

# TODAY'S FOOTBALL

SAM GALLAGHER SUMS UP . . .

## North resist threat

Reacting strongly to the challenge to their place in the top four, North Adelaide demolished up-and-coming West Torrens with a devastating third quarter at Thebarton today.

North's convincing win and a similarly impressive display by Glenelg against Woodville opened up a one game break between fourth and fifth position.

The gap could be widened next week with North and Glenelg drawn against Norwood and West.

However, neither West nor Norwood was disgraced in defeat today by the league leaders, Sturt and Port.

Sturt struggled all day in the heavy conditions at Unley before retaining their unbeaten record.

They had nearly twice as many scoring shots as West, but fell again into the inaccuracy which plagued them earlier in the season.

West's forward work was not much better as they kicked only four points in the second half.

Bob Day, at centre, was in brilliant form for West, while Rick Schoff, in his return to the Sturt side was out of touch.

At Adelaide, Norwood were outplayed by Port for three quarters, but the Redlegs staged a thrilling last term recovery to put the Magpies under severe pressure in the closing stages.

The Redlegs failed badly at half-forward and it would not surprise if Wynne in fine form at full back today, is switched to centre half-forward for the game against North at Norwood next week.

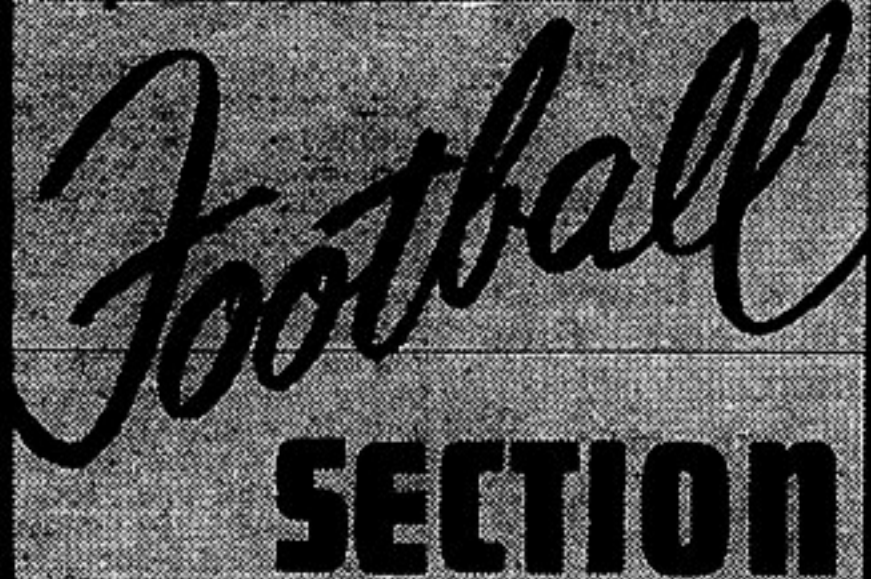
At Thebarton, potential matchwinners in Barrie Robran and Brian Mulvihill were shut out by Glen Pill and Arch Wilkey, but North took complete control after an indifferent first half.

### No answer

Rebounding from a dashing defence, North got their flow-on game working in the third term and the Eagles had no answer.

Torrens in sixth place, one game behind Norwood but with a better percentage will probably have to wait until Saturday week for a chance to bridge the gap.

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## New Carman move likely

Norwood may have a new move open to them on the controversial Philip Carman clearance case.

The Redlegs may apply again for a clearance for the young first year star.

The SA National Football League's promotions officer, Mr. Don Roach said tonight: "Some doubt exists whether the Victorian Football League's June 30 deadline is valid under Australian National Football Council rules."

"It is generally felt that the relevant ANFC period for clearances is between February and October."

"There is a feeling that Norwood should send a prepared application for a clearance from Collingwood."

Last night at a special meeting of the SANFL at Football House, Norwood unsuccessfully moved that the league should disaffiliate from the ANFC.

The move was made by Norwood through Mr. Ern Wadham because he was "not very happy" at the way the league was handling the Carman clearance dispute.



**I CALL IT AS I SEE IT ...**  
**BY DOUG THOMAS**  
 AS TOLD TO JOHN HEALEY

**I MENTIONED** recently that Torrens will have no players' contracts next year. If Glenelg did this it would be goodbye to Wayne Phillis. It's common knowledge that he has signed with the Tigers — the Victorian Tigers, Richmond, who have also signed Fred Phillis and Woodville's Craig McKellar on Form Fours (which hold a player for two years should he move to Victoria). And Richmond really want Wayne. Last year's VFL premiers have been going bad and they'll pay BIG money for W. Phillis. Glenelg won't release him, but a 20-year-old unmarried lad could be prepared to stand down for two years. Wayne's comment to me: "No comment."

## AT A GLANCE

### AT ADELAIDE

Port	6-2	10-4	14-5	16-11	107
Nwd	4-0	6-1	8-2	14-3	87

SCORERS—PORT: J. Cahill 5.1, Broadbridge 3.1, Wolte 3.0, Ebert 1.3, Freeman 1.2, Sorrell 1.1, Potter 1.1, Haslam 1.0, rushed 0.2. NORWOOD: Woolford 4.0, Coligan 3.1, Woodcock 3.0, Chapman 1.1, Shilla-beer 1.0, P. Oatey 1.0, Roach 1.0, R. Oatey 0.1.

BEST PLAYERS—PORT: J. Cahill, Clayton, Potter, Wyland, Obst, Egan, Ebert, Broadbridge. NORWOOD: Roach, Porritt, Wynne, P. Oatey, Chapman, R. Oatey, Packer, McInnes.

REPLACEMENTS—PORT: Dittmar by Thiele, last quarter. NORWOOD: Pettingill by Goodale and Woodcock (bruised thigh) by French, last quarter.

UMPIRE—R. G. Lean.

### AT THEBARTON

North	1-4	2-9	10-11	13-14	92
Torr.	2-1	2-1	3-3	5-5	35

SCORERS—NORTH: N. Sachse 5.1, Hearl 4.6, Cearns 2.0, Bamfield 1.1, Anderson 1.1, Burns 0.1, Webb 0.1, Patterson 0.1, rushed 0.2. TORRENS: Stokes 2.1, McSporran 1.1, Mulvihill 1.1, Birt 1.0, Floreani 0.1, Tye 0.1.

BEST PLAYERS—NORTH: Paull, Wilkey, Webb, Phillips, Hammond, Hearl, Burns, Sachse. TORRENS: F. Bills, Birt, Pill, Graham, Wildy, Leonard, Phillipou.

REPLACEMENTS—NORTH: O'Shannessy by Roach last term, Robran by Patterson last term. TORRENS: Perks (hamstring) by Gould, second term, Gould (hamstring) by Caldwell, third term.

REPORTS—Tye (Torrens) third term for striking, N. Sachse (North) last term, for striking.

UMPIRE—M. C. O'Connell.

### AT UNLEY

Sturt	2-4	2-12	4-17	4-19	43
West	4-2	5-3	5-5	5-7	37

SCORERS—STURT: Greenslade 2.8, Tilbrook 1.0, Nunan 1.0, Friedrichs 0.3, Rigney 0.2, Schoff 0.2, Bagshaw 0.1, Ottens 0.1, Chessell 0.1, Raymond 0.1. WEST: Jonas 4.1, Day 1.0, Farmer 0.2, Burkett 0.1, Wallis 0.1, Haupt 0.1, rushed 0.1.

UMPIRE—J. Caulfield.

### AT WOODVILLE

Glen.	5-4	10-8	19-12	21-16	142
Wdv.	3-2	6-5	9-8	14-12	96

BEST PLAYERS—GLENELG: Voigt, Moss, D. Phillis, Anesbury, Sandland, Colbey, Eustice, Marker, Hockridge. WOODVILLE: Huppertz, Allen, Holland, Simunsen, Sewer, Cummins, Blight, Syvertsen, Ogilvie.

SCORERS—GLENELG: D. Phillis 8.7, Anesbury 6.1, Voigt 4.2, Pattinson 1.1, W. Phillis 1.1, Sandland 1.0, Osborn 0.1, Rawson 0.1, Eustice 0.1, rushed 0.1. WOODVILLE: Huppertz 3.1, MacVicar 3.0, Cummins 2.1, Allen 2.0, Blight 2.0, Girardi 1.2, Scott 1.0, Sewer 0.2, Rutho 0.2, rushed 0.4.

REPLACEMENTS—GLENELG: Moss (slight concussion) by Morgan, last term, Pattinson (cramp) replaced by Fitzgerald, last term. WOODVILLE: Peters by Scott, third term, Barbary (cramp) by Johnson, last term.

UMPIRE—M. Ducker.

### AT ELIZABETH

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Cent.	3-8	3-8	9-10	14-12	94
South	1-0	2-4	3-8	5-10	40

SCORERS—CENTRALS: Harris 4.2, Daly 3.1, Saywell 2.2, Casserly 2.0, Muir 1.2, Fairclough 1.0, Mobbs 1.0, Norsworthy 0.2, Vivian 0.1, rushed 0.2. SOUTH: Darley 1.2, Coombe 1.1, Backman 1.0, Pascoe 1.0, Grimes 1.0, Howlett 0.4, Foster 0.1, McCarthy 0.1, Ryan 0.1.

BEST PLAYERS—CENTRALS: Swinstead, Nicks, Farnham, Casserly, Daly, Vivian, Davis. SOUTH: Backman, Schmidt, Cock, Darley, McCarthy, Rowell, Foster.

UMPIRE—D. Foster.

### PREMIERSHIP TABLE

	W.	L.	For	Agst.	Pts.	%
Sturt	12	—	1414	862	24	62.12
Port	10	2	1347	990	20	57.63
North	7	5	1342	1032	14	56.52
Glenelg	7	5	1370	1314	14	51.04
Norwood	6	6	1121	1219	12	47.90
Torrens	5	7	1177	1215	10	49.20
West	5	7	953	1128	10	45.79
Woodville	5	7	1155	1384	10	45.49
Centrals	2	10	1008	1261	4	44.42
South	1	11	928	1410	2	39.69

### TOP GOALKICKERS

	Today	Matches	Total
D. K. Phillis (Glenelg)	8-7	12	70-36
Greenslade (Sturt)	2-8	11	47-41
Coligan (Norwood)	3-1	11	42-25
Freeman (Port)	1-2	9	38-23
Jonas (West)	4-1	12	38-32
Howlett (South)	0-4	12	37-32
Tierney (Torrens)	—	8	35-20

### ATTENDANCES

Adelaide	16,099
Elizabeth	3,036
Thebarton	8,102
Unley	7,647
Woodville	4,647

39,531  
 Season total 534,468  
 1969 total 528,257

## AT WOODVILLE

A magnificent first half by Phillis, coupled with a blistering third term team effort, enabled Glenelg to cruise to a convincing win over Woodville at Woodville Oval.

At the half-way mark, Glenelg's D. Phillis was the only difference between the two sides.

His strong marking and straight kicking capitalised fully on the spasmodic attacks generated by the Bays to give them a handy 27-point lead to this stage. Woodville's approach to the game early was far different to that against Torrens a fortnight ago, and they did not allow Glenelg to employ any positive method.

Although Kernahan and Hockridge took charge of the rucks early, and Glenelg rovers were busy in the Woodville defence, led by Simunsen kept them at bay.

But even at this stage Phillis loomed as a big danger, and Woodville were forced to switch Ogilvie and Syvertsen early in the second term.

The switch brought a positive result in that both Phillis and Sandland were subdued but the damage had been done.

At half-time, Woodville were still in the game, even though they

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## WOODVILLE NO MATCH FOR BAYS

BY GERRY HARRISON

were forced to attack via the flanks as Moss had completely closed the direct route to goal.

However, they fell apart in the third term when the Bays clicked into gear and asserted severe pressure all around the ground.

Simunsen, who had been the backbone of the side, although suffering from a bout of the flu, faded out of the game completely. Accordingly, the Woodville defence was subjected to an incessant barrage of Glenelg attacks with all players getting into the act.

The Bays kicked long and high allowing the marking ability of Sandland and the Phillis brothers to do the rest.

Their aerial superiority transformed the side. Woodville placed the

emphasis on curtailing Phillis and Sandland but this allowed Anesbury, Voigt, Pattinson, and Osborn to slip in unguarded.

The task of the Bay defenders was simplified by the fact that Woodville gained little from across centre and were completely eclipsed across half-back.

Allen was the only player to give them drive, but he was always under pressure and forced to kick to the flanks.

Leading by 64 points at the last change, Glenelg had set the stage for a complete kill, but they failed to press home their advantage to the full.

They dropped in concentration and lapsed into over-indulgence in handball and fruitless short passing which allowed Woodville to regain noise

### NEXT WEEK

- South v. Woodville (Adelaide)
- Port v. Centrals (Alberton)
- Glenelg v. West (Glenelg)
- Norwood v. North (Norwood)
- Torrens v. Sturt (Thebarton)