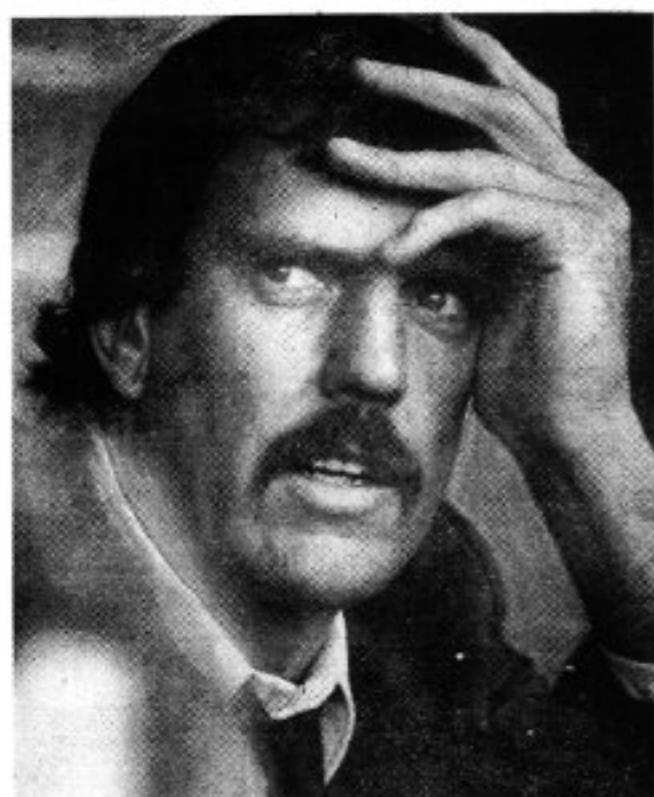


DISPUTE OVER THREE GOALS

Robran will make report



Where do we go from here?

Woodville is facing its biggest crisis since entering league ranks. That's the picture emerging following its 126-point drubbing by a merciless Glenelg at Woodville yesterday. Having reached the finals last year for the first time, Woodville have gone under to West Torrens by two goals in the opening round, 113 points to Sturt, 161 points to Port and 73 points to North Adelaide. And to rub salt into the Peckers' already gaping wounds, yesterday's massacre was Glenelg's highest score and biggest win at Woodville. It was a worn out, despondent Barry Goodingham (above) who watched the slaughter from the coaches' bench. He, and other Woodville hierarchy, were inaccessible to the Press after the match—in conference lamenting on what can be done to restore some respectability and spirit to the Woodville camp—PETER PRIME.

The Duck—new scare!

Magarey Medallist John Duckworth scared the Central District camp when he left Football Park yesterday with an injured left wrist in the third quarter against North Adelaide.

But Duckworth resumed later in the term after having his wrist heavily bandaged.

It was swollen after the match but the Bulldog strongman said he would be available to play against West Adelaide at Elizabeth on Saturday.

Duckworth kicked four of Central's 19 goals playing at full forward.

He was returning after the split-kidney injury suffered in the first match of the season against Port

By  **ASHLEY PORTER**

Three disputed goals marred the Central District - North Adelaide match at Football Park yesterday.

North coach Barrie Robran said last night he would make a report on the goal Central half-forward Wilbur Wilson was awarded on the half-time siren.

Central beat North 19-15 (129 points) to 17-12 (114).

Central claimed North rover Chris Pelle kicked points in the second and third quarters, but was awarded goals both times. The Bulldogs are unlikely to make a report on those incidents.

Wilson was awarded a free for legging by field umpire Brenton O'Connor seconds before the half-time siren.

Wilson appeared to play on and, when the siren sounded, he continued his run and goaled.

North acting captain Trevor Hill then argued with O'Connor and Robran joined them at centre half-forward, disputing the goal until they reached the boundary.

Robran said afterwards several of his players told him they saw one of the umpires signal play-on.

Rick Kinnear was the other field umpire.

"I will be putting all of this in a report to the SANFL," Robran said.

"It was disappointing, but it is not going to change the game now," he said.

Central coach Darryl Hicks said he was not wor-

ried by the goal incidents. "That can happen in football," he said.

"There is no issue. If someone wants to make one of Wilbur's goal then we will talk about the two awarded to North."

Unbeaten

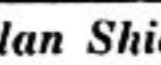
West Torrens remained unbeaten and on top of the premiership table with a sound win over Norwood at Thebarton.

Port Adelaide changed West Adelaide back into a mild-looking side with a 117 point thrashing at Alberton. It was a far cry from West's thrashing of Sturt at Richmond last week.

For the fifth week in a row Woodville was crushed. This time it was Glenelg by 126 points at Woodville.

South Adelaide shrugged off the ill-effects of playing against St Kilda last Tuesday night and beat Sturt by three points at Adelaide Oval.

Yesterday's fifth round again attracted good crowds. Alberton drew 10,405 people, while 10,098 went to Thebarton.

By  **ALAN SHIELL**

Adelaide at Elizabeth.

Sturt ruckman Trevor Sims tore groin muscles against South Adelaide at Adelaide Oval and will miss three or four games.

Sims went off in the first quarter and did not resume.

Norwood defender David Armour suffered a depressed fracture of the left

cheekbone against West Torrens at Thebarton.

He was replaced in the third quarter, and could miss at least four matches.

Torrens half-back Peter Phillipou broke his nose in a heavy collision with Peter Cousins — the Eagles' other half-back flanker — in the opening minute of play.

Phillipou went off for a brief spell before returning later in the term.

Tigers romp in

Glenelg outran, out-kicked and generally outplayed a despondent Woodville in a one-sided affair at Woodville Oval yesterday.

The straight-shooting Tigers were never headed and their hollow win once again highlighted the problems facing Barry Goodingham and his boys from Oval Avenue.

Just where does Woodville go from here, Pecker supporters could be asking themselves.

Yesterday Woodville tried hard but they couldn't match Glenelg in any section.

The powerful Glenelg machine moved into top gear almost from the opening siren, and by quarter time, a crystal ball wasn't needed to predict Woodville was in for another drubbing.

Speaking after the game, Glenelg coach John Halbert described the victory as pleasing.

"It was a real pressure game for us, but our boys

prepared themselves well," he said.

Last year, Woodville had a distinct edge over Glenelg, winning all their encounters.

But it was a different story yesterday.

Glenelg had many good players, but none better than rovers, Peter McInerney and Kym Hodgeman.

Courageous and a constant source of inspiration, to their teammates, the mosquito-sized pair created havoc, finishing with nine goals between them.

Strongman Peter Carey was another architect in ruck, along with Colin MacVicar, who always

seems to perform well against his former teammates.

Young David Marshall continues to impress on a wing, using the ball by either hand or foot to great effect.

These players, together with a strong, tough rebounding defence and an opportunist, straight-kicking forward line, were too much for an often ragged Woodville.

For Woodville, acting captain Ralph Sewer was creative in the square and around the forward line, Brian Close battled valiantly and rover Darryl Hewitt picked up many kicks.

But all said, it was left by too few to do too much.

Glenelg 29-11, Woodville 8-11

By  **PETER PRIME**

LEAGUE DETAILS

ADELAIDE OVAL

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
South	4-3	11-7	15-11	18-19	127
Sturt	4-6	7-11	12-14	18-16	124

BEST—SOUTH: Collins, Naley, Slattery, White, Baynes, Palmer. STURT: Davies, Magarey, Friedrichs, Casey, Sanders, Reed.

SCORERS—SOUTH: Collins 5.2, Schneebchler 5.1, Linke 2-3, Naley 2.2, Slattery 2.1, Cox 1.1, Spiel 1.0, Fairclough 0.3, Hately 0.2, Butler 0.1, rushed 0.3. STURT: Hollis 3.2, P. Heinrich 3.1, Graham 2.2, Friedrichs 2.1, Magarey 2.1, Smith 2.1, Davies 1.1, Howard 1.1, Wilson 1.0, Whelan 1.0, Sims 0.1, Hill 0.1, rushed 0.4.

INJURIES—STURT: Sims (torn groin muscle), Neil Craig (thigh).

UMPIRES—Peter Mead and Frank McHugh.

ALBERTON OVAL

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Port	6-2	12-8	19-13	28-19	187
West	3-3	6-5	8-8	10-10	70

BEST—PORT: Evans, Williams, Phillips, Eckermann, Kinnear, Ebert. WEST: Anderson, Meuret, Fielke, Drew, Hamilton.

SCORERS—PORT: Evans 16.5, Faletic 3.1, Agius 2.2, Clifford 1.2, Belton 1.2, Natt 1.0, Cahill 1.0, Abernethy 1.0, Kinnear 1.0, Hofner 1.0, Ebert 0.1, Granger 0.1, rushed 0.5. WEST: Meuret 4.3, Anderson 2.2, Broderick 1.2, Summerton 1.1, Rechner 1.0, Morris 1.0, Donaldson 0.1, rushed 0.1.

UMPIRES—Bob Scholefield and Ric Charlesworth.

FOOTBALL PARK

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Central	4-5	11-9	16-12	19-15	129
North	1-5	7-9	13-10	17-12	114

BEST—CENTRAL: Jonas, Norsworthy, Vivian, Cowie, Van Dommele, Wilson. NORTH: Hill, Stringer, Tiller, Nunan, McAdam, Redden.

SCORERS—CENTRAL: Duckworth 4.2, Wilson 4.2, Gillies 3.3, M. Norsworthy 2.2, Jonas 2.1, Lehmann 1.1, Trigg 1.0, Cowie 1.0, Ruciack 1.0, Van Dommele 0.1, rushed 0.3. NORTH: Doherty 3.0, Hill 2.2, Hartfield 2.1, Algate 2.1, Pelle 2.0, Doszua 2.0, Redden 1.1, Wildy 1.1, McAdam 1.1, Gehling 1.1, Stringer 0.2, Downie 0.1, rushed 0.1.

INJURIES—CENTRAL: Duckworth (swollen left forearm).

UMPIRES—Brenton O'Connor, Rick Kinnear.

THEBARTON OVAL

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Torrens	2-5	6-10	12-14	18-20	128
Norwood	2-4	2-8	7-12	11-16	82

BEST—TORRENS: Lindsay, Hill, Cox, Cousins, Marriott, Enright, Rendell, McSparran, Primmer, NORWOOD: Taylor, Gallagher, Stemp, Rosser, Dunstan, Thiel, Jenkins.

SCORERS—TORRENS: Roberts 3.1, Inglis 2.3, Galt 2.1, Lindsay 2.1, Hill 2.0, Hewitt 2.0, McSparran 2.0, Primmer 1.4, Rendell 1.2, White 1.0, Hanna 0.2, Marriott 0.2, Jackman 0.1, Flew 0.1, rushed 0.2. NORWOOD: Woodcock 4.1, Hoffman 2.0, Taylor 1.2, Kerley 1.2, Dunstan 1.1, Jenkins 1.0, Zadow 1.0, Thomas 0.2, Callaghan 0.2, Menzel 0.2, Turbill 0.1, rushed 0.3.

INJURIES—TORRENS: Phillipou (broken nose), NORWOOD: Armour (depressed cheekbone fracture).

UMPIRES—Des Foster, Graham Hilton.

WOODVILLE OVAL

	1st	2nd	3rd	Final	Pts.
Glenelg	8-1	17-4	21-7	29-11	185
Woodville	2-4	6-6	7-8	8-11	59

BEST—GLENELG: McInerney, Hodgeman, Carey, Marshall, Cornes, MacVicar, Walter, Armfield, Weston, Holts. WOODVILLE: Sewer, Close, D. Hewitt, Sapwell, Hutton.

SCORERS—GLENELG: Walter 7.0, McInerney 5.3, Hodgeman 4.2, Carey 2.1, Copping 2.1, Anderson 2.0, Bradley 2.0, Cornes 2.0, Woite 1.0, Marshall 1.0, Caldwell 1.0, Weston 0.2, MacFarlane 0.1, rushed 0.1. WOODVILLE: D. Hewitt 2.1, Vince 1.2, Jacquier 1.1, Lukosius 1.0, Close 1.0, Hutton 1.0, Taheny 1.0, Carty 0.2, Sewer 0.2, Sapwell 0.1, rushed 0.2.

UMPIRES—John Hilton, Laurie Argent.

LEADING GOALKICKERS

	Games	Yest	Total
Evans (Port)	5	16-5	34-14
Walter (Glenelg)	5	7-0	19-4
Linke (South)	5	2-3	17-7
Faletic (Port)	5	3-1	15-12
McInerney (Glenelg)	5	5-3	13-7

PREMIERSHIP TABLE

	W	L	D	F	A	Pts	%
Torrens	5	—	—	529	378	10	58.32
Port	4	—	1	767	357	9	68.24
Glenelg	4	1	—	694	413	8	62.69
South	3	2	—	487	424	6	53.46
Central	2	2	1	493	565	5	46.60
Sturt	2	3	—	578	557	4	50.93
Norwood	2	3	—	479	557	4	46.24
North	1	4	—	561	592	2	48.66
West	1	4	—	393	652	2	37.61
Woodville	—	5	—	414	899	—	31.53

CROWDS

Football Park	6837
Alberton	10,405
Adelaide Oval	9769
Woodville	3979
Thebarton	10,098
Total	41,088

PROGRAM

Saturday—Torrens v North (Football Park); Central v West (Elizabeth); Woodville v South (Woodville); Sturt v Port (Unley). Sunday—Norwood v Glenelg (Football Park).

INTERSTATE FOOTBALL

MELBOURNE—Richmond 12-16, Geelong 10-17, Collingwood 26-12, Saint Kilda 16-12, Hawthorn 19-16, Footscray 18-5; North Melbourne 18-11, Carlton 12-15; Essendon 15-23, Fitzroy 16-12; South Melbourne 19-16, Melbourne 15-14. PERTH—Swan Districts 27-32, Subiaco 8-15; Perth 18-22, East Perth 16-10; West Perth 26-24, East Fremantle 11-9; Claremont 21-18, South Fremantle 22-11.