

# Torrens, North, South, and Sturt Win

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## BLUE-AND-WHITES IN SECOND POSITION NOW

### Port Beaten by Two Points In Great Last Term Fight MUNRO GETS MOST GOALS--10

As a result of a convincing victory over West today, South have jumped from fifth position on the premiership list to second. Port have dropped back from fourth to sixth, while Torrens in top place have a clear lead of two points over the other three teams in the four.

South played brilliant football. Outmarking the red-and-blacks and leaving them yards behind, the blue-and-whites ran out comfortable winners. Munro kicked 10 goals, making his total for the season 33.

Playing with more determination than in previous engagements North scrambled out winners by two points against Port. After a raged first half, the magpies played inspired football in the last quarter, but were unable to overtake the red-and-whites.

In a vigorously fought contest, Torrens nullified their general superiority by shocking kicking in the forward lines. Torrens showed better system, and although handicapped by injuries, never appeared in danger of losing.

After an evenly contested first half Sturt broke away in the third quarter, and although hotly challenged by Glenelg in the last term, won by 15 points.

### Leading Goalkickers

	Today	Total
Munro (South)	10	33
Bennetts (West)	6	28
Prideaux (Port)	1	25
Farmer (North)	8	24
Owens (Glenelg)	7	24
Schultz (Norwood)	4	19
Rosewarne (South)	6	16
Brown (Norwood)	2	15
Link (Glenelg)	2	15

### STURT'S FINE THIRD TERM

STURT defeated Glenelg at Unley because of marked superiority in the third quarter. Until and after then honors were even in a match that improved as it progressed.

In a dazzling last-minute burst Glenelg might have overtaken Sturt but for inaccurate kicking.

STURT.—Backs—Wadham, Parsons, Thomas. Half-backs—Tuohy, Sims, Aistrop. Centres—Treleven, King, Reeves. Half-forwards—Longmore, Mussman, Baxter. Forwards—Wundersitz, Sawatzke, Shuttjorth. Ruck—Robertson, Cameron, Smith. S. Headon (19th).  
Smith (knock on thigh) replaced by S. Headon in the second quarter.

GLENELG.—Backs—Griffiths, James, Rosewarne. Half-backs—Eldson, Jacka, Bergin. Centres—Shakes, Sallis, Seeley. Half-forwards—Cornelius, Brock, Leak. Forwards—Owens, Hallstone, Michalany. Ruck—Johnstone, Wells, Link, Hill (19th).  
Umpire—T. W. Elliott.  
At Unley. Attendance, 4,500.

Fisher (Sturt) and Carlos (Glenelg) did not play because of influenza, and Aistrop and Seeley respectively replaced them. Owens won the toss.

From a free at the bounce Robertson set Sturt attacking. Goals from W. Smith (Sturt) and Owens (Glenelg) followed. Glenelg were having the better of matters in the air.

Several behinds followed before Hailstone broke through with a goal. Sturt's defence had saved them from a big deficit, as Glenelg had been superior almost everywhere else.

	G.	B.	Pts.
GLENELG	2	5	17
STURT	1	1	7

Sturt had been breaking down badly at full forward, and the absence of an accurate goalkicker was being keenly felt. After many golden opportunities had been wasted Wundersitz marked in front and goaled.

Sawatzke's half-hearted effort to mark in front gave the Glenelg defence an added advantage. Wundersitz snapped another goal, and Sturt, after having done practically all the attacking for the quarter, took the lead.

Glenelg's kicking for goal was becoming as poor as Sturt's, but Owens made no error when he marked close in.

Wundersitz, who had been outstanding among a mediocre line of forwards, kicked his third goal, and Glenelg retaliated with full points from Link. Sturt's solid defence drove Glenelg back, and in the first dash of systematic play for the day Mussman goaled.

Smith, who fell heavily in the first quarter, had been replaced by S. Headon.

	Half-time	G.	B.	Pts.
STURT	...	5	8	38
GLENELG	...	4	5	29

Sturt started the third term dashingly, and Mussman goaled 15 seconds after the bounce. When Glenelg broke away and Hailstone scored full points, the best football of the day was seen.

Baxter goaled, but long kicking saw many shots go wide of the post. Finally Thomas hooked an almost impossible goal.

Sturt launched attack after attack, and when Wundersitz scored his fourth goal Sturt were more than five goals in the lead. Mussman was playing a big part in the Sturt superiority; his good play enabled Longmore to goal.

Glenelg took charge for the first time for a long period, and two behinds were followed by a goal from Brock.

	Third Quarter	G.	B.	Pts.
STURT	...	10	15	75
GLENELG	...	6	9	45

Glenelg swept forward soon after the quarter opened, and Owens goaled from a free. Robertson sent Sturt away again, and Sawatzke and Wundersitz (from a snap) scored full points.

Owens' long kick sailed through, and a snap from the Glenelg captain soon afterward brought full points.

Baxter goaled for Sturt and in the Glenelg attacks that followed Parsons defended soundly until Owens marked in front of him and goaled.

From a scrimmage in front Link got full points. Jacka was then injured and had to be carried off.

Owens goal out Glenelg within three goals of Sturt but from a free just in front shortly afterwards the Glenelg captain missed. Glenelg were putting in a determined last-minute burst, but Owens again missed.

	Final	G.	B.	Pts.
STURT	...	13	22	100
GLENELG	...	12	13	85

Goalkickers.—Sturt—Wundersitz (5), Mussman, Baxter (each 2), Longmore, Smith, Thomas, Sawatzke. Glenelg—Owens (7), Hallstone, Link (each 2), Brock.

Best Players.—Sturt—Robertson, Mussman, Longmore, Tuohy, Wundersitz, Sims. Glenelg—Cornelius, James, Griffiths, Johnston, Sallis, Leak.

### 21,804 SEE GAMES

Thebarton	7,279
Adelaide	6,375
Alberton	4,150
Unley	4,000

### FINAL SCORES

Adelaide			
South	24-13	d. West	15-14
Alberton			
North	13-12	d. Port	12-16
Thebarton			
Torrens	14-18	d. Norwood	12-6
Unley			
Sturt	13-22	d. Glenelg	12-13

### HOW TEAMS STAND

	P.	W.	L.	D.	For	Agst	Pts	%
Torrens	5	4	1	-	491	401	8	55.04
South	5	3	2	-	607	535	6	53.15
Norwood	5	3	2	-	519	497	6	51.08
West	5	3	2	-	519	546	6	48.73
North	5	2	2	1	440	417	5	51.34
Port	5	2	3	-	558	487	4	53.40
Sturt	5	2	3	-	410	489	4	45.61
Glenelg	5	-	4	1	460	632	1	42.12

### Stab Kicks And Flick Passes

EXCEPT for the last-minute burst in which Glenelg almost overlooked Sturt, Owens, the Glenelg captain lost few opportunities of goaling. In spite of an early head injury, Owens scored seven goals.

EARLY in the game at Unley Cornelius on a half-forward flank was Glenelg's outstanding player. During the first half of the game Cornelius gave a brilliant performance.

BURTON followed in great style for North. Sure in the air and accurate in his kicking the big North ruckman recorded his best game for the season.

KNUCKEY, the North centreman again proved himself one of the most consistent players in the league this season. He has distinguished himself in the pivotal position in each match to date.



M. Pontifex

He scouted effectively today.

MUNRO (South) outpointed Mattiske in kicking his 10 goals. He worked the West full back out of position and led out in great style.

MURDY has claims to be one of the best half-forwards in league football. His left foot can extricate him from many difficult positions, and on his present form he must be considered for a place in the State side.

### GOOD FINISH BY TORRENS

TORRENS superior system told against Norwood at Thebarton. The Thebarton men overcame an early kicking weakness at forward but finished strongly with only 16 effective players on the field.

Last-minute changes in placings were made by Torrens. Simpson could not play because of an ankle injury, and Reid went to centre half-back. Frogley played at centre, and Pontifex was goalsneak. Coulter and Duthie were the opening followers.

	G.	B.	Pts.
TORRENS	14	18	102
NORWOOD	12	6	78

Goalkickers.—Torrens—Pontifex (7), Foote, Perkins, Coulter (each 2), Waite, Norwood—Schultz (4), W. McCallum, Brown (each 2), Huxtable, Woodrooffe, P. McCallum, Edwards.

Best Players.—Torrens—Frogley, Pontifex, Adcock, Foote, Wilson, Waite, Coulter. Norwood—Allington, Bice, Woodrooffe, Sisson, Edwards, F. P. McCallum, Krome, Brown.

JOHNSTON was frequently seen to advantage in the ruck for Glenelg. He kicked one excellent goal—but it was for Sturt. In his excitement he apparently forgot his direction.

TORRENS missed Head when he was injured. His safe marking and heady tactics stopped many rushes by Norwood. He was well supported by Adcock whose dashing interceptions from a back pocket saved dangerous situations.

CLEVER marking and strong kicking into the forward area marked Foote's performance. McKenzie and Bridgman did valuable work.

CONNELL is gradually coming back to his best form. He was the only West ruckman to offer serious opposition to the South followers.

FARMER proved a match winner for North at Alberton, scoring two decisive goals in the last term with brilliant individual play. He earned every one of his eight goals.

VIC Johnson played brilliant football for Port. Always in the thick of the fray, he went through and marked strongly, and kicked accurately. His play in the last term was an inspiration to the rest of the team.

### PACE ASSISTS IN SOUTH WIN

OUTPACING West and probing by the opportunities that West's vigor sometimes gave them, South won a hard match at Adelaide by 53 points.

In a vain attempt to check Munro, who kicked 10 goals, Mattiske often left the goal undefended, and this enabled other South forwards to run in and shoot from close range.

	G.	B.	Pts.
SOUTH	24	13	157
WEST	15	16	104

Goalkickers.—South—Munro (10), Rosewarne (6), Tully (4), Murdy (2), Rusby, Cahill. West—Bennetts (6), H. Jarvis, Tonkin (each 3), Jackson, Hare, March.

Best Players.—South—Murdy, Cahill, Munro, Rosewarne, Tully, Masters. West—Connell, M. Jarvis, Bennetts, Foweraker, Tonkin, Webber.

### PORT STAVED OFF BY NORTH

STAVING off a thrilling last-quarter rally North just got home against Port at Alberton. The first three quarters provided a poor spectacle, but a brilliant last term more than compensated for this.

	G.	B.	Pts.
NORTH	13	12	90
PORT	12	16	88

Goalkickers.—North—Farmer (8), Hay (2), Bowman, Hayden, Strauss, Port—Hender (5), Murphy, Hollingworth (each 2), Dermody, Prideaux, Brown.

Best Players.—North—Farmer, Burton, Taylor, Knuckey, Fleet, Walter, Ha. Port—Hender, V. Johnson, Murphy, Hooper, Hollingworth, R. Johnson, Bampton.



# North and Glenelg Win; Port--West Tie

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## FARMER'S 13 GOALS BEST TOTAL SO FAR

### Brilliant Last-Minute Goal Forces Draw at Wayville

## GLENELG'S FIRST VICTORY

The features of today's league football games were a marked improvement by North, who soundly defeated Norwood and jumped to second place on the premiership list, and a return to top form by Port. The magpies at full strength will be hard to defeat.

Accurate kicking and brilliant high marking by the forwards gave North victory over Norwood. Farmer showed a return to championship form by kicking 13 goals—the highest day's tally for the season.

Port and West staged a thrilling draw at Wayville. After half-time sparkling football was witnessed, with the fortunes of the game changing repeatedly in the last term.

Consistency in the air and on the ground for three terms, and a dazzling burst in the last quarter gave Glenelg a well deserved victory over South. It was Glenelg's first win for the season.

### GOALKICKERS

	Today	Total
Munro (South)	6	39
Farmer (North)	13	37
Bennetts (West)	8	36
Prideaux (Port)	2	27
Owens (Glenelg)	-	24
Schultz (Norwood)	4	23
Brown (Norwood)	4	19
Link (Glenelg)	4	19
Hender (Port)	6	17
Rosewarne (South)	-	16
Wundersitz (Sturt)	3	16

## GREAT FINISH AT WAYVILLE

**A**MID intense excitement, Port and West drew at Wayville in a high-scoring match.

With five minutes to go Port were a goal ahead. Then a stirring burst by West produced two goals, and with less than a minute left the game seemed decided. But Hooper's last-minute screw punt equalised the scores.

	G. B.	Pts.
WEST	19	17
PORT	19	17

**Goalkickers.**—West—Bennetts (4), Tonkin (4), Smith (3), Heddle (2), H. Jarvis, Connell. Port—Hender (6), Hooper (4), Hollingsworth, Prideaux, Brown (each 2), Dermody, Kellaway, Jacquier.

**Best Players.**—Port—Hender, Hollingsworth, Reval, Kellaway, Hooper, Bampton, R. Johnson. West—Tonkin, Matthews, Mattiske, Bennetts, Bennett, Smith, M. Jarvis.

## NORTH MEN'S FINE KICKING

**B**RILLIANT marking and phenomenal kicking by the forwards enabled North to outclass Norwood at the Adelaide Oval. Farmer was at the top of his form. He kicked 13 goals.

	G. B.	Pts.
NORTH	26	16
NORWOOD	14	21

**Goalkickers.**—North—Farmer (13), Hay (5), Burton (4), McInnes (2), Bowman, Hayden. Norwood—Schultz, Brown (each 4), Huxtable (3), W. McCallum (2), Bice.

**Best Players.**—North—Farmer, Hay, Burns, Hayden, Walter, McInnes, Burton. Norwood—Bice, W. McCallum, Huxtable, A. Chinnery, Sisson, Salmon, Allington.

## Fitzroy's Win: Big Surprise

**MELBOURNE** Saturday. Of the three league games played today one was productive of a big surprise. Fitzroy, who had won only one match previously beating Carlton.

Playing inspired football Fitzroy caught Carlton napping in the first quarter, but Carlton drew up in the second term, and the play was grim and very even until the last quarter.

Fitzroy then finished too strongly for their opponents, and went away to win by 15 points.

## Close-Ups of Players

**HOLLINGSWORTH** (Port) shows decided promise of developing into a half-forward of class. Determination and strong aerial work characterised his play.

**TONKIN** was the best man for West at Wayville. He revelled in the vigorous exchanges, and always disposed of the ball to advantage.

**BICE** again played up to form on a centre flank for Norwood. His efforts, particularly in the first half, kept open a path for many redleg thrusts. His pace, allied with neat marking and advantageous disposal, were features of his play.

**A. J. S. Chinnery** played soundly on a half-back flank for Norwood. Page also handled the ball frequently, but could have disposed of it to better advantage. Burton, who gave a fine display when rucking for North, was capably checked by Page, who took over the key defence position for the redlegs after half-time.

**BROCK**, the youthful Glenelg centre half-forward, recorded his best game for the season against South. His six goals were the result of exceptionally dashing work.

**GRIFFITHS** defended for Glenelg in a dashing style, effectively subduing M. Murdy, Wells and James were also in good form.

**AGAINST** strong opposition from Johnston and Percy, Rose played an outstanding defensive game for South. His marking was particularly good.



**FARMER** gave a phenomenal display. Although he kicked a long way from the posts at times he scored 13 goals. Three Norwood players opposed him a turn, but most failed to check his high marking and clean leading out. His kicking was most accurate, only three shots missing the big opening.

K. Farmer

### FINAL SCORES

Adelaide			
North	26-16	d. Norwood	14-21
Glenelg			
Glenelg	21-11	d. South	16-12
Wayville			
West	19-17	drew Port	19-17
Monday:	Sturt	v Torrens	

### HOW TEAMS STAND

	P.	W.	L.	D.	For	Agst	Pts	%
Torrens	5	4	1	-	491	401	8	55.04
North	6	3	2	1	612	522	7	53.97
West	6	3	2	1	650	677	7	48.98
South	6	3	3	-	715	672	6	51.55
Norwood	6	3	3	-	624	669	6	48.26
Port	6	2	3	1	689	618	5	52.72
Sturt	5	2	3	-	410	489	4	45.61
Glenelg	6	1	4	1	597	740	3	44.65

## GREAT GAME BY GLENELG

**GLENELG** ran away from South at Glenelg in the last term, and recorded a comfortable victory—their first for the season. Glenelg played great football to lead South for three terms and then outclass them in the last.

The Bays owed their victory to fine system, a definite aerial superiority, and surer handling of the ball.

**SOUTH.**—Backs—Mulcahy, Rose, C. Forrester. Half-backs—Hassett, Dawes, Green. Centres—Skelly, J. Cockburn, Cahill. Half-forwards—M. Murdy, A. Cockburn, Hall. Forwards—Rusby, Munro, H. Forrester. Ruck—Masters, Thomas, Tully, Connelly (19th).

**GLENELG.**—Backs—Griffiths, James, Rosewarne. Half-backs—Wells, Jacka, Bergin. Centres—Hailstone, Sallis, Shakes. Half-forwards—Cornelius, Brock, Leak. Forwards—Michalanny, Percy, Colyer. Ruck—Johnston, Olliver, Link, Carlos (19th). Empire—G. R. Allen.

At Glenelg. Attendance, 2,500. Olliver won the toss for Glenelg and kicked towards the southern goal.

Handling the ball more surely and leading out well, Glenelg posted a brace of goals from Brock and Link in as many minutes. Dashing play by Link was the main factor in their success.

When H. Forrester goaled for South and Link again for the bays four goals straight had been scored.

Then Rusby had two shots for South and hit a post each time. Breaking down in attack, Glenelg put on four singles in a row.

Recovering strongly, South dashed in, and M. Murdy and H. Forrester quickly raised both flags.

Effective system carried Glenelg in again, however, and Brock piloted the ball through after a fierce goalmouth scuffle. A minute later Colyer raced in like a hare and kicked truly at point-blank range.

South regained the lead with goals from Tully and Munro just before the bell.

	G. B.	Pts.
SOUTH	6	4
GLENELG	5	6

Now definitely outclassing South in the air and winning in the race for the ball, Glenelg swept in irresistibly and Leak got three goals in succession. He was the outstanding member of a smoothly functioning Glenelg attack.

A nice ground mark gave Munro a chance to score his second goal for South.

With their defenders resolutely keeping South out, the bays drove in relentlessly, and Percy and Leak kicked accurately. Leak's goal was brilliantly snapped over his shoulder.

After having been outclassed by the polished Sallis, J. Cockburn gave a glimpse of his true ability in initiating a South advance which yielded full points from H. Forrester.

	G. B.	Pts.
GLENELG	10	8
SOUTH	8	5

Keeping the ball low, handling it confidently, and using handball judiciously, Glenelg swept in and Michalanny snapped the ball through.

South countered with two aggressive drives, which brought goals from Rusby and Munro.

Brock got two dashing goals for Glenelg, but South went in determinedly and got to within seven points of the Bays with full pointers from Munro and H. Forrester.

With an open goal ahead, Munro raced in, hotly pursued by James and Griffiths, but in his excitement he ran through before kicking the ball.

Throwing every ounce of weight into the fray, Glenelg staged a thrilling goalward dash, but Rose and C. Forrester drove them out.

South, now on top, staggered Glenelg with another irresistible onslaught, and Munro equalised the score with his fourth goal.

	G. B.	Pts.
SOUTH	13	9
GLENELG	13	9

With the game set for an exciting finish, both teams left into the fray. Freed in front, Tully put South a goal to the good. Griffiths brilliantly cleared the next rush, but South again broke through with a full pointer from Munro.

Playing dazzling football, Link outclassed a bunch of South men, and a brilliant long snap sailed truly.

After Rusby had raised on flag for South Link got another wonderful goal, and Hall with an open goal in front of him missed at the other end. Then Glenelg rattled on a point from Cornelius, a goal from Brock and a single from Leak to earn a six-point lead.

Playing fine football at breakneck pace Glenelg shook South with a series of exhilarating bursts, which were rewarded with goals from Colyer, Johnston, and Brock. A Cockburn missed for South with a fairly easy shot.

Glenelg tore in again and Percy assured the Bays their first victory of the year by goaling with a brilliant angle shot.

Just before the bell Murdy goaled for South, and Percy for Glenelg.

	G. B.	Pts.
GLENELG	21	11
SOUTH	16	12

**Goalkickers.**—Glenelg—Brock (6), Leak, Link (each 4), Percy (3), Colyer (2), Michalanny, Johnston. South—Munro (6), H. Forrester (5), Murdy, Tully (each 2), Rusby.

**Best Players.**—Glenelg—Johnston, Leak, Link, Sallis, Brock, Griffiths, James. South—Rose, Munro, H. Forrester, C. Forrester, Mulcahy, Tully.

## Torrens Tipped To Beat Sturt

If Simpson is able to take his place in the Torrens side against Sturt on Monday the blue-and-golds will field their strongest team with the exception of Read who is out of action with an injured leg.

The early doubt about the strength of the Torrens opening ruck has been dispelled by the fine form shown by Duthie and Coulter, who played like veterans in their initial league encounter.

The transfer of Pontifex to centre-forward has strengthened the blue-and-golds' attack. This has given them added power at goal front, which the Sturt half-backs will find difficult to deal with.

Although Sturt appear to be gradually returning to their form of last season, I expect Torrens to be too fast and systematic on the open spaces of the Adelaide Oval.

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### Final Scores

STURT, 13—12; TORRENS, 12—12