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Next Week's Fixtures

Northern Suburbs v. Cessnock
Waratah-Mayfield v. Western Suburbs
Lakes United v. Maitland
Kurri Kurri v. South Newcastle
Macquarie United v. Central-Charles.
June 27: GREAT BRITAIN v. NEWCASTLE



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NEWS FROM CLUBS

KEITH Hopley played his 100th game with Macquarie United against Kurri. Keith has been a fine clubman with the green and gold since joining the club from Wamoon a few seasons ago.

REG Toby is playing great football on the wing for North. A product of North juniors, Reg is a fine clubman and a capable goalkicker.

ONCE again congratulations to West first grade centre threequarter John Coootes on being chosen in the N.S.W. team to play Great Britain at the Sydney Cricket Ground. Today's game will undoubtedly give John the chance to clinch for himself a place in the next Test. Good luck John from all connected with West.

PERCY Clark is a name in Waratah, as well known as the football club itself. In his years as an administrator "The Judge", as he is so well known was fearless in his decisions, but every one he made was a just one. It's good to see the "Judge" back at Waratah as a supporter and could well be he will take over as a selector again next year.

WEST halfback in third grade, Wayne Hancock is showing the form that is expected from a player that has been through the extra tough grind of second division football. There are many critics who claim there is not a better defender in the club than this particular player be that as it may Wayne certainly knows how to do his share.

WARATAH has yet another player from Ulludulla who is bound to make his presence felt in the near future. The player is prop forward Ken Fishlock. Since arriving here Ken has been plagued by injury, but he showed last week that he is going to be a force to be contended with in future games.

OLLIE Renfrew "hooker by trade" should be the sign on his front door. Ollie for many years a first grade hooker with Cessnock is still one of the best in the business. Now a Lakes United player, Ollie is a big asset to the club and he can kick goals too without mention of the tries.

MACQUARIE senior club wish a speedy recovery to Bryan Herd, a member of the junior association who has been a great worker for Rugby League in the Macquarie district.

NORTHS are fortunate in having Graham Elliott as an understudy to Colin Ball. Graham is very safe in his position and a very sound tackler.

CONGRATULATIONS are in order for the West players (five in all), that were chosen in the Newcastle squad to play Great Britain on June 27. They are John Raper, John Cootes, Wayne Hore, Brian Carlin and Gary Banks. No doubt all of these players deserved their selection, but one cannot express their disappointment of Geoff Spruce not making the team.

PETER Smith, still carrying plenty of excess weight, is now showing the form which won him a first grade position some years ago. A loss of two stone would put Peter in great condition.

THE West versus Maitland match today could well decide the favourites to win this year's Grand Final and a close game should be the outcome. West will undoubtedly expect a leaders game from their captain coach John Raper. Another key figure in today's clash will be Brian Carlin, whose goal kicking will be of paramount importance to his team, success or failure.

CESSNOCK reserve grade centre Terry Connolly was responsible for a fine game against Waratah. Terry capped his game by scoring two good tries.

BARNEY Sneddon, ex Lakes United Secretary is seen and heard at every game the "Seagulls" play. Barney is enjoying the game and looking in the pink.

CESSNOCK goal kicking winger, John Phillips gave an outstanding performance in last Saturday's game against Waratah. The majority of John's six goals were kicked from the half way mark.

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WARATAH OVAL—3.15 p.m.

Sunday, June 14, 1970

Waratah-Mayfield v. Northern Suburbs

WARATAH-MAYFIELD

Gold, Maroon V

Full-back:

1—R. Munro

Three-quarters

2—P. Mills J. Leis—3

4—G. Druery R. Fuller—5

6—R. Mathie Halves B. Hoffman—7

Forwards:

8—M. Trypas W. Gardiner—9

10—R. Burgess R. Moore—11

12—F. Adams W. Loades—13

Referee: J. Wallace

Linesmen: J. Hancock (Blue Flag), K. Bilton (Red Flag)

NORTHERN SUBURBS

Royal Blue and Sky Blue Bars

Full-back:

1—C. Ball

Three-quarters:

2—P. Watsford D. Steele—3

4—K. Sweetman R. Toby—5

6—P. Kilmurray Halves R. Andrews—7

Forwards:

8—I. Granshaw W. Mattingley—9

10—D. Maddison K. Hutchinson—11

12—A. Jones D. Nichols—13

RESERVE GRADE — 1.45 p.m.

WARATAH-MAYFIELD

Gold, Maroon V

Full-back:

1—B. Pope

Three-quarters

2—T. Metcalfe T. Sergeant—3

4—Z. Morris H. O'Connor—5

6—G. Pappas Halves B. Spruce—7

Forwards:

8—B. Judd P. Clarke—9

10—R. Dawson J. Dryzga—11

12—A. McNab W. Richards—13

Referee: T. Austin

Linesmen: R. Reid (Blue Flag), J. Maddison (Red Flag)

NORTHERN SUBURBS

Royal Blue and Sky Blue Bars

Full-back:

1—G. Elliott

Three-quarters:

2—L. Plimmer A. Wasley—3

4—D. McManus I. Gardner—5

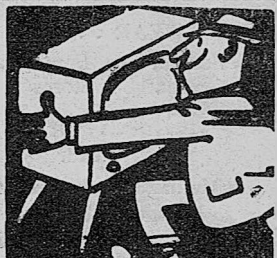
6—P. Sullivan Halves N. Skelton—7

Forwards:

8—P. Cox J. Davis—9

10—R. Petersen T. Malone—11

12—B. Gilbert K. Grace—13



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THIRD GRADE

12.15 p.m.

KURRI KURRI

Half Red Top, Half Blue Bottom

1—J. Wright

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|----------------|--------------------|
| 2—G. Waugh | L. Yates/D. Mort—3 |
| 4—D. Beveridge | D. Swan—5 |
| 6—L. Polglase | P. Perkins—7 |
| 8—P. Williams | McMahon/Robinson—9 |
| 10—D. Latter | D. McDonald—11 |
| 12—B. Hampton | Bailey/Goerke—13 |

CENTRAL-CHARLESTOWN

White, Blue V, Blue Shorts

1—D. Murray

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|------------------|---------------|
| 2—M. Butt | B. Paget—3 |
| 4—R. Gollidge | G. Marshall—5 |
| 6—G. Harrison | J. Sanson—7 |
| 8—D. Majoribanks | P. Hogan—9 |
| 10—P. Power | J. Hinds—11 |
| 12—P. Burgess | J. Luxford—13 |

Referee: R. Brownlea

Linesmen: R. Keating (Blue Flag), G. Benson (Red Flag)

WESTERN SUBURBS

Red and Green

1—A. Wallis

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|----------------|---------------------|
| 2—P. McKerras | W. Evans—3 |
| 4—W. Kirk | Kilpatrick/Fuller—5 |
| 6—P. Anderson | W. Hancock—7 |
| 8—B. Rooney | A. Druey—9 |
| 10—G. Kempnich | B. Leary—11 |
| 12—S. Lawson | S. Petherbridge—13 |

MAITLAND

Black and White

1—S. Ongley

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|----------------|----------------|
| 2—F. Kowalczyk | R. Blakemore—3 |
| 4—M. Pittman | G. Mitchell—5 |
| 6—B. Clark | M. Boland—7 |
| 8—G. Fielding | J. Wolinski—9 |
| 10—M. Zysek | G. Oldfield—11 |
| 12—P. Perry | G. Marquet—13 |

Referee: B. Schofield

Linesmen: L. Maughan (Blue Flag), N. Scott (Red Flag)

WARATAH-MAYFIELD

Gold, Maroon V

1—W. Teague

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|----------------|----------------|
| 2—M. Fisher | P. Richards—3 |
| 4—J. Brown | N. Lawson—5 |
| 6—K. McKay | J. Toohey—7 |
| 8—D. Osborne | K. Skelly—9 |
| 10—S. Campbell | K. Clegg—11 |
| 12—R. Bailey | K. Fishlock—13 |

NORTHERN SUBURBS

Royal Blue and Sky Blue Bars

1—D. Ellis

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|----------------|--------------|
| 2—I. Perry | P. Smith—3 |
| 4—J. Wilson | R. Ball—5 |
| 6—W. Young | G. Gibson—7 |
| 8—D. Greaves | B. Gibson—9 |
| 10—N. Petersen | D. Tearle—11 |
| 12—J. Hattam | K. Burns—13 |

Referee: B. Maher

Linesmen: R. Reid (Blue Flag), J. Maddison (Red Flag)

LAKES UNITED

Blue and Gold, White Shorts

1—P. Thomson

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|---------------|-----------------|
| 2—L. Thomson | W. Cartwright—3 |
| 4—A. Small | S. Siddons—5 |
| 6—G. Scoular | M. Smith—7 |
| 8—W. Davies | N. Corkett—9 |
| 10—J. Cook | L. Lee—11 |
| 12—D. Whipper | N. Peasley—13 |

SOUTH NEWCASTLE

White, Red V

1—T. McNaughton

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|----------------|----------------|
| 2—V. Cronin | A. McCloskey—3 |
| 4—J. Johnson | A. Sullivan—5 |
| 6—L. Swarzes | B. Walton—7 |
| 8—J. Murdoch | A. Stamp—9 |
| 10—N. Krum | A. Stone—11 |
| 12—R. Thornton | B. Lamberth—13 |

Referee: R. Paton

Linesmen: W. Hardy (Blue Flag), T. Mowbray (Red Flag)

CESSNOCK

Black and Gold

1—R. Johnson

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|--------------|----------------|
| 2—J. Stacey | G. Stokes—3 |
| 4—J. Laut | W. Davey—5 |
| 6—J. Dever | R. Gilmore—7 |
| 8—W. Mowatt | D. Parkinson—9 |
| 10—K. Barry | D. Crump—11 |
| 12—R. Thomas | B. Peck—13 |

MACQUARIE UNITED

Green and Gold Bars, Black Shorts

1—K. McDonough

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|-----------------|----------------|
| 2—B. Besley | R. Brenton—3 |
| 4—G. Matthews | B. Robinson—5 |
| 6—C. McGrath | P. Lane—7 |
| 8—C. Gavenlock | T. Redman—9 |
| 10—R. McDonough | R. Christie—11 |
| 12—R. Rodgers | D. Hume—13 |

Referee: C. Billington

Linesmen: K. Marker (Blue Flag), R. Milton (Red Flag)