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To-day we play the Grand Final and are confident that we can win this one and so finish Major as well as Minor Premiers.

We have a different team to that which played Maitland in the semi-final. Included in this week's team is Allan Welch, and Jack Hutchinson. Allan makes a re-appearance after breaking a small bone in his foot against Central in the First Round and Jack resumes after a spell of illness.

Best wishes go to Barry Redding, to-day in his effort to reach 100 points for the season. Barry has scored 96 points this season from 4 tries and 42 goals.

Congratulations go to Charlie "Dadda" Smith on his becoming the proud father of a bouncing baby boy, a future scrum half, they say.

The club would like to take this opportunity of thanking all supporters who have helped the Club during this season, and hope they will continue to do so when we make our re-appearance next year.

Well, may the best team win, to-day and whichever way the game goes, may it be played in a sportsman-like manner as a fitting climax to the 1951 Season.

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— FIRST GRADE GRAND FINAL —

Saturday, 8th Sept., 1951.

NORTHERN SUBURBS v. MAITLAND DISTRICT

Maitland District

(Colours—Gold, Blue V)

Full-back:

1—L. MILNE

Three-quarters:

2—R. CROSSLEY

3—F. THRELFORD

W. CALLINAN—5

C. MAXWELL—4

Halves:

6—L. BROWN

R. CURRAN—7

Forwards:

8—O. DAVIES

9—G. HARLEY

J. EVANS—10

11—L. TANNER

12—N. EDMONDS

P. ASIMUS—13



Northern Suburbs

(Colours—Royal Blue)

Full-back:

1—J. SLADE

Three-quarters:

3—F. MORRISON

—A. WELCH

J. DORAN—15

B. REDDING—4

Halves:

6—C. SMITH

E. LONG—7

Forwards:

8—J. HUTCHINSON

10—T. ANDERSON

A. LINICH—10

11—C. GILL

12—R. CRANE

D. HAWKE—13

Referee: H. GILLARD

Linesmen: T. TAYLOR, H. BROWN

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Well here it is at last the Grand
Final for 1951 13 500 paid £1181.
I am pleased to say North won
Narrowly by 12 to 8. North was leading
9 Nil at half in the second half
Maulland played much better
Maxwell kicked 4 penalties in a
row scores then were 9 to 8. Another
Penalty came later for Maulland
our fingers were crossed and we
watched anxiously and he missed
the Kick. which was a great relief
for North it was then 1 1/2 minutes
to go when young Hawke gathered
the Ball flew down the centre but
was tackled inches short of the line
in play the ball coming Anderson
gathered and barged over just as the
final Bell Rang.

Barry Redding who had injured
his ankle missed the Kikk
which made it 12 to 8 in favour
of North. Jack played his usual
defensive game but he was a
little out of touch having missed
two games in a row though having
cumps and influenza to see
North win this match and also
the competition it was very pleasing
to all concerned especially Jack
who has had a long and very
successful career. decided to
retire.