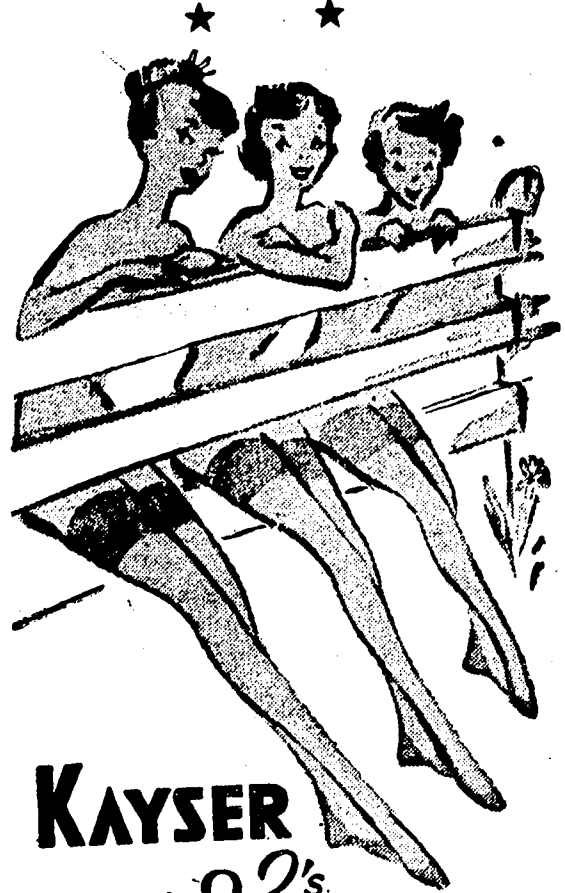


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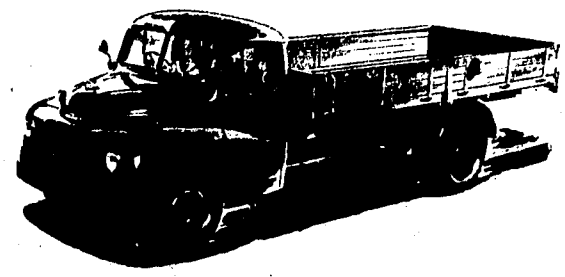
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WATER TRUST

MONTHLY MEETING

A fair volume of business came before the Beaufort Water Works Trust at the Shire Hall on Tuesday night, 22nd June.

Present - Coms. M. E. L. Watkin (chairman), R. C. Hodgkiss, H. J. Buchanan, and H. V. Martin, and Messrs. R. Linsten (engineer), and N. B. Acton (secretary).

The secretary said he had taken out the Workers' Compensation policy.

In reply to Com. Martin, the secretary said he had informed Mr. McGregor, Willoby St., of the result of his request.

Com. Martin said Mr. McGregor wanted water for a hot water service.

The engineer said the main went to Sitter's. Only a private service went past McGregor's place. As an alternative he could temporarily link up with the main at Wilson's and Lewis'. Permission to be given for a temporary service to Neill St. on motion of Coms. Martin and Hodgkiss.

CORRESPONDENCE

From State Rivers' Commission, approving of improvements from revenue to supply in Neill St., Park Rd., Halpin, Livingstone, Albert, Burton, and Warburton Sts. - Received.

From same, stating a loan of £12,000 was allocated to Trust for construction of basin and supply of meters, etc. - Received.

From Forests Commission, forwarding £15 for damage to pipe line, and accepting no responsibility for damage to race, and stating that approval must be obtained to any further works. - The engineer recommended that the Trust apply to the Commission to grant their permission to use the race. - Application to be made, on motion of Coms. Martin and Buchanan.

From State Treasury, forwarding cheque for £648. - Received.

From W. Bridges, re account for water supply at depot, where water was disconnected some time ago during road work. He would commence paying rates when service renewed. - The engineer said the staff knew nothing about the service being disconnected. Everyone in a declared area had to connect with the main. - To be informed that water service had never been disconnected and was still available to him.

Accounts amounting to £326 were passed for payment.

In answer to Com. Buchanan, the engineer said pumping cost £150 a month.

The secretary said the overdraft was £2072. The estimated revenue from rates was £5030.

ENGINEER'S REPORT

The engineer (Mr. Linsten) submitted the following report:-

1. Headworks and Storages. - Output of headworks is increasing. Storage at Troy's is 3 Mio. gallons short of full. The booster pump will be stopped on 24/8/53. Consumption for the month was 2.5 mio. gallons. The pipeline is expected to fill Troy's before the end of the winter.

2. New Works. - They could start pumping when required.

2. New Works. - Approval has been received from the S.R.W.S.C. for new works to be constructed from revenue 1953. All new mains except the line in Albert Street have been completed. Cost of works carried out was as follows:-

- 4 in. main to Housing Commission, 23½ chains at £31/10/-, £742; 4 in. main Park Road, 29 chains at £28/15/-, £834; 3 in. main Park Road (cast iron), 11 chains at £39/10/-, £434; 4 in. main Halpin, Burton, Livingstone Sts., 17½ chains at £32, £542; 6 in. main, Warburton Street, 17½ chains at £39/15/-, £703; total cost, £3255.

Total estimated cost, £3186; excess cost over estimate, £69. Financed from loan, £1740. Financed from revenue, £1515.

A programme of future urgent works should be laid down in view of the allocation of £12,000 of loan monies when available.

Com. Buchanan - It should be emphasised to the ratepayers that they had got something for the new rate; £3030 having been spent on new works since the Trust had been on the job. No work approaching this had been done on the reticulation system for 25 years.

3. Repairs and Maintenance. - Some breaks on 6 in. and 8 in. trunk mains have been repaired, breaks on private house connections attended to and cost charged to owners. Indicators for valves and fireplugs are being re-conditioned pending an improvement in the weather.

The 3 in. main across the Western Highway at the Picture Theatre is in urgent need of replacement. It is recommended that a water main be laid on the south side of the highway from the 5 in. wood main to the Picture Theatre, and that the existing 3 in. main under the Highway pavement be disconnected. A letter from the C.R.B. requesting repairs is tabled. - Received.

4. By-Law. - Preparation of Trust's By-Law is in progress. In regard to the by-laws being

drafted, the engineer said the average consumption was not over 70 gal. per head, which was the recognised amount for a town water supply. The Trust could meter consumers who were exceeding the recognised amount.

The engineer recommended in regard to a programme of future works that they improve the reticulation system first.

Gregory St., Leichardt St., Willoby St., Neill St. to the Hall, Willoby St. East, Warburton St., West, Parker St., and Halpin St., Spike St. corners, also Warburton St. to Stuart St., were suggested by members of the Trust, and it was decided to include these in the list to be submitted to the W.S. Commission as the most urgent works.

The draft agreement between the Trust and the engineer was considered.

It was decided to tentatively accept the agreement, subject to the approval of the S. & W.S. Commission, on motion of Coms. Hodgkiss and Martin.

The matter of an agreement with the secretary was deferred at his request till the end of the year.

LETTER FROM JOHN SIMPSON

IMPRESSIONS OF CORONATION

John Simpson, the Trawalla lad who is representing Ripon Shire on the Youth Coronation tour, writes as follows to the Editor of this paper:-

13/8/53. Leaving Edinburgh.

After disembarkation at Tilbury on Tuesday, 26th May, we were driven to Wyndham Ashley Mission in Westminster, London, where we met our hosts, who escorted us to our homes for the next eight days.

On Wednesday, 27th, we were allowed to do as we pleased, so we all saw as much as we could of London and the suburbs.

Shell-Haven on the Thames estuary was visited on Thursday, 28th. At Shell-Haven we saw one of the biggest oil refineries in Southern England. After a cold trip down the river by launch, we were glad to return to London by coach.

By coach on Friday, we went to Eaton College and Windsor. It was smart, we thought to see the scholars in coat-tails.

Saturday and Sunday were free, so we visited many parts of London, taking many photographs.

Monday was also free, and still we had plenty to do. With two other boys, I went to the British Museum at South Kensington. From the museum we went to Leicester Square, where we saw a pre-view of the Coronation.

During our spare time we found the subway trains very fast and economical.

Rising at 4.30 a.m. on Tuesday, June 2, I outfitted myself for the day to come.

At 6 a.m. I arrived at Parliament Square, where we boys had a reserved standing place. Some of the boys had been in their places since 3 a.m. It rained all day.

Slowly the day passed with thousands of the Queen's ser-vicemen marching by.

In the morning we saw all the Peers and Besses enter the side entrance to the Abbey. They entered individually.

The Prime Ministers of all the Commonwealths were driven in their coaches, past a guard from their own country, to the Abbey. Guards lined the streets from the Palace to the Abbey. Several were taken off because they were faint.

The crowd roared, cheered, stamped and waved as the Queen approached the Abbey. I think the guards even smiled as she passed them. I was in such a position that I could just see her enter the Abbey.

The service commenced. We ate our lunches. Bells chimed. Loud speakers were conveying to us the speeches in the service within the Abbey. At 12.30 our Queen was crowned.

At last, after waiting expectantly in the rain for nine hours, the Queen passed by in her brilliant coach. When she passed by and was out of sight, the sun shone brilliantly, as though attracted by the State coach.

We all agreed it was worth waiting nine hours to see.

Wednesday was free, so we slept almost to dinner time, after which we packed our things.

On Thursday, 4th June, we departed from London in a coach. After having our lunch at Oxford, we toured to Cheltenham, where we reached in the mid-afternoon. Our hosts were there to greet us. With another boy, Warren Walker, I stayed with an American family. Of course on the Friday we were taken to the American Air Base, where our host Mr. W. Eaton (Major) was stationed. There we were shown the B29 jet wonder land with the parachutes.

We left Cheltenham on 6th June and travelled to Nottingham, where we spent the night. One night was spent at Notts., but we saw quite a lot by touring around in a car.

Grange over Sands was our next destination. On our way there on 7th June we had our lunch at Manchester, and what we saw of Manchester was not very inviting. However, Grange over Sands, a seaside resort, was, we thought, a very neat place.

Staying there for one night we moved on to Edinburgh, via the Lakes District. This was the best scenery we have seen yet.

We reached Edinburgh on the 8th, and after being introduced to our hosts, we moved in.

The five days that we have spent here have been very exciting. In that time we have visited several Abbeys and Cathedrals, climbed a 822 ft. hill, met the Lord Provost of Edinburgh, were beaten by the Royal High School in cricket, had a free day in which we slept in till dinner time, keen to Sir Walter Scott's place, and climbed his 287 step monument, and have seen the parade of cadets at Edinburgh Academy. To-day we move on to Inverness, which I believe is one of the prettiest parts of Scotland.

WEDDING

WELLER - NICHOLLS

The Skipton Presbyterian Church was prettily decorated by friends of the bride on June 20 for the marriage of Lorraine May, youngest daughter of Mrs L. D. Nicholls and the late Mr L. D. Nicholls and Thomas William, youngest son of Mrs L. Weller and the late Mr F. J. Weller, of West Wyalong, N.S.W.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. G. L. Johnston, of Port Fairy. The bride, who was given away by her uncle, Mr A. V. Nicholls, wore a gown of white embroidered satin, made with a full skirt falling into a slight train and worn with a fitted, long-sleeved jacket, with a lily point collar, and buttoned from neck to waist with small pearl buttons. A full length tulle veil (lent by Mrs N. A. Bain) was caught to the head with an orange blossom tiara, and she carried a shower bouquet of carnations and gardenias.

Mrs C. L. Stewart (sister of the bride) was matron of honour, and wore a frock of aqua blue, made with a velvet bodice and double net skirt. A small matching velvet hat was worn, and a shower bouquet of red carnations and roses carried.

The bridegroom was attended by Mr Les Wilkie as best man.

During the signing of the register, Mrs J. Donald, Skipton, delightfully rendered the solo, "O Joy be Thine."

When leaving the Church, lucky horseshoes were placed on the bride's arm by Master John Stewart, Mrs N. Bain, and Mrs A. Hayward.

A reception followed in the Russell Hall, where Mrs Nicholls received the guests, wearing a light weight woollen frock beneath a blue coat, a pale blue hat and brown accessories, and a shoulder spray of pink carnations. Mrs Weller assisted, wearing a grey suit, white blouse and black accessories, and a shoulder spray of white gardenias.

The usual toasts were honoured and numerous congratulatory telegrams read.

When leaving for the honeymoon, which was spent in Melbourne, the bride wore a light blue woollen frock beneath a royal blue fitted coat, a royal blue velvet hat and black accessories, and pinned a spray of white gardenias to the lapel of her coat.

The future home of Mr and Mrs T. W. Weller will be in Skipton.

GOLF NOTES

SATURDAY'S PLAY

Beaufort Golf Club held several events on Saturday, including the first rounds of the Men's Championships. The leading scores were:-

MEN'S CHAMPIONSHIPS

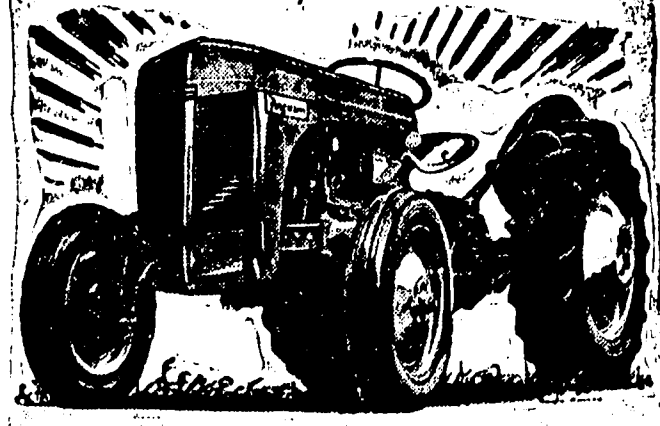
54 Holes	
FIRST ROUND	
A Grade	
J. T. Hunt	77
F. J. Briody	80
J. V. Briody	81
I. McLean	82
B Grade	
R. Flux	95
R. L. Crick	95
A. E. Trengove	95
R. Saddler	98
C Grade	
T. McDonnell	98
A. Stephens	105
C. Keith	106
J. K. Finnin	110

ASSOCIATES

Canadian Foursomes, 12 Holes.	
Mesdames M. Cuthbertson and I. McLean	69-154-53½
Mrs J. E. Pearce and Miss A. Norman	68-11-55
Mesdames M. Cole and J. E. Day	66-10-56
Mesdames H. Norman and G. Cuthbertson	68-114-50½

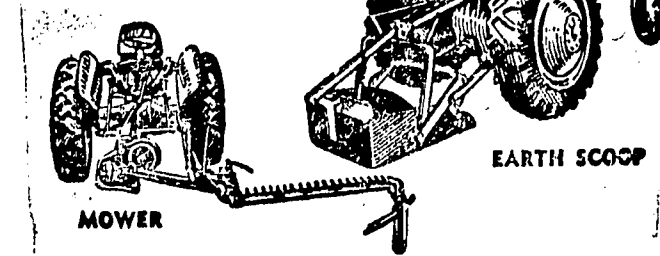
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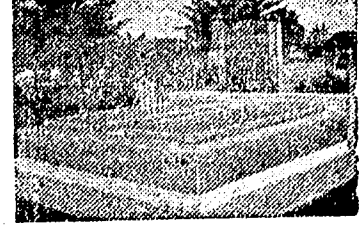
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ENGINEER'S REPORT

In regard to the engineer's report (published in our last issue) action was taken as follows at the Ripon Shire Council meeting on July 8.

Clause 1. — Grant Works. The engineer's report had been taken by Mr Dowle in regard to the bank of his dam.

Clause 2. — Western Highway. The engineer said the speed limit was 25 m.p.h.

Clause 3. — Infant Welfare Centre. The engineer recommended that the site of the Children's Playground be sold and zoned.

Clause 4. — Repairs to drains. The engineer said a new spring had been found near Meadow Lane.

Clause 5. — Shire Works. The engineer said that the work had been held up by the weather.

Clause 6. — Subdivisions. Subdivision Holdsworth Estate to Ripon Hospital Trustees to be referred to C.R.B. on motion of C.R.B. Mackinnon and Rodd.

Clause 7. — Ripon Shire Council meeting on July 8. The engineer said that the dam had been inspected.

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A deputation of 12 members—the highest that ever visited the Council—attended at the meeting on July 8 from the Brewster area.

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IMMEDIATE ATTENTION BY PHONING

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HEALTH REPORTS

The appended health reports were submitted at the Ripon Council meeting on July 8.

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The Town Band held a euchre social on Tuesday night, and the proceeds were donated to the R.P.B. A. Beer 1, Mrs C. Hare 2, Section 2 — Mr C. Rayner 1, Mrs G. Notting 1.

CARD SOCIAL

Beaufort P.B. ladies held a social on Saturday night at the Fire Station. The winner in Section 1 was Mrs C. Broadbent, with 100 points.

HOUSES and Sheds Shifted, Re-located.

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GOLF NOTES. MAX COLE TROPHY. The match play (men) for the Max Cole trophy resulted: R. L. Crick 4, E. Day, 3/2. G. Price 4, J. Hunt, 4/2. C. U. Rice 4, R. L. Crick 1 up.

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OBITUARY. MRS L. A. LANEY. Mrs. Laura Alberta Laney, who passed away at Beaufort, on Thursday, 16th July, was the wife of Mr. Angus Laney.

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RIFLE CLUB ANNUAL MEETING. Keen interest was evinced in the Beaufort Rifle Club at the annual meeting held in the Club Room on Thursday night.

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BALLARAT MARKET. LEADING DISTRICT SALES. At the Ballarat Stock Market on July 21, the leading district sales were: Top Price and Highest Average.

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THE LEGION MONTHLY MEETING. At the monthly meeting of the Beaufort Sub-branch of the Australian Legion on Tuesday night, Mr. J. K. Finnin, president of the local branch, presided.

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PERSONAL. Mrs. H. G. Dunn, of Langi Kal Kal Soldier Settlement, had to enter the Beaufort District Hospital for an operation.

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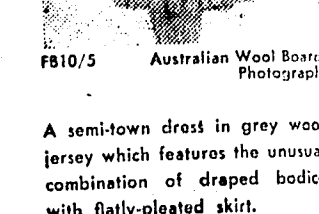
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METHODIST CHURCH

MEETING OF LADIES' GUILD

Mrs Lewell occupied the chair, in the absence of Mrs Dunn, at the meeting of the Beaufort Methodist Ladies' Guild.

Fifteen members were present. A new member, Mrs Owen, was welcomed, and the members hope she will have a happy time among them.

A letter from Miss Anne Green was read, stating that she will be here for the Guild birthday party in November. On the Sunday evening at the Ladies' Service, the members will have the pleasure of listening to Mrs Clevedon, so the birthday promises to be the usual success.

Samples of carpentry were admired. A discussion as to the choice for the Church was entered into by all.

A donation of £1 was received towards the fund.

Mesdames R. Saddler and S. Lyons were hostesses at afternoon tea.

The judges awarded a point to each entry in the "article from waste" competition, as all entries were of a high standard.

Next meeting will be on August 11th, when the competition is for a coachhanger.

DADS' ASSOCIATION

SPECIAL MEETING

A special meeting of the Ripon Sub-Branch of the Dads' Association was held on Wednesday night, 15th July.

Seven members were present, and Mr J. K. Finnin (president) presided.

Mr E. Dawson, delegate to the recent State Conference, gave a report of the proceedings.

The proposed picture night for the Dads' Holiday Home Fund was discussed, and six programmes were submitted by Mr Cook for choice.

Wednesday, 19th August, was chosen as a tentative date.

Matters will be finalised at next meeting.

It was reported that more Mawhall and Stoneleigh settlers had arrived during the past fortnight, and had been contacted by the Association.

Mr J. Duke urged that the Association take steps to see that returned ex-servicemen be allowed to purchase Commission homes occupied by them. He moved that the State Council be asked to press the matter with the Government; the homes to be purchased under War Service Homes conditions. Seconded by Mr C. W. Broadbent, and carried.

GOLF NOTES

SINGLES HANDICAPS

Beaufort golfers played Singles Handicaps over 18 holes on Saturday. Leading scores:

MEN
A Division
M. Cole 84-13-71
J. Harris 87-15-72
A. E. Whiting 81-8-73
W. Jackson 91-18-73

B DIVISION
A. C. Crick 86-28-60
R. L. Crick 91-22-69
S. C. Butler 97-25-82
R. Saddler 94-21-73

ASSOCIATES
Mrs W. Jackson 93-25-68
Mrs H. Norman 96-25-71
Mrs M. Cole 99-21-78

AVOCA TOURNAMENT
Johnny Hunt, Ballarat district champion, put up a couple of good scores in winning the 36 holes scratch event at Avoca on Saturday. Hunt had a pair of 70's, remarkably consistent shooting and right up to his handicap of 3.

Another Beaufort player to score well was Jack Briody, whose 75 put him in the low 60's with a net score.

COUNTRY WEEK TEAM
Together with Barry Pearce, John Hunt has been chosen for the Ballarat Country Week team.

BALLARAT GOLF SHIELD
In the Ballarat Golf Shield Competition, Crosswick defeated Beaufort - Skipton and recorded one of the best performances for several years. Beaufort - Skipton being the holder of the shield.

Crosswick 5 d Beaufort-Skipton 4. H. Briody 3/1 d J. Hunt, R. Charleson lost to F. J. Briody 1 up, R. O. Peters lost to B. J. Pearce at 19th, F. Barry lost to J. G. Briody 4/3, S. Rimmer lost to J. Walker 1 up, R. Briggs 4/3 d W. Dowling, D. Arch 3/1 d L. McGregor, M. Ingram 3/2 d J. V. Briody, G. McKinnon 6/4 d A. J. Salter.

CARD SOCIAL
Beaufort F.B. Ladies' Club held a euchre social on Saturday night. Mrs E. Day was the winner in Section 1, with Mrs R. Smith second. In Section 2 Mrs Sullivan had a win, and Mesdames J. Duke and A. G. Vowles divided second.

BAND EUCHRE
At the Beaufort Band euchre social on Tuesday night, Mesdames A. McGregor and R. Saddler divided 1 and 2 in Section 1. Mrs C. Anderson was the winner in Section 2, and Mesdames A. Beer, J. Rayner, and A. M. Parker divided 2.

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Midwifery Cases: Non-members, £13/13/ per week; £19/19/ for 10 days.
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LEXTON FOOTBALL LEAGUE

BEAUFORT EASILY DEFEATS LEXTON

A match that for the first half was a ding-dong contest, and gave every indication of a close finish, was witnessed at Beaufort Park on Saturday, 11th July, between Lexton and the local team, Beaufort; however, ran away with the second half of the game, to win by 47 points.

There was a good attendance, and Kingsford officiated as central umpire. The field was in fair order, excepting for the very muddy patch in the centre on the site of the turf wicket.

Twice during the match the ball was caught fast in the branches of a tree, and the time-keepers had to take time off.

Lexton had a lead of seven points in a keenly contested and even opening quarter, in which they scored 3 to 2.2. The second quarter was also a good one for the spectators; the honours being fairly shared by both teams. Beaufort added 4.3 to their tally, and Lexton secured 4.1, to lead by five points at half-time. After the interval Lexton faded out of the picture, and Beaufort's goal - shooting was very inaccurate. In the third term the home side obtained 3 goals and a string of five behinds. Lexton only scored 1.1. Leading by 11 points at the last change, Beaufort thereafter had most of the play, and accounted for 5 goals and no less than 7 behinds. Lexton could only manage a minor point. When the gong went, Beaufort had won by 47 points.

The scores at the end of each quarter were:—
Beaufort: 2.2, 6.5, 9.10, 14.17 (101)
Lexton: 3.3, 7.4, 8.5, 8.6 (54)

GOAL KICKERS
Beaufort - M. Cleary 5, J. Clark 4, D. McCracken 3, R. Clifford and R. Broadbent.
Lexton - M. Vickery, E. Payne 3 each, J. Bailey, L. Karslake.

BEST PLAYERS
Beaufort - N. Day, J. Clark, R. Clifford, L. Miller, S. Clark, D. McCracken, and M. Cleary. These were well supported by K. Glenister, M. Kelly, A. Torney, R. Read, and D. Akers, and in defence K. Broadbent, J. Martin and Stan McCracken did valuable work.

Lexton - E. Payne, M. Vickery, C. Woods, R. Fisher, C. Fisher, M. Karslake, G. Karslake, A. Giles, and B. Karslake. On the back line H. Dickie was prominent.

Amphitheatre 12.18 d Raglan 7.5.

RAGLAN HAS A VICTORY.

A sloppy field and greasy ball gave Meicklejohn a difficult umpiring task at the Raglan Oval on Saturday, when the local team played Landsborough.

Raglan were too strong for their opponents, and won by a margin of 30 points.

The attendance was smaller than usual.

With the wind advantage in the first quarter, Raglan scored 4.2 to one goal. The second term was the most closely contested of the match; Landsborough adding 1.3 and Raglan 1.1. The home side led by 18 points at half-time. In the term following the interval, Raglan did most of the scoring and secured 2.4, but Landsborough could only manage two singles. A shot by one Landsborough player hit the goal post. At the last change Raglan had a lead of 32 points. Landsborough put in a good finish, and scored 1.2 for the closing quarter to their opponents' one goal. Raglan had a victory by 30 points.

The scores at the end of each term were:—
Raglan: 4.2, 5.3, 7.7, 8.7 (55)
Landsborough: 1.0, 2.3, 2.5, 3.7 (25)

GOAL KICKERS
Raglan - Plover 4, Dunnean, Todd, Polman, and Clem.
Landsborough - T. Tiddy 3.

BEST PLAYERS
For Raglan good form was shown by P. Rodini, J. Clem, A. Dickman, A. Plover, E. Caulfield, W. Cuthbertson, J. Cartland, E. George, and J. Kirkpatrick.

These were well supported by N. Rutherford, L. Bending, and A. Todd.

Landsborough's best men were B. Stewart, A. Dunn, P. Dunn, B. Murphy, I. Gibson, L. Vandy, and T. Tiddy.

OTHER MATCHES
Lexton League
Navarre 15.23 d Moonambel 6.6.
Avoca 13.12 d Beaufort 5.8. Wabra 9.19 d Lexton 9.6.

Miniera Association
Glenhompson 13.14 d Carranballac 5.13

Western Plains League.
Derwallum 12.11 d Skipton 6.5, Cressy 11.17 d Bradvale 6.4, Carrngham 13.9 d Lismore 11.15.

TO-DAY'S GAMES
Beaufort and Raglan meet at Beaufort to-day, and a keen contest is anticipated.

POSITION OF CLUBS IN LEXTON LEAGUE
Points and percentages in the Lexton League competition (including 18th July) are:—
Avoca - Won 11, points 44, percentages 191.88
Navarre - 9, 36, 174.05
Beaufort - 8, 32, 152.44
Amphitheatre - 8, 32, 106.29
Wabra - 7, 28, 131.01
Moonambel - 7, 28, 118.37
Lexton - 5, 20, 96.84
Landsborough - 2, 8, 50.10
Raglan - 2, 8, 42.28
Natte Yallock - 1, 4, 56.56

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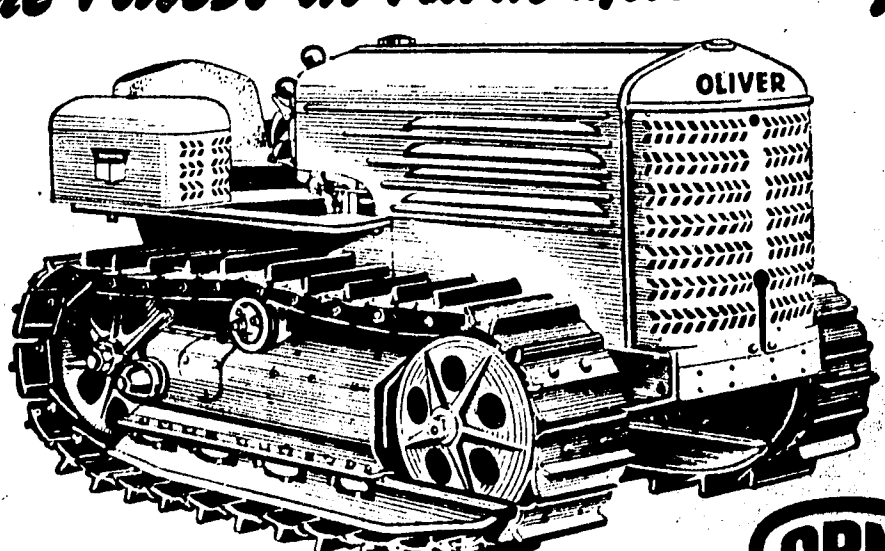
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