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Childrens
Christmas Party

(SATURDAY, 3rd Dec.)

Continental
Area School

(FRIDAY, 9th December)

- ** DOORS OPEN AT THE COMMUNITY HALL 1.20pm
- ** FILMS COMMENCE 1.30pm
- **SINGALONG & SPECIAL GUEST 2.00pm
- **FATHER CHRISTMAS ENTERS at 2.30pm to draw RAFFLE, announce prize winners of the colouring competition and to present PRESENTS

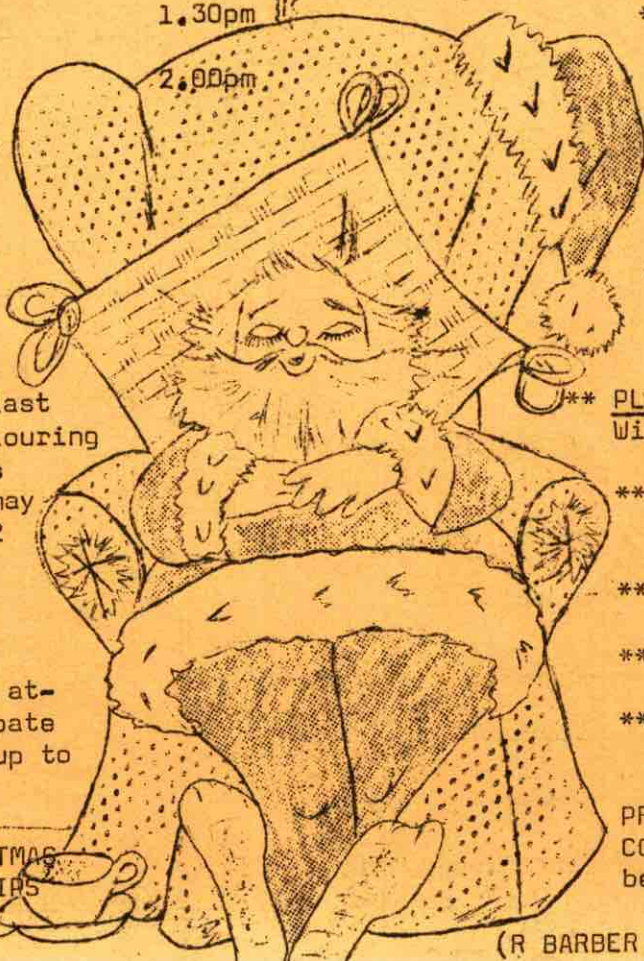
****CHILDREN!**

Don't forget this is the last day for entries in the colouring competition. Late entries (Thursday night, Friday) may be taken to Mrs E DALY, 22 Third Street.

****VISITORS**

To the town interested in attending may still participate by contacting Mrs E DALY up to Friday (2nd Dec) evening.

AND HERE WE SEE FATHER CHRISTMAS RESTING UP BEFORE HIS BIG TRIPS TO LEIGH CREEK over the next two weeks.



TO BE HELD IN THE SCHOOL GROUNDS.

**Make this your family night out for 1977.

Give MUM a BREAK, have your evening MEAL at the Continental which starts at 6.pm.

**TOASTED SANDWICHES, HOT DOGS - DOUGHNUTS - ICECREAM - COOL DRINKS

**** PLAYS**

Will start at 8.pm.

**Meet FATHER CHRISTMAS at the Magic Cave

**GHOST HOUSE

**T.V. GAMES

**TOY SHOP and many other Stalls.

PROCEEDS to the SCHOOL COUNCIL for the general benefit of YOUR school

(R BARBER - for Continental Committee)

Cinema

Ads



SATURDAY - 3 December

"THE FOURTH WISH"

(NRC)

Casey is a father.. who takes on the world single handed ... and won't say why
Stars: JOHN MEILLON (Oscar winner for performance in this picture), ROBYN NEVIN

DENTIST - Next visit to Leigh Creek will be on Thursday 15 and Friday 16 December. Please ring or call in at the Admin Office and make your appointment with either Mrs BEV SCOTT or Miss DOROTHY HATCH.

"THE LADYKILLERS"

(NRC)

The most uproarious classic comedy of them all.
Stars: JACK WARNER, KATIE JOHNSON, FRANK HOWARD

OPTICIAN - Next visit to Leigh Creek will be on 21 & 22nd December. Bookings as above.

FOR SALE

Super Fringe Ford CAR RADIO & ANTENNA etc.
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WEDNESDAY - 7 December

"LENNIE" (R) & "STAY HUNGRY" (M)

No publicity to hand on this show.

FOR SALE

RECORD, TAPE Recorder & RADIOGRAMME \$60.00
"Phillips". Contact: W R HATCH, 19 Third St

SATURDAY - 10 December

"THE FRONT PAGE"

(NRC)

He only wanted to get married but he was 'wet' to the Front Page.

Stars: JACK LEMMON, WALTER MATTHAU.

FOR SALE

Black short haired WIG/SWIGGLE/STAND
\$10 the lot. Contact TOPICS.

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"Kriesler" Modular Solid State STERIO PLAYER w/- 2 speakers. \$50.00
Contact: J FISHER, 12 First St

"TRAPPED"

(NRC)

There's no way out... no time left.. and the dogs are trained to kill.

Stars: JAMES BROLIN, SUSAN CLARKE.

WANTED

DRUM SET

LABRADOR DOG (Male) approx. 1½-2 yrs old
Contact: B MOYSES, 14 First St.

WEDNESDAY - 14 December

"BOUND FOR GLORY" (NRC) + Shorts.

No publicity to hand.

LOST

KEY on chain with polished stone attached.
Contact: TOPICS.

FOUND

Pr. toddlers RED LEATHER THONGS (Netball)
Contact: TOPICS.

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All goods must be delivered to the Depot.

Enquiries: Phone Depot - 268 193 5

After hours - 356 847 0

(TOM MELIOS)

FOUR SQUARE STORE NOTICE

It would be very much appreciated if accounts could be paid as soon as possible. Please see Rudi if you require special arrangements to be considered.

OUR TOPICS DELIVERY OFFICERS (suitably identified) will be calling at your home sometime within the next 3 weeks to collect your annual TOPICS subs of \$1.00. (5c a copy). Please treat them kindly.

POSTAGE SUBS of \$6.20 (\$5.20 stamps + \$1.00 subs) can be forwarded to Mrs V J Rappold, Topics, Box 21, LEIGH CREEK.

ETSA ADELAIDE BAG - Forward your \$1.00 to the above if you still require your copy.

FOR SALE (CRAFT SHOP - 16 East Terrace)

LOTS & LOTS & LOTS & LOTS of beautiful and difference GIFTS (to suit every member of your family) and just the thing for Christmas presents, are available from the Craft Shop. Please arrange a time for viewing with Mrs M DORTON at the above address or phone LC 137).

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****For XMAS - call in for a special cash price on 18" AWA COLOUR TV.**

****DON'T FORGET - X LOTTO - you could be the next winner.**

****LOTTERIES NOW ON SALE:**

- \$1 No's 44, 45, 46
- \$2 " 14, 15
- \$5 " 3

INTERNATIONAL RULES BASKETBALL CLUB

23/11/77

BLACK 23 d GREEN 13
 B/Players: K Tates, J Bostock, D Symes

BLUE d GOLD (Forfeit)

WHITE 17 d BLUE 15
 B/Players: C Bostock, B McIvor, D Fee

30/11/77

GREEN 28 d WHITE 24
 B/Players: J Bostock, D Fee, L Mounce

BLUE 16 d RED 12

B/Players: D Gould, J Canham, S Marsh

BLUE 32 d BLACK 28

B/Players: C Bostock, D Symes, L Bogucki

A little note was received from the McEwin family who recently moved to Pt Augusta.

"We sincerely thank all who helped in our moving. It was really great to have the support.

Our new address is -

25 Cummins St
 WILLSDEN
 Pt Augusta 5700

(Rob & Phyllis McEwin)

We extend BELATED CONGRATULATIONS to Mrs ANNE RANTALL who received her 10 year ETSA service badge on 9 November.

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YOUR LAST CHANCE TO WIN A N 18" TV SET
 value \$600

BUY A RAFFLE TICKET FOR ONLY \$1.00 - it's a good investment - and remember, someone has to win.

PROCEEDS to aid the LEIGH CREEK AREA SCHOOL

TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM:

- Ruhdorfs Four Square Store
- Hills Paper Shop
- Hatch's Gift Shop
- Maryla's Hair Salon
- School Welfare Members.

FACE SAVER HINTS

Shrunken, dry roast? Cut meat in small cubes; reheat in curry sauce and serve with rice or reheat in tomato sauce and serve with spaghetti.

Curdled the mayonnaise? Place egg yolk in separate basin; very gently beat in curdled mixture.

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Phone:
LC 132

COME ALONG & INSPECT OUR RANGE OF SMALLGOODS

LEIGH CREEK CAMERA CLUB

The camera club will hold its final meeting for 1977 on Tuesday, 13 December in the Telford room commencing at 7.30pm. The nights activities will include the judging of the SLIDE & PRINT of the YEAR COMPETITION plus the screening of the film "The making of Sunday" which takes a behind the scene look at the making of the motion picture "Sunday Too Far Away".

This months work topic is "A STORY IN THREE PICTURES", and the meeting will conclude with SUPPER. Come along and join us.

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C*U*A* C*U*A*

Twelve members attended the Branch International meeting and 31st birthday celebration.

Mrs Ernst showed slides and spoke of her 4 years stay in New Guinea.

Final arrangements were made for the annual CHRISTMAS DINNER at the Canteen; 3 December, after which the Branch goes into recess until February 1978.

(MARY MANN - REPORTER)

P I S T O L C L U B N E W S

Recent scores are as follows -

20/11/77 (Centre Fire) 27/11 (50 Metres)

J Cassie	534/600	K Waters	495/600
W Mann	525/ "	R Ellis	480/ "
K Waters	503/ "	J Cassie	477/ "
R Tulloch	477/ "	R Nutt	416/ "

(visitor)

!! DON'T FORGET the CLUB DINNER 12/12/77!!

Let WALLY MANN or DICK ELLIS know if you are attending - by this coming weekend.

!! DON'T FORGET THE NOVELTY SHOOT!!

11/12/77 - details have been distributed - should be a lot of fun!

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HOCKEY - BBQ & MATCH

SATURDAY 3rd DEC.

Match starts at 6.00pm followed by the BBQ.

Bring your own meat and ladies please bring a salad and desert.

SUBS: Only a few outstanding \$3.00 if your using a Club stick and \$2 with your own.

G I F T S H O P



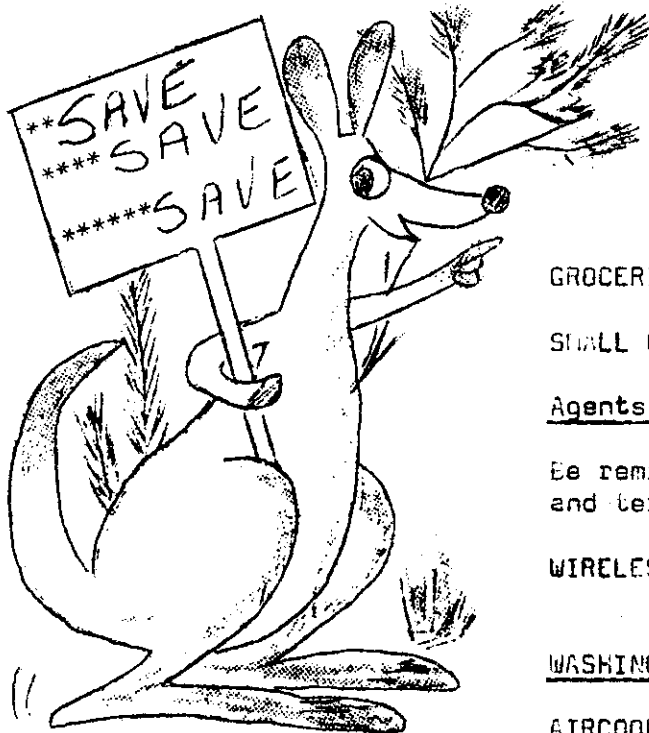
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Phone: LC 79



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NETBALL NEWS

Results & Best Players

21/11/77

<u>BLUE</u> 19	d	<u>BROWN</u> 2
S Bauschke		S Marsh
D Gould		H Rayner
P Reid		K Testagrossa

<u>NAVY</u> 21	d	<u>RED</u> 15
P Ryan		L Schmidt
J Hatch		J Bansom
P Donlon		C Smith

28/11/77		
<u>BLUE</u> 15	d	<u>RED</u> 8
L Swift		L Burrow
K Hill		L Schmidt
C Smith		J Bansom

<u>NAVY</u> 22	d	<u>BROWN</u> 10
P Donlon		S King
A Heaven		S Marsh
K Bowshire		K Testagrossa

PLAYERS!

Don't forget that next Monday (5th Dec) is the last match until 6th February 1978.

SPECIAL THANKS goes to all those who have umpired - R Smith, B Taylor, L Walford, Ja Hatch and Ju Hatch.

*** The best way to make your dreams come true is to WAKE UP.

PUSHBIKES : PUSHBIKES :
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Call in and see RUDI.

C.W.A. LIBRARY

Have you seen the latest

books placed in the Library Shelves? Amongst these are:-

A new Lucy Walker called "GAMMA'S GIRL; a rather intriguing mystery by Antonia Fraser "QUIET AS A NUN"; and the latest Desmond Bagley "THE ENEMY" - an ever popular author of suspense and adventure.

There's a new Philippa Carr. Did you know Victoria Holt and Jean Plaidy are one and the same? It was a surprise to learn that this author also writes under the name of Philippa Carr!

There is another batch of books in the process of being prepared and will be in the library shortly. These include authors such as:-

Frank Slaughter with a superb suspense story in "PLAQUE SHIP".

John Cleary, "VORTEX" (you will be sitting on the edge of your chair and quite unable to put this one down)... and many others.

As well, there are a number of "CRIME CLUB" novels, and more of those popular light romance novels.

COME IN and SEE FOR YOURSELF at the LIBRARY situated next door to the Cinema - 7pm - 7.30 pm on TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY.

BITS & PIECES

REMINDER TO GOLFERS

A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING of this Club convenes on MONDAY, 5 December 1977 at 7.30pm in the Telford Room. Matters of great importance to our future activities (already circularised) will be dealt with.

LC PRE-SCHOOL KINDERGARTEN.

The Kindergarten Union of St Aust are interested in hearing from any qualified TEACHERS interested in teaching at the Kindergarten next year.

Applications are to be sent to -

The SECRETARY,
LC Kindergarten
Box 30, PO
LEIGH CREEK.

by 10 December stating experience.

ADVANCED NOTICE is given of the NEW YEARS EVE CABARET. Music supplied by the "Overflow" band from 9.00pm to 3.00am.

\$4.00 each ticket. Bring your own drinks and supper.

Run by the LC Football and Cricket Club.

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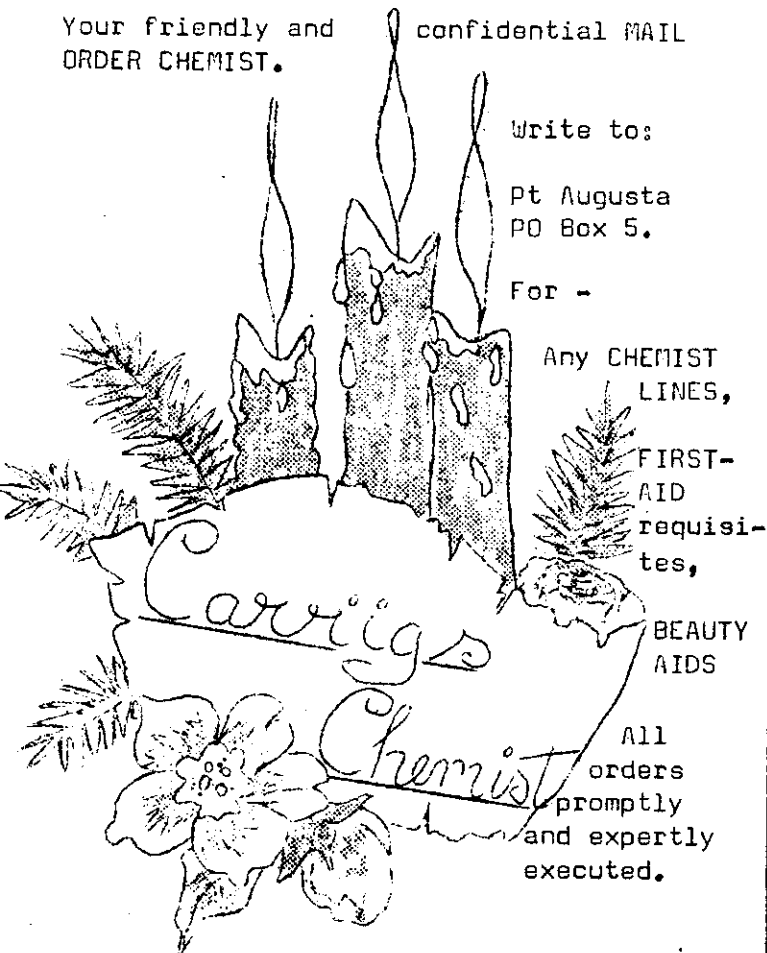
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TENDERS

Will be received up to FRIDAY 9th December 1977 for the purchase and removal of all or any of the BBQ SHEDS situated at Sunday Creek.

Tenders, to be addressed to -

The Secretary
LC Football & Cricket Club
PO Box 81
LEIGH CREEK.

Conditions of the sale are on an "As is, where is" basis and must be paid for BEFORE removal.

Inspection can be arranged by contacting Messrs G REYE, P SMITH or P DAULBY

(P Smith - Hon Secretary)

LEIGH CREEK PRE-SCHOOL KINDERGARTEN

At the start of 1978 Kindergarten term, the Kindergarten Union is looking for private ACCOMMODATION for a SINGLE FEMALE TEACHER. If you can assist with accommodation please contact Pam Balkin at 7 Highway or phone 4.

The THURSDAY afternoon CRAFT CLASSES are in Christmas Recess. If you have any Macrame' Books or patterns could you return them to either KAY or PAM as soon as it is convenient

A MEETING will be held in the SUPPER ROOM on THURSDAY, 8 December of all people interested in the formation of a PONY CLUB. (7.30pm)

* * * * * COMMUNITY WELFARE CORNER * * * * *

On 15 September 1977, State Government Regulations came into effect with regards to BABY SITTING AGENCIES.

These Regulations state, that under the Community Welfare Act, any person who conducts a Baby Sitting Agency, must be licenced for the purpose.

A Baby Sitting Agency is defined in the Community Welfare Act as:-

"Any person or body of persons that:

(a) carries on a business in the course of which persons are employed for the purpose of caring for children in their homes in the temporary absence of their parents or guardians;

OR

(b) carries on the business of introducing to the parents or guardians of children, persons who are prepared to care for the children in their own homes in the temporary absence of their parents or guardian."

The intention of the Legislation is to ensure that Commercial Baby Sitting Agencies and the Baby Sitters they employ give a high level of care and are old and mature enough to take responsibility for young children in the absence of the parents.

However, non commercial arrangements or neighbourly baby sitting arrangements, whereby people caring for children are personally known to their parents, will not be affected and need not be licenced. Thus generally, there is no need for people caring for children in Leigh Creek or surrounds to be licenced, unless they intend to make it a commercial proposition. Payment for services in such cases will still be acceptable, for instance, where a girl undertakes to look after the children of a neighbour and receives payment in return for that service is acceptable without her being licenced.

This does not mean that parents should not take care in choosing the right person with whom to leave their children in their absence. To leave a 12 or even 13 year old boy or girl in charge of young children at home is often irresponsible on behalf of the parents and grossly unfair both to the baby sitter and to the children in his or her care.

The Act states that no person under 18 should be licenced to be a baby sitter. While often, this may not be practicable in Leigh Creek, it does show that baby sitting is considered to be a highly responsible job, which should not be lightly dropped on a child. (cont..

A leaflet giving information and advice for parents and baby sitters is in the process of being prepared and should be available from the Community Welfare Office, Leigh Creek, shortly.

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FAR NTHN DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

The following letter was recently received by the Association and is printed for your interest.

"Dear Mr Barber,

Following representations I made on your behalf to the Minister for National Resources, Rt.Hon. J D Anthony, MP, concerning the former country freight subsidy scheme on petroleum products, I have now received a reply.

A copy of the Minister's letter is enclosed for your information. It is noted in the final paragraph of the Minister's letter, that this matter is currently being reviewed.

(DONALD S JESSOP - Sntr. for S.A.)"

"Parliament House, Canberra A.C.T.

Dear Senator Jessop,

Mr Anthony has asked me to reply to your letter of 6 Sept 1977 in which you sought advice in order to reply to Mr R Barber, Secretary of the Far Northern Development Association, who wrote to you about the former country freight subsidy scheme on petroleum products.

The country freight subsidy scheme that operated until August 1974 covered motor gasoline, power kerosene, automotive distillate, aviation gasoline and aviation turbine fuel, and held the wholesale price of these products to no more than 5 cents per gallon (it had originally been 3.3 cents per gallon) above the wholesale price in the capital cities in each State.

The Government is very mindful of the burden of transport costs borne by country dwellers, particularly those in outlying districts, and did in fact consider the reintroduction of a price equalisation scheme when preparing the recent Budget.

Because of the current stringent economic circumstances the proposals, like many others had to be rejected, but this matter is currently being reviewed.

Yours sincerely,

(EVAN ADERMANN)

MINISTER ASSISTING the MINISTER for NATIONAL RESOURCES.

CRICKET NEWS

On SATURDAY, 19/11 PRODUCTION were the victors over School in the last game of the present competition before the finals.

PRODUCTION 133 -

R Ford 43 Ret. hurt
 R Van Zetten 21 not out
 J Taylor 16 not out
 J Byrnes 2/12, P Wooldrige 1/10, T Menz 1/18

SCHOOL 79 -

P Gillespie 24
 J Byrnes 22
 T Menz 11
 R Ford 3/21, C Jury 3/25, G Reye 2/4

After hitting what would have been a winning score 4-5 weeks ago, School went down to Production by 54 runs. Some good driving was seen by Gillespie in compiling 24, ably assisted by Byrnes with 22; Production finally got the start they were looking for with Ford's 43 and eventually passed schools tally with the loss of only 2 wickets. For the winners Van Zetten batted confidently helped by "Colin Cowdreys" 21 not out. Johnny Taylor is one of the keenest members of the Club, hardly missing a practice and it was good to see him finally get amongst the runs.

PREMIERSHIP TABLE

	<u>Matches</u>	<u>Wins</u>	<u>Loss</u>	<u>For</u>	<u>Ag.</u>	<u>Pts</u>	<u>%</u>
TOWNSHIP	4	3	1	351	358	6	51
Production	4	2	2	381	323	4	54
School	4	1	3	269	340	2	44

CATCHES: P LITTLE 3, Hickey 2, Gillespie 2, Van Gasteren 2, Fee 2, G Smith 2, P Smith 2, Moroney 2, Canham 2, McIvor 2.

On SUNDAY 27/11 TOWNSHIP & PRODUCTION played the first Semi-final with a win to TOWNSHIP by 20 runs. In what should have been bowlers conditions the Batsmen got on top with some good scores being made by both sides.

TOWNSHIP 9/158 -

Ellis 29, Keenan 7, G Litchfield 0, Bock 76 NO, Slade 8, Schilling 0, Little 12, Hickey 7, K Smith 0, G Smith 9, J Litchfield 1 N.O.
 Fee 2/19, Fuchs 2/24, Van Zetten 2/28, Reye 1/26, Van Gasteren 1/33, Ford 0/24.

CATCHES: FUCHS 2, Place 1, Fee 1, Ahlin 1

PRODUCTION 138 -

Ford 13, Fee 47, Place 2, P Smith 40, Van Zetten 4, Fuchs 0, Van Gasteren 11, Shooter 2, Taylor 2, Reye 6, Ahlin 0 N.O.

J Litchfield 4/14, G Litchfield 3/22, Bock 2/36, Slade 1/16, Schilling 0/19, K Smith 0/19.

CATCHES: HICKEY 2, J Litchfield 2, K Smith 1, G Litchfield 1, Ellis 1, G Smith 1

For Township BOCK batted sensibly for his 76 chasing the loose balls combined with good defence and running between wickets, Ellis batted riskily for his 29 but hits the ball so hard that catches are hard to hold. Captain Little hit the only six of the day in his 12 after a very heavy night.

For Production, Captain FEE batted solidly for his 47 looking at all times very safe. P Smith finally hit some sort of form for a hard hit 40 and Ford gave a good start to Production with his 13.

Due to good fielding and accurate bowling by Township, Production were behind the clock all through their batting with runs very hard to come by. The fielding was first class by both sides with a total of 13 catches held.

NEXT WEEKS game is between PRODUCTION & SCHOOL with the loser dropping out of the race for the Shield kindly donated by E.T.S.A Leigh Creek Amenities Club.

Due to the late finishing of the last two games it has been decided that the game on Sunday will start at 11.00am SHARP. Players are required to be at the oval by 10.45am.

A BBQ tea and lunch is available at the oval and for the Grand Final on SUNDAY 11 December, something different is being organised so please roll along and support the cricket for the last game of the season.

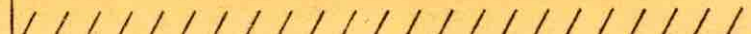


E V A P O R A T I V E A I R - C O O L E R S

The combination of the low water level at Aroona Dam and the introduction of Sliding Rock water, has meant that the salinity level (dissolved salts) in the town supply has almost doubled to what it was 12 months ago.

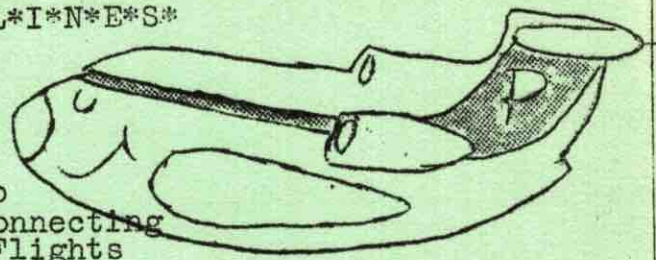
The evaporative coolers in the town are being affected by this higher salinity level if they are not being drained and cleaned regularly. The "Aquacool" units (revolving drum type) MUST be drained and flushed out AT LEAST TWICE PER WEEK - more frequently if possible - to ensure the pad does not clog up with salts. The "Bonaire" type (fixed side pads) bleed-off tube should drip water at a rate of 2 litres/hour to effectively reduce salinity in the water tank - and the tank should be drained and flushed once fortnightly.

These simple measures will ensure that the coolers work at their best - and that YOU receive the maximum benefit from them.



PAGAS

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\$2250. Very clean, excellent road car.

1969 Peugeot 404 Sedan Reg. RVU-456 \$1565
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Miscellany

To the Editress - TOPICS

FREELING

Dear Val,
Nice to see the CWA LIBRARY get a mention in Topics, it has been a great asset to the town since the early days. I remember Mrs Robbins & I opened every Saturday night in a little room under the stairs of the real old Hall and when it rained we had to put some of the books out to dry as it used to leak. All the ladies since those days have done a great service especially Mrs Shirley Knott & other CWA ladies up there who have helped so many lonely women settle in with their hand of friendship. I still enjoy Topics and a Happy Christmas & Kind regards to any old friends left.

Yours sincerely,
"WINIFRED REED"

(Mrs Reed (Mother of Bev Taylor and Rosemary Whiteley), has been probably our most ardent admirer over the years and considering her grand old age of 71 years her hand written letter is to be commended).

BINGO - TUESDAY 6 December - same place, same time. 'Twill be our pleasure to host you. The bigger the 'host' we pleaurise, the bigger the prizes we advertise. A roving drinks-waiter will 'spiritualise' you & supply a re-fill as you sit-still. YOU just BING yourself along
(B REYE - Sec LC GOLF CLUB)

CONGRATULATIONS to TREVOR & SHEREE MORONEY on the arrival of their daughter RENAI JOY (Qu. Vic - 6lb 10oz) on 17 November.

Also CONGRATULATIONS to JURGEN & HELEN ANDT on the birth of their son TYREN RUSSELL. Jurgen and Helen live at 19 Wong-Abeena Drive, SURREY DOWN 5126.

Please be advised that the new "ARTEX" dealer taking over from Mrs J Bravington is Mrs J WARDLE at 7 Seventh Street.

CONGRATULATIONS to Mr WERNER KEHR who received his 20 year ETSA service badge on 23/11/77.

Richard and Patty MITCHELL who have transferred to Adelaide recently wish to say goodbye to all the friends that they did not get around to seeing before their hurried departure.

The GARDEN CLUB will shut as of this weekend and re-open on 12th February. If supplies are required please see PETER SHOOTER or MARK INVERARITY. We have 4 metres of 80% shade cloth belonging to someone? Will the owner please take delivery from Mrs PAM LEPA at the Admin Office.

Spending a few days holiday with parents George & Anita SBONA has been daughter CHIARA and son-in-law DENNIS WRIGHT from Adelaide.

BE REMINDED that the next issue of TOPICS (15th) will be the last one before Xmas/New Year. The issue after will come out on the 12th January.

Mrs Kath O'DOWD would like to advise friends that the "Baby Shower Afternoon" planned for the 15th December has had to be altered to MONDAY, 19 Dec (1.00-3.00pm)--re medical reasons.

"GET WELL QUICK" wishes to the following who are on this weeks sick list -

Mr LES ANDREWS (home visits welcomed)
Mr ERIC MOORMAN - Adelaide
Mrs CHERYL BUXALLEN - Leigh Creek
Mrs WENDY SMITH
Mrs ROMA RUHDORF (expected home Tuesday).

ANNOUNCING - PRIZE WINNERS of the childrens' "SAVE OUR WATER" poster competition. Thank you one & all for your entries, the response was outstanding. Regard- less to say the judge had quite a headache selecting the winners who were -

0 - 6 yrs	(1st)	JOANNA WILLIAMS (\$3)
7 - 10 "	(1st)	DAVID GOULD (\$3)
	(2nd)	JULIE KARUTZ (\$2)
11 & over	(1st)	JENNY HEINIS (\$7)
	(2nd)	JOY MAGOR (\$3)

"CONGRATULATIONS and well done - prize money may be collected from Mrs VAL RAPPOLD at the Admin Office.

THE KINDY XMAS PARTY will be held on THURSDAY 8/12/77 at the POOL. Playgroup Mums are cordially invited to attend, however, it would be appreciated if they could contact Di or Ruth re arrangements.

Uncovered recently whilst mowing a lawn was what appears to be the back section of a pocket watch. The inscription read -

"Won by MERT LEWIS - 100 yd Flat Race
Under 16 years. G.N.J.A.S.E.A.
BELTANA 1925"

The UNITED CHURCH WOMENS FELLOWSHIP will be having their Christmas meeting on Wednesday (note the change of day), 7th December at 8.00pm in the United Church building. All ladies are welcome and are asked to please bring a small plate of supper and a donation for the Kate Cock's Babies Home.

The "RECIPE BOOK" is in its final stages and the sub committee thank everyone who helped in anyway. Come to the School CONTINENTAL Friday 9th December for the "Launching". Be quick, only 150 printed and only ONE edition.

Church Diary

4 December - INTERCHURCH

EVERYONE is welcome to come to the SUNDAY SCHOOL CHRISTMAS SERVICE at the United Church this Sunday at 10.30am.

Following the service there will be a break-up PARTY and parents are asked to bring a plate of food please.

11 December - ST LUKES C of E
9.30am Morning Prayer

18 December - LUTHERAN CHURCH
CHRISTMAS Preaching Service at 7pm in St Lukes Church.
Rev. A E SCHIRMER
(Director of Church Development)

EVERY SUNDAY

UNITED ABORIGINES MISSION
Nepabunna ... 11.00am
Copley Hall ... 6.00pm

ST BARBARA'S CHURCH
Mass Times:


SATURDAY ... 5.00pm
SUNDAY ... 10.00am

LEIGH CREEK AREA SCHOOL

Applications are invited from interested persons for a position of SCHOOL ASSISTANT (7½ hours weekly) at the Leigh Creek Area School. Hours will be 8.30am - 10.00am daily.

Applications in writing, stating particulars to be addressed to "The Principal" by 9/12/77.

The position will involve being in control of the Book Room, the Printing Room and the performing of such other duties as assigned by the Principal.



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- CANDLE
- or TORCH
- or LAMP
- or STREET LIGHT

On the ADMIN OFFICE LAWNS.

SUNDAY, 11th December

AT 7.45pm

(Bring a TORCH)

Please Note

A COLLECTION for the XMAS BOWL APPEAL will be taken during the evening.

ALL WELCOME TO ATTEND - A FILM WILL BE SHOWN.

When arranging your function -
AVOID THESE DATES

3 Dec	CHILDRENS XMAS PARTY	C/H
3 "	Building & Services Xmas Party	Golf
8 "	Tennis Grand Final	
9 "	School Continental	
11 "	Pistol Club 'Open Shoot'	
12 "	Pistol Club Dinner	Tel/Rm
31 "	New Years Eve Cabaret	C/H
28 Jan	Wedding (Bogucki/Hatch)	RSL
1 Apr	Scout Auction	
9 July	Scout Bikathon	

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LEIGH CREEK COMMUNITY LIBRARY NEWS

Many new books have been purchased for your pleasure.

- "The deep" by Peter Benchley - author of "Jaws"
- "Shout at the Devil" and "The dark of the sun" by Wilbur Smith
- "Rich man, poor man" by Irwin Shaw
- "Died in the wool" by Ngaio Marsh

New reference books include:

- A Field guide to Australian rocks, minerals and gemstones by Wolf Mayer
- Dyeing and printing - basic dyeing batik, tie dyeing, block and screen printing, lino cutting
- Geology of the Flinders Ranges
- Australian parrots in colour by Len Robinson
- Readers' Digest complete book of Australian birds
- The birth of the motor car by Philip Sumner
- River Murray charts by M. A. Wright

One hundred recorded cassette tapes of varying musical tastes have been ordered, and are expected within a few weeks. Look out for notification of this in Topics.

We must thank the Burzacott family for their kind donation.

We must also thank Mrs. Catherine Nicholls (Auntie Cath) - late of Beltana - for the donation of her own collection of books. This included many old books that will be placed in the library as archives, and you can look at them while you are visiting the Library.

Mrs. Nicholls lent her books, and often wrote a verse in the front. Here is one of them:

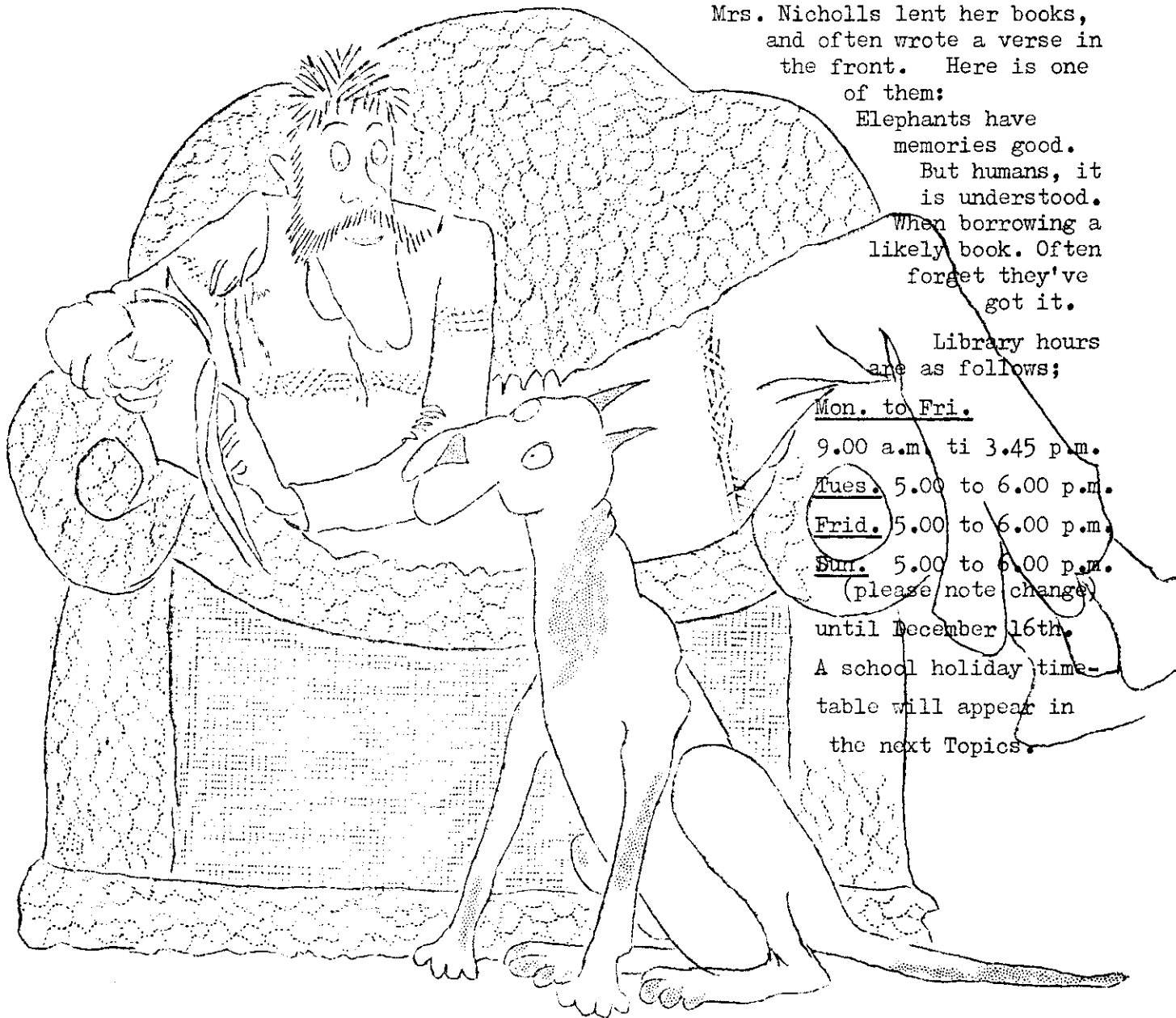
Elephants have memories good.
But humans, it is understood.
When borrowing a likely book. Often forget they've got it.

Library hours are as follows;

Mon. to Fri.
9.00 a.m. to 3.45 p.m.
Tues. 5.00 to 6.00 p.m.
Frid. 5.00 to 6.00 p.m.
Sun. 5.00 to 6.00 p.m.
(please note change)

until December 16th.

A school holiday timetable will appear in the next Topics.



LEIGH CREEK TELEVISION

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FRIDAY 2-12-77

4.00 PLAY SCHOOL
 4.30 SESAME STREET
 5.00 GOLF 1977
 5.30 FLASHEZ
 6.00 TRAILS TO ADVENTURE
 6.25 SYKES
 6.55 THE RANGERS
 7.00 NEWS AND NEWSREEL
 7.30 THIS DAY TONIGHT
 8.00 TASTE FOR ADVENTURE
 8.30 THE TWO RONNIES
 9.15 YES HONESTLY
 9.40 SOCCER : THE BIG MATCH (repeat)
 10.35 GOLF 1977
 10.50 CLOSE

SATURDAY 3-12-77

4.00 GOLF 1977
 5.35 POT BLACK
 6.00 COUNTDOWN
 7.00 NEWS
 7.15 THIS DAY TONIGHT
 7.45 THE GLEN CAMPBELL SHOW
 8.30 FLICKS 'Hong Kong' (A)
 A World War I veteran and a mission
 schoolteacher tangle with jewel
 thieves and murderers.
 Stars: Ronald Reagan & Rhonda Fleming
 9.55 PACING 1977
 10.15 CLOSE

SUNDAY 4-12-77

4.00 GOLF 1977
 5.00 WHEELIE AND THE CHOPPER BUNCH
 5.20 MR. BENN
 5.35 DR. WHO
 6.00 COUNTDOWN
 7.00 NEWS AND WEEKEND MAGAZINE
 7.40 RAFFLES
 8.30 A PLACE IN EUROPE 'Braemar Castle -
 Scotland'.
 8.55 HARD TIMES FINAL
 9.45 OPERA : WOZZECK
 11.05 CLOSE

MONDAY 5-12-77

4.00 PLAY SCHOOL
 4.30 SESAME STREET
 5.30 FLASHEZ
 6.00 SOCCER: THE BIG MATCH
 6.55 THIS WEEK IN BRITAIN
 7.00 NEWS AND NEWSREEL
 7.30 FOUR CORNERS
 8.25 A BIG COUNTRY
 8.55 KIRBY'S COMPANY

MONDAY 5-12-77 (cont.)

9.45 MONDAY CONFERENCE
 10.35 SOLDIER FOR ISLAM
 11.15 CLOSE

TUESDAY 6-12-77

4.00 PLAY SCHOOL
 4.30 SESAME STREET
 5.30 FLASHEZ
 6.00 TRAILS TO ADVENTURE
 6.20 HERE IT IS
 6.30 BELLBIRD
 6.55 TAKE KERR WITH GRAHAM KERR
 7.00 NEWS AND NEWSREEL
 7.30 THIS DAY TONIGHT
 8.00 WILDERNESS 'Gibson Desert of Australia'
 8.30 MAN ABOUT THE HOUSE
 8.55 VAN DER VALK
 9.45 PERSPECTIVE
 10.35 PACING 1977 'Aust. Championships'
 10.55 CLOSE

WEDNESDAY 7-12-77

4.00 PLAY SCHOOL
 4.30 SESAME STREET
 5.30 FLASHEZ
 6.00 TRAILS TO ADVENTURE
 6.20 HERE IT IS
 6.30 BELLBIRD
 6.55 FIRST ON THE SCENE
 7.00 NEWS AND NEWSREEL
 7.30 THIS DAY TONIGHT
 8.00 THE INVENTORS FINAL
 8.45 A SHIRLEY MACLAINE SPECIAL: WHERE DO
 WE GO FROM HERE? Variety Show
 9.35 A TIME OF CHANGE
 10.25 WORLD OF MUSIC
 10.55 CLOSE

THURSDAY 8-12-77

3.30 PLAY SCHOOL
 4.00 SESAME STREET
 5.00 PACIFIC CONFERENCE GAMES 1977, OPENING
 CEREMONY
 6.30 BELLBIRD
 7.00 NEWS AND NEWSREEL
 7.30 THIS DAY TONIGHT
 8.00 OH NO IT'S SELWYN FROGGIT PREMIERE
 Selwyn is a walking disaster. This happy
 fool is tolerated by his Mum and brother
 Maurice and by Ray the barman.
 8.25 THE LIVER BIRDS NEW SERIES
 The partnership of Sandra and Carol is
 going through a difficult spell.
 8.55 CAKES AND ALE
 9.45 IN THE GARDEN

THURSDAY 8-12-77 (cont)

- 9.55 THE REAL THING PREMIERE
Music show featuring top Australian
bands and artists.
10.25 CLOSE

FRIDAY 9-12-77

- 4.00 CRICKET :FIRST TEST 1977/78
'Australia versus India'
5.00 FLASHEZ
5.35 CRICKET
6.30 SYKES
6.55 THE RANGERS
7.00 NEWS AND NEWSREEL
7.30 THIS DAY TONIGHT
8.00 TASTE FOR ADVENTURE
8.30 THE TWO RONNIES
9.15 YES HONESTLY
9.40 SOCCER : THE BIG MATCH
10.35 CLOSE

SATURDAY 10-12-77

- 4.00 CRICKET : FIRST TEST 1977/78
6.00 COUNTDOWN
7.00 NEWS
7.15 THIS DAY TONIGHT
7.45 THE GLEN CAMPBELL MUSIC SHOW
8.30 PACIFIC CONFERENCE GAMES 1977
9.30 FLICKS 'Any Second Now' (A) (repeat)
11.05 CLOSE

SUNDAY 11-12-77

- 4.30 CRICKET: FIRST TEST 1977/78
4.45 COUNTDOWN
5.35 CRICKET
6.30 IRISH ROVERS with Roger Miller
7.00 NEWS AND WEEKEND MAGAZINE
7.40 RAFFLES
8.30 A PLACE IN EUROPE
8.55 PACIFIC CONFERENCE GAMES 1977
9.55 MUSIC MAKERS
10.45 CLOSE

MONDAY 12-12-77

- 4.00 PLAY SCHOOL
4.30 SESAME STREET
5.30 FLASHEZ
6.00 SOCCER: THE BIG MATCH
6.55 THIS WEEK IN BRITAIN
7.00 NEWS AND NEWSREEL
7.30 FOUR CORNERS
8.25 A BIG COUNTRY
8.55 KIRBY'S COMPANY
9.45 MONDAY CONFERENCE FINAL FOR 1977
10.35 SONGS OF PRAISE
11.05 CLOSE

TUESDAY 13-12-77

- 4.10 Programme not available
4.28 CRICKET : THE FIRST TEST 1977/78
4.45 Programme not available
5.00 FLASHEZ
5.35 CRICKET
6.30 BELLBIRD
6.55 TAKE KERR WITH GRAHAM KERR

TUESDAY 13-12-77 (cont)

- 7.00 NEWS AND NEWSREEL
7.30 THIS DAY TONIGHT
8.00 WILDERNESS
8.30 MAN ABOUT THE HOUSE
8.55 VAN DER VALK
9.50 PERSPECTIVE
10.40 CLOSE

WEDNESDAY 14-12-77

- 4.10 Programme not available
4.28 CRICKET
4.45 Programme not available
5.00 FLASHEZ
5.35 CRICKET
6.30 BELLBIRD
6.55 FIRST ON THE SCENE
7.00 NEWS AND NEWSREEL
7.30 THIS DAY TONIGHT
8.00 WHODUNNIT? Panel Game Series PREMIERE
8.40 SPECIAL: PHOTOPLAY GOLD MEDAL AWARDS
10.05 A TIME OF CHANGE
10.55 CLOSE

THURSDAY 15-12-77

- 4.00 PLAY SCHOOL
4.30 SESAME STREET
5.30 FLASHEZ
6.00 TRAILS TO ADVENTURE
6.20 HERE IT IS
6.30 BELLBIRD
7.00 NEWS AND NEWSREEL
7.30 THIS DAY TONIGHT
8.00 OH NO IT'S SELWYN FROGGIT
8.25 THE LIVER BIRDS
8.55 CAKES AND ALE
9.55 IN THE GARDEN
10.05 THE REAL THING
10.35 CLOSE

FRIDAY 16-12-77

- 4.00 PLAY SCHOOL
4.30 SESAME STREET
5.30 FLASHEZ
6.00 TRAILS TO ADVENTURE
6.25 SYKES
6.55 THE RANGERS
7.00 NEWS AND NEWSREEL
7.30 THIS DAY TONIGHT
8.00 TASTE FOR ADVENTURE
8.30 THE TWO RONNIES
9.15 YES HONESTLY
9.40 SOCCER : THE BIG MATCH
10.35 CLOSE

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