

• 12 Bay shots—12 goals, and . . .

REDLEGS KEPT PORT GOING

By DOUG STEELE

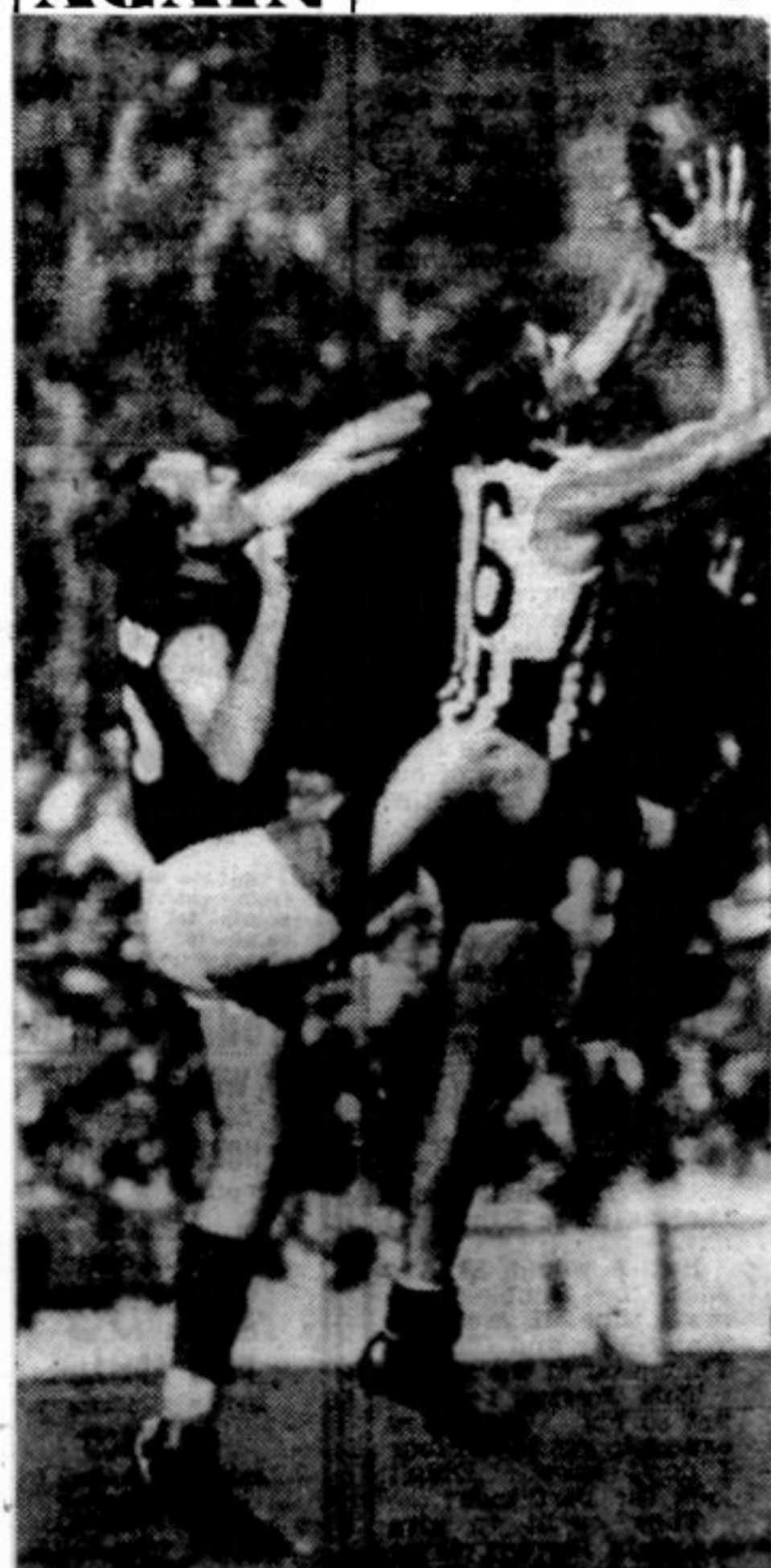
Port's surprise by Norwood, who were within a point of them in the last quarter, and Glenelg's score of 21-13—12 goals without a miss—were features of the league football today.

Glenelg's brilliant win gives them a slight percentage lead over Port on the league premiership table.

Torrens downed Sturt at Thebarton, and North defeated West at Adelaide.

JOHNS AGAIN

Port and Glenelg, the only unbeaten teams after today's games will play each other in a fortnight.



REX JOHNS marks for Port in front of Norwood's Ron Reimann at Kensington Oval today. Johns kicked six goals today to lead the league goalkickers, and help Port defeat Norwood by seven goals.

Glenelg, kicking 21-13 for their 89-point win over South, scored their second highest tally in post war football.

Good football

Their previous highest was in 1950—also at the expense of South at Adelaide Oval. Glenelg then kicked 22-16 to South's 11-17.

Glenelg, after half-time, kicked 14-3 to South's 1-5, including 12 goals without a miss. In the first quarter they kicked 2-7.

After the match, South player Parham was reported for allegedly kicking in the last quarter, and Baker was reported by two umpires for allegedly striking, also in the last quarter.

Davies and May (Glenelg) and Browne and Kimber (South), left the field, but none of their injuries are serious.

In the Port-Norwood game at Kensington Oval, Norwood were within a point of Port, but Port finished with a 42-point win.

Port goalkickers Rex Johns consolidated his claim as the best forward in the league, with six goals opposed to Ron Reimann. Reimann did well to keep him down to six.

Port back pocket player Alan Blagrove was reported for undue rough play in the third quarter by boundary umpire Lance Holden.

Sawford and Hayes (Port) and R. Edwards and R. Dickson (Norwood) were replaced after half-time, but none was seriously hurt.

Lead too big

At Adelaide Oval, North's ruck supremacy was the main factor in their win against West, who have been beaten in their three games this season.

Although West out-scored North in the last half, the early lead was too great and North hung on to win by 17 points.

At Thebarton Oval, Torrens' rucks and rovers dominated the game for Torrens' 43-point win.

Sturt badly missed Goodchild for his attacking brilliance at half-forward. He withdrew before the match because of an injured ankle.

Torrens outclassed Sturt almost everywhere.

Dashing Bays trounce South

By JOHN MEHAFFEY

Playing devastating football in the third quarter, Glenelg rained on goals with comparative ease to outclass South at Glenelg Oval today.

Glenelg won running away by 14 goals 5 behinds.

Revealing greater purpose in ruck, and with a smooth working forward combination, Glenelg played havoc with the South defence.

Davies (ruck), Hewitt (centre), and Wilson (roving) continually went forward with fine teamwork and generally found a forward with accurate passes.

Good kicking

At one stage in the last half Glenelg added 12 goals without a point.

In the first half both teams battled hard but produced little good football.

Strong defensive play kept the Glenelg forwards well off the target early, but whenever South went into attack Butler and Bone led an equally strong Bay defence.

It was pleasing to see comparative unknown Butler outwitting experienced State player Kitchen.

Kitchen received such a drubbing that he was shifted late in the game.

As the game progressed it became apparent that if South were to match

Glenelg, they would have to bypass the direct road to goal.

Solid pressure

Whether by accident or purpose, South began attacking around the flanks in the second quarter, but only occasionally did they break through.

Deane began the game roving, and at half-forward, but Hewitt, at centre proved too good for Richards.

Time and again Hewitt would drive well in, and the South defence was subjected to terrific pressure.

Deane shifted back to centre to begin the last quarter, where he looked far better.

Glenelg won in ruck and away from the bounces, and with Wilson's deadly manoeuvring and foot passing, they added goals at will, especially in the third term.

Fine target

Wright, at centre half-forward, was in everything.

Whenever he was bypassed, Abley, at full forward, gave his teammates a fine target to aim at.

Abley's leads were fast and straight and his kicking for goal was faultless.

The first half was a poor spectacle in comparison with the second.

Best 12 afield

All Glenelg players did exceptionally well.

Apart from Deane, for South, I would say Glenelg had the 12 best players afield.

New players Richens, Fraser, Gregory, and Evans all played well and when reserve player Branson came on late in the game, he showed out more than some of the South men.

South ruck and roving departments were considerably weakened today by the absence of Bland and Peucker—but they would not have altered the result.

Given away

Glenelg got the run of the ball, and every forward won his position. South could not stem the flow of goals.

South became rattled and disorganised, and gave away far too many frees.

South, if they are to improve, must play man to man—not from behind.

Glenelg are in great physical shape and full of confidence, and they will warrant respect from all sides on their showing today.



TODAY'S DETAILS AT A GLANCE

Grounds firm.

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Glenelg	2-7	7-10	17-13	21-13	139
South	1-3	5-9	6-10	6-14	50

BEST PLAYERS. — GLENELG: Hewitt, Davies, Butler, Wright, Wilson, Bone, Abley. SOUTH: Deane, Polden, Arthur, Hewitt, Guy, Richards.

SCORERS. — GLENELG: Abley 5.1, Wright 5.1, Wilson 3.2, Fraser 2.3, Riches 2.0, Robinson 1.2, Edwards 1.2, Gregory 1.0, Davies 1.0, May 0.1, rushed 0.1. SOUTH: Judd 2.2, Yates 1.3, Christie 1.2, Deane 1.2, Adams 1.1, Farrelly 0.1, Parham 0.1, rushed 0.2.

REPLACEMENTS. — GLENELG: Davies (knee) replaced by Flew in last quarter. May (nose injury) replaced by Branson in last quarter. SOUTH: Browne (fatigue) replaced by Farrelly in third quarter. D. Kimber (heavy knock) replaced by Parkinson in last quarter.

REPORTS. — SOUTH: Baker reported by field umpire Sweeney and boundary umpire Mahoney for allegedly striking an opponent in the last quarter. Parham reported by boundary umpire Mahoney for allegedly kicking an opponent in the last quarter.

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Port	2-2	6-8	8-10	14-17	101
Norw'd	4-6	5-6	6-15	7-17	59

BEST PLAYERS — PORT: Motley, Boyd, Hayes, Sawford, Johns, Abley, Whelan. NORWOOD: Fosdike, Aish, Hoffman, Reimann, Nicholls, Olds, Couch.

SCORERS. — PORT: Johns 6.3, Sawford 2.5, F. Williams 2.3, Boyd 1.1, Tom Williams 1.1, Zucker 1.1, Obst 1.0, Thompson 0.2, Trowse 0.1. NORWOOD: Walker 2.4, Fosdike 1.2, Couch 1.1, Hoffman 1.1, Nicholls 1.1, Butler 1.1, Young 0.2, Vivian 0.1, Skinner 0.1, Dickson 0.1, rushed 0.2.

REPLACEMENTS. — PORT: Sawford (leg) replaced by Fabian in last quarter. Hayes (heavy knock) replaced by Coldwell in last quarter. NORWOOD: R. Edwards (leg) replaced by Weisner at three-quarter time. R. Dickson (heavy knock) replaced by Fox in last quarter.

REPORTS. — PORT: Blagrove was reported by boundary umpire L. Holden for undue rough play in the third quarter.

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Torrens	3-2	9-5	12-10	14-12	96
Sturt	0-3	2-6	3-9	7-11	53

BEST PLAYERS — TORRENS: Morrell, Ray Hank, Livesey, Jones, Ashby, Caire, Roberts. STURT: H. Freundt, Sims, Harris, Marshall, Pike, Ludlow, Hunter.

SCORERS. — TORRENS: Oehme 4.2, Livesey 3.1, Ray Hank 2.2, Bob Hank 2.0, Jones 1.2, Morrell 1.1, Coleman 1.0, Slaven 0.1, Head 0.1, Caire 0.1, rushed 0.1. STURT: Halbert 2.2, Caust 1.3, H. Freundt 1.1, Heath 1.1, Ludlow 1.1, Hocking 1.0, Pike 0.1, Marshall 0.1, Martin 0.1.

REPLACEMENTS. — TORRENS: Clingly (stomach complaint) replaced by Graham in third quarter. Morrell (flu) replaced by Rebuli in last quarter. STURT: Blows (shoulder) replaced by Tuckwell in third quarter. Marshall (bruised back) replaced by Martin in last quarter. Goodchild withdrew before start of game with ankle injury.

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
North	4-1	9-3	11-6	12-6	78
West	3-4	5-5	7-11	8-13	61

BEST PLAYERS — NORTH: Rogerson, Yates, Tanner, Lindner, Bubner, Sheppard. WEST: Day, Hewitt, Wright, Benton, Phipps, Williams.

SCORERS. — NORTH: Sheppard 4.2, Lynch 2.1, Trenorden 2.1, Lindner 1.1, Tanner 1.1, Bubner 1.0, Brown 1.0. WEST: Phipps 3.3, Brown 2.2, Benton 1.1, McKay 1.1, Chynoweth 1.0, Wright 0.3, Tregenza 0.1, rushed 0.2.

REPLACEMENTS. — NORTH: Sheppard (heavy knock) replaced by Carter in third quarter. Yates (leg) replaced by Henningsen in last quarter. WEST: A'Court (cramp) replaced by Yeo in last quarter. Rossetto (cramp) replaced by Bray in last quarter.

HIGHEST Glenelg 21-13 (139 pts.) LOWEST South 6-14 (50 pts.)

LEADING GOALKICKERS

	Today	Total
Johns (Port)	6	18
Phipps (West)	3	12
Abley (Glenelg)	5	11
Sawford (Port)	2	9
Ray Hank (Torrens)	2	9
B. Wright (Glenelg)	5	9
Johnson (Norwood)	—	8
Oehme (Torrens)	4	8
Sheppard (North)	4	8

PREMIERSHIP TABLE

	W.	L.	For	Agst.	Pts.	Prem.	%
Glenelg	3	—	322	201	6	6	61.48
Port	3	—	301	189	6	6	61.42
Torrens	2	1	287	250	4	4	53.4
Norwood	2	1	222	235	4	4	48.5
North	2	1	213	228	4	4	48.2
West	—	3	220	269	—	—	44.9
Sturt	—	3	179	251	—	—	41.6
South	—	3	214	335	—	—	38.9