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CHILDREN!

HERE AT LAST - DON'T FORGET YOUR XMAS TREE PARTY - AT THE COMMUNITY HALL

THIS SATURDAY - 6th DECEMBER

COMMENCING AT 1.00pm.

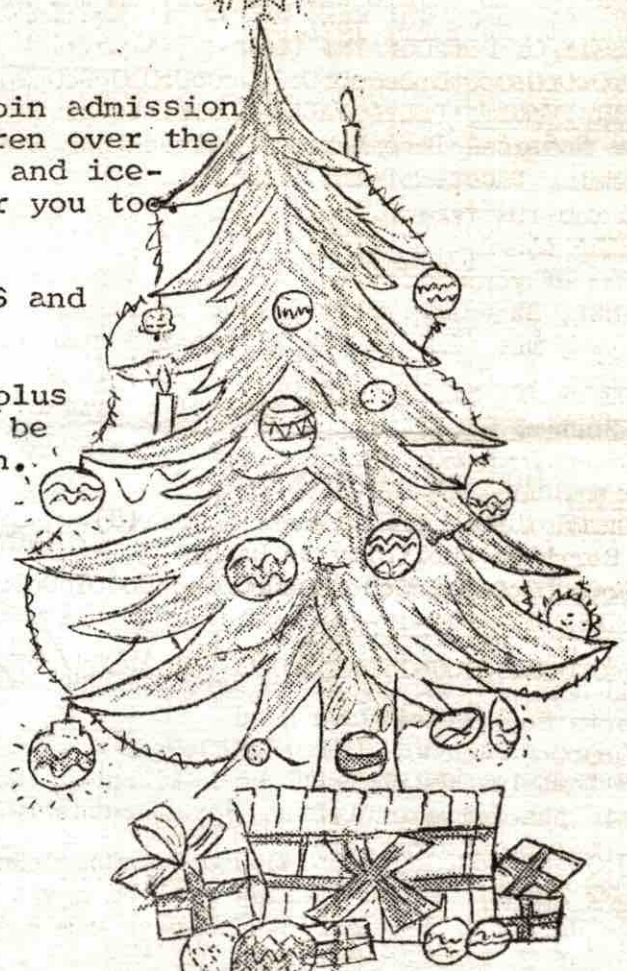
FILM PROGRAMME- "The Champ Steps Out" - "Fun on the Run"
"Commotion on the Ocean" - "His "X" marks the Spot"
"Hook and Rook" - "Mr Maggot Cartoons"

FATHER XMAS - Arrives approx. 2.00pm

NOTE: - There will be a silver coin admission fee for ADULTS and children over the age of 13 years. Drinks and ice-cream will be ON SALE for you too.

CHILDREN (to the age of 13 years) Will receive GIFT, DRINKS and ICECREAM.

Will COMMITTEE MEMBERS (plus husbands, wives), please be at the Hall by 12.00 noon.



SATURDAY 6-12-75

"CARRY ON ROUND THE BEND" (NRC)

In the board room of WC Boggs & Sons makers of fine toilet ware - Established 1870 Mr W C Boggs is testing out his latest bowl for size & comfort.

Starring: Sydney James, Kenneth Williams and Charles Hawtrey.

"BEST PAIR OF LEGS IN THE BUSINESS" (M)

"Sherry" Sheridan is a relic of the high days of the Music Hall - an all rounder, but with limited talent, in the art of comper-ing, dancing the soft shoe shuffle and putting over a creak-ing 'drag act'.

Starring: Reg Varney and Dianne Coupland

WEDNESDAY - 10-12-75

"MASSAGE PARLOUR" (R)

Now you can see what really happens in some massage parlours! Your ultimate sensual dream.

"ESSAY ON PORNOGRAPHY" (R)

First in depth report on 'Blue Movies' a revealing look at the actors and actresses who make up one of the fastest growing facets of the Cinema Industry.

SATURDAY - 13-12-75

"AMERICAN GRAFFITTI" (M)

It was the time of makin' out and cruisin', going steady and playin' it cool, it was the time of your life, the time of American Graff-itti. Starring Richard Dreyfuss, Ronnie Howard and Paul le mat.

"DRUMS ACROSS THE RIVER" (G)

Sorry No Publicity to Hand.

WEDNESDAY - 17-12-75

"CONQUEST OF THE PLANET OF THE APES" (NRC)

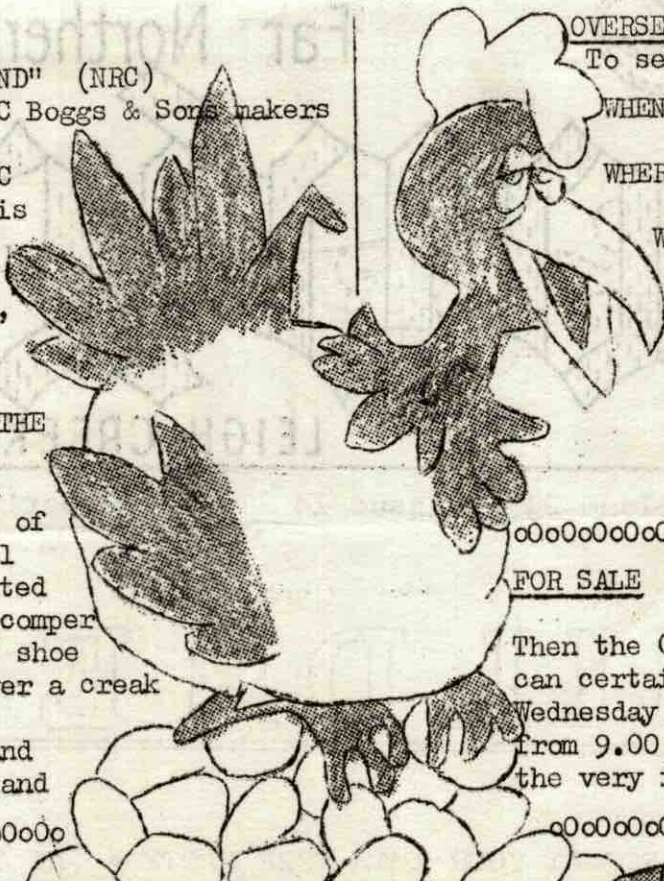
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"TRAIL OF THE HUNTER" (G)

All the excitement of the great outdoors! Featuring Victor Jory

NEXT DENTAL CLINIC will be held on the 4th and 5th February 1976.

DONT FORGET POLIO VACCINE will be given at the Hospital December 6th between 8am & 4pm.



OVERSEAS SALE

To sell at reasonable prices-

WHEN? SATURDAY 6th Dec-12.00noon

All Goods to be sold.

WHERE? 24 First Street (opposite the Canteen).

WHAT? Must sell most of my gear as I am travelling overseas shortly.

THINGS LIKE: Electric Clock, Desk Lamp, Books, Lantern, Hanging Ashtray, Records, Asian Trinkets, Pig Pouffe! Blankets (not E.T.S.A.'s) Other Goodies.

FOR SALE (Looking for a SPECIAL XMAS GIFT?)

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FOUND

LADIES WATCH (in 'K' cut area) CONTACT: Bob Tulloch, Admin Office.

LEIGH CREEK PISTOL CLUB - "TV RAFFLE"

- 1st Prize - 18" Colour TV
- 2nd " - 12" portable B&W TV
- 3rd " - Cassette Recorder

Unfortunately the tickets never arrived from the printers in time to offer them on 1st Dec - BUT, they should be here, for sale on FRIDAY, 5th Dec. DON'T MISS OUT - \$1.00 tickets. Prizes displayed at the Canteen.



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Our large variety includes -
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CARDS ** CARDS - Xmas cards and wrapping paper is selling rapidly - have you collected yours yet?

Thinking of something for your MAN - see our Lambswool SEAT COVERS. Cool in summer, warm in winter - complete with straps to fit most cars. Just the gift for luxury driving comfort.

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PERFUMERY GIFTS for your favourite WOMAN. We have a lovely range of fragrant gifts - soaps, talcums, perfumes.

Have you any GOODS PUT AWAY?

Parcels put away (not laybys will be put out for sale if not collected by SATURDAY, 20th December.

Please advise your HOLIDAY BREAD requirements by 20th Dec.

SOLE GABBER

During the Club's off-season the priority has shifted from belting the little white ball through the country to the work necessary for the survival and improvement of our Club.

The BUILDING COMMITTEE thank those members who participated in laying the foundation for the new Clubhouse, especially those who worked during Sunday's sweltering heat in order to complete half of the floor area. Our appreciation goes to:-

- L DORTON, J TAYLOR, N MAUSOLF, J REID, T KOWALSKI,
- T McCLEERY, Mrs B. McCLEERY, H(Pop) LUCAS, R PROBERT, L RICHMAN, L MOUNCE, E REYE, R LAWSON, B DORTON, G GIBSON, C HOOPER, B DAWES, J DEJANOVIC, M CAMPILLO.

Last, but by no means least, we thank those who, even though they are not members of our Club, have made their time and effort available:-

- RICK DODD, ALEX CUDARINS & HARRY, PHIL FLACK, GREGOR LOLLLET, JOHN & BUTCH LUCAS, BILL CLARKE, DON BRIGHT and FRED JEROMEL - without their help we could not have succeeded.

(BUILDING COMMITTEE)

and friends were invited to come at 9.p.m and view the slides shown by Mr & Mrs Knott on Greece which was the country chosen by CWA for study this year. Interesting items were also brought for members to see and a tasty supper followed.

(Enid S PENGILLY - REPORTER)

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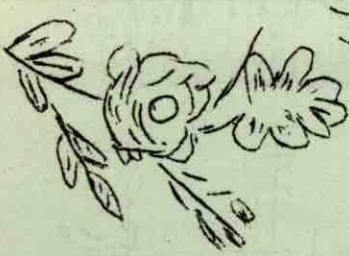
International and the Branch Birthday meeting on 27 Nov., was well attended with 24 members answering the roll call by naming a country in a song title. There were 7 visitors and members observed one minute silence in respect of their late member Mrs Margaret Lucas.

Final arrangements were made for the dinner on 10 Dec., and further details gathered for the wedding catering on 24 January.

The CRAFT MARKET held in the Foyer was successful and it is planned to make this an annual affair. Meanwhile the market at Mrs Dorton's home is open on both Wednesday and Saturday mornings.

Christmas Cheer will be taken to "Flinders House" - the CWA Home for the aged at Quorn - together with small Christmas cakes made by the members.

Mrs James was farewellled and thanked for her service to the Branch. Lovely items were on display from foreign countries. These were judged for the second competition. Husbands

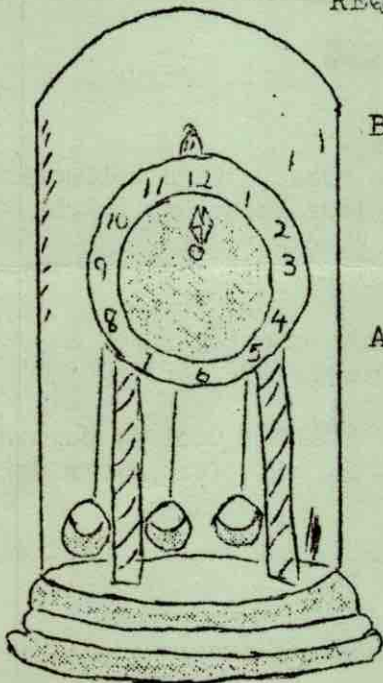


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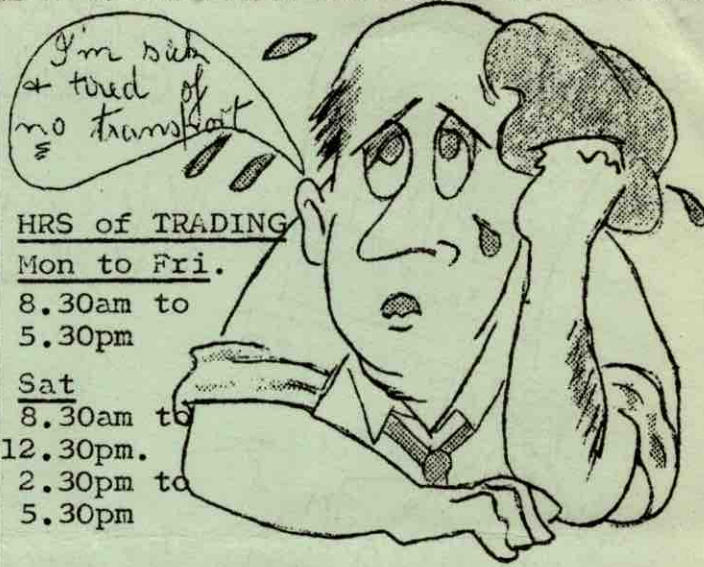
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Sat

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5.30pm

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LOCAL DEALER for: CHRYSLER, DATSUN,
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accessories).

LOCAL AGENT FOR: YAMAHA, HONDA,
KAWASAKI (Helmets, goggles etc.,
available).

Phone 16.

TREE OF THE WEEK

Grueillea Nematophylla, common name
being Silver leaved water bush.

+ There are several of these growing in
+ town. A very good one is to be seen
+ in the tree area opposite the bank.

+ The tree has a spindly form, and is
+ not conspicuous till it flowers. It
+ is now in full flower. The flowers
+ are pale yellow on long spikes. When
+ you locate the plant, don't fail to
+ smell the rich honey fragrance.

+ This plant is a native of North West
+ South Australia and as its common name
+ infers, is a plant from which water
+ can be obtained. Sections of the roots
+ were dug up by Aborigines and water
+ drained from them. A handy plant for
+ the bushman to note.

When arranging your function
AVOID THESE DATES

5	Dec	SCHOOL CONTINENTAL	School
6	"	Childrens XMAS PARTY	CH
6	"	Electrical Shop BBQ	
10	"	CWA Dinner	
13	"	Production Branch XMAS PARTY	
24	Jan	WEDDING (Corbell/Ward)	RSL

DON'T FORGET THERE IS A NEW YEAR CABARET

Church Diary

7 December - INTERCHURCH
7.00 pm Holy Communion (VAWSER)

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

EVERY SUNDAY - ST BARBARAS
Mass times - 9.00am
7.00pm

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Tenders

Are called for the PAINTING of the
NETBALL CLUBHOUSE exterior and inside
cupboards.

Exterior colour to be White/brown trim
Cupboards - Varnish.

Tenderer to supply own paint and
labour. Closing date, 19th December.

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Mrs J Hickey
7 Centreway
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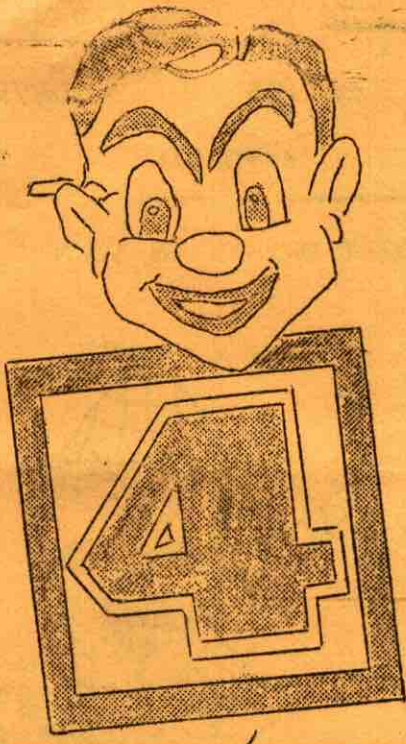
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*** PAGAS AIRLINES

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Green Thumb -

Summer is upon us again and the next 3 months can be expected to bring hot, uncomfortable days and nights. One of the most effective methods of keeping a house cool is to prevent the sun's rays directly coming in contact with the walls. This is especially so in this area where the radiation is so high. Plants are extremely effective interceptors of sun's rays and if good plant cover can be achieved on the West side of the house, then a substantial temperature drop can be achieved.

One of the most effective plants in this area for this purpose is grape vine as they give good cover, grow rapidly and produce fruit.

The problem with grapes is they drop their leaves in winter, and this can be untidy. However, the leaves decompose rapidly and are very good for the compost heap or general mulching. The loss of leaves is also an advantage in winter as it lets the warm rays in during the cold months.

Check your house for afternoon sun, and give some thought to providing shade. The results are well worthwhile.

The NURSERY is well stocked with several varieties of shade trees at the moment. Should you require trees for planting in your yard, come into the Admin Office and ask for PETER SHOOTER. These plants are given free to residents of Leigh Creek and surrounding areas.

VEGETABLES - Growing young plants is more difficult in summer. Many losses are experienced when planting out seedlings and a couple of tips may increase your success.

- (1) When transplanting, remove half to 2/3's of the leaves, as this decreases the wilting. This is especially important for soft leafed plants like lettuce. Chop the top half off with scissors.
- (2) Strips of newspaper arched over the newly planted plant and held down on each end with a handful of soil gives good protection from the sun. Leave these on for a couple of days.
- (3) When planting, fill the hole with water and then put in the plant and fill with soil. Press down firmly to exclude all air. This prevents the roots drying out.
- (4) Plant late in the evening and sprinkle lightly after planting.

EXTRA EFFORT IS NEEDED IN SUMMER, BUT THE FRESH SALADS MAKE IT ALL WORTHWHILE.

(Tree of the week - see page 4 of this issue)

CHRISTMAS TRADING HOURS

DAVIES - PAPER SHOP

25/12 - Xmas day - CLOSED (no paper printed)

26/12 - Frid - 9.30am - 11.30am
 2.30pm - 4.30pm
 7.00pm - 8.00pm

27/12 - Sat - 9.00am - 12.00 noon
 2.30pm - 5.00pm
 7.00pm - 8.00pm

28/12 - Sun - 9.00am - 12.00 noon
 7.00pm - 8.00pm

29/30/31st - (9.00am - 12.00 noon
 Mon, Tues, (2.30pm - 5.00 pm
 Wed. (7.00pm - 8.00 pm

1/ 1/76 - NEW YEARS DAY - Refer next issue of Topics.

2/ 1/76 - Frid - Normal trading hours.

HATCH'S - BOOKSHOP

25/12 - Xmas day - CLOSED

26/12 - Frid - 9.30am - 11.30am
 7.00pm - 8.00pm

27/12 - Sat - 9.30am - 12.00 noon
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1/ 1/76 - NEW YEAR DAY - CLOSED

2/ 1/76 - Resume normal trading hours.

MARYLA'S HAIRDRESSING SALON will be closed from 12 Dec (will open in the morning) to 17th Dec (open after lunch)

GO TO *Davies*

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Tonight

Another popular COUNTRY & WESTERN NIGHT will be held in the Yulu Lounge tonight (THURSDAY, 4th Dec) commencing at 8.p.m. Be early remember how quickly the place filled last time. SANDWICHES will be sold to aid the Hospital Committee.

Your inspection of the LEIGH CREEK

Bookshop

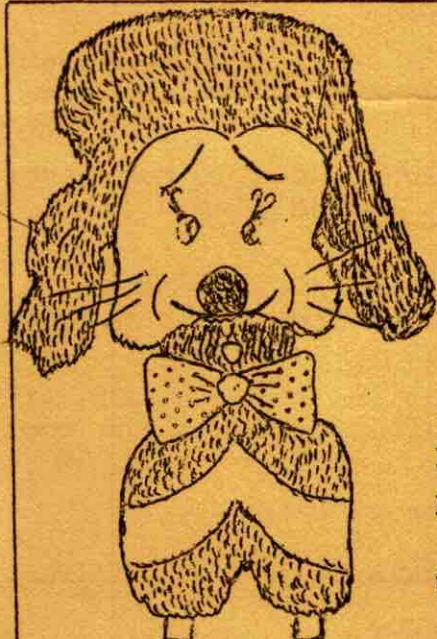
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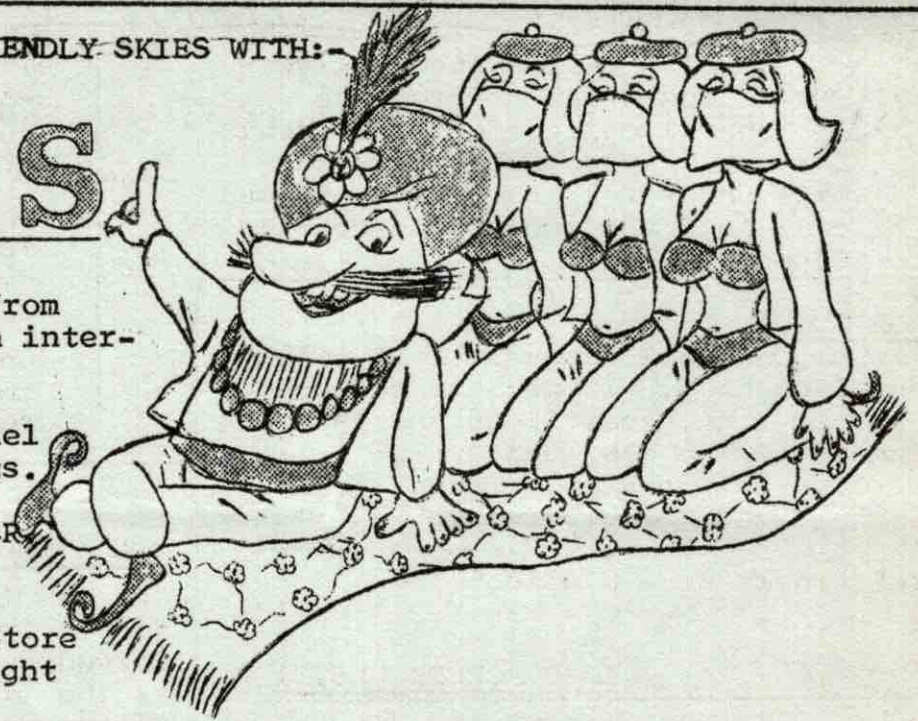
Weekly services to and from Adelaide connecting with interstate flights.

Weekly Services to Channel Country and Alice Springs.

Day and night air CHARTER

LOCAL AGENT:-

W R RUHDORF - 4 Square Store
Phone LC 56 for full flight schedules.



SPECIAL PRE-CHRISTMAS CHANNEL COUNTRY FLIGHTS

Flights E35, 36 & 37 (SATURDAY/SUNDAY SERVICE)

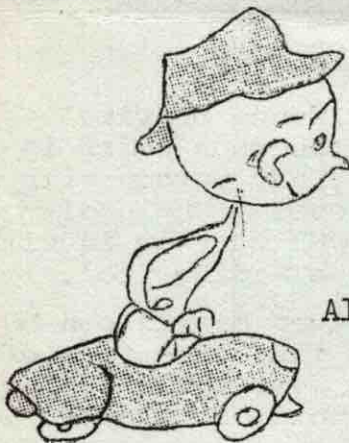
December 13/14th - Normal Scheduled Flight
December 20/21st - Special Pre-Christmas Flight
December 27/28th - Flight Cancelled
January 10/11th - Normal Scheduled Flight

These flights will operate fortnightly thereafter.

Flights E43/38 - (THURSDAY SERVICE)

December 11th - Normal Scheduled Flight
December 18th - Special Pre-Christmas Flight
December 25th (XMAS DAY) - Flight Cancelled
January 8th - Normal Scheduled Flight.

These flights will operate fortnightly thereafter.



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Miscellany



PETER BARBER (new delivery officer) has started the annual collection of 80 cents for your Topics Subs. If you miss Peter for any reason, please call into the Admin and see Val Rappold.

POSTAGE SUBS -

Your issue on the 15 January 1976, will be your last copy. If we have not heard from you by then, we will assume that you no longer require the Topics.

Postage	\$5.20	
Subs80	\$6.00

Please forward to - "Topics"
C/- Mrs V J Rappold
Box 21
LEIGH CREEK 5731

CONGRATULATIONS to the following men who recently received their 10 year ETSA service badges -

Mr G ANDREWS	-	23/11/75
Mr M RANTALL	-	1/12/75
Mr G FRY	-	1/12/75

We have two very grateful people in Alex and Judi TRAJKOVIC who were given much appreciated assistance by TREVOR Moroney and TOM Atkins after their recent accident on the Hawker road. Also to Mr & Mrs McWhinney for help given following little Melanie's mishap.

Nice to see Mrs J H TORR of Glenelg again. Mrs Torr has been having a short holiday with daughter Enid Blieschke and family.

CHANGE OF NIGHT - BINGO BINGO

Bingo will be held on THURSDAY, 11 Dec., in the Yulu lounge at the Canteen. Big prizes to be won and lots of fun to be had. Proceeds to aid the Kindergarten.

Neil and Dawn RANSOM and boys would like to extend Christmas and New Year Greetings to all their Leigh Creek and District friends.

NEW ENROLMENTS FOR 1976 - AREA SCHOOL

All parents with children to commence school for the first time on Monday, 2nd February 1976, are invited to attend school for enrolment on TUESDAY, 9th December between 9.30am and 12.00 noon.

There will be a NEW YEAR CABARET - "Per Gratis" band - more next Topics.

It is with very deep and sad regret that we record the sudden death of Mrs MARGARET LUCAS on 25/11/75.

Margaret had had a very prolonged illness but her sudden death was a great shock to all.

Our very deepest sympathy to husband John, and children Cindy, Wayne and Lance.

THANK YOU

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all friends for the tributes received and for the help given to us at the time of the sudden tragic loss of our dear wife and beloved mother.

(JOHN, CINDY, WAYNE AND LANCE LUCAS)

Mr IAN R WHEARE, Chiropractor, Naturopath and Acupuncturist, will visit Leigh Creek on -

Saturday - 6th Dec - 10.am - 12.noon
2.pm - 5.pm

Sunday - 7th Dec - 10.am - 12.noon

Mr Wheare will be consulting in the United Church Hall and appointments can be made with I FRASER, phone LC37.

Mr C R KELLY, Member for Wakefield, warns that since the last Federal election the polling booths at Bel-tana and Lyndhurst Siding have been closed. Persons intending to vote at either of these places will have to travel to the next polling booth or apply for a postal vote. Please ask your local POST MASTER if you have any questions on voting etc.

NOTICE

As there is an incidence of viral conjunctivitis in the town which is quote "contagious", any person with a red eye before attending the pool should NOT BE ALLOWED to swim in either the main pool or the wading pool.

The condition resolves on its own but it is advisable to take some form of antibiotic such as Terramycin or Neosporin to the eye until it clears. People with such a condition should obviously have their own towel and face washer and try to avoid contact with other people. (Dr G FLEMING)

Club News

TENNIS RESULTS

20/11/75 - Northfield D Telford
10-78 8-74

21/11/75 - Township D Copley
11-84 7-74

With the above results the "BP" Cup
Premiership Table finished up in the
final order:

TELFORD	12 points	63.2%
TOWNSHIP	8 "	50.0%
NORTHFIELD	8 "	41.0%
COPLEY	4 "	45.7%

The first SEMI-FINAL was an exciting
draw with both Copley and Northfield
scoring 9 sets 79 games. The deciding
set went to 5-all and deuce.

The second SEMI-FINAL saw Township win
well over Telford 13-93/5-64.

The drawn Semi-final is being played
on Wenesday 3rd and the winner of that
match will play Telford TONIGHT (Thurs).

Township will play the winner of to-
night's match for the cup early next
week. (Match night to be decided upon
by the two team captains).

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SWIMMING POOL CLUB NEWS

People who have recently come to LC may
not be aware that the pool is operated
by an elected committee of townspeople,
not by ETSA. The session hours and
method of operation and rules have been
established by experience over a number
of years. The Committee think that the
service provided is good, but are always
willing to consider suggestions.

The pool has been very busy this season,
and when a lot of people get together it
is necessary to have a few rules to make
things better and safer for swimmers,
spectators and the attendant.

Please be considerate of other pool users
at all times. Running, ducking and
horseplay is dangerous and cannot be
tolerated especially at busy times.

Children under school age are not per-
mitted in the pool without a parent or
responsible adult to supervise them.

Snorkels, face masks and flippers are NOT
allowed, nor are inner tubes. We allow
flotation devices but warn that many of
these can be dangerous.

Ball games are allowed at the discretion

of the attendant. Large balls over
9" diameter should be used.

Bathers must be worn, swimming in
"street clothing" is not allowed.

The toddlers pool should not be used
by older children.

Remember that the attendant repre-
sents (but is not a member of) the
Pool Committee and has the authority
to interpret rules to suit circum-
stances and to ban people from the
pool if necessary.

Cyclists are asked to park their bikes
South of the front door (to allow am-
bulance access in case of emergency).

Motor cyclists are asked not to ride
their machines east of the fence
along second avenue.

Remember!

- 1) A little consideration for others
make the pool a more pleasant
place.
- 2) The attendant is there to help you
if you have a problem or question.

Shift Workers - During the Xmas shut-
down 25 December - 1 Jan inclusive,
the key will be available from Mr JON
GRAHAM, 13 Third Street.

Competitive Swimming - Under the
coaching and leadership of JOHN KAM-
PROD our training sessions are going
well. Assistance would be welcomed
at the pool on Sunday mornings 10.30am
when our swimmers compete; some
parents are stunch supporters and they
really enjoy themselves - come and
join us.

The following carnivals are being
considered this year.

- PETERBOROUGH 11 January
- QUORN 1 February
- LEIGH CREEK 7 February
- WOOMERA 20/21 February

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FOR SALE - Bently Classic Gas
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Portable ELEC. SEWING MACHINE c/w
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FOR SALE - HMV RECORD PLAYER w/- 2
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Black VENITIAN BLIND for Ford Coupe
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Contact: P BEINKE, 19 Fourth St (LC12)

PUPPETS
CRAFT STALLS
LUCKY DOGS
HOT DOGS
DONUTS
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LEIGH CREEK AREA SCHOOL

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WORK STALLS
KNOCK-EM-DOWNS
CHOCOLATE
GHEAP JACK
WHEEL

DECEMBER 5TH 1975

6.00 p.m.

TOASTED SANDWICHES

!!CONTINUOUS CARTOONS!!

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"FAR NORTHERN COMPETITION"

something for everyone ... come along and join the fun

CLASS PERFORMANCES COMMENCE 6.00 p.m.

DRINKS:

CHIPS:

COFFEE LOUNGE - scones and biscuits
Coffee and Tea

Drop something Sport? PUTITINABIN!!

ON THE SPOT FINE: BY THE
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CHEAP JACK STALL: ornaments, pots, pans, china, glassware,
tools, gloves, handbags, jewellery,
cosmetics, records, cassettes, toys,
books, comics, bottles of wine, toasters,
irons etc. IN OTHER WORDS - ANYTHING!!!

