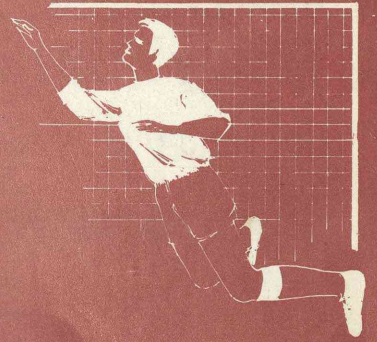


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## PRESIDENTS CUP TO THISTLE

The first of Thistle's goals in their 2-0 President's Cup win over Bardon at Perry Park on Sunday.

Inside left MIKE CULHANA (centre) has just dispatched a partial save from JOHN EDEN to open Thistle's account as centre forward JIM AN-CLIFFE watches the ball hit the back of the net.

Looking pretty dejected about the whole thing is Bardon left fullback JOHN HICKMAN.



**next week: Qantas cup-teams P. 6, 7, 8.**

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# 'Bluey' back with a Vengeance

Alan "Bluey" Smith's return to the Thistle side must have been a good omen as his side went on to beat Bardon-Latrobe 2-0 and take out the first round President's Cup trophy.

Smith will be a key figure in Sunday's Qantas Cup clash when Thistle will be up against Hellenic at 1 o'clock.

Here "Bluey" heads his side out of trouble with Bardon winger Alan Jamieson taking a tumble.



## HERE'S WHAT THE EXPERTS PREDICT THIS WEEK

| PROGRESSIVE POINTS:—<br>STEEL 27, MITCHELL 26,<br>MALCOLM 26, FOUCHE 23,<br>MOURNEY 23, PAGAN 22,<br>GIBB 20, BRUSASCO 20,<br>WADDELL 20. | BILL MALCOLM | GEORGE PAGAN | RON MITCHELL | ALD. IAN BRUSASCO | ALAN FOUCHE | BRUCE WADDELL | ALAN GIBB | JOHN STEEL | HARRY MOURNEY | MOST FANCED |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------|-----------|------------|---------------|-------------|
| BARDON v. MERTON                                                                                                                          | 1            | 2            | 2            | 2                 | 2           | 1             | 2         | 1          | 2             | 2           |
| HOLLANDIA v. COALSTARS                                                                                                                    | 1            | 1            | 1            | 1                 | 1           | 2             | 1         | 1          | 1             | 1           |
| THISTLE v. HELLENIC                                                                                                                       | 1            | 1            | 1            | 2                 | 1           | 2             | 1         | 1          | 1             | 1           |
| POLONIA v. AZZURRI                                                                                                                        | 2            | 1            | 2            | 2                 | 2           | 2             | 1         | 2          | 1             | 2           |



## BRISBANE JUNIORS ROUND-UP

By Stan Dye

### ASSOCIATION NEWS REFEREES COURSES

At the Delegates meeting last Tuesday, Mr George Stewart advised the Delegates that members of the Referees Association are available to visit Clubs and conduct instruction courses for people who are desirous of becoming Official Referees, or Cadet Referees. Those courses could be arranged at Clubhouses or at private homes to fit in with the requirements of the people concerned.

It is also possible for examinations for prospective referees to be held under the same conditions. Every follower of Junior Soccer must be aware of the acute shortage of referees and this is one method by which the shortage can be alleviated.

If any Club members are interested in taking up this offer they should contact their Club Secretary and request him to make the necessary enquiries and arrangements with Mr. Stewart at 573 Robinson Rd, Aspley 4034, Phone 63 1948.

Mr. Stewart foreshadowed the appearance of lady referees officiating at Junior fixtures. He told Delegates that if there were any ladies in their Clubs who were interested in becoming referees they would be very welcome.

### ANOTHER FAMILY AFFAIR

Further to the article some weeks ago about participation by several members of the same family in Junior Soccer, another interesting story was related to me, this time concerning the refereeing aspect of the game.

Mr. Arthur Watson of Annerley has recently moved to Brisbane from Mackay where he was an active Junior Referee. He is now officiating in Junior games in Brisbane. Mrs. Watson and their son, Trevor are at present awaiting the results of their examinations to become official referees.

At Annerley's ground a week or two ago, Mr. Watson, Mrs. Watson and Trevor had the unique experience of refereeing in different matches at the same time, Mr. Watson was on the top field, Mrs. Watson was on the bottom field and Trevor was on the Minor field. This would establish a record and no doubt the Referees Association would be only too pleased to have more families like the Watsons, in their ranks.

### SOUTH COAST UNITED

South Coast United had a mixed bag on Saturday 22nd. May when their Junior teams won 6 games, lost 6 games, and drew one game. The under 16, 15 and 14 teams all won by good margins scoring a combined aggregate score of 30 goals against 4 in reply.

Ernest Croft from the under 16 team topped the scoring list with 6 goals. Stephen Dolan, Tim Griffin, Peter Murray, and Denis Olive also were among the goals, for this team.

In the under 14 team Gerry Vanderstam scored 4 goals together with Bill Richardson.

The under 9B team also had a feast of goals when they defeated Annerley by 8 goals to nil with Dale Manley and David Simon notching 4 goals each.

All in all South Coast United had a high scoring day in the games that they won.

### CLUB NEWS MITCHELTON VISIT THE COAST

Mitchelton Soccer Club Juniors were entertained by Coolangatta Club for a Social Day on 23rd. May. The day was marked by plenty of good Soccer in ideal weather conditions.

The day opened with an under 8 game in which Mitchelton were too strong for their opposition and ran out winners by 10 goals to nil. This was the first game together for the home side so the result was not as disappointing as it appears.

The other games and results were:  
Under 9, Mitchelton 1, Coolangatta 1  
Under 11, Mitchelton 3, Coolangatta 0  
Under 13, Mitchelton 3, Coolangatta 1  
Under 16, Mitchelton 6, Coolangatta 0

Any Clubs who are interested in visiting the Coast and in Particular Coolangatta, are invited to contact Jack Woodward, at Coolangatta 36 2028.

Thanks to Mr. Jim McDonald of Mitchelton, for the interesting details of the Club's visit to the Gold Coast.

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### FIRST - UP WIN FOR ENGLAND

The touring England side won the first match of its Australian tour when they defeated New South Wales 1-0 at the Sydney Sports Ground last Sunday.

A crowd of more than 18,000 saw the professionals take a while to find their land legs against a N.S.W. side, which showed depth in defence but a lack of bite up front.

The only forward to cause England any real concern was tall centre forward Adrian Alston, one of the stars for St. George against Queensland earlier this season.

England's lone goal came from the boot of Hull City striker Chris Chilton in the 16th minute of the first half.

The teams:- New South Wales— Jack Reilly, George Keith, Col Curran, Ray Richards, Peter Wilson, Manfred Schaeffer, George Blues, Jim Rooney, Adrian Alston, Ray Baartz (Mike Denton), Alan Ainslie (Joe Alagich).

England:- Peter Grummit, Peter Hindley, Peter Wall, Mike Mills, Chris Chilton, Ken Wagstaffe, Gowland (Barry Bridges).



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Chilton and teammate Ken Wagstaffe obviously are going to be the chief worries for Australian defenders on this tour when they really hit top form.

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### COLTS DIVISION POINTS TABLE

|               | P. | W. | D. | L. | F. | A. | PTS. |
|---------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|------|
| 1. Wynnum     | 9  | 8  | -  | 14 | 10 | 16 |      |
| 2. Azzurri    | 9  | 7  | 1  | 13 | 0  | 11 | 15   |
| 3. Thistle    | 9  | 6  | 1  | 24 | 0  | 18 | 13   |
| 4. Dnipro     | 9  | 5  | 1  | 32 | 5  | 23 | 11   |
| 5. Ac. Ridge  | 9  | 5  | -  | 41 | 6  | 24 | 10   |
| 6. Hollandia  | 9  | 4  | 1  | 42 | 2  | 23 | 9    |
| 7. St. Helens | 9  | 4  | -  | 53 | 2  | 27 | 8    |
| 8. Redcliffe  | 9  | 3  | -  | 61 | 1  | 39 | 6    |
| 9. Gold Coast | 8  | 1  | -  | 7  | 24 | 6  | 2    |



# FIRST DIVISION FIXTURES AND TEAMS QANTAS CUP CONTENDERS ARE EVENLY MATCHED

THISTLE v. HELLENIC  
(SUNDAY, PERRY PARK, 1.0)

**THISTLE**

1. PETER ROBERTS
2. ALAN SMITH
3. ALEC KEENAN
4. BARRY DANN
5. BARRY ALLISON
6. ALEX ANDERSON
7. JEFF CORNFORD
8. RITCHIE SMITH
9. JIM ANCLIFFE
10. MIKE CULHANA
11. STEVE POLLARD

COACH:- P. CLEMITSON

**HELLENIC**

1. STAN SANDER
2. BILL MAXTON
3. CHAS. MATTERS
4. ROB MAZTON
5. ROD WALSH
6. IAN FAGAN
7. TONY MURTAGH
8. MATT JACKSON
9. BILL FAGAN
10. ANDY TSOUMBARAS
11. PETER WALKER

COACH:- T. DEVINE

REFEREE:- D. MILES  
LINESMEN:-C. TUDGE, J. WOOD



MATT JACKSON  
HELLENIC  
DYNAMO



PETER NIELSEN  
AZZURRI  
MASTERMIND

POLONIA v. AZZURRI  
(SUNDAY, PERRY PARK, 3.0)

**POLONIA**

1. FRANK ROMANOWSKI
2. EDDIE MUSIAL
3. DEREK ROBSON
4. IAN FRAMPTON
5. GOERGE WHITAKER
6. BILL JAMES
7. MICK ANTHONY
8. OWEN MONAGHAN
9. WAYNE WALKER
10. ALAN JAMES
11. RUSS WALKER

COACH:- D. ROBSON

**AZZURRI**

1. RICK SCHLUTER
2. MATT HOSIE
3. BRUNO PINTI
4. GARY CLIFFORD
5. IAN PERRY
6. PETER NIELSEN
7. GERRY SCHOENDORFER
8. BILL HAIGH
9. IAN JOHNSTON
10. WILLIE CONNORS
11. DAVE SARGENT

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|---------------|----|----|----|-----|----|----|------|
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| 1. Bardon     | 9  | 5  | 2  | 224 | 14 | 12 |      |
| 3. Merton     | 9  | 5  | 2  | 226 | 16 | 12 |      |
| 4. Azzurri    | 9  | 3  | 4  | 217 | 13 | 10 |      |
| 5. Hollandia  | 9  | 4  | 2  | 319 | 16 | 10 |      |
| 6. St. Helens | 9  | 4  | 1  | 415 | 15 | 9  |      |
| 7. Coalstars  | 9  | 4  | 1  | 418 | 19 | 9  |      |
| 8. Hellenic   | 9  | 2  | 1  | 614 | 20 | 5  |      |
| 9. Wynnum     | 9  | 2  | 1  | 615 | 31 | 5  |      |
| 10. Polonia   | 9  | 1  | 3  | 511 | 23 | 5  |      |

**NEXT WEEK'S FIXTURES  
Monday, June 14:-**

- Queensland v. England  
(Lang Park)
- Curtain Raiser
- Mt. Isa v. Rockhampton  
(Lang Park)

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## FIRST DIVISION (CONT'D.)

HOLLANDIA v. COALSTARS  
(SAUTRDAY, PERRY PARK, 3.0)

### HOLLANDIA

1. GREG HAYES
2. ERNIE DEAVIN
3. PETER STEEN
4. PHIL SUNDERLAND
5. JON VAN KLAVEREN
6. GARY WILKINS
7. DARRYL WILKINS
8. SVEN ANDERSON
9. RITCHIE WILSON
10. DALE MORTIMER
11. PAUL MORTIMER

COACH:— G. WILKINS

### COALSTARS

1. BARRY SHREIWEIS
2. BARRY PAYNE
3. ERROL KREIS
4. FRANK JOHNSTON
5. JOHN RODERICK
6. COL SMITH
7. WALLY KITCHING
8. ROSS HALLETT
9. KEVIN CALDWELL
10. IAN DAVIS

COACH:— J. BELL

REFEREE:—J. CARLIN

LINESMEN:— A. McDOUGALL, G. HARRISON

BARDON v. MERTON  
(SATURDAY, PERRY PARK, 1.0)

### BARDON

1. MARTIN COE
2. BOB BUCHANAN
3. JOHN HICKMAN
4. GIBBY ROWAN
5. GEOFF GAULT
6. ALAN SINCLAIR
7. GEORGE FRASER
8. MICK LEE
9. EDDIE CARRIGAN
10. IAN YOUNG
11. ALAN JAMIESON

COACH:— E. CARRIGAN

REFEREE:— J. ADAMS

LINESMEN:— J. GALE, D. NUGENT

### MERTON

1. ROSS JENKINS
2. GARY CLELLAND
3. GARY CATCHPOLE
4. ALEX SENJUSCHENKO
5. GRAHAM MEAGHER
6. GREG AMOS
7. EDS HEATH
8. TREVOR CATCHPOLE
9. ERIC PATTISON
10. HARRY STEWART
11. BEVAN BOHAN

COACH:— M. CARSON

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### HOW THEY REACHED THE QUARTER-FINALS

Bardon 4d. Mt. Isa 1  
Merton 8d. St. Helens 1  
Hollandia 1d. Nth. Qld. 0  
Coalstars 2d. Oxley 1  
Thistle 3d. Central Qld. 0  
Hellenic 7d. Mitchelton 0  
Polonia 1d. Wynnum 0  
Azzurri 5d. Far Nth. Qld. 0  
Merton 8d.

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### HOW THEY FARED IN THE CUP LAST YEAR

**BARDON:**— Eliminated in the quarter-finals when they went down 1-0 to Azzurri.

**MERTON** — Reached semi-finals but were knocked out in their match with Hollandia, 2-1.

**HOLLANDIA:** Cup winners last year, Started outsiders and downed Azzurri 2-1 in a thrilling final.

**COALSTARS:** Disappointing last year and after leading 2-1, lost their quarter-finals match 4-2 to Hollandia.

**THISTLE:**—Failed to get past the first round when they were defeated 2-1 by Azzurri.

**HELLENIC.**— Figured in one of the Cup boovers last year when beaten by Second Division Wynnum in the quarter-finals.

**POLONIA** — Victim of another upset when they were thrashed 4-1 by Mt. Isa in the first round.

**AZZURRI** — Looked the winners all the way until beaten in a rain-sodden final 2-1 by Hollandia.

### ALL THE QANTAS CUP GOALSCORES

- 3 E. Pattison (Merton)
- 3 S. Pollard (Thistle)
- 3 G. Schoendorfer (Azzurri)
- 2 T. Catchpole (Merton)
- 2 A. Tsoumbaras (Hellenic)
- 2 A. Murtagh (Hellenic)

The following have scored one  
K. Calswell, R. Brown (Coalstars)  
B. (Oxley), P. Pirog, R. Buchanan  
G. Fraser, M. Lee (Bardon)  
F. Oeilling (Mt. Isa), P. Walker  
N. Large, C. Matters (Hellenic)  
B. Bohan, H. Stewart, D. Heath  
(Merton), A. Gibb (St. Helens),  
M. Anthony (Polonia), I. Johnston,  
D. Sargent (Azzurri), D. Wilkins  
(Hollandia)

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# On the Coaching Scene

By SAM MORGAN

## GEO. PAGAN (STATE COACH) & THE GAP PERSEVERANCE

How often does a player who commits a mistake during a game allow it to disturb his concentration of his game? How often does this same mistake affect his fellow mates, and how often does a mistake made by a referee change or affect a team's performance? Think deeply, before answering. My answer is, much too often. Players must be trained to accept the fact that mistakes and setbacks are part of that hilly road to success. A player must realise also his own shortcomings, and should work religiously to improve them. To measure his improvement, he should base his results on game situations, where all the pressures are present. PERSEVERANCE is itself an accomplishment and one who attains this, has gained himself the hallmark of any great sportsman. This will aid him to face up to any depression, to any barrier or to any weakness that affronts, with a positive outlook.

## DIR. OF COACHES (MATT CARSON)

(1) A couple of months ago we were called up to the Q.S.F. for instruction in interpretation of certain laws. After considerable discussion it was decided that laws as written were quite plain for all to see. It was also made quite clear that the laws were made to be adhered to and nobody can change the laws. May I suggest somebody read Law 7.

LAW 7. At half time the interval shall not exceed five minutes except BY CONSENT OF THE REFEREE.

(2) The following have been nominated to the Aust. Soccer Coaches Federation as Aust. Staff Coaches and Lecturers and they are as follows:— B. Ahern, B. Millis, S. Tucker, G. Pagan, Matt Carson, F. Robins, J. Nunn.

(3) I hope all players and Referees alike, saw the Scottish Cup Final Celtic v. Rangers. To me this game had everything, basic skills were very prominent, but the speed and fitness of these two teams had to be seen to be believed. No matter how good we think we are, games like this bring us back to earth with a bump. This is the standard we must aim for if we are to be world class.

(4) Wanted—— A sponsor or sponsors for full time coaching. The demands for qualified coaches to visit schools and country centres is now so big, that full time now is a must. Surely there is some large firm somewhere who could promote coaching and soccer. I would be pleased to discuss this with any interested party. All correspondence must be forwarded to the Secretary Mr. N. Dodds, 44 Kenmore Road, Kenmore, Brisbane, 4069. Tele. 78 4384. After 6 p.m.

## TO SPIKE OR NOT TO SPIKE? (Cont'd from last week)

Tension in the lower limbs was partially borne out by Malcolm Allison, the Manchester City Coach, who advocated the use of spikes "... if the players themselves feel they have a personal beneficial effect". However,

he says there was a time, before the season began, when minor strains and pulls were causing some concern at Maine road. Mr. Allison believes that running in spikes can have a tremendous psychological value for his players. He wonders, however, whether the actual material benefits can be calculated. The players, he admits, feel faster and stronger when running in spikes, although in actual fact, they may only improve a player by as little as half a yard in thirty or forty yards. The advantage then is purely PSYCHOLOGICAL—the players FEEL BETTER when they use them and they are constantly kept on their toes.

We've heard the views of the physiotherapist and the coach. Now listen to those expressed by the Manager, Don Revie of Leeds United and the player, West Ham United and England skipper, Bobby Moore.

Mr. Revie says that "none of our players use running spikes for sprints, to increase their speed. We do all our training and sprints in football boots, as we feel that this is what they have got to do in a match, so we believe in doing it in our training sessions".

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Continued from page 4.

Well known Gold Coast Junior Soccer Stalwart, Mr. Jack Woodward, President of the Coolangatta Club, related to the visitors that there are now 34 teams playing in the Gold Coast Junior Competitions. The age groups are under 8, under 9, under 11, under 13 and under 14, with under 16 teams playing in the Tweed Competitions. This is a very good effort when it is remembered that the Gold Coast has a large floating population.

According to the comments of the Mitchelton Club and from my own past experience, any Club visiting Coolangatta is assured of a very enjoyable day out.

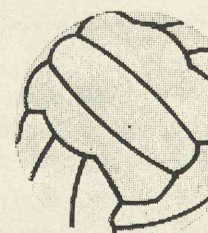
# "Go Soccer" Feature Page

## HIGHEST OFFER — IS IT A FALLACY?

By Alan Sinclair (Bardon - Latrobe)



ALAN SINCLAIR



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The number of soccer spectators who say, "THEY MUST BE OFFERING HIM BETTER MONEY" when a professional player joins a particular club, creates a general opinion that a player thinks of MONEY as be all and end all. Well believe me there are a lot of other factors which govern a player's decision. These are:—

- (a) Club Structure
- (b) Manager                      ] ideally one
- (c) Sole Selector                ] and the same
- (d) Coach
- (e) Fellow Players
- (f) Facilities
- (g) Incentive
- (h) Team Spirit

(a) THE CLUB STRUCTURE ideally would be divided into working and finance committee and team management, both separate bodies within the club, each having its own particular duties and having a liaison officer (the President) communicating between them.

## (b) MANAGER AND SOLE SELECTOR:—

as a manager always open and truthful with players and with the character and patience to overcome the variety of characters, feelings and ideas of individuals in the team and blend them together. He must also be able to observe faults on and off the field and make good whether by psychological or practical means. The title of Sole Selector speaks for itself.

(c) COACH:— one who understands the game, is respected by the players, easy to get on with and a firm hand at the right times in training sessions.

(d) FELLOW PLAYERS:— are they a friendly crowd, easy to get on with and are they content to join a club where you have differences with other players not only effects your own personal achievement but also that of the team.

(e) FACILITIES:— mainly those provided for at training sessions i.e. equipment, changing accommodations, showers and refreshments.

(f) INCENTIVE:— anything offered as a reward whether it be a NIGHT OFF TRAINING, or an END OF SEASON TOUR.

(g) TEAM SPIRIT:— most important of all and is a combination of all previous facets; without which a team could be struggling whether they had a couple of George Bests or Peles.

So as you can see "monetary return" is only one of the many factors involved in deciding which club you will join.

FOOTNOTE:— "Go Soccer" would welcome any similar articles of a general nature from any player who cares to give his opinions on any Soccer subject. Contact B. Waddell at Perry Park if you would like to contribute an article.

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# WHY?

# NEWS AND VIEWS

## BY FIRST DIVISION REFEREE DES MILES

Of all the items of equipment carried on the field by the referee the most important is his whistle. In fact, he is advised to carry two. But who said the referee should have a whistle? It is stated a linesman should have a flag, but no mention is made of whistle. The laws state that to start or restart a game a signal shall be given but referees are not told what form that signal shall take. So why not a bell or a rattle? Perhaps some reader can tell us the origin of the use of a whistle by referees and when it was first used.

## LAW 13 - FREE KICK

When a player is taking a direct or an indirect free kick outside his own penalty area, all of the opposing players shall be at least ten yards from the ball, until it is in play, unless they are standing on their own goal line, between the goal posts. The ball shall be in play when it has travelled the distance of its own circumference". It is important to note that all players of the opposing side shall be at least ten yards from the ball. The practice seems to be developed for a player, when a free kick is given against his team, near or in the penalty area, to marshall his team into a defensive wall. To do this he stands near the ball. By so doing he is clearly breaking Law 13.

All players should be reminded that if they do not observe the ten yard rule the International Board Decision requires that they must be cautioned and if they repeat the offence they must be ordered off the field for serious misconduct.

FEEL THE THRILL  
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**QANTAS** JOURNEY

Tickets are selling well for the Queensland-England match at Lang Park on June 14.

Avoid disappointment— be one of the first of an expected crowd of 20,000 plus to obtain a good reserved seat in the grandstand for this clash of the year.

Tickets can be purchased from the Federation Office at Perry Park or at Palings in Queen Street.

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What an interesting battle Hellenic, Wynnum and Polonia are providing at the bottom of the premiership points table.

It is producing as much interest as the concerted battle at the top of the table for a place in the final four.

And despite Polonia's great draw with Azzurri last week, they are still the current wooden-spooners, only because of a slightly inferior goal average.

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Spare a thought for Hellenic, currently having possibly the worst run of luck in their career.

With Billy Fagan and Gordon Mackie out of action for several weeks, Peter Walker copped a week's suspension against Wynnum last Saturday.

Fagan returned to the side, but in another shocking stroke of bad luck, promising winger Ted Kristens was seriously injured in a car smash at the end of last week, and obviously will be out of action for some time.

As team manager Mike Penklis commented last week; "It doesn't rain with us, it pours".

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Another well-known face who will be missing from the First Division scene for at least five weeks is Bardon centre half Jimmy Lamb.

Lamb was carried off the field against Thistle last Sunday and later was found to have sustained a broken ankle.

Selectors now will be searching for replacements for Lamb in the Brisbane and State representative sides.

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A long layoff from football seems to be just what the doctor ordered for Coalstars' halfback Col Smith.

Always a reliable wing half, Col completed only his second full match for Coalstars last Sunday after a long spell and now appears to be playing better than ever.

The Ipswich selectors obviously thought so too, as he was selected to represent Ipswich in the first of the Kruger Cup clashes at Spencer Park against Brisbane last Wednesday night.

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The Catchpoles would have to form one of the best footballing families in the State at present.

Big Gary, despite being dropped from the State team, is not putting a foot wrong in the Merton-East defence each week and Trevor's non-stop displays have earned him a berth in the Brisbane side and a place in the State squad training for the match against England.

Meanwhile younger brother Neil is on loan to Wynnum from Merton for this season and from all reports is certainly paying his way in no uncertain manner.

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