

1910 Round 5 Saturday 25th June St. Luke's Park Concord

Annandale 21 def. Western Suburbs 12

Charlie HEDLEY (c) **Fullback** Bill MEDCALF Herbert KEEN George WILCOX Wing A BRYANT Claude McFAYDEN Centre Centre **Roy NORMAN** Frank FEENEY Charles BINGLE Wing William MANTLE Ray NORMAN Five-eighth Percy BOLT (c) A HENDERSON Half Henry NAYLOR Angus LENNON Lock Tom DOYLE **Thomas BROWNLEE** Second Row Verner JARVIS **LGROVES** Second Row Sam PFRRY **G SHORT** Front Row Ted MEAD Walter HADDOCK Hooker **Ernest PALMER** Robert GRAY Front Row Charles LUHR Replacement **Ernest WELLING**

Tries George WILCOX (2) Ted MEAD
Charles BINGLE Henry NAYLOR

Ray NORMAN Roy NORMAN

Goals Charlie HEDLEY (2) Bill MEDCALF (3)

Roy NORMAN

Match Description

Western Suburbs - Full-back, Medcalf; three-quarters, Keen, Feeney, McFadden, Mantle; halves, Bolt, Naylor; forwards, Mead, Jarvis, Luhr, Palmer, Doyle, Perry

Annandale - Full-back, C Hedley, three-quarters G Wilcox, A Bryant, Roy Norman, Bingle; halves, Ray Norman and A Henderson forwards, B Gray, W Haddock, G Short, W Groves, T Brownlie and R Lennon Referee Mr George Seabrook

Haddocks kicked off for Annandale, and the ball, being fumbled on West's line, Bingle picked up, and crossed. Hedley converted. Annandale 5, Western Suburbs nil. Passing between Keen, Naylor and Mantle ended in the last-named losing the ball on Annandale's line. From half-way Ray Norman, by a tricky run, carried the ball close to the Westerners' line. Hedley kicked from half-way to the Wests' back, who was downed by one of his own side, and Ray Norman passed to Haddocks, to Wilcox, who scored in the corner. Roy Norman failed at goal. Annandale 8, Western Suburbs nil. Hedley from a free inside half-way kicked a goal. At half-time the scores were - Annandale 10, Western Suburbs 2

On resuming Mead and Naylor scored tries for Western Suburbs, and the latter was converted by Medcalf. Annandale 10, Western Suburbs 10. Henderson secured from a scrum, passed to Ray Norman to Roy Norman to Wilcox, who scored: Hedley failed at goal. Annandale 15, Western Suburbs 10. Henderson passed to Ray Norman, to Roy Norman, who easily outdistanced the Western backs, and scored behind the posts. Ray Norman kicked a goal. Annandale 21, Western Suburbs 10. A free was given against Annandale and Medcalf kicked a goal. The final scores were: Annandale 21, Western Suburbs 12 (Evening News 25th June 1910)

At St Luke's Oval, Burwood, Annandale defeated Western Suburbs in a scraggy and unattractive game, showing better form throughout. Their back division was strengthened by the inclusion of the brothers Norman from the Glebe R.U. team.

Western Suburbs - Full-back, W Medcalf; three-quarters, H. Keen, A. Feeney, C. McFadden, R. Mantle; halves, P. Bolt, J Naylor; forwards, E Mead, A. Jarvis, C. Luhr, A. Palmer, J. Doyle, S. Perry

Annandale - Full-back, C Hedley, three-quarters G Wilcox, A Bryant, Roy Norman, C. Bingle; halves, Ray Norman and A Henderson forwards, B Gray, W Haddock, G Short, W Groves, T Brownlie and R Lennon.

....... After Hedley had missed two easy shots at goal the Annandale forwards scored another try through an amusing bungle by a Western Suburbanite. The full-back fielded the ball, but one of his own men promptly tackled him and brought him down. Ray Norman sent it to W Haddock, to Wilcox, who scored near the corner....... (Sunday Times 26th June 1910)

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Notes: This was a return for Charles Luhr who replaced Jim Abercrombie who didn't play another match in the season. Also, this was the first of two matches for Herbert Keen. Ernest Palmer was injured and replaced by Ernest Welling.

