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Olympic Cake Shop Fire, 8 East Esplanade, St. Albans

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FIREMAN HURT IN SHOP BLAZE

Fire last Saturday night destroyed the ground floor of a cake store and delicatessen in East Esplanade, St. Albans.

Fireman L. Brennan of St. Albans was cut by broken glass while fighting the fire and later had stitches inserted in both hands at Footscray Hospital.

The alarm was given at St. Albans Fire Station shortly after 7 pm and, within minutes, the fire unit was at the scene, to

be joined later by units from Footscray, Sunshine and Deer Park.

A pump was used to augment what the firemen referred to as "poor water pressure".

Cause of the fire and the amount of damage was unknown when The Advocate went to press.

It is believed that a

passer-by gave the alarm by breaking a street fire alarm nearby. The fire had a good hold by the time the alarm was given.

**Slept in subway —
and paid for it**

Pigeon results

Results of Sunshine Homing Club's race from Hillston (300 miles) were:
G. Lane (1413 Y.P.M.),
Magri Bros (1380), J.
Lammit (1327).