast contest were always leader in attack. Final scores were 22-4, 11-6 and 14-3. Houston, Byron, Embury and Claus were outstanding for the winners, whose goals were thrown by Claus (4), Gault, and Gray (3), Gault (2) and Gray. For University Trethewe (4 goals), Mudge (2), Gorrie and Simpson were most useful. For Camberwell, and their improvement is most pronounced, especially for a newly-promoted team. The terminal scores were 7-1, 13-2, 18-2 and 21 to 6. Bettles, Corrie, Suggatt and K. Keeney were best players for the winners, whose goals were thrown by Bettles (7), Cheevers (4), Robins (3), Suggatt (2), and William (2). Warwick, Kilvert, and J. Davidson, Camberwell's best were Gray, Jones, Lundy, Dobbie, and Abbott, and the goals were supplied by Dobbie (2), Abbott, Duncan and Webster.

Ivanhoe cannot hope to prove serious opponents unless they are fully represented, and they lost the game against Essendon in the first quarter, when the home side netted 4 goals to nil. Essendon won 9 goals to 4. Nixon and F. Nicholson were outstanding for the winners, whose goals were thrown by Garrard (4), Nixon (2), Trevarn, Silcock and Kerr. For Ivanhoe, Bartlett, Crozier, Oke and P. Gay were most useful, Bartlett (3) and B. Gay scoring.

Malvern maintained their unbeaten record and proved superior to Artillery in the first quarter of the game by netting 14 goals to 4. Clague (3), Armstrong (3), Bolton (2) and Nicol (2) scored for the winners, who were best served in defence by Anderson, O'Brien and Whiteley. For Artillery, Grant, Tatchell and Taylor were most prominent. Results in the other sections were as follows:—

C Section—Teachers' College 5 goals 1; Melbourne High School Old Boys 1 goal; Malvern and Box Hill drew, 4 goals all; Hawthorn 9 goals 4; Brunswick 8 goals; Geelong 8 goals 4; Williamstown 5 goals; Brighton 11 goals 4; Caulfield 2 goals; Hartwell 11 goals 4; Coburg 6 goals.

D Section—Sunshine 6 goals 4; Essendon 5 goals; Adult, 12 goals 4; Camberwell 2 goals; Power House 33 goals 4; University 4 goals; Royal Australian Naval Reserve 20 goals 4; Hawthorn 6 goals.

E Section—Trinity Old Grammarians 11 goals 4; St. Hilin 2 goals; Williamstown 6 goals 4; Melbourne Technical College 7 goals; Melbourne High School Old Boys 11 goals 4; Melbourne Technical College 11 goals 4; Coburg 21 goals 4; Camberwell 9 goals; Brunswick 11 goals 4; Malvern 7 goals; Brighton 4 goals 4; Caulfield 2 goals.

F Section—Semi-finals: Essendon 16 goals 4; University High School Old Boys 1 goal; Williamstown received a walk over from Deaf Boys' School.



LACROSSE

Win for Victoria

In a well contested game, the Victorian lacrosse team, drawn from the Williamstown Club, defeated the Tasmanian side this afternoon on the Cornwall Ground by 15 goals to 10 after 90 scores had been equal, six goals all, just after half time.

The Tasmanians played with great determination, but their congested forward work and failure to use the body check more than they did, spoilt many chances. They had as much of the play as did the Victorians, and their display, considering the comparative inexperience of the two sides, was most meritorious.

The progress scores were: First quarter, Victoria, 4 goals, Tasmania 3. Second: Victoria 6, Tasmania 5. Third: Victoria 8, Tasmania 6. Final—Victoria 15, Tasmania 10.

Scorers were:—Victoria: Walter (5), Gallagher (3), Hiddle (3), McNeilage (2), Westaway and McGregor. Tasmania: Padman (5), Tyson (2), Parkin (3), and Bennetfield.

There was an attendance of over 200 and Mr. A. D. Peacock was the referee.

TO PLAY TASMANIA.—The Williamstown lacrosse team left yesterday by the Nairana for Launceston. Captain Fearon (centre, front) is sponsoring the visit.

Lacrosse VICTORIA HAS STRONG SIDE Interstate Game on Saturday

By "Point"
THE annual match between Victoria and South Australia will be played at the Malvern C.G. on Saturday. South Australia has a strong team which should extend the home side.

The Victorian team is—McCorkell (Camberwell), Lake (M.C.C.), Reid (M.C.C.), Corrigan (Caulfield), Marshall (Williamstown), Unkenstein (Malvern), Robson (M.C.C.), Edwards (Malvern), Read (Williamstown), Woods (Malvern), Ashby (Coburg), Beattie (Malvern). Reserves: Murorow and Gibbs (Caulfield), Knowles (Malvern).

ALL TRIED MEN
THE selectors have adopted safety first methods, no provision having been made for the future. Several young players might have been given their opportunity without weakening the team.

The only player making his first appearance in interstate company is Corrigan, the Caulfield defence player, whose fine form throughout the season justifies his inclusion. Ashby takes the place of Lillburn, who has retired.

If the Victorian defence is able to shut out Cook and Lee, the two champions of the South Australian side, Victoria should win.

The South Australians will arrive on Friday morning, and at 5 p.m. will be welcomed at the Amateur Sports Club. Because of the absence in Tasmania of Captain J. H. Fearon, president of the V.I.A., it is expected that from J. G. Leham, vice-president of the V.I.A., will occupy the chair.

A dinner will follow the match and on Sunday visitors will march to the hills. Jack Beattie will lead the Victorians. Officials for the game are: Referee, W. Rabbling; goal umpires, Messrs. G. Grundy and C. H. Gibbs. Ground umpires, Messrs. Evans and Ford; Umpkeeper, Mr. G. A. Beech.

Jim Muecke, an inter-Varsity player, will captain the South Australian team. Formerly a centre man, Muecke is now stationed on the back line.

SECTION CURTAIN RAISER
BEFORE the interstate game a match will be played between teams representing D and E section players.

The Hon. Sarah Vanneck, a keen lacrosse player, will attend the match.

TASMANIAN IMPROVEMENT
WILLIAMSTOWN B team, which defeated Northern Tasmanian team by 13 goals to 10, were surprised at the big improvement in Tasmanian lacrosse.

H. Beattie (Malvern) and F. Deacon (Williamstown) were this week refused permits to play with their respective B section teams—the Permit Committee evidently held the opinion that transferring of senior players (junior teams at this stage of the season was inadvisable and against the interest of other teams in the B section who have no senior teams from which to strengthen their sides).

Lacrosse was introduced into Australia by a Canadian nearly sixty years ago, and the first Australian team was captained by Mr. Beech, who is a life member of the V.I.A. Mr. Beech will be present at the interstate match.

GOOD QUEENSLANDER
VICTORIANS, who have just returned from Brisbane, praised the wonderful game played against them by Hubbard, the Queensland forward. Hubbard in form has no equal in Australia. Beattie's lacrosse Hubbard has represented his State at cricket.

After next Saturday only three matches remain before the final.

The positions of teams with chances of reaching the final are:—
A Section—Malvern, 56; Williamstown, 42; Caulfield, 40; M.C.C., 40; Camberwell, 38.
B—Malvern, 60; Williamstown, 54; Caulfield, 42; Legacy, 38; Essendon, 36.
C—Glen Iria, 52; Hawthorn, 52; Hartwell, 50; Coburg, 42; Williamstown, 40.
D—University H.S. Old Boys, 50; Power House, 48; Sunshine, 40; R.A.N.R., 36; Essendon, 34.
E—Old Trinity, 56; Williamstown, 52; Melbourne Technical College, 48; St. Kilda, 44; University H.S. Old Boys, 42.

LEADER'S BIG PART IN LACROSSE VICTORY

Beattie Was Brilliant

By "CENTRE."

THE brilliant versatility of J. Beattie, the Victorian captain, was the deciding factor in the interstate lacrosse match on Saturday. Scoring seven goals, under conditions that called for extremely skillful stickwork, he enabled Victoria to lead at the final whistle by 11 goals to 7.

THE Queenslanders, who were rather on the light side for such a heavy day, found that their key attack men were too closely watched by the opposition defence and scoring movements were difficult to initiate. Only Hubbard's brilliance on occasions enabled him to evade the opposition defence, but taken all through, he had rather a torrid time.



J. BEATTIE lacked in weight they fully made up in dash and determination. In the early stages Queensland had quite a feast of the ball, thanks to Bradnam, but they found Healy and O'Brien hard to pass, and Foster in goal saved seemingly certain scoring shots by Hubbard and Purrell. Bassett was keeping a close watch on Hubbard and Newman had Conroy well tied down.

BRILLIANT LACROSSE.

THE lacrosse, considering the state of the oval, was fine, keeping the onlookers excited, and at times being really brilliant. Hubbard and his men were attacking strongly, but Evans, then Sellington stilled them off. Foster was the visitors' power of strength in goal. With the Victorian attack on the move, Beattie and Wood tested Borger, who, however, was equal to the occasion. Fine work by Cole, Clancy, and Woods allowed Beattie to notch the first two goals, and Queensland immediately found the net through the agency of Howden.

HEAVY SCORING.

THE second quarter was a heavy scoring one. Queensland added five goals, while the visitors were by no means idle in bagging four. Tealby and Carter in defence were playing soundly for the maroons, while Thomsett, Forsyth, Howden, Bradnam, Hubbard, and Conroy worked hard in attack. Sellington and Newgreen, who seemed to be playing everywhere, Healy, and Evans were outstanding for Victoria.



S. TEALBY

DEFENCE WORKS WELL.

IN attack Clancy, Logan, and Cole battled hard and cleverly to assist their skipper and Wood to make the scores at half-time six all. Foster was hurt just before the interval, but returned to commence the third term. The third quarter was a very even one. The defence of each side revealed wonderful skill in intercepting passes and adapting themselves to the slippery conditions. Foster at one end and Borger at the other were predominant in goal, giving great exhibitions. The defence work of Tealby was really magnificent; he was being ably assisted by Newcombe and Lenton. The game was

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fast (and "dirty" from a laundry standpoint), and the excitement was intense.

The ground was in a terrible state and at this stage Hubbard surprised the spectators by adopting aquatic sport and doing a great dive, after which he was hardly recognisable.

VICTORIA FORGES AHEAD.

EACH side succeeded in adding a goal in this strenuous quarter, which was a mixture of good lacrosse, excitement, and mud. The Victorians, however, seemed to stand up better in the hard going and though the maroons fought hard the fine combination of Logan, Clancy, Newgreen, Wood, and Beattie, though the conditions were against them passed the ball like lightning for Newgreen and Beattie to score a brace of goals each.

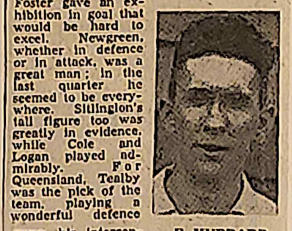
BEATTIE VERSATILE.

BEATTIE showed his versatility in scoring his sixth and his team's tenth goal, when he emulated a cross-country runner; wading through water, to outwit the opposition. Although the blues scored four in this term, was by no means one-sided, for Queensland attacked with vigour, but the great work of Foster and his backs saved many situations.

The victors were undoubtedly grandly served by Beattie, whose seven goals was a great effort. The combination of the visiting attack considerably aided the veteran, who made full use of every opportunity.

FOSTER'S GOALKEEPING.

THE other Victorian forwards were splendid, especially in that spirited last quarter burst. Foster gave an excellent in goal that would be hard to excel.



E. HUBBARD

Hubbard, though well marked by Bassett, played a good game, one of his goals being a gem, with a pretty backhand shot. Forsyth and Howden on the wings did many good things. Borger in goal only showed his true form in the third quarter when he excelled himself.

If Queensland can take a leaf out of Victoria's book of tactics, re the loose man and given a fine day, there should be an even closer contest on Wednesday at the Brisbane Cricket Ground.

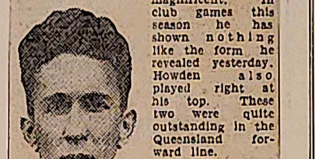
On the resumption Queensland went further ahead, goals coming from Tanner (2), Bradnam (2), and Murray. This gave them a lead of 10 goals at the commencement of the last quarter. Foster then came out of goal for Victoria, and went into the forwards, Newgreen guarding the net. Victoria rallied. Evans intercepting for Logan to find the net, while Beattie (2) and Woods added goals. For Queensland Hubbard (2) and Howden scored, making the final scores: Queensland 18, Victoria 9.

Lacrosse TABLES TURNED ON VICTORIA

Hubbard at His Top

NINE GOALS MARGIN

Queensland yesterday turned the tables on Victoria at lacrosse, winning by 18 goals to nine. It was really a triumph for brilliant individualism. Hubbard was magnificent. In club games this season he has shown nothing like the form he created yesterday.



E. Hubbard.

Hubbard was undoubtedly grandly served by Beattie, whose seven goals was a great effort. The combination of the visiting attack considerably aided the veteran, who made full use of every opportunity.

PLAY DESCRIBED.
Queensland received from the opening face off, and the attack culminated in Hubbard shooting. Foster relieving up the wing, when the ball came back Howden opened the scoring with a good shot. Victoria equalised immediately, Newgreen finding the net. Then Beattie fooled Exton close in, and Victoria led 2-1. From a scramble in front of the visitors' goal the ball entered the net, apparently off a Victorian's stick, and Queensland drew level, but a little later Tanner eluded his man to give the maroons the lead.

Tealby was prominent in breaking up Victorian moves, and the Queenslanders were obtaining a feast of the ball. Then Howden came down fast and sent across to Hubbard, who got the ball past Foster. Bassett was finding Hubbard a different proposition on a dry ground, and the Queensland skipper cleverly eluded him to score again. Then he completed the hat-trick with a back-hander, and Queensland led 6-2 at the end of the first quarter's play.

QUEENSLAND ON TOP.
Victoria were unimpressive during the second session, and the maroon defenders had little difficulty in breaking up their moves. Newcombe and Henderson were prominent and frequently intercepted the Victorian clearances to the wings, while the visitors were often out when in possession. The seventh goal came as a result of a clever intercept by Henderson, who coming down fast made the opening for Howden to score. Hubbard broke away to score a brilliant goal. Then Forsyth came in from the wing, eluding the eager Victorian stick, and gave Foster no chance. With Queensland leading 9-2 Woods broke the spell for the Victorians. Howden next placed a well-timed pass straight into Hubbard's racket. The ball jumped slightly, but Hubbard cleverly recovered, and a beautiful back-hander found the net. Just on half-time Beattie netted for Victoria, and the scores at the interval were 10-5 in favour of Queensland. Victoria were not playing nearly as well as on Saturday, but Queensland's stick work was much better and they were combining splendidly.

VICTORIAN TEAM. (BRISBANE) & SYDNEY.

- | | |
|-------------------|--------------|
| R. Cole | Coburg |
| L. Jenkin | Essendon |
| T. Clancy | University |
| M. Logan | Mt Fitzroy |
| K. Sellington | Caulfield |
| W. Drew | " " |
| B. Newgreen | Williamstown |
| K. O'Brien | " " |
| T. Tranter | Malvern |
| F. Lanbury | " " |
| N. Healy | " " |
| A. Evans | " " |
| C. Foster | " " |
| H. Woods | " " |
| J. Beattie (Capt) | " " |
| Manager. | " " |

Wed July 25, 1934
Victoria v. N.S.W.
20 Caulfield
J. Beattie 10

Sat. July 28, 1934
Victoria v. Queensland.
" " 7
Goalthrowers:
J. Beattie 7
Newgreen 2
Cole 1
Wood 1

Hubbard 2
Howden 1
Conroy 1
Forsyth 1
Bradnam 1
Percoll 1
7

Wed. Aug 1, 1934
Queensland v. Victoria
" " 9
Goalthrowers:
Beattie 5
Woods 2
Newgreen 1
Logan 1

Hubbard 7
Howden 3
Tanner 3
Bradnam 2
Murray 1
Forsyth 1
Hittin 1
18

VICTORIAN TEAM
LAUNCESTON
TASMANIA
(August, 1934)

Williamstown Club

- L. Burgoyne
- A. Gallagher Played
- F. Davidson Played
- A. Sutcliffe Played
- A. McGregor Played
- A. J. Fowler (Capt & Manager) Played
- K. Manderson Played
- A. Wooding Played
- A. Walton
- W. Hiddle Played
- D. McNeilage Played
- D. Westaway Played
- R. Walton Played
- H. Rogers Played

J.H. Fearon (President & Williamstown Club)
Played Saturday
August 4, 1934

— Result —

Victoria v. Tasmania
15 10

Goals	Goals
Walton 5	Padman 5
Hiddle 3	Tyson 2
Gallagher 3	Parkin 2
McNeilage 2	Bennfield 1
Westaway 1	
McGregor 1	
Total 15	10

- TASMANIA
- Horne (Captain)
 - Gavitt
 - Harrison
 - Barnes
 - Kitto
 - Padman
 - Broomby
 - Duncan
 - Cox
 - Parkin
 - Bennfield
 - Tyson
 - Mr Peacock - Referee.

Lacrosse

TASMANIA v. VICTORIA

There was an attendance of about 200 on Saturday afternoon at the Cornwall ground when the visiting lacrosse team from Williamstown defeated Tasmania by 15 goals to 10 after a match which was fast and interesting. The game provided a contrast in methods. Whereas the Victorians played their first home at a rear or to the side of the net and adopted a fan-shaped defence, the Tasmanians relied on more orthodox measures.

Officials of the Victorian team were surprised at the good form of the Tasmanians, who, it was freely admitted, were beaten more than anything else because of their lack of knowledge of one or two finer points of the game—knowledge which will come with experience. The Tasmanians relied too much on the stick check, and did not use their weight sufficiently, and their forward passing was often ruined by hesitation, whereas the visitors' work was more decided. The surface of the ground was soft, which slowed up play to some extent. Mr. A. D. Peacock was the referee, and gave satisfaction to all. At the Central Hotel the visiting players were the guests of the Tasmanians at a smoke social. The teams on Saturday were:

Victoria—Wooding, McNeilage, Hiddle, Westaway, Gallagher, Walton, Sutcliffe, Manderson, Rogers, McGregor, and Davidson.

Tasmania—Horne (capt), Gavitt, Harrison, Barnes, Kitto, Padman, Broomby, Duncan, Cox, Parkin, Bennfield, and Tyson.

The first quarter was evenly contested but slightly in favour of the visitors. Tasmania got into position often enough, but the failure of their forwards to open out spoilt a number of good chances, and Victoria, with the 14-year-old first home, McNeilage, playing well, scored three goals, one by McNeilage and two by Walton before Tasmania scored. Tyson finding the net with a well judged shot. The Victorians passing early was a little misjudged, but when they settled down it improved greatly. Padman scored Tasmania's second goal—the result of a quick angle shot. The Victorians' fan-shaped defence with a man behind or at the side of the net somewhat disorganised the Tasmanian attack. Hiddle got Victoria's fourth goal following a determined effort, and Padman again broke through for Tasmania just before the close, getting an excellent goal from a sharp angle. The scores were then, Victoria, 4 goals; Tasmania, 3.

The second term was again even, but Tasmania's second home was not always within scoring distance. McNeilage, speedy and clever with his crosse, got his second goal for Victoria, and shortly after when a shot by him had been stopped, Hiddle followed through nicely to get Victoria's sixth goal. From then on the Tasmanians had most of the play, but indecision in passing forward and crowding tactics were against them. Tyson from the side got the ball into the net with a bouncing shot, and was followed soon after by Bennfield, who received well from Padman. Tasmania had the most use of the ball, and with a little more system would, old players around the ring considered, have been well in the lead at half time, when the scores were: Victoria, 6 goals, Tasmania, 6.

The play was not so fast in the third term, when Tasmania's defence was much better, there being a notable improvement in their stick work. Padman, who had been playing well throughout for Tasmania, equalised the scores, and had their passing been more certain the Tasmanians might have gone to the front. The visitors were quick to make openings, and two good goals were scored towards the end of the term, one by McGregor and the other by Westaway, the latter receiving a severe body check just as he shot. At the final change the scores were: Victoria, 8 goals; Tasmania, 6.

After a slow start, the scoring became very brisk in the final term. Splendid passing around the wing by Victorian enabled Walton to goal with a good shot, and the next minute, coming in from the centre, and using his stick cleverly despite checks, Gallagher also scored. Then these two players each again goalled in turn. The Tasmanians were often running needlessly, and although fighting doggedly could not overcome the Victorians' effective passing. Play was held up for some minutes when Cox (Tasmania) received a leg injury. Tasmania had the better of the final stages. Two good attempts were turned just in time, but Padman (two goals) and Parkin (one) each broke through with well placed shots. Hiddle, Walton (who found an open net), and Gallagher got the remaining goals for Victoria. The final scores were: Victoria, 15 goals; Tasmania, 10 goals.

Goals were scored for Victoria by Walton (6), Hiddle (3), Gallagher (2), McNeilage (2), Westaway, and McGregor; and for Tasmania by Padman (5), Tyson (2), Parkin (2), and Bennfield. Best players: Victoria, McGregor, McNeilage, Westaway, Walton, and Davidson; Tasmania, Broomby, Padman, Duncan, Gavitt, and Cox.

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Lacrosse

Northern Notes

By Third Man

Launceston again showed their superiority over Tamar on Saturday by defeating them by 12 goals. The final scores were: Launceston, 12 goals; Tamar, 7. As at the conclusion of this match the team to play against the visiting Victorian team was to be selected, all players were keyed up to produce their best form. Tamar were unfortunately handicapped through having to play a man short.

The play was not quite as open as I would have liked to have seen it, but perhaps this can be accounted for by the fact that Tamar, seeking to stop Launceston from scoring, had their attack players on the defensive most of the time. This, in my opinion, is bad tactics, as I noticed that time and again when the ball was secured, there was no one, with the exception of the homes, to pass the ball to, and as these were well watched it was rarely that the long pass was secured by a Tamar player.

Through being fortunate enough to be able to field the same team regularly, Launceston have developed into a strong combination, and it becomes increasingly difficult to pick out players for special mention. I feel, however, that Stevens deserves a special mention for the performance he gave on Saturday. On his showing I expected him to get a place in the combined team. Padman, at centre, was prominent as usual, and I must compliment Pike for the showing he made against Padman. A difficult man to watch, he stuck to his man very gamely. Parkin and Tyson did all that was expected of them, and these two players can al-



Tasmanian Team—Back row (left to right): Peacock (referee), Broomby, Cox, Horne (capt), Gavitt, Harrison (vice), G. Barnes, Kitto. Front row: Barnes (boundary), Harrison, Tyson, Parkin, Duncan, Padman, Davis (boundary).



The Victorian Team.—Back row (left to right): Burgoyne, Gallagher, Davidson, Sutcliffe, McGregor, Capt. Fearon (manager), Fowler, Manderson, Wooding, A. Walton. Front row: Hiddle, McNeilage, Westaway, R. Walton, Rogers.



A group of spectators at Saturday's Lacrosse game between Victoria and Tasmania.

ways be relied on to keep their opponents busy and to give a clever exhibition. Summers is a rapidly improving player and will soon be a big help to his side.

The match on Saturday was the last of the two point series. Of the ten games played, Launceston has won seven, lost two, drawn one, and gained 15 points. Tamar has won two, drawn one, lost seven, and gained five points. Launceston are therefore minor premiers and have the right of challenge at the end of the roster.

The remaining six matches to complete the roster carry four points each, so if Tamar can improve their team they are still in the running for the premiership.

It is interesting to note that up to date the three leading goal throwers are Cecil Padman, with 45, Tyson 29, and Parkin 22.

At the conclusion of Saturday's match the selectors met and selected the following players for the interstate match at the Cornwall Cricket Ground next Saturday—Gavitt, goal; Horne (captain), point; Kitto, cover point; Barnes, third man; Harrison (vice-capt), centre; Broomby, right defence; Cecil Padman, centre; Duncan, left attack; Cox, right attack; Parkin, third home; Bennfield, second home; Tyson, home. Emergencies, Stevens and R. Padman.

The referee will be Mr. A. Peacock, who has given such general satisfaction during his handling of the local matches.

The selected team is a strong one, and should, I think, be able to turn the tables on the Williamstown Club, the representatives of whom, two years ago, came over and defeated the home team by 13 goals to 6.

I would like through this column to congratulate Bennfield, Duncan, Broomby, Kitto, and Barnes on being selected to fill positions in what will be their first representative team, and to condole with Ingles, who, but for an injury received a few weeks ago, would certainly have been in the chosen twelve.

The following is the personnel of the visiting team: A. J. Fowler (captain and manager), R. Davidson, K. Burgoyne, N. Rogers, A. Sutcliffe, L. Burgoyne, R. Manderson, R. Watson, W. Hiddle, A. Wooding, D. McNeilage, A. Gallagher, reserves, J. Westaway, and A. Walton.

Mr. Fowler, the captain, is secretary of the Victorian Lacrosse Association. Accompanying the team is Captain J. H. Fearon, president of both the Victorian Association and the Williamstown Club, and Mr. C. H. Gibbs, another prominent member of the association.

Captain Fearon, who, by the way, is sponsoring the visiting team, is tremendously interested in the advancement of the game of lacrosse. His practical support of the game has been in no means limited to Victoria, as evidenced by his generous donation last season of a number of sticks to the Tasmanian Association. This gift made it possible for the Launceston and Tamar Clubs to be formed.

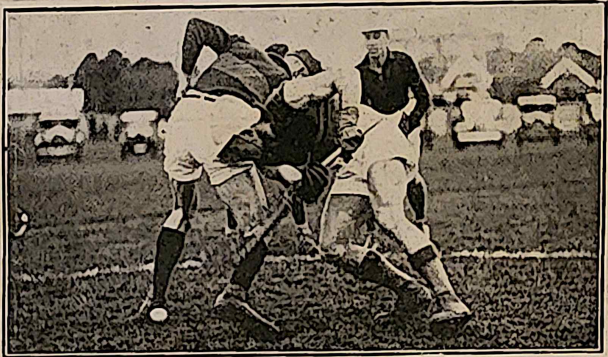
I understand that the secretary of the Tasmanian Lacrosse Association has arrangements well in hand for the entertainment of the visitors. On Friday evening they will be the guests of Mr. H. L. Peverill, manager of the Plaza Theatre; for Saturday evening a social function has been arranged, and on Sunday a day's outing will be provided.

Let me urge readers not to miss the match on Saturday next at the Cornwall Ground. Roll up, if only to demonstrate to our visitors that you are pleased to see them.

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A. Fowler
The Toss for Ends. ~~A. Fowler~~ (Victorian captain), Horne (Tasmanian captain), and A. Peacock (referee).



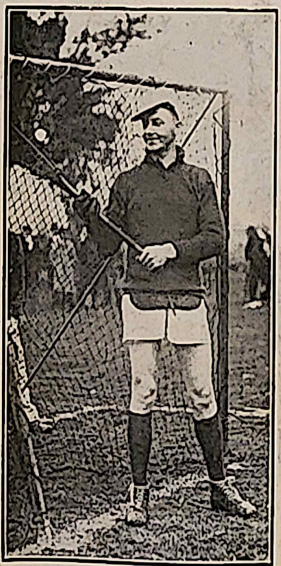
(T. E. Davies Photos)
A duel between a Victorian and a Tasmanian player in mid-field.



The Tasmanian goalle (O. Gavitt) bursts through the Victorians with the ball to clear.



A snapshot among the spectators at Saturday's match.



The Victorian goalle (Davidson) stops a hot one.



Padman, who played a great game for Tasmania.

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INTER-STATE LACROSSE.

VICTORIA OVERWHELMS SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

One of the finest exhibitions of the game witnessed in this State was presented to a large following at the Malvern cricket ground on Saturday, and it is seldom that such a terrific pace has been maintained throughout. South Australia, contrary to expectations, prevailed in the centre in the opening stages, and their attacks originated from the face-off. The visitors scored as the result of a brilliant run by L. Watson within a minute of the commencement of play. A clever pass from Woods to Edwards resulted in the equalising goal. For the first time Cook followed a resource pick up, but South Australia ahead, and Lee was very unlucky to miss narrowly shortly afterwards. Symonds and Jeffery beat off several hot attacks, but a dodgy run by Ashby and a good pass to Robson resulted in a good angle goal, to place the home side ahead. The visitors played excellently in the second quarter, but the Victorian defence was superb, and many of their shots were too hurried.

Lee and Cook, the crack Adelaide forwards, were constantly in the picture, but they were spoiling each other and did not play well to position. One brilliant goal by Lee earned rounds of applause. At half-time Victoria led 11 goals to 7. The pace of the early stages was having a soothing effect in the final term, and the further the game went the more pronounced became the home side's greater experience. The final was—Victoria, 25; South Australia, 10. The outstanding feature of the home side's play was the stubbornness of their defence, and this contributed chiefly to the overwhelming victory. South Australia permitted their back line to be drawn out, and on several occasions their defenders were in the centre of the ground. The winners' best were Woods, Read, Robson, Marshall, Lake and J. Reid, and their goals were thrown by Beattie (5), Read (5), Robson (5), Woods (4), Edwards and Ashby. For South Australia, Symonds, Spencer, Matson, Lee, Cook and Hall were the most effective, and the goals were thrown by Cook (6), Lee (2), Mucke, Watson.

As a curtain-raiser to the big game, an inter-section match was played between the D and E sections, and the physique and stick work of the players called for much appreciative comment. The D players combined better in attack than their younger opponents, and won comfortably with 11 goals to 4. Chambers, Atcock, N. Gilles, Bealand and Buckley were best for the winners, whose goals were thrown by Chambers (6), N. Gilles (3), Park (2) and Bealand (2). The outstanding E section men were Edney, Worcester, Garlick and Isaacs, and their successful forwards were Gallagher (2), Potter and Garlick.

BALLARAT, Saturday—A Grade: Wendouree d. Inparial, 20-3. B Grade Final: Wendouree d. Western 19-3.

VICTORIA WINS BIG LACROSSE

S.A. Formidable Up To Half Time

ALTHOUGH Victoria won easily by 25-10 and scored a record number of goals for the State in games against South Australia, the interstate lacrosse match at Malvern on Saturday was one of the best exhibitions of the game seen in Melbourne for many years.

Up to half time, South Australia played great lacrosse. Its centre line was too fast and too clever for Victoria, and it was only the steadiness of the defence, supported by the wonderful goal-keeping of McCorkell, that enabled the home team to have a small lead at the interval. In the last half Victoria was superior in every department, scoring 14 goals to three.

Outstanding Players

Victoria did not have a weak player, but the great defence of McCorkell (in goals), Unkenstein and Jim Reid, at point, saved the side repeatedly. Until half time, Woods, who handled the ball more than any man on the ground, was splendid.

Marshall and Lake did well against the South Australian champions. Lee and Cook, Beattie, Ashby and Woods formed a winning forward line, while Robson and Read were never beaten all day.

In the early stages, the South Australian centre men, Watson, Hill, Hall, Symonds and Jefferey played splendidly. Spencer and Martin were hard workers on the back line, but the defence of the visitors gave the Victorians too much freedom. Lee and Cook were the best men on the South Australian side.

Goal Throwers

Victoria:—Beattie 5, Robson 5, Read 5, Woods 4, Ashby 3, Edwards 3.

South Australia:—Cook 6, Lee 2, Watson and Mucke.

In a curtain-raiser D Section beat E Section 16-4 in a game of high standard.

Goal throwers:—D Section: Chambers 9, Gilles 3, Bealand 2, Park 2.

E Section:—Gallagher 2, Garlick, Potter.

Best players:—D Section: Buckley, Atcock, Chambers, Gilles.

E Section:—Edney, Isaacs and Garlick.



R. READ (left) attack for Victoria, scores a goal in the interstate lacrosse match against South Australia at Malvern



A CHEER OF GREETING to the South Australian team was given by the Victorians before the interstate lacrosse match began at Malvern on Saturday.

- 1. J. Beattie (Captain)
 - 2. J. Reid
 - 3. N. Robson
 - 4. S. McCorkell
 - 5. J. Lake
 - 6. D. Marshall (at back)
 - 7. H. Woods
 - 8. W. Ashby
 - 9. M. Edwards
 - 10. T. Carrigan
 - 11. R. Read
 - 12. O. Unkenstein
- VICTORIA

Victorian Lacrosse Association

Inter-State Lacrosse Match

Victoria v. South Australia

MALVERN CRICKET GROUND

SATURDAY, AUGUST 11th, 1934

AT 3 P.M.

“D” SECTION v. “E” SECTION

AT 1 P.M.

ADMISSION 1/1.

Patron: Sir William Irvine, K.C.M.G.

President: Captain J. H. Fearon.

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Life Members:

Messrs. G. Beech, W. B. House, W. J. Lampard, T. L. Fultou, H. R. Balmor, and Joel Fox.

Chairman of Committee: Mr. J. B. Taft.

Elected Members, Two Years:

Messrs. A. E. G. Webb, T. R. Turnbull, L. Calthness, and Doug. R. Marshall.

Elected Members, One Year:

Messrs. C. H. Gibbs, F. Nutting, R. G. Schmidt, and C. R. Dickinson.

Interstate Selection Committee:

Messrs. J. Bettle, S. Wilson, and F. Nutting.

Hon. Record Secretary: Mr. G. A. Beech.

Hon. Treasurer: Mr. D. R. Marshall.

Assistant Hon. Secretary: Mr. A. G. Hudson.

Hon. Secretary: Mr. A. J. Fowler.



INTERSTATE LACROSSE at Malvern on Saturday resulted in Victoria defeating South Australia by 25 goals to 10. Top: A Victorian player down in an attack on his goal. Lower: The S.A. team.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA



K. GELLERT, a member of the South Australian lacrosse team, had the job of carrying the crosses when the players arrived at Spencer Street Station from Adelaide today.

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PEERING THROUGH THE NETS



Two interested spectators who saw Victoria defeat South Australia in the lacrosse match at Malvern Cricket Ground on Saturday.

LACROSSE.

Surprise Results.

M.C.C. were without the services of Robson, Reid and Green, while the Old Boys were equally handicapped in the absence of McCay and Clarke. Each team scored only once in the final period. The second quarter witnessed the Old Boys on top especially on their forward line. M.C.C. defenders appeared slow and were frequently at cross purposes when clearing. At half time the Old Boys led 5-0. The Old Boys were very strong in defence, did not permit themselves to become rattled, and were 8-2 at this time. M.C.C. players made concerted effort forward but their many opportunities and the Old Boys won with 9 goals to 2.

Williamstown on their own ground, were mainly attacked by Caulfield, who have not been at their best recently. He took away from Williamstown, whose players were black straggled from the death of Head's mother. Littlejohn opened the victory account with a long shot, and after a period of splendid netting, the victory was secured. Willie opened Williamstown's account just on time, and Caulfield led 2-1 at the first change. Dr. Brown of the home team, was injured to retire with an injured knee. Churca, the Caulfield forward, was injured. The home change held a winning lead of 3 goals to 2 for Caulfield. Final—Caulfield, 11; Williamstown, 2.

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Lacrosse

MALVERN HEADS LIST

Fours Defined In All Sections

By "Point" It is many years since Victorian lacrosse has experienced such a remarkable series of happenings as was the case on Saturday, when two of the leading senior teams M.C.C. and Williamstown, were defeated, and when Malvern, outclassed all day by Camberwell, snatched victory only in "time on" period of the last quarter.

Malvern, with 60 points, are at the top, and will be entitled to a right of challenge. The remaining places are filled by Caulfield 44, Williamstown 42, M.C.C. 40, Camberwell 38, and Coburg 34.

M.C.C. have sent for Robson, who is relieving at Warragul, and hope that Reid will be again available for their vital match against Camberwell. Camberwell's only uncertainty is Scott, their centre man, who was injured against Malvern last week. Geo. Smith will come out of retirement for Camberwell.

SECTION FINALS Legacy's defeat of Essendon has settled the B semi-finals. Malvern, Williamstown, Caulfield and Legacy will play off for the premiership, with Malvern being entitled to a right of challenge. Malvern has not been defeated throughout the season.

CHANGE OF GROUNDS Because the showgrounds are not available, the senior match between North Fitzroy and Caulfield will be played at the Caulfield C.G. As a result of this change the B section game, Caulfield v. Malvern, has been transferred to the Malvern C.G.

Caulfield will give Brunswick a walk-over in the C section match. Mr. G. M. Kirkwood, a vice-president of the V.L.A., is recovering from his recent illness.

LACROSSE.

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WILLIAMSTOWN PREMIERS.

Williamstown and Essendon was a keen struggle. At half-time each had 4 goals, Williamstown led slightly the better of the final quarter with the advantage 6 goals to 3. Essendon made great efforts in the final term, but the leaders' defence was too steady, and in the final quarter, Williamstown won by 9 goals to 3. The country players are willing for Essendon four (3) and Houston (2) were successful.

"Herald" Thurs Aug 30 1934

FINAL FOURS IN SENIOR GRADES CANNOT BE UPSET

Junior Semi-Finals Listed For Saturday

By "Point" THE last round of home and home lacrosse matches in A and B sections will be played on Saturday, and the semi-finals on Saturday week.

As a result of Camberwell's defeat by M.C.C., the constitution of the senior final four—Malvern, Caulfield, Williamstown and M.C.C.—cannot be altered. Malvern, Williamstown, Caulfield and Legacy are safe for the B section semi-finals.

SECTION Semi-Finals Semi-finals in the C, D and E sections will be played on Saturday. In C section, Glen Iris meet Hawthorn at Fawkner Park (referee, Rabbling) and Coburg meet Hartwell at St. James Park (referee, Lewis).

A section fixtures Referees for A section matches on Saturday are: Wignall (Coburg v. Camberwell), Martyn (Williamstown v. University), Nathan (Malvern v. North Fitzroy), Evans (Caulfield v. Melbourne H.S. Old Boys).

D SECTION. The defeat of University High School Old Boys by Power House will necessitate a grand final in this section. The quarter scores were: 1-3, 7-4 and 9-2 to B. Park, Brock and Spriggs were best for Power House, whose goals were scored by Park (3), Chambers (2), Clements (2) and G. B. G. The Old Boys' goals were scored by Davidson (2), Gillies, Paul and Ticker.

E SECTION SEMI-FINALS. St. Kilda 9 goals defeated Williamstown 6 goals, Melbourne Technical College 1 goal to 0, Old Trinity Grammarians 4 goals.

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LACROSSE.

Both Coburg and Camberwell were obliged to field substitutes for sick players, and the latter were the heavier hit, especially in defence. Ashby, with clever dodging, early penetrated Camberwell's defence. Atkins equalised for Camberwell, but further attacks by the visitors were well handled by Holden. At quarter-time Coburg led 4-3. Coburg were versatile and accurate in attack, and at half-time were ahead, 8 goals to 3. Camberwell backs were unable to cope with the evasive Coburg forwards, and a pleasant game resulted in victory for Coburg, 13 goals to 8. Outstanding for the winners were Ashby (who by scoring 7 goals made his season tally 71), Cole, Hutchinson, Reid and Holden. The rest of their goals were scored by Guinness (2), Cole (2), Hutchinson (2), O'Gorman and Munnice. Camberwell's best were Harris (who beat Ashby when opposed to Reid), Fox (6 goals), Berthon, Atkins and Dobbie.

Owing to the vacation University had difficulty in filling their team. Reid netted immediately, and was successful shortly afterwards. Cuts opened Varsity's account. Murrice scored for Williamstown from a close-in snap, and at quarter-time led 2-2. University were wanting opportunities for a hand passing. Clever play by Cuts enabled Gault to score for University, but towards the end of a characteristic attack towards the end of the quarter Reid and Murrice were both successful, and at half-time Williamstown led, 4-1, and 4-4 at three-quarter time. The leaders, warning to the attack, gradually drew away, with 13 goals to 8. Marshall, Read, Feilding and Ray were best for the winners, whose goals were thrown by Read (3), Murrice (4), Hogarth (1) and Marshall (2). For University, McGreer, Clancy, Clancy, Ballantyne and Landau were most prominent, with the goal scorers Cuts (2), Clancy (2), Garrett and Corbet.

Malvern were at no time seriously disturbed by North Victoria. Sectional scores were 10-9, 14-5 and 16 to 6. Anderson (in goals), Knowler, Ukenieth, J. Edwards and Foster thrown by H. Evans (4), Woods (3), H. Edwards (2), Knowler (2), Foster (2), and Wood (2). For North Fitzroy, Hudson, McCrae, Bryning and D. Clarke were the most effective. For the Old Boys, Graf, Stewart and McCloy were outstanding in defence, Fyfe (2) and Garlick scoring.

B SECTION. Caulfield, with several absentees owing to influenza, were outplayed by Legacy. The quarter scores were—1, 4-2, 2-4 and 13 to 4. T. Kennedy, Chivers, Kilvert and Davidson were outstanding for the winners, whose goals were scored by Robie (4), Chivers (3), MacWilliam (3), Davidson. For Caulfield, Mack, Crossin, Byron, Coulson (3 goals) and Drew were most in evidence. Essendon offered spirited resistance to the leaders, Malvern, and at half-time were on level terms—three goals each. But the experience and greater evenness of Malvern became pronounced, and after gaining a 7-4 advantage at three-quarter time, they went on to win 10 goals to 5. Ederberg, Whyte, Price, Evans and Tallants were best for the winners, whose goals were obtained by Lansbury, Armstrong (2), Nichol (2), Tanya and Bolton. For Essendon, F. Nicholson, Trevarne, Nixon and Alap were best, and Trevarne (4) and Nixon scored their goals. Artillery and Ivanhoe terminated their season's engagements with a fast and keen game in which the decisive factor was the former's ability to convert scoring chances. The final result was—Artillery, 12; Ivanhoe, 7. Workman (4), Taylor (4), Macnaughton (4) scored for the winners, and Y. Gay (2), Bartlett and H. Gay for Ivanhoe.

Williamstown were far too good for a weakened University side, and improved their goal average with a score of 21 to 5. Hiddis (6), Wallon (5), Burgoyne (5), Newton (3) and O'Brien scored for the winners, and Mudge (2), Denton (2) and Treasure for University.

GLEN IRIS AND COBURG TO CONTEST FINAL.

Glen Iris and Hawthorn were equal on points at the end of the second round. The second quarter was definitely in favor of Glen Iris. Led from the centre by Reid, netted 4 to 1. At the final change they had increased left their advantage to an 8-3 lead. Hawthorn goals to 2. The winners' goals were thrown down, Morrison (2), Mernil (2) and Bennett scored. Coburg defeated Hartwell in a neck-and-neck struggle, and the result was in doubt until the final bell. The terminal scores were—1 all, 3-2, 4-3 and 5 to 4. Elliott (4 goals), Britton (2), Denawa and Love were outstanding for the winners, and Henry (2 goals), Harding and Glover for Hartwell.

Lacrosse

MALVERN FAVORED FOR SEMI-FINAL

Even Teams Fight Out Senior Premiership

By "Point"

THE "A" section semi-finals of the Lacrosse Association should provide thrilling contests on Saturday.

Malvern meet Williamstown at the Caulfield cricket ground, and M.C.C. and Caulfield meet at Malvern cricket ground.

Except for Allen Deacon, who hopes that his leg will be strong enough to enable him to play, the Williamstown team is fit and sound.

Last Saturday both Beattie and Brierley were unable to play for Malvern because of illness, but they hope to play on Saturday.

Malvern have the right of challenge

ATTRACTIVE EXHIBITION

The M.C.C.-Caulfield contest should prove the more attractive exhibition of lacrosse. M.C.C. will be fully represented. Reid has recovered and Robson is coming from the country to play. M.C.C. will be further strengthened by the inclusion of Allan Redmond, who has received a special permit to play.

Redmond has been unable to play regularly because of an injury, but his line game in the centre against Camberwell demonstrated what a big difference his presence makes to the M.C.C. side.

The referees for the "A" semi-finals are—Drew (M.C.C. v. Caulfield); Rabbling (Williamstown v. Malvern).

The "B" semi-finals draw is—Williamstown v. Caulfield, at University (Masks).

Malvern v. Legacy, at Williamstown Gardens Reserve (Lowns).

The final in the "C" Section between the Glen Iris and Coburg will be played at

Fawkner Park, with S. Martyn as referee. The other finals to be played on Saturday are:—

"D" SECTION

Power House v. Sunshine, at Albert Park (adjoining St. Kilda C.G.), Simpson

"E" SECTION

St. Kilda v. Melbourne Technical College, at Brighton Tech S.C.G. (Evans).

There is no right of challenge in the "C" and "E" Sections, but in the "D" Section the winning team on Saturday will have to meet University H.S. Old Boys in a grand final before the premiership is decided.

The Williamstown F team, the premiers of the F Section, have challenged Port Adelaide, the winners of the South Australian lowest section, to a game in Adelaide.

Warwick Ashby, the Coburg, dealt and dumb forward, finished the season with 77 goals. One of the veterans of the game, Ashby has this year been at the top of his form.

The Referees Association is to finish the season with a social evening on September 18. V.L.A. officials have been invited.

Hartwell were unfortunate to strike illness and injuries just before their semi-final last week, but even with three of their best men out, they lost the right to play off in the final game by only one goal. Hartwell have earned the admiration of all lacrosse players by their great efforts this season. They have gone through the year with only 12 players, and have had no reserves.

W. Reid, the Glen Iris centre man, was a wonderful player last week. He led every attack, got 6 goals, and did his share in defence—a utility man of great ability.

Bennett, a diminutive Hawthorn boy, was one of the best men on the ground in the first half. He is a potential champion.

VICTORIANS SEEKING LACROSSE

CAN QUEENSLAND AVENGE DEFEAT OF 1930?

Thrills Anticipated in To-morrow's Inter-state Clash



By "CENTRE."

QUEENSLAND is on the eve of a stirring lacrosse struggle. The Victorians, renowned throughout Australian lacrosse circles for the vigour of their play, will, at the Exhibition Ground to-morrow, test to what extent the game in this State has developed since 1930 when on the previous meeting of the teams, Queensland suffered defeat by two goals after a strenuously fought struggle.

The State team has undergone considerable change in the past four years, but Hubbard, the pivot of our attack is still as formidable as ever, and he is the one man the Victorians fear. Intensive training has developed sound team work among the Queenslanders, and, although,



G. LENTON



E. HUBBARD

from what we have seen of the visitors at practice we realise that theirs is no weak combination, there is every reason for the assumption that the maroons will hold their own in this first inter-State match of the season.

NATURALLY since 1930 there have been changes in the personnel of the State teams. Only three of the visitors have been here before, while Queensland has built up a team that it believed is capable of extending, if not actually defeating the best that the other States can produce. On the Victorians' last visit to Brisbane the maroons had to bow their heads in defeat, but only by the small margin of two goals.

BEATTIE NEEDS WATCHING.

HOPE is strong that to-morrow will see a reversal of the 1930 result. There is no illusion among the men who have had a hand regarding the strength of their opponents, but there is nevertheless a quiet confidence in the ability of the State visitors to match it with the Victorians. The visitors delight in the fast open game, and in Beattie they have one of the cleverest tacticians that Australia has yet seen in the forward line. His accuracy with the stick makes him a dangerous attacker to mark, and the Queensland defence will have to be on its mettle to prevent his



S. TEALBY



N. TIMMS

lightning goal shots that so often find the net.

Much of the maroons' hope of success lies in their ability to bottle up the Victorian captain, and no one realises more clearly the potentialities of Beattie than does Hubbard, who has had long experience of the amazing versatility of this player.

STRONG FORWARDS.

THE visitors also have two very fine forward men in Wood and Jenkins who combine excellently with Beattie in moves that have a very definite objective, and if the maroon defence is at all weak, it will be a sorry day for the State.

COMBINATION DEVELOPED.

IN defence the Victorians have a very strong combination, but with Hubbard employing the artful tactics that have gained for him a reputation at least equal to that of Beattie, anything might happen. A feature of the maroons' training has been the development of combination between the attacks and provided there is no overcrowding of the goal-mouth—a fault that has been painfully in evidence in previous matches—one expects to see the Victorian defence seriously worried before the game is over. Big things are anticipated from Purcell, Conroy and Hubbard.

BORGER IN GOAL.

THE maroon centre and the wing men are reasonably strong, but in defence should shine; Borger has revealed distinct promise in goal, and Newcombe, Carter and Lenton may be relied upon to make his task as simple as possible. All things point to a thrilling contest.

THE VICTORIANS.

SOME idea of the strength of our opponents may be gained from the following brief points regarding each player:—Beattie (Malvern).—Best captain Vic-

Victoria Wins Lacrosse Match

LAURELS

QUEENSLAND TEAM

THE Queensland team to-morrow is—
E. Hubbard (captain), L. Berger, G. Lenton, S. Tealby, L. Carter, N. Thomsett, E. Newcombe, T. Bradnam, I. Forsyth, R. Howden, E. Purcell, J. Conroy.
Reserves: Attack, R. Tanner, A. Murray; defence, H. Henderson, R. Exton.

Victoria has had for many years. Still a clever tactician and goal thrower—leading forward in Australian lacrosse, and has been mainly responsible for Malvern's success in premierships over last few years. Visited Queensland in 1923 and 1930.

H. Wood (Malvern)—Third home or attack man, great forward, clever in stick work and fast shooter. Has represented Victoria since 1922.

C. Foster (Malvern)—Will probably be keeper for Queensland visit. Spectacular, small, wiry player and great worker.

F. Trimmer (Malvern)—Visited Brisbane in 1923 and 1930 and usually plays for his club on defence or attack wing.

A. Evans (Malvern)—Leading Victorian defence man now at top of his form in club games.

F. Lansbury (Malvern)—Centre or attack, and equally at home in defence.

K. Stillington (Castfield)—Tall, fast, defence winger. Good stick work. Has played in New South Wales.

L. Jenkins (Essendon)—One of Victoria's top flight lacrosse and prominent Essendon player, very successful this season.

V. Healy (Malvern)—President of club, still playing the game, and one of the few pre-war champions still in Victorian lacrosse. Stalwart back defence man, visited Brisbane in 1922.

T. Clancy (University)—Centre for his club, very aggressive type, fast and accurate in his work.

R. O'Brien (Williamstown)—Solid defence player with good stick work.

B. Newgreen (Williamstown)—Dashing attack type, who has also taken his share of defence work this year.

M. Logan (North Fitzroy)—A second home of outstanding ability, who has scored prolifically of late.

B. Cole (Coburg)—Captain of his club, fine fast attack and great tryer.

TACTICS MAY DECIDE

Inter-State Lacrosse Match

Four years have elapsed since Jack Beattie brought his last Victorian team to Brisbane and defeated Queensland 11-9 in one of the finest games seen for years. To-morrow Beattie will again lead Victoria against Queensland.

Although some of Victoria's best players were not available to make the trip, Victoria is the home of the game in Australia, and they have over 100 teams in Melbourne, as well as several country centres to draw from. Consequently the absence of a few of the stars does not affect the strength of the side in the same manner as it would with weaker States. The opposing captains are the sole remnants of the teams that met in 1930.

The Queensland team is the lightest State side placed in the field for many years, the light backs standing out in strong contrast to the heavy defenders of recent years. However, they are much faster, and the stick work should be vastly superior to that of former teams.

Much will depend on how the forward lines combine. Conroy and Purcell have a thorough club understanding, but the Kalliga and Toombul styles of attack are so different that they are having difficulty in conforming to their leader's ideas.

I still contend that it is not in lack of condition that we are likely to fall, but the test will come in the tactics adopted in opposition to such a clever and seasoned leader as Jack Beattie.

Victorian Lacrosse Team Arrives

The Victorian lacrosse team arrived by the Kyoyle train this afternoon to play two matches against Queensland. The first of these games will take place at the Exhibition on Saturday and the venue of the other will be the Brisbane Cricket Ground on Wednesday.

At the South Brisbane station to welcome the visiting players, who are under the management of Mr. J. Beattie, captain of the team, were several officials of the Queensland Lacrosse Association, including Mr. S. J. Smith, chairman of the executive committee. Messrs. R. A. Littlejohn and H. W. Kilgour, life members of the association and Mr. E. Hubbard, captain of the Queensland team, were also among the party at the train.

The Victorians, who played in Sydney on Wednesday, are a fine athletic type, and they are all in the pink of condition. They comprise several of the most promising lacrosseurs in the Southern State. In the team are five members of the Malvern Club which has won quite a number of premierships in Melbourne fixtures. The manager, Mr. Beattie, has visited Queensland on two previous occasions—in 1923 and 1930.

Lacrosse

BEATTIE BEATS QUEENSLAND

Scored Seven Goals

MAROONS MISS MANY CHANCES

Though Queensland was beaten by 11 goals to 7 in the Inter-State lacrosse match against Victoria at the Exhibition Oval on Saturday in the early stages Queensland kept fairly close to their opponents, and twice later had the lead. It was really Beattie who beat Queensland. He scored seven goals.

The game was played under the worst conditions experienced this season. The teams left the field at half-time with the scores equal, 6-11, and then Queensland took the lead, but the visitors' better understanding of the conditions and Beattie's brilliance swung the game their way. In the third and fourth quarters they added five goals to Queensland's one.

Beattie was undoubtedly the outstanding player. Had he been off the field Queensland would certainly have won. G. Lenton tried his hardest to keep him in check, and sometimes took the ball before the Victorian could get to it, but he was quite outplayed. It does not appear that Queensland has a defender capable of stopping the Victorian.

SHOOTING AT FAULT.
 While Queensland's performance was a good one their shooting was not nearly as accurate as that of the Victorians. They had more opportunities than the visiting forwards, and even allowing for the adverse conditions, should have scored more goals.

The defence, apart from the dominance of Beattie, was grand, and the visitors had to earn all their goals. Queensland, however, was outplayed in the final stages. Given fine weather on Wednesday Queensland should be able to turn the tables.

For Victoria Beattie scored seven goals, Newgreen two, and Cole and Woods one each. For Queensland Hubbard threw two goals, and each of the other forwards, Howden, Bradnam, Forsyth, Conroy, and Purcell—one.

TEAM FOR WEDNESDAY.
 For the second match at the Brisbane Cricket Ground on Wednesday the Queensland team is—Defence, L. Berger, R. Exton, S. Tealby, L. Carter, G. Newcombe, H. Henderson; centre, T. Bradnam; attack, I. Forsyth, R. Howden, E. Hubbard (captain), R. Tanner, A. Murray; reserves, defence, G. Lenton, N. Thomsson, attack, E. Purcell, J. Conroy.

Members of the visiting team were entertained by the Queensland Lacrosse Association at a dance at the Civic Buildings, Queen Street, on Saturday evening. Messrs. J. S. Hutcheon (president of the Queensland Association) and S. J. Smith (chairman of committee) welcomed the Victorians, and Mr. J. Beattie, the Victorian captain and manager, responded.

QUEENSLANDERS BATTLE GAMELY

Rain Makes Conditions Unpleasant

THOUGH Queensland was beaten by 11 goals to 7 in the Inter-State lacrosse match with Victoria at the Exhibition Oval on Saturday, the match was splendidly fought, and in the earlier stages the Queensland score kept fairly close to that of their opponents. Twice Queensland actually led.

THE day was thoroughly spoilt by the wretched conditions. In fact, it was the worst day of the season.

The rain seriously affected the attendance, and there was plenty of room in the stands as the teams fled out to the field.

In conditions that were entirely foreign to them, the Maroons surprised by the splendid battle they put up.

Queensland led 7-8 at one stage, but the Victorians' better understanding of the conditions, and Jack Beattie's play, eventually swung the game the visitors' way.

Victoria attacked the Ernest Baynes stand end. The first face-off was disallowed, and from the re-face Queensland secured, but crowded the goal too much and lost possession. Victoria pressed, and Berger in Queensland's goal, intercepted, and saved a nasty situation. Immediately afterwards Beattie relieved when Queensland was hard pressed.

Again Victoria pressed, but Newcombe cleared to Howden, who passed to Conroy, who worked into position nicely, but Foster, in Victoria's goal, cleared well and gave his defence possession, for Victoria to attack. Berger was again responsible for foiling Victoria's attack, and gave his side possession. Howden, in attack, and Tealby, in defence, for Queensland, respectively had the crowd on its feet.

THE FIRST SCORE.

Wood ran from behind and found Berger out of position, but his shot missed. Howden was proving a thorn in Victoria's side and was unlikely not to score. Berger drove a nasty position for Queensland when he checked Cole. Woods passed to Beattie, for the latter to score a fairly easy goal. Victoria led, 1-0.

Queensland again scored from the face-off, but Healy relieved. Beattie worried Lenton, but Berger stopped the shot. The rain, which had eased off, began again. Beattie brought Victoria another goal by a difficult shot. Victoria secured from the face-off, but the shot went wide. Tealby twice relieved, and then Howden opened Queensland's account from scrappy play in front of goal. Victoria led, 2-1. Foster cleared hot shots from Forsyth and Hubbard, and Berger again saved.

QUEENSLAND DRAWS AHEAD.

Queensland opened hotly in the second quarter, and Hubbard's slinging shot was well cleared by Foster. Forsyth equalled with a beautiful individual effort. Then Hubbard put Queensland ahead after up and down play. Dosing both ways and Beattie's two opponents he scored beautiful back-hand shot, which beat Foster. Queensland led, 3-2.

Victoria attacked hotly, and ultimately Cole equalled with a shot through a bunch. Tealby shone in defence, and then a missed pass from Forsyth gave Hubbard a chance to rush through, pick up, and score a splendid goal. Victoria led, 4-3.

Jack Beattie soon equalised matters by beating Lenton and scoring with a good shot.

Forsyth hit Foster, the goals on the neck, and Victoria cleared. Then Beattie caught Berger out of position to score an open shot. Victoria led, 5-4. Woods put Victoria still further ahead.

GOALIE INJURED.

Bradnam was not getting the ball from the centre, Clancy (Victoria) beating him repeatedly. Newcombe gave Hubbard a good pass, but his shot went wide. Foster, into the fence, when following the ball, and hurt his back. This held the game up for a few minutes.

On the resumption Howden's shot hit the umpire, and from the resultant face-off Conroy passed to Forsyth, who was checked just as he shot. The ball just passed over the cross-bar. At this point Foster left the field, and Berger had to come off as well.

Immediately on resumption Conroy found the net. Then Bradnam, the Queensland centre, equalised from a pass from Hubbard. Purcell, Conroy, and Hubbard combined nicely, but Conroy's shot was well checked. Newgreen was in the Victorian goal, and Queensland was attacking hotly.

THIRD QUARTER.

Foster came back on the field, and shortly after the opening Berger was called upon to stop a hot shot from Logan. Tealby was saving several nasty positions with his clearances. Stillington was punished for checking Purcell over the shoulder, but Foster cleared Purcell's free shot. The ball passed quickly up and down the field as the defence on both sides effected good reflex work. The rain was making the sticks tight and affecting the passing.

Howden passed a hot one to Purcell, who beat Foster with a slinging shot, and Victoria led 7-6.

The rain now began to pour heavily, and Hubbard raised a roar of laughter as he slid through a large puddle. Berger saved wonderfully from a shot from Beattie, and the resultant scramble, in which the heavy condition of the ground caused some tense moments, saw Berger again clearing well. Foster cleared well from a ruck in front, and play livened up though the rain made things difficult. After seven play Victoria attacked hotly, and Logan passed to Beattie to score nicely. The score was level at 7 all. The ground was now in a very sloppy condition, and the players were showing the effects.

Victoria attacked from the face-off, and Beattie scored a goal, which hit the umpire (Mr. Kilgour) disallowed, but Newgreen scored immediately afterwards, and Victoria led 8-7.

PLAYER RETIRES WITH CRAMP.

Hubbard then ran in well, but dropped the ball when in position. The game was held up when Healy went down with a cramp and had to retire, his man, Howden, coming off with him. Purcell's shot was well stopped by Foster, who cleared. Berger pulled one right from the edge of the goal. After up and down play, Woods passed to Newgreen, who made no error. Victoria now led 8-7. Foster stopped the shot, and then Beattie put Victoria further ahead with a beautiful shot, which broke from behind the net.

Queensland was now attacking hotly, and the excitement was kept. Beattie scored a beautiful goal, shooting as he fell. The game finished amid tense excitement.

QUEENSLAND'S TEAM FOR WEDNESDAY

The following team has been selected to represent Queensland in the match against Victoria at the Brisbane Cricket Ground on Wednesday—

Defence: L. Berger, R. Exton, S. Tealby, L. Carter, B. Newcombe, H. Henderson; Centre: T. Bradnam; Attack: J. Forsyth, R. Howden, E. Hubbard (captain), R. Tanner, A. Murray; Reserves: Defence: G. Lenton, N. Thomsett; Attack: E. Purcell, J. Conroy.

VISITING TEAM IS ENTERTAINED

Members of the visiting Victorian lacrosse team were entertained by the Queensland Lacrosse Association at a dance at the Civic Buildings, Queen Street, on Saturday evening. Mr. J. S. Hutcheon, president of the association, and Mrs. Hutcheon were among those present. Messrs. J. S. Hutcheon and S. J. Smith, chairman of committee, welcomed the Victorians, and Mr. J. Beattie, the Victorian captain and manager, responded. The ladies' committee, of which Mrs. Martin was the convener, was thanked for its assistance in making the evening a success.

INTER-STATE LACROSSE

Victoria Defeats Queensland By 11 Goals to 7

Good Play Under Trying Conditions

Under conditions that were far from satisfac-

tory, owing to the boggy state of the ground, Queensland and Victoria met in the first Inter-State match played in this city since 1930. Play was fast and some very exciting lacrosse was seen.



J. BEATTIE (Victoria)



E. HUBBARD (Queensland)

Scoring seven goals Beattie played a brilliant game and the final scores were 11 to 7 in favour of Victoria.

THE TEAMS

Victoria Queensland

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| J. Beattie (capt.) | E. Hubbard (capt.) |
| H. Woods | L. Borger |
| M. Logan | G. Lenton |
| T. Clancy | S. Tealby |
| B. Newgreen | L. Carter |
| K. O'Brien | E. Newcombe |
| E. A. Evans | T. Bradnam |
| R. Cole | J. Forsyth |
| K. Sillington | F. Purcell |
| V. Healy | J. Conroy |
| C. Foster | N. Thomsett |
| L. Bassett | R. Howden |

From the face off Queensland took the ball to the visitors' goal, and Conroy from a long shot just failed to score. The Victorians, headed by Clancy, made a determined attack on Queensland's citadel, but a good save by Tealby averted trouble. Victoria still attacked, Borger saving well. A good move by the locals, Purcell to Hubbard to Conroy, just missed scoring. Foster clearing nicely. Notwithstanding the sloppy state of the ground both teams were playing fast lacrosse, and Queensland's attacks headed by Hubbard were combining splendidly. A wide pass by Newgreen spelt a possible chance, but from a scrummake in front Beattie dribbled the ball into goal, making first blood for Victoria. Beattie immediately followed with a close shot that Borger saved.

QUEENSLAND LEADS.

Bradnam, securing the ball from the defence, had a shot at false range, but the Victorian custodian proved equal to the occasion. After a spell of quiet play Forsyth came along the wing and following a clever evasion of his marker he broke in to score, making the tally two all. Hubbard took the cue, and outwitting the defence scored with a nice backhand shot. Queensland led 2-2. Good defence work by Foster, O'Brien, and Evans saved Victoria from further trouble. Cole took the ball down the wing, and cleverly beating Newcombe, scored with a long shot. Victoria launched an attack, but Borger prevented a likely score.

BEATTIE AGAIN.

A clever attacking movement in which figured Cole, O'Brien, and Beattie, saw the latter score his second goal. Logan tried hard to force a passage, but the Queensland defence was too strong. Lenton and Carter were playing well in defence at this stage. A great pass by Newgreen to Beattie was beautifully intercepted by Lenton. Some good passing by Queensland allowed Howden to score Queensland's first goal. Queensland continued to attack and Foster brought off a great save.

BORGER IN FORM.

Borger, who had had some hard shots to stop, was again severely tested by Logan. He cleared, however, and passing the ball to the wing it reached Howden, whose shot from a long way was easily stopped by the Victorian goalie. At the other end a clever intercept by Tealby eased a dangerous situation.

Forsyth passed badly, but Hubbard retrieved and scored, for him, a rather easy goal. Beattie tricked the Queensland defence to register his third goal. And within a few moments he added another. This gave Victoria the lead 5 to 4. This was increased when Wood found the net.

FOSTER INJURED.

When chasing a ball the Victorian goalie Foster fell and injured his back on the fence. He tried to play on, but eventually had to leave the field. Conroy was being effectively marked by Newgreen, but when the latter took Foster's place in goal the Queenslanders immediately evaded O'Brien to score. Bradnam repeated the feat a moment later.

HALF TIME SCORES.

Victoria	6
Queensland	6

Tealby was defending brilliantly for Queensland, while Newgreen, who had played a fine game throughout, seemed to become more determined in defence as the afternoon wore on. He had Conroy bottled up nicely. When Beattie came through first, beating Lenton, he scored his fifth goal, to make the score 7 all. At this stage rain was falling heavily, and pools of water were scattered over the field.

NEWGREEN SCORES.

Victoria took the lead to 8-7 when Newgreen, breaking through from the defence, after Beattie's shot at goal had been disallowed, easily beat Borger.

BEATTIE'S SEVEN GOALS.

Victoria entered the final quarter in vigorous style and working the loose man again Newgreen netted the visitor's ninth goal. Play was hard and only the brilliant defence of the southerners prevented Queensland scoring. Bassett had Hubbard well marked and the Queensland captain had few opportunities of initiating a scoring movement. Beattie, on the other hand, was having things all his own way, and within a brief space he had scored two more goals making his individual tally seven, and his side's total 11. Queensland was still seven. The final whistle came with the scores unaltered.

FINAL SCORE.

Victoria	11
Queensland	7

WHAT THE CAPTAINS SAID

BEFORE THE MATCH—

J. BEATTIE (Victoria): "We have a young team, ten of whom are representing the State for the first time. I expect a very close game, but I am hoping to be in front when the final whistle blows."

E. HUBBARD (Queensland): "We have the youngest and lightest team that has ever represented the State. If our lads do not suffer from stage-fright, and play up to form, we should hold our own with the Victorians."

AND AFTER—

It was an excellent game and it appeared that any side might have won up to the last quarter. I think our side showed the better combination in the closing stages and we were extremely well served by Foster in goal. This player is usually one of the forwards. The Queensland stickwork was particularly fine and Tealby in my opinion was the best Queensland player on the field. Our opponents were a good side and we were full out to beat them.

E. HUBBARD (Queensland): "I think that our lads held the Victorians well and I feel that had the day been fine we may have seen a different result. Beattie showed that he was too much for Lenton, who tackled a hard job."

LACROSSE

VICTORY FOR VICTORIA

Sparkling Movements In Great Game

In the interstate Lacrosse match, Victoria v. Queensland, at the Exhibition Ground the tourists piled up 11 goals to the local team's seven. Beattie opened the scoring for Victoria after taking a difficult pass from Woods.

QUEENSLAND then had a chance to equalise, Hubbard coming through, and passing to Bradnam who failed to score. A scramble in front of the Queensland goal resulted in Beattie again netting.

After an interval of centre play, "Nugget" Howden opened up the reds' score. Howden was then given his share of the ball and started movements which resulted in Forsyth and Hubbard scoring for Queensland.

Lenhon, of the local team, was now paying a lot of attention to Beattie, with the result that the Victorian attack began to lose its sting.

Queensland then began to force the

Wet Weather Links

THE fact that fixtures proceeded as usual at all our principal links speaks volumes for the standard of these courses as championship venues. Rain was heavy and continuous everywhere in the metropolitan area yesterday, yet scores were excellent and big fields contested the main events.

pace, and after several futile long throws which rolled off Foster's racquet like the rain, the ball came to Hubbard, who notched another one for the reds.

Beattie then gave Lenhon the slip and scored twice for the blues. Second home, Woods thought he should be in the swim at this stage. So he added another one.

The reds then spent a little time down in the blues' territory with the result that goalie Foster, of Victoria, got tired of stopping the Queensland shots at goal, so he tried to stop the boundary fence. Result—he had to retire hurt. Queensland took advantage of Foster's absence, and scored two more goals.

The half-time scores were 6-all. Purcell, for Queensland, opened the scoring in the second half. Victoria then took charge of the game, and scored another five goals.

11 goals (Beattie 7, Newgreen 2, Cole 1, Wood 1); Queensland, 7 (Hubbard 2, Howden 1, Conroy 1, Forsyth 1, Bradnam 1, Percell 1).

SCORING CAPTAIN



THE Victorian captain was scoring a goal when this picture of the lacrosse match between Queensland and Victoria was taken at the Exhibition Ground on Saturday.

N.S.W. BEATEN AT LACROSSE



A SCUFFLE FOR POSSESSION in the inter-State lacrosse match between N.S.W. and Victoria yesterday, at S.C.G. No. 2. The home team was defeated by 20 goals to 8.



IN a period of tense play, during the lacrosse match between Queensland and Victoria at the Exhibition Oval on Saturday, the Victorian captain took a skillful shot at the goal. The rain did not damp the enthusiasm of the teams.

VICTORIANS' GOAL THREATENED



An incident in the interstate Lacrosse game yesterday, Beattie, Victoria, anticipating a pass from Woods. Two Queenslanders, however, are handy to see that the big Victorian does not get the ball away.



Queenslanders playing close to the Victorian goal mouth during the Lacrosse match at the Exhibition Oval.

Interstate Lacrosse

VICTORIA v. QUEENSLAND

at the Exhibition Oval on
Saturday, 28th July, at 3 p.m.

Second Match

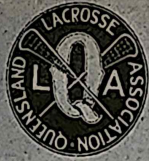
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PROGRAMME

Interstate Lacrosse Matches

VICTORIA v. QUEENSLAND

at the

Exhibition Oval, No. 1, at 3 p.m. Saturday, July 28, 1934

and

Woolloongabba Cricket Ground, at 3 p.m., Wednesday, August 1, 1934.

VICTORIA

(Dark Blue)

1. J. BEATTIE (Capt.)
2. H. WOODS
3. F. LANSBURY
4. M. LOGAN
5. T. CLANCY
6. B. NEWGREEN
7. K. O'BRIEN
8. E. A. EVANS
9. R. COLE
10. K. SITLINGTON
11. V. HEALY
12. C. FOSTER
14. L. BASSETT
15. F. TRANTOR

Manager—J. BEATTIE

Visitors—S. JENKINS, H. ANDERSON, G. HEALY.

Goal Umpires:

H. W. KILGOUR and H. ANDERSON.

Timekeeper—S. J. SMITH.

Referees—Saturday, E. G. STEVENS; Wednesday, H. W. KILGOUR.

ADMISSION CHARGES: Adults, 2/-; Children, 6d. (to all parts of ground).

Roll up to the Official Dance, Saturday, July 28, at Civic Building, Queen Street (opp. G.P.O.), at 8 p.m. Admission, 2/6.

G. E. LENTON,
Hon. Secretary.

BASEBALL—TRIAL GAME

"A" TEAM

Colours: White with Blue
V.

KEIR, G.
ROPER, N.
REEVES, C.
LAWSON, S.
LARKING, W.
MILLER, R.
MULLAH, G.
THOMPSON, L.
DODD, T.

Reserve—SKODDER, F.

Position:

Pitcher
Catcher
First Base
Second Base
Third Base
Short Stop
Left Field
Centre Field
Right Field

"B" TEAM

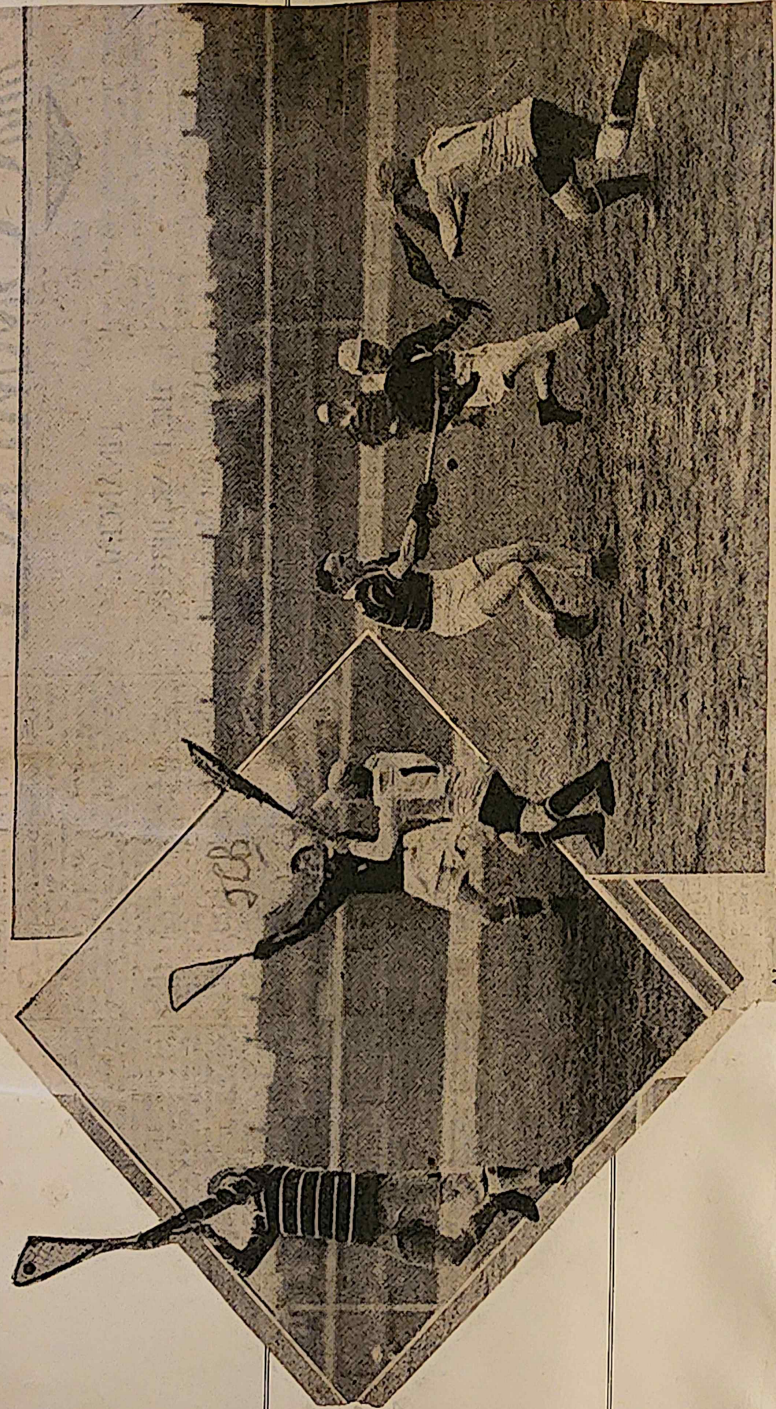
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LEVY, R.
LARKING, T.
BALE, T. J.
O'SHEA, T.
SCHWENKE, L.
MILLER, V.
LAMBERT, W.
SHARMAN, A. E.
FLACK, W.

Reserve—O'BRIEN, D.

NOTE.—Baseball Matches played at Lang Park every Saturday.

INTERSTATE LACROSSE AT THE CRICKET GROUND.



Above and in diamond: Exciting moments in the match between Victoria and New South Wales. The visitors won by 20 goals to eight.

LACROSSE LESSON FOR N.S.W.

VICTORIA HAD EASIEST OF VICTORIES

In the inter-State lacrosse match yesterday at the S.C.G. No. 2, Victoria inflicted a 20 goals to 8 defeat on New South Wales.

In every division of the game the New South Welshmen were outclassed, and ten minutes after the start, the Victorians had notched six goals.

The N.S.W. attackmen had only limited opportunities, the Victorian, O'Brien, covering almost every movement. Tilman was the outstanding player for N.S.W., while Woods, Beattie, the captain, and Hogan were Victoria's best.

PROGRAMME FOR VICTORIAN LACROSSE TEAM.

- Thurs. 26/7/34** Welcome at Carlton Hotel at 4 15 p.m. Evening Free.
- Friday 27/7/34.** Morning Team Practice. *at Town Hall* Afternoon. Forestry Display Evening. Free or Blue Moon, Dance Hall.
- Sat. 28/7/34.** Victoria versus Q'ld at Exhibition at 3 p.m. Evening. Dance at Civic Bldg
- Sun. 29/7/34.** Motor Trip to Southport, leave Hotel at 9 a.m.
- Mon. 30/7/34.** Morning Free. Afternoon. Trip to Mt. Cooth Evening. Regent Theatre Party
- Tues. 31/7/34.** Morning. Team Practice Afternoon. Visit to 4x Evening Free.
- Wed. 1/8/34.** Morning Free. Afternoon Vict. versus Q'ld. at Brisbane Cricket Ground at 3 p.m. Evening Theatre Royal Party
- Thurs. 4/8/34.** Departure of Victorian Team.

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LACROSSE.

Malvern and M.C.C. Win Semi-Finals.

M.C.C. entered the final stage only after a hard tussle with Caulfield. Twenty minutes of the quarter had elapsed before Hough, receiving from Robson, opened M.C.C.'s account. Caulfield's first success was the result of good combined play, in which Church and Murrawood started, the latter scoring with an acute angle goal. Pollard was prominent on Caulfield's back line. Both goalkeepers were in great form, and many hot shots were well handled. Robson and Hough were combining admirably, and the latter again scored. M.C.C. at half time led 6 goals to 5. Hough was giving M.C.C. his best game for the season, and, in conjunction with Robson, was chiefly responsible for M.C.C. leading 8-5 half way through the third quarter. The final quarter was started with only 10 men aside, and the early pace was beginning to tell its tale. M.C.C. won 9 goals to 8. The winners were an even lot, but particular mention must be made of the work of Hough, Cantwell, Lake, Robson and Redmond; their goals were thrown by Hough (6), Leigh (2) and Robson. For Caulfield, Barratt, Gibbs, Murrowood, Lillington, Corrigan and Black were most conspicuous, and the goals throwers were Murrowood (3), Booth, Claus, Heselbine, Black and Barratt.

In the other semi-final Malvern proved too experienced for Williamstown, but the game as a whole was not a particularly attractive one. Good coding by Evans opened Malvern's account, and the same player was responsible for J. Beattie netting two excellent goals in quick succession. The Malvern captain added his third goal for the quarter from a free throw, and gave his side a 4-1 lead at the first change. Jenkins was Williamstown's outstanding defender, but could, of course, hold only one man. Evans was a constant worry to the Williamstown backs. Malvern were ahead 9-4 at half time. Early in the third term Malvern made the game safe with three more goals, and, probably with a view to next Saturday's game, seemed to relax. They entered upon the final stage with a score of 13 goals to 7. Malvern won with 15 goals to 8. Their best were Unkenstein, Knowles and Brickley in defence, and Evans, J. Beattie and H. Edwards in attack. Their goals were secured by Evans (5), J. Beattie (4), H. Edwards (3), Woods (2) and W. Edwards. For Williamstown, Jenkins in defence, and Read, forward, were much ahead of their fellows, and they received most support from Hogarth, Ray, Marshall and Morrison. The goals were thrown by Read (4), Hogarth, Ferris and Deacon. Hogarth, flabbing handled a hard game splendidly.

B SECTION.

WILLIAMSTOWN AND MALVERN FINAL.

The B section semi-finals resulted in very one-sided matches, both winning sides being much superior in every phase of the game. Caulfield, with only three of their original players at the commencement of the season, were outplayed by a faster and cleverer side. Williamstown threw 21 goals to 1. The winners' best were Newton, Burgoyne, Walton, Sutcliffe, O'Brien and Hiddle, and their goals were thrown by Walton (7), Burgoyne (6), Hiddle (4) and Newton (4). For Caulfield, Crossley, Drew, Gregory and Embury worked hard in defence. Embury proved no match for the powerful O'Brien, who threw 14 goals to nil. Malvern's chief weakness was their neglect of body checking, and they were all at sea in their efforts to combat the dodging of the Malvern forwards. Anderson, Whyte, Dibbin, Nicol and Pats were most prominent for the winners, whose goals were thrown by Nicol (7), Clague (4), Lanabury, Bolton and Armstrong. For Legacey, T. Kennedy, Cheevers and Rivert were the most successful.

GLEN IRIS C SECTION PREMIERS.

Glen Iris triumphed over Coburg in a hard-fought game. Coburg were without Gaston on their forward line, and an injury sustained by Richards further weakened them in this part of the field. Terminal scores were: 2-0, 4-1, 7-3 and 8 to 5. The winners' outstanding players were Reid, Worrall, Cartledge (5 goals) and Grubb (9). For Coburg, Elliott, Renshaw, Lowe, Unsworth and Hardisty were most successful, and the goal throwers were Elliott (3), Renshaw and Richards.

D SECTION.

Power House were much superior and fielded to sunshine. Sunshine gave a greatly improved display in the second quarter, in which each side scored 3 goals. After half time Power House monopolized the scoring, and won 14 goals to 4. The winners' best were King, Craig, Alcock and Keating, and their successful forwards were Craig (7), Chambers (3), Park (2), Clements and Miller. Sunshine were best served by Hibbs, Gillies, Walker, Thorn and Gibson, and their goals were thrown by Gillies (2), Hibbs and Gibson. The winners will meet University High School Old Boys in a grand final next Saturday.

ST. KILDA E PREMIERS.

St. Kilda outplayed Melbourne Technical College on Saturday. The sectional scores were: 2, 7-3, 10-6 and 12 to 4. Brown, Handford and Featherston were outstanding for the winners, whose goals were thrown by D. Brown (7), D. Green (3), Keen and Mason. The losers' goals were thrown by Egan, D. Isaac, Begg and Larsen.

Lacrosse

MALVERN AND M.C.C.

In Senior Final

By "Tolnt"

The 1934 lacrosse season, which has been the most interesting and successful since the war, will end next Saturday. The final games will be played in the A and B sections, while a grand final in the D section will complete the season. If Malvern are beaten in either the A or B sections, the season will be extended. Both Malvern teams have the right of challenge.

On the season's performances Malvern should win against M.C.C., but M.C.C. have a strong side. A charge of 1 admission will be made to the Amateur Sports Ground.

The full programme of matches for Saturday next is—

Section final: M.C.C. v Malvern, at Amateur Sports Ground.

B Section final: Malvern v Williamstown, at Caulfield C.G.

D Section grand final—Power House v University High S. Old Boys, at University Oval.

Officials appointed in A Section are: Referee, B. Down; boundary umpires, Ford and Clarke; goal umpires, Messrs S. Grundy and M. Robertson.

The referee for the B final is: B. Marks, and S. Martyn will be in charge of the D grand final.

M.C.C. may be without the services of Mace, who injured his wrist against Caulfield last week. Leigh, who is to be married during the afternoon, will also be an absentee.

Best And Fairest

Sam McCorkell, the Camberwell goalkeeper, won the W. B. Grace trophy for best and fairest player in A Section. McCorkell received 27 votes. Ashby, of the Coburg Club, was next, with 23 votes. This is the third successive year that McCorkell has won the honor.

The best and fairest trophy in the B Section was won by Ron Gibbs, of the Caulfield team, and Bettles, of Legacy, each of whom received 15 votes.

The leading goal-throwers for the season in the A and B Sections up to the end of the home and home matches were: A Section, Ashby (Coburg), with 77 goals; Fox (Camberwell) 53; J. Beattie (Malvern) 44; W. Edwards (Malvern) 42; Cutts (University) 38; Corbett (University) 35; Kerrigan (Camberwell) 33; W. Logan (Nth Fitzroy) 33.

B Section: Trewarne (Essendon) 61; Murrie (Williamstown) 59; Clague (Malvern) 58; Bettles (Legacy) 46; Hiddle (Williamstown) 46; Claus (Caulfield) 44; Turn (Caulfield) 42.

Four players of the Williamstown E team will face the Investigation Committee on Friday night to answer charges arising out of the semi-final match, St. Kilda v. Williamstown, played last Saturday week.

West Torrens winners of the Adelaide C Section, have accepted the challenge of Williamstown F team. The match will be played in Adelaide on Sept. 22.

LACROSSE.

Malvern Two Senior Premier-ships.

The great strength of the Malvern club was amply demonstrated on Saturday when they annexed the A and B sections premierhips in hollow fashion. Both teams held the challenge rights. Their success in the last ten years is really remarkable, and most of it is attributable to the genius of the senior captain, J. Beattie, who must rank as the outstanding leader of the game's history in Victoria.

M.C.C. had 12 substitutes in Victoria. Brooks and Glover, Malvern's first success, was the result of tricky dodging by Beattie, who goalied, and the fourth goal was a remarkable one from Beattie's stick when Geoffrey Beattie had two opponents. Reid scored M.C.C.'s first goal, and at quarter time Malvern led 4-1. At half time Malvern had increased their lead to a 9-1 score. Beattie's final quarter form in the net for Malvern, the leading 13 goals to 1, and they threw a further 9 goals to 1 to win the premierhips with the overwhelming tally of 22 goals to 2.

The winners are a remarkably even lot, but particular mention must be made of the work of Unkenstein, Foster and J. Beattie. The goals were thrown by J. Beattie (7), A. Evans (3), W. Edwards (3), H. Edwards (4), Woods (2), For M.C.C. Lake, Reid, Cantwell, Hough and Redmond stood out for individual effort, but there was a complete absence of that team work which should characterize a team ranked in a final match. Their goals were secured by Reid and Hough.

B SECTION.

Against Malvern Williamstown were superior in the centre, and did most of the attacking in the first quarter. Malvern scored at the end of the quarter, which was an even contest. Williamstown failed to make full use of their opportunities. Malvern at half time were ahead 3 goals to nil, and at three-quarter time 8 goals to 1. They became premier and champions for the season with 10 goals to 2. The winners' best players were Fize, Bolton, Anderson, Gibson and Armstrong, and their goals were thrown by Armstrong (3), Tranter (2), Lanabury (2), White, Nicol and Clague. For Williamstown, Retalick, O'Brien, Arthur, Sutcliffe and Westaway were most prominent, and O'Brien and Westaway scored.

UNIVERSITY HIGH SCHOOL OLD BOYS D PREMIERS.

University High School Old Boys prevailed in the challenge match against Power House. The Old Boys developed good tactics in attack, and were stronger amidfield in the first quarter, in which they scored 4 goals to nil. At half time the Old Boys were ahead with 1 goal to 3. The Old Boys made the game safe in the third quarter, with 2 goals to 1. Power House found their way too great, and the Old Boys gained the premiership with a score of 13 goals to 5. Outstanding for the winners were O'Brien, Gillies, Taylor and McCance, and their goal throwers were McCance (5), Gillies (3), Faulk (3), Hurle and Tickner. For Power House Craig and Park were constantly under notice for good play, with the goal throwers Clements (2), Barnes (2), Park, Chambers, Miller and Craig.

Craig.

Nearer His Ambition

SINCE the best and fairest trophy in lacrosse was inaugurated six years ago it has been the ambition of Warwick

Ashby, a deaf and dumb player in the Coburg side, to gain the honor. Each year he has finished closer than in the previous voting, until this season he has moved into the position of runner-up. In his 11 years as a lacrosseur—nine of which have been in the senior section—he has earned a reputation as one of the coolest deaf and dumb



Warwick Ashby

players in the Association. His coolness in the exciting stages of a game is unique—most players so restricted for speech being easily excited and annoyed.

Although he missed the senior trophy this season, he topped the Association's goal-throwing list with 77—the highest in his career. His 70 in 1930, for Coburg, which also topped the list, was his previous best tally.

Warwick has been with Coburg since 1923, when he transferred from Adult Deaf. In 11 seasons he has thrown 483 goals in interstate, senior and junior matches. Of that total, 389 have been scored in senior club lacrosse in nine years. He has been in four Victorian representative sides, including the successful 1929 combination at the Perth carnival.

Captain of the Adult Deaf team in club and interstate cricket matches, he has developed as an all rounder. All his sporting and social interests are bound up in Deaf Society activities, in which he has worked for the welfare of less athletic colleagues.