

TORRENS VANQUISH NORTH

Superior Stamina Wins the Day

MUNN AND MILLS STAR GOALGETTERS

For two quarters Torrens and North Adelaide fought a desperate and even battle on the Thebarton Oval today. Torrens were a little bit lucky to leave the arena at half-time with a seven point lead. In the third term, the gold and blue eighteen established a distinct superiority, and, improving as the game progressed, won comfortably. In the concluding stages, North seemed to lose confidence, and a struggle, which gave promise of a stirring finish, ended tamely.

TORRENS 4-1 8-2 11-11 13-15
NORTH 4-4 6-7 8-8 10-11

Goalkickers.—Torrens—Mills (4), Marvell (2), O'Grady, Karney, Broderick Minear, Adams, Sayers, and Lock. North—Munn (5), Townley (2), Wallace (2) and Gun.

The Players

For Torrens it is difficult to pick the best performer. Mills, in the first half took some sensational marks and kicked four goals, but in the second half he was quiet, and Marvell assumed the role of star forward. Both these men did much to bring success to Torrens. Karney and McCarthy both played dashing and effective games, and Lock, though essentially a defender, did well up forward. Hine, playing in goal, kicked the wonder-

fully well, and played with nice judgment, while Osborn was easily the pick of the defence. Minear, Adams, Fleet, and Brown all did fairly well, and, in fact, there was not a really weak man on the gold-and-blue side.

For North Munn stood out. His marking at half forward was sensational, and the fact that he kicked five goals speaks for itself. Furler and McDonald on the centre were among the pick of the red-and-white eighteen, and Townley and Low marked well at times. Low, however, wastes many opportunities by doing inexplicable things when in possession. He has a bad habit of kicking into the man on his mark. Thomas, Kinnear, Morris, and Wallace were the best of the others, while Conrad, though obviously still feeling the ill effects of an ankle injury, did fairly well.

POSITION OF CLUBS

	P.	W.	L.	Points	Prem.
Norwood	4	4	—	387	212 8
West Adelaide	4	3	1	262	251 6
Port Adelaide	4	2	2	329	301 4
West Torrens	4	2	2	320	303 4
South Adelaide	4	2	2	279	303 4
Sturt	4	1	3	261	295 2
North Adelaide	4	1	3	238	303 2
Glenelg	4	1	3	231	339 2

Leading Goalkickers

Scrutton, G. (Sturt)	21
Logan (Port)	17
Bent (Norwood)	13
Ryan, A. J. (South)	13
Barnes (West)	10
Lee (Norwood)	10
Marvell (Torrens)	10
Owens (Glenelg)	10
Dayman, C. (Port)	8
Mills (Torrens)	8
Mutton (Norwood)	8
Berg (South)	7
Martin (West)	7

STURT OUTPLAYED

West Win by Three Points

WEST 0-4 3-8 5-13 9-15
STURT 2 3 8-3 7-6 10-6

Goalkickers.—Sturt—G. Scrutton (4), Jackson (2), Weller, McGaffin, Roesler, and Barron. West Adelaide—Barnes (2), Martin (2), J. Bishop, Kearns, Andrews, McGregor, and Peters. Best players.—Sturt—Whitehead (2), Scrutton (3), Jackson, Barron, and Hut-ton. West—Peters, McGregor, Martin, J. Bishop, Kearns, and Barnes.

GLENELG FIGHT HARD

Fourth Victory for Norwood

Flushed with three successes Norwood met Glenelg at the Norwood Oval this afternoon, confident of achieving their fourth victory.

Bent and Stephens were absentees from the home team, the former being on holiday and the latter ill with influenza.

Torpy and Exley stood out of the Bay team.

Light showers fell before the players took the field. Umpire J. Quinn had charge of the game.

Norwood, winning the toss, kicked to the pavilion end, but Glenelg went forward immediately, through the agency of Lloyd and C. Hill, and the ball was in Norwood territory. Tilbrook was awarded a free, but the ball fell short. Away went the redlegs round the wing. Lee marked nicely, Wadham secured, and raised one flag with a long angle shot.

Again Lee forwarded, and drove the ball well down. Johnson, picking up from a scramble, notched a minor. Handby defended well.

Wing play followed. Fuss to C. Hill to Lyne to Tilbrook was a score of passes which resulted in the last-named raising two flags. Another series of passes by the Bay men gave Tilbrook another chance, but his shot went astray.

Glenelg were pressing hard at this stage. Barnett marked nicely and sent the ball into the mouth of the goal, where Sampson marked, but failed to score from an easy shot.

Norwood came around the wing, but Handby was the stumbling block, and the visitors were attacking again. Toms from a long shot forwarded, but the ball was sent out of bounds. Gotts from a penalty secured a behind.

Again the tigers pressed forward, and Lyne tried for goal from an angle with a place kick, but failed. Norwood seemed to be lifeless until Scott, Heinrichs, and Lill started a move which gave the forwards a chance. Then a couple of behinds were secured in quick succession. Gearen gave Johnson an opportunity to score, but his try only raised one flag.

Systematic passing relieved the Glenelg citadel, and put the Norwood defenders on their mettle. Lyne marked from Lloyd, and sent it on to Tilbrook and the last-named registered Glenelg's second major with a nice kick. Play was rushed to the other end, with a series of long kicks. A couple of frees to Glenelg sent the ball into Norwood's stronghold. White marked well but kicked poorly.

Glenelg attacked again and through the failure of the home defenders Kellow was able to snap the visitors' third major. Up to now Glenelg was showing the better form. With play in Glenelg territory, Sexton scored Norwood's first goal with a kick off the ground. Toms stopped a redleg attack; but the home team came again, and their second goal was scored by Hepburn with a running shot.

First Quarter

GLENELG 3-4
NORWOOD 2-4

Hepburn, White, and Mutton were conspicuous for Norwood on resumption, the latter's kick being marked in goal by Perry. Lill was showing up at centre. A free to Sampson stemmed an attack by Norwood. Then Gotts and Hoft, defending well, forwarded. Tilbrook secured, but his shot went Barnett collared, but his shot went across the goal.

Norwood dashed away, and Mutton, securing in front, notched a goal after a clever piece of manoeuvring. Norwood, with a lead of two points, were ahead for the first time. The game up to this stage had not been brilliant. A free to Scott marked by Lill gave Norwood an opportunity. Lee was awarded a free in front, but a mighty punt raised only one flag.

Norwood had another chance when Sexton was awarded a penalty, but without result. W. Hill relieved by marking over Lee. Fuss helped to stem the Norwood tide. With Glenelg attacking, Geary and Schumacher battled hard, but the visitors were not to be denied. Lyne made a valiant effort to goal, but the ball was touched. Schumacher was freed. Perry cleared well.

Hepburn received a free in front and easily got Norwood's fourth goal. Up went the redlegs again. Lee, marking nicely, sent on to Hepburn, who had no difficulty in sending the ball through.

Systematic play between Scott and Heinrichs relieved a Glenelg rush, and Norwoods attacked. Hepburn again had possession, but his shot twisted and a minor only resulted.

Gotts and Sallis tried gamely to turn the tide, but Norwood were on the move again. Wadham booted the home team's sixth major. Gotts led up for Glenelg, but kicked to an opponent, and the redlegs came down the field again. Perry was in the way, however, and cleared the ball. Back it came again, and Schumacher, from a free, booted Norwood's seventh major. The easterners were now leading by 18 points.

With play at the other end, Tilbrook had a shot, but a minor was the only result.

Half Time	
NORWOOD	7-8
GLENELG	3-6

Glenelg were first to break away, but frees saved Norwood. Still, Glenelg pressed forward, and Tilbrook with a running shot goaled. Scrambling ensued in front of Norwood's goal, and ended with Errington being freed.

Then with Lill in the lead Norwood broke away to the wing. Scott and Gearen defended when Glenelg were attacking. Play went up and down for a few minutes until Sampson drove off the red-and-blues.

There was a bit of fumbling play on both sides until Potts had a free and punted well down among the forwards, but nothing resulted. Handby was doing fine defensive work for the visitors. Potts marking finely drove off a Glenelg attack and gave the Norwood forwards an opportunity, but only a behind was scored. Lloyd and Sampson battled hard when Glenelg were working goalward. Started by Schumacher, Norwood went off. The latter passed to Lill, who sent on to Mutton, but his shot was erratic. A fine bit of play by Jackson temporarily staved off the home team.

Not to be denied Norwood came again, and their eighth goal came from Lee with a snapshot over his head, the ball rolling through the posts.

Again Handby was conspicuous by a fine mark which turned Norwood away. The move gave the Glenelg forwards possession, and Lyne got their fifth major.

A couple of attacks by the red-and-blues brought minors. They were dashing into the fray with determination.

Play was opened out when the ball went from the wing to the centre. Symonds threw away a chance when he was penalised. Handby secured the free and relieved. The bell then rang.

Three-quarter Time	
NORWOOD	8-13
GLENELG	5-8

When the teams entered on the final term Norwood had a lead of 25 points. They went off with a rush, and Wadham had an opening, but his kick went astray. They pressed forward, and Sallis temporarily cleared. There were cheers when White had a shot, but his kick fell short. A behind was rushed.

Perry's kick off was marked by Gearen, who sent well up. Mutton marked, but kicked badly. Glenelg went down the centre, Handby giving them the lead. He sent on to Hoft, who forwarded, but a free to Sexton relieved. Schumacher centred to Lill, who sent on to Wadham, but the last-named kicked inaccurately.

A. Hack marked nicely and relieved, his kick being marked by Fuss, who did not score.

Down the field went Norwood, and Mutton, having a shot at the unguarded goal, was unable to penetrate it, the ball going out of bounds. Sallis and Handby again defended well for the visitors. Gearen went close to getting Norwood's ninth goal with a shot from a fair distance out, but a behind only resulted. A free to Barnett sent the ball well down, and a minor resulted. This was followed by another behind in quick succession.

Norwood rushed forward, Lee sending on to Potts. Schumacher, on the fringe of a crush, had a chance of goaling, but could only manage a point.

Norwood's kicking for goal was very poor. Wadham had a chance but only got a single.

PORT DEFEAT SOUTH

Logan Kicks Seven Goals

PORT 4-6 8-8 13-14 16-16
SOUTH 3 1 5-2 8-3 10 5

Goalkickers.—Port—Logan (7), Dayman and Maddern (3 each), Badcock (2), Coffin (1). South—Vickers, Palmer and Berg (2 each), Organ, Aistrop, Moriarty and Oliver (1 each).

Best players.—Port—Logan, Bampton, Penn, C. Dayman, Hodge, McInness, Maddern. South—Moriarty, Palmer, Oliver, Berg, Thomas, Berg, Wainwright.

Attendances and Takings

	Attendance	Takings
Adelaide Oval—		
(Sturt v. West Adelaide)	12,500	460
Thebarton Oval—		
(West Torrens v. North Adelaide)	8,127	302
Norwood Oval—		
(Glenelg v. Norwood)	7,500	285
Alberton Oval—		
(South Adelaide v. Ports)	7,000	280
Grand totals	35,127	1,327

Twice when Norwood were attacking Mutton had attempts to goal, but his shots rolled along the ground away from the posts. A series of behinds was broken when Lee shot the ball through with a high screw punt.

Despite their game battling Glenelg were unable to do much until Sampson had a free near the centre, but Norwood relieved despite hard fighting by Lloyd. Then, after an attack, Lee with a long punt put up Norwood's tenth major.

Glenelg supporters were excited when Toms secured the leather, and dodging a few opponents had a flying shot, which, however, raised one flag only.

Final Scores

NORWOOD 10 21
GLENELG 5-10

Goalkickers.—Norwood—Lee and Hepburn (each 3), Sexton, Wadham, Mutton, and Schumacher (each 1). Glenelg—Tilbrook (3), Kellow, and Lyne (each 1).

Best Players.—Norwood—Lill, Heinrich, Potts, Lee, Mutton, Scott, and Schumacher. Glenelg—Handby, Hoft, Lloyd, Lyne, Sampson, Perry, and Jackson.

B GRADE

Position of Clubs

	P.	W.	L.	Points	Prem.
West Torrens	4	4	—	308	225 8
North Adelaide	4	3	1	262	230 6
West Adelaide	4	3	1	250	232 6
Sturt	4	2	2	248	243 4
Norwood	4	2	2	242	253 4
Port Adelaide	4	1	3	248	233 2
Glenelg	4	1	3	230	271 2
South Adelaide	4	—	4	235	237 —

Leading Goalkickers

Jones (Torrens)	14
Weedon (Port)	12
Thomas (West)	8
Fleet (North)	7
Harrold (Glenelg)	7
Monton (Torrens)	7
Murphy (Glenelg)	7
Shepherdson (South)	7
Barron (Sturt)	6
Harmer (Norwood)	6
O'Dea (Sturt)	6
Smith (West)	6

Glenelg v. Torrens

TORRENS 2-2 5-4 6-7 8-11
GLENELG 3-3 4-4 7-7 8-9

Goalkickers.—Torrens—Monton (2), Ware (2), Mauer, Williamson, Jones, and Head. Glenelg—Harrold (3), Paech (2), Drew, Bail, and Murphy.

Best Players.—Torrens—All. Glenelg—Bail, Norman, Canny, Torpy, Leverington, Oliver, Paech, and Clarke.