BRITISH LEGION RETURN. 501

Over twelve hundred men of the British Legion started off to be police for Czechoslovakia, but they were brought home again after getting no farther than Southend. [illegible] Nevertheless, for a few days these men from all walks of life returned to the old Army habits and the old Army songs. [illegible] So that's that! They disembarked at Tilbury and handed back their kit. [illegible] Crikey --- by the time they get home they'll be naked!

AUSTRALIAN FOOTBALL.

They play football as well as cricket in Melbourne, and judging by the attendance it's a game that seems to have a good following. This was the final between Carlton and Collingwood. [illegible] If they don't bust the ball at the start they make quite an exciting match of it, but it isn't the same as our football. They kick it and pat it and handle it -- it's a cross between rugby and netball and the players have to be ready to take hard knocks. The scoring is different too --- the team in stripes lost by 15 goals and ten behinds. It seems rather a lot!