

ONLY 11 GOALS SCORED IN STURT-TORRENS MATCH

Glenelg Regain Place in Four

NORTH DEFEAT PORT

Results of the sixth series of league football matches played today were:—

Sturt 6—13 (49 pts.), Torrens 5—11 (41 pts.).
 West 16—14 (110 pts.), Norwood 12—21 (93 pts.).
 North 11—7 (73 pts.), Port 9—14 (68 pts.).
 Glenelg 16—19 (115 pts.), South 13—12 (90 pts.).

Better system gave Sturt victory over Torrens in a remarkably low-scoring game, and enabled the Unley side to remain unbeaten. West finished too strongly for Norwood.

Holding Port scoreless in the last term, North had a five-point win at Prospect. They were behind for three quarters. Glenelg ousted Torrens from the four with a convincing win from South at the Bay.

HOW TEAMS STAND					LEADING GOALKICKERS				
	P.	W.	L.	D.	For	Agst.	Pts.		
Sturt	6	6	—	—	538	411	12	Schultz (Norwood)	35
West	6	4	1	1	726	522	9	Langton (West)	33
Norwood	6	3	3	—	543	506	6	Farmer (North)	31
Glenelg	6	3	3	—	600	527	6	Burt (Glenelg)	21
Torrens	6	3	3	—	444	481	6	Hardiman (Norwood)	21
North	6	2	4	—	483	704	4	Biggs (Sturt)	18
Port	6	1	4	1	508	613	3	Boyall (Glenelg)	18
South	6	1	5	—	566	684	2	W. Hudson (West)	17
								L. Taylor (West)	16
								Rusby (South)	15

West Rally to Defeat Norwood in Fine Goal-for-Goal Battle

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
West	3—0	7—5	11—9	16—14	110
Norwood	4—8	8—11	10—14	12—21	93

By Vic. Johnson

Finishing with a fine burst of speed, and overpowering their opponents at most points in the last 10 minutes, West snatched a seemingly lost game out of the fire and went on to win by the comfortable margin of 17 points from Norwood at Adelaide Oval today.

IN this match-winning burst, West did everything a real team should do. They outmarked and outpaced their opponents, and fought with tigerish ferocity to gain possession of the ball. The fierceness of their attacks forcing the otherwise steady redleg defence into errors.

Best Players—West: Hudson, D. Taylor, L. Taylor, Codd, Cahill, Smith, Coad. Norwood: Hardiman, Oatey, Price, Holmesby, A. Sawley, Schultz, Calder.
 Goalkickers—West: Hudson, D. Taylor (each 4), Langton (3), Codd (2), L. Taylor, Broadstock, Cahill, Norwood: Hardiman (5), Schultz (4), G. Sawley (2), Roads.

Sturt System Superior

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Sturt	0—1	5—3	5—6	6—13	49
Torrens	1—5	2—7	5—10	5—11	41

By H. G. B.

The Sturt-Torrens game at Thebarton was a hard, tense struggle in which super defence resulted in the lowest scoring match for years. Neither team reached 50 points. Sturt were hard pressed to keep up their sequence of wins, but slightly more effective system gave them victory by eight points. Torrens threw out a strong challenge all day, but their forwards were not accurate enough.

Goalkickers—Sturt: Lowe (2), Kaethner, Bonnett, Langley, Lathlean, Torrens: Shaw (2), Scott, Hudson, Quick.

Best Players—Sturt: Tuohy, Bentley, Kaethner, Crawley, Williams, House, Crase, Torrens: Thomas, Dinnison, Scott, Thiele, Juttner, Kershaw, Nicholls.

Players Who Won a Cheer

EASILY Sturt's outstanding man in the first half was Bill Bentley, who turned many Torrens thrusts with dash and sureness at full back. His marking was of a high standard, and in kicking off he nearly always found a team mate.

HAD it not been for the sterling air work of Dinnison, the Torrens full back, Sturt would have gone a long way ahead of their opponents. One of Dinnison's high-flying efforts in the second term was a gem. He also kicked off strongly.

SKELLEY'S brilliant roving was a highlight of the Port-North clash. He was always where the ball was, and rarely failed to get rid of it advantageously.

D. TAYLOR was in good form for West. He figured very prominently in West's final burst.

OATEY was in fine form for Norwood. The little fellow was in everything, his clever pick-ups and great courage winning him much applause.

Port Fail To Score In Final Term

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
North	3.1	6.2	9.4	11.7	73
Port	4.3	7.9	9.14	9.14	68

By R. A. B.

IN a game which had its last few minutes to lift it out of mediocrity, North defeated Port by five points at Prospect. North, keeping Port scoreless in the last 25 minutes, enabled them to record their second win for the season.

Goalkickers—North: Farmer (5), West (2), Neville, Rix, Hogben, Coleman. Port: Kellaway, Wotte, Skelley (each 2), Dayman, Sweeney, Dangerfield.

Best Players—North: Martin, Lush, Norton, King, Burton, Rix, Noonan, Farmer. Port: Bampton, Skelley, Roberts, Kellaway, Dangerfield, Gates, Fullwood.

JACK Cockburn, solid South ruckman, pulled more than his weight against Glenelg. Fighting tigerishly throughout, his effort for the blue-and-whites was second only to Crawford's.

CRAWFORD, of South, countered Glenelg's reachy Boyall in ruck at the Bay, but Boyall played a brilliant game when he went forward. He was the mainspring of Glenelg's attack after half-time.

Bays Lead All Day From South

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Glenelg	3.5	11.10	12.14	16.19	115
South	3.1	7.5	11.8	13.12	90

By D. A. S.

PLAY fluctuated with the weather at the Bay, where the home team beat South by 25 points. When the ball was slippery, South's tenacious ground work gave them ascendancy, but when the ball was dry, Glenelg's forwards, led by Boyall, were too good.

Glenelg finished slightly the better, and more cohesive forward work enabled them to keep in front after the first quarter.

GLENELG—Backs: Corbett, Walte, Pike. Half-backs: Curtin, Keane, Goodwin. Centres: Griffith, Robjent, Gillespie. Half-forwards: Masters, Hunt, Trenorden. Forwards: Bailey, House, Burt, Ruck: Boyall, Brock, Hender, Woollard (19th).

SOUTH—Backs: Baker, Boyle, Woodburn. Half-backs: Bourne, Jim Dawes, Schulze. Centres: Doherty, Templeton, Cahill. Half-forwards: Crawford, Hodgson, Jarmyn. Forwards: Wilson, Rusby, Smith, Ruck: Cockburn, Aistrophe, Laphorne, Jolly (19th).

Umpire, L. J. Quinn.

Estimated attendance, 1,000.

South's shrewd move in opening the ruck play with Crawford to shadow Boyall resulted in South winning at the ruck bounces for most of the first quarter.

This, with the quick-witted ground play of their forwards, enabled the blue-and-whites to take an early lead. But Glenelg were threatening danger with superior play at centre, where Robjent handled the ball skillfully in the wet, and with slightly the better of matters in that position.

When Glenelg's rucks found their feet, Bailey began hitting to the rovers, and in a trice South were floundering. They hung on to be only a point behind at the first change.

A goal early in the second quarter, and another one later came from isolated South thrusts, but Glenelg unleashed a dashing non-stop attack to string on six goals in a row.

One or two of their Broken Hill men had been obviously out of touch in the slippery conditions, but they soon found confidence. Boyall's brainy work at forward was largely responsible for the Bays' surge, and the rucks, rovers, and centre players kept hammering in opportunities.

House was a constant scoring threat, but Boyall and Burt had the ball turning their way.

Good Standard

Cockburn's lionhearted efforts in the open and Crawford's fierce knocking in the rucks were two bright patches for South Adelaide.

The game was fought cleanly, and although neither side was showing outstanding pace both kept up a good standard of play in the wet conditions.

The tigers were 29 points ahead of the city team at half-time, and had earned their lead with a whole-hearted team effort. Heavy rain fell during the long interval.

Templeton was taken from centre after half-time, and switched with Hodgson (centre half-forward). The play lost much of its standard, without clean marking, and there was a lot of kicking off the ground.

In a game where speed was nullified by difficult conditions, South's experienced men began to shine, knocking instead of marking. Forcing the ball on, South seized the initiative and clapped on three goals before Glenelg changed to a similar style.

Glenelg had to thank dogged effort by their defenders for a 12-point lead at three-quarter time. Boyall and Crawford were staging a great duel in ruck, both marking repeatedly in the difficult going.

South Press Hard

South were fighting back the hard way, but their style of play was getting results. By sheer force their packs pounded towards the goal, while Glenelg could not get a break in front of centre. Glenelg were giving many frees away.

Gradually South whittled down the leeway, going direct for goal with long punts. They got to within four points before Burt sent Glenelg away with another goal.

The ground was becoming drier, with the result that Glenelg's system began to sparkle again. Boyall with a magnificent long punt from half-forward gave the tigers fresh heart, and South's battling was without effect.

Closing play was a ragged nature, with Glenelg displaying slightly more stamina than South.

Goalkickers—Glenelg: Boyall (5), Burt, House (each 4), Hender (2), Trenorden. South: Crawford (3), Jarmyn, Rusby, Aistrophe, Laphorne (each 2), Doherty, Templeton.

Best Players—Glenelg: Boyall, Robjent, House, Hender, Trenorden, Gillespie, Keane. South: Crawford, Cockburn, Boyle, Cahill, Hodgson, Doherty, Rusby.