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Norwood Win With Season's Biggest Tally

Torrens Fail By Big Margin WEST SCORE 6-10, LOWEST FOR YEAR Port Easily Beat Sturt

Overwhelming Torrens in the last two quarters of the game at Norwood today, the Redlegs recorded the biggest tally of the season: 26-14. The previous best was Port's 23-12 against West last month. It was a coincidence that the lowest score of the season should also have been scored today—West's 6-10 against South's 21-19.

Final scores in today's games were:—

South, 21-19 (145) d. West, 6-10 (46).
Port, 20-17 (137) d. Sturt, 12-13 (85).
North, 18-14 (122) d. Glenelg 15-12 (102).
Norwood, 26-14 (170) d. Torrens, 12-14 (86).

After an uncertain beginning, when Sturt at times were the better team, Port proved superior in nearly every part of the ground at Alberton. Prideaux scored 10 of their 20 goals.

Glenelg battled admirably against North, making a bold bid in the last term, but North held too great a lead for the Bay men.

North Hold Lead All Through Prospect Game

By R. L. H.

Making better use of the wind and proving superior in the air and in ruck, North held the lead throughout the match against Glenelg at Prospect, to finish with a 20-point advantage. It was an interesting game, but the standard of play was marred by the strong south wind. The second half was characterised by sharp, vigorous exchanges. The players were allowed a great deal of latitude.

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
North	8	2	12	4	17
Glenelg	3	1	8	5	10

North owed their victory also in no small measure to the work of their back men. Fleet, Strauss, and Smart performed most creditably. Both sides gave evidence of good combined play, but neither sustained it long enough to establish a definite supremacy.

Although North were never headed, Glenelg kept close enough to have the red-and-whites continuously on their mettle.

The Bay team seemed to play better when kicking against the wind. Their system operated much more effectively. The passing was accurate, although the wind caused many shots to fall short of their objective.

The wind militated against speedy football and caused the ball to bounce elusively on many occasions. Possibly the best football of the match was witnessed in the third quarter, when neither side held the upper hand. Glenelg's scoring was kept down in this term by smart North defence work, while the red-and-whites had the advantage of accurate kicking for goal at the other end.

FULL USE OF WIND

North made full use of the wind in the first quarter after Burton had called correctly. Glenelg found it most difficult to make any progress upfield against the wind, and for the greater part of the term the ball rarely passed the centre line. The Bay men settled down towards the end of the quarter, however, and their ground play showed great improvement.

The North defence was kept busy in the second term, when Glenelg had the assistance of the wind. Many of the Bay thrusts were turned at the last moment, wild kicking spoiling much of Glenelg's hard work.

Both sides were on their mettle in the third quarter, and for the most part the exchanges were evenly contested. Handballing was used by each side to good effect, and many hard bumps given and taken.

The wind had dropped a great deal by the opening of the final term, and was not such a dominating factor in the play. The vigorous exchanges continued, and the freedom allowed the players kept the game going at a solid pace.

Glenelg made several changes this quarter in an effort to remedy faults. Hunt replaced McInerney at centre

and McInerney was stationed on the half-forward flank while Cornelius was placed at full-forward.

On the play today there was not a great deal to choose between the teams. It was a pity that the wind marred playing conditions, as it did.

NORTH.—Backs—Strauss, Fleet, Smart. Half-backs—Melvin, Bottroff, A. Burton. Centres—O'Donnell, Mount, Trengove. Half-forwards—O'Halloran, Alexander, Melnes. Forwards—Stigwood, Farmer, Martin. Ruck—S. Burton, Oatway, Warhurst. Ball (19th).

GLENELG.—Backs—Eldon, James, Griffiths. Half-backs—Harford, Brock, Ahrendt. Centres—Seeley, McInerney, Eatis. Half-forwards—Curnow, Hunt, Cornelius. Forwards—Percy, Birrell, Colyer. Ruck—Johnston, Corbett, Link, Winkler (19th). Corbett (injured ankle) replaced near end of match by Winkler. Umpire—L. E. H. Lewis.

Goalkickers.—North—Farmer (7), Alexander (4), Martin (2), S. Burton, Oatway, Stigwood, O'Halloran, Warhurst, Glenelg—Birrell (5), Colyer, Percy, Johnston (each 3), Link.

Best Players.—North—S. Burton, Stigwood, Strauss, Smart, Bottroff, Farmer, Alexander, Glenelg—Percy, Brock, Johnston, Link, James, Seeley, Colyer.

HOW LEAGUE TEAMS STAND

	P.	W.	L.	For	Agst.	Pts.	Points Prem.
Port	7	7	—	888	663	14	
Norwood	7	6	1	774	615	12	
South	7	5	2	838	621	10	
North	7	5	2	756	724	10	
Sturt	7	3	4	736	718	6	
Torrens	7	1	6	661	761	2	
West	7	1	6	492	812	2	
Glenelg	7	—	7	698	929	—	

LEAGUE GOALKICKERS

	Today.	Total.
Munro (South)	5	50
Farmer (North)	7	42
Prideaux (Port)	10	38
Birrell (Glenelg)	5	35
Hollingworth (Port)	4	29
Brown (Norwood)	5	28
Warhurst (Norwood)	7	27
Kinlough (Torrens)	—	26
Schultz (Norwood)	4	22
Hender (Port)	3	21
Blight (Torrens)	—	20
Link (Glenelg)	1	20

Port Too Strong For Sturt

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Port	6	9	8	11	15
Sturt	3	2	7	5	9

By Highflier

Unwinding a brilliant burst in the third quarter, Port overwhelmed Sturt, at Alberton Oval today, and had the game well won long before the final bell.

Sturt had the better of the general play in the first half of the match, but they failed at the goalfront. Until the long interval, Sturt held the balance of power across centre and in the rucks. It was a different story after half-time, for from then on Port were superior at all points of the field.

Prideaux rose to great heights at full forward, and Hollingworth kept the direct road to goal open for the magpies.

Goalkickers.—Port—Prideaux (10), Hollingworth (4), Hender (3), Bamptor (2), and Quinn. Sturt—Wundersitz (3), Lowe, King, Biggs (each 2), Baldock, Longmore and Smith.

Best Players.—Port—Prideaux, Quinn, Johnston, Obst, Hollingworth, Whicker and Reval. Sturt—Robertson, Wundersitz, Jasner, Riggs, Longmore, Treleven and King.

Rentley was unable to play for Sturt and Burton was included. Booth was made nineteenth man, Rudd replaced Oehme as nineteenth man for Port.

Norwood's Nine Goal Burst Settles Issue

BAD DEFEAT FOR TORRENS

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Norwood	5	6	10	8	20
Torrens	4	3	8	7	10

By Percy Furler

AFTER Torrens had threatened to take the lead just after the third quarter began, Norwood unfolded a devastating burst, in which they scored nine goals one behind to nil, and placed the issue beyond doubt.

Marking all over their opponents and leading to position, the redlegs carried all before them, and Torrens were completely powerless.

Goalkickers.—Norwood—Warhurst (7), Huxtable (6), Brown (5), Schultz (4), Travers (2), A. R. McLean, O'Brien, Torrens—Issac (6), Lokan (2), Scott, Hanrahan, Blight, Jones.

Best Players.—Norwood—Huxtable, Chinnery, Warhurst, O'Brien, Blanchard, Long, Torrens—Filsell, Foote, Isaac, Read, Dimison, Scott.

South's Big Win Against West

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
South	4	6	9	13	11
West	2	3	6	4	9

By R. B. F.

SOUTH defeated West by 90 points at the Adelaide Oval in a game that was almost devoid of brilliance and cohesion. West's score—6.10—was the lowest for the season.

Goalkickers.—South—Munro (5), Templeton (4), Murdy and Tully (each 3), Jobson and Rusby (each 2), Mackay and J. P. Dawes. West—D. Tonkin and J. Cahill (each 2), Powell, Beaton.

Best Players.—South—Tully, Templeton, Mulcahy, J. Dawes, L. W. Cahill, Mackay, Murdy. West—Matiske, Webber, McArthur, W. Tonkin, McArthur.

Today's Stars

ALTHOUGH Farmer kicked seven goals for North, he was by no means at his best. He manoeuvred cleverly for possession and several times brought down excellent marks, but often his kicking was inaccurate, and the shots went astray for singles. Several of these were hurried kicks, while the wind also affected his play.



H. Percy

PERCY, the Glenelg captain, who has been most consistent this season, was again in top form against North. His solid work in ruck and fine play in the forward division stamped him as one of the Bay team's best men.

SPEEDY work on the wing combined with accurate passing characterised Seeley's play for Glenelg. He did a very good job. Another Bay man deserving of commendation was Griffiths. He worked extremely hard and effectively in defence.