Ringwood Show

SATURDAY, 14th APRIL

RINGWOOD SHOW AND SPORTS

SATURDAY NEXT

GREAT ENTRIES—MANY ATTRACTIONS.

On Saturday the much anticipated show and sports will occupy the several halls and the recreation reserve.

No less than 40 entries have been received for the wood chops, while six teams will engage in tug-o'-war. The cleats and harness have been kindly loaned by the Metropolitan Fire Board. Horses and riders will compete in musical chairs, rings and bending races.

There will be a motor car slow race, whilst a motor cycle flag race will provide thrills.

Footracing, tossing the caber and sheaf, school children's races, 120 yards district championship and numerous post entry events will make it a crowded afternoon.

There will be side shows of many kinds, with luncheon and other booths. A miniature railway will be a centre of attraction.

The committee has arranged a motor park in the enclosure alongside McLeland's sale yards, where for sixpence cars may be parked under supervision.

Horses will only be admitted at the Ringwood street entrance to the reserve.

The Lilydale Brass Band will play during the afternoon, and, to add to the pleasure of patrons, results and other information will be broadcasted from amplifiers installed on the ground.

At night the famous 3DB entertainers, with Mr Reg. Brown at the piano, will delight everybody.

The admission has been fixed at popular prices.

The charge for the afternoon session for both show and sports will be one shilling, while at evening a shilling will admit to both show and concert. Children in each instance will be charged sixpence.

WEDDING.

WOODWARD—BRIEN.

A pretty wedding was celebrated between Mr A. E. Woodward, eldest son of Mr and Mrs Woodward, of Yarrawonga, and Miss Hazel Brien, only daughter of Mr and Mrs Brien, of Main Street, Croydon, in St. Columbas Church of England, Hawthorn. Archdeacon Herring was the officiating clergyman. The bride was supported by Miss Ann Woodward, bridesmaid (sister of the bridegroom) with little Dorothy Brien, niece of the bride, train-bearer. The best man was Mr Les Brien, brother of the bride.

The bride wore a graceful white silk lace gown tastefully cut to form a train at the back. The veil was lent by her cousin, Mrs D. Rogerson, of Box Hill, and was arranged to form a halo around the face. The bridal bouquet was of tiger lilies and frangi panni. The bridesmaid was gowned in old gold pebble crepe, worn with a green tune hat, while the trainbearer was daintily dressed in a white Kate Greenaway frock. During the signing of the register Mr H. Broughton sang "Because."

The wedding breakfast took place at the Melba Hall, Auburn. Many telegrams, conveying congratulations, were received. Presents from groom to bride were a topaz brooch, while the bridesmaid received a crystal necklet, and the trainbearer a gold bangle. The bride's gift to the groom was a gold wristet watch. The usual toasts were submitted and responded to.

After a most enjoyable dance and games the bride and groom left on their honeymoon. Included in the guest list were: Mrs Woodward (mother of groom), who chose black and white morocain, hat to match; Brien (mother of bride), black elephant skin, hat to match; Mrs M. O'Brien (groom's aunt), floral brown crepella, hat to match; Mrs Young (bride's aunt), black satin and lace; Mrs Broughton (bride's aunt), black silk lace, velvet coatee; Mrs Alex. Brienn long black satin, white toque; Mrs Albert Brien, floral morocain, black silk coat; Mrs S. Prudden, green check crepe de chene; Mrs F. Turner, black georgette and lace, black chiffon velvet coatee; Mrs Chapman-Broughton, black lace; Mrs D. Rogerson, red georgette chiffon, velvet coatee; Mrs Crawford, black and white georgette, hat to match; Messrs Brien, senr., Alex. Brien, Leslie Brien, Abert Brien, Reginad Brien, Jack Allen, Gordon Foster, W. Young (bride's uncle), J. Young, D. Kildare, T. Vass, W. Byrie, H. Broughton, F. Turner and G. Heather.

The breakfast and reception arrangements were excellently carried out by Mr and Mrs Alex Brien (Hawthorn), assisted by Mrs Shaw and Mrs Edwards.

RINGWOOD BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

The Mayoress, Mrs A. T. Miles, presided at the monthly meeting of the Ringwood Benevolent Society held in the Town Hall on Monday afternoon, when Mesdames Wigley, F. Matthews, W. Mackinlay, A. Organ and H. E. Watson were in attendance. As funds are urgently needed to provide warm clothes and necessities for the less fortunate, it was resolved to hold a concert and sale of gifts early in May, when representatives from the various churches will be asked to co-operate.

OBITUARY

MR. J. B. McALPIN, J.P.

Death has removed a well known figure in the person of the late ex-Cr J. B. McAlpin, J.P., from the activities of busy scenes at Ringwood.

After a long illness, Mr J. B. McAlpin passed away at his residence, Warrandyte road, Ringwood, on Saturday evening.

At the time of his demise he was 53 years of age, having come to the Ringwood district in boyhood.

He filled the office of councillor and president of the Shire of Lilydale, and was a Justice of the Peace for the bailiwick.

On the separation of the Ringwood area from the Shire Council, he was elected one of the first councillors, and filled the office of Mayor, resigning owing to ill-health.

He was also at periods secretary to the Horticultural Society, and president of the Ringwood Progress Association, and trustee of the Ringwood Methodist Church.

Successful in business, he brought to bear on his public duties the same attributes. An aged mother, two brothers, Messrs D. B. and K. G. McAlpin, and two sisters, Miss Annie McAlpin and Miss Gertrude McAlpin, survive.

A widow, two sons, Derick and Ivan, and a daughter, Marjorie, are left to mourn their loss.

The funeral, which was a private one, took place to the Box Hill cemetery on Monday, when the service of the Methodist Church was read by Revs E. B. Bond and Dennis, of Ringwood.

Sympathy will go out to Mrs J. B. McAlpin, her family and the sorrowing relatives.

SUSTENANCE MINISTER AT RINGWOOD.

Speaking at the annual meeting of the Ringwood Branch of the Australian Women's National League, Dr Clive Shields, Minister for Sustenance, said that it was to industry that they had to look for the solution of unemployment, and it was for the Government to relieve industry as far as possible from its burdens. They had a duty to the unemployed, and the Argyle Government, which had the advantage over the previous one of access to loan moneys, denied their predecessors. At the 31st December, 1933, there were 30,000 units in receipt of sustenance, and only 6000 of these working for sustenance, whilst at 31st December, 1933, with 23,000 units, 17,000 were working. In March, 1933, with 27,000 units, 7000 were giving service, whilst in March of this year with 23,000 registered, 18,000 were giving service in return for sustenance. He wished it understood that those working for sustenance were paid at the hourly rate of the basic wage. In July, 1932, 56,000 were registered as unemployed. To-day this number was 31,000. The Argyle Government could be credited for much of this result. The scrutiny was such that imposition and fraud were discovered and punished. Family responsibility was also being restored. An amount of £4,500,000 had been collected and spent on sustenance relief, and at the end of the present financial year £1,685,000 will have been collected and devoted not only to sustenance, but also in providing funds for Government and semi-Government purposes by way of relief work. £50,000 was spent in clothing and boots (£25,000 for the coming year), £1500 was distributed weekly in providing firewood, £4000 per year for books for the children of destitute unemployed, £100 weekly for leather for boot repairs. For the payment of rent, 8/ per week was being provided for 1400 people, £3000 per year for milk to provide extra nourishment for school children, while for food for expectant mothers £7000 per year. Loan moneys advanced for relief work, such as forests, water supply, country sewerage, and C.R.B. roads was £5,750,0000, and it was expected that £1,100,000 would be available for the winter. Not only had money been made available for metropolitan work, but likewise over £2,000,000 had been made available to the country. Much useful work had been performed in an endeavour to provied work for girls, and these were registered at sustenance on the principle of local employment for local girls. 900 had been so employed in March, and it appeared to him that there were not many girls and women unemployed. The problem of the unemployed boys was greater, but thanks to the Boys' Employment Council and Y.M.C.A., work had been found for 5000 out of 6000 registered.

RINGWOOD COURT.

MONDAY, 9th APRIL, 1934.
(Before Messrs A. T. Miles, R. V. H. Tribolet and Treyvaud.)

Trains Breaches.

A. M. McDonald, of Carlton, and William Rutledge, Richmond, for riding motor cycles without lights, were fined, as was Peter Reville, of Collingwood.

Wandering Stock

A. M. Miller was fined 2/6, with 2/6 costs, for a jersey heifer, and T. Lappin 1/ with 6/ costs for a black jersey cow.

Both these defendants explained that their stock had merely strayed from their property, and was not being depastured on the roads. The bench accepted the explanations, and the fines thus recorded were nominal.

Carrier's Licence.

Henry Torkoe was granted a carrier's licence.

WONGA PARK

SUCCESSFUL FUNCTION.

The fair held on Easter Saturday at Wonga Park in aid of the kindergarten and social room for the Union Church, Yarra road, was a pronounced success. Mr W. H. deeARr MFArtfprs, Id emfw mb Everard, M.L.A., and Rev J. J. Proctor opened the fair. A beautiful bouquet of pink carnations was presented to Mr Everard for Mrs Everard by Jean Rose. The popular member for Evelyn responded appropriately. Brisk trade was done at the beautifully decorated and artistically arraged stalls. The following were the attentive stallholders:—Fancy, Mrs W. Lawrence, Misses B. Smith, E. Burke; cake stall, Mrs C. Fulford; sweets, Mrs R. Long; produce, Mr R. Long; book and sunday, Miss Tate; mystery, Misses Knee and Valda Kear; flower, Misses Gwen Kear and Jean Ross; ice cream and drinks, Misses Madge and Clarice Maggs and May Smith; dips, etc., Miss Pearl Beckhurst and Alick McLeod; vegetables, Mr Mayhew; refreshments, Mrs Jack Knee (supervisor), and Mesdames Wines, Mentha, Hurst, Hooper, Cameron, Symons, Rose and T. S. Knee.

Mr Everard, Rev J. J. Proctor, and Cr and Mrs Tribolet were served with afternoon tea by Mrs J. and T. S. Knee and Mrs Wines.

The sports programme was interesting, and the organisers were Messrs Ahern, Wright, Beckhurst, Fulford, Knee, E. Lawrence and W. Lawrence. Clarrie Kear was in charge of pegging the treasure. The Croydon Presbyterian Concert Party gave items at the concert, as did the South Warrandyte party of friends, and Mr A. Maggs gave violin solos in a pleasing manner. The fancy dress parade preceded the distribution of prizes by Mr Ahrens, who occupied the chair at the concert. There were several donations and gift parcels forwarded to help the worthy cause. The prize for the best essay on Easter by Sunday school scholars went to Edna Hunt.

The fair realised £50. Mr A. A. Beckhurst was the secretary, and Mrs T. S. Knee he untiring hon. treasurer.

At the annual meeting of the Wonga Park Improvement Association, satisfactory treasurer's and secretary's reports were submitted and adopted. Mr F. S. Brown was re-elected president, Mr W. Sinclair re-elected president, Mr H. N. Read vice-president, Mr W. Sinclair secretary and treasurer, and Mr W. Farrow auditor.

Miss Read and Mr L. Read organised a successful dance on behalf of the funds of the Cricket Club on Saturday evening. Mr H. Read was a capable M.C., and Mr G. West attended to the door. Supper was served by Mesdames Best, G. Edyvane and H. N. Read. A Monte Carlo dance went to Miss Symonds and Mr Grose, and a lucky cap prize to Mr W. Hogarth.

Scots Church, Ringwood.

Most successful harvest thanksgiving services were conducted on Sunday. In the morning service was aken by Rev J. T. Lawton, M.A., and in the evening by Rev A. S. Houston, interim moderator of the congregation.

The church was well filled on each occasion, and the gifts had been attractively arranged on the enlarged dais under the supervision of Miss McGillivray.

On Monday afternoon Mr and Mrs S. B. Ansell kindly packed the fruits, vegetables and groceries, two car loads of which were taken to the Fitzroy mission by Messrs Pollard and Hamilton.

Miss Smith conducted the members of the party over the mission settlement, where gifts of this nature are put to such good use.

It is understood that the Presbytery of Melbourne North has decided to form a new charge, comprising Ringwood, Croydon and Warrandyte congregations. This step, so long hoped for by Presbyterians of the district, indicates a definite advance.

The Methodist Ladies' Guild held an American tea at the residence of Mrs Dean, Hewish road, Croydon, on Tuesday, where the lounge and verandah were beautifully decorated with ferns, smilax, dahlias, autumn leaves and berries. A stall stocked with useful saleable articles was well patronised by the ladies present. A song, "My Task," was nicely rendered by Mrs Cozens, and a recitation, "Cohen at the phone," by Mrs Jeffries was much appreciated by those present. A competition was won by Mrs F. Morris, and afternoon tea was served by Mrs Dean and members of the Ladies' Guild. The financial result was very satisfactory.

Among those present were: Mrs Thorpe (president), Mrs Marsham (secretary), Miss Miller (treasurer), Mesdames Cozens, Collins, Camm, Coates, J. Morris, F. Morris, Dean, Tremaune, Jeffries, Yde, McGivern, Well, Misses Robinson and Webb.

SOUTH WARRANDYTE

The following have been elected to the school committee:—Cr J. V. Colman (chairman), Mrs T. Symons (treasurer) and Mrs G. H. Tortice, Messrs G. H. Tortice (correspondent), Dwight, Parker and Robertson. The committee has made available funds to provide books for the new programme of instruction. Empire Day is to be suitably celebrated.

UPPER CROYDON

At the instance of the secretary, Mr A. A. Beckhurst, a vote of thanks was tendered to Mr Everard, which was carried by acclamation.

The fine sports in the arena drew a large crowd. An open wood chop was won by Mr Maxwell, with C. Fulford 2nd, and D. Mullens 3rd W. Best won the 100 yards sprint, whilst the slow bicycle race went to A. Dawson. Mr W. Edyvane was successful in the married men's race, and Mr H. Smith that for the bachelors. Miss N. Dawson carried off the honours in the single ladies 'race ,and also shared the first prize with Miss N. Rose in the siamese race. Bowling at the wicket was won by Mr S. Sinclair.

Fancy dress winners were Mr Bradley and Miss N. Duncan.

COMING OF AGE PARTY.

Friends gathered at the home of Mr and Mrs Green, Warrandyte road, Ringwood, on Saturday evening to congratulate Mr J. Rogers (Mrs Green's brother) on attaining his majority. A happy evening was spent in dancing, singing and cards. Mr A. Maggs gave several most acceptable violin solos, while Mr L. Elder (piano) and Mr Clyde Maggs (violin) accompanied the vocalists and dancers. Mr Rogers was the recipient of good wishes and gifts. After supper the birthday cake was lighted, and the guest was presented with the door key. Those present were: Mr and Mrs T. W. Rogers, Mr and Mrs D. Anderson, Mr and Mrs L. Anderson, Mr and Mrs C. Lewis, Mr and Mrs J. Walters, Misses R. Abrahart, N. Jackson, D. Dark, V. Dark, M. Rogers, R. Rogers, E. Smih, C. Maggs, Messrs D. Abrahart, G. Burrows, R. Farmilo, F. Green, A. Rush, V. Cowan, A. Maggs, G. Anderson and C. L. Maggs

CROYDON MARKET.

A very heavy yarding of all classes of cattle, when over 300 head were yarded. Milking cows, £5 10/ to £10 5/; do. heifers, £5 10/ to £9 7/6; springing cows, £6 to £9 2/6; do. heifers, £5 12/6 to £8 17/6; backward cows, £4 15/ to £6 17/6; store cows, 42/6 to £3 5/; light weight bullocks. to £10 10/; fat cows, £5 7/6 to £6 10/; do .heifers, £5 10/ to £8; choppers to £5 2/6; bulls to £4 5/; hefers, 32/6 to 42/6; vealers, 55/ to £3; calves, 12/ to 23/. Pigs.—Porkers, 24/ to 42/6; sows, 50/ to £3 2/6, store pigs, 17/6 to 25/; suckers to 15/; slips, 14/ to 18/6; boars, to 32/6. Ewes, to 6/10; lambs, 12/4 to 24/10. Poultry.—Cockerels, 5/6 to 11/4; hens, 4/6 to 6/9; pullets, 5/1 to 6/10; ducks, 3/6 to 8/6; hen and chicks, to 10/6; duck and ducklings, to 12/ cock chickens, 3/10 to 5/8; stags, to 5/3.

PERSONAL PARS

Mrs Baner has returned from a month's holiday at Edithvale.

Mr Lee Tet has resumed duty at the Ringwood Post Office after an enjoyable holiday spent at Sydney.

Mr and Mrs Frank Clota have gone to their beach house on Oliver's Hill, Frankston, for a few weeks.

The little schoolgirl daughter of Mr and Mrs E. Mitchell recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, and is making a good recovery.

Cr R V. H. Tribolet, J.P., was welcomed on taking his seat for the first time at the Ringwood Court of Petty Sessions, as was his brother-in-law, Mr Treyvaud, J.P., of the Victorian Sub-Treasury. Cr Tribolet's health was appropriately toasted, when congratulations were tendered to the new magistrate.

Mrs C. Carmichael has returned from five weeks' holiday at Chelsea.

Miss Adams, of Tasmania, has been on a visit to her cousin, Mrs T. R. G. Williams.

Mrs Moulder won the Caulfield Recreation Croquet Tournament on Wednesday, adding another to her many successes.

Mrs Stanley is laid aside with sickness, and her many friends will wish her a speedy recovery.

Miss V. Mackay and Mrs Smith are on holidays at Black Rock.

While travelling to Wonga Park on Saturday, Mr N. Rangott and party had the misfortune to have their car overturned. Apart from a shaking, none was injured.

Mrs Cook, senr., of Emma road, Croydon ,is laid aside with illness.

OPEN COLUMN

To the Editor.

Sir,—On behalf of the Ringwood Ladies Benevolent Society, I desire to express sincere thanks for donations of cash and clothing received since my appeal was made. The list of donations are as follow:—A. Loughman, £3/3/; C. Wedge, 10/6; Anonymous, 10/.

Any further donations will be thankfully received, as the need is still very great.

WINIFRED MILES, Mayoress.

CRICKET PROTEST.

The tribunal of the Ringwood District Cricket Association met at the Ringwood Town Hall to deal with the protest lodged by Croydon Cricket Club against the ruling of the executive in awarding the match between Croydon and Boronia to Boronia. Mr F. Leach and Mr P. James were the delegates to put the case for each and Mr Sherman for the association. After much deliberation, Dr Colquhoun and Mr Dwight upheld the ruling of the executive. The deposit to be returned to Croydon.

CRICKET

KILSYTH v BORONIA.

The final match between Kilsyth and Boronia was continued on Saturday at Ringwood East in the presence of a large number of spectators. The not out batsmen, Gibson and B. Evans, resumed their innings. G. Chandler opened the bowling to Gibson, and with his second ball clean bowled him with a fine ball. 2—11—13. H. Tomkins, junr., came in and played out the over. M. Lumsden bowled from the other end to Evans, and the batsman scored 2 off the over. In Chandler's next over Tomkins scored 2. R. Lumsden was brought on in place of his brother, and straight away Evans was caught by Neil off his bowling, with the board showing: 3—4—26. Fitcher came in, and, suffering from an injury to his leg, Gibson ran for him. A. Chandler was tried in order to break this partnership, which was producing fine cricket and consolidating Kilsyth's position. Tomkins scored 3, and both batsmen appeared to be set. On Bob Lumsden relieving, he had Tomkins run out off his first ball. 4—26—73. C. Evans came in, and was caught off B. Lumsden by Coleman. 5—0—84. Fitcher in the meantime had been playing fine cricket, scoring his runs all round the wicket, his driving being a feature. Henmry Baldwin filled the crease, but was cleaned bowled by G. Chandler with a ball that swerved in. 6—0—86. Fitcher was very severe, scoring 15 off the over with the scores 4, 6, 2, 2, 1—a real bright spot after a dull period. At this stage afternoon tea was partaken of, served by the Boronia ladies.

Mr Matthews, who returned thanks on behalf of Kilsyth, spoke of the good feeling existing between the clubs, and thanked the ladies of Boronia for their hospitality.

On resuming, M. Lumsden opened to Fitcher, and got him away for 6. Off his third ball, Laidin, who was the other batsman, and was missed in the slips, was caught by Harrison. 7—10—123. The partnership had added 37 runs. W. Baldwin, the captain, was next in, and played the remaining ball safely.

At this stage G. Chandler, who had borne the brunt of the attack, strained his leg, and had to retire from the game for the rest of the day—a severe loss to Boronia. N. Matthews fielded in his place. Fitcher was still playing well, and got another 6 off M. Lumsden, but the next ball, a short one, he went for a square cut, and was nicely caught by Harrison, who was a splendid fieldsman.

Fitcher played one of his best innings, scoring freely in making the total of 8—69—135. H. Tomkins, senr., was the next man in, and was caught off Ray Lumsden by M. Lumsden. Rain was falling, and players left the field, but after ten minutes play was resumed, and the score stood at 9—1—142. Campbell was last man in. Both he and Baldwin were playing good cricket, and the score mounted, and with fours among them.

At 10 minutes to 6 rain again fell, and play was stopped for the day with the score 9 for 188. Baldwin was not out 32 and Campbell 18 not out. The position at present is that Kilsyth have 234 runs to the good and one wicket to fall.

Cricket Premierships.

Warrandyte are C grade premiers for 1934-5, Ringwood B grade, and that of the A has yet to be decided between Kilsyth and Boronia. The latter have about 250 to make in an innings if they are to defeat Kilsyth, which club has yet a wicket to lose. Details of this match appears elsewhere.

GOLF

CROYDON DISTRICT CLUB.

In a stroke competition for the Gordon trophy, the winner was A. Beatty (17), 66. Other cards were:—H. Beatty (12), 67; C. Olding (16), 68; J. G. Davis (25), 69; F. J. King (18), 70; C. Denman (19), 71; J. H. McConnell (16), 73; A. Lucas (16), 73; C. C. Robinson (18), 74; C. Davis (22), 74; J. W. Barrett (19), 75; H. P. Reinbach (27), 75.

GOLF CLUB ASSOCIATES.

For Mrs Hamilton Fletcher's trophy, the winner was Mrs R. Norris, 98 (36), 62, with Miss K. Campbell, 104 (36), 68, and Mrs R. Bartlette, 104 (36), 68, runners-up. Other good cards were: Mrs N. M. Court, 93 (23), 70; Mrs E. T. Daniell, 101 (29), 72; Mrs R. Gordon, 109 (36), 73; Miss J. Cobain, 110 (36), 74; Miss H. Good, 96 (22), 74.

A special trophy donated by the president (Mrs Esmond Daniell) for the 36 markers who reduced their union handicap was awarded to Mrs R. Norris, whose handicap fell from 36 to 26.

RINGWOOD BRANCH A.W.N.L.

Miss Lloyd Taylor presided at the annual meeting of the Ringwood branch A.W.N.L., and the election of office-bearers resulted as follows:—Miss Hutton, president; Mesdames Sucker, H. E. Watson, A. Organ, J. Edwyne and Miss Good, vice-presidents; Miss E. M. Darbyshire, secretary; Miss Evans, treasurer with Mesdames A. T. Miles, A. Bell, J. A. C. Bellby, C. Patterson, J. Major, W. Errington, J. Cornell, A. Wigley, J. Hedge and Miss Herring committee. Miss Peggy Morris sang to the accompaniment of Mrs Baucinette, and Miss Grace Darbyshire spoke on the work of the A.W.N.L. and its association with other organs.

Dainty afternoon tea was served to the large assemblage by the ladies' committee, who were also responsible for the attractive decoration of many coloured dahlias.

On the instance of Mesdames Hood and Watson, a vote of thanks was passed to the speakers, and the chairwoman for so capably presiding. The president, Mrs Hutton, also took the opportunity of thanking the members for their attendance and interest.

WARRANDYTE BRANCH A.W.N.L.

Mr Hutchinson, M.P., gave an interesting address at the annual meeting of the Warrandyte branch of the A.W.N.L. held in the dining room of the Grand Hotel on Tuesday of last week. Mrs Bartel Ryan presided at the Central executive. The election of office-bearers resulted in Mrs Schultz being elected president, Mrs Hoile vice-president, Mrs Thorne secretary, and Mrs McPherson treasurer. Amongst those present were the president of the Ringwood branch, Mrs Hutton, and the secretary, Miss E. M. Darbyshire.

Central Football Association.

A meeting of the Central District Football Association was held on Thursday, and was attended by delegates from Croydon, Lilydale and Mt. Evelyn. The president (Mr J. Swift) occupied the chair. A letter was received from Monbulk to the effect that they would not be entering the association. It was decided to continue the association. Selection of umpires was held over until next meeting. Rules and constitution were adopted.

Bicycle Accident.

Mr Reg. Gibson, whilst riding a bicycle on Tuesday night at Bayswater came into collision with Mr Burdon, who was also riding a bicycle, with his sister on the handle bars. Mr Gibson, who is the noted Kilsyth cricketer and Collingwood Football Club member, fared badly, receiving a fractured jaw, injured collarbone, lacerations and shock.

Croydon Mechanics' Hall.

A meeting of the committee of the hall was held in the Mechanics' Institute on Tuesday. Two applications were received for the ground for the coming season—the Croydon Football Club and the Amateur Football Club. It was decided that both bodies should have the use of the ground, but that the senior club should have preference.

Adam Lindsay Gordon Memorial.

Mr Julius Grant, J.P., and the associate members of the Victorian executive committee of the Gordon commitee have received invitations to be present at the unveiling of a memorial in the Poets' Corner in Westminster Abbey, which is to take place in London on 11th May. Others particularly interested in the ceremony would be Messrs C. R. Long and J. R. Jennings. They all regret not being able to be present at the London function.

Kitchen Tea.

On Wednesday, in the Parish Hall, Croydon, a kitchen tea organised by the Croydon Children's Hospital Auxiliary was given in honour of Miss Hazel Brien. There was a large gathering of friends, who brought along many gifts, both useful and ornamental. Suitable speeches were made, and a most enjoyable evening was terminated by the ladies serving supper. Those who heped were Mesdames Stewart, Turner, M. Brown and Jeeves.

Euchre Party

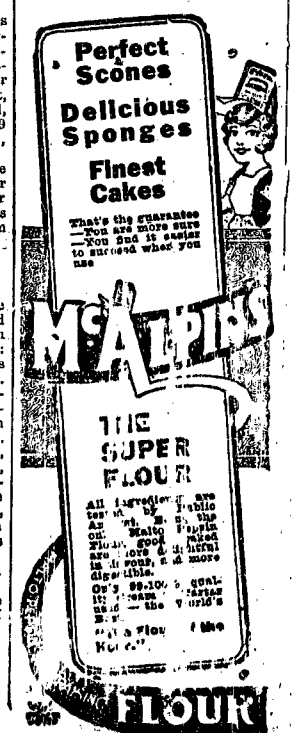
A successful euchre party was held in the Scout Hall on behalf of the funds of the Croydon Amateur Football Club. Prizes were won by Messrs R. Grieves, Devonport and Mrs Madden. Supper was served by Misses T. Westcott, Swift, Caverino, Mesdames Gillow, Spencer, Devonport and Carroll

Mountain District Tennis Associaton

The annual ball and presentation of pennant will take place in the Memorial Hall, Belgrave, on Friday evening, April 19. Franklin's orchestra will provide the music. Col. Knox, M.L.A., will present the pennant. The admission is 2/, including supper.

Lower Gully Butchery.

Mr R. Mortimer announces by advertisement that he has opened a cash butchery at the premises next Mr Tew's general store, Lower Gully. The business swill be conducted on a cash basis, with the smallest margin of profit. Small goods are made on the premises, and customers may have their orders delivered.



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Men's Flanned Trousers, made from strong wearing cloth, tailored fit and finish, new shades, strong pockets. All selling at Bargain Prices, 6/11, 8/11, 10/6.

Men's Pyjamas, made from attractively striped pyjama cloth, heavy weight, strong wearing, Men's or Out Size. Beilby's Bargain Prices, 4/11, 5/11, 6/11.

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