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Next Saturday's Fixtures

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Victoria

RING B2841 FOR RESERVES

Now Showing —

"THE SECRET FOUR"

starring John Payne and Coleen Gray

— ON THE SAME PROGRAMME —

"THE THIEF"

starring Ray Milland

Coming . . .

"MEET ME AT THE FAIR" (In Technicolor)

starring Dan Dailey and Diana Lynn,



This being the final programme for the season, the Club would like to take this opportunity of thanking all the members and supporters for their co-operation during the year, especially all the loyal supporters who stuck with us during the protest trouble. Thanks also to Ken Burns and Co., for their very nice gesture on Sunday morning last—it was greatly appreciated and we hope that they will accept our invitation for this week.

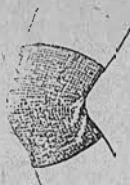
By their fine win over Kurri in last week's final, the Seniors have qualified for the Grand Final, to-day. Once again the forwards played a major part in the victory and already they are being compared with great packs of the past. Certainly, if they are not better they are as



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Nele. Sportsground—3.00 p.m.

Saturday, 12th September, 1953.

FIRST GRADE GRAND FINAL:

Cessnock v. Northern Suburbs

CESSNOCK.

(Colours—Black & Gold)

Full-back:

1—D. PARKINSON

Three-quarters:

2—L. BATEY

3—K. LEVIDO

6—M. WALTERS

Halves:

W. PRYOR—5

L. HODGE—4

W. SNEDDON—7

Forwards:

8—B. LEVIDO

9—F. LENNARD

D. SCHOFIELD—10

11—G. STEVENSON

12—J. HORGAN

A. McCALLUM—13

NORTHERN SUBURBS

(Colours—Royal Blue)

Full-back:

15—R. CAMPBELL

Three-quarters:

5—B. CARLSON

2—W. MACKENZIE
(Two to be Omitted)

Halves:

6—C. Smith

E. Long—7

Forwards:

8—J. HUTCHINSON

9—T. ANDERSON

D. Hawke—13

11—C. Gill

12—R. Crane

J. Mantle—26

Reserve Forward: J. Nicholls (10).

Referee: J. Lane.

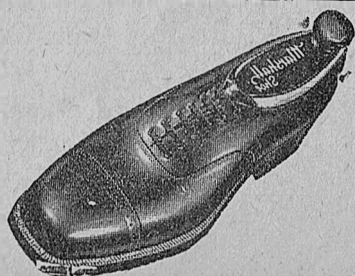
Linesmen: G. Hamilton (Red Flag), A. Wright (Blue Flag).

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WINNS



September

12 August 1953

Well this was the grand Final
played at the Sports Ground
and like all other Grand
Finals and Finals it was a
hard close game in
which North definitely proved
the better side with their solid
persistent play they gradually
wore Bessnock down to wind by
16 to 11. Bessnock scored 2 then
North kicked a penalty then North
scored a try in the corner. then North
bessnock scored a try under the
Post and had 7.5 North 2. to make
it 7 all then Bessnock kicked
another Goal to make 9.7 then
North kicked a Penalty to make it
9 all then a few minutes later it
was 2 all until 13 minutes
before Full time North's Winger Broke
away and scored under the Posts.
the extras was added to make
16 to 11 in favour of North (over)