

Glenelg Likely To Play in the Finals | **Port, West, and North In Fight for Fourth Place** | **Magpies Have Best Chance for Position** | CONDUCTED BY PERCY FURLER

BIGGEST VICTORY OF DAY RECORDED BY THE BAYS

Torrens Go Down to Sturt: Norwood's Exciting Win on Bell

11 GOALS KICKED BY OWENS

Glenelg seem certain to play in the finals as a result of their big victory over South in league football today. Port, West, and North are fighting for the fourth position, and by virtue of their easier programme for the remaining matches Port appear likely to gain fourth place, with Torrens, Sturt, and Glenelg as the other three teams.

North will have to win all of their four remaining matches—a remote possibility—to make their inclusion certain, while West's poor percentage may influence their exclusion.

Producing brilliant football, Sturt overwhelmed Torrens in the first term, to build up a lead of 46 points, while the blue-and-golds failed to score. A return to form in the second term saw Torrens fight back strongly, but they failed by six points to overtake the double-blues.

In an exciting finish Norwood kicked a goal on the bell to defeat North by three points. A dazzling second quarter by the redlegs in which they scored 7-3 to 0-3, was responsible for their victory.

Superior pace and greater understanding in the first half resulted in Port defeating West. Showing more dash and system than South, Glenelg overwhelmed the blue-and-whites after half-time, and registered the biggest victory of the day.

GOALKICKERS

	Today	Total
Munro (South)	2	74
Bennetts (West)	5	69
Farmer (North)	6	65
Prideaux (Port)	6	63
Owens (Glenelg)	11	57
Schultz (Norwood)	6	54
Brown (Norwood)	5	44
Link (Glenelg)	4	39
Morton (Sturt)	-	34
Pontifex (Torrens)	7	32
Wundersitz (Sturt)	1	31

RUNAWAY WIN TO GLENELG

GLENELG recorded a runaway victory over South at the Adelaide Oval, having 94 points to spare at the finish. The seaiders outpaced South and were far too good for them in the air and at the goalfont. Owens kicked 11 goals.

GLENELG.—Backs—Griffiths, Whitaker, Hale. Half-backs—Wells, Brock, Jacka. Centres—Hill, Salls, Shakes. Half-forwards—Cornelius, Goldsworthy, Leak. Forwards—Owens, Percy, Edwards, Ruck—Johnston, Olliver, Link. Seeley (19th). SOUTH.—Backs—Rose, Olliver, H. Forrester. Half-backs—Dawes, Cockburn, C. Forrester. Centres—V. Cahill, McCarthy, L. Cahill. Half-forwards—Rosewarne, M. Murdy, Hall. Forwards—Rusby, Munro, Mason, Ruck—Masters, Mann, Tully, Thomas (19th). Umpire—E. C. Gyes. At Adelaide. Attendance, 3,000.

Jacka replaced Rosewarne in the Glenelg team. Winning the toss, South kicked first towards the cathedral end, which was slightly favored by a cross breeze.

Glenelg showed more dash in the opening stages, Owens smartly snapping the first goal on the run. Getting into their stride, the city men goaled through Murdy, but two more attacks petered out after feeble kicking.

Owens scored Glenelg's second goal, but when South broke through again they lost a valuable opportunity by faulty shooting.

Proving too elusive for the South defenders, Glenelg increased their lead to 12 points when Cornelius added another goal for the seaiders. South improved their mid-field play, but Cockburn was the only South defender doing well. The city team was failing persistently in distant kicking.

Mason cleverly screw-kicked an angle goal for them right on the bell. Just before that Leak had goaled for Glenelg.

	G.	B.	Pts.
GLENELG	4	3	27
SOUTH	2	2	14

An unexpected goal came from South when Munro marked a feeble kick-off from Whitaker and shot truly. South were matching it fairly evenly, but Glenelg were superior in the air.

A remarkable feature of the next five minutes' play was that the ball struck a goalpost four times, each team doing this twice. Munro made the scores equal with his second goal.

Owens, Leak, and Link gave Glenelg a comfortable lead with further goals. Rallying their forces, South worked their way forward by systematic play, and Mason brought up his team's fifth goal.

When Glenelg secured a four-goal advantage in goals from Link and Wells, the Bays were winning in nearly all departments.

	Half-time	G.	B.	Pts.
GLENELG	9	8	62	
SOUTH	5	8	38	

Owens kicked his fourth goal within a minute of the bounce. Freed just afterwards, he failed to make the distance, but Goldsworthy gave Glenelg a lead of 36 points with a goal.

When Owens registered the twelfth goal for the visitors, South's position looked hopeless. Glenelg were picking out their men more accurately, and were using their weight effectively.

From several thrusts South could produce only singles; they had lapsed into their forward errors again, only five goals coming from 17 scoring shots. Owens at the other end kicked Glenelg's thirteenth and his fifth goal. Again the champion forward defeated the South goalkeeper, and his sixth goal went up. Glenelg were now 54 points to the good. A minute later Owens cleverly snapped another goal.

On top everywhere, Glenelg again added full points, this time Link being responsible. Glenelg had piled on 7-6 against four points by South in a one-sided quarter.

	Third Quarter	G.	B.	Pts.
GLENELG	16	14	110	
SOUTH	5	12	42	

Owens coolly posted his ninth goal soon after play was resumed. South's first goal since early in the second term came up when Murdy snapped the ball through.

Cockburn, one of the best men on the ground, was enhancing his claim to interstate honors. His vigorous play often put South out of danger. But he was poorly supported.

Glenelg swept forward and Leak increased their lead to 74 point with another goal.

Link sent up the nineteenth Glenelg goal, and then Owens added full points for the tenth time.

Once again Owens shot truly, and Edwards followed with another. Johnston ended a tame match by putting Glenelg 100 points in front with the twenty-third goal.

Owens added a single, and when play swung to the other end Rusby scored a belated goal for South.

	Final	G.	B.	Pts.
GLENELG	23	18	156	
SOUTH	8	14	62	

Goalkickers.—Glenelg—Owens (11), Link (4), Leak (3), Edwards, Wells, Cornelius, Johnston. Goldsworthy, South—Mason (3), Murdy, Munro (each 2), Rusby.

Best Players.—Glenelg—Owens, Link, Leak, Percy, Griffiths, Brock. South—Cockburn, Rusby, Tully, Mason, Hall, L. Cahill.

FINAL SCORES

Adelaide			
Glenelg	23-18	d. South	8-14
Alberton			
Port	18-11	d. West	14-12
Norwood			
Norwood	16-13	d. North	15-16
Unley			
Sturt	14-10	d. Torrens	13-10

HOW TEAMS STAND

	P.	W.	L.	D.	For	Agst	Pts	%
Torrens	13	9	4	-	1207	1081	18	52.75
Sturt	13	9	4	-	1274	1219	18	51.10
Glenelg	13	7	5	1	1375	1341	15	50.63
Port	13	6	6	1	1417	1318	13	51.81
West	13	6	6	1	1337	1343	13	49.89
North	13	5	7	1	1296	1192	11	52.09
Norwood	13	5	8	-	1280	1442	10	47.02
South	13	3	10	-	1356	1606	6	45.78

Stab Kicks And Flick Passes

HICKMAN played a brilliant game for Norwood, and was the best man on the ground. His work on a half-forward flank in the first half was invaluable. In the second half he effectively silenced the North centreman, Knuckey, who until then had dominated the mid-field play.

TULLY and Rusby roved cleverly for South, although they were not so prominent as the Glenelg scouts. Rusby, who has had little league experience, shows distinct promise.

EASILY South's best man against Glenelg was Cockburn. This vigorous player showed skill and determination in defence, and enhanced his claims to interstate honors. His go-through tactics got the blues out of many a tight corner, but he received little support.



J. Owens

OWENS was at the peak of his form for Glenelg against South, scoring 11 goals. He was particularly deadly in the second half. Owens marked brilliantly, and his left-foot screw kicking was nearly always accurate.

LEAK and Link were among Glenelg's most elusive players. This pair's small stature was no handicap, and they were consistently

in the thick of the fray. Fast and resourceful, they kicked seven goals between them, and also roved smartly.

THREE men shared the goalkicking honors for South. They were Murdy, Mason, and Munro. The last-named was quieter than usual, but did not have a great number of opportunities. Mason, who kicked three goals, looks like making good as a forward.

GRIFFITHS, Brock, and Wells defended stoutly for Glenelg, and were valuable units in a well-balanced side. Goldsworthy, at half-forward, combined well with Owens at times.

NORWOOD WIN ON THE BELL

IN a fast and thrilling game Norwood snatched a three-point victory from North at Norwood, Brown snapping a wonderful goal for the redlegs on the bell.

	G.	B.	Pts.
NORWOOD	16	13	109
NORTH	15	16	106

Goalkickers.—Norwood—Schultz (6), Brown (5), Huxtable (3), W. McCallum (2). North—Farmer (6), Hemers (4), Mangelsdorf (2), K. Burns, B. Burns, H. Hawke.

Best Players.—Norwood—Hickman, Brown, W. McCallum, P. McCallum, H. Page, Palmer, Schultz. North—Hawke, Farmer, Strauss, Knuckey, K. Burns, B. Burns.

SHUTTLEWORTH played a leading part in Sturt's brilliant first quarter at Unley. His dash, allied with strong marking ability, makes him an ideal ruckman. He also played well when placed forward, kicking two goals.

P. F. and W. B. McCallum recorded their best games for the season against North at Norwood. P. F. McCallum rucked tirelessly, and played a great part in Norwood's recovery. W. B. McCallum marked brilliantly at centre half-forward, and kicked strongly.



M. Pontifex

PONTIFEX marked his return to Torrens with a good exhibition at Unley. His high marking and accurate kicking were features of the latter stages of the game.

OBST played a sterling game at half-back for Port. Sure in his marking, he was the mainstay of the Port defence, and held up West single handed in the first quarter.

EARLY LEAD HELPS STURT

ALTHOUGH Sturt could not reproduce their form of the first quarter, when they kept Torrens scoreless, the 46-point lead they gained in this term gave them victory at Unley. Torrens battled determinedly and brilliantly to overtake Sturt, but failed by one goal.

Morton was omitted from the Sturt side because of a heavy cold, and the full forward position was taken by Smith, one of the reserves.

	G.	B.	Pts.
STURT	14	10	94
TORRENS	13	10	88

Goalkickers.—Sturt—Golding (4), Smith (3), Shuttleworth (2), Paxter, Wundersitz, Cameron Tuohy, Sawatzke, Torrens—Pontifex (7), McLoughlin, Duthie (each 2), Foote, Baird.

Best Players.—Sturt—Shuttleworth, King, Wundersitz, Treleaven, Sawatzke, Golding, Torrens—Adcock, Pontifex, Frogley, Quinn, McLoughlin, Coulter.

BAD SHOOTING AFFECTS WEST

AFTER a dazzling first half, when their football was polished and precise, Port had to fight hard in the last quarter to stave off West at Alberton. Only inaccurate shooting at the beginning of the last term prevented West from making the finish an exciting one.

	G.	B.	Pts.
PORT	18	11	119
WEST	14	12	96

Goalkickers.—Port—Prideaux (6), Ritch (3), Bampton, Hooper, West, Quinn (each 2), Brown, West—Bennetts (5), Parry, Jackson (each 3), E. Hill, Connell, Heddle.

Best Players.—Port—Hender, Obst, Hooper, Ween, Whicker, Prideaux, Yates, West—C. Bennett, Jackson, Jarvis, Matiske, J. Hill, J. Bennett.