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AROUND THE CLUBS

Congratulations to West players, John Hobby, Bob Hensby, Allan Buman and Wayne Hore on their selection in the squad to meet New Zealand today. Commiserations to John Cootes after being chosen, having to withdraw and robbing the game of a lot of interest.

Tony McHugh, Waratah's reserve grade halfback, is being brought along slowly, but its obvious he is going to be a top class player in seasons to come. Only 19 years of age, he has everything in his kit to become a top line player.

After being out injured for four weeks, John Hollingsworth returned to North's 3rd grade team and capped off his fine all round display by scoring a try that set his team on its winning way.

For the first time in many years Waratah has failed to get a player in the rep. side. Ron Munro can probably consider himself most unlucky having performed well in previous games.

North's reserve grade team returned to the winning list again last week and by their display they indicated that there are many more wins in store. Much of their success must go to their coach, "Ducky" Williams and manager, Colin Skene, who have built up a great team spirit amongst the players.

A speedy recovery to Macquarie committeeman, Barry Bainbridge who has been hospitalised following an accident.

Under 15's— South this season is undefeated, and Waratah's only loss has been a 14-8 defeat at the hands of South in the first round. Since then it has won 7 games in a row. South has scored 126 points and conceded 26, and Waratah has scored 136 and conceded 58.

Each team contains 3 members of the representative team which defeated Illawarra 14-8. Full-back, Stephen Rwe, five-eighth, Robert McDermott, and prop David Fraser from South, and centres, Phillip Gibson and Graham Murnane, and prop Larry Hill from Waratah.

Under 8's— West and South are both undefeated, having played a nil all draw on the only occasion they have met this season. West has scored 65 points and has had none scored against it, while South has scored 77 points and conceded only 2.

Waratah is again fortunate to have Dan Murphy as first grade team manager. Dan has occupied the job for the past 6 seasons and there isn't anything he hasn't got in his gear. In fact, you name it and he has it. Boot last, hammer, nails, the works, which makes him the equal to any team manager in the country.

Congratulations to Cessnock reserve grade captain, "Oly" Renfrew and his good wife Jan, on the birth of a son. We understand the new arrival and Jan are both doing well.

Cessnock Club is fortunate in having such an able assistant to their Ladies Committee in Ralph Vesper.

Ralph can always be seen around the Kiosk when assistance is required.

Re-appearing with the Cessnock third grade team today is junior Anderson. Junior had the misfortune last year to break his hand and this has kept him on the side-line for sometime.

John "Tonda" Regan is a tireless worker on Lakes Committee. John, a great clubman also assisted by "Big Jim" Turner to prepare our successful U/9 team.

Allan Thomson showed by his non-stop display against West that he is back to his best. Club followers will be cheering for "Brahma" in the New Zealand match.

All at Maitland wish team manager "Potsie" Price a speedy recovery. "Potsie" at present is a patient in hospital. During his absence his team will be in the capable hands of Bill Atmore.

Congratulations to Keith Graham and Barry Morrison of Macquarie on their representative selection against the Kiwis.

Pen Pictures of Newcastle Team

GARY COLLINS: Full-back — Played with Maitland premiership-winning team in 1965, but is currently having best season, with appearance in Newcastle in C.R.L. championship series and for N.S.W. against Queensland last Saturday. Prodigious punt kicker and capable field goal exponent. Tricky runner.

BOB HORNE: Right wing — Played for Newcastle many times from 1962 to 1966. Injured and forced out of C.R.L. championship series this year. Strong finisher and sound in defence.

BOB HENSBY: Centre — Quickly gained place in representative sides after joining West last year from Eastern Suburbs (Sydney). Neat in all his work and strong line kicker.

NEL MORGAN: Playing Centre — Smart young player representing Newcastle for first time. Has had first grade experience with South since 1964, mainly in centre.

BILL YEOMANS: Left wing — Former St. George player who had two seasons as captain-coach of Maitland. Now playing at his top, is a powerful and speedy runner and a staunch defender.

ALAN POWELL: Five-eighth — Has made gradual improvement since he first rose to top grade and his choice in Newcastle teams for C.R.L. championship series was no surprise. Went on to play for Country seconds. Penetrative runner and solid defender.

TERRY PANNOWITZ: Half-back — (Vice-Captain) Regular Newcastle representative since 1961. Gained State and International honours in 1965 and captained Country Finis last year. Regular position is lock but is versatile type. Outstanding defender.

JACK GILL: Lock — Represented Newcastle some years ago but returned to scene this year. Captain-coach of unbeaten club team and one of the keenest tacticians in game. Can kick goals.



JACK GILL
Newcastle's lock forward

ALLAN THOMSON: Second row — Stout-hearted 80-minute player who has been regular Newcastle representative since 1964. Has played for the State several times, including last Saturday against Queensland. Captain-coach of club team for three seasons.

JOHN HOBBY: Second row — (Captain). Came from Eugowra to West last season and guided side to premiership success. Powerful forward who has represented Country and played a fine game for Newcastle against Gt. Britain last season. Usually plays in lock position.

KARL HUTCHINSON: Front row — Made representative debut this season after promising displays with club. Tall, rangy forward with plenty of fire and seems to have a good future.

ALLAN BUMAN: Hooker — Played in every Newcastle team for which he had been available since entry to first grade in 1961. State and Australian representative and in line for Kangaroo tour to England and France at the end of year.

KEITH GRAHAM: Front row — Representing Newcastle for first time, but has had wide experience in club football. Member of original Macquarie (then Toronto) team in 1961, later played at Lithgow, where he represented Group 10. Good forward leader.

BARRY MORRISON: Reserve forward — Joined Macquarie last year from Taree and won Bert Agland "Best and Fairest" trophy. Powerfully built and strong runner. Can play prop, second row or lock.

WAYNE HORE: Reserve back — Not new to representative football having played for Newcastle in C.R.L. championship series last year. Has occupied a number of positions in club play, so will be useful utility man.



JOHN HOBBY
Newcastle's captain

NEW ZEALAND v. NEWCASTLE

2.45 p.m.—Newcastle Sports Ground

Saturday, 27th May, 1967

NEW ZEALAND

Black and White

1—Roger TAIT

(11) Full Back

2—Roy CHRISTIAN
(12) Left Wing

3—Bill SOUTHORN

(13) Left Wing

4—Bill WHYTE
(14) Right Centre

5—Paul SCHULTZ
(15) Back Centre

6—Gary WOOLLARD
(16) Five-eighth

7—Graham BROWN
(17) Seven Half

8—Bruce CASTLE
(18) Lock

9—Kevin DIXON
(19) Second Row

10—Ray SINEL
(20) Second Row

11—Oscar DANIELSON
(21) Front Row

12—Henry TATANA
(22) Front Row

13—Colin O'NEILL
(23) Flanker

Referee: K. Dwyer

NEWCASTLE

Red, Blue, White &

1—Gerry COLLINS

(1) Full Back

2—Bob HORNE
(2) Centre

3—Bill YEOMANS—5
(3) Full Back

4—Bob HENSBY
(4) Wing

6—Neil MORGAN—4
(6) Scrum

5—Alan POWELL
(5) Hooker

7—Terry PANHOWITZ—7
(7) Second Row

8—Jack GILL
(8) Number 8

9—John HOBBS
(9) Wing

10—Alan THOMSON—10
(10) Centre

11—Karl HUTCHINSON
(11) Number 8

12—Keith GRAHAM—12
(12) Prop

13—Alan SIMAN
(13) Prop

14—Reserve Back, Wayne Hore (West)

15—Reserve Forward, Barry Morrison (Macquarie)

Linesmen: C. Russell (Blue Flag), G. Began (Red Flag)

JUNE 12th, 1967

CALTEX FINAL CENTRAL NEWCASTLE v. MACQUARIE UNITED

Harbor Mansfield Oval

NEWCASTLE LEAGUES CLUB

ATTENTION MEMBERS

Saturday, May 27: CABARET commencing at 8 p.m. with Bert Carr and his band. Compere Ken Potts. Guest artist, Gayleen Baird.

Sunday, May 28: 10.30 a.m. SNOOKER TOURNAMENT; 8 p.m. Film, "THE SPY THAT CAME IN FROM THE COLD" starring Richard Burton.

Thursday, June 1: MIXED BOWLS COMPETITION, draw for partner, 7.45.

WICKHAM OVAL—3.15 p.m.

Sunday, 28th May, 1967

Northern Suburbs v. Waratah-Mayfield

NORTHERN SUBURBS

Royal Blue and Sky Blue Strips

Full-back:

1—R. Hunter

Three-quarters:

2—D. Newton D. McManus—3

4—L. Perry R. Coobee—5

Halves:

6—R. Butler B. Askie—7

Forwards:

8—J. Gill C. Ball—9

10—W. Mattingley K. Hutchinson—11

12—H. Jones W. Owen—13

WARATAH-MAYFIELD

Gold Maroon V

Full-back:

1—R. Munro

Three-quarters:

2—M. Trypan P. Mills—3

4—R. Dunlop T. Metcalf—5

Halves:

6—W. Mitchell B. Lawrence—7

Forwards:

8—M. White K. Oliveira—9

10—A. Stone Barrie Dunlop—11

12—R. Hubbard W. Lunde—13

Referee: L. Rodway

Linesmen: C. Russell (Blue Flag), R. Edwards (Red Flag)

RESERVE GRADE — 1.45 p.m.

NORTHERN SUBURBS

Full-back:

1—N. Hancock

Three-quarters:

2—G. O'Callaghan J. Davis—3

4—D. Ellis P. Watsford—5

Halves:

6—D. Davidson D. Davey—7

Forwards:

8—J. Wilson E. Russell—9

10—D. Maddison J. Bennett—11

12—D. Lloyd L. Sill—13

WARATAH-MAYFIELD

Full-back:

1—W. Woodland

Three-quarters:

2—J. Bassford H. O'Connor—3

4—Y. Morris B. Graves—5

Halves:

6—G. Pappas A. McHue—7

Forwards:

8—E. Shields R. Lawrence—9

10—H. Evans L. Morkham—11

12—T. Henshaw E. Baxter—13

Referee: B. Barnett

Linesmen: F. O'Hearn (Blue Flag), R. Jones (Red Flag)

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THIRD GRADE

12.15 p.m.

CESSNOCK

Black and Gold

1—M. Parkinson	
2—K. Richardson	A. Johns—3
4—T. Connolly	R. Wilson—5
6—J. Winchester	W. Sutor—7
8—R. Fittler	B. Edwards—9
10—R. Parkinson	J. Wilson—11
12—R. Garnett	P. J. Anderson—13

MACQUARIE UNITED

Green and Gold Bars, Black Shorts

1—M. Phillips	
2—D. Hume	G. Mathews—3
4—P. Dewson	G. Greenwood—5
6—R. McGrath	P. Field—7
8—M. Snowden	Condy/Bunn—9
10—E. Watling	N. J. Jinton—11
12—H. Clack	R. Walker—13

Referee: D. Thornton

Linesmen: R. Notley (Blue Flag), J. Walker (Red Flag)

KURRI KURRI

Half Red Top, Half Blue Bottom

1—M. Jobbins	
2—P. Tracey	E. Bainbridge—3
4—H. Campbell	R. Swan—5
6—G. Balfour	S. Dunker—7
8—H. Watson	A. Bailey—9
10—R. Yates	W. Mannix—11
12—P. Nicholson	J. Ruddenby—13

WESTERN SUBURBS

Red and Green

1—W. Smith	
2—J. Campbell	G. Raylon—3
4—B. Stanbridge	D. Bullen—5
6—A. Wallis	J. Cooper—7
8—D. Howlett	R. Campbell—9
10—W. Mahoney	G. McLachlan—11
12—H. Hill	K. Davies—13

Referee: N. Scotman

Linesmen: D. Bolewski (Blue Flag), R. Drury (Red Flag)

LAKES UNITED

Blue and Gold, White Shorts

1—R. Mayo	
2—B. Hill	P. Owens—3
4—B. Reid	J. Flindby—5
6—A. Benson	J. Robertson—7
8—J. James	J. Wagstaffe—9
10—J. Cook	B. Worth—11
12—J. Clarke	J. Roswell—13

SOUTH NEWCASTLE

White, Red V

1—D. Lowe	
2—G. D'Arcy	T. Rose—3
4—J. Lawrence	J. Givens—5
6—K. Smith	K. Rose—7
8—W. Krum	B. Gall—9
10—M. Magill	G. Miller—11
12—N. Hawke	A. Whitton—13

Referee: R. McLaren

Linesmen: N. Digby (Blue Flag), N. Scott (Red Flag)

CENTRAL NEWCASTLE

Blue & White Stripes

1—W. Bush	
2—W. McMurtrie	R. Johnson—3
4—S. Lippvitts	S. Mitchell—5
6—K. McMillan	J. Caldwell—7
8—P. Crockett	B. Agland—9
10—J. Marshall	H. Johns—11
12—J. Woods	T. Johnston—13

MAITLAND

Black, White Kickers

1—D. Crain	
2—A. Barrett	P. Heagney—3
4—T. Martin	S. Shoesmith—5
6—C. Elliott	P. Williams—7
8—N. Redman	R. Mulliner—9
10—J. Baker	B. Hall—11
12—L. Dilley	J. Hillfield—13

Referee: K. Steel

Linesmen: D. Webb (Blue Flag), R. Cadogan (Red Flag)

NORTHERN SUBURBS

Royal Blue and Sky Blue Bars

1—G. Elliott	
2—B. Benson	P. Smith—3
4—B. Williams	B. Hall—5
6—G. Gibson	R. Saunders—7
8—L. Hauser	H. Gibson—9
10—T. Malone	J. Hollingsworth—11
12—H. Gilbert	P. Anderson—13

WARATAH-MAYFIELD

Gold Maroon V

1—D. Anderson	
2—H. Date	P. James—3
4—J. Foster	D. King—5
6—R. Mulhearn	B. Gordon—7
8—H. Edser	P. Clarke—9
10—G. Plimmeridge	R. Leachman—11
12—J. Carr	D. Sargent—13

Referee: L. Shann

Linesmen: F. O'Hearn (Blue Flag), R. Jones (Red Flag)