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We will now have a shrill little discussion about Summer in The North. Nowhere are summers more summery than in the north.

Some of us are At Our Best during the hot months, bustling with energy, revelling in swimming, brimming with vitality, and generally Getting Things Done.

Others find these months the most nerve-wrecking, lethargic, soul-destroying, depressing of any of the entire year. Months when, if anyone said the opposite from what they say they'd still be the worst kind of irritating, irrational, boring no-hoper.

Children don't seem to suffer from Summer at all. Their vitality is exhausting to watch. They still run everywhere, pause for timeless minutes to watch ants scurrying in the sun, drop off to dreamless sleep in the heat of the day, and only appear cross and unsettled in the cool of the evening when everyone else is Starting to Come Good.

Conversation settles around swollen feet, beer, air conditioning, refrigeration, beer, holidays, cool weather in the south, beer, possible rainfall with accompanying cool change (this an unhopeful but ever-present inmost wish), garden watering, water shortages, bathing and beer. Occasional deep, reverent silences prevail in memory of Burke and Wills, those two thirsty explorers.

All who can make outdoor sleeping arrangements, and those indoors (usually located somewhere near the air-cooler) continually awoken perspiring, and bump into each other seeking cooling cordials from the refrigerator.

And meals! One of the household wants a thick, steaming curried stew, and the others Take All Their Time to look at half a tomato on a lettuce-leaf. Bread dries and hardens on its plate on the table, and the butter stands in a yellow island of oil.

Laundering is a continuous process.

Summer doesn't last for ever, although at the time it seems to.

But when Autumn comes, the North is the loveliest place with the best climate in the world.

And it's surprising to discover that those irritating, boring no-hopers are very kind wonderful neighbours who put up with one's own uncertain tempers during Summer!

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- BLINMAN NEWS -

Schoolteacher Miss Kipling and her
niece, Elizabeth spent an enjoyable
holiday at Kangaroo Island. Miss
Beryl Player also visited Kangaroo
Island.
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School has again recommenced with
nine pupils. Elizabeth Kipling and
Sue Butcher will be sitting for the
Progress Certificate this year.
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Last Sunday some of the Blinmanfolk
went to Bunyeroo Gorge, south of
Orraparinna Station and were pleased
with what they saw of the filming of
"Robbery Under Arms."
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One of the local stores has changed
hands. Mr. & Mrs. Colin Parkyn have
taken over Mrs. Mortimer's store.
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Preparations are in hand for the
Easter Tennis Tournaments, for which
there are a record number of entries
mainly from Peterborough & district.
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The C.W.A. will be meeting on Satur-
day, March 1, for the first meeting
since the Christmas recess.
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Most of the Blinman ladies are busy
bottling fruit at this time of the
year.
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Folk away... Mr. & Mrs. Ken Lord are
attending the wedding in Adelaide of
Mrs. Lord's brother, Mr. Andrew Ni-
cholson, of Whyalla... Mrs. Birrell
is visiting with her people in Mel-
bourne for a month.. Mrs. Don Carter
is visiting with her mother, Mrs.
Haines in Adelaide..

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LEIGH CREEK.
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We are happy to announce the appointment of
MR. FRANK TULK
as Manager of the Leigh Creek Branch of the Adelaide
Co - op.

MR. TULK, who has been Assistant Manager for the
past 12 months, is well known in this Community for
his efficiency, amiability and willingness to assist
the individual in any problem.

MR. TULK will be ably supported by the appointment
of

MRS. EDNA LAMBERT

as Departmental Manageress of the Drapery Section, and

MRS. IRMA PSENICNIK

as Departmental Manageress of the Delicatessen and
Grocery Sections.

MRS. LAMBERT, also well known to this Community,
will proceed to Adelaide on the first of her seasonal
visits to contact Supplies and Agents regarding the
viewing and purchasing of new season's goods and thus
keep in touch with the latest trend in styles and
fashion.

MRS. PSENICNIK, already known to you for her
energy and tact, also has the background of years of
experience in South Australia, and abroad, in this
line of business.

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and you on the latest and finest quality goods available,
and will give their personal attention to your individual
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CHURCH NEWS.

SUNDAY SERVICES: 24th February.

Sexagesima; Service 7.30 pm.
Preacher. Mr. Tom Beare.

3rd MARCH. Quinquagesima.

Service at 7.30 pm.
Preacher. Mr. Max Michael.

NEWS. Parents are reminded that Sunday School has commenced again. The children gather every Sunday morning at the School Hall opposite the 'Paper Shop' at 10 am.

Any newcomers to the town are assured of a warm welcome here. We have a very capable band of teachers who give up their Sunday mornings to instruct and lead in Christian belief.

The Minister and his wife are away attending the Conference of their Church which is held annually. Here matters pertaining to the general conduct of the Church are discussed and ruled. It is at this gathering too that the new appointments are made.

In the meantime the two Local Preachers of the Church are leading the worship, and members are asked to make a special effort to be present at worship.

THOUGHT FOR THIS ISSUE: PROVERBS 14:

12. "There is a way that seems right to man, but its end is the way to death."

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ST. BARBARA'S CATHOLIC CHURCH.

Masses will be celebrated at the usual times on Sunday, 3RD MARCH, when Father G. Carmody will be in attendance.

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CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

The Rev. Ian Booth, of Orroroo intends visiting Leigh Creek for services on 10th MARCH, 1957.

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A CORNISH LITANY.

"From Witches, Warlocks and Wurricoes; From Ghoulies, Ghosties and Long-leggity Beasties; From all Things that go bump in the night - Good Lord, deliver us!"

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AN OLD MAN'S PRAYER.

"Dear Lord, help me to understand that You ain't gonna send nothin' that You and me can't handle together."

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LEIGH CREEK AMATEUR SWIMMING CLUB.

ANNUAL GALA.
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SATURDAY, 23rd MARCH, 1957.
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FIRST RACE STARTS 2 PM. PROMPT.

DOORS OPEN 1.30 PM.

E V E N T S.

<u>CHILDREN.</u>	7 years and under.	Mixed.	1 Width of Pool. Freestyle.
	9 years and under.	Girls.	1 Width of Pool. Freestyle.
	9 years and under.	Boys.	1 Width of Pool. Freestyle.
	15 years and under.	Girls.	1 Length of Pool. Freestyle.
	15 years and under.	Boys.	1 Length of Pool. Freestyle.

LEIGH CREEK SCHOOL CHAMPION. MIXED. 1 Length of Pool. Freestyle.

LADIES. RELAY. 4 TO A TEAM. Each swim 37 yards (1 Length.)
 Freestyle - 1 Length of Pool.
 Under Water Swimming.
 Ladies - Learners. 1 Width of Pool.

GENTS. Freestyle - 2 Lengths.
 Breast Stroke - 1 Length.
 INTER-SECTION RELAY - 4 to a team. 1 Length - 37 yards.
 Under Water Swimming.

GENTS NOVELTY RACE.

NO ENTRY FEES TO EVENTS.

ALL PAY AT DOOR.

ADULTS - 2/6d.
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CHILDREN - 6d.
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Entries should be handed to any member of the Swimming Club Committee or at the Swimming Pool Office.

Entries close on February 28.

Please get your entry forms in early so that the programme may be arranged.

LEIGH CREEK AMATEUR SWIMMING CLUB.

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SATURDAY, 23rd March, 1957.

ENTRY
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FORM.
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Please enter me / us in the following events :-

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