

## LIBERAL PARTY (Con't)

Treatment works inquiry sought 11.6:3  
 Peacock backs policy 16.6:10  
 Peacock's rating drops to 31% 28.6:4  
 Valder puts his worst foot forward 17.7:3  
 Optimism helps Andrew Peacock bat on 18.7:4  
 Liberals 'not enamoured with de facto trips' 20.7:3  
 Party never more ready : Peacock (Elections) 21.7:4  
 Peacock attacks Incomes Policy 25.7:5  
 Liberals seek firm stance 20.8:8  
 Three Liberals vie for Hunter Seat 23.8:7  
 Peacock 'dwarfed' by astute Deputy 27.8:9  
 Liberals warn high taxes 27.8:11  
 Fair go for Andrew : Howard 30.8:3  
 Liberal candidate states policies 8.9:13  
 Dilemma over 'PM a crook' outburst 17.9:3  
 Plenty of evidence on ALP : Peacock 18.9:5  
 Howard calls for freer speech 20.9:14  
 Libs to offer challenge 11.10:4  
 Liberal school proposal absurd : Ryan 17.10:7  
 Howard fails to rule out top job challenge 8.12:3  
 New Peacock team 14.12:5  
 Everingham to sit with Libs 14.12:5  
 Liberals set sights on Hunter 22.12:3

## LIBRARIES

Lake school bookmobile to end after 22 years 17.1:4  
 Grant to index Herald 19.1:3  
 Food voucher library plan opposed 1.2:1  
 Library shows old photos 8.2:4  
 Library tops list 8.2:18  
 New lending role for library 14.3:8  
 New school library booking in ahead of schedule 24.3:3  
 Library shows mining towns 9.5:14  
 Definitely not for the birds at \$1a 7.6:1  
 New T.V. service at Charlestown Library 7.6:6  
 Plaque marks library extensions 23.6:23  
 Parties at library 25.6:10  
 \$30,000 grant for library (Newcastle Region Public Library) 3.7:6  
 500,000th book for library 25.7:7  
 Grant of \$8000 to library 18.8:13  
 Libraries join computer age 12.9:12  
 2 new libraries planned 24.10:3

## LINGARD HOSPITAL

Boost for Lingard Hospital 3.2:7  
 Lingard head goes to top Sydney post 2.8:7  
 Hospital pamphlet a student project 13.12:4

## LITERATURE

Electronic test of greatness 6.2:3  
 Queen Victoria's secret wonderland 6.2:3  
 Passing the word around (Banjo Paterson) 21.3:2  
 Robins family death puzzle solved 26.5:8

## LITTER

Beach party leaves refuse danger 12.1:4  
 Beach cleared of broken glass 14.1:5

## LIVER TRANSPLANTS

Donor liver found for QLD transplant baby (Paul McKee) 9.7:1  
 QLD baby survives operation (Paul McKee) 16.7:8  
 Operation No. 4 for liver baby (Paul McKee) 30.7:4  
 Hospital ready on livers 23.8:7  
 \$180,000 Grant for liver transplant 1.9:5  
 Measles hits QLD liver baby (Paul McKee) 17.9:3  
 Liver baby out soon (Paul McKee) 25.9:5  
 Liver baby leaves hospital 'jolly happy' (Paul McKee) 1.10:8  
 QLD sets up liver transplant unit 23.10:4  
 Aust. liver unit "next year" 19.11:5

## LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Mayors demand freedom from states 25.2:13  
 Councils look at shorter week 1.3:4  
 Council groups needed to benefit regions 18.6:8  
 Citizens Group bands together 7.7:1  
 Report on Council tape to be tabled 18.7:1  
 Cohen comments further on MHR's influence 21.7:3

## LOCAL GOVERNMENT (Con't)

New Federal Seat for Valley 10.8:1  
 Report could clear air at Council 11.8:1  
 Lord Mayor stands down 13.8:1  
 Town Clerk cleared 16.8:1  
 Tapes : call for Judicial Inquiry 17.8:1  
 Wade sticks to statement 17.8:1  
 Mayoral stakes be an exercise gallop 18.8:1  
 ALP given same type of data 22.8:3  
 Lord Mayor 'victim of Council hostility' 23.8:3  
 Council rolls to close today 28.8:8  
 Geddes chosen for poll 6.9:3  
 Faction chiefs vary on Council attack 19.9:3  
 MP's, Aldermen beat path to Ministers' door 21.9:1  
 Council sets policy on taping 26.9:4  
 New Mayor in chamber 9.10:3  
 Council's business took 31 seconds 10.10:1  
 MP's may speak at official functions 10.10:4  
 Cancelled poll costs sought 11.10:3  
 Calls to show feelings at Ballot 11.10:4  
 Local Government Association's Annual Conference 16.10:8  
 Lunch gives food for thought 17.10:4  
 Tradition broken by Administrator 17.10:4  
 Inspectors to examine NCC Administration 17.10:4  
 Politics 'put Councils at risk' 18.10:3  
 Quit call rejected by MLA 18.10:3  
 Councils go public on committees 5.11:4  
 Councils seek dismissal safeguard by 1988 13.11:3  
 Council in exile proposed by Geddes 24.11:3  
 Car not necessary for valley MP 22.12:12

## LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOUNDARIES

Transfer of Ulan proposed 29.3:6  
 Changes throw hopefuls off 11.8:1  
 2 new Hunter Seats 'for ALP' 11.8:3  
 Newcastle Region Seats draw complaints 30.8:5  
 Paterson hopefuls 31.8:3  
 'Identity crisis danger' in new boundaries (Lithgow and Paterson) 12.9:7

## LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCE

Council option on club rents 7.4:5  
 Rate levels hit funds for Council programs 11.1:3  
 No easy answer to rating anomalies 12.3:4  
 Inflation lowers Local Council Grants 10.9:3  
 Flexible plan to set rates 16.10:8

## LOCAL GOVERNMENT - STRIKES AND DISPUTES

Strikers return (Cessnock) 3.2:5  
 Lake Council staff back at work after short-week strike 6.3:5  
 Council staff back 7.3:15  
 Lake ALP 'split' over deputy job 21.8:3  
 Labor walks out of Council meeting 22.8:1  
 Labor's knives out for Lewis but cutting edge is blunted 23.8:3

## MAITLAND

Money flows for bypass 3.2:1  
 Road "led to health, financial woes" 4.2:10  
 DMR's Maitland property bid 'a favour' 8.2:18  
 Maitland's bypass final stage in doubt 9.2:3  
 Walsh rejects bypass allegation 10.2:5  
 Resident seeks halt to bypass 14.2:4  
 Public supports colonial fair 30.4:4  
 Les Darcy Restaurant 'exhibits faith' 15.6:5  
 Floods will cut \$30m bypass 2.8:3  
 Decline in local building industry 18.8:13  
 Gaslight cabaret 'highlight' 13.10:13  
 Bears out in force (Teddy Bears Picnic) 24.10:1  
 Commitment 'needed on issues' 10.11:15  
 Yards deal 14.4:1  
 CBD lift for Maitland 24.11:1  
 Community guide ready by March 1.12:21  
 New retail potential for central Maitland 19.12:3

## MAITLAND CITY COUNCIL

Joint club facility rejected 25.1:4  
 Leasing sports fields, car parks mooted 8.2:4  
 Green Hills housing to proceed 15.2:4  
 Council's pool decision to be debated anew 16.2:6  
 Maitland to expedite centre plan 1.3:3  
 Private wed's public to rescue city 10.3:10  
 Appeal for road fund payment 9.4:4  
 Maitland plunges into pool despite problems 2.5:1  
 Maitland pool to go ahead 23.5:3

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Dump gatekeeper draws fire 30.5:4  
 Council likely to accept \$1.4m offer 16.6:14  
 \$600,000 tender awarded 20.6:1  
 \$1.35m for Maitland saleyard 20.6:1  
 \$1.2m deficit shocks Maitland 27.6:3  
 Maitland saleyard stalemate 4.7:20  
 New report promised on deficit 11.7:24  
 Bid to switch Maitland saleyards 25.7:4  
 \$1.8m project to go ahead 27.7:6  
 Businessmen's step on site for saleyards too late 1.8:12  
 \$2m plan for Maitland Mall 2.8:6  
 Contractor upset over pool work 11.8:14  
 Start seen this year on K-Mart 11.8:14  
 Lavatory state disgusts city alderman 11.8:14  
 Mall plans backed by council 15.8:3  
 Guy sure to be mayor 18.8:13  
 Saleyards work will begin in two months 18.8:13  
 Staff discuss allegations (Garbage staff) 15.9:5  
 City considers changes to procedures 13.10:13  
 Radiation 'present in oval soil' 24.10:1  
 Maitland rates set to rise by 8% 3.11:12  
 Maitland residents face 12% rate rise 28.11:3  
 'Favours for mates' alleged 5.12:4  
 Maitland seeks 12% rate rise 12.12:3  
 Council to cut staff numbers 'silently' 12.12:10

## MAITLAND - HISTORY

Maitland's history saved with camera 4.2:5  
 Piece of history up for auction (Bagatelle Wine Saloon) 7.7:23

## MAITLAND HOSPITAL

\$80,000 casualty ward 12.3:3  
 Hospital bed shortage at Maitland alleged 25.5:3  
 Stop-gap solution found to medicare pathology tussle 30.5:8  
 Maitland 'to have next new hospital' 25.9:4  
 Mulock to consider more beds 29.9:4  
 More Hunter wards close 6.11:1  
 Action could 'cripple' hospital staff 8.11:1  
 Maitland Hospital danger 24.10:3  
 Valley doctors' test case booms 26.11:1  
 Hospital opened despite losses 1.12:2  
 Hospital won't close : Chief 3.12:1

## MANSLAUGHTER

Caves Beach man on death charge 21.2:3  
 Man acquitted of party fight death 18.4:8  
 Man for trial in taxi death 25.5:5  
 Farmer on trial over death of lad 14 3.7:6  
 Farm death verdict 6.7:6  
 Six year term for melon killing 11.7:6  
 15 years jail for manslaughter 31.8:4  
 Death charge 8.9:1  
 Dead youth named (Kevin William Wells) 10.9:3  
 Man 'bashed, burnt' at Kurri 11.9:3  
 Man remanded 11.9:5  
 Man to face trial over death 13.9:7  
 Woman jailed after slaying 10.10:6  
 Youth on bond for killing 13.12:6

## MARITIME SERVICES BOARD

A.L.P. Branch backs workshops 10.1:3  
 Workshop site draws anger 11.1:4  
 It's vital, says MSB 11.1:4  
 Ban to remain on MSB workshop 13.1:4  
 Workshops ban should go (Leader) 14.1:2  
 ALP, unions clash over Green ban 26.1:3  
 THC denies alliance over Green ban 28.1:4  
 Suburb 'in jeopardy' (Carrington) 30.1:3  
 Trades Hall hits plan 31.1:3  
 A suburb at the crossroads (Carrington) 4.2:2  
 Move to ease 'hostility' 6.2:3  
 Carrington ban may be lifted this week 8.2:18  
 Optimism over MSB's Carrington workshop 9.2:4  
 Plan for \$8.6m workshop shelved 11.2:1  
 Carrington ban (Leader) 13.2:2  
 People's attitude 'threat to plan' 14.2:6  
 Changes for MSB 2.5:3  
 MSB seat may be lost 3.5:3  
 MSB will close coal stockpile 5.5:39  
 Changes to MSB 23.5:9  
 Port spot on MSB deferred 16.8:3  
 Discussion on hatchman 4.9:4  
 MSB to get new offices 23.10:4  
 Throsby Creek Study meeting 30.10:7  
 MSB charges frozen 8.11:6

## MARRIAGE, DIVORCE AND FAMILY

Brutality, rape hidden behind curtains in many homes 2.1:1  
 Horrors of a molested childhood 3.1:1  
 Plan to end family pay 'mess' (Maintenance) 8.2:3  
 Paying for a split family 15.2:17  
 Dads make great mums 7.3:23  
 The family : my kids, your kids, our kids 29.3:1  
 Lives of wedded bliss 18.4:11  
 Family Law Act 'needs change' 19.4:4  
 Daughter, 16, beats her mother to PWP win 24.4:3  
 Young people 'uncertain, confused on marriage' 3.5:7  
 Helping relationships work 15.5:11  
 Sources of friction in couples 29.5:11  
 Marriage is for life, survey shows 21.8:5  
 FJ backseat baby boom 15.9:4  
 Synod relaxes marriage policy 3.10:5  
 Defacto couples will be able to adopt children 18.10:3  
 Talks for parents group 29.10:4  
 Act tops Australian divorce rate figures 30.10:3

## MASONIC HOSPITAL, SHORTLAND

Masonic Hospital to reopen 22.2:12

## MATER MISERICORDIAE HOSPITAL

North hospitals hit by hepatitis 3.1:1  
 Vaccine funds must be given (Leader) 3.1:2  
 Hepatitis outbreak under control : doctors 4.1:3  
 Ambulanceman hepatitis victim 5.1:1  
 Ambulancemen vent anger 6.1:1  
 Disease warning failure a puzzle 7.1:3  
 Gaps in disease follow-up (Leader) 7.1:2  
 Work on X-Ray bunkers begins 2.2:4  
 Second hepatitis shot 'ignored' 22.2:1  
 Loneliness seen as health hazard 14.3:8  
 Only one child can go home 4.4:1  
 Good samaritans act quickly, generously 5.4:1  
 'Cardiac kids' raise \$7,000 9.4:3  
 Mater, cancer group win (Linear Accelerator) 11.5:4  
 Two hospitals given notice by visiting medical officer 5.6:5  
 Mater waits for baby care beds 5.7:1  
 Concrete first at Mater 18.7:14  
 Mater in hopes of funds 24.10:6

## MATTARA FESTIVAL

Mattara Administrator sought 21.1:5  
 Mattara finance (Leader) 24.4:2  
 Search for Mattara head may be held 3.2:7  
 Poetry prize sets City on the map 13.2:6  
 Mattara organiser appointed (John Young) 1.5:6  
 Mattara planning 2.5:2  
 2,600 vie for poetry prize 14.6:4  
 Bright future seen for Mattara 14.7:3  
 Philatelic Society has big Mattara display 28.8:8  
 Ceramic creations ready for Mattara 30.8:5  
 Mattara to turn park into a magic land 31.8:5  
 Garden entries close tomorrow 31.8:5  
 Spring brings busy Mattara 1.9:3  
 A bright sunny beginning bodes well for Newcastle's Mattara Festival 3.9:5  
 Dancers take to Mattara stage 6.9:7  
 Office games and fun in the park 6.9:7  
 A bit of everything in best Mattara garden 7.9:4  
 Mattara ends on a high note 10.9:1  
 Mattara 'success' 10.9:6  
 Mattara acts sought nationally 7.11:40

## MEAT INDUSTRY AND TRADE

40 attend saleyards protest 24.1:4  
 Japanese delay beef talks 13.2:4  
 Peacock attacks P.M. over beef 15.2:9  
 Beef loses its appeal 16.2:7  
 Japan to hold beef talks 20.2:4  
 A promising future for Hunter deer farmers 22.2:19  
 Bulk meat pricing racket 27.2:7  
 Video livestock sales may benefit Scone 28.2:4  
 Japanese beef deal with U.S. worries ministers 9.2:3  
 Tough talks on beef expected 10.4:5

## MEAT INDUSTRY AND TRADE (Con't)

Japan given reminder of beef deal 11.4:6  
 Japanese beef talks 'on April 12' 12.4:7  
 Kerin in Tokyo for beef talks 13.4:3  
 Kerin denounces Japan beef deal 14.4:8  
 Meat body sues US. for \$18.5m (Aust Meat & Livestock Corp) 25.4:1  
 Japanese beef talks 'disappointing' but Kerin hopeful 17.5:11  
 Rumours of beef deal 'premature' 27.6:3  
 Australian beef talks no closer to signing with Japan 21.7:4  
 Sheep found in QLD goat exports 1.8:5  
 Surplus men cost \$5.5m 5.9:3  
 Workers accept voluntary scheme 17.10:16

## MEDIA - STRIKES AND DISPUTES

T.V. studio bans 'to stay' (Asbestos) 12.1:4  
 Radio row ends 20.2:5  
 Sacking puts unions 'out' (The 'Canberra Times') 7.11:8

## MEDICAL

The more common causes of bad breath 3.1:8  
 Striking a blow against a killer 4.1:20  
 Body produces 'best' Leukaemia agent 6.1:5  
 Unusual cases of Aids 11.1:22  
 A world first for In-Vitro team 13.1:5  
 Legality move for In-Vitro baby 14.1:4  
 Leg, feet ailments 'could be prevented' 16.1:5  
 Young diabetics taste gourmet goodies 17.1:3  
 The emotional pain of a stillborn child 17.1:8  
 M.I.A. fever 'not serious' 18.1:26  
 Setback and a boost for Ben's survival hopes 20.1:1  
 Modern medicine is moving over 28.1:2  
 Pill risk 'no worse than IUD' 6.2:7  
 That way madness lies 8.2:2  
 Coping with low blood pressure 14.2:8  
 Managing tension 21.2:8  
 Device reverses cardiac arrest 22.2:5  
 Salt for a boy, a pint of milk for a girl 24.2:7  
 'Bubble boy' dies outside cocoon 24.2:8  
 Diabetes and Diet 29.2:18  
 Arthritic pains 'zapped' by thoughts 6.3:1  
 Diabetes and Diet (Pt. 2) 7.3:22  
 Dangers of stress 13.3:7  
 New hip offers a fresh life for John (John Boots) 20.3:1  
 Hip change patient waits for result 21.3:3  
 Leukaemia breakthrough 23.3:1  
 Correcting a squint 27.3:9  
 ... But mineral water isn't safe either 28.3:1  
 Baby reacting well to pacemaker operation 28.3:7  
 Sex won't be watered down 31.3:3  
 Heart valves 'crumbled' 2.4:1  
 Problems after childbirth 3.4:6  
 Heart attack ... and back 7.4:2  
 Register urged for marrow 19.4:3  
 Pacemaker baby faces new trial 23.4:1  
 Premature babies review urged 26.4:3  
 Preserving lives (Leader) 27.4:2  
 Handicapped babies seminar 5.5:4  
 Recognising alcohol dependence 8.5:10  
 'Strangle patients' theory put by medical leader 10.5:1  
 Warning over whooping cough 10.5:6  
 A normal life, thanks to brother's gift 14.5:1  
 Patients change outlook (Leader: Iridology) 14.5:3  
 Typical case of autism 22.5:13  
 Diabetic screening clinic a success 28.5:6  
 No outbreaks of legionnaires' disease in N.S.W., says minister 29.5:6  
 The pain that others won't believe (Tenosynovitis R.S.L.) 30.5:17  
 Bacteria found in Stockton water (Legionnaires Disease) 30.5:12  
 350 at Tenosynovitis meeting 7.6:7  
 Dying patient gets chance to use banned drug 9.6:4  
 Leukaemia victim 'looking better' 11.6:4  
 Private plan for accident service 3.7:3  
 Furey: hug, kiss sons, keep woman at home (Dr. Furey) 18.7:8  
 Virus hits Hunter 19.7:1  
 Living in N.S.W. could be a health hazard 21.7:1  
 Girls get a look at problems and solve them 23.7:3  
 Crash helmets are vital, neurosurgeon insists 23.7:6

## MEDICAL (Con't)

Life on line of oxygen for Jason two 23.7:10  
 Stroke victims to form self help club 24.7:6  
 Hardworking GPs 'not filthy rich' 26.7:3  
 Strike toll less than job injury 28.7:5  
 Most Australian pre-school children are fully immunised 2.8:5  
 Pain costs nation 'about \$5bill a year' 2.8:5  
 Concern on flu virus 6.8:5  
 Dialysis users' rebate 6.8:9  
 Hepatitis: school affair 13.8:1  
 Microsurgery for valley workman 14.8:4  
 Tardy response on Hepatitis 14.8:6  
 Spinal Pain Sufferers Group for support 16.8:6  
 Doctors fear epidemic as ills come to north 18.8:3  
 Support Group may be formed 29.8:6  
 Health test screening policy causes confusion, anger 29.8:12  
 Baby born mid-flight 31.8:1  
 Seminar on care planning 3.9:8  
 Controversial commercial follows launch of Quit for Life Campaign 4.9:8  
 Blewett operation attacked 5.9:1  
 Dementia fast becoming Australian epidemic 5.9:10  
 'Unnecessary' surgery 5.9:7  
 Cut unnecessary operations first, professor says 10.9:5  
 Typhoid scare 13.9:3  
 Lecturer urges 'Dementia Study' 17.9:3  
 Camel milk for patient 20.9:3  
 'Spare parts' health trend 25.9:5  
 Australia 'too lax' over VD treatment 26.9:8  
 Heart attack (Mr. Jim Cameron) 26.9:13  
 Union campaigns over keyboard illness 27.9:7  
 Heavy smoking linked to heart attack 4.10:1  
 Limb-makers 'being forced out' 9.10:5  
 Birth in the sky for early boy 10.10:1  
 Rare disease snags fisherman 11.10:1  
 Guide to birth control launched tomorrow 22.10:5  
 Learning tied to heart attacks 27.10:1  
 Meeting held on who should live or die 29.10:8  
 Marihuana 'adds to pregnancy danger' 31.10:10  
 Canberra moves on strain injury 1.11:4  
 Diet link to 60% of state's death 3.11:3  
 Blood Bank stock 'desperately low' 3.11:12  
 Weather puts damper on picnic 5.11:4  
 450 Port Pirie children face lead risk 7.11:5  
 Seminar on stress 7.11:14  
 Bureaucrats refuse plea to save brave little boy (Ben Towns) 10.11:1  
 Epilepsy support 14.11:20  
 Retiring nurse speaks out on Blood Banks 14.11:24  
 Bank supports boy's fight for life (Ben Towns) 17.11:4  
 Funnel Web Vaccine Program 'ludicrous' 21.11:4  
 Chicken Border Patrol 26.11:1  
 Childbirth revolutionary on visit 26.11:5  
 PSB move to ban smoking in offices 6.12:4  
 Double joy for Christmas 18.12:1  
 A very speedy arrival in the world 27.12:1  
 Operations on boy's fingers 28.12:4

## MEDICAL RESEARCH

U.S. Research sheds light on function of genes 7.1:29  
 Monthly moods: is it all in the hormones 22.2:17  
 Heart drug a contraceptive 19.3:5  
 Coma tests to begin 28.3:16  
 21 years helping children's cause (Cessnock Committee Child's Med. Res. Fndatn.) 29.3:7  
 Professor asks for help from twins 24.4:5  
 The infection fight starts with the first meal 23.5:1  
 'No safe level' of dioxin intake 21.6:6  
 Chewing may end smokers' cough 27.6:29  
 An alternative to In-Vitro Fertilisation 5.7:2  
 Magnets to hold dentures 16.7:3  
 Injections could end killer virus 23.8:1  
 Islington man in medical triumph 1.9:3  
 Pregnant women needed 5.9:15  
 Interferon method to boost supply 12.9:8  
 Uni looks at death links of CS2 26.9:3  
 'Tickle-talker' helps deaf sense speech 24.11:3  
 Asthma Study a first 1.12:5  
 Donation saves research in space 20.12:4

## MEDICAL SCHOOLS

Consolidating a strong foundation 27.1:2  
 Medicare faculty launches \$1m appeal 14.2:3  
 \$1m target (Leader) 15.2:2  
 Hunter medicine for Arab ways 13.4:2  
 Medical school seeking new challenges 4.5:2  
 Medical appeal 22.5:6  
 Threat of doctor over supply 24.9:11

## MEDICAL STAFF

Doctors 'won't yield' over 7% fee rise 3.1:3  
 No rise yet in doctors' fees 4.1:3  
 Doctors defer move for 7% fee increase 5.1:3  
 Govt attacks state AMA's over fees 6.1:3  
 Fees decision today 10.1:5  
 AMA warns on cover for specialists' fees 16.1:5  
 AMA considers High Court challenge 20.1:3  
 Medicare 'protest' 21.1:4  
 Contracts stay : AMA 23.1:1  
 Medicare 'peace offer' rejected by AMA 25.1:1  
 Who heals the doctor 2.2:2  
 AMA change of attitude 6.2:5  
 Doctors seek 10% fee increase 7.2:1  
 Hospitals facing specialist 'crisis' 7.2:1  
 Government move to limit rise in doctors' fees 8.2:30  
 Doctors to join inquiry 17.2:5  
 RNH to permit choice of doctor 17.2:5  
 Nurse Planning Group to visit North 22.2:32  
 New body to train 'bare foot' doctors 22.2:8  
 Specialists warned 25.2:3  
 The 'wild men of medicine' plan ban for NSW 27.2:3  
 No lockout move, Blewett tells doctors 28.2:3  
 Surgeons stop in Medicare protest 28.2:3  
 Specialists will quit 1.3:1  
 Contracts at RNH held despite 'quittings' 2.3:3  
 Medical bodies deliver strike threats 12.3:5  
 The Medicare battle (Leader) 13.3:2  
 Doctors dig in as row on contracts widens 13.3:1  
 Doctors in NSW to go on strike 14.3:3  
 Peace plan for Medicare 15.3:3  
 Professionals don't strike, says doctor 15.3:3  
 Doctors 'unethical' 19.3:3  
 Doctors move to form Trade Union 20.3:4  
 Medicare law bent to help patients 21.3:5  
 Blewett firm on hospital guidelines 22.3:8  
 AMA dispute escalates 23.3:1  
 Further doctors' strikes likely 24.3:4  
 Cabinet to consider health veto plan 26.3:3  
 250 doctors to strike 27.3:3  
 Peace bid on Medicare 28.3:7  
 More strikes loom in Medicare row 29.3:1  
 Doctor 'did not fix broken leg' 29.3:1  
 The AMA plays Oliver Twist (Leader) 30.3:2  
 Minister chides hospital doctors 30.3:4  
 Medical fraud brings C.P. ban 31.3:3  
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 Register plan for bulk-bill doctors 4.4:9  
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 Doctors to return 'but only truce' 10.4:6  
 Wallsend aide equal top 12.4:5  
 Bulk-billing union list 13.4:7  
 Medical fees up by 8.5% 3.5:5  
 Private doctors 'highest paid group in Country' 5.5:1  
 Nurse bans over training report 12.5:4  
 Doctors quit hospitals 18.5:1  
 War technique to improve nursing care 19.5:9  
 Doctor draws fire from unions 21.5:1  
 Innovative Nursing Program 23.5:12  
 Hospital future 'threatened by Medicare' 28.5:3  
 Mulock attacks doctors 28.5:3  
 Mulock slams surgeons over threat 29.5:5  
 Surgeons resign in status dispute 30.5:5  
 Surgeons in Hunter not resigning 1.6:3  
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 Call for Govt. control 4.9:8  
 Uniforms for nurse students 29.10:7  
 Minister attack nurses on crash 5.11:3  
 Investigations anger doctors 7.11:7

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 Nurses set bans to support shift plan (Stockton) 10.5:5  
 Nurse bans over Training Report 12.5:4  
 Allandale Hospital staff may strike 17.5:5  
 Hospital workers endorse bans 18.5:5  
 Hospital shift changes 'impossible' 19.5:3  
 Nurses seek meeting on hours 23.5:4  
 Short week bans on hospitals 24.5:4  
 Linen bans to hit hospitals in Hunter 25.5:5  
 Surgery hit by union bans 26.5:1  
 Hospitals running low on linen 28.5:4  
 Union eases hospital linen bans 29.5:1  
 Nurses bans off (Mental Hospital) 30.5:4  
 Hospital bans to be lifted for talks 30.5:3  
 H.V. Hospitals 'back in business' 31.5:5  
 Hospitals in Sydney still hit by bans 1.6:5  
 Nurses meet today 6.6:5  
 More hospital bans likely 9.6:1  
 Bill may ban surgeons 11.6:1  
 Belmont halt stays 11.6:1  
 Hospital bans on again 12.6:4  
 Surgeons face blacklist bans 13.6:3  
 RNH cleaners return : more bans on the way 13.6:4  
 Hospital staff to strike for 24 hours 14.6:1  
 Doctors set for fight 14.6:4  
 Doctors warn Hunter MPs 15.6:1  
 Doctor 'resignations' in breach of agreement' 16.6:3  
 Volunteers aid Hunter sick 16.6:4  
 Premier defers piece plan to doctors 18.6:1  
 Doctors still resign 19.6:1  
 3 surgeons quit two Hunter hospitals 19.6:1  
 Doctors pull out of state hospitals 20.6:1  
 Bans off briefly at RNH 20.6:11  
 Medical crisis stalemate 21.6:3  
 Hospitals in Hunter lose more surgeons 21.6:3  
 Doctors' dispute meets union anger 22.6:4  
 Nurses strike will go ahead 23.6:1  
 One doctor's view of Medicare row 23.6:3  
 Talks offer rejected by Wran 23.6:3  
 Doctors' dispute peace bid fails 25.6:3  
 N.S.W. doctors get letter 26.6:3  
 Bans but no strike at three hospitals 26.6:3  
 RNH staff specialists seek to join strike 27.6:1  
 7- year ban on doctors to go : Wran backs down 28.6:1  
 Nurses will continue RNH bans 30.6:5  
 Doctors meet again on dispute 30.6:14  
 Surgeons reject Wran's peace move 29.6:1  
 'Political Lecture' over telephone (Dr. Robert Hughes) 29.6:3  
 More hospital chaos as 9,000 nurses strike 29.6:3  
 Death allegation denied 29.6:3  
 Doctors win support 29.6:5  
 Surgeons' plan copes first day 2.7:1  
 Sign of hope in doctors' row 3.7:3  
 Doctors agree to talks plan 4.7:3  
 Health moved back 5.7:1  
 Surgeons asked to suspend resignations 5.7:4  
 Doctors' dispute explained 9.7:4  
 RNH workers strike over steriliser 10.7:5  
 Hospital workers go back 11.7:9  
 Hospitals threaten surgeons 13.7:6  
 Doctors', nurses' disputes hit routine hospital surgery 19.7:6  
 Wran 'victory' in hospital row 24.7:8  
 Row with doctors 'nearly settled' 25.7:3  
 Bans go at RNH 25.7:16  
 Members reject short week 'cost' 26.7:6  
 Valley's nurses 'trying to heal union rift' 28.7:1  
 Hunter nurses form single group 1.8:8  
 Mullock hits back at surgeons 27.8:4  
 RNH dispute resolved 29.8:7  
 Surgeons move on fees slated by Wran 31.9:3  
 End of doctors dispute in sight 4.9:5  
 Nursing home care cut : AMA 17.9:7  
 No action by Hunter Region surgeons 8.10:3  
 N.S.W. doctors threaten strike 20.10:1  
 Doctors to strike 22.10:1  
 Hospitals cancel operating lists 23.10:7  
 Salaried doctors work on 24.10:4  
 Doctors' dispute spreads 25.10:4  
 Doctors offered meeting 26.10:6

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 New blow to hospitals 30.10:1  
 Emergency services in doubt: Mulock 31.10:4  
 Strike threatens cut in maternity beds 3.11:1  
 Surgeons to meet on health talks 10.11:5  
 Doctors likely to rush quitting posts 12.11:3  
 Doctors spilt on strike issue 13.11:5  
 Doctors study new Government offer 14.11:3  
 A new threat to N.S.W. Hospitals 19.11:4  
 Doctors: new resignations expected 5.12:3  
 Leading surgeon resigns 7.12:4  
 Meeting over doctors' dispute 8.12:5  
 Doctors put peace plan 12.12:5  
 Doctors to consider proposals 19.12:6  
 Doctors reject review offer 22.12:5  
 State's Hospital dispute worsens 29.12:4

## MEDOWIE

Council moves on Medowie rezoning 9.2:7  
 Medowie zoning plan ends 10-year debate 10.5:7  
 Zoning move may create conflict 23.5:32

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\$11,250 Grant for handicapped 14.1:10  
 Mental Health 4.7:8  
 Disabled likely to gain hostel 17.7:8  
 Residents protest at plan for hostel 23.7:4  
 Hostel Green Ban hope 24.7:7  
 Battle over hostel 'lost' 25.7:3  
 Residents to ask NTHG for bans on hostel 26.7:6  
 Fight over hostel to continue 28.7:4  
 Green Bans sought on hostel proposal 9.8:4  
 Support group may be formed 29.8:6  
 Seminar on care, planning 3.9:8  
 Dementia fast becoming Australian epidemic 5.9:10  
 Centre to help the mentally ill 24.9:9  
 Psychiatric Group social 3.10:10  
 Special Olympic Day for handicapped 1.12:2  
 Care needed over Psychiatric Report 1.12:4  
 City hosts special games 4.12:17

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 Merriwa residents back Deputy Clerk 12.4:5  
 Investigation for Merriwa 13.4:3  
 A questionable suspension (Leader) 14.4:2  
 Suspension investigation begins 17.4:13  
 Merriwa inquiry begins 19.4:4  
 Merriwa talks end 20.4:4  
 Talks on Merriwa Clerk row 10.5:4  
 Merriwa sour over publicity 17.5:1  
 Councillor defends Shire's action 21.5:6  
 Shire Clerk misled Council: Minister 24.8:1  
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 Fall-off in H.V. Metal trainees 22.3:5  
 Struggle to stay afloat 21.4:1  
 Consensus in the Metal Industries 22.6:2  
 Slump in Metal Industry 'danger' 5.7:4  
 Union to push for National Super Scheme 6.7:6  
 MTIA plans China office 19.7:4  
 Metalworkers line up for a battle 27.7:2  
 \$500m 'needed to save heavy industry' 27.7:4  
 Metal firms 'will go to the wall' 8.8:6  
 PM sees new steel chances 13.8:6  
 Metal Trades low 'worst in history' 14.8:1  
 \$500m aid to heavy industry urged 15.8:4  
 Comsteel in bid for Titan 16.8:1  
 Tubemakers look brighter in 1984 30.8:3  
 Cast Iron Foundry may be closed 1.9:13  
 Comsteel Wickers Posts \$3.2m first profit 1.9:15  
 Metal strike looms over jobs rulling 13.9:1  
 Unions to ask for metal decision 21.9:4  
 Union challenge trounced 26.9:4  
 Metal Industry to get super deal 20.10:2  
 Canberra "cool" on Metal Industry help 29.10:3  
 Metal Unions stage national protest 16.11:7  
 Metal Unions rally 17.11:5  
 Business call to halt "gloomy" outlook 30.11:1  
 Unions to attend rallies 4.12:4  
 Backing for metal jobs plan 5.12:8

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MTIA warning on export 'millstone' 16.5:4  
 Redundancy fight looms 24.8:1  
 Surveys show metal outlook bleak 29.8:3  
 Metal delegates to meet 19.9:16  
 MTIA has 50 ideas to assist heavy engineering 21.9:7  
 Carmichael to resign as Union Leader 28.9:5  
 Work a guide for apprenticeships 7.11:40

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No comment on visa racket allegations 4.1:8  
 \$7.5 million to assist settlers 5.1:7  
 Yugoslav family win reprieve 7.1:29  
 Grant boost for migrant work 27.1:6  
 Trong Tran, 19, realises a wish 27.1:5  
 Immigrants can stay 24.2:4  
 Number of settlers falls to 10,400 24.2:4  
 Non-European illegals easier to track down 28.2:7  
 Asian intake 'too high for jobless society' 22.3:8  
 'No place' for Chinese 30.3:5  
 Unionists want migrant levels lowered 6.4:5  
 West defends policy 8.5:7  
 A touchy, human issue: P.M. 9.5:1  
 Discrimination and migration (Leader) 9.5:2  
 Opposition urged to co-operate on Asian immigration 10.5:3  
 The Asian question 11.5:2  
 Peacock vows to push immigration issue 11.5:3  
 Blainey comments 'add fuel to racism' 11.5:5  
 Coalition firm on migration 15.5:6  
 Immigration move towards balance 16.5:5  
 Adverse poll puts Cabinet in immigration 'hot seat' 21.5:3  
 Cabinet 'to boost skilled migrant intake' 22.5:3  
 Racism must be kept out (Leader) 22.5:2  
 Student intake from overseas is frozen 23.5:32  
 ACTU moves to cut ships' crew numbers 23.5:4  
 Migrants from Asian area 42% 23.5:4  
 UK migrant cut disgraceful decision: R.S.L. 30.5:10  
 Intake of Asian migrants to rise 31.5:5  
 Fourth Liberal MP suspended 1.6:4  
 Racism inflamed by row over migrants: survey 18.6:1  
 Refugee problem is 'tragic' 25.6:4  
 Warning given on boat people 26.6:3  
 Foster 'mum' in visa battle 29.6:1  
 New hopes for Lake 'Foster mum' 30.6:3  
 'Unsuitable' migrants hamper recovery 4.7:8  
 Migration 'poll issue' 12.7:7  
 Speers Pt. man gains permanent status 17.7:1  
 Move to defuse migrants as poll issue 18.7:4  
 Vic. RSL hardens stand on Asian migrants 19.7:8  
 Division on Immigration 20.7:3  
 European migrant numbers down by 41% 2.8:6  
 Migration flare-up again in House 24.8:3  
 Fewer Europeans coming to settle 24.8:5  
 MLC seeks funds for closed centre 28.8:5  
 Migrants' problems 'should be known' 4.9:8  
 RSL to vote on Migrant Policy 5.9:16  
 RSL divided on Immigration 6.9:3  
 Fewer Asian migrants in 1983-84 12.9:8  
 'Gods' protection' helps woman survive wars 22.9:14  
 Wests blasts Blainey book 5.10:3  
 Pamphlet guide for migrants 16.10:9  
 Citizens after 17 years 2.11:13  
 Immigration numbers fall to 70s level 4.12:9  
 Steady flow of migrants from Asia 20.12:3

## MILK

Victorian, N.S.W. milk war heats up 23.4:5  
 Bulk milk price cut 8.5:1  
 Milk price 'cut to save industry' 9.5:4  
 Milkmen protest over price cut 10.5:4  
 New retail milk prices for State 11.5:3  
 Some milk dearer under 'new deal' 12.5:1  
 Milk vendors call for set prices 16.5:7  
 Move to protect milk from pesticides 23.5:5  
 Minimum price of milk set near 64c litre 25.5:3  
 Milk packaging battle under way 26.5:5  
 Cheaper product sales up by 80% court told (Jewel Food Stores) 26.5:5  
 Food chain wins right to sell cheap milk 1.6:6  
 Price of milk to rise 25.6:4  
 Dairyman take "milk war" over Border 11.10:5  
 Milk truce 13.10:3

## MINE SUBSIDENCE

Campaign to fight danger of fall-ins 1.5:4  
Residents identify dangerous mine sites 7.8:11

## MINERAL INDUSTRY

Mines 'less able to compete' 30.4:12  
NBH offers \$771m - Ezi target for third largest takeover 13.6:32  
First step for new Hunter mine 16.6:10  
Meetings on State mines 27.6:5  
Government charges hit newer mines 2.7:7  
New Mines Act leaves Northern pits idle 3.7:1  
Centre left backs uranium mining 5.7:3  
Aberfoyle slump 7.7:14  
Kidston shares move 7.7:14  
Hancock confident on \$900m iron mine 11.7:6  
Mine vito reserved 11.7:11  
Promising gold output from Metana Project 21.7:15  
Valley mine plan taken off shelf 24.7:1  
Union Chief tipped for Joint Coal Board job 7.8:4  
Mine sit-in on film 8.8:10  
Gold mine bid \$25m 9.8:1  
Inspectorate 'failed' on asbestos 14.8:4  
PNG Government closes OK Tedi Mine for second time 14.8:4  
Two-State campaign to save mine jobs 5.9:10  
Mine all quiet ; Police leave 10.9:5  
Mining Branch 12.9:16  
Miners get stay on jobs 15.9:3  
Rail costs 'threat to new mine jobs' 18.9:6  
Decreasing role seen for mining 24.9:1  
Jobless miners move to Valley 20.10:2  
Miners' option to retire at 56 25.10:1  
Ready for mine disasters (N'cle Mines Rescue Station) 27.10:5  
Mining site 'buried' 7.11:12  
Two vie for top Northern mine union post 10.11:3  
Mine rescue reflected in tapestry gift to Council 14.11:25  
Coalminers threaten nation-wide strike 20.11:3  
Reprive for Kembla miners 27.11:5  
Kembla miners ratify pact 29.11:4  
Mining Chief hints at retrenchments 30.11:3  
Investment drops 11% 5.12:11  
Mining move (Gravel mining) 6.12:5  
Mining cuts house plans 12.12:10

## MINING INDUSTRY - STRIKES AND DISPUTES

Bayswater Mine out 19.1:3  
Bayswater dispute likely to escalate 21.1:4  
Miners to protest over 363 jobs 21.1:4  
Miners to vote on peace plan 27.1:4  
Group to examine problems at mine 28.1:5  
Moves to halt coal shipment 11.2:4  
Strike on coal import averted 16.2:5  
Sackings spark strike at Mt. Thorley Mine 24.3:4  
Coalmine strike continues (Ravensworth No. 2) 28.3:6  
FEDFA at mine to protest 4.4:5  
Mine workers back, loader men stay out 7.4:4  
Mt. Thorley men out again 11.4:6  
Mt. Thorley mine producing again 13.4:7  
Arrests for men at mine 14.4:3  
End to mine row likely (Munmorah State Mine) 16.4:5  
Open-cut miners back at work 17.4:4  
Easter ban on mine repairs 18.4:15  
Broken Hill Mine dispute talks fail to find solution 1.5:6  
Mines back to normal 10.5:4  
Broken Hill ruling today 10.5:5  
Talks may solve hill mine row 14.5:4  
48-hour coal strike looms 18.5:3  
Coal ships threat 19.5:1  
Broken Hill Mines' row resolved 19.5:11  
Mine strike talks to be held today 21.5:7  
Coal export ban dropped 22.5:1  
North coalmines idle tomorrow 23.5:1  
Coal Authority no solution (Leader) 23.5:2  
Miners call off coal strike in exchange for talks 24.5:1  
Miners to return 28.6:7  
Aberfoyle slump 7.7:14  
Demonstration by 300 mineworkers 19.7:7  
Mine deputies stop over safety check 21.7:5  
Dismissed miners drop case 24.7:4

## MINING INDUSTRY - STRIKES AND DISPUTES (Cont)

2000 miners to demonstrate 27.7:5  
Miners to continue strike 4.8:5  
Stalemate in talks on mines 6.8:3  
Miners meet 15.8:14  
Wallarah miners out over deputies 17.8:6  
South Coast miners protest against retrenchments 18.8:3  
Deputies to meet 22.8:4  
Mineworkers urged to return to work 6.9:4  
Miners decide to stay out 7.9:5  
Deputies return 18.9:5  
Striking miners meet today 19.9:16  
Pelton men vote to stay on strike 20.9:5  
Employees at colliery strike 21.9:8  
Collieries to reopen on Monday 22.9:5  
New loader stoppage 3.10:14  
Talks avert mine bonus 'eruption' (Ravensworth Mine) 13.10:3  
Workers out for boss 23.10:4  
Colliery strike 24.10:5  
Colliery staff strike 30.10:4  
'Serious delays' in Port 31.10:10  
Miners back (Macquarie Colliery) 6.11:7  
Coalminers threaten nation-wide strike 20.11:3  
Coalminers delay national strike 21.11:3  
Mine deputies return 22.11:4  
Kembla miners stay on strike 23.11:16  
Miners return to work after 24-hour stoppage 7.12:6

## MISCELLANEOUS

A night at work for many 2.1:3  
Divorce bad for your health 7.1:8  
Silence may be golden, but a chat will cost \$7 an hour 18.1:14  
Worms to put on a turn 28.1:35  
An old thug lashes out 28.1:8  
Keeping off the dieter's yo-yo 8.2:22  
The man from old Chicago 11.2:8  
The Bullockies 25.2:7  
Rehearsals for living 24.3:8  
The great Aussie bloke 28.3:21  
Bid to help newcomers has become full-time business 7.4:5  
Dewdrop babies arn't for real 21.4:9  
250 at Woodville for family reunion 23.4:6  
Men agree more with women on sex roles 3.5:3  
Day has a long and rich history (Mother's Day) 8.5:15  
Little people giving life a go 8.5:7  
N.S.W. in link with Tokyo 9.5:10  
Mothers 'exploited' - but some get flowers (Mother's Day) 12.5:5  
Hand made 12.5:7  
Extra special gifts for mother on her day (Mother's Day) 14.5:7  
Do you drink, smoke, gamble? you're bored 23.5:3

## MISSING PERSONS

Nurse still listed as missing (Pamela Michelle Schonell) 6.1:5  
Hitch-hiker, boyfriend both missing 7.1:9  
Hitch-hiker alive, well 10.1:5  
Hitch-hiker arrives, but no boyfriend 11.1:5  
Man's clothes found 23.1:11  
Lead on missing girl fruitless 2.2:5  
Old sighting of missing girl (Renee Aitken) 21.2:7  
New search for girl, 5 (Renee Aitken) 24.2:8  
Girl 'seen' with man 25.2:37  
Bush search to resume today 13.3:3  
Helicopter finds bushwalker 14.3:12  
Missing child, 5, believed slain 14.4:4  
Man, 58, presumed drowned 14.4:4  
Search fails to find girl (Renee Aitken) 16.4:6  
Police to renew search for missing 5-year-old 28.4:4  
Missing, and notes the only clues (Karen Sharp) 1.6:5  
Missing girl, 18, safe 2.6:1  
Radio man to face court 4.6:5  
Abduction hoax girl blames love rift (Karen Sharp) 4.6:3  
Bushwalker to join search 8.6:10  
Sisters found 25.6:6  
Found dead 19.7:4

## MISSING PERSONS (Con't)

Missing captain inquiry switches to Newcastle (Peter Brian Taylor) 1.9:1  
 Two crewmen missing when trawler flips 6.9:4  
 Fears for missing former Waratah man (Michael Carroll) 19.9:1  
 Missing man found (Michael Carroll) 20.9:3  
 How to avoid a watery grave 29.9:5  
 Teenagers found 1.10:5  
 Fisherman missing (Henry Grady) 22.10:3  
 Body found of skier, 25 (Graham George Rose) 29.10:3  
 Message 'not from missing sailor 31.10:10  
 Reward brings hope for son 7.11:14  
 Missing tourist alive : Guerrilla Chief (William Butler) 16.11:3  
 Anglers' body found (Mr. Peter Gray) 27.11:4  
 Three men missing off Victoria Coast 3.12:3  
 Two Aust. pilots missing 29.12:5

## MOTOR RACING

Touring cars eligible for Bathurst race 20.1:6  
 Watson misses place in motor-cycle championship field 18.2:41  
 400 K.M.H. car for Le Mans venture 2.3:16  
 Meet the milko with the fast formula (Graham Orr) 7.3:3  
 Motor Cycle Club is overwhelmed by entries 10.3:41  
 Australia has lead over U.S. 10.3:41  
 Watson leads cycle series 19.3:17  
 Thorley retains speedcar title 20.3:18  
 Motordrome changes hands after only eight months 11.4:16  
 Overseas stars to ride in Newcastle 3.5:16  
 Moffat injured in crash 14.5:1  
 Northern driver climbing to top (Warren Brown) 18.5:18  
 Hunter off-road team on line in nationals 21.6:16  
 Salt Ash driver meets toughest challenge 13.7:18  
 Off-road champ shuns sponsor 31.7:18  
 Watson rides in Bogy race 31.7:18  
 Gosford rally seeks world rating 4.8:39  
 Brook faces acid test 4.8:41  
 Record field at titles 4.8:41  
 Watson makes goal 6.8:18  
 Newcastle team a rally hope 9.8:15  
 Gosford driver wins 15.8:38  
 Hill climb challenge 29.8:31  
 Johnson plans for Bathurst 5.9:38  
 Car rally route through forests 15.9:13  
 Relax Norm there's a tonna sport on the teev 29.9:1  
 Morris roars into contention (James Hardie 1000) 29.9:42  
 Brock ends era with 1-2 finish 1.10:16  
 Commodore pair cleared as Bathurst winners 2.10:17  
 Motordrome double 4.10:18  
 North trio in six hour classic 5.10:20  
 GF driver hoping for wet track 6.10:41  
 Watson in lead of rich series 13.10:45  
 Pyne's early season form 13.10:45  
 Small machine victory 15.10:20  
 Hunter is last leg of rally 20.10:43  
 Hill climber has the form 26.10:20  
 McKew's bid to hold grand slam lead 27.10:45  
 Bates is running hot 3.11:45  
 WA Police arrest car race drivers 5.11:5  
 Motor games series at Raymond Terrace 9.11:15  
 Motordrome needs good weather 10.11:45  
 Mareno takes Grand Prix 19.11:16  
 Winther to debut BMW at Sandown 22.11:15  
 Increase in sprintcars 23.11:17  
 Off-road races at Terrace 24.11:45  
 Ransom given green light 27.11:17  
 Schuppan takes crown 28.11:41  
 Bathurst plan 24-hour race 29.11:20  
 Bond's late drive in endurance race 29.11:20  
 A comeback for the cameras (Jack Brabham) 30.11:26  
 Triple treat at motor drome 1.12:53  
 Rush meets competition 15.12:45  
 Europeans on Aussie circuit 22.12:31  
 Rehearsal for test team 22.12:33  
 Grand Prix 26.12:22  
 US team faces toughest test 29.12:29  
 Aussies win sedan test 31.12:11

## MOTOR VEHICLE INDUSTRY

Japan gives a lesson in how to make cars 14.1:2  
 Cars the first Hawke target 4.2:3  
 PM's plan for industry praised, flamed 6.2:1  
 Time to act on tariffs (Leader) 6.2:2  
 Rover and Honda in joint car deal 10.2:7  
 P.M. hints at changes to car policy 23.4:6  
 GM-H lion loses its bite 28.4:3  
 Job losses, but no price cuts yet in car plan 24.5:3  
 GM-H builds for new era 24.5:5  
 Plant would be closed : GM-H 28.5:5  
 Canberra's car plan sees fewer Australian models 29.5:3  
 Makers welcome new approach 30.5:16  
 Vehicle union differs on effect of new plan 30.5:16  
 Some car sense at long last (Leader) 30.5:2  
 8-year plan for cheaper cars 30.5:1  
 Tariff rise to boost price of 4WD's 30.5:1  
 Car plan 'risk to N.S.W. jobs' 31.5:5  
 Suspect cars given clean bill of health : Morris 25.6:6  
 Ford keeps lion's share of market 26.6:6  
 Motor-cycle ban mooted 27.6:8  
 Bikes a boost to range move 9.7:5  
 The end of the road comes for panel vans 14.7:5  
 Ford recalls bonnet part 17.7:4  
 Paper to appeal on 'secret' ruling 18.7:7  
 N.S.W. puts curbs on 'shady' car dealers 18.7:12  
 The Age appeals in GM-H case 19.7:7  
 BMW's, Alfa's, Rover's 'least reliable cars' 10.8:5  
 GM-H injunction 11.8:12  
 15,000 at Newcastle Hot Rod Show 13.8:5  
 GM-H job loss assertion attacked 17.8:8  
 Road signs will brake a speedsters heart 21.8:4  
 GM-H six cylinder engine cut no surprise to unions 22.8:16  
 State crackdown on 'dubious' car dealers 24.8:3  
 Repair industry lifts a poor game 11.9:1  
 GM-H begins stand-downs 21.9:5  
 Strike to 'close GM-H car plants' 25.9:5  
 GM-H agrees to talks with striking unions 26.9:5  
 Commodores 'fail crack tests' 5.10:5  
 Japanese cars lead fuel misers' race 9.11:5  
 Ford leads in new car registrations 16.11:7  
 Vehicle recall 18.12:5  
 'No change' on cars over Nissan 18.12:6

## MOTOR VEHICLES

Warning on vans' breaking 3.2:3  
 Writers pick new Toyota 15.2:7  
 Van safety in question 25.2:2  
 Big brother at the wheel 2.3:2  
 Four car rental firms win federal backing 26.3:3  
 High tech puts a gloss on cars 27.3:3  
 Report highlights vehicle defects 28.3:7  
 Rolls, and more, go for song 30.3:3  
 Same car, different name 5.4:2  
 Castrol brake fluid alert 19.4:6  
 It's the best van, but not for shopping 25.4:4  
 A second prize for vans 26.4:8  
 New life for the old-car business 2.5:2  
 Pensioner car fees 'a trick' 8.5:6  
 Probe into brake fluid 22.5:5  
 Van safety rules to take effect next year 30.5:7  
 Uni team aims for mileage trophy 1.6:3  
 Placing for 'fuel miser' entrant 4.6:5  
 Motorcyclists cite acne to avoid helmets 29.6:5  
 Nobody had to get out and get under 16.7:4  
 Cars 'eight times safer than bikes' 4.9:12  
 Motoring fees up 3.9:8  
 Car leaves history in its wake 3.11:5  
 Crackdown on car ads 19.11:3

## MOTOR VEHICLES - ACCIDENTS AND FATALITIES

Road deaths down by 400 2.1:1  
 Road toll now 81 as wet weather hits 3.1:3  
 Police ask for woman's aid 4.1:3  
 Leg crushed in car crash 7.1:5  
 Cyclist dies in collision 9.1:3  
 Six-car accident on Karuah Bridge 14.1:3

## MOTOR VEHICLES - ACCIDENTS AND FATALITIES (Cont'd)

1983 national road deaths lowest for 20 years 14.1:3  
 1 dead in spate of accidents 14.1:1  
 Woman, baby, sister killed 20.1:1  
 2 hurt in bridge crashes 23.1:1  
 Woman dies in accident (Marilyn MacDonald) 25.1:14  
 Scores injured after chemical drum leak 28.1:35  
 Trapped driver seriously hurt 30.1:3  
 Cyclist dies, pregnant woman hurt (Colin Dean, Denise Collins) 30.1:3  
 Seven die on roads in North 1.2:5  
 School bus, semi crash 3.2:4  
 Two killed on North roads 6.2:3  
 Man dies in cycle crash 7.2:4  
 Branxton cyclist, 72, killed in crash 13.2:3  
 Farmer killed 15.2:7  
 Poultry on road 15.2:12  
 Three escape car explosion 20.2:1  
 Leaking tanker scare at Raymond Terrace 23.2:1  
 Cyclist injured 25.2:10  
 Six killed in collision 3.3:11  
 Northern road toll rises by 3 5.3:1  
 Northern road toll stands at 15 6.3:3  
 Man dies after car hits power pole 9.3:3  
 Motorcyclist killed 10.3:12  
 Riders injured 16.3:3  
 Breath tests cut injuries 22.3:1  
 3 dead in Peats Ridge accident 22.3:1  
 Old truck driver severely injured 26.3:3  
 Broadmeadow crash heard 1km away 31.3:3  
 Two men die on roads 2.4:3  
 4 hurt in head-on smash 5.4:6  
 Woman dies in car accident at Tuggerah 6.4:4  
 2 hurt in milk van crash 11.4:9  
 Taxi driver killed in smash 16.4:3  
 Motorcyclist injured 18.4:6  
 Children hurt in crash 20.4:4  
 Boy, 13, killed in five-car pile-up 21.4:1  
 11 killed on N.S.W. roads at weekend 23.4:1  
 Boy hit by car (Jamie Quinnane) 25.4:1  
 Woman dies in smash 25.4:1  
 A lot of sanity on the roads (Leader) 27.4:2  
 Man killed in Nelson Bay crash 28.4:3  
 Smashes cost country \$3b a year 30.4:1  
 Charge over accident 30.4:3  
 Big drop in northern toll : four die in April 1.5:3  
 Pensioner hit by car dies 7.5:1  
 Motorcyclist breaks leg 7.5:3  
 16th car ends up in yard 7.5:3  
 Man killed in crash 8.5:3  
 Crash victim named (George Chifon) 9.5:6  
 Damage to house 9.5:19  
 Road deaths for April show decline 12.5:5  
 Man dies in Salt Ash crash 15.5:3  
 Cyclist hurt 16.5:7  
 10 die in two days on N.S.W. roads 16.5:11  
 6-vehicle death crash 18.5:1  
 Campaign to check toll 18.5:1  
 North road toll hits 17 in week 21.5:1  
 Experts fail to agree over road carnage 21.5:1  
 Motorists 'may be re-tested' 22.5:3  
 Drug test moves to cut N.S.W. road toll 23.5:10  
 Boy, 8, hit by car 25.5:4  
 Blackout after car hits pole 26.5:3  
 Two injured in crash 28.5:3  
 Car accident victim dies 28.5:3  
 Motorcyclist dies 29.5:5  
 Boy dies after crash 1.6:4  
 The Horror 2.6:8  
 Car driver killed near Singleton 2.6:9  
 Mayfield blacked out as car hits power pole 8.6:5  
 Steel roll kills two in car 14.6:1  
 'Freak' crash killed three 15.6:6  
 'Traffic jam' at accident 16.6:3  
 Scone man fined on nine charges after car accident 16.6:11  
 Three die on Hunter roads 18.6:1  
 Trapped for half-hour 20.6:3  
 \$219,007 to milk vendor injured on road 20.6:15  
 Motorist trapped after collision 21.6:3  
 Muldoon in accident as students protest 22.6:3  
 Two die in bike crash 25.6:1  
 8 cars in crash 27.6:7  
 Drivers badly hurt in smash 2.7:1  
 Family hurt in accident 4.7:8  
 Two killed in car crash 4.7:9  
 Three hurt in truck incident 7.7:4  
 Semi-trailer crashes into house 12.7:3  
 Women hurt in smash 16.7:3

## MOTOR VEHICLES - ACCIDENTS AND FATALITIES (Con't)

Easy chick pickings 18.7:1  
 Cyclist better (Preston Langridge) 23.7:3  
 Fruit truck blocks highway 23.7:3  
 Motorcyclist injured 24.7:1  
 20 hurt in bus accident 24.7:3  
 Run for help 25.7:5  
 Man killed, family hurt 25.7:9  
 Man struck by truck, dies 26.7:4  
 Hamilton accident : six hurt 27.7:1  
 Driver killed 2.8:6  
 Ute crash 2.8:6  
 Detectives hurt 3.8:4  
 Motorcyclist killed at Teralba 10.8:5  
 Man dies in accident (Graham Telfer) 16.8:4  
 Street fatality in Cardiff 17.8:3  
 Women dies in by-pass smash 18.8:4  
 Accidents on N.S.W. roads claim 11 20.8:3  
 Passenger killed 25.8:1  
 Jammed bridge stopped help for woman 27.8:1  
 Woman dies 29.8:1  
 Girl dies after freak accident 29.8:7  
 Truck crash kills man 1.9:3  
 Women injured as car hit pole 3.9:3  
 Car crash injures family of four 5.9:3  
 Rider dies under car 7.9:3  
 Edgeworth death : two charges 10.9:3  
 Victorian horror smash kills six 17.9:3  
 Driver, 23, killed 20.9:5  
 Road death 21.9:7  
 Seven die on N.S.W. roads 24.9:3  
 Shoal Bay death 27.9:4  
 Driver out of fatal car accident 28.9:1  
 Four injured in crash 29.9:5  
 Girl, 15, killed at bus stop 2.10:1  
 Runaway truck narrowly misses woman 4.10:3  
 Road closed by collision 5.10:4  
 Rain, diesel spill closes roads 6.10:3  
 Cyclist dies 6.10:5  
 Collision survivor is stable 8.10:3  
 Man killed 9.10:3  
 Crash injury 9.10:6  
 Two cars collide 10.10:10  
 Runaway car kills 2, rezes Bulli house 17.10:3  
 Friends in fatal bike crash 18.10:1  
 Driver hurt as car flips 19.10:3  
 Three die on roads in north during weekend 22.10:3  
 Incinerated driver still not identified 24.10:4  
 Tractor death (Tamara Bouwmeester) 24.10:4  
 5 car pile up 24.10:3  
 Mayfield hit and run plea 25.10:7  
 Traffic delayed 30.10:8  
 Road death 3.11:3  
 Six cars in crash 3.11:3  
 Doctor among weekend toll (Dr. Peter Gerald Thompson) 5.11:3  
 20 cattle killed 7.11:10  
 Crash names (Mary Leanne Butler & Karen Feasby) 9.11:4  
 Four die in valley smash 14.11:1  
 Names of accident dead 15.11:4  
 Law blamed after beach accident 15.11:1  
 Mix-up meant no signs 16.11:5  
 R Terrace road death 19.11:1  
 Woman killed 20.11:3  
 Driver for trial after death of two 21.11:5  
 10 killed on N.S.W. roads 26.11:1  
 Man killed (Youssef Haddad) 28.11:4  
 Car crash 'move home' 30.11:4  
 Man injured in car crash 12.12:3  
 Bus driver trapped 12.12:8  
 Man killed at Singleton 12.12:20  
 Boy hit by car 12.12:21  
 Houses, cars hit by truck 14.12:7  
 Truckdriver injured 21.12:3  
 Three hurt in crash 21.12:5  
 Couple killed in north road accident 24.12:1  
 Holidays bring black road toll in north 26.12:1  
 Forty survive bus drama 28.12:4  
 Boy killed 28.12:5  
 Mother, baby survive crash 29.12:1  
 Four hurt in crash 29.12:5

## MOUNTAIN CLIMBING

Aust team set to assault Everest 30.7:7  
 Australians at Everest summit 6.10:5  
 Two Australians die on Mt. Everest (Bred From & Craig Nottle) 10.10:3

## MURDER

Murder charge 2.1:5  
 Argument 'led to stabbing' 5.1:5  
 Man, 70, on wife murder charge 7.1:29  
 Hopes for Lindy's freedom fading 20.1:3  
 Husband 'threatened to kill' 21.1:9  
 Robbery murder motive 23.1:6  
 Prisoner offers murder reward 23.1:5  
 Man for trial over jug cord murder 8.2:4  
 Police identify naked body (Lisa Parsons) 11.2:1  
 Police, father call for help in murder (Lisa Parsons) 13.2:3  
 No sign of dead girl's clothing (Lisa Parsons) 14.2:3  
 Murdered girl seen at street corner (Lisa Parsons) 15.2:1  
 Screams might be murder hunt clue 16.2:3  
 Man tells of Mr. Asia deaths link 16.2:4  
 Sister 'knew of Mr Asia link' 17.2:6  
 Watch find clouds murder search (Lisa Parsons) 17.2:3  
 On the track of the Cockle Creek killer 18.2:1  
 Hunt for Maitland killer 20.2:1  
 Hunt for killers widens 22.2:3  
 3 men face Mackay death charges 22.2:9  
 Chamberlains fight on to clear name 23.2:1  
 Time for Azaria case to end (Leader) 23.2:2  
 Kirk murder forensic results today 23.2:4  
 Chamberlain sentences stand 23.2:6  
 Friends vow to continue the fight 23.2:6  
 Girls set parents alight : Police 25.2:3  
 Murder squad to check vehicles 25.2:5  
 Parents join 'free Lindy' campaign 28.2:5  
 Singlet 'no lead' in inquiry (Lisa Parsons) 28.2:7  
 Stabbed woman 'still loves boy' 1.3:3  
 N.T. throws out Azaria conspiracy theory 1.3:4  
 Truth drug evidence reopens murder case 2.3:3  
 Professor keeps seal on 'new' Azaria evidence 2.3:3  
 Meeting called on Azaria case 3.3:10  
 Row 'led to shooting' 3.3:11  
 Man tells of terror over 'axe threat' 6.3:5  
 Jury acquits man of friend's murder 7.3:1  
 Dingo 'can take baby' 7.3:5  
 Couple arrested at court on murder count 8.3:1  
 Man, 18, found slain in shed at beach 8.3:3  
 Azaria coffin claim row 9.3:1  
 Homicide squad to follow shows 9.3:5  
 Murder remand 9.3:5  
 Man remanded over wounding 9.3:6  
 Punishment not befitting the crime 10.3:2  
 Girl 'was beaten by chain' 10.3:3  
 Boy, 14, gets six years for stabbing 10.3:5  
 Maitland murder : a young girl's last steps 17.3:1  
 Husband cleaned up as wife lay bleeding 17.3:3  
 Azaria's father 'doubted if there was God' 29.3:3  
 Pardon plea in Azaria case 31.3:1  
 Important lead in A.C.T. murders 2.4:3  
 'No pardon requested' on Azaria 3.4:5  
 Two blows killed horse trainer (George Brown) 4.4:1  
 Azaria evidence defended 4.4:3  
 Policeman, 20, shot by heroin addict 5.4:4  
 Death threat made to trainer's friend 6.4:4  
 Pastor resigned 'to fight emotion' 7.4:1  
 'Racing game link' to death 10.4:5  
 3 remanded on Mackay count 10.4:5  
 No motive found in blazing car murder 11.4:15  
 Trainer 'received threatening calls' 12.4:7  
 Maitland Show murder arrest 'near' 13.4:3  
 Licence bid for Mrs. Chamberlain 13.4:7  
 Murder suspect to be freed 16.4:1  
 Four men face Lanarch death charges 17.4:5  
 'Too drunk to recall events' 17.4:1  
 Cabinet to discuss Chamberlain bid 18.4:5  
 Man remanded on death 18.4:8  
 Murder of man 'by wife' 19.4:7  
 Couple to face trial over husband 20.4:3  
 Six dead in 'murder-suicide' 27.4:1  
 Inquest, hearing on beach death 27.4:5  
 120,000 back move to free Lindy 4.5:4  
 Woman, 33, charged over death 7.5:1  
 Two men tortured in mafia style killings 8.5:1  
 Woman 'went to kill herself' 8.5:1  
 Car sought in river killings 9.5:5  
 Innocent bystander shot, died : QC 9.5:8  
 River killers 'may have returned to Melbourne in victims' car' 10.5:5  
 Boyfriend fell to floor in middle of dance, witness tells murder trial 10.5:5

## MURDER (Con't)

Two men 'rolled' at beach, court told 11.5:4  
 Five years jail really three 11.5:4  
 Man 'seen carrying rifle outside hotel after sound of shot' 11.5:5  
 Man charged on shotgun blasts 11.5:8  
 Trial jury bent away 12.5:10  
 Newsmen jostled at funeral 15.5:4  
 Woman admitted firing rifle, court told 15.5:8  
 Woman 'said she fired shot' 16.5:14  
 Accused 'could not have fired rifle' 17.5:6  
 Judge sums-up in murder trial 18.5:5  
 Murder case proved 19.5:5  
 Court told woman said man would live 22.5:10  
 Man didn't know why he shot best mate 22.5:4  
 Boxer given life for murder 9.6:11  
 Azaria inquiry Bill in senate 15.6:4  
 Family killed 'because of money worries' 26.6:6  
 Life term for murder 27.6:1  
 Retarded boy, 15, found murdered 27.6:13  
 Appeal on murder allowed (James Finch) 29.6:4  
 Newsmen 'murdered' 2.7:1  
 Police to reopen murder inquiry 3.7:1  
 WA brothel deaths murder-suicide, Police say 3.7:4  
 Farmer on trial over death of lad 14 3.7:6  
 Police lack leads in hunt for killer 5.7:3  
 Farm death verdict 6.7:6  
 Women 'killed to stop screaming' (Barry Whiteoak) 18.7:4  
 Man on murder charge and 'knocked out' (Barry Whiteoak) 19.7:4  
 Vic murder victim 'cut from throat to groin' 20.7:6  
 Shot baby boy a mystery 23.7:3  
 Calling of boy witness upsets defence counsel 24.7:4  
 Wife denies having loaded death weapon 25.7:7  
 Jury in murder trial discharged 26.7:4  
 Woman 'upset before slaying' 27.7:5  
 Girl, 10, stabbed to death 31.7:3  
 Doctor 'told killers name' 31.7:5  
 Man 'accused 2 of murder' 1.8:5  
 Woman 'loaded weapon' 1.8:6  
 Life, 25 years for murder of chemist 1.8:8  
 Youth on murder charge 1.8:12  
 Murder charge 2.8:1  
 New lead check in Maitland murder 2.8:4  
 Splatt walks free after six years in SA jail 3.8:3  
 Youth, 17, remanded 3.8:6  
 Doctor doubts 'truth drug' 8.8:14  
 Hearing date set (Lisa Gay Parsons) 10.8:4  
 Prive death room recreated in court 10.8:6  
 Baby escapes Bell double slaying (John Murray) 11.8:3  
 Wife 'had reasons to kill' 11.8:12  
 Men, woman dead in domestic row 13.8:3  
 Mrs Price 'lied to protect herself' 14.8:7  
 Inquiry into shooting ends with pardon call 15.8:11  
 Manhunt switches to city environs 17.8:4  
 Review of Azaria evidence needed 17.8:5  
 Man on prison stabbing counts 29.8:5  
 Youth for trial 31.8:5  
 Sexual assault theory in elderly womens murder 1.9:12  
 Seven die in shoot-out 3.9:1  
 Drugs, pub feud basis for bikies' shootout 4.9:1  
 De facto 'shot after tales of other men' 11.9:4  
 Bail refused to bikie shootout 11.9:4  
 Man, 33, found guilty of murder 12.9:6  
 Suspects body found (John Murray) 13.9:1  
 Bikies : 'blind eye' by Police 13.9:5  
 Kill charge adjourned 13.9:6  
 Youth may have died recently (John Murray) 14.9:5  
 'Jealousy' theory in shootings 15.9:3  
 Trainer upset over race 15.9:5  
 Family 'had more time for dogs than sons' 15.9:5  
 Doubt cast on Azaria blood evidence 17.9:5  
 Four-year bond for stabbing death 20.9:7  
 Police rapped on deaths suspect 20.9:14  
 Slain man 'the wrong victim' 21.9:3  
 'Ground rules ignored' in bikie battle 22.9:3  
 Newcastle boxer on murder charge (Phillip McElwaine) 24.9:3  
 Freed man to talk on Azaria 25.9:6  
 Life sentences for 2 killers of elderly men 25.9:7  
 Reward set for Show killer 25.9:7

## MURDER (Con't)

Killer hired : de facto 26.9:4  
 Police fear reprisals court told (Bikie massacre) 26.9:8  
 Drug man feared for safety : witness 27.9:5  
 Teacher in scissor attack 2.10:5  
 Boy on murder charge 2.10:6  
 Crown evidence rejected 3.10:15  
 'Witch brand' alleged (Lindy Chamberlain) 4.10:3  
 Informer 'offered top crime job' 4.10:5  
 Sentencing deferred over Mr Asia, Mackay murders 5.10:4  
 Witness tells of Mr Asia links 6.10:5  
 Knife a clue to murder 8.10:1  
 Knife murder clue found 8.10:3  
 Man, 21, charged 8.10:6  
 Murderer man kill again 9.10:3  
 Jail for conspiracy to kill 9.10:5  
 Penrith hearing set (Bandidos & Comancheros) 9.10:8  
 Witness 'took money to Swiss Bank' 10.10:15  
 Witness 'kept Mackay's appointment' 11.10:6  
 Relatives of charged man declared hostile 13.10:12  
 Youth, 15, 'drugged five weeks', killed 16.10:6  
 Inquest told of 'his & mine' letters (Elizabeth Dixon murder) 17.10:1  
 Bush skeleton still mystery 17.10:3  
 Witness 'middle man' in killing 17.10:13  
 Search for woman's strangler intensifies 19.10:1  
 Murder appeals rejected 19.10:5  
 Murderer could be released (Kevin Gary Crump) 20.10:1  
 Man dragged under car 20.10:5  
 Murder charge 23.10:5  
 Trimbole to return 'to clear name' 23.10:10  
 Court packed for bikie hearing 24.10:14  
 Minister says Crump to stay in jail 24.10:1  
 Crime family head named 25.10:1  
 Trimbole arrest 'needs big effort' 25.10:3  
 Charge of murder 25.10:3  
 Murder charge (David John McLennen) 25.10:6  
 Convicted killer 'born again christian' (Kevin Crump) 26.10:1  
 Trimbole 'will be brought back' 27.10:1  
 Irish home was Trimbole plan 29.10:6  
 3 Trimbole sittings 30.10:5  
 Trimbole legal move 31.10:5  
 Trimbole lawyers' witness bid fails 2.11:13  
 Bazley sent for trial on drug couriers' deaths 2.11:13  
 Chamberlain rejects baby rumour 3.11:3  
 Trimbole lawyers refused review 3.11:5  
 Trimbole helped people 5.11:1  
 Retrial on NT truck deaths 5.11:6  
 Accountant given life for murder 6.11:4  
 Boy 'rolled stunned girl into creek' 6.11:6  
 Chamberlain complaint on Foster rumour 6.11:8  
 Youth, seventeen, found guilty over girl's murder (Lisa Gay Parsons) 7.11:1  
 In custody 7.11:12  
 Couple 'planned to kill woman's husband' 8.11:1  
 Milperra woman charged 8.11:4  
 Girl, 6, raped, killed, dumped in gutter 8.11:5  
 Wife gets life jail term for murder 9.11:1  
 Police seek car after shooting 9.11:3  
 1961 murder charge for woman 9.11:4  
 Man sought for murder 12.11:5  
 Murder inquiry (Leslie Larkin) 12.11:13  
 Bikies' death battle 'plan' 13.11:5  
 Jury told to acquit man of murder charge 14.11:3  
 Evidence immunity 14.11:5  
 Murder hearing 14.11:16  
 Witness doubt in bikie deaths hearing 15.11:5  
 Men deny beach murder 15.11:5  
 'Kill em' cry from bikie gang leader 16.11:7  
 Man says he had second fight at beach 16.11:7  
 Four guilty of beach murder 17.11:3  
 Bail granted in murder case 17.11:12  
 Bikies 'voted for war' 20.11:9  
 Man charged with Lismore murder 21.11:7  
 Problems delay 42 bikies' case 21.11:12  
 Mother pleads with gunman to surrender 22.11:5  
 Murder charge 23.11:5  
 'Armed entry' on bikie club 23.11:5  
 Man charged with Guaros' murder 25.11:16  
 Bikie 'made up attack story' 27.11:4  
 Police in plot, bikie hearing told 28.11:6  
 Crown witness 'using blocking device' 29.11:6  
 Bikies 'had party set up for kids' 30.11:5  
 Body found in SA bush 3.12:5  
 Man sought for Dixon inquest evidence 6.12:1  
 14 years jail for murder of girl (Lisa Parsons) 6.12:4

## MURDER (Con't)

Police find inquest witness 7.12:3  
 Cord and wire 'used in attack' 7.12:4  
 Hunter Police van's role in bikies case 7.12:6  
 Murder by car alleged : man, 18, for trial 8.12:1  
 New inquiry into murder 8.12:4  
 Youth sent for trial 8.12:4  
 Man jailed on death of boy, 2 8.12:5  
 Life jail for mattock killer 14.12:4  
 Coast man gets 10 years for murder 15.12:3  
 Woman killed 17.12:1  
 Man, 21, charged with murder 18.12:1  
 Leader of Newcastle Beach murder gets life 19.12:3  
 Remand on death charge 19.12:16  
 Bikies' bail ruling today 20.12:4  
 Bikies refused bail 21.12:7  
 'Evidence lacking' in murder charges 29.12:4  
 \$800 'for part in murder' 29.12:5

## MURPHY, LIONEL

Opposition probes Murphy, Wran tapes 'link' 16.8:3  
 'Not guilty' report expected on Murphy 17.8:4  
 Murphy issues tape challenge 27.8:1  
 New Murphy options 28.8:4  
 Cabinet to consider Murphy options 3.9:8  
 Judge caught in a bind 3.9:8  
 Negotiations opened over Murphy stance 4.9:3  
 Opposition to move on Murphy 5.9:1  
 Murphy to face two new inquiries 6.9:1  
 Caucus to vote on Murphy inquiries 7.9:3  
 Labor to join Murphy inquiry 8.9:5  
 QC balks a concurrent Murphy inquiry 11.9:3  
 ALP set to accede over Murphy inquiry 12.9:4  
 ALP accepts senate probe of Murphy allegations 13.9:5  
 MP urged to quit Murphy hearing 25.9:4  
 Old foes unite against inquiry 25.9:8  
 New inquiry on N.S.W. judge 27.9:3  
 Senate warned on Murphy 2.10:4  
 Murphy 'link to conspiracy' 6.10:1  
 Murphy 'conspiracy' 6.10:13  
 Naming him villainy by Breise : Wran 6.10:13  
 Ryan denial of charge 10.10:1  
 Bowen flays senate quiz 10.10:1  
 Ryan says criminal conspiracy charge, 'absolute nonsense' 10.10:4  
 Foord's aid asked for 11.10:3  
 Senators accept Bowens apologies 11.10:3  
 'No ties' with Murphy 12.10:3  
 Police concerned over Ryan trial delay : MP 12.10:3  
 Allegations made by Breise 'not contested' 13.10:4  
 No plans to join senate inquiry : Wran 15.10:3  
 Allegations about judge rubbish : QC 15.10:3  
 Times Report 'a serious contempt' 18.10:4  
 Finding a 'judicial blow' 18.10:5  
 Murphy findings out in three weeks 19.10:6  
 Press council lashes out over finding 26.10:3  
 Murphy hearing report split 31.10:1  
 Murphy vows to fight 1.11:1  
 Question mark on CSM : Wran 1.11:1  
 Findings relief : Breise 1.11:1  
 Lawyers call for non-party vote on Murphy 3.11:3  
 Murphy 'should resign' 26.11:7  
 Chaney attacks over Murphy 6.12:3  
 Murphy for trial on Ryan affair 14.12:1  
 Two senate inquiries on judge 14.12:6  
 Murphy lashes out at 'trial by media' 17.12:1

## MURRURUNDI SHIRE COUNCIL

Murrurundi Council suspends engineer 24.5:1  
 Engineer quits Council 19.6:3

## MUSEUMS

Tourism plan for disused Walka Waterworks 28.1:10  
 RAAF's open days aid museum 4.2:10  
 RAAF Museum takes off 10.2:5  
 Meeting on Heritage Centre 11.2:23  
 Air Open Day helps create museum 13.2:3  
 \$104,000 for mine project 24.3:6  
 Work for 8 with museum grant 2.5:8  
 Museum plan for Stroud 12.5:23  
 Observatory to be museum 30.7:6  
 Report backs Stockton Tram Museum 31.7:3  
 Anniversary for Faferson Museum 8.9:13

## MUSEUMS (Con't)

NCC 'interested' in museum 12.9:3  
 Museum's contents for auction 6.11:3  
 Aid needed for City to buy relics 14.11:4  
 Regional museum plan for City 22.11:1  
 Military Museum buy criticised 26.11:5  
 Paddle-steamer for museum 1.12:22  
 Newcastle offered Spitfire 3.12:5

## MUSIC AND ARTS

Band breaks a 95-year Californian record (Marching Koalas) 2.1:5  
 Parade proves a triumph for the Koalas 4.1:1  
 Million people watch 95th rose parade 4.1:5  
 Koalas gain City's plaudits 5.1:3  
 Koalas begin their triumphant march home from U.S. 9.1:1  
 Koalas home, now the world wants them 11.1:1  
 Striking a chord 11.1:2  
 Lord Mayoral welcome for Marching Koalas 12.1:5  
 Wran calls for music bowl 16.1:7  
 New attempt to form orchestra 23.1:4  
 2NC to launch jazz record 26.1:5  
 40,000 fans tipped for rock concert 28.1:5  
 Tamworth's song of year award to Adelaide band 30.1:5  
 Exhilarating vintage jazz at a winery 30.1:4  
 Koalas keep time with reputation 30.1:3  
 Rain puts damper on a peaceful Narara 30.1:1  
 Pipe band scoops sectional pool 31.1:5  
 Koalas miss Lake's big day 31.1:1  
 Narara more a squelch out than freak out 31.1:1  
 Verbal booking on Koalas date : Tsousis 1.2:3  
 Surprise win by country duo 1.2:4  
 Expulsion threat to Koalas alleged 2.2:1  
 Koalas and cool heads (Leader) 2.2:2  
 Violins are a labour of love 3.2:3  
 The day when Holly's music lives again 4.2:10  
 Koala plaques 15.2:25  
 Reception for Koalas 16.2:5  
 Conductor to seek orchestra talent (Hunter Orchestra) 22.2:10  
 Quite a bit short of tenderness (Divinyls) 23.2:8  
 No conflicting emotions over Split Enz : a masterpiece 24.2:6  
 Mondo Rock shows how to keep the fans buzzing 25.2:9  
 A rich feast from the key board 5.3:4  
 Prestigious test for young musicians 6.3:4  
 Style, energy from Pointer Sisters 13.3:8  
 Koalas free 14.3:15  
 Oil poured forth rock with power (Midnight Oil) 15.3:11  
 Conductor sets off on drive for recruits (Hunter Orchestra) 16.3:4  
 A parade of musical virtues 16.3:5  
 Pub jazz with a New Orleans accent 16.3:5  
 Four works by quartet 19.3:14  
 Presentation improved as program developed 26.3:11  
 Music as poetry 9.4:4  
 10 cancer victims to benefit from Blue Light Disco's \$2,500 cheque 11.4:5  
 Prosaic utterances blemish S.S.O. concert 12.4:5  
 Jazz in a most spectacular way 19.4:4  
 Band hopes for hat trick 20.4:4  
 Hunter bands strike success 23.4:3  
 A quality performance hard to excel 23.4:4  
 A debut with promise from a fine trio 30.4:6  
 Con students' sense of occasion stifled 4.5:4  
 December start likely for Hunter Orchestra 7.5:10  
 High note for band (Marching Koalas) 9.5:11  
 \$15,000 a Tip-Top prize for Koala 12.5:9  
 Fine concert, but small audience 14.5:7  
 Surprising musical treat 19.5:5  
 A civil, serene string concert 28.5:13  
 Originality and contrast in absorbing recital 4.6:5  
 Music festival begins 5.6:6  
 Castanets to go with a sparkle 6.6:3  
 Nostalgia directs minstrel show 6.6:4  
 Individual works shown in perfect harmony 6.6:18  
 Thousands flock to music festivals 11.6:5  
 Felicitous strings 19.6:4  
 Castanets raise \$25,000 for trip 21.6:5  
 Australian pianist to perform in Newcastle 27.6:23  
 Telecast for concert (Boy George) 4.7:6

## MUSIC AND ARTS (Con't)

Redgum forms its own Party Boys 6.7:7  
 Pipe band entertains at ball 9.7:6  
 Choir on show at successful Lake concert 9.7:10  
 Orchestra (Melbourne Philharmonic) 13.7:6  
 Koalas invited to New Orleans 14.7:4  
 Nova explodes on City's choral horizon 16.7:5  
 Lake band success at school festival 16.7:5  
 Instrument was made to speak 17.7:5  
 Marching Koalas not going to U.S. 19.7:6  
 Split Enz to part at the end of the year 25.7:9  
 Newcastle Workies cures those mid-week blues 27.7:12  
 Musical success 30.7:5  
 Morrison sets out a hearty meal of jazz 1.8:12  
 Fragments of a woman's life an entertaining two hours 2.8:6  
 Concert change a contemptuous affront 3.8:15  
 Program change criticism 'justified' 4.8:3  
 Band runs second (Police Citizens Boys Club Band) 6.8:4  
 Technical mastery and sensitivity 9.8:5  
 Still plenty of puff in magic dragon 9.8:5  
 City bands score well in contest (Police Citizens Boys Club) 9.8:9  
 Military tattoo in September 9.8:9  
 Concert to blend talents 13.8:5  
 Dvorak work served well at Great Hall 13.8:7  
 An ecumenical packages in a lovely setting 17.8:8  
 Tickling the mink-&-tiara funny-bone 18.8:3  
 Headbangers' herds hit 18.8:12  
 Concert series at Hunter schools 18.8:13  
 Maitland choirs take top honours 20.8:5  
 Boys Club Band puts on a show 20.8:5  
 Angels still fly high in Newcastle's eyes 23.8:4  
 A middle-of-the-road rendition of America's hits 24.8:10  
 Band wins 12th title 27.8:4  
 Credentials accepted (The Western Australian String Quartet) 27.8:10  
 Old focs turn their act into a dud 8.9:1  
 Mattara ends on a high note 10.9:1  
 A musical adornment 10.9:6  
 Wind quintet players of world class (Sydney Wind Quintet) 11.9:6  
 Careful and sensitive performance (Sequoia String Quartet) 11.9:6  
 Soprano proves her operatic talent 19.9:10  
 Aboriginal choir 21.9:5  
 Castanets back to City in triumph 21.9:7  
 State brass band titles in Maitland 22.9:14  
 Band contest stops the town 24.9:6  
 Tattoo attracts good from near and far 24.9:7  
 Youth rally to feature free bands 26.9:7  
 Don McLean's bold plea for musical sense 1.10:7  
 Band at fete 3.10:10  
 Kahibah victory in brass band contest 8.10:5  
 A recital without interruption 8.10:9  
 Ensemble charms musica viva audience 8.10:9  
 Alcohol ban will not stop rock concert 10.10:15  
 Works rub shoulders uneasily 15.10:10  
 Trio's web ensnares Bach's brilliance 15.10:10  
 Cuts for theatre, ballet, criticised 18.10:5  
 Romantic evocations (John Winther - Pianist) 18.10:5  
 Alchemy from Fremaux (Conductor for S.S.O. - Sydney Symphony Orchestra) 19.10:4  
 Young musicians show skills for Lake society (Youth in concert) 22.10:6  
 Concert fulfills any expectations 25.10:4  
 Crowd disappoint rock event organisers 29.10:4  
 Pledglings get their wings signed 3.11:13  
 ABC series exists on high note 6.11:12  
 Good, evil to music 7.11:40  
 Official denies pressure on band 13.11:1  
 Centre maybe venue for live music 28.11:3  
 Choir sings hard for new piano 10.12:4  
 Festive concert cheers Hunter elderly 13.12:6  
 Park locale chosen for this year's carols concert 19.12:3

## MUSWELLBROOK SHIRE COUNCIL

Muswellbrook 'faring coal downturn well' 4.1:13  
 Rezoning deferred 15.5:6  
 Jobling defeats opponent 13.9:3  
 \$550,000 to Shire Council 19.11:4

## MYALL LAKES

Myall R. festival success 8.3:16  
 Festival a big success 12.3:5  
 New Myall Lakes charter firm 8.9:40  
 Myall Lakes plan 'unacceptable' 9.10:4  
 Parks group seeks plan go-ahead 15.10:8  
 Authority may seek Myall plan say 20.10:3  
 Port will fight Lake boat ban 24.10:3  
 Myall Lakes upset increases 31.10:5  
 Myall plan seen as '\$50m blow to tourism' 10.11:1  
 Jones denies Myall body support 12.11:9  
 Groups wind up Myall Lakes fight 15.11:4  
 Survey shows big Myall loss 3.12:4  
 Myall study in Uni school 5.12:16  
 Call for action on Lakes fight 7.12:7  
 Maitlands view on Myall Lakes 12.12:11  
 Power boats 'not banned on Myall' 12.12:21  
 Myall plan appeal 17.12:5

## NATIONAL CRIME AUTHORITY

Crime body 'ineffective' 8.2:5  
 Costigan transfer a delicate matter for A.L.P. 12.3:1  
 Packer plea : hold crime hearings in private 14.3:8  
 More power likely for crime boy 17.4:14  
 Illness might delay hearing 12.5:9  
 Judge attacks Chief Justice 20.7:5  
 Stewart to step down in crimes row 21.7:1  
 Stewart to become Judge in ACT 24.7:4  
 Transition not working : Costigan 5.9:4  
 Relations strained on crime body takeover 7.9:3  
 Young backs crime stance 24.9:11  
 Crime authority's powers are adequate : Justice Stewart 27.9:5  
 Judge to report on Age tapes 12.12:9  
 Stewart rejects need for powers 14.12:3

## NATIONAL HEALTH SCHEMES

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 Expanded Health Insurance Scheme 'possible' 9.1:1  
 No plans to extend Medicare : Blewett 10.1:3  
 Fee rise to cost medicare \$85m 11.1:5  
 Medicare 'will force 3500 out' 13.1:4  
 Health funds table new rates 14.1:1  
 MBF 20% cheaper after Medicare 17.1:3  
 New medical rules 18.1:4  
 Knives go in over Medicare bills battle 19.1:1  
 New scheme will aid Australians 28.1:6  
 Qld stalls on Medicare 24.1:3  
 Medicare 'peace offer' rejected by AMA 25.1:1  
 People 'want' ambulance cover 26.1:3  
 Face-saver for Qld 27.1:4  
 Qld backs away on Medicare 30.1:1  
 Confusion reigns for many as Medicare bows in 1.2:1  
 Medicare here to stay 1.2:1  
 No bulk billing change in Lower Hunter 2.2:1  
 Medicare begins 'without a hitch' 2.2:5  
 AMA change of attitude 6.2:5  
 Hospitals facing specialist 'crisis' 7.2:1  
 Hospitals get high rating for rebates 7.2:4  
 Medicare hotline service at RNH 11.2:12  
 Medicare 'will cut payments' 13.2:4  
 Medibank private lifts Qld rates 14.2:7  
 Doctors to join inquiry 17.2:5  
 RNH to permit choice of doctor 17.2:5  
 Warning over Liberal appeal 20.2:4  
 Long-stay patients prone to Medicare scrutiny 21.2:3  
 New electoral legislation proclaimed 22.2:13  
 Specialists warned 25.2:3  
 The 'wild men of medicine' plan ban for N.S.W. 27.2:3  
 Medicare battle (Leader) 28.2:2  
 Specialists will quit 1.3:1  
 Contracts at RNH held despite 'quittings' 2.3:3  
 Doctors 'think about' Hawke peace formula 5.3:4  
 Premier set to sign pact 5.3:4  
 Queensland signs with Medicare 6.3:6  
 Price control threat in Medicare 7.3:14  
 Medicare 'costly' for mentally ill, aged 7.3:19  
 Medical bodies deliver strike threats 12.3:5  
 The Medicare battle (Leader) 13.3:2  
 Doctors dig in as row on contracts widens 13.3:1  
 Doctors in N.S.W. to go on strike 14.3:3  
 Peace plan for Medicare 15.3:3

## NATIONAL HEALTH SCHEMES (Con't)

Professionals don't strike, says doctor 15.3:3  
 Doctors 'unethical' 19.3:3  
 Doctors move to form trade union 20.3:4  
 Medicare law bent to help patients 21.3:5  
 Blewett firm on hospital guidelines 22.3:8  
 AMA dispute escalates 23.3:1  
 Further doctors' strikes likely 24.3:4  
 250 doctors to strike 27.3:3  
 Hunter health fund clerks' jobs 'safe' 27.3:6  
 Peace bid on medicare 28.3:7  
 More strikes loom in Medicare row 29.3:1  
 Doctor 'did not fix broken leg' 29.3:1  
 The AMA plays Oliver Twist (Leader) 30.3:2  
 Minister chides hospital doctors 30.3:4  
 Doctors 'want even tougher action' 2.4:3  
 Register plan for bulk-bill doctors 4.4:9  
 Doctors move to end dispute 7.4:10  
 Doctors to decide if strike should go on 9.4:5  
 Bulk-billing union list 13.4:7  
 RNH private intake down 27.4:5  
 Health firms 'refusing to cover aged' 30.4:7  
 Package health deals 'not on' 1.5:4  
 Medicare blamed for NIB sackings 2.5:4  
 Doctors quit hospital 18.5:1  
 Medicare adds to surgery waiting lists : Carlton 19.5:3  
 Doctor draws fire from unions (Bulk billing) 21.5:1  
 A medical battle (Leader) 22.5:2  
 Hospital future 'threatened by Medicare' 28.5:3  
 Mulock attacks doctors 28.5:3  
 Mulock slams surgeons over threat 29.5:5  
 Surgeons in Hunter not resigning 1.6:3  
 Consumer body warns on Medicare changes 26.6:5  
 Medicare slugged 1.10:3  
 Mulock blasts surgeons' group 2.10:4  
 New method may solve 'doctor-of-choice bind' 2.10:6  
 Minister 'should resign' over inquiry 12.10:1  
 MBF brushes up its image 13.10:13  
 Doctors quit threat 'political' 15.10:1  
 Pathology giants received \$36m in 3 months 29.10:1  
 Coalition would scrap Medicare 30.10:1  
 Medifraud sleuths row 5.11:1  
 Mediator rejected in Medicare dispute 6.11:3  
 Surgeons to meet on health talks 10.11:5  
 Blewett rejects funds' concern 12.11:3  
 Medicare levy 'topped up from taxes' 14.11:10  
 Blewett rejects any Medicare changes 16.11:3  
 Surgeons : medichaos 17.11:4  
 Maitland doctors go too far : Walsh 17.11:4  
 Newcastle doctors lead trickle back 20.11:1  
 Surgeons warn on medical 'collision' 26.11:3  
 Valley doctors' test case looms 27.11:1  
 Doctors : new resignations expected 5.12:3  
 Surgeons begin to strangle hospitals in north 10.12:1  
 Doctors : the effects become clear 11.12:6  
 Doctors put peace plan 12.12:5  
 Doctors to consider proposals 19.12:6  
 Greiner urges rejection of health fee rise 31.12:3

## NATIONAL PARKS AND RESERVES

Rainforest parks doubled in size 25.1:3  
 Mixed reaction over national park move 27.1:6  
 Alunite mine now a park 13.2:5  
 New minister opens restored area 13.2:5  
 No loss of jobs in expansion of northern national parks 23.2:7  
 Barrington Tops campaign 17.3:12  
 N.S.W. rainforest parks to be put on heritage list 23.3:6

## NATIONAL PARTY

Groundwork laid for merger 2.1:3  
 Merger by Libs, N.P. certain : Greiner 3.1:6  
 Liberal - National Party merger (Leader) 3.1:2  
 Sinclair likely to be elected unopposed 6.1:5  
 Qld politician in Ballot 10.1:8  
 Doubts over Sinclair's leadership 13.1:1  
 MacPhee warns on Lib-Nat merger 14.1:33  
 Lusher will try to beat Sinclair 17.1:1  
 Tarnished perhaps, but no radical (Sinclair) 18.1:1  
 New N.P. leader will fight to clear name 18.1:1  
 A party without an alternative (Leader) 18.1:2  
 Gee to fight Maitland for Nationals 13.3:3  
 National candidates for north 22.2:3  
 Nationals to contest seats in City areas 25.6:3

## NATIONAL SAFETY COUNCIL

Parade begins Safety Week 11.10:4  
Displays mark Safety Week 15.10:10

## NATIONAL TRUST

New Hunter Trust head 15.9:4

## NATURAL GAS

Williamstown to join gas line 6.4:5  
Natural gas turned on in Maitland 8.5:5

## N.B.N. LTD.

N.B.N. float goes 'into limb' 3.10:1  
N.B.N. 'gets 25% of P.N.G. television' 18.10:1  
N.B.N. to stay in band spot 13.12:5

## NETBALL

Group wants park work stopped 25.1:7  
250 debate future of National Park netball courts 1.2:13  
State gives \$90,000 towards all-weather netball courts 2.2:18  
Park battle goes on 3.2:6  
The proper use of parkland (Leader) 4.2:2  
Park work goes ahead, but residents continue fight 4.2:4  
Park admirers step up their campaign 6.2:4  
Playground loas 'not foreseen' 7.2:3  
Netball plans go ahead 8.2:1  
Predictable reaction to netball vote 9.2:3  
Hockey year 'threatened' (Netball courts) 10.2:16  
How the aldermen voted on netball courts (Drainage) 10.2:5  
Injunction sought to stop courts 14.2:1  
Solicitor will press on with courts fight 15.2:3  
Park fight continues 20.2:5  
Picnic for a park 22.2:32  
\$50,000 grant to aid netball 25.2:11  
Leaflet will add fuel to fiery council 9.3:1  
Netball group certain to drop mayor 10.3:1  
Queries on netball documents 14.3:1  
Lord Mayor helps suit on council 20.3:1  
Netball in another city park criticised 21.3:5  
Netballers 'beautification' plan 4.4:5  
Residents angry on park courts 6.4:6  
Now over use of netball courts 12.4:4  
60 districts enter netball titles 20.4:11  
Re-draw needed after opening day washout (N.S.W. Age Netball Titles) 7.5:21  
Aplonia Pearce in state talent squad named at titles 8.5:19  
Changes to side at N.S.W. netball 5.6:17  
Newcastle to host state netball tournament 15.7:35  
Out-of-court settlement in park netball dispute 19.7:3  
Semi-final spot open in netball 24.7:15  
Netballers spend landscape cash on law case 26.7:1  
Hickey body seeks netball meeting 2.8:3  
Schoolgirls at netball titles 21.8:17  
Netballers to defend title 9.10:19  
State netball honour for Del Saunders 20.11:19  
Games challenge in netball 22.11:16

## N.S.W. - HEALTH DEPARTMENT

RNH doctor 'on short list for health post' 13.3:1  
Minister chides hospital doctors 30.3:4  
RNH man is to be Director of Health for Region 11.5:3  
Health system 'top heavy' 31.5:14  
38 hour week soon for HREA 19.6:8  
'Ratbags' could gain power by new health law 22.6:4  
Women's health at risk 26.6:6  
Ironworkers health study 4.7:6  
Smokers face extra curbs in office 19.7:4  
Hospitals' move on smoking 1.8:12  
Cigarette slogan 'racist' 2.8:5  
Concern on flu virus 6.8:5  
Workers Health Centre faces closure over funds 15.8:9

## N.S.W. - HEALTH DEPARTMENT (Con't)

N.S.W. loses Health Secretary again 5.9:14  
Officers term extended 6.9:3  
Medical fees often below schedule 7.9:7  
Centre-unity team set to win ballot 4.10:9

## N.S.W. - HOUSING COMMISSION

Land to be sold for unit plan (Tinonee Rd Waratah) 20.1:3  
200 new homes due to be built in north 26.1:3  
\$1.3m for homes 18.2:5  
Protest hinges on a broken door 15.3:1  
Broken door replaced at flat 16.3:5  
\$2.4 million for Housing Commission projects 17.3:23  
Singles top the list for public housing 24.4:2  
\$1m Mayfield housing plan 1.5:3  
'Come and see where I live' 3.5:2  
Commission plans units 30.5:8  
Moving house the hard way 11.6:6  
Houses for teachers 11.6:6  
Adamstown houses 26.6:8  
Housing meeting 9.7:6  
Groups query housing code 10.7:1  
Housing gets \$35m boost in loans 18.7:1  
\$3m for homes 19.7:4  
Housing project creates 240 City jobs 21.7:3  
Walker praises Warabrook Village 9.8:4  
A view of his portfolio by Housing Minister 11.8:27  
Housing jobs 15.8:4  
Cluster housing 'too cramped' 1.9:4  
Elemore claims on homes go to board 6.9:1  
Long term housing decline predicted 20.9:7  
Housing code closer 21.9:1  
Lake homes planned 24.9:4  
Units for Valley 24.9:11  
Housing worker grant 25.9:7  
40 new homesites for Kotara 17.10:3  
Tenders for 18 houses 22.10:4  
Low-cost housing 25.10:10  
\$1.5m for low-cost loans 14.11:16  
Terrace houses 21.11:16  
Bedsits move for single people 28.11:11  
Arts, flats vie for site 5.12:5  
Approval for City housing units 5.12:12  
Residents fight East End housing plan 13.12:1  
Belmont highway site for 64 home units 18.12:1

## N.S.W. - PARLIAMENT

Mr. Ferguson bows out (Leader) 3.2:2  
Ballot to precede Cabinet reshuffle 8.2:12  
Wran's new right hand (Ron Mulock) 9.2:2  
Man in the middle (Leader) 9.2:2  
Right-wing vote elects Mulock 9.2:3  
Brereton gains seniority 10.2:1  
Cabinet gavotte (Leader) 11.2:2  
N.S.W. Speaker bars MP's question 22.2:1  
Speaker lifts gag on tapes debate 23.2:3  
Dirty politics seem certain to get dirtier 27.2:4  
Right wing wants two Cabinet 31.3:3  
Foot content to remain Deputy Lib leader 4.4:4  
Cabinet 'young blood' includes first woman 5.4:3  
Dowd back in N.S.W. Shadow Cabinet 7.4:5  
Bill seeks to redress former coal owners 18.4:15  
Coal settlement is long overdue (Leader) 19.4:2  
Bob Debus : hunting for jobs 17.5:2  
Bill to curb electronic bugs 19.5:4  
Mr. Wran's Bill to discourage corruption complaints 23.5:3  
Premier defends public complaints Bill 24.5:4  
Hospital tests may combat road toll 14.6:5  
Take criminals' wealth : Greiner 11.7:3  
\$58,000 in grants for 2 City projects 13.7:5  
Short week for councils 19.7:4  
Career officer wins top police post 1.8:6  
Greiner reshuffles his Ministry hopefuls 2.8:7  
Wran popularity slumps to 38% 16.8:5  
Vacation funding 28.8:7  
Welfare program in doubt 5.9:1  
Wran defends ad switch 19.9:16  
Parliament threatened 20.9:6  
Secrecy 'hinders work' 20.9:6  
Drug men will be nailed : Wran 3.10:4  
Contempt finding against punch 26.10:5  
Premiership in Landa's grasp : Wran 26.11:4  
Left demands Landa post 5.12:1

## N.S.W. - PARLIAMENT - CORRUPTION ALLEGATIONS

Barrister barred from inquiry 10.1:5  
 Special cross sitting on Birney rejection 11.1:8  
 Justice Cross clears the air on remarks 12.1:4  
 Doubts over Sinclair's leadership 13.1:1  
 Sinclair bribery allegation rejected 13.1:1  
 Boots and all (Leader) 14.1:2  
 Support for Sinclair on Cross report 14.1:4  
 Johnston not called to inquiry 14.1:4  
 Finding 'reasonable' 17.1:4  
 New N.P. Leader will fight to clear name 18.1:1  
 N.S.W. Corruption fight 'lacks commitment' 18.1:3  
 No S.M. surveillance 18.1:11  
 Investigator's allegations 'unfounded' 19.1:3  
 Magistrate may take action 20.1:5  
 Corruption inquiry (Leader) 20.1:2  
 Early jail release inquiry 11.2:5  
 Cross hits at bottom 18.2:5  
 Cross report unfair : Bottom 20.2:3  
 Accusations of paranoia leveled at Wran 20.2:3  
 No action : magistrate 23.2:5  
 Sinclair 'the Goebbels of politics' 1.3:3  
 Ryan count 'withdrawn' 1.3:3  
 Basis of law and order weakened : Hawke 1.3:3  
 Bottom dealt with harshly, QC says 3.3:3  
 P.M. links in N.S.W. Corruption tapes 6.3:3  
 'Fresh moves' on Corruption 7.3:12  
 Inquiry postponed until after election 9.3:3  
 Sinclair 'has N.S.W. Corruption papers' 16.3:3  
 New head for jail release inquiry 28.3:13  
 Jackson accounts given to inquiry 31.3:4  
 Jackson 'called urgent early release' 10.4:3  
 'Pressure' over jail releases 11.4:3  
 Police tapes 'refer to money paid' 12.4:3  
 'No recall' of taped telephone calls 13.4:3  
 Language service 'reason for cash' 14.4:1  
 \$20,000 'for early release' 17.4:1  
 \$20,000 paid for 'legal fees' 18.4:3  
 Jackson 'did not tolerate delays' 19.4:3  
 Envelope 'taken to Jackson's office' 27.4:3  
 Jackson 'lost \$10,000 in day' 28.4:1  
 Minister's prisoner decisions 'a source of friction' 1.5:3  
 Former inmates 'did not pay for release' 3.5:4  
 Inmates 'told to pay for release' 4.5:6  
 Department officers 'paid often to free prisoners' 8.5:3  
 Bribes claim denied 9.5:11  
 Phone tapes played to Slattery inquiry 10.5:8  
 Police 'tail' Jackson 11.5:4  
 Jackson denies receiving money over jail releases 16.5:3  
 Tape edited : Jackson 17.5:5  
 Jackson 'handed \$11,000 cheque for debts' 18.5:1  
 The Corruption Commission (Leader) 18.5:2  
 Jackson's \$394,200 'gambling account' queried 19.5:1  
 Jackson 'kept betting cash' 22.5:6  
 Race win cash 'put into boot of car' 23.5:7  
 Ducker is cleared by Police 24.5:1  
 Ducker is cleared of tapes assertion 24.5:4  
 Prison help 'a favour' 24.5:5  
 Businessman 'a courier' 25.5:6  
 Harris denies payments 26.5:5  
 \$2000 'used for entertainment' 29.5:4  
 Lobbying payment on release defended 30.5:10  
 Barrister threatens court action 1.6:6  
 Supreme Court move by Jackson's counsel 2.6:9  
 Wran on judge case link : 'not me' 2.8:3  
 Briese affair : no public inquiry 3.8:1  
 Slattery charges 4.8:4  
 Farquhar to face trial in March 4.8:13  
 Wran attacks critics on Breise 7.8:7  
 No sinister motive in Judge claim : Evans 13.8:1  
 Allegations by Mr Briese "not evidence" 15.8:3  
 Newspaper to senate 15.8:5  
 No inquiry into Age tape issue 15.8:6  
 N.S.W. Police "dishonest, unethical" 17.8:8  
 No grounds for charges (Clarrie Breise) 18.8:5  
 Bottom demands check on Wran's sources 20.8:1  
 Bottom, Breise link told to Wran 21.8:5  
 Breise report leak probe 23.8:7  
 Judge was worried about Ryan : Breise 25.8:38  
 Mill now sparks blackmail calls 31.8:3  
 Final report soon (Castigan inquiry) 6.9:6  
 Caucus to vote on Murphy inquiries 7.9:3  
 Landa silent on Breise appointment 7.9:6  
 Prosecutor may get more power 8.9:3  
 Breise deserves recognition 11.9:3

## N.S.W. - PARLIAMENT - CORRUPTION ALLEGATIONS (Con't)

Landa casts doubt on Breise's future 12.9:1  
 SM denies evidence leak 13.9:3  
 Wran 'betrayal warning' 14.9:3  
 MP calls for action on council tapes 20.9:3  
 Landa doubt over letters 21.9:1  
 Landa defends himself in face of resignation call 22.9:5  
 Landa to face attack 24.9:5  
 Opposition fails to censure Landa 26.9:5  
 Criticism on Wran 'threat' to Breise 8.10:3  
 Ford asked a favour : Breise 9.10:1  
 Statutory declaration by Wran on Ryan affair 26.10:5  
 Breise back as Head Magistrate 13.12:1

## N.S.W. - PARLIAMENT - ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL

Booth dismisses opposition call for mini-budget as 'absurd' 4.1:5  
 Payroll tax receipts down 5.1:5  
 Booth disputes high State Tax assertions 16.1:4  
 Booth's charges 'sour grapes' : Bjelke 17.1:4  
 Economy in N.S.W. improving : Wran 1.3:6  
 February start for \$3.5m Bay marina 21.6:6  
 Plan to save \$50m in N.S.W. 5.9:16

## N.S.W. - PARLIAMENT - SALARIES

State Cabinet heeds call by Hawke over MP's pay 25.1:5  
 MP's salaries go up 30.7:7

## N.S.W. - STATE ELECTRICITY COMMISSION

Apprentices begin work 'on strike' 1.2:3  
 Row over jobs at Wangi may go to court 2.2:3  
 Non-trade jobs issue triggers stoppage 8.2:14  
 Non-craft dispute snowballs 10.2:6  
 Worker resigns in jobs row 11.2:3  
 Apprentices dispute flares again 15.2:5  
 Elcom in the black 15.2:6  
 Apprentice dispute involves minister 16.2:6  
 SEC critic predicts steep job losses 18.2:3  
 Cut-off date saves jobs of some apprentices 22.2:3  
 Power job row flares again 23.2:1  
 Electrical tradesmen dispute settled 28.2:7  
 Contract for coal road let (Newstan Colliery - Awaba State Mine) 21.5:10  
 \$8m rail road dropped half-way 31.5:1  
 Coal road option 'The cheapest' 1.6:4  
 Farmer wins 3-year power line battle  
 Owner battles to hold on to land 20.6:4  
 Victoria seeks New South Wales power 26.6:6  
 Owner asked to pay rent 26.6:7  
 Landowner wants SEC power towers demolished 2.7:3-  
 Lake closed to public 13.7:6  
 Valley mine plan taken off shelf 24.7:1  
 Power station asbestos removed 30.7:5  
 EC ready for jobs boost in northern mines 11.8:3  
 Spending on energy heads Hunter list 19.9:1  
 Wyong power plans uproar 20.9:1  
 Power station sites to be investigated 20.10:5  
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 Gardens delay 'stops aid' 11.7:3  
 Closed-door meetings urged 11.7:11  
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 Draft dwelling code attract resident comment 24.7:5  
 Clerk admits 'breaches' 25.7:1  
 Quick help on home problems 25.7:3  
 Recession motion 'forces illegality' 26.7:3  
 Glendale 'blow to developments' 30.7:5  
 Hamilton area residents fear new code 1.8:12  
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 Petition may end wrangle 4.8:5  
 NCC seeks talks on school row 10.8:3  
 Stockton guides' request refused 18.8:12  
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 Stand on Council recordings opposed 13.9:4  
 FM plan to put Council meetings on air 14.9:5  
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 No smiles as gangs went on candid camera 11.10:1  
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 Council 'poll names pot' could boil over 22.3:1  
 21,000 failed to vote at Council election 26.3:4  
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 Wetlands area dump unlikely 28.3:1  
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 Play area move for the Mall 26.6:6  
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## NEWCASTLE CITY COUNCIL - PLANNING

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 Park fight continues 20.2:5  
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 Dwelling code delayed 4.4:3  
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 Merewether townhouse opposed 18.4:3  
 Houses demolition 'against plan' 19.4:7  
 Report on club land connection out soon 25.4:3  
 Campbell cleared by Council inspector (WallSEND Soccer Club) 28.4:1  
 Alderman differ on inquiry's worth 28.4:1  
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 Move for tougher financial interest law fails 2.5:1  
 \$2m extension to college up in the air 16.5:1  
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 Black bans threat to Hamilton College extensions 1.6:1  
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 Council delays cost six jobs : builder 19.6:1  
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 Groups query housing code 10.7:1  
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 Fight over hostel to continue 28.7:4  
 New Lambton land swap deal for botanic gardens 1.8:5  
 Iceworks parking station urged 3.8:4  
 Committee backs Watt St link 9.8:3  
 Green bans sought on hostel proposal 9.8:4  
 Shortage of staff hinders study on open space 9.8:6  
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 Planning group wants early ruling by minister on soccer club site 30.8:4  
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 Elmore Vale residents voice cluster protest 4.9:5  
 Cluster project density raised by committee 19.9:3  
 Railway corridor land at Lambton rezoned 10.10:3  
 Two new libraries planned 24.10:3  
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 Pensioner family units 16.11:1  
 City sets some limits on density 19.12:4

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 Money for park seats 28.4:5  
 Geddes allowance recommended 20.6:3  
 Play area move for the Mall 26.6:6  
 N.C.C. urged to buy Morpeth house 2.7:5  
 Market fee debate on tonight 3.7:4  
 Market fee plan dropped 4.7:1  
 Payment of allowance to Geddes approved 5.7:5  
 State eyes on City's revenue 17.7:5  
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## NEWCASTLE CITY COUNCIL - RATES AND FINANCE (Con't)

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 Sports ground may go 15.8:8  
 Committee against market fee 29.8:4  
 Council rates held at 8% 26.10:5  
 City rate rise less than 8% 9.11:1  
 Decline of work seen in rates decision 15.11:3  
 Maitland residents face 12% rate rise 28.11:3  
 City's rates rise held 5.5% 19.12:1

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 Why City Council was sacked 3.10:1  
 Labor does a Kerr 3.10:1  
 Tapes the basic ingredient : MF 3.10:8  
 Administrator has 45 years' experience 3.10:8  
 Tate was to stand for Lord Mayor 3.10:8  
 Pressure forced me to act : Stewart 3.10:9  
 Tapes : 'basic ingredient' 3.10:9  
 Labor had it hard 3.10:9  
 Pressure 'forced action' 3.10:10  
 One-man Council in City for two days a week 4.10:1  
 'Ruthless grab' for power by ALP 4.10:8  
 No end to the rumours 4.10:8  
 Administrator drives off, Newcastle is rudderless 6.10:1  
 Citizens Group calls for immediate elections 9.10:3  
 Special meeting 9.10:3  
 Port lodges protest on Council sacking 10.10:3  
 Councils soon to have inquiry before 'sack' 13.10:4  
 'Watchdog' role for residents group 13.10:4  
 Morale of City 'depressed' 13.10:5  
 Bishop attacks sacking 13.10:5  
 Delegates hear attack on sacking 16.10:1  
 Sacking attacked 16.10:3  
 Dismissal to give City clean start : Premier 17.10:1  
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 Minister given advice to sack 17.10:1  
 N.C.C. options given 19.10:5  
 Residents' groups to discuss dismissal 19.10:5  
 Morris rejects Geddes debate 22.10:3  
 Sacking was a disgrace, meeting told 23.10:1  
 Former alderman wants answers 24.10:8  
 Senator attacks Council sacking 27.10:3  
 Political views differ on Council sacking 7.11:6  
 Labor men 'had role' in sacking 8.11:3  
 Council head's hours queried by MLC 9.11:3  
 Morris to blame for sacking : Geddes 10.11:14  
 Liberal contender hits Labor over dismissal 10.11:14  
 Council staff to fill meeting roles 21.11:1  
 Stewart defends role of City boss 22.11:1  
 Council in exile proposed by Geddes 24.11:3  
 Dismissal of Council attacked 24.11:12  
 Residents plead : bring back Council 29.11:1

## NEWCASTLE CITY COUNCIL - STAFF

Lord Mayor's new secretary (Paul Lane) 14.1:1  
 Newcastle farewells secretary 11.2:12  
 Minister 'has no power' on Council pay query 23.4:4  
 'Troubleshotter' for Council wanted 30.6:3  
 Complaints office 5.7:4  
 Report could clear air at Council 11.8:1  
 Price : no decision on leaving Council 14.8:3  
 Morale of Council's employees 'low' 8.11:1

## NEWCASTLE CITY COUNCIL - WORKS

Grant for Hamilton (Child Care Centre) 2.2:5  
 \$170,000 given to drainage projects 7.2:6  
 Projects to provide work for jobless 9.2:8  
 Tree removal angers Hamilton residents 14.3:6  
 Softly softly on tree cutting 19.3:4  
 Tree-removal plan 'in 1981' 19.3:4  
 Council recognises a better rail service will delay cars 6.6:4

## NEWCASTLE COLLEGE OF ADVANCED EDUCATION

Teacher shortage in three subjects 24.1:6  
 Annual search for student accommodation begins 4.2:23  
 NCAE to open phone line 6.2:4  
 CAE grant 9.2:4  
 College gets child care centre 20.3:6  
 Equal opportunity post sparks row 4.5:6  
 CAE speaker defends equality 5.5:4  
 CAE students help miners 7.5:9  
 Innovative nursing program 23.5:12  
 Open day at NCAE 25.5:6  
 CAE women 'face battle' for jobs 30.5:5  
 NCAE students protest over quick courses 31.5:4  
 Students hold march over courses 1.6:6  
 CAE aid courses 6.6:16  
 'Students' protest over courses mounts 8.6:6  
 Quality of training worries students 15.6:5  
 College centre to open 6.8:6  
 Funding for centre 7.8:7  
 Vacancies at care centre 30.8:7  
 Welfare course 5.9:17  
 CAE centre may help children 13.9:6  
 New man in NCAE post 26.9:7  
 Funeral stops lectures at CAE 16.10:8  
 CAE dress 24.10:4  
 CAE results threatened 30.10:1  
 Computers course for teachers 5.12:6  
 Classes for summer 5.12:16  
 Art course -part-time 12.12:6

## NEWCASTLE EAST

East End land will be given to City today 5.3:1  
 A poll gift (Leader) 6.3:2  
 Premier gives no date for rest of East End land 6.3:3  
 Plans to establish East End archaeological site 7.4:4  
 Tree marks start to shore plan 13.4:4  
 Harbour views (Leader) 4.5:2

## NEWCASTLE HARBOUR

\$5m 'bottom-of-the-harbour' fund 1.2:1  
 Hunter flood brings the debris... 2.2:1  
 Flood debris halts ferry 4.2:5  
 It went to Stockton Beach (Debris) 7.2:1  
 Harbour oil spill 2.8:5  
 Harbour link move likely 20.8:4  
 Dredging will remove harbour silt 2.11:4  
 Sub set for harbour regatta 10.11:1  
 Harbour hive of activity 10.11:45  
 Funds slow to come in for museum, copter 12.11:6  
 Crowds visit submarine 12.11:6

## NEWCASTLE HARBOUR FORESHORE DEVELOPMENT

Shore plan gets boost 9.1:1  
 Garden look to harbour shore 16.3:4  
 Tree marks start to shore plan 13.4:4  
 Foreshore plan 'may drive people out' 19.5:10  
 Stationmaster's house safe 22.5:4  
 Foreshore parking spots full all day 23.5:32  
 Machines begin to sketch new harbourside park 8.9:5

## NEWCASTLE HERALD - COMPETITIONS

\$11,000 in jewellery to be won by Herald readers 17.10:4  
 Diamond ring to be won 20.10:5  
 Prize jewellery worth \$11,000 24.10:4  
 Competition grand prize a \$3400 diamond ring 3.11:5  
 Jewellery giveaway is golden chance 10.11:13  
 Couples can win a cruise 12.11:3  
 60,000 entries in contest 1.12:3  
 Cruise holiday for contest winners 5.12:3  
 Now is the time for some sandmodelling practice 29.12:5  
 New contest for 'beach artists' 31.12:5

## NEWCASTLE - HISTORY

Meeting on Heritage Centre 11.2:23  
 Meeting backs Heritage Centre 16.2:3  
 City 'to house photos' (Bert Lovett collection) 23.2:8  
 The secrets of Nobbys 3.3:10  
 Newcastle school repeats history 13.4:5

## NEWCASTLE - HISTORY (Con't)

Children leave message for future 16.4:4  
 Memories of tragedy revived 16.5:3  
 The survivor : untold miners' tales of the Rothbury riot 19.5:8  
 Park windmill scheme 'could revive history' 25.5:5  
 Skyline windmill (Leader) 26.5:2  
 On May 26, 1974, A big ship died (Sygna) 26.5:11  
 Windmill support sought 29.5:7  
 History revived in new HCF office 29.6:4  
 Three City buildings protected 4.7:18  
 Old Hill Cottage will soon disappear 9.7:4  
 History in helpful booklet 20.7:4  
 School celebrates proud history 21.7:5  
 Islington has old English shrine 6.9:3  
 An absolutely ripping time 8.9:3  
 Newcastle celebrates Shortland Day 16.10:9  
 Hunter's history to keep 17.10:3  
 Fossils are a way of life for Mulbring school children 17.10:5  
 Classic tale revives sad memories 20.10:3  
 History of the Hunter not to be missed 20.10:3  
 How the City got its name 24.10:3  
 Map guide for early settlers 31.10:1  
 History of the Hunter supplement 1.11:1-26  
 How to kill an idea 15.12:12

## NEWCASTLE - SISTER CITY LINKS

Koalas for Japan (Leader : Ube visit suggested) 6.2:2

## NEWCASTLE TECHNICAL COLLEGE

Tech gets \$1m computer 9.2:7  
 Big drop in trade course students 13.2:1  
 Computer centre for Newcastle Tech 15.6:3  
 \$9m college building opened 23.6:5  
 New women's college job 4.7:18  
 Start to trades 6.8:6  
 TAFE College head named 18.10:4  
 Girls meet a model and try a trade 27.10:5  
 Tech health scare 1.12:1

## NEWCASTLE TRADES HALL COUNCIL

Expansion of NTHC 27.8:9  
 NTHC executive expands 6.10:4  
 NTHC 'elated' over jobs grant 6.11:7  
 Plea for federal action 21.11:4

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City exhibits yuletide spirit towards visiting sailors 3.1:5  
 A fond farewell for R.N. sailors 4.1:6  
 'Exiled' polish P.M. visits (Mr. Kazimierz Sabbat) 13.2:7  
 Arabian Dean at medical school (Dr. Al-Hussaini) 13.2:9  
 Vice-Consul of China visits 17.2:5  
 German on calmer waters (Kommissar Arthur Kresin) 18.2:5  
 U.K. exchange visit for City Planner (Mr. Fielding) 20.2:6  
 Industry changes 'needed to halt decline' (Justice W.K. Fisher) 17.3:3  
 Sir John swings to sport of kings (Sir John Gorton) 28.3:1  
 Minister chides hospital doctors (Mr. Mulock) 30.3:4  
 Hunter thanked for policy support (Bob Hawke) 12.4:1  
 Significant day for Newcastle (Leader) 12.4:2  
 Hundreds engulf Hawke in Mall 13.4:1  
 'Royal visit' effect at BHP plant 13.4:3  
 Tree marks start to shore plan 13.4:4  
 Bowen to open trade office in City today 13.4:5  
 A finish troupe earns its supper (Karelia Choir and Dance Group) 19.4:6  
 Key anti-nuclear figure to visit (Dr. Helen Caldicott) 19.4:6  
 Destruction imminent : Caldicott 25.4:4  
 Writing on Australia at length (Miss Sanae Nakura) 1.5:3  
 Minister from China on steel visit 9.5:7  
 Editor's crusade goes on (Barbara Harford) 9.5:19  
 Chinese delegation offers to supply raw materials 19.5:4  
 Expertise for China 22.5:7  
 Consul for Britain on visit (Martin Berthoud) 24.5:9

## NEWCASTLE - VISITING PERSONALITIES (Con't)

Chipp visit planned 29.5:7  
 Chinese to test rural planning 30.5:7  
 Travel writers visit 11.6:4  
 Chinese visitor (Vice-Minister for Metallurgical Industry) 8.8:6  
 Nichols guest in Newcastle 17.8:22  
 HMAS Otway for Mattara 8.9:3  
 Royal Daulton descendant visits 8.9:13  
 Chairman to greet another statesman (Joachim Elm) 5.10:1  
 SCC leader welcomes Ambassador to City (Joachim Elm) 6.10:4  
 Mixed greeting for U.S. Destroyer (USS Waddell) 19.10:5  
 Chance query began a career (Prof. Russell) 24.10:6  
 Longest ship is foiled by harbour limit in Taiwan (China Steel Entrepreneur) 30.10:5  
 From pavlova to soap opera (Sir Robert Helpmann) 6.11:3  
 Dr. Cairns to give lecture (Dr. Jim Cairns) 6.11:7  
 New view of great significance (Dr. Jim Cairns) 8.11:6

## NOISE

SRA acts to cut noise levels (Mayfield) 30.4:4  
 Limits put on hotel bands noise level 5.7:3  
 Scott St bus noise 'normal' 15.8:8

## NORDS WHARF

Picnic area 'unfit to walk through' 3.1:4  
 Waterfront fight over 31.1:5

## NORTH ARM COVE

Battle to get land rezoned 9.6:4  
 Most land values in Great Lakes souring 22.6:3  
 Developer 'asked' to pay 4.7:4  
 North Arm Cove group seeks new name 22.10:5

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Territory government drops Combe 17.1:5  
 Link with lobbyist 'not cut' 24.1:4  
 Aboriginal man, 74, rape appeal rejected 11.2:4  
 Defendant waits a year in jail 20.2:3  
 Fighter mishaps close airport 7.3:18  
 Truck in bar 'skilled driving' 13.3:4  
 Driver 'in fight at Rock motel' 14.3:9  
 Drink made me do it : truck driver's 'confession' 15.3:5  
 Accused 'not capable' of driving into bar 17.3:5  
 Rising river forces 100 to evacuate 19.3:4  
 Earlier incident recalled 20.3:9  
 Crabbe 'not a madman' 21.3:13  
 Driver given life for truck deaths 22.3:3  
 400 homeless at N.T. cyclone hits 24.3:3  
 Motel bar murder driver appeals 18.4:15  
 Outback road work was a gamble but casinos are sure things 24.4:6  
 Crocodiles becoming asset to the Territory 26.4:4  
 Sisters die in back of utility 15.5:4  
 Man gets life for murder of teenage cousins 17.5:8  
 Tennant Creek miners sit-in 24.5:14  
 Aborigine freed after killing man 29.5:4  
 Committee recommends RAAF Base in NT developed 30.5:4  
 NT man in quest of lotto win 13.6:1  
 Boomerang air attack causes \$2000 damages 4.7:12  
 Casino changes hands with a party and wake 2.10:6  
 Keating move blocks NT casino changes 20.10:1  
 'Chamberlain' man to run for NT seat 31.10:18  
 Retrial on NT truck deaths 5.11:6  
 Jellyfish kills girl 7.11:8  
 NT casino takeover : \$50m compensation 14.11:5  
 Ham radio aid for Darwin misery 24.12:6

## NUCLEAR POWER

A last warning to the world 18.4:2  
 Doctors "could not cope" in nuclear war 31.5:3  
 Roxby law changes 23.7:10  
 Call for checks at nuclear lab 7.8:5  
 Disposal of N-fuel rods a problem 15.8:9  
 Anti-nuclear party gets ALP ban 17.8:9  
 Lucas Heights leak 'no health danger' 22.8:5

## NUCLEAR POWER (Con't)

Signs of Lake nuclear 'war' escalating 14.9:1  
 Nuclear free zone sought 15.10:4  
 Disarmament support 30.10:6  
 Singers plea for disarmament (Peter Garrett) 1.11:6  
 Australians 'would get nuclear winter' 7.11:19  
 30 Doves open the anti-nuclear campaign 15.11:6  
 Australia gets arms talks 22.11:3  
 Labor flays NDP stand 23.11:1  
 Radiation leak found in truck container 29.11:1  
 Radiation blast '5 times the limit' 30.11:4  
 Transport bans on isotopes lifted 1.12:5  
 'Hot' lake sand clean-up plan 4.12:1  
 Garrett's Senate chance brighter 7.12:8  
 Garrett improves Senate chance 8.12:1  
 Garrett edges closer to win 13.12:5

## NUCLEAR POWER - ATOMIC TESTS

Soldiers exposed to atom tests : papers 12.3:3  
 Australian deaths after nuclear tests 14.3:3  
 The nuclear guinea pigs (Leader) 16.3:2  
 Men '1.6km from blast' 16.3:5  
 Australian officers 'exposed to tests' 22.3:4  
 Informant on Maralinga dies of stomach cancer 2.5:8  
 Bannon wants A-bomb test details made public 4.5:4  
 Plutonium 'ploughed into bomb test area' 5.5:5  
 Maralinga inquiry likely 8.5:4  
 Maralinga bomb test inquiry close 11.5:5  
 Team study into bomb tests : U.K. 'no secrets' 16.5:7  
 Maralinga inquiry seeks extension 19.5:9  
 Bannon wants fuller inquiry on bomb test sites 1.6:4  
 Inquiry on bomb tests likely 26.6:4  
 A-tests probe to get under way 6.7:3  
 A-test inquiry urged 2.7:4  
 Fallout on atoll 'low' 9.7:5  
 Problem seen in A-test evidence 23.7:10  
 Damages tipped for Aborigines in A-bomb tests 13.8:3  
 Atom test veterans told to use joint legal advocate 23.8:4  
 PM lashes French on nuclear stand 30.8:3  
 Unfenced atom debris surprises judge 13.9:7  
 Sailors 'in shorts' on bomb test mission 3.10:5  
 Execution threat over Maralinga 4.10:6  
 Bombers 'flew into radiation clouds' 9.10:6  
 Shirtless men on 'hot' bomber 10.10:5  
 A-bombs 'left in desert' 11.10:1  
 Pilot lost as he dumped waste 13.10:5  
 Atomic inquiry 'a little late' 16.10:5  
 Challenge adjourns hearing 16.10:5  
 Challenge dropped in nuclear testing 18.10:7  
 Witnesses 'will not be gagged' 18.10:7  
 'Reluctance' on Australians at nuclear site 19.10:4  
 High radiation dose 'for souvenir' 24.10:6  
 Vital evidence 26.10:4  
 Bomb blast 'led to skin peeling' 27.10:5  
 Soldier 'drove to bomb crater' 31.10:5  
 Aborigines in nuclear zone 'kept secret' 3.11:4  
 Tests 'threat' over black 6.11:10  
 A-test 'guinea pigs' denied 8.11:6  
 Tests burial sites advice 'ignored' 14.11:15  
 Maralinga documents to be released 15.11:5  
 Hair cut off over radiation fallout : witness 16.11:4  
 Atom test cloud 'left pily film' 20.11:4  
 Cloud 'covered Broken Hill' 21.11:1  
 RAN crew 'showered by fallout' 22.11:4  
 Maralinga 'torture' 24.11:5  
 Blacks 'at bottom of list' 29.11:6  
 Australian 'role' in tests 30.11:4  
 Maralinga's "tragic" effects 1.12:5  
 Broken Hill "fallout" for inquiry 12.12:16  
 Maralinga : Britons get immunity 19.12:16

## NUCLEAR WEAPONS

Newcastle as a nuclear target 1.2:2  
 Hawke rules out nuclear arms 3.4:3

## OBITUARIES

Leading trotting owner dies (Ossie Marr) 11.1:34  
 Military funeral (Reginald Harold Bailey) 20.1:5  
 Pioneer dies (Dr. Henry Kaplan) 8.2:18  
 Judge was man of principle (Francis Widden) 7.3:15  
 German pastor who defied Hitler dies aged 92 (Pastor Martin Niemoeller) 9.3:2  
 Maitland Guide leader dies (Eily Fry) 13.3:4  
 Police chief dies (Supt. Laurie Holmes) 15.3:5  
 Pharmacist dies, 74 (Alfred John Stuart) 21.3:11  
 Hunter architect dies (Frank Stone) 27.3:4  
 Worked to advance Australia (Patricia Short) 2.4:5  
 Solicitor dies (Thomas Mitchell) 5.4:6  
 'Bomber' Harris dies (Sir Arthur 'Bomber' Harris) 9.4:5  
 World-class cake decorator dies (Jean Mackay) 17.4:5  
 Funeral of manager (Stuart Allan) 19.4:4  
 WWII Navy stalwart dies, 69 (Capt. Bill Whitting) 30.4:7  
 Ethnic personality dies in hospital (Edie 'Teddy' Hufnus) 14.5:4  
 Former RNH Director of Urology dies suddenly, aged 67 (Dr. Vernon Stuart) 21.5:4  
 Former Carrington Mayor dies at 93 (Alex Bower) 31.5:14  
 Former Port Councillor dies (George Richard 'Dick' Burwell) 8.6:5  
 Playright dies (Lillian Hellman) 2.7:9  
 Funeral of trot identity, 83 (Perc Warby) 5.7:13  
 A fighter for social justice (Ruth Higgins) 6.7:2  
 Rugby player dies (Tim Payung) 16.7:18  
 Power station financing pioneer dies (Athol Barron) 23.7:10  
 Writer wills cash to help authors (Lillian Hellman) 23.7:5  
 Petron link (Dr. Michael Biologuski) 3.8:6  
 Death of former sergeant (Sgt. Alf Dawes) 9.8:4  
 Death of pit timber man (Albert Johnson) 15.9:13  
 Daughter of boxer Dave Sands dies 21.9:4  
 Death of Stanley Green 8.10:4  
 Former Herald man dies (Robert Burns Dunlop) 23.10:5  
 Top economist dies at 74 (Sir John Crawford) 31.10:4  
 Former MP dies, 67 (George Dudley Erwin) 3.11:4  
 Business man dies (Peter Doyle Snr.) 24.11:5  
 Managing director leaves tyre business to family (John Stuart) 6.12:9  
 Qantas death (Keith Hamilton) 17.12:6  
 Commonwealth Bank head, academic dies (Prof. Leslie Finlay) 22.12:12  
 Death of famed painter author (Lady Joan Lindsay) 24.12:4

## OIL

Oil taxing policy to fetch \$300m revenue 19.4:3  
 Pipeline to carry jet fuel 26.5:4  
 Investors speculate on oil 23.6:11  
 Investors speculate in oil 26.6:12  
 Oil men get \$4.4m handshake 12.7:5  
 Consortium drops South Australian \$10m oil search 12.7:5  
 Boral bid values OCA at \$91m 17.7:12  
 Moonie in bid to lift oil field stake 21.7:15  
 Five oil permits awarded in Vic 23.7:14  
 Harbour oil spill cleaned up 6.8:4  
 Dinkum oil under threat 7.8:3  
 Fishermen claim on oil slick 9.8:5  
 Oil men delay strike 10.8:4  
 Oil men stop over names disclosure 11.8:3  
 Oil group's healthy profit 27.8:14  
 ESSO makes \$270m 1.9:15  
 More oil levies 'detrimental' to industry 20.9:9  
 Surveyors to check on marine oilfields 16.10:5  
 Blacks seek oil-search permit 17.10:14  
 Oil tax review sparks Bass Strait projects 24.10:10  
 Unions praise new oil pact 27.12:7  
 Fuel rise opposed 27.12:7

## OLYMPIC GAMES (SUMMER : LOS ANGELES)

Games first for skipper 18.1:34  
 Olympics continue to discriminate against women 21.1:38  
 U.S. gets tough on drugs 21.1:38  
 Professionalism in Games questioned in report 21.1:36

## OLYMPIC GAMES (SUMMER : LOS ANGELES) Con't

Lions Club plan Olympic walk 30.1:8  
 Olympic 'bush scene' (uniforms) 3.2:1  
 Narracott looks only Games hope 4.2:38  
 A chance to be 'one in a million' 4.2:10  
 Walking a million miles for athletes 6.2:5  
 Olympic hockey women battle against tyranny of distance 8.2:42  
 Olympia rejects U.S. money 22.2:36  
 All Australians to be drug tested 23.2:20  
 Swim girls want own relay 'mean machine' 23.2:20  
 Beaten Ford expects to win gold in Los Angeles 25.2:40  
 Lisa Curry surprise selection in Olympic swim team 27.2:16  
 Minister argues Ford case 29.2:34  
 ASU rules against Ford 1.3:18  
 Runner fears health risk in L.A.'s afternoon heat, smog 7.3:40  
 Nun runs for a U.S. Olympic berth 8.3:2  
 Roycrofts certain for L.A. 17.3:42  
 Olympic hope wins sponsor 17.3:42  
 Roycroft couple in Games team 19.3:20  
 Olympic relay team medal chance 4.4:42  
 Linda jumps into Games team (Linda Garden) 5.4:18  
 6 lifters in Games team 9.4:14  
 Politics cast shadow on games 11.4:8  
 Budd's eligibility to be considered 12.4:18  
 Scramble for the Olympics 12.4:2  
 Ford's Olympic hopes dunked 27.4:3  
 Ford fights on 28.4:38  
 Brown to fight for swimmer (Michelle Ford) 30.4:1  
 Meddling with the Olympics again (Leader) 1.5:2  
 Second vote possible for Michelle Ford 1.5:1  
 Minister's telegram plea 1.5:1  
 ASU 'offside' with public 1.5:1  
 Davies chosen for Olympic Games 3.5:18  
 Olympic swim team vs press in Ford row 3.5:3  
 Ford unlikely for Olympics 4.5:1  
 Colosseum agreement still not reached 5.5:40  
 Flame lit on May 7 5.5:40  
 Ford weeps, but keen to answer critics 5.5:9  
 Ford might commentate on Olympics 7.5:9  
 Athletes warned over contracts 9.5:42  
 Flame begins U.S. journey 9.5:42  
 Strife-torn games fight to survive 10.5:17  
 Soviet Games boycott 'a \$100m blow to L.A.' 10.5:1  
 Politics and the Olympics (Leader) 10.5:2  
 Soviet athletes sacrifice medals 'in most events' 11.5:20  
 Team will not grow 11.5:20  
 E. Germans boycott Olympics 11.5:1  
 Hayden to approach Soviets on Olympics 11.5:4  
 Vietnam withdraws from Olympics 12.5:5  
 Moscow stands firm (boycott) 14.5:4  
 Athletes travel widely in Olympic warm up 17.5:20  
 Officials scale down Games 23.5:44  
 Cuban pullout benefits Australia 25.5:20  
 There's nothing new about a boycott 25.5:2  
 Gromyko to discuss Games ban with Olympic heads 29.5:4  
 Olympian group 2.6:9  
 L.A. Olympics set first record: 137 nations 4.6:5  
 The story of the Games 25.7:3  
 Stamps for Olympics go on sale 25.7:4  
 Athletes warned - if they think of using drugs, don't 25.7:39  
 Lukin breaks U.S. record 25.7:39  
 Zola is cleared to run 25.7:39  
 Catamaran crew keep mast selection secret 25.7:39  
 Yachts pass measure testing 25.7:39  
 U.S. swim coach sets his team for 20 medals 25.7:39  
 Womens' hockey team protests over ground 25.7:39  
 Games open with all Hollywood's skill 30.7:1  
 Australia opens medals tally 31.7:1  
 Dead-heat, world record highlight swimming 31.7:16  
 Swimmers boost tally 4.8:1  
 Best all-round athlete in world (Glynis Nunn) 6.8:1  
 Runner's agony appals doctors 7.8:1  
 Heavyweight lifts gold (Dean Lukin) 10.8:1  
 'Olympic Gold' for Belmont sailor 13.8:1  
 Confident De Castella tests marathon route 13.8:1  
 Lukin talks of stepping aside for brother (Dean Lukin) 17.8:3  
 Changes needed says Phil Smyth 17.8:19  
 Olympic finalist looks to future from home base 20.8:6

## OLYMPIC GAMES (SUMMER : LOS ANGELES) Con't

Sport Institute basks in post-Olympic glow 18.9:16  
IOC meets to beat boycotts 27.11:17

## OLYMPIC GAMES (WINTER : SARAJEVO, YUGOSLAVIA)

Folk dancers and fashion mark opening 10.2:16  
Storms may force more delays in Olympics 11.2:40  
Speed skater's third medal 14.2:16  
Boy, 11, epitomises Olympic spirit 15.2:34  
Britons achieve perfect scores 16.2:16  
E. German beats U.S. and world champion 20.2:19  
Ice rink disco ends Winter Olympics 21.2:16

## OMBUDSMAN

Erisons, police critic quits (Susan Armstrong) 4.1:1  
N.S.W. corruption fight 'lacks commitment' 18.1:3

## OYSTERS

Oyster farmers fear pollution 6.2:4  
Revolutionary port oyster hatchery 23.2:4  
Oyster spat sales begin era (Fisheries Research Station) 30.4:1  
Minister to permit Hunter leases 30.4:1  
\$250,000 oyster grant 2.6:5  
Hunter oyster farmers have sticky problem 6.7:1  
Mystery disease hits oysters 12.11:1

## PARKING AND PARKING STATIONS

Advertising 'vandalism' (Parking-meter ads) 1.3:6  
Parking meters with a twist 15.3:1  
Meter signs soon 9.5:14  
Court rejects Doran harbourpark appeal 17.5:8  
Foreshore plan 'may drive people out' 19.5:10  
Credit card payment of fines by Oct 21.6:3  
Hunter motorists 'owe \$4m' 22.6:4  
Alderman against parking limits 15.8:14  
Group to lobby for park's retention 2.10:7  
Fee increase for meters, parking stations 14.11:1  
Opinions differ on Maitland parking 14.11:25  
Courtesy plan for fair go in car parks 27.11:5  
Cleared site to ease parking problem 12.12:11

## PARKS

Park gets \$50,000 facelift 18.1:3  
\$112,000 for work on three parks 21.1:3  
250 debate future of National Park netball courts 1.2:13  
State gives \$90,000 towards all weather netball courts (National Park) 2.2:18  
Park battle goes on (National Park) 3.2:6  
The proper use of parkland (Leader) 4.2:1  
Park work goes ahead, but residents continue fight (National Park) 4.2:4  
Park admirers step up their campaign (National Park) 6.2:4  
Playground loss 'not foreseen' 7.2:3  
Netball plans go ahead 8.2:1  
Mineral parks (Bulahdelah Mountains Park) 8.2:12  
Predictable reaction to netball vote 9.2:3  
How the aldermen voted on netball courts 10.2:5  
Adamstown Park honour 13.2:5  
Injunction sought to stop courts 14.2:1  
Solicitor will press on with courts fight 15.2:3  
Park fight continues (National Park) 20.2:5  
Picnic for a park 22.2:32  
Park picnic 'trial run' a success 23.2:3  
May court hearing tipped for park netball row 6.3:4  
Leaflet will add fuel to fiery council 9.3:1  
A controversial playground (No 1 sportsground) 17.3:7  
Lord Mayor helps suit on council 20.3:1  
Netball in another City park criticised (Centennial Park) 21.3:5  
An inner-city haven (King Edward Park) 24.3:7  
A walk back in time 31.3:8  
Residents angry on park courts 6.4:6  
Row over use of netball courts 12.4:4  
Ideas sought for park facelift 24.4:4  
Nominations for park group 26.4:8  
Money for park seats 28.4:5  
30 want to stand (National Park Advisory Comm.) 22.5:10

## PARKS (Con't)

Arboreal tips for City fathers 9.8:18  
Nature park planned for Cardiff 11.8:45  
Initial move on Hexham National Park 13.8:3  
Shire honours founders of park 17.8:4  
Council to move on swamp park 17.8:6  
Move to buy Marist Park 25.9:8  
Council urges caravan moves 3.10:10  
Park hunt for 'birthday' fig tree called Alice 3.10:10  
Park on tourist map : mayor 9.10:9  
Alderman vote for unseen projects 10.10:3  
Park action dropped 12.10:5  
Parks group seeks plan go-ahead 15.10:8  
Tubemakers celebrates 50 years with gifts to parks 17.10:14  
Council asked to drop park plan 24.10:5  
Appeal to bar coastal land housing 4.12:6  
Residents upset over loos plan for park 29.12:2

## PEACE MOVEMENT

4000 rally in Newcastle for disarmament 16.4:1  
The Peace Parade (Leader) 17.4:2  
A peaceful competition with powerful themes 18.4:11  
Pine Gap anti nuclear protesters reunited 21.4:8  
Destruction imminent : Caldicott 25.4:4  
Anti-nuclear overkill (Leader) 26.4:2  
S.A. uranium protest shivers on 23.5:11  
Lecturer : cut U.S. tie or be war target 2.8:4  
Newcastle nuclear march 4.8:12  
Hiroshima Day commemorated 6.8:5  
Poet support author's anti-uranium stand 8.8:14  
Roxby Police use old law (14th century law) 22.8:16  
8 arrested in Roxby clash 27.8:4  
Six arrests at Nurrangar 29.8:5  
Right'opposed to peace teaching 13.9:7  
Message of peace reached big crowd 22.10:5  
Workers threaten to stop port over ship's move 22.10:9  
Concert for peace attracts 3000 19.11:8  
Support for W.A. peace train 29.11:5  
Airstrip protest arrest 5.12:7  
Gentle women's protest that backfired 17.12:6

## PENSIONS AND PENSIONERS

New schemes will aid Australians 23.1:6  
Changes planned to assets test 23.2:9  
The assets test retreat 24.2:2  
Peacock attacks P.M. on assets 'confusion' 25.2:4  
1400 already hired for assets scheme 27.2:5  
The assets test muddle 28.2:2  
Caucus defeats move to keep assets test timetable 28.2:5  
P.M. names panel for assets test 3.3:39  
Raise pension age, actuary urges 27.3:3  
N.S.W. pensioners seek increase 4.4:7  
Local call fee for veterans 6.4:3  
Pensioner hitch for \$9m shops 14.4:1  
Pensions, benefits to rise in May 25.4:4  
Attack on pensioners 'a cold-blooded move' 10.5:3  
Special costs C.P.I. is pensioner group's aim 14.5:3  
New limit plan for assets test on pensions 23.5:1  
Hawke carpets Gietzelt over pension remarks 24.5:3  
An equitable pension test (Leader) 25.5:2  
Moves to drop homes as asset 25.5:4  
'Ineptitude' on asset test 26.5:4  
P.M. to enter rift over assets test proposals 28.5:1  
New Bill for veterans planned 28.5:6  
Fourth option is assets debate 30.5:4  
Homes out of assets test 1.6:1  
Assets test (Leader) 2.6:2  
Rent subsidy 'sweetener' to new assets test plan 2.6:3  
How test will work 4.6:7  
Pensioners sell out to developers 16.6:12  
Pensioner housing 27.6:13  
Pensioners' vehicle concessions begin 2.7:4  
Pension phone scheme 3.7:8  
Pension advice lacking : report 9.8:4  
Pension assets test passed 6.9:5  
Opposition fails to stop Assets Bill 11.9:1  
'Compassion' for pensioners 12.9:7  
Pensioners 'write off' money in failed fund 28.9:3

## PENSIONS AND PENSIONERS (Con't)

Super tax to force more on pension 1.10:4  
 Government relies on assets honesty 1.10:6  
 All pensioners will receive assets letters  
 1.10:6  
 Pension data sought 16.10:10  
 RSL head in assets protest 24.10:5  
 Insurance policies 'in test' 29.10:10  
 Pensioners accept bins 14.11:25  
 PM hedges over increase to 25% in pensions  
 15.11:6  
 Pensioner family units 16.11:1  
 Pensioner takes on system 21.11:7  
 Bogus calls to pensioners' 28.11:11  
 Pensioners 'phoned on assets' 30.11:3  
 Pensioners halt unless forms returned 28.12:1

## PERSONALITIES

Zell : a council stalwart to the end  
 (Zell Meehan) 2.1:1  
 U.S. career from Yen to teach (Les Gardner)  
 4.1:11  
 Jill Wran : still an enigma 4.1:17  
 Time to put up scissors after 51 years (Wal  
 Wilson) 5.1:3  
 A socialite's Sydney (Leo Schofield) 7.1:2  
 Doug Anthony declares 12.1:2  
 Driving 3000km is no big deal for a mate  
 (Ted Jones & Rod Anderson) 13.1:1  
 'Good samaritan' gets coach trip reward  
 (Rod Anderson) 14.1:4  
 Stones roll into their third decade 14.1:8  
 A political stayer at 73 (Joh Bjelke Peterson)  
 14.1:10  
 A sporting life (Fred Williams) 16.1:2  
 A lifetime of painting (Lloyd Rees) 18.1:19  
 A legend turns 80 (Cary Grant) 19.1:2  
 More than just one of the boys (Boy George)  
 21.1:8  
 Marathon man's big wedding (Cliff Young) 21.1:3  
 Mother, 100, at anniversary (Sophia Myers)  
 23.1:3  
 Majoring in salvation (Keith Parkinson) 23.1:2  
 Mouth gets me into trouble : Johnston 24.1:14  
 Veteran singer's 'return' concert (Debbie Byrne)  
 25.1:6  
 Media turns out...but this time for Mrs. Hawke  
 27.1:7  
 Adventurer's economy run (Hans Tholstrup)  
 30.1:4  
 Out of the Blue (Air Comm. E. Monaghan) 30.1:2  
 Doing it Debbie's way (Debbie Reynolds) 1.2:21  
 Violins are a labour of love (John Van Wirdum)  
 3.2:3  
 Sally battles back from near death (Sally  
 Boyden) 4.2:9  
 Publican has the measure of the Hunter (Ian  
 Norris) 4.2:12  
 ALP gives backing to Arantz 6.2:1  
 Newcastle's social work dynamo (Joyce McCarthy)  
 6.2:2  
 Shirley's terms for success (Shirley MacLaine)  
 8.2:21  
 Wran's new right hand (Mulock) 9.2:2  
 Inspector retires (Dick Amor) 9.2:4  
 Andropov dies, 69 11.2:1  
 The king of country flies high on success  
 (Kenny Rogers) 11.2:5  
 Don Geddes talks back 13.2:2  
 Wedding bells for Elton 13.2:2  
 Woman pioneer leaves clubland (Betty Campbell)  
 14.2:16  
 \$100,000 reception follows ceremony (Elton John)  
 15.2:1  
 King of the west (Alan Bond) 15.2:2  
 Meet Shirl and Angela (Angela Moore) 18.2:2  
 Top job finder quits after 42 years in public  
 service (Leah Hetherington) 18.2:4  
 Every diabetic's best friend (Dr. Moffitt)  
 20.2:2  
 Show life beats a career in law (John Howard)  
 22.2:3  
 A 'surprise' family reunion (Chris Priestley)  
 22.2:17  
 Twin missionaries turn 80 today (Pastor David  
 Ferris, Pastor Walter Ferris) 23.2:4  
 Jesmond man on quest to find 37-year-old funds  
 (Walter Rahn) 23.2:8  
 Woman civil engineer at Cessnock (Margie Azmi)  
 24.2:3  
 Kenny Rogers, your flying bed is just too hard  
 25.2:4

## PERSONALITIES (Con't)

A Lord Mayor under siege (Joy Cummings) 27.2:2  
 Art, mysticism and pigs : a talk with Aldo  
 Gennaro 29.2:19  
 Teaching in Zimbabwe (Enrica Patti) 29.2:17  
 A flier on very active duty (Wilbur Watson)  
 1.3:1  
 A miner first and foremost (Bill Chapman) 5.3:2  
 A look for the individual (Janet Moss) 6.3:8  
 A female in the service (Gail Flynn) 7.3:21  
 Illness hits Mayfield bride (Ann Donovan) 8.3:4  
 New recruit for the cop shop stars (Paula Duncan)  
 Skills 'to take back home' (Margaret Illukol)  
 10.3:3  
 The queen of psychiatry (Beverly Raphael) 12.3:2  
 People traded for horses (Glynn Blair) 14.3:1  
 Centenarian bounces back to celebrate (Harry  
 Durbin) 17.3:5  
 When life's all for showbiz (Mariel Hemingway)  
 17.3:8  
 Alex Young : a force to be reckoned with 19.3:2  
 The wheels of time (Ken Magor) 24.3:2  
 Making art as large as life (Birgitte Hansen)  
 26.3:2  
 Family reunited after 34 years (Esme Williams)  
 26.3:3  
 A long way from Boomeroo (Paul Radley) 31.3:2  
 A man of many hats (Ron Robson) 2.4:2  
 No need for the force of arms (Daryl Harris)  
 6.4:1  
 A chemist of the old school (Colin Glass) 9.4:2  
 Success with the bluebells (Corina Burgess)  
 10.4:8  
 In love at sea (Blanche Miller) 11.4:23  
 Hospital for Lord Mayor 14.4:1  
 Nicholson comes to terms (Jack Nicholson) 14.4:8  
 Sam Jones may make comeback 14.4:10  
 Lord Mayor suffering from stroke 16.4:1  
 A worker in retirement (Jim Priest) 16.4:2  
 Bush wedding for Thorn Birds author (Colleen  
 McCullough) 16.4:8  
 Stroke affects Lordy Mayor's speech 17.4:1  
 The Lord Mayor (Leader) 18.4:2  
 Lord Mayor swamped by flowers 19.4:1  
 Veterinary officer goes (Jim Macadam) 19.4:7  
 Progress by Cummings 20.4:4  
 Tom Bryan's Gallipoli 21.4:7  
 Mayor stable 23.4:1  
 A rising impresario (Peter Anderson) 23.4:2  
 Mayor communicates with her family (Joy Cummings)  
 24.4:1  
 Lake Yachtsman has Bond's ambitions - but not  
 his money (Glen Coulton) 26.4:24  
 Hungry for new goals (John Agris) 28.4:4  
 Screen's famous danger at 85 (Fred Astaire)  
 28.4:7  
 Castanets on the move 28.4:8  
 Lawyer, feminist and mother (Lyn McLardy) 30.4:1  
 Across the world for a friend (Elvira Angelinetta)  
 2.5:21  
 Return to riding gets thumbs up (Dawn Ralston)  
 2.5:3  
 Graduation then a wedding (Susan Richardson)  
 4.5:1  
 Tragedy, hardship beaten (Irene Boys) 5.5:1  
 Agent of the law (Philip Lloyd) 7.5:2  
 The doctor who sells smoking (Dr. William  
 Whitby) 9.5:2  
 WWII vehicles perfected (Ron Parnwell) 9.5:18  
 Skater of 12 wins solo spot (Tracy Brook) 10.5:1  
 Monday is Joe Cocker night at Newcastle Workers  
 Club 11.5:14  
 Careful, your body may betray you (Allan Pease)  
 12.5:10  
 Six things you can do with a brick (Dr. Jim  
 Miles) 14.5:2  
 Bob Debus : hunting for jobs 17.5:2  
 Actor's dual role (Vic Rooney) 18.5:7  
 A voice for the needy (Bishop Holland) 21.5:2  
 Mayor getting better (Joy Cummings) 23.5:5  
 Belmont man tops in making films (Barry Pusey)  
 23.5:5  
 10-month search to end in meeting (Judith  
 Davidson) 24.5:1  
 Actor in a new role : he's a writer (John Stone)  
 25.5:6  
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 Council drops plan to buy Bay site 29.2:3  
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 Decision on computer pays off for Port 24.3:16  
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 Tomaree seeks to attract industry for jobs 17.4:8  
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 Unions angry with new Qld 'super' law 25.10:3  
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 Report finds N.T. rail link uneconomic 21.2:5  
 Flyer complaints will be studied 23.2:9  
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 Compromise on train noise 7.3:15  
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 One-man trains less safe : study 9.3:4  
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 Commuters call for better rail service 28.3:4  
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 SRA Acts to cut noise levels 30.4:4  
 An old steam locomotive refurbished 10.5:5  
 Trust blasts tourist train delays (South Maitland Railways) 12.5:1  
 82 trains a day at Newcastle 17.5:8  
 To Sydney and back for \$17.20 18.5:6  
 700 more jobs at SRA 28.5:5  
 135 'cruise' centre (Rail trip to Alice Springs) 29.5:6  
 SRA boosts work force 29.5:6  
 Train times upset commuters 30.5:7  
 Electrification gets a bubbly reception (Electrification of trains) 5.6:1  
 \$85m rail track work opened (Between Maitland & Muswellbrook) 5.6:3  
 New service hits hurdles 5.6:5  
 Train times not Lake-orientated 9.6:10  
 'Ski-tube' rail for the Snowy 20.6:7  
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 Extra service on Lake trains 19.7:5  
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 TWU ire at SRA on freight 27.7:5  
 Rail line cleared 1.8:5  
 Enginemen like WA rail plan 1.8:6  
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 Bookings on express trains may go 6.9:7  
 Trains roll without brake vans 7.9:5  
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 Train ticket rackets 'worth \$2m a year' 18.9:6  
 Lake rail line under review 21.9:3  
 Fine for railway theft 25.9:1  
 SRA plans more services from November 26.9:9  
 Missing case 'is tough luck' 26.9:12  
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 One-man KPTs running after ruling 31.10:3  
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 SRA puts price tag on Civic railway land 28.11:1  
 Railway denial stifles plans 3.12:3  
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 North Coast train services to return 5.12:1  
 Big jump in rail numbers 6.12:4  
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 Misunderstood, job in jeopardy : an engineman's lot 22.12:1  
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 Train driver 'had been drinking' 7.7:15  
 Blood-alcohol tests urged for rail men 20.10:1  
 Fall from train 29.10:3  
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 Shape of (electric) things to come 5.5:5  
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 Damage by SRA halts test train 31.5:3  
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 Electronic indicators at Newcastle Station 13.9:4  
 'Failures' in rail electric service 8.12:3  
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Road deaths down by 400 2.1:1  
 Road toll now 81 as wet weather hits 3.1:3  
 A.H.A. owns up to RBT campaign 9.1:5  
 Breath tests cure injuries 22.3:1  
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 Random breath test blitz over Easter 18.4:7  
 1000 breath tests, no one over limit 26.4:3  
 A lot of sanity on the roads (Leader) 27.4:2  
 Hunter road deaths down by 20% 26.6:1  
 85,000 region drivers breath tested 4.7:16  
 Police get new booze buses 25.7:9  
 RBT dropped 4.8:5  
 Drug test machine for NSW Police 12.10:3  
 RBT, highway patrols stepped up 12.12:3  
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 Highway plans may end hospital traffic worries 29.2:10  
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 Hospital move 'cost \$1m extra' 2.3:1  
 Council wary on hospital work 5.4:6  
 New hospital raises questions 16.4:6  
 Highway talks offered 19.4:3  
 Hospital work application supported 16.5:3  
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 The dangers in fighting back against rapists 7.1:4  
 Three for trial on sex charges 12.1:6  
 Man, 30, charged over attack on girl, 14 7.2:3  
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 Discharged by SM 14.2:7  
 Woman 'feared for her life' in alleged sexual assault 29.2:13  
 Wingham assault acquittal 1.3:1  
 Youth 'sexually assaulted boy' 2.3:3  
 Babysitter 'assaulted after break-in' 6.3:6  
 Assault 'during visit' 7.3:19  
 Police hunt man for sex attacks on girls, 14 8.3:3  
 Youth jailed for sex attack 10.3:1  
 Seven years jail for sex assault 10.3:4  
 Man disputes assault evidence 10.3:9  
 Not guilty pleas to sex attack charges 14.3:8  
 Man, 29, acquitted on sex charges, assault 15.3:5  
 Judge's comments defended 20.3:6  
 Woman says girl 'told her of rape' 23.3:4  
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 Bar Beach sex assault alleged 26.3:3  
 Phone-in on sexual assault begins 27.3:5  
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 \$10,000 in damages after rape attempt 10.5:1  
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 Sex assault victims to get \$82,000 16.5:11  
 Man faces 10 charges after train incident 22.5:7  
 Psychiatrist accused of indecent assault 2.6:4  
 Two men sent for trial on sex and kidnap charges 22.6:6  
 Man 'told wife he was Busby ripper' 25.7:10  
 Teacher on charges 15.8:4  
 Sex charge 6.9:5  
 Man on charge over boy, 10 7.9:7  
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 Rapist, killer suspected of more attacks 11.9:5  
 'No real excuse' for sex assaults, kidnap 19.9:10  
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Sex assault, kidnap gets 20 years 21.9:1  
 12 years jail on kidnap sex offences 22.9:3  
 Periodic jail sentence, for sex attack 22.9:12  
 Police continue sexual assault inquiries 25.9:4  
 Man in court on sex charge (Murray John Larnach) 28.9:5  
 Man sent for trial (Murray John Larnach) 4.10:9  
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 Sex charges 31.10:10  
 Sexual assault 'rescue' units needed 1.11:3  
 Teacher faces trial on sex counts (William Russell Izzard) 1.11:4  
 Sexual offence charges 2.11:4  
 Girl, 6, raped, killed, dumped in gutter 8.11:5  
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 21 years jail for former detective (Colin Creed) 1.12:5  
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 Jail for 'depraved' sex attack 12.12:16  
 Woman, 91, raped 13.12:4  
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 New land presents rezoning problems 20.6:1  
 Port celebrations to merge in October 11.7:4  
 Study on Terrace CBD 18.10:4  
 Festival along riverbank 2.11:13  
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 House prices on the way up in capital cities : survey 29.2:11  
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 Home units demand 'due to increase' 24.3:23  
 'Modern' house up for auction 14.4:23  
 Change in venue for sale (Royal Oak Arms) 14.4:23  
 Major auction boost 16.4:4  
 Hotel passed in at auction (Hamilton Station) 18.4:7  
 Growth in interest in Swansea land after freeway 21.4:17  
 Newcastle 'a poor auction centre' 28.4:23  
 \$140,000 paid for City site (Blackall House) 4.5:1  
 Tasmania has the cheapest homes 4.5:5  
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 Home sites in valley up in value by 300% 8.5:3  
 'Excessive' charges halt plan 9.5:1  
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 Demonstration home with a difference 21.7:25  
 Home auctions fail to reach reserves 24.7:8  
 Success at auction 1.8:9  
 Valley family buys motel 4.8:13  
 \$850,000 for Hexham site 6.8:1  
 Thousands visit Glendore 6.8:9  
 Rutherford shops to bring \$2m at auction 7.8:6  
 \$220,000 sale (Amoco service station) 8.8:10  
 Trading firm leases Sobbs 10.8:5  
 A view of his portfolio by housing minister 11.8:27  
 \$8m in sales from brokerage 11.8:27  
 Poor results at home auctions 14.8:4  
 Arcade sale (Cardiff Arcade) 16.8:6  
 Two major buildings on market for \$2.2m 11.10:1  
 Former bank office sells for \$189,000 20.8:1  
 City East End Bond Store for sale 21.8:4  
 Commercial land owners 'hit by excessive rates' 25.8:23  
 \$20m plan for Dark's site 25.8:23  
 Cessnock hotel auctioned (The United Services Hotel) 1.9:4  
 Sinking feeling of moving house 1.9:12  
 'Water views' in demand 3.9:10  
 Nightclub premises sold (Formerly - Ambassador, now Quivers) 7.9:1  
 Restaurant sold for \$95,000 (Red Fox restaurant) 8.9:4  
 Holiday venture 12.9:16  
 Real estate man promoted 15.9:13  
 \$45,000 for Mayfield home 17.9:4  
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 Farm, other blocks bring \$191,000 1.10:3  
 Former RSL club to be auctioned 2.10:4  
 Scone grazing property sold 6.10:5  
 Success at weekend auction 8.10:3  
 \$35m for marine park 11.10:7  
 City property trust urged 12.10:6  
 Former club brings \$400,000 (Belmont RSL) 13.10:3  
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 A mixed weekend at property auctions 15.10:3  
 New tack on City office plans 18.10:3  
 Property sale tops \$3m (St Aubins) 18.10:3  
 Home, unit sold at auctions 22.10:3  
 Advising the house buyer 23.10:9  
 Civic land to be extended 24.10:3  
 Man 'told to ignore property's mortgage' 26.10:4  
 Chambers sell for \$400,000 29.10:3  
 Fine old City house for sale 29.10:3  
 'Vendetta' against family denied 30.10:3  
 Askin home sold 31.10:9  
 Antico to buy Baramul Stud 5.11:1  
 Flats sell amid auction gloom 12.11:5  
 Luxurious unit sold for \$325,000 12.11:5  
 Mansion : no sale 19.11:5  
 Cardiff site sells for \$1.5m 20.11:10  
 'Cluster housing' estate at Raymond Terrace 21.11:3  
 New Lake estate gets first approval 21.11:7  
 Mansion, acreage set for \$500,000 24.11:4  
 Maitland bank premises sold 26.11:1  
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 Lakeside home sold 28.11:16  
 \$100,000 rent for unused offices 29.11:1  
 Auction fails 29.11:6  
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 Annandale House on the market 1.12:22  
 Restaurant to be auctioned 4.12:3  
 Real estate selling well during 'lull' 4.12:6  
 Controversial marina for sale 5.12:18  
 Skiffies in bid for controversial boatel site 7.12:1  
 Property sales slow 10.12:3  
 Meatworks waste problem at Warabrook 12.12:7  
 Properties passed on 13.12:6  
 Sydneysiders push up the value of real estate 15.12:4  
 Bids but no sales at major auctions 17.12:1

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\$32m Yamba contract signed 6.1:5  
 Public may gain BHP beach land 18.1:1  
 Glenrock recreation area has community support 9.3:4  
 Lake folk want action to guard reserve (Glenrock State Recreation Area) 16.3:3  
 A recreation area (Leader) 17.3:2  
 Study of jobs, leisure time 26.4:5  
 Glenrock land exchange hits snag 8.5:1  
 Snag on Glenrock concerns groups 11.5:8  
 Recreation area to be developed at Eraring 2.7:6  
 Study on dam 11.7:9  
 Office staff find a fun way to work 5.9:5  
 Park frolic a success 8.10:5

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Move to aid sick, lonely 7.3:6  
 Bikers in appeal 14.3:12  
 Red Cross takings down 19.3:4

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Community home scheme begins 28.3:13  
 Tenancy phone-in planned 6.4:6  
 Need for low-rent housing 28.4:23  
 'Come and see where I live' 3.5:2  
 Housing funds not enough : Ministers 18.5:4  
 Tenancy scheme and applications 28.5:6  
 Housing scheme 28.6:6  
 Price of housing drops in City 2.8:6  
 Housing grants for Lower Hunter 11.8:14  
 Eviction threat for crash victim 24.10:5  
 Residents' groups hits out over flats code 28.12:5

## RETAIL TRADE

Plans for \$9m Bay centre due soon 6.1:1  
 Green light for \$35m centre (Glendale) 13.1:1  
 \$1m offer for Toronto shopping centre site 19.1:1  
 Stores to open on Australia Day holiday 24.1:1  
 A new retail revolution 25.1:17  
 Coles gains plum Maitland shopping site 25.1:5  
 Shopping signs given approval (Charlestown Sq) 25.1:5  
 Holiday opening (Leader) 25.1:2  
 It could be cheaper 26.1:7  
 County traders seek end to longer shop hours 28.1:11  
 Shops quiet in City, busier in suburbs 31.1:5  
 Shops for Wangi run into Council dissent 1.2:3  
 Court bid to stop shopping centre (Glendale) 4.2:37  
 Alderman accused over land plans (Wallsend) 7.2:1  
 K-Mart plan alarms alderman (Wallsend) 7.2:4  
 \$25m centre planned for Port 7.2:5  
 Council acts to block rival to \$9m shops project 8.2:3  
 Glendale centre may top \$60m 8.2:16  
 Shops plan passed but still in doubt (Wallsend) 9.2:8  
 'No apology' decision after bitter debate 9.2:8  
 \$25m Jesmond project in jeopardy 28.2:1  
 Council drops plan to buy Bay site 29.2:3  
 Maitland to expedite centre plan 1.3:3  
 New world joins chemist in Glendale centre fight 2.3:5  
 Club to decide on \$12m centre land (Toronto) 10.3:11  
 Third shops plan revived 21.3:12  
 Special deals, no rent alleged 31.3:1  
 Toronto club clears way for \$14m shops centre 2.4:1  
 Coles celebrates in costume 11.4:4  
 \$9m K-Mart plan for Cessnock 12.4:3  
 Pensioner hitch for \$9m shops 14.4:1  
 Shop centre changes (Garden City) 14.4:1  
 Shopping centre plan for Erina 17.4:14  
 Sobb's ready to roll up the carpet 25.4:1  
 Store displays in new era 28.4:1  
 \$750,000 shops plan for Bay 2.5:8  
 Shopping centre plan at Corokan 10.5:4

## RETAIL TRADE (Cont)

Woolworths expansion 12.5:3  
 New use for Lake garages 15.5:3  
 Clothing store put through rinse cycle 21.5:3  
 Over supply by shops 12.6:6  
 Cold snap should bring brisker sales 19.6:1  
 Shoey's to tackle retailing giants 27.6:1  
 Retail sales rise 4.7:8  
 Children give stores a bonanza 12.7:5  
 Newcastle caution on shops hours 19.7:1  
 Retailers reject deal on hours 20.7:4  
 Stiff fine for weekend trader earns rap for Cain 23.7:11  
 New shopping hours will come : Wran 24.7:8  
 Shopping centre glut in Lower Hunter 3.8:1  
 Later trading for stores approved 3.8:4  
 Shop hours confusion 9.8:1  
 Extended hours catch shops 10.8:4  
 Saturday work may hit sport 11.8:1  
 Meat left out of extended shop hours 11.8:5  
 Shop trading varies widely 13.8:3  
 'No' to Friday night trading 15.8:3  
 Rift over Friday shopping adds to confusion 16.8:1  
 Shoey's in new line on hours 17.8:1  
 Friday night trading off to a slow start 18.8:1  
 Shopping late Saturday popular 20.8:3  
 Glendale centre appeal lodge 21.8:1  
 Firm seeks to build \$4m shops centre at Bay 23.8:6  
 Late Saturday trading wins families 27.8:1  
 Appeal on food shop opens 4.9:7  
 Savings climb but retail sales 'flat' 5.9:26  
 Art goes to shopping centre 8.9:12  
 Retailers can't be forced to extend trading 14.9:3  
 Limited future seen for Cardiff 19.9:12  
 \$1.56m fails to buy shop centre 24.9:3  
 Coles site bought for \$20m scheme 29.9:3  
 Woolworths back Friday nights 4.10:7  
 Friday night shopping proving no bonanza 6.10:3  
 Shopping centres open in Singleton 13.10:13  
 Work on K-Mart begins (Maitland) 13.10:13  
 Kentucky Fried spreads its wings 26.10:3  
 More stores for Shoey's 1.11:5  
 Delays in K-Mart centre approval 3.11:12  
 'Secret' changes to act could hit shops case 5.11:7  
 Woolworths Jesmond Centre 'new generation' store opening feature 6.11:11  
 Store designed to satisfy weekly needs 6.11:11  
 Guarantee backs cheaper prices 6.11:11  
 New features are part of improved customer service 6.11:11  
 The staff that make it run smoothly 6.11:11  
 \$12m Lake centre gets initial backing 7.11:8  
 Opening was all hyped up 8.11:4  
 Work to begin soon on K-Mart 10.11:15  
 CBD lift for Maitland 24.11:1  
 Approach to Frith on shops centre at Toronto 24.11:14  
 Stand-downs soon at stores 27.11:4  
 Fed poll no worry for City shoppers 28.11:3  
 Port Councillor denied shop rental figures 29.11:4  
 Cafe to move 29.11:4  
 Friday trading 1.12:19  
 Big spenders 'out to rebut gloom' 3.12:3  
 Jesmond Centre opening 4.12:4  
 Bay shop plan step closer 4.12:5  
 Sporting store 6.12:5  
 King St ready for fair 7.12:6  
 Roll up, roll up, and they did 30,000 of them 10.12:5  
 New retail potential for Central Maitland 11.12:3  
 Shoey's expanding fast in NSW 13.12:4  
 Bizarre gifts abound for the choosey shopper 15.12:1  
 Hi-fi store sold to Sydney company 17.12:3  
 Anger at park change for chicken shop 18.12:1  
 Retailers hope for two big days 20.12:1  
 Shop scales show errors 21.12:1

## RETAIL TRADE - STRIKES AND DISPUTES

Coles strike may hit 18,000 workers 9.3:3  
 Talks bid to avoid Coles sackings 14.3:15  
 Coles to stand down 500 15.3:4

## RETIREMENT

80 decided to retire early at Comsteel 6.6:4  
 Postponed retirement plan for teachers 20.6:11  
 Bus men on retirement route 28.6:4  
 Coal industry honours two retiring senior officials 4.7:5  
 Valley Research Foundation Chairman to retire 5.7:4  
 Jobs to go as MIM expands program 17.7:12  
 Retiring BHP Head on last visit 18.7:12  
 No more alarms for Hunter fire chief 20.7:5  
 Traveller in a bow tie puts his feet up 15.8:3  
 Retirement after 49 years at the Herald 24.9:7  
 Retirement village 'a model' 22.10:4  
 Miners' option to retire at 55 25.10:1  
 Date set for Bay retirement site 5.12:11  
 'Golden handshake' for Uni professor 18.12:1

## RETURNED SERVICEMEN'S ORGANISATIONS

RSL split over who should wear badge 30.3:1  
 Female cadets join 'rats' ceremony 9.4:7  
 Service jams traffic (Sandgate War Cemetery) 16.4:1  
 'Rape march' ban sought 19.4:4  
 Not the right day to protest about rape (Leader) 20.4:2  
 Children gather for Anzac service 20.4:4  
 Court ban on women against rape march 20.4:5  
 Old soldiers : the bond between veteran and community 25.4:2  
 Anzac Day politics may spark trouble in marches 25.4:3  
 RSL prize winners named 25.4:3  
 Thousands to pay tribute to Anzacs 25.4:4  
 17 women arrested as veterans remember 26.4:1  
 Weather smiles on Anzac Day 26.4:1  
 Hunter's marches draw big crowds 26.4:6  
 Large turnouts delight RSL clubs 26.4:6  
 Cadets help in hospital first 26.4:6  
 Vietnam war veterans march 26.4:7  
 RSL lifts ranks in Upper Hunter 26.4:7  
 Coral Sea service first for years 2.5:20

## RIVERS AND CREEKS

Hunter salt levels 'still too high' 5.1:3  
 Throsby Creek meeting urged 23.4:4  
 Throsby clean-up (Leader) 24.4:2  
 Smelly old Throsby 28.4:2  
 Park and creek crave attention (Leader) 30.4:2  
 Study shows high mercury levels in Victorian Trout 24.10:14  
 A small Snowy water scheme 5.11:3  
 Mining move 6.12:5  
 Bans at Lake could stop development 8.12:6

## ROAD HAULAGE

Road inquiry to visit north 20.2:13  
 Pleasing response for road inquiry 14.3:31  
 Public to have its say on road freight 26.3:11  
 Port, City in dispute on trucks 4.4:3  
 Road freight inquiry calls for end to rail subsidies 19.9:16  
 New grain hope for North (dispute on transport) 26.9:8  
 Road freight points to recovery 1.11:4  
 Rock haulage option to barging 6.11:5

## ROAD SAFETY

Unique driving study sets its sights high 10.2:5  
 'Unsafe' helmets SAA approved 5.4:4  
 Under-25s target of Easter campaign 11.4:5  
 Pupils seek help in safety bid (Metford P.S.) 3.5:7  
 Motorists 'may be re-tested' 22.5:3  
 Drug test moves to cut N.S.W. road toll 23.5:10  
 Motorcycle helmets 'are safe' 24.5:9  
 MPs slate bike helmet standards 8.6:5  
 Highway closed by road tanker leak 25.7:4  
 Road toll down for Hunter Region 6.9:3  
 Belt fines up 19.10:5  
 Helmets for motorcyclists backed 19.10:6  
 Fourth accident brings call for Windale road crossings 31.10:14  
 Road users at risk identified 2.11:4  
 RBT, highway patrols stepped up 12.12:10

## ROAD SAFETY (Con't)

Breath tests cut arrests : Police 24.12:1  
 Road survey to find the greatest risk 28.12:4  
 Holiday road deaths rise 29.12:4

## ROADS AND HIGHWAYS

Tenders for bypass 7.1:9  
 \$21m boost for North roads 11.1:1  
 Port main roads upgrade closer (Port Stephens) 18.1:4  
 Highway 23 go-ahead 20.1:1  
 Highway 23, cost correct at \$18m 21.1:3  
 Tail-first for highway 23 (Leader) 21.1:2  
 Motorists in doubt at roundabouts 23.1:5  
 Residents favour route (Highway 23) 23.1:4  
 Swansea \$8m road, bridge work to begin soon 28.1:1  
 Public 'should have a say' over road link (Swansea) 31.1:3  
 Money flows for bypass 3.2:1  
 \$550,000 grant for Lake road 3.2:6  
 Road 'led to health, financial woes' 4.2:10  
 DMR's Maitland property bid 'a favour' 8.2:18  
 Maitland's bypass final stage in dobut 9.2:3  
 Walsh rejects bypass allegation 10.2:5  
 Resident seeks halt to bypass 14.2:4  
 Hospital roads planning tussle feared 27.2:10  
 Highway plans may end hospital traffic worries 29.2:10  
 Residents call for resiting of teaching hospital 1.3:1  
 Hawks Nest roads slated 9.3:7  
 Lake will back Swansea route 13.3:4  
 Muswellbrook highway upgrading 'to hit businesses' 14.3:12  
 Hole in road (Mayfield) 15.3:5  
 Repairs to pipe 16.3:9  
 By-pass 'not an option' for Swansea 24.3:12  
 New plans for Swansea bypass 30.3:4  
 Swansea road group to disband 2.4:1  
 Hunter roads in poor shape 3.4:1  
 Priority for eastern bypass 7.4:9  
 Road to improve access at Port 9.4:7  
 Appeal for road fund payment 9.4:4  
 Century-old trees roadwork victims 10.4:3  
 Merewether road closure urged (Sunhill Drive) 12.4:4  
 Highway talks offered 19.4:3  
 Hole closes Mayfield road 20.4:5  
 No money now' for Medowie Road 28.4:6  
 Councils talk on road link to west 1.5:6  
 Concern on Wetlands (Highway 23 route) 4.5:4  
 Work to begin on road link 8.5:4  
 Brereton to meet highway delegation soon 8.5:6  
 Wyong's traffic jams hit Swansea 9.5:11  
 'No' to Parkes Road 16.5:29  
 Freeway route go-ahead 16.5:5  
 Bypass bridge work begins to pile up 19.5:12  
 Contrast for coal road let (Newstan Colliery - Awaba State Mine) 21.5:10  
 Station master's house safe 22.5:4  
 Council ready to adopt Toronto road plans 24.5:4  
 Freeway north lanes open in July 25.5:6  
 Pacific Highway traffic diversion 28.5:6  
 Road, park plan study 29.5:12  
 Call for road funds boost 12.6:8  
 \$1.4m Lake road grant 30.6:4  
 \$800,000 roads grant 2.7:5  
 Sunhill Drive closure 3.7:6  
 Gosford roads 3.7:7  
 'Communist' taunt at forum 11.7:7  
 No easy road for East End traffic plan 12.7:2  
 Bypass 'to cause damage' 12.7:6  
 Face attacks eastern bypass comments 13.7:1  
 Survey of City traffic urged 13.7:6  
 Merewether group angry at 'communist' allegation (Eastern Bypass) 17.7:3  
 Roadwork 'blight on lives, land' 18.7:3  
 Freeway open (Wyong Bypass) 18.7:8  
 Strategic plan for area roads 19.7:3  
 'Cain's Hill' schedules 24.7:4  
 Overpass at Hamilton 'years away' 30.7:7  
 Moratorium call on Daintree Road 8.8:14  
 Ecological groups deny road change 26.8:4  
 Call for meeting on road plans 27.8:5  
 Tender on road 31.8:1  
 Extra funds for roads 4.9:3  
 \$95m boost for roads 11.9:5  
 Street link decision deferred 19.9:5  
 Swansea highway debate stifled 25.9:1

## ROADS AND HIGHWAYS (Con't)

State roads worry, not highway 28.9:3  
 Bypass doubt in Maitland 12.10:1  
 Maitland bypass tenders 'next year' 13.10:5  
 'Green' plans for eastern bypass 22.10:3  
 Response to road strategy welcome 29.10:8  
 Roads row stops opening of motel 3.11:12  
 Lake town objects to bypass 5.11:4  
 Road switch 20.11:4  
 Road closures deferred 21.11:16  
 Change in the law aims at right-hand lane hogs 1.12:3  
 Hunter road closed 1.12:6  
 Road challenges to allow college extensions 5.12:5  
 Keep-left law to be policed 7.12:4  
 Police are well prepared for holiday traffic 8.12:2  
 Feeder road plan leaves future of wildlife park in doubt 12.12:10  
 Cessnock Council accused of neglecting roads, drainage 15.12:19  
 Chaos from holiday traffic 28.12:3  
 Traffic jams highway 31.12:1

## ROBBERY

\$5000 bail on bank robbery charges 6.1:5  
 Widowed mother's home robbed twice 31.1:1  
 Gunman killed in siege, chase 1.2:1  
 Gifts help to ease widow's plights 1.2:5  
 Thieves grab \$7500 railway takings 1.2:17  
 Row over siege, chase 2.2:4  
 Siege may lead to industrial action 3.2:6  
 Shootout detective released 8.2:12  
 Robbed in mall 9.2:7  
 Mayfield raid nets \$50,000 10.2:1  
 Sydney squad help theft investigation 11.2:9  
 \$1000 fine, bond for assaults, robbery 15.2:12  
 Robbery 'failed by alarm' 22.2:9  
 Surrender of bank cash 'put end to robberies' 24.2:5  
 Rob count remand 1.3:5  
 Sentences reserved on armed hold-ups 3.3:10  
 Mayfield office robbed at gunpoint 8.3:3  
 Woman, 50, hurt in \$200 robbery 10.3:12  
 \$100,000 Army pay stolen 23.3:4  
 Man for trial over sex, theft charges 24.3:9  
 5 years in jail for assault, robbery 5.4:5  
 Knife used in taxi 18.4:6  
 Robber threatened to kill Kearsley couple 3.5:1  
 Man, 26, on \$2000 bail over armed robbery offence 8.5:5  
 Remand on four charges 8.5:7  
 'Balaclava gang' in second theft 9.5:3  
 \$205 taken in armed robbery 10.5:8  
 Robbery at City hotel 15.5:8  
 Man, 19, remanded on menaces count 17.5:4  
 Man 'had cut-down rifle' 18.5:6  
 Thief flees on bike 29.5:5  
 Maitland theft 5.6:6  
 Shotgun theft at pizza bar 11.6:1  
 Audio shop is 'uninsurable' 14.6:3  
 Dive shop robbed 19.6:6  
 Judge seeks reports on bank robber 21.6:4  
 Man 'robbed, locked in boot' 21.6:5  
 Two youths sought 25.6:6  
 Cash taken 25.6:3  
 Three youths charged 25.6:10  
 Two rob bank 27.6:13  
 Hold-up charges 28.6:7  
 Robbery attempt in church fails 30.6:5  
 Remand in custody 3.7:6  
 Chicken outlet robbed 3.7:7  
 Gunman robs bottle shop 7.7:3  
 Sub-machine-gun fired at Police 10.7:3  
 Search on for robber 10.7:3  
 Police seek four after Hunter hold-ups 10.7:6  
 Armed robbery at Aberdare nets \$700 11.7:4  
 \$18,000 stolen 11.7:11  
 Bank robber 'talked of death' in seige 13.7:6  
 Attempted rob count 13.7:6  
 Youths rob man 1.8:6  
 Thieves take \$50,000 in jewellery 2.8:4  
 Man on break-in, robbery charges 2.8:4  
 Extradition sought 3.8:6  
 Man held on armed assault, robbery counts 7.8:6  
 Sentences fail to indicate situation : Judge 9.8:3  
 Thief and victim both pointed knives 16.8:3  
 Judge lauds bank man on capture of thief 16.8:4

## ROBBERY (Con't)

Jewellery taken from house 16.8:5  
 Armed robber gets bond to care for wife 17.8:1  
 Masked men steal \$600 20.8:3  
 Warning on video, TV inquiries 24.8:1  
 Thieves raid two houses 28.8:7  
 Young suspected over robberies 3.9:7  
 'Inside' information led to robberies 12.9:3  
 Police seek two girl 'hijackers' 12.9:16  
 Weekend jail term for bank robber 13.9:7  
 Sharks fear for robbers 19.9:5  
 Robber 'did voluntary work for churches' (Michael Shane Gould) 21.9:3  
 Robber 'not church worker' (Michael Shane Gould) 22.9:5  
 Magistrate refuses bail review plea 27.9:5  
 Robbery fails 27.9:7  
 Bank robbery : peace of mind is stolen too 29.9:4  
 Belmont robbery 3.10:7  
 Guilty plea on seven charges 3.10:15  
 Seven years for armed robbery 5.10:4  
 Man 'told of intent to cave in skull' 5.10:5  
 .22 sawn-off rifle used in hold-up 15.10:1  
 Robbers hold up army base 18.10:5  
 Man tried to chew up identity 19.10:5  
 Street stake-out nets 6 22.10:1  
 Restaurant held up (Happy Gardens) 23.10:1  
 Hold-up couple charged 23.10:5  
 Food barn robbed of \$42,000 30.10:5  
 18-months weekend jail 2.11:4  
 Brothers sentenced for attacks 2.11:6  
 Houses robbery theory 3.11:4  
 Two plead guilty on robbery charge 3.11:5  
 Stealing charges admitted 4.11:10  
 3 admit assault, robbery counts 13.11:4  
 Jail term for sacrilege 16.11:8  
 Shattered woman counts her loss 17.11:1  
 Man acquitted on bank rob charges 22.11:4  
 Retired man tackles suspect 23.11:1  
 Bandit ties up family 24.11:1  
 Man charged over Uni Credit Union robbery 24.11:3  
 Couple in Belmont knife raid 1.12:1  
 21 years jail for former detective 1.12:5  
 Cash 'fell from motorbike' 6.12:5  
 2 arrested 7.12:6  
 Youth on charge 7.12:7  
 No clues to \$500,000 robbery 12.12:4  
 Two armed men rob bank 12.12:16  
 2 charged 13.12:1  
 Civilians chase gunman 13.12:6  
 Man for sentence on robbery : escape 14.12:7  
 Cinema's takings stolen 26.12:3  
 Man robbed 27.12:15

## ROYAL NEWCASTLE HOSPITAL

North hospitals hit by Hepatitis 3.1:1  
 Vaccine funds must be given (Leader) 3.1:2  
 Hepatitis outbreak under control : doctors 4.1:3  
 Ambulance man hepatitis victim 5.1:1  
 Hospital gets \$1.5m grant 5.1:3  
 Ambulancemen vent anger (Hepatitis B) 6.1:1  
 Mother made medical history 6.1:1  
 Disease warning failure a puzzle 7.1:3  
 Gaps in disease follow-up (Leader) 7.1:2  
 Miracles and tragedies 21.1:7  
 RNH private intake down 27.4:5  
 Hospitals get \$230,000 18.5:5  
 Talks on re-use of artificial kidneys 21.5:9  
 RNH has new sterile rooms 22.5:7  
 RNH kitchen shame 25.5:1  
 RNH medicare headache 2.6:5  
 No action on kidney recycling option 4.6:5  
 Number change 13.6:9  
 Snails go like a Mini Cooper 5 car goes 2.7:1  
 RNH's baby boom goes bust 12.7:1  
 'No strings' claim for RNH 12.7:7  
 Vote for longer week 17.7:7  
 RNH will introduce artificial kidney reuse 3.8:5  
 RNH facing rating loss over out-moded kitchen 14.8:3  
 RNH men return 28.8:4  
 Hospitals must pay for drugs 7.9:1  
 New kitchen for RNH 29.9:5  
 Hospital records go to university 29.9:12  
 RNH 'left in the lurch' 1.11:3  
 Fete at RNH 10.11:5  
 RNH services hit by budget cut 28.11:11  
 RNH kept busy with holiday accidents 27.12:3

## RUGBY LEAGUE

Quayle takes over referees 24.1:14  
 ABC to telecast Saturday league 24.1:1  
 A team 'dead on its feet' no use to Panno 1.2:38  
 NRL reviews \$1 fee 2.2:18  
 Referees enjoy low profile 2.2:18  
 NRL slates Govt over insurance 7.2:16  
 Coaching plan revolutionary 7.2:16  
 NRL gets \$25,000 sponsorship 10.2:16  
 A beret, a topper or a toupee 11.2:40  
 NRL names squad 13.2:16  
 Refs seeking \$60 a match 14.2:16  
 Nocks gain low-key coach (Bruce Starkey) 15.2:38  
 Spinal war over (Rod Campbell) 17.2:16  
 R.L. increases admission price 50c, cuts ref claim 21.2:16  
 Referees accept rise 22.2:36  
 Cricketers hit league club for six 27.2:1  
 Newcastle not disgraced against Sydney giants 5.3:16  
 Channel nine wins \$1.5m R.L. deal 8.3:18  
 This David could come a cropper (David Moreland) 22.3:20  
 CRL : stretching a dollar further 29.3:22  
 League gets Sports Centre for 15 years 29.3:1  
 'Mystery' meeting for NRL Board members 10.4:18  
 NRL and league boss to discuss Sydney entry 12.4:18  
 Oval ban angers league bosses (Harker Oval) 14.4:40  
 League club moves on postponement issue (Harker Oval) 16.4:20  
 NRL moves a step closer to entry into Sydney 17.4:26  
 Holden out for 3 weeks 17.4:26  
 NRL calls for blackout of live Sydney telecast 18.4:28  
 City 'to join Sydney R.L.' 18.4:1  
 Form not names call by coach (Country R.L.) 21.4:28  
 Change of stand ends R.L. era (Townson Oval) 21.4:28  
 Ryan included in Kurri side pending appeal 2.5:38  
 Heavy fines for wrong teams 8.5:22  
 NRL out of 1985 Sydney season 8.5:1  
 Sydney entry inevitable : NRL 9.5:42  
 Referee wins appeal (Willie Tarry) 10.5:20  
 NRL could get the last laugh 17.5:20  
 Northern crowds return 23.5:44  
 North wants own stars in match 5.6:18  
 ABC reneged : NRL 6.6:40  
 Appeal ruling 'apalling' 6.6:40  
 Raymond Terrace out this season 7.6:16  
 Finch will play pivot 7.6:18  
 Judiciary in fighting mood 7.6:18  
 Roosters axe two for Tigers match 9.6:41  
 Promotion ends long struggle for Holden 9.6:42  
 Winger falters but Bulldogs get up 11.6:14  
 Incidents mark Penrith win 11.6:14  
 Souths keep hopes alive 11.6:14  
 'Pixie' weaves magic on Eels 11.6:14  
 West 'bombs' blitz Waratah 11.6:14  
 Lakes harness wind 11.6:16  
 Canterbury on top 11.6:16  
 R.L. comp could split 11.6:16  
 Debut try had its moment 12.6:18  
 Wright out of State side 12.6:18  
 Boyd returns to fray 13.6:43  
 Appeals open to media 13.6:43  
 Wilko plots diplomatic course at school level 14.6:18  
 Saints aid Goannas 14.6:18  
 Publican prop strips for top-grade recall 15.6:22  
 Balmain rookie to face Manly 15.6:22  
 State coach fears Qld referee 15.6:22  
 Teenager called into Aberdeen's top side 16.6:41  
 Pitman ends fitness doubts on derby eve 16.6:42  
 Price, Grothe boost hopes 16.6:42  
 Singleton take outright lead 18.6:16  
 Steelers muzzle the Bulldogs 18.6:16  
 Tigers bounce back 18.6:16  
 Souths put Eels deeper in mire 18.6:16  
 Cessnock gain confidence 18.6:16  
 Lowe breaks slump 18.6:18  
 Dungeon gloom thwarts league doctor 19.6:18  
 No grand final tickets 19.6:18  
 Sea Eagles axe four players 19.6:18  
 Maroons weather NSW storm 20.6:38  
 ISC will host league finals 20.6:38  
 Spicer to appeal 20.6:38

## RUGBY LEAGUE (Con't)

Borders study prompts theory 21.6:16  
 Group 18 refs in boycott 21.6:16  
 Half back peppers Bears 21.6:16  
 Churchill among feminine fripperies 21.6:16  
 Bluebags lose three key men 22.6:14  
 Bulldog half replaces Kenny 22.6:18  
 Price is doubtful for test 23.6:40  
 Dragons roar despite skippers dismissal 25.6:16  
 Hooker rescues shaky raiders 25.6:16  
 A win but Ryan unhappy 25.6:16  
 Steelers stay in semi race 25.6:16  
 University tested but retain rugby lead 25.6:16  
 Starkey to give evidence at R.L. Judiciary 25.6:16  
 Muswellbrook not troubled by Aberdeen 25.6:16  
 Warners Bay still superior 25.6:16  
 Cronin back to his best 25.6:16  
 Butcher boys confused over prop's dismissal 25.6:18  
 Randall lands long kick for 100 points 25.6:18  
 Winger's appeal dismissed 25.6:18  
 South gallant in defeat 25.6:18  
 Seagulls post nine tries 25.6:18  
 Alleged victim pleads for defence 26.6:18  
 Skipper let off with warning 26.6:18  
 Referees declare no confidence in NRL 27.6:40  
 Pearce leads ashes victory 27.6:40  
 Schoolboy test spot to Harman 28.6:16  
 Test second rower to have surgery 28.6:18  
 NRL confers with referees 28.6:18  
 Gillies earns firsts recall 28.6:18  
 Kenny thrives at pivot 28.6:18  
 League war stops all games 30.6:1  
 2 teams entered in schools league 30.6:41  
 Losses stun Sea Eagles 30.6:42  
 Referees boycott weekend RL matches 29.6:18  
 League matches on again 3.7:1  
 League chief has Boyd cited 3.7:20  
 Halfback appeals 3.7:20  
 Mediator not wanted 3.7:20  
 League puts paid to Boyd's career 4.7:44  
 Way clear for ISC takeover 4.7:44  
 Roosters lift form in mud 5.7:16  
 Break could aid Kurri pair 5.7:16  
 Boyd hits back 5.7:16  
 Oliviera, Watson fail Kurri fitness test 6.7:14  
 Britain names fiery forwards 6.7:18  
 Players seek league voice 6.7:18  
 Cessnock call on Millward as half-back 7.7:41  
 Semi-final pressure on Werris Creek 7.7:41  
 Eels undaunted by hometown fervour 7.7:41  
 Test ref wants showcase match 7.7:42  
 Price's finale today 7.7:42  
 Wanderers notch third win on trot 9.7:18  
 Gould resumes as test fullback 9.7:18  
 Bulldogs hole the Bluebags 9.7:20  
 Hooker charged with kicking 9.7:22  
 Cheetahs advance to outright fourth 9.7:22  
 Eels slip again 9.7:22  
 Seagulls fly high 9.7:22  
 Mortimer boys back for Queensland's tester 10.7:16  
 Boyd yet to appeal 10.7:16  
 Kick charge earns a caution 10.7:16  
 Pickers plucked of two points 10.7:16  
 Boyd not allowed to play England 11.7:38  
 Lewis and Miles recover 11.7:38  
 Footballer scores racing goal 12.7:14  
 Lewis plots win 12.7:16  
 Kurri delays team 13.7:16  
 Sports Centre 'secret deals' denied lease comes first, R.L. says 14.7:3  
 Canterbury face injury problem 14.7:39  
 Lantry back into top grade with Singleton 14.7:39  
 League refuses Boyd appeal 14.7:40  
 Waratah coach has big wraps on youngster 14.7:40  
 Conlon seals thriller 16.7:16  
 Manly shrugs off Rabbitohs 16.7:16  
 Steelers keep fans happy 16.7:16  
 Cronulla may cite Balmain player 16.7:16  
 Eats snatch late draw 16.7:16  
 Boolaroo now equal fourth in rugby 16.7:16  
 Seagulls withstand Tahs comeback 16.7:18  
 Scorpion leader will not coach in '85 16.7:18  
 Panthers splintered 16.7:18  
 Rugby player dies 16.7:18  
 Coach Earl has strong role for premiers 16.7:18  
 Pearce and Grothe out for N.S.W. 17.7:18  
 NRL sets the dates for missed series 17.7:18  
 Cessnock triumphs 17.7:18  
 League celebration casualty 18.7:7

## RUGBY LEAGUE (Con't)

Cup bonanza in Tamworth 18.7:33  
 Gibson to Cronulla 18.7:33  
 N.S.W. lifts standing with solid victory 18.7:36  
 Saints tear strips off the Tigers 19.7:18  
 Goannas recall giant 20.7:18  
 Injury puts Cronin out 20.7:18  
 Sydney side out of R.L. Cup 20.7:14  
 Graham fails North Sydney fitness test 20.7:14  
 Battered Balmain takes a break 21.7:43  
 Form loses no worry to Amidy 21.7:43  
 Kurri rookie to face baptism of fire 21.7:44  
 Travelling lock finds job, play in Cessnock 23.7:16  
 Drop goal proves crucial for Eels 23.7:18  
 Manly dazzles in the gloom 23.7:18  
 No fanfare as Souths close on semi spot 23.7:18  
 Steelers cut errors to win 23.7:18  
 Denman takes over lead in comp. 23.7:18  
 Cessnock leapfrogs Waratah-Mayfield 23.7:18  
 Injuries hit all blacks 23.7:18  
 Cortisone shots for Cronin 23.7:18  
 Seagulls fly into second position 23.7:20  
 Rosella fans put to fright 23.7:20  
 Halfbacks puts Lions on win path 23.7:20  
 Bluebags fourth 23.7:20  
 Eels centre struggles to be fit 24.7:18  
 Cessnock students want clear win 24.7:18  
 Eels slide to defeat before king Wally 26.7:22  
 Bluebags' fate again in Rosella hands 26.7:22  
 Beetson returns 26.7:22  
 Cheetahs axe four 27.7:18  
 Central smile on rain 28.7:42  
 Film puts snarl into panthers 30.7:14  
 Luck and talent make a winner 30.7:14  
 Home crowd jeers Balmain display 30.7:14  
 Raiders stay in semi race 30.7:14  
 Bulldogs given warning 30.7:14  
 'Crusher' wrecks hapless Wests 30.7:14  
 Elwin wants try for 100 30.7:14  
 Fullback proves his worth 30.7:16  
 Butcher boys not disgraced 30.7:16  
 Winger shines 30.7:16  
 NRL debates telecast 31.7:13  
 Clean slate for Paddy 31.7:18  
 Cup salvage job for Easts 1.8:42  
 Bulldogs drop ace kicker 1.8:42  
 Goannas grab fourth spot 1.8:42  
 Referees 'plan' 1.8:42  
 Country XV extend all blacks 1.8:42  
 Roosters can crow 2.8:18  
 Kurri loses hit-man for local derby 2.8:18  
 New format talks 2.8:18  
 Holz back in reserves 3.8:20  
 Goanna half to play lock 3.8:20  
 Graham seeks long-term contract 4.8:39  
 Prop may cement top grade position 4.8:41  
 Earl holds key in Denman match 4.8:41  
 Race on for fourth rugby semi spot 4.8:41  
 League coaching course a first 4.8:41  
 North switch Mellross again 4.8:44  
 The Waratahs bounce back 6.8:15  
 Souths skipper stops walk-off 6.8:15  
 Steelers topple a tall poppy 6.8:18  
 Eels post 'worst' win 6.8:18  
 Raiders back in top five 6.8:18  
 Bears scuttle Panthers 6.8:18  
 Sick tiger a winner 6.8:18  
 Walsh's brilliance lifts Lakes 6.8:18  
 Bulldogs kick way to victory 6.8:22  
 Elwin tops 100 points - scores a try 6.8:22  
 Flying winger lifts Cheetahs 6.8:22  
 Souths in walk-off attempt 6.8:22  
 Crunch RL match 7.8:18  
 NRL soothes referee 7.8:18  
 Also-rans will put new rules to test 7.8:18  
 Randall makes impression 8.8:36  
 Late fitness test on Kurri winger 8.8:36  
 Goannas stage late recovery 8.8:36  
 Campbell tackles diving before rugby league 9.8:15  
 Rosellas cop a haymaker 9.8:18  
 New rules to be tried first in North 9.8:18  
 Olaf Prattl comes home 9.8:18  
 Falton stays 9.8:18  
 Grothe, Taylor out 10.8:18  
 Moxted unfit for maroons encounter 10.8:18  
 Manly lose three for vital clash 11.8:47  
 Five teams to fight out play-off positions 11.8:47  
 Rope expects maroons to get physical 11.8:47  
 Lakes prepare for decider 11.8:50

## RUGBY LEAGUE (Con't)

Central Ref has new book of rules 11.8:50  
 ISC changes for a better view 11.8:50  
 Cessnock in University Shield final 11.8:50  
 Manly beats Eels at own game 13.8:18  
 Willey appeals for rules stay 13.8:18  
 Injuries hit cup finalists 13.8:18  
 Tigers roar again 13.8:18  
 Muswellbrook take title on countback 13.8:18  
 Maitland bow out a winner 13.8:18  
 Star pivot Eastes highs & lows 13.8:18  
 A \$10,000 kick pays a big dividend 13.8:18  
 Gulls make meat of depleted Posellas 13.8:20  
 Cheetah flyer notches 25th 13.8:20  
 Lakes earn a weeks break 13.8:20  
 Clarke denied fond farewell 13.8:20  
 League bombs defused in experiment 13.8:20  
 Former league great pleads not guilty to receiving 14.8:6  
 Tyrrells hiccup denies pickers 14.8:18  
 Brown to face all blacks 14.8:18  
 Dispute could resurface 14.8:18  
 Referee cited by league 14.8:18  
 Major RL changes loom next year 14.8:18  
 Eels forward propped 15.8:38  
 Pitman demanding 100% commitment 15.8:38  
 Playoff for Bulldogs 15.8:38  
 Goannas have their own flash 16.8:20  
 Young Kurri flyer 'a coaches dream' 16.8:20  
 PL edict 'stupid' 16.8:20  
 To Brisbane go spoils in memorable final 16.8:20  
 CPL could inflict more pain 16.8:20  
 Newton link aids Graham 17.8:22  
 Defence feature of Shield finalist 17.8:22  
 Cheetah pivot opposes Finch 17.8:22  
 Eels lock sidelined 17.8:22  
 Tigers on prowl of wounded Eels 18.8:43  
 Sudden death for loser in valley showdown 18.8:43  
 The axe keen to lop Cheetahs 18.8:44  
 Side weigh in for league semis 18.8:44  
 Saints burl down title challenge 20.8:18  
 Coaches critical of new rules 20.8:18  
 Teams ponder what might have been 20.8:18  
 Points spree puts Penrith out of five 20.8:18  
 Hand injury mars wingers match 20.8:18  
 Amidy steers Singleton to semi win 20.8:18  
 Wests lease of life 20.8:18  
 A freak try seals game for dogged Cheetahs 20.8:20  
 St Kevin sin bins himself 20.8:20  
 Six vie for two spots 20.8:20  
 Where did we go wrong 21.8:18  
 No action on complaint 21.8:18  
 Raiders breathe easier 21.8:18  
 But Kelly still bears a grudge 22.8:40  
 Off-beat pair keep Tahs' bumming 23.8:18  
 Four vie for two spots 23.8:18  
 Kurri prop breaks family tradition 24.8:18  
 Posellas confirm team 24.8:18  
 Nizscot will return Nerth 25.8:39  
 Belmont beaten in school rugby league semi final 25.8:41  
 Cochrane misses league semi final chance 25.8:41  
 Muswellbrook switch lock McCormack to centres 25.8:41  
 Webber chases major title 25.8:42  
 Waratah players share the loot 25.8:42  
 A prompt warning 27.8:20  
 Lakes Captain set for final 28.8:1  
 Morriset warned 28.8:18  
 Shine stays with Souths 28.8:18  
 Oliveira bounces back 29.8:34  
 Winkler wants to go out in style 29.8:34  
 Memory lapse almost cost 'Rip' dearly 30.8:18  
 'This the season to be lenient' 30.8:18  
 NRL lifts Hardman ban 31.8:18  
 League players body sets four aims 1.9:38  
 Bulldogs beat finals jitters: Patrick 1.9:42  
 English winter beckons 1.9:42  
 Former sin bin referee collars a new role 3.9:3  
 Narrow results in 2nd division 3.9:14  
 Quinn's injuries add to Lakes' woes 3.9:16  
 Denman win way to grand final 3.9:16  
 Kurri pleased with Pitman 3.9:18  
 West out of NSW league 4.9:18  
 Cook's return gives West fully fit side 5.9:38  
 Lowe's plan for a corker 5.9:38  
 Pre-match twitter is strictly for the birds 6.9:18  
 Edwards shows more maturity 7.9:18  
 Muswellbrook PL favourites 8.9:41

## RUGBY LEAGUE (Con't)

Wallace top player 8.9:41  
 Psyche film for Seagulls 8.9:42  
 Belmont 'semi-comatose' 8.9:42  
 Personal best by Brady with 4 tries 10.9:13  
 Webb misses 100 points for season 10.9:13  
 Bay into RL playoff 10.9:13  
 Brawlers maybe fined 10.9:13  
 'Hospitals can't provide tonics like that' 10.9:16  
 Black and gold beanie stands alone 10.9:16  
 'No basis' to spy claims 11.9:16  
 Iahs coach sets 1985 goals 11.9:16  
 Rugby league desertions mount 11.9:16  
 Waratah will not act on 'lock-out' 12.9:39  
 Maloney wins ISC job 12.9:40  
 Brawlers reprimanded (Souths & St George) 12.9:40  
 League not only code worrying 13.9:18  
 Big gate tipped at league finals 14.9:13  
 S. Lakes takes league double 17.9:18  
 Newcastle league under microscope 22.9:43  
 League warned of referee shortage 25.9:18  
 League talks resume next month new CRL format in '85 26.9:34  
 Three clubs the main losers 27.9:16  
 Fake considering Sydney offer 27.9:16  
 Anderson takes on new job with 'battlers' 28.9:18  
 League test would 'net NZ \$100,000' 29.9:42  
 Sydney clubs seek player of the year 5.10:20  
 City-Country RL goes back to ISC 5.10:20  
 Call for RL clubs to merge 9.10:20  
 Prop switches to Maitland (Kevin Neal) 9.10:20  
 Newcastle league loses State hooker to bears 10.10:38  
 Four clubs against merger proposals 10.10:38  
 Move to form new RL referees association 11.10:16  
 League asserts referees left them in the dark 16.10:20  
 A taste of things to come 17.10:40  
 Rodway opposes move 17.10:40  
 Referees to give NRL submission 18.10:20  
 Posella's hold Gary Martine 20.10:41  
 NRL wants slice of T.V. cake 23.10:20  
 Kurri retains Pitman (Michael Pitman) 24.10:40  
 Newcastle half joins Balmain (Craig Higgins) 27.10:46  
 Sated Seagulls ignore pay day 30.10:20  
 Ziggy yet to name club 30.10:20  
 Floodlight failure helps Wallabies 1.11:16  
 Bulldogs will play for challenge cup 1.11:18  
 Cheetahs sink fangs into Central 1.11:18  
 Hutchinson new Bluebags coach 3.11:45  
 O'Brien replaces Winney on NFL Board 3.11:46  
 Future lies in Sydney 3.11:46  
 Niszczot will lead Central 12.11:18  
 Second division meets over refs 15.11:18  
 Referee secretary quits in protest 15.11:18  
 Brighter news for Bluebags 16.11:17  
 Michael Tilse to coach at Scone 19.11:14  
 Sea Eagles official dies (John Tension) 19.11:16  
 Judge begins league hearing 20.11:20  
 Teasing names for most of touring party 22.11:16  
 League judge reserves decision 22.11:18  
 First step by refs group 22.11:18  
 A taste of the big sin bin 22.11:18  
 Ref 'proven' the best 22.11:18  
 Two test changes 22.11:18  
 Lawton has a burning desire to beat Wales 23.11:20  
 League will return to Referees' Board in 1985 27.11:20  
 Microphones on T.V. referees 29.11:20  
 League will press for match of the day 4.12:22  
 Warwick gets Lions fit 8.12:44  
 Magpies threaten chaos if league appeals 11.12:22  
 Eels report a \$690 surplus 12.12:49  
 League lodges appeal 13.12:20  
 Dissatisfied rugby star considers code switch 13.12:20  
 RL appeal will be heard today 14.12:22  
 Woman officer for Seagulls 14.12:22  
 RL battlers sign gate 22.12:30  
 Rugby League rep eager stays in Newcastle 22.12:34  
 Country title draw release 22.12:34  
 League diversifies into rodeo market 27.12:18

## RUGBY UNION

Old R. U. coach seeks top job 7.2:16  
 Lord sticks to R.U. circus 17.2:13  
 ARU bites the bullet : Jones new coach 25.2:37  
 Referee alleged to have been hit 30.3:16  
 Wandering coach settles in 6.4:16  
 Big game tonight for local rugby union ref (Alexander McNeill) 17.4:26  
 Leslight to referee 100th game (Ken Leslight) 26.5:39  
 Newcastle's chance at Country Week 9.6:41  
 Newcastle into union finals 11.6:15  
 Newcastle dominates in rugby 12.6:18  
 Big week for solicitor 14.6:18  
 Warners Bay clear leaders 16.6:41  
 Hamilton seek revenge in union 16.6:41  
 Rugby union surprises 18.6:16  
 University forced to make changes for union series 30.6:41  
 Wileman retained at five-eighth for Hamilton clash 7.7:41  
 The Waratahs out to cement playoff spot 14.7:39  
 MacNeill appointed to test Suva 14.7:40  
 Rugby challenge against Services 18.7:33  
 Ball gluts aids Services win 19.7:18  
 \$1200 to playing fund 19.7:18  
 Home ground to suit Boolaroo against Uni 21.7:43  
 Uni still unbeaten 23.7:15  
 Rebel Wallaby eight to boycott Sydney match 25.7:40  
 Country winger hurt against Dublin side 26.7:22  
 Wallaby coach defends eight 26.7:22  
 Test-strength XV v Sydney 27.7:18  
 Aru backs Shehadie 28.7:42  
 Captain busy in washout 30.7:12  
 Dilemma for all blacks 30.7:16  
 Hewson bounces back 9.8:18  
 Injuries and Maitland to test University 11.8:47  
 Newcastle winger stars for Blues 15.8:38  
 Jones talks tough 17.8:22  
 Boolaroo supporters will have plenty to cheer 18.8:43  
 Could to kick in series decider 18.8:44  
 Boolaroo nose dive 20.8:17  
 Pilecki, 37, will tour 20.8:20  
 Leaders meet in finale 25.8:41  
 Newcastle Uni seeks another Irish scalp 28.8:18  
 Uni fightback 29.8:34  
 University tested but through to rugby union grand final 3.9:16  
 Gibson find for May-East 7.9:18  
 Mayfield East hit by injuries 8.9:41  
 Mayfield East seek RU title 10.9:13  
 Rugby award to Welshman 11.9:16  
 NRU to name medal winner 12.9:39  
 Uni half wins medal 13.9:18  
 Tradition keeps May-East going 14.9:16  
 University, Mayfield East chase elusive RU title 15.9:41  
 University too fast for Mayfield East 17.9:15  
 Maitland make amends in minor grade 17.9:15  
 Paynolds as guest speaker 22.9:43  
 Rugby book stirs pot 3.10:18  
 Waratahs win back lost cup 3.10:38  
 Wallaby breakaway stirred by report 9.10:17  
 Visa-less Enrique stranded 10.10:38  
 RU chief moves to sever ties with country 16.10:20  
 RU split could cost player Europe tour 17.10:40  
 Rugby pivots in classic duel 24.10:40  
 Wallaby tour has its price 30.10:20  
 Newcastle first in rugby program 1.11:16  
 NRU warned of tie cut 27.11:20  
 Scott retains NRU post 5.12:44  
 Wallaby XV unchanged 6.12:18  
 Ella wants to go out in style 7.12:20  
 Scots will 'shut backline out' 8.12:44  
 Records go in Wallaby rampage in Edinburgh 10.12:16  
 Ella criticises journalist 11.12:22  
 Veterans to run in a last showcase for Wallabies 15.12:46  
 Tour ends in triumph 17.12:22  
 Wallabies home triumphant 20.12:16

## SAILING AND YACHTING

Confusion in marathon 30.1:14  
 Yacht Chief declares war (America's Cup challenge) 24.3:46  
 A jostle of yachts (Leader : America's Cup challenge) 26.4:2  
 Lake yachtsman has Bond's ambitions - but not his money (Glen Coulton) 26.4:24  
 Tumbi Umbi boy designs 'pretender' 16.5:40  
 Sean gets on the right tack 19.5:1  
 Job sacrificed for world title win 10.7:1  
 Sydney skiff best 20.7:14  
 Perth club defends marketing controls 2.8:18  
 5000KM yacht race proposed on '87 2.8:18  
 Pittwater sailors call in 4.8:3  
 'Olympic Gold' for Belmont sailor 13.8:1  
 Skiff series gets boost 21.9:20  
 Port to subsidise yacht clubs 26.9:5  
 Harbour attracts top skiffs 11.10:18  
 Etchell crews kept busy 18.10:20  
 Lord Howe Island race leave many behind 25.10:18  
 Race not for commuters 27.10:46  
 Private battle 29.10:17  
 Yacht race sponsor may cut his costs 30.10:19  
 50-miler attracts big fleet 1.11:18  
 \$2m buys Australia 11 for nation 5.11:1  
 Yachts fight heavy seas 7.11:41  
 Can rivals stop skiff Supremo 8.11:18  
 Lexcen attacks Royal Perth over sponsors 9.11:18  
 90 skiffs enter state titles 10.11:45  
 Sydney skiff post intentions 12.11:18  
 His Newcastle flyer awaits mast rigging 13.11:20  
 Bermudan yacht out to take line honours 15.11:15  
 Kollus skipper 15.11:15  
 Skipper farewells title with a flourish 19.11:18  
 Redhead boatmen : the good oil 20.11:20  
 Five Lake craft at world title 22.11:18  
 Former champion causes an upset at Manly 28.11:41  
 State Championships on Lake Macquarie 29.11:20  
 Rough seas stop sailing 29.11:20  
 E22 : a contrast in champions 3.12:22  
 Heart attack not enough to stop yacht veteran 4.12:21  
 From a farm dam tub to a Maxi 4.12:21  
 E22 novice new world champion 4.12:21  
 Updated skate wins new converts 6.12:18  
 Draw boosts Belmont skiff hopes 12.12:49  
 Soon, sailors will be free to hoist ads 14.12:22  
 Dry run for champion navigator 20.12:16  
 Chasing third sailing title 24.12:4  
 Skipper covers up yacht race controversy 24.12:4  
 Strong Lake team in Hobart 26.12:1  
 Record fleet for Melbourne race 26.12:21  
 Condor's skipper under pressure 26.12:24  
 Condor leads battered yachting fleet 27.12:1  
 Piccolo revels in heavy weather 27.12:15  
 Toronto 505's bogey series 27.12:18  
 Durable NZ Maxi leads as southerly takes toll 28.12:14  
 Big lake waves pound skate contenders 28.12:14  
 North yacht in lone race fight 29.12:1  
 Piccolo crew 'not sorry' to retire 29.12:1  
 Hobart casualty gets dividend with record 29.12:3  
 Pace crew will go back again 29.12:3  
 Rough sea disrupts title 29.12:30  
 Hobart casualty wins Coffs race 29.12:30  
 NZ extends lead 29.12:30  
 Flyer on Lake entry to cross finish line 31.12:1  
 Pace winner 'built for storms' 31.12:4  
 Richardson seals title 31.12:11  
 Wind drop could be turning point for champ 31.12:14

## SALVATION ARMY

New appointment for Army Officer 11.1:22  
 Welfare cash to aid jobless 19.1:4  
 Yacht's tactician launches Salvo appeal 1.6:3  
 'Sallies' plead for help 5.6:4  
 Professor applauds community work 25.6:7  
 Salvos pleased with response to appeal 2.7:3  
 Salvation Army appeal produces 'bonus' 3.7:5  
 'Army' runs in family 16.7:8

## SAND MINING

Tomago mining extension likely 22.3:3

## SAND MODELLING

Sand-modellers show initiative 9.1:4  
 Sand artistry runs in the family 10.1:4  
 Modelling of high standard : judges 11.1:5  
 Models have become hi tech 12.1:5  
 Sand modellers beat tide and wind 13.1:5  
 Animals fight for precious sand space 17.1:5  
 Days of spades, buckets are over 18.1:5  
 Animals, clowns fill the beaches 19.1:5  
 Young and old vie for sand model honours 20.1:5  
 Fifth time lucky for sand model winner 21.1:1

## SCIENCE

N.S.W. moves on animal treatment 8.3:16  
 Economists 'left out of resource research' 11.5:8  
 Law out of step with science : Kirby 15.5:6  
 In Vitro teaching 'lacking depth' 16.5:12  
 Major Qld fossil find 14.6:1  
 Scientist told he hindered Commission 22.6:5

## SCONE

Emergency over old petrol tank 23.5:12  
 Scone forms Bicentennial Committee 1.8:4

## SCONE SHIRE COUNCIL

Shopping centre 1.6:4  
 Scone to upgrade footpath 20.6:5  
 Councillor's land to be resumed 18.7:5  
 Hawke invited 10.8:3  
 Scone rates could rise by 15.4% 26.12:5

## SCOUTS AND GUIDES

3000 expected in Newcastle walks 21.3:29  
 Girls walk for scouts 2.4:7  
 Course tests scout groups 23.4:6  
 700 scouts at City meeting 21.5:4  
 Service awards to scouting 23.5:4

## SEXUAL HARASSMENT

Sex harassment's secret power 1.2:21  
 Sexual power 16.5:21  
 Defeated MP to head new body 28.6:5  
 Guidelines on sexual harassment 17.8:4

## SHARKS

All night struggle to land shark 19.3:1  
 Giant shark near world record (Gil Noble) 24.4:1  
 Sharks found in Lake this year : fisheries inspector 21.7:12  
 Diver bailed up by 6m shark 15.10:3  
 Boy, 16, killed in shark attack 1.12:8

## SHIPBUILDING

Engine transplant successful (Iron Carpentaria) 5.1:5  
 BHP carrier gets a 'shave' (Iron Carpentaria) 6.1:4  
 U.S. experts to visit on frigate contract 26.1:5  
 \$5m fishing boat order for slipways 27.1:1  
 Premier's wife launches Rip 11 20.2:6  
 Upheaval in shipbuilding 22.2:8  
 Dockyard 'a sacrifice to Cockatoo' 2.3:6  
 Slipways negotiates hydrofoil licence 10.3:3  
 Victorian dock bid 'disastrous plan' 29.3:8  
 Slow haul to Tomago 17.4:4  
 Canberra may give \$140m for jobs at Cockatoo 3.5:5  
 Tomago plant gets sole AMFSU coverage 19.5:4  
 Ruling on ship work rejected 22.5:4  
 Slipways likely to get \$8m ferry order 28.5:1  
 Check on influx of ship builders 21.6:4  
 How the State Dock plans to build subs 23.6:1  
 Yard wins praise for shipwork 3.7:4  
 Warship prepared on time 7.7:5  
 AMFSU wins Pamsay 12.7:3

## SHIPBUILDING (Con't)

Metals policy boosts yard's chances 14.7:3  
 Slipways faces trainees cut 19.7:5  
 State push for sub tenders 9.8:6  
 Newcastle firms in ship tender 5.9:5  
 \$1bill sub contract move 7.9:1  
 Workers go as lack of orders hit slipways 12.9:3  
 Bounty to aid shipbuilding 12.10:5  
 RAN in push for ran work 31.10:4  
 BHP hopes to manage submarine project 6.11:8  
 Tug order Christmas cheer ... but foundry to close 16.11:1  
 Decision on ferries 29.11:5  
 Yard gets \$13m lift towards big ship contract 1.12:3  
 Call to build subs in Aust 19.12:9  
 Yard wins \$12m contract for three tugs 21.12:1

## SHIPBUILDING - STRIKES AND DISPUTES

Industrial dispute erupts over slipping of Sydney ferry 26.1:4  
 Dockyard row over forklifts 'settled' by court 26.1:3  
 Yard row triggers overtime ban 30.5:12  
 Inter-union dispute unresolved 1.6:5  
 Talks aim to end Ramsey dispute 8.6:6  
 Slipways bans lifted 22.6:4  
 Bans lifted, trawlers launched 23.6:9  
 Glenbawn talks expected soon 3.7:6  
 Court restrains sea unions 19.7:1  
 Shipbuilders to stay on strike 6.11:8

## SHIPPING

Engine transplant successful (Iron Carpentaria) 5.1:4  
 BHP carrier gets a 'shave' (Iron Carpentaria) 6.1:4  
 Carrier set to test its new engines 28.1:5  
 City stop for Soviet cruise ship 11.2:1  
 Big plans for ship (HMAS Melbourne) 15.2:25  
 Second time a record cargo 17.2:1  
 Government moves to encourage shipping growth 1.3:4  
 Wheat cargo a record 13.3:6  
 Early retirement plan to aid shipping industry 16.4:3  
 Ship replica work may begin soon (William IV) 16.4:7  
 Coal-fired bulk carrier arrives in Newcastle 18.4:8  
 Fussians show glimpse of cruising 20.4:5  
 The job of chief purser spans 24 hours every day 20.4:5  
 Shipping essential to Australia's future 23.4:6  
 \$1m plan to replicate steamer 29.5:3  
 Shippers 'owe Port fees' 31.5:1  
 BHP to order two big bulk carriers from Japan 2.6:1  
 Newcastle Port shipments rise 19% 14.6:9  
 End likely to hercules' labours 28.6:3  
 Shipping coals to City 4.7:5  
 SA makes a bid for suba contract 6.7:6  
 Export task-force to be set up 9.7:3  
 Swedish ship delayed 11.7:9  
 RAN ship sails 14.7:4  
 Ships "freed" by easing ban 23.7:1  
 Port ship work hopes are dashed 25.7:6  
 NZ stand on ships backed by NTHC 30.7:7  
 Shipping back to normal 31.7:4  
 New pact seen for subs work 2.8:3  
 Ship to visit 2.8:6  
 Hours row hits wheat exports 8.8:1  
 Coal ships 8.8:10  
 Sharks take 9 off thong raft 15.8:1  
 ANL cuts North Qld service after \$42m loss 5.9:26  
 Inquiry into freight costs 6.9:3  
 Task Force formed to study shipping 27.9:5  
 Submarine visit stops shipping 29.9:3  
 US ship to visit (USS Waddell) 16.10:8  
 Ships queue grows 26.11:5  
 \$1m work to lift uploading rate 29.11:3  
 No smoko : work, Japanese style 19.12:3

## SHIPPING - ACCIDENTS AND WRECKS

1879 ship salvage 8.2:4  
 Marine group in Fort move 24.4:4  
 Mahogany ship eludes searchers 28.4:5  
 Mayday calls via satellite planned 23.5:7  
 Trawler hits WA reef 7.8:7

## SHIPPING - NUCLEAR POWERED AND NUCLEAR ARMED

Backdown on repairing of nuclear ships 27.2:3  
 No choice over nuclear ships (Leader) 29.2:2  
 Nuclear ships ban backed 9.8:5  
 Australia alters stance on N-ships in Pacific 17.8:5

## SHIPPING - STRIKES AND DISPUTES

Long-running dispute on ship's engineers settled 15.5:3  
 \$2m-a-day foreign ship bans continue 20.7:6  
 Shipping unions lift foreign ship bans 24.7:7

## SHORTLAND COUNTY COUNCIL

S.C.C. moves into new premises 4.1:8  
 Fisher alleges Council report cover-up 5.1:1  
 S.C.C. moves to have report made public 6.1:3  
 County Councils (Leader) 6.1:2  
 Secret report calls for S.C.C. staff cuts 7.1:1  
 S.C.C. overstaffing blamed on State 10.1:1  
 Getting to work on the S.C.C. 10.1:2  
 Female S.C.C. apprentice begins at Muswellbrook 11.1:5  
 S.C.C. work at new bridge 11.1:18  
 A look at lump sums 14.1:2  
 Accumulating a nest egg (Leader) 14.1:2  
 \$2.29 rebates for pensioners 14.1:11  
 S.C.C. should withdraw from its unprofitable retail activities 16.1:6  
 The wrong field (Leader) 17.1:2  
 Leaked report sparks S.C.C. demand 20.1:1  
 Power consumption up 20.1:5  
 Ex-chairman backs S.C.C.'s report call 21.1:5  
 S.C.C. plans capital works costing \$37m 3.2:3  
 County Councils to pay for power price cut : Fisher 7.2:8  
 NESCA row brews over price of chief's car 28.2:1  
 Move to reject port Council's offer to buy land 28.2:3  
 S.C.C. Chief refused expensive car 2.3:1  
 Council men 'doing private work' 2.3:5  
 Builders cool on display home 2.3:5  
 '300 electrical' moonlighters 3.3:1  
 S.C.C. accused of inefficiency 8.3:3  
 Moonlighter 'gets 48 jobs' 13.3:5  
 S.C.C. recovers from storm damage 15.3:8  
 Checks on electrical 'moonlighting jobs' urged 17.3:4  
 S.C.C. outlays \$1.1m on fleet program 27.3:5  
 Power down 30.3:8  
 Secret reports : 'spite a natural reaction' 6.4:1  
 5 engaged in private contracts 6.4:1  
 S.C.C. condemns power ads 6.4:4  
 Electricity uses rises 14% 6.4:4  
 Mystery over moonlighters 7.4:1  
 Manipulating the press (Leader) 7.4:2  
 S.C.C. move lacks support 7.4:3  
 S.C.C. to meet on report 10.4:4  
 Premier earns less than S.C.C.'s chiefs 11.4:1  
 S.C.C. to probe staff conduct 12.4:1  
 S.C.C. break-ins 'may be linked to inquiry' 13.4:5  
 Denman not 'singled out' 13.4:5  
 No S.C.C. move to cut ads 14.4:3  
 S.C.C. calls tenders for computer network 21.4:4  
 NESCA shown how to dodge media 25.4:1  
 Power bill relief for kidney patients 27.4:4  
 S.C.C. signs on for crime fight 4.5:11  
 S.C.C. learns how to handle the media 4.5:5  
 Senior S.C.C. officers 'back' findings 5.5:1  
 S.C.C. sales, applications for supply continue to climb 5.5:12  
 S.C.C. in power cost study groups 21.5:5  
 Patients may get S.C.C. rebate 22.5:1  
 S.C.C. to consider offer for Maitland building 31.5:6

## SHORTLAND COUNTY COUNCIL (Con't)

S.C.C. rejects \$20,000 advertising bill 8.6:1  
 Power rebates approved 8.6:4  
 S.C.C. to sell Maitland office to State 15.6:3  
 S.C.C. and ad agency part over appliance sales 20.6:3  
 Illegal substation entry warning 4.7:9  
 Record call on power 5.7:1  
 Auditor to check Council costs 6.7:1  
 HV farmers have power restored 7.7:5  
 1985 move for Police 7.7:23  
 Overload causes blackout 9.7:3  
 Electrical business comes in 'out of the moonlight' 13.7:3  
 Faulty towers in S.C.C. showroom 14.7:1  
 S.C.C. sales head likely from outside 21.7:3  
 Electricity costs hit van dwellers 2.8:6  
 Power threat in S.C.C. bans dispute 4.8:1  
 S.C.C. 'takes wrong steps' on ladders 4.8:1  
 Huge S.C.C. appliance losses 3.8:1  
 No sales rung up for bargain ladders 3.8:1  
 S.C.C. row over advertising agency to be continued 4.8:3  
 Bans on, but no power cuts 6.8:3  
 Dialysis users rebate 6.8:9  
 Power row bites as storm hits 7.8:1  
 S.C.C. will have two ad agencies 10.8:1  
 S.C.C. row agreement 10.8:4  
 S.C.C. pays record bulk power bills 29.8:6  
 S.C.C. Union wants vote of support 5.9:3  
 NESCA changes mind on advert bill 7.9:1  
 S.C.C. 'neutral' on sales staff support plea 7.9:3  
 Employees' ladders 'perk' to remain 7.9:3  
 Trainers at S.C.C. will go at end of year 8.9:4  
 Hunter faces rise for power 25.9:1  
 S.C.C. looks at new fees scale 26.9:3  
 Standing power charges returning 28.9:1  
 Power lines damaged by shooters 28.9:3  
 Wallsend staff worried on jobs 5.10:4  
 Evans gives himself nod of approval 9.10:3  
 Moonlighters report 25.10:3  
 S.C.C. to stand down 'moonlighters' 26.10:1  
 S.C.C. set for union clash 29.10:1  
 Power men go back 31.10:1  
 A big issue for those at the top 31.10:1  
 S.C.C. will meet union on charges 1.11:3  
 S.C.C. meets 3 unions on row 3.11:3  
 S.C.C. row still simmering 5.11:5  
 Council 'duty to check staff' 5.11:5  
 Union urges S.C.C. to employ 17 more 6.11:10  
 S.C.C. and union talks end in deadlock 10.11:1  
 Unions to get S.C.C. charge details 13.11:1  
 S.C.C. and Newgas in moves 14.11:24  
 Unions get charge details 16.11:4  
 Jobbing wins election as S.C.C. Chairman 23.11:3  
 Evans confirms "dumping" 23.11:3  
 Council defers inquiry decision 23.11:3  
 Meeting on S.C.C. move 1.12:6  
 S.C.C. alleges meters "fixed by employees" 7.12:3  
 February date for S.C.C. hearing 12.12:8  
 S.C.C. warns on bogus calls 14.12:7  
 Electricity price to increase 4.93% 21.12:1

## SHORTLAND WETLANDS

A Wetlands sanctuary (Conservation) 7.3:2  
 Dump sites may stand 9.3:5  
 Dropping of Wetlands from tip plan urged 10.3:4  
 Waste options still open (Leader) 12.3:2  
 Wetlands project erupts 27.3:4  
 Wetlands area dump unlikely 28.3:1  
 Rare birds delight watchers 11.4:20  
 Concern on Wetlands 4.5:4  
 Guardian of the Wetlands 16.7:2  
 Wetland group seeking support 25.8:12  
 Wetlands trust seeks support 29.8:7  
 Wetlands trust launched 1.10:4  
 Shortland Wetlands 'an international asset' 12.11:9

## SHOWS

Sporting theme for Show 19.1:5  
 Art, crafts and wine at park (Speers Point) 13.2:7  
 Girls vie for title 16.2:4  
 Paterson girl wins Show title 17.2:3

## SHOWS (Con't)

Facilities lack puts shows in doubt (Home Improvement Exhibition) 18.2:9  
 Rain cuts attendance but Show a success 20.2:5  
 Show supplement 21.2:3  
 Show goodies 20% cheaper on 'passport' 21.2:7  
 Special crime exhibit at the Show 22.2:12  
 Show gets off to traditional wet start 23.2:9  
 Bread award goes to Sydney 23.2:9  
 The sun brings smiles at the Show 24.2:5  
 Fifties stars to parade 25.2:40  
 Show gets brand new star 25.2:3  
 Newton opens the Show and a new lifestyle 25.2:5  
 Thousands cheer champions 27.2:5  
 Show standard up, crowd down 27.2:1  
 Wallsend man takes Show sawing final 17.4:6  
 Show gets a new woodchop race from Valley 21.4:4  
 Gloucester cow wins award 26.4:9  
 Crowds queue to see doll exhibition 30.4:5  
 Stroud Show success 30.4:5  
 Horror Show on wheels (Custom van show) 29.5:7  
 Clash delays Show (Newcastle) 13.6:5  
 President of Show body to step down (Newcastle) 30.7:5  
 Life membership for Show's ex-President (Newcastle) 21.8:3  
 Show event (Singleton) 26.9:7  
 Foetuses withdrawn from view at Wagga Show display 28.9:3  
 Exhibition Hall 9.11:2  
 King St is ready for fair 7.12:6  
 Record crowd at King St Fair 10.12:5  
 Show backers to set record in '85 27.12:3

## SINGLETON

Flood fears arise from levee move 18.1:11  
 Singleton to get boost in electricity housing 23.1:6  
 Third shops plan revived 21.3:12  
 Singleton meeting to discuss drugs 21.5:7  
 Singleton R.S.L. to give away \$3800 12.6:8  
 Move would hit town 25.7:5  
 Show event 26.9:7  
 Singleton in running for base : Hallam 30.9:3

## SINGLETON SHIRE COUNCIL

Singleton rate rise 'unlikely' 4.1:11  
 Job-sharing team splits up after nine months 18.1:6  
 Singleton's rates 'area's lowest' 18.1:10  
 Singleton rate to rise 12% 25.1:3  
 Shop centre in Singleton planned 28.6:4  
 Plea for cemetery upkeep 11.7:3  
 Singleton wants artillery school 13.7:5  
 Singleton moves on Army land 26.7:8  
 Singleton works on camp proposal 30.8:5  
 Shire Chief's 9th term 6.9:4  
 Base opposition 8.9:13  
 Singleton land on discount offer 26.10:5  
 State subsidies for Singleton water 21.11:3  
 Shire to lift rate 6.12:7  
 56 sites released 19.12:10  
 Singleton Council caught in shops cross-fire 22.12:1  
 Council honours colonel 26.12:5

## SOCCER

Top soccer referee suspended 22.2:33  
 Reorganised NSL starting 3.3:43  
 Lake Macquarie aims to build a soccer dynasty 6.3:16  
 Scheinflug sacked as National coach 9.3:16  
 NSL makes urgent bid to retain players 21.3:40  
 Kaiser new coach at Westy 16.4:20  
 NSL acts over arrests, arson 14.5:22  
 AJA considers ban on soccer team 22.5:20  
 Soccer league lifts ban on players 23.5:44  
 Guest player idea unlikely : ASF 6.6:40  
 Newcastle host to soccer carnival 7.6:16  
 Mimmi's soccer centenary 7.6:18  
 Soccer legends for centenary reunion 8.6:18  
 A side unbeaten 8.6:18

## SOCCER (Con't)

Bellamy plots downfall 9.6:41  
 Player 32 gets life 14.6:18  
 Greek tackle 'diabolical' 14.6:18  
 Maverick coach's methods accepted 15.6:22  
 Central Coast needs soccer players 16.6:41  
 Soccerroo back to best 16.6:42  
 Girls soccer final tonight 27.6:39  
 Highfields will be 'nuisance' to soccer sides 30.6:41  
 Westy holds advantage 7.7:41  
 Westy jumps to clear lead 9.7:22  
 Countback needed for soccer title 10.7:13  
 Cardiff's bid to reach semi-finals 14.7:39  
 Jesmond in great run 18.7:36  
 Weston's record challenged 21.7:43  
 Brett Fawkes has his day 23.7:20  
 Kaisers face divided loyalties 28.7:42  
 Threat may stop game 28.7:42  
 Johnston in quandary 2.8:18  
 Soccer star risks leave at birth 4.8:1  
 China tour confirmed 3.8:20  
 Lake's hopes rest on game 4.8:41  
 Midfielder's return gives lift to West Wallsend 6.8:15  
 NSL acts to streamline competition 9.8:18  
 Westy stumbles on its home straight 13.8:20  
 Old rivalry rekindled 21.8:18  
 Arok names 34-man tour squad 22.8:40  
 A pair of old heads assist soccer win 23.8:18  
 Youngsters to defend title 24.8:14  
 Cardiff set to answer premiership question 25.8:41  
 Cessnock pair play last game 25.8:41  
 Cardiff takes NSF minor premiership 27.8:17  
 Olympian saves Queensland 27.8:20  
 Aust lacks patience, says soccer coach 29.8:30  
 Talent scouts at soccer 30.8:16  
 Local boys shine in Belmont soccer win 3.9:16  
 No replay of soccer minor semi final 4.9:18  
 Fitness key for Fawkes 7.9:18  
 Vetera 'JT' still nervous 8.9:41  
 Family affair for Lambton rangers 8.9:41  
 Weston 'claim' final 8.9:41  
 NSL back to home and away 10.9:13  
 Bears make up for missed penalty 10.9:16  
 Top level course in soccer coaching 13.9:18  
 Sweeper thrives on old town 13.9:18  
 Durable fullback seeks hat-trick 14.9:16  
 Northern products to fore 14.9:16  
 Aney dominates for Australs 15.9:41  
 Lambton after first soccer title 15.9:41  
 Jenkins travels to win jersey 15.9:41  
 West Wallsend 16-year-old could start in grand final 15.9:42  
 New image for NSL 17.9:15  
 Bears win third straight title 17.9:18  
 Point separates seven sides 17.9:18  
 Official answers shoot out critics 18.9:16  
 Maier a senior side chance 21.9:20  
 Newcomers into soccer playoff 22.9:46  
 Gosling cleared to tour with Kiwis 27.9:16  
 Youth shoots for English career (Michael Devon) 29.9:42  
 National spot gives Mair his 'bonus' 29.9:42  
 Blacktown out of NSL 11.10:16  
 Liverpool star now Chelsea fan (Craig Johnston) 12.10:3  
 Davidson to miss NSL final series 13.10:45  
 Two surprise picks in Soccerroos squad 13.10:46  
 Pelted coach in last laugh 15.10:20  
 Soccer referee reaches top as administrator (Bill Jones) 16.10:20  
 Humble box fed a noble soccer spirit 19.10:18  
 Cash to speedy 20.10:44  
 Sleeping giants stir 22.10:18  
 Successful year for soccer body 23.10:19  
 Teams pledge open soccer 24.10:40  
 South Melbourne wins first leg 2-1 25.10:18  
 Johnston sets up two goals 26.10:20  
 Soccer title goes South 29.10:20  
 Soccerroos under 'close scrutiny' 30.10:18  
 Schaefer unsure of his future 30.10:19  
 Wran backs soccer arena 30.10:20  
 Soccerroo survival tour 1.11:18  
 Cardiff and Weston to scoop local awards 3.11:45  
 NSL Cup to expand in '85 3.11:45  
 Fawkes named soccer player of the year 5.11:15  
 Soccerroo tour lifts popularity 14.11:51

## SOCCER (Con't)

Soccer Board 16.11:20  
 Arok seeks faster men 20.11:20  
 Soccer girls go on tour 28.11:44  
 Watson makes grade at 31 3.12:18  
 Dissatisfied Arok wants team with bite, cruelty 5.12:44  
 Indoor soccer gathers steam 19.12:40  
 Williams back as soccer president 21.12:20  
 Four teams jostle 24.12:12

SOCCER - ROSEBUD UNITED

United will continue in 1984 26.1:16  
 United fights for its life over ultimatum 27.1:16  
 Lowe severs strong ties 2.2:18  
 Tredinnick to quit United 14.2:16  
 Fresh hope for United 25.2:40  
 NSL refuses Sunday bid 14.3:42  
 Night soccer for North 14.3:42  
 Victory songs cannot mask worries 2.4:1  
 D-Day for soccer club 3.4:16  
 Rosebuds replace United 4.4:1  
 Newcastle soccer forfeit 6.4:20  
 NSL postpones match between new club and Sydney City 7.4:38  
 Players to decide on transfers 9.4:18  
 Kamasz the big hope to solve NSL problems 10.4:18  
 Rosebud in NSL for Sunday's game 12.4:18  
 A new team rises from the ashes of KB United 13.4:20  
 Rosebud United waiting for Jones 14.4:40  
 Kaiser's reply 14.4:40  
 Senkalski, Jones 'sure to sign' with Rosebud 18.4:24  
 Rosebud sign Jones, Boogaard 19.4:18  
 United face hard task 21.4:28  
 Senkalski to sign for United 4.5:20  
 Rosebud gets new coach 11.5:20  
 Three at home in row 6.6:40  
 Buds bristling for match 11.6:16  
 Striking duo lift United to great win over City 12.6:18  
 Caban could split Buds 15.6:22  
 Big gate tipped for NSL match 16.6:42  
 Brandt back scoring 18.6:16  
 Westy run dashed in 20 minutes 18.6:18  
 Top four in doubt 22.6:18  
 Farina's speed a worry for coach 23.6:40  
 Cardiff buries hoodoo 25.6:18  
 Youth team qualifies 25.6:18  
 Gosling grounded : bone chip in knee 28.6:18  
 Slipper surface extra obstacle 30.6:42  
 United free to plan ahead after clubs put differences aside 29.6:18  
 Rosebuds rehabilitation 7.7:42  
 Soccer fans ignored 12.7:16  
 Hampton to get VIP treatment 14.7:40  
 Results ensure great finale 16.7:18  
 Green gully fixture hardly inspiring 18.7:36  
 John's retained in Rosebud side 21.7:44  
 Gosling must for United 26.7:22  
 Newcastle drift concerns VIC coach 30.7:13  
 Lake Macquarie official seething over referee 30.7:16  
 Soccer deadline 2.8:1  
 Negotiation answer : Tredinnick 3.8:20  
 Player's penalty extended 3.8:20  
 Worries of the world on coach Gallagher 4.8:44  
 Rosebud fights against odds 6.8:15  
 Rosebud United to fight injunction 10.8:18  
 Tough road to soccer success 11.8:47  
 Rosebud happy but lose striker Jones 11.8:50  
 Rosebud United scores 3-1 upset 13.8:20  
 Another kick in teeth for Rosebud 14.8:18  
 Pleasing dilemma for coach 15.8:38  
 Senkalski waits for \$8500 date tackle 18.8:1  
 'Wembly' to host NSF grand finale 18.8:43  
 Westy back in league 20.8:16  
 \$8500 tag on Senkalski : and worth every cent 20.8:20  
 Playoff position on line for Rosebuds 25.8:42  
 Sortie South has Rosebud blooming 27.8:20  
 Buds itching to go 29.8:34  
 Rosebud in final but venue open 30.8:18  
 Arok alone psyches Buds 1.9:42  
 Playoff fiasco in semis 3.9:18  
 Rosebud suffers one of its blackest days 3.9:18  
 Rosebud's final in Melbourne 6.9:18

## SOCCER - ROSEBUD UNITED (Con't)

Rosebud challenged over 'inner-City' tag 7.9:18  
 Rosebud will not ease up ; Gallagher 8.9:42  
 Strikers 'disappoint' 11.9:16  
 McQuarrie back to shake up Midfield 12.9:40  
 Rosebud beats odds to take NSL Cup 13.9:1  
 Cup victory could usher in new era 14.9:16  
 Farewell to Todd will be spur enough 15.9:42  
 Todd leaves United with fond memories 17.9:14  
 Youth squad's bid for final 19.9:40  
 Rosebud to host final 21.9:20  
 Cup cash goes to levy 21.9:20  
 Rosebud players will see out season 22.9:46  
 Teenager spurs Rosebud to determined draw 24.9:20  
 United's holiday plans to draw spectators 25.9:18  
 Rosebud wins cup 27.9:16  
 Internationals on show 1.10:16  
 United remain in race for National League playoff 2.10:18  
 United youth will attempt to emulate seniors in Cup 6.10:44  
 Soccer triumph 8.10:1  
 Youth keeper restored to life 8.10:18  
 Gallagher stays with club 8.10:18  
 Cash to speedy 20.10:44  
 Rosebud stays in NSL 20.12:16

## SOCIAL SECURITY

10,000 a week fewer line up for dole 23.3:3  
 Lusher's week on the dole a disgrace : Minister 28.3:4  
 'Sack MP' call over dole plan 30.3:5  
 Bans spread : drivers offer bicycle to dole trialist 31.3:3  
 Attempted suicides in wake of 'Greek conspiracy' 31.3:9  
 Living on the dole 7.4:7  
 Lusher backs down on dole stand 9.4:1  
 Backing sought for welfare agency 18.4:4  
 One-parent families on benefits 12.5:5  
 Confidential papers put in bin by error 23.5:7  
 \$2m block to open doors in August 18.6:8  
 Bans threatened in Social Security 22.6:5  
 Sour result after dole appeal 7.8:1  
 Social Security fraud cases 'too numerous to investigate' 18.8:5  
 100,000 cut in dole cue 6.9:1  
 Assets test forms ready 26.9:3  
 New payments Social Security 16.10:6  
 \$63m excess welfare payout 19.11:1  
 Warning on bogus assets test 21.11:7  
 Pensioners 'phoned on assets' 30.11:7  
 Ministry 'split' to satisfy factions 10.12:5  
 Asset list unclear : advice to wait 31.12:5

## SOCIAL WELFARE

Welfare funds 4.1:6  
 Refuge decision 'dictatorial' 4.1:13  
 \$327,000 for new jobs 6.1:5  
 Team checks social plan 18.1:1  
 \$150,000 for Wallsend groups 25.1:4  
 New services for Lifeline 28.1:4  
 Wallsend kitchen opened (Meals on Wheels) 6.2:6  
 Pork-barrrelling 'evident' (Neighbourhood Centres) 6.2:3... Correction 8.2:3  
 Correction to above 8.2:3  
 Lack of funds threatens welfare van 9.2:7  
 Eastlakes service project in motion after 2 years 13.2:5  
 Support group set up 'Ethnic grow 12.4:6  
 Soup kitchen vigil by jobless 2.5:4  
 Financial help is only part of welfare 14.5:7  
 Housing funds not enough : Ministers 18.5:4  
 Hunter welfare 'short changed by \$3m' 25.5:1  
 'Hardest' year for charity (Smith Family) 13.6:5  
 Tickets warning (Smith Family) 3.7:8  
 Regional social plan updated 7.9:5  
 Social care unit launched 15.10:4  
 Low-cost refuges dwindle 17.10:3  
 \$75,000 to welfare groups 22.10:5  
 \$6,000 grant 23.10:10  
 Survival for many 'relies on begging' 27.11:7

## SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Fears for woman lost on Army Base 5.1:10  
 Decision on Sth. Aust. MPs' pay rise expected today 16.1:5  
 South Australian MPs' compromise on pay rise 16.1:6  
 Hunger strike continues at Adelaide prison 18.1:14  
 Policeman's 'count down to death' 23.1:4  
 Riot may end Sunday trading 24.1:5  
 Fugitive S.A. toad recaptured 28.1:10  
 Frog was innocent 1.2:9  
 Drug fell off truck 8.2:6  
 State 'bans' correction fluids 8.2:30  
 Teachers held hostage in school siege 9.2:5  
 Art festival opens 5.3:5  
 Two guilty of abduction 14.3:4  
 Women-only job creation scheme gets go-ahead 20.3:5  
 Police in hunt for two men 2.5:5  
 S.A. long-term prisoner to get parole 23.5:7  
 Mystery SA 'disease' 26.10:3  
 Fires hit Coffers 31.10:6  
 Politician 'victim of a vendetta' 7.12:8  
 SA workers boxed in 27.12:15

## SPACE EXPLORATION

U.S., Soviets locked in a race for space superiority 11.2:37  
 No evidence of life in space : expert 16.5:12

## SPIDERS

Funnel Web bite victim recovers 30.1:1

## SPORT

See also: names of individual sports

## SPORT

A backwater spectator sport left the others in its wake 3.1:12  
 Bullfight at Dapto to go on 19.1:5  
 Bullfight injunction to be sought 20.1:4  
 Robyn Leggat wins Sports Star title 23.1:14  
 Dummy teaches horse sense - and that's no bull 16.2:1  
 Gura gets expert tuition from world champion 23.2:20  
 Cultural blend at the Bocce Club 25.2:11  
 Don't tangle with this young judo champ 2.4:3  
 Tilt at record fails (Parachuting) 23.4:3  
 Old darts to do battle 31.5:18  
 Treble the field in Gardens fun run 12.6:8  
 Converted wool store adopts sleeker image (Howzat) 15.6:22  
 Tour caps big year for iron man duo 20.7:18  
 Exercises will give fun runners a warm up 20.7:6  
 Women from Stroud is world's best 23.7:6  
 Denman gets chip-making off pat, no bull 30.7:3  
 New netball courts upset hockey body 31.7:1  
 Tobacco sponsors 31.7:13  
 Young archer wins silver 2.8:18  
 Teenager makes softball squad 7.8:17  
 Saturday work my hit sport 11.8:1  
 Tamworth archers in Tamworth gold 16.8:18  
 Mazes and chases for white collar workers 20.8:6  
 Sports events among bicentennial proposals 30.8:14  
 Parry heads WA Cup bid syndicate 31.8:4  
 Softball popular in H.V. 3.9:14  
 Wind punishes marathon skiers 6.9:1  
 Trampolinist bounces back strongly 6.9:16  
 Facts, figures and fun 13.9:15  
 Backs seeks Walker Memorial 15.9:41  
 Sport tour to NZ games 19.9:37  
 Games target of \$3m (Commonwealth Games) 19.9:40  
 South Australian coach proud of Institute of Sport 22.9:45  
 3000 take part in sport festival 24.9:4  
 Athletes invited to NZ carnival 25.9:17  
 Institute of Sport 'wired' for results 26.9:33  
 Pacquet ball to bounce into competitive sport (Lower Hunter Supplement) 17.10:2  
 North trio for darts title 18.10:18  
 Water polo has first splash 3.11:45

## SPORT (Con't)

Teenager first to win NSW Water Polo berth 6.11:21  
 Lake sports priorities announced 16.11:4  
 Newcastle Uni vie for points (Water Polo) 24.11:45  
 Martial art challenge at ISC 24.11:45  
 Rick Duncan wins hang-glide title 26.11:18  
 Hunter gains eight spots in water polo 29.11:18  
 Paddling record kept in family 29.11:20  
 Swansea lass on target 5.12:6  
 Gliding record to Duncan 10.12:16  
 N Cronulla crew richer 10.12:18  
 Softball rep teams decided 18.12:15

## SPORT - ACCIDENTS AND FATALITIES

Track fall arouses protest at 'delay' 23.3:3  
 Injured union player stable 16.4:6  
 Wade hurt in race fall at Bundamba 7.8:18  
 Operation broken hip 8.8:36  
 Operation 'a success' 9.8:18  
 Tredinnick could need surgery 21.8:18  
 Top pacer hit by car : no hope of racing again 15.10:1  
 Cricket ball Ko's promising boxer (Simon Burton) 18.10:20  
 Bouncer fells batsman 23.11:16  
 Injury ends Wade's jockey career 8.12:1

## SPORT - CRIMES

Trainer suspended over swab bribe charge 2.1:1  
 Bookie fined \$1000 27.1:16  
 Swab bribe penalty halved on appeal 4.2:40  
 Fine on dope counts 28.4:1  
 Bookie case discussed 1.5:1  
 Ex-bookie summoned by AJC 2.6:3  
 Fine for headbutting referee 26.6:3  
 Rugby union referee 'hit in nose, mouth' 7.7:1  
 Threats on phone to RL players 7.7:1  
 Apprentice suspended at W Farm 9.7:19  
 Doomben race switch to mid-week 9.7:19  
 Hooker charged with kicking (Wayne Newling) 9.7:22  
 Suspended until April 3.8:15  
 Leading trainer astounded by year's disqualification 14.8:18  
 Logue suspended 17.8:22  
 Ring-in spurs 'mafia' link fears (Also refer to horseracing) 21.8:1  
 Driver gets 8 weeks after four winners 21.8:1  
 'Assault' on referee brings \$1000 bond 21.8:3  
 Horse trainer 'could be in danger of life' 22.8:3  
 Trainer says bookmaker behind race switching 27.8:1  
 Witness defy race stewards 28.8:3  
 Racehorse inquiry 'should be widened' 29.8:5  
 Minister calls for racehorse report 30.8:5  
 Bookmaker denies link to Qld ring-in 31.8:3  
 Key witness refuses Fine Cotton questioning 1.9:3  
 Leading greyhound stolen 15.9:41  
 Recalls 'likely' for Canberra witnesses into race ring-in 26.9:12  
 Ping-in witness 'bet for brother' 3.10:15  
 Fine Cotton bettors may be barred 10.10:4  
 Fine Cotton quiz goes public 13.10:46  
 Jockey alleges liar tag 16.10:4  
 Five in court over Fine Cotton 17.10:16  
 Turf Club to check Tribole charge 22.10:9  
 Vic Police inquire into Cup 'rigging' 24.10:1  
 Cup quiz a fizzer : Police 28.10:3  
 Fine Cotton hearing denied 27.10:5  
 Mystery 'ring-in' racehorse found 30.10:1  
 Police clear 1980 Cup 30.10:3  
 Check on brand, markings of Fine Cotton suspect 31.10:4  
 Bets ridiculous : bookie 14.11:4  
 Inquiry on Fine Cotton hears of big bets 15.11:7  
 'Series of big bets' by wife of punter 16.11:4  
 Wife took secret flight to lay bet 17.11:5  
 City bookie 'led rush' 20.11:10  
 AJC told of bets on ring-in horse 22.11:5  
 Priest's AGC court claim refused 23.11:3  
 Waterhouse denies ring-in knowledge 23.11:5  
 Waterhouse loses licences 1.12:3

## SPORT - CRIMES (Con't)

Family's fortune ranges far and wide 1.12:3  
 'Ring-in' appeals to go ahead 4.12:5  
 Bookie 'began ring-in story' 12.12:21  
 'Stumble' led to AJC guilt claim 13.12:4  
 Banker 'lied to AJC' 14.12:3  
 'Oversight on bets 18.12:5  
 Trip 'to back Fine Cotton' 19.12:28  
 QC's ring-in theory 20.12:6  
 Race evidence criticised 21.12:6  
 Bookie cleared 22.12:34

## SPORT - HANDICAPPED PEOPLE

Newcastle blind athletes score in National Games 20.1:3  
 Doctor describes as paltry \$50,000 grant for disabled 7.2:16  
 Veteran cyclist aids disabled 7.3:40  
 Broken bone a slight set back 13.3:3  
 Athletes 'hurt' by Games switch 22.3:1  
 Blind champ honoured 31.3:39  
 Children think big to aid disabled 20.4:4  
 Disabled athletes have medals in their sights 27.4:18  
 Disabled Games untroubled 17.5:20  
 Pressure builds for disabled swim champ 13.7:18

## SPORTING FACILITIES

Council cool on centre 25.1:6  
 Kurri Golf Club benefits in \$40,000 CEP grants 9.2:4  
 Work on tennis clubhouse 'disgusting' 11.2:Supp  
 Four-man power panel takes over Cahill Oval 29.2:34  
 State cash grant to Lake support 21.3:10  
 Four Park Board members resign 9.5:20  
 Soccer tree refuses to yield as WallSEND ponders shift 1.6:18  
 Lake plan for park and Sports Centre 10.7:1  
 New roles seen for sport ovals 8.8:3  
 Sports Ground may go 15.8:8  
 Taking up fight for No.1 23.8:18  
 Council divided on ground 5.9:4  
 Radiation 'present in oval soil' 24.10:1  
 \$15m stadium for Parramatta 21.11:38  
 The Motely Ground fans love 27.11:19  
 \$20m development for Belmont Golf Club 30.11:1  
 \$2.5m loan for racecourse stand 14.12:1

## SPORTS - STRIKES AND DISPUTES

Pay offer withdrawn 5.1:3  
 Greenkeeper row 6.1:4  
 Greenkeepers meeting 7.1:5  
 Club picket line 'should end' 11.1:5  
 Greenkeepers strike 12.1:3  
 Dispute could mean sports chaos 13.1:1  
 Conflict on the greens (Leader) 13.1:2  
 Wait and see for bowlers as greenkeepers stay out 14.1:1  
 Several bowling clubs play on despite greenkeepers' bans 16.1:3  
 Presidents threaten to cut bowling greens 17.1:3  
 Greenkeepers urged to end club bans 18.1:3  
 Assurance on greens trainees 19.1:4  
 Bowlers backed on greens cutting 20.1:1  
 Redhead rejects pay rise plan 21.1:1  
 Clubs vote to maintain greens 24.1:3  
 Northern clubs back bowls green decision 25.1:3  
 Bowls club clash over hoses, 'accident' 26.1:1  
 Police called to bowling club row 27.1:3  
 Bowling club dispute partly resolved 28.1:1  
 Bowling club dispute for hearing 1.2:5  
 Hearing of dispute adjourned 2.2:4  
 Picket line finished 3.2:5  
 Club hearing adjourned 4.2:9  
 Greenkeepers dispute over \$1 : Judge 11.2:5  
 Mail piles up as bans continue 14.2:1  
 RL off over referee row 29.6:1  
 League matches on again 3.7:1  
 Doomben goes ahead 11.7:38  
 Walkoff stops dog meeting 25.10:18

## SQUASH

Squash girl eyes state berth 22.5:20  
 Squash an eye risk 1.6:5  
 Upsets in squash series 5.6:17  
 Viking wins 22.6:14  
 \$1000 purse in squash contest 14.8:18  
 Queensland squash reps refuse to play 25.8:41  
 Newcastle pair win senior squash 24.9:20  
 Squash competition draws sponsor 29.9:41  
 Kurri strong in squash 1.11:16  
 New teams seek squash place 9.11:15  
 Squash rivals square off 30.11:20  
 Coalfields team tense men's squash grand final 4.12:22

## STATE DOCKYARD

Yard 'still in race for subs job' 5.1:10  
 Dockyard union deal nearer 10.1:5  
 New dockyard deal ready 18.1:5  
 Dockyard jobs pledge 2.2:6  
 A dockyard for the future (Leader) 3.2:2  
 Minister praises Yard agreement 3.2:5  
 Dockyard safety gains \$500 6.2:6  
 State Dock loses \$4.9m 24.2:5  
 Dockyard mission to submarine builders 25.2:3  
 Dockyard 'a sacrifice to Cockatoo' 2.3:6  
 Plumbers ban Dockyard work 16.3:4  
 Dockyard right for subs : Kelly 19.3:3  
 Two firms in patrol tender 5.5:3  
 Dockyard gains \$1m Navy ref it job 5.5:10  
 An old steam locomotive refurbished 10.5:5  
 Future of floating crane for debate 4.7:7  
 \$3.4m boost for sub bld 8.9:3  
 \$1.4m loss this year 'acceptable' 21.9:4  
 Tidy towns inspection 11.10:5  
 Guidelines 'followed' 1.11:5  
 Dockyard attacks Victoria plan 24.11:13  
 Dockyard team to study in Japan 3.12:3  
 No smoko : work, Japanese style 19.12:3

## STEEL

Steel uncertainty (Leader) 2.1:2  
 Steel upturn cuts bounty 9.1:1  
 New boost in steel jobs 13.1:3  
 Talks on steel 8.2:4  
 PM moves for big China steel deal 10.2:1  
 Industry problems complex 10.2:4  
 The iron road to China (Steel) 11.2:2  
 Promise to China on union deals 11.2:3  
 BHP cautious on China market 11.2:10  
 PM taunts BHP on China deal 13.2:1  
 W.A. benefit in potential steel deal with China 14.2:7  
 PM to meet unions and BHP on steel 17.2:3  
 Hawke, BHP in steel-deal talks 21.2:3  
 Hawke steel sales initiative attracts broad support 22.2:5  
 Bursting the steel balloon 23.2:2  
 Australia slips in world steel production 26.2:6  
 BHP sees a sharing of steelmaking 6.3:1  
 Smorgon mini-mill enters the steel market 17.4:3  
 Hawke 'in trouble' over trade initiatives 23.4:4  
 Hawke's China plan gets grudging BHP nod 24.4:1  
 The moral : modesty can be useful 24.4:3  
 \$80m steel spending since new plan 27.4:5  
 Steel unions worried on jobs clause 11.5:8  
 Safety row stoppage halts steel-making 20.6:11  
 Funding of centre sought 22.6:4  
 Continuous caster for Comsteel to cost \$6.7m 23.6:9  
 F.I.A. men strike on staff work 26.6:4  
 Hunter 'to benefit' from Brisbane Steel Mill 20.7:6  
 Overseas factors help lift Mt Newman iron ore output 37% 24.7:12  
 Steel imports queried 30.7:4  
 Injuries down 7.8:7  
 Bowen to sign China steel pact 10.8:1  
 Chinese metal group at BHP 17.8:8  
 Qld snubs Wran on steel plea 21.8:1  
 Steel attracts CRA 5.9:26  
 Steel profit at \$34.6m 22.9:1  
 Output in steel excellent result 26.9:13  
 Four in bid for Qld steel mill 17.10:1  
 Co-operation 'needed in steel industry' 29.10:7  
 US steel barriers 'threat to local market' 7.11:40

## STEEL (Con't)

BHP sticks to Qld mill project 13.11:1  
 Steelworks plan shut downs 16.11:5  
 Preferences on steel input cuts 17.11:3  
 Tubemakers' 50th 1.12:3  
 Barriers on US steel imports 12.12:26  
 Scrap mills 'may need to import' 13.12:8  
 Pact on level of US steel imports 29.12:3

## STOCKTON

Stockton port plan review 18.4:1  
 Stockton body to promote tourism 10.5:7  
 Stockton Chamber wins tree battle 31.10:1

## STORE

Second payment to store members 19.4:6  
 15,000 store cheques 'not yet claimed' 4.5:3  
 Store may be new medical centre 7.5:15

## STRIKES AND DISPUTES

See also : entries under individual industries and services

## STRIKES AND DISPUTES

Chemicals row ends 10.1:8  
 Less work time lost through disputes 11.1:3  
 GM-H to look at possible closure 25.1:4  
 Parts row over 26.1:8  
 200 walk off job at B.H.P. 22.2:13  
 Disputes days lowest in 16 years 16.3:5  
 Plumbers stage protest on roof of smelter 27.3:3  
 Sit-in plumbers stay on roof 28.3:6  
 Plumbers ban contractors at Steelworks 5.4:5  
 Four Tomago plumbers face court over sit-in 5.4:6  
 Ban on contractors 'may be related to apprentices' 6.4:5  
 Plumbers may lift bans on BHP 17.4:5  
 BHP plumbers lift contractor bans 18.4:4  
 Picket lines to continue at Tomago 27.4:4  
 Binoculars sparked stoppage 9.5:3  
 Action against plumbers dismissed (Tomago Alum) 19.5:9  
 Striking workers take over Sydney building in asbestos dispute 26.5:10  
 Unions cast anchor disputes 8.6:5  
 Meeting on club troubles 8.6:6  
 Lost job change highlights CES bans controversy 8.6:10  
 Dam disputes unresolved 9.6:5  
 Bans put \$5m order in doubt 15.6:1  
 Stalemate in Qld Council dispute 25.6:4  
 FIA men strike on staff work 26.6:4  
 Strike leaves three jobless 27.6:3  
 Strikes end, begin at BHP 28.6:5  
 Talks on dispute 13.7:6  
 Workers picket chemical company 14.7:4  
 HDWB halt 17.7:7  
 Striking oil men likely to return Monday 28.7:3  
 Court reporters stop work over security 4.8:13  
 New Gas men on strike 28.8:3  
 600 walk out over dirty loos 29.8:1  
 Gas strike puts families into difficulties 29.8:1  
 Metal strike looms over jobs ruling 13.9:1  
 Dam strike issues 'could have merit' 20.9:7  
 Dam dispute hearing 26.9:4  
 Ironworkers end strike over dust threat 26.9:4  
 Deal signals end to strike GM-H strike 27.9:5  
 Strike at BHP ends 29.9:5  
 Comsteel FIA men in 24-hour protest 11.10:7  
 Walk-out halts plant 12.10:4  
 Shearers call for limits on Kiwis 15.10:5  
 PSA vote to support stoppage 2.11:4  
 Fewer days lost in strikes 6.11:8  
 Shutdown threat to plant 10.11:4  
 Tomago men out 23.11:16  
 Eastern nitrogen dispute continues 27.11:7  
 Shorter week row 'settled' 1.12:4

## SUICIDE

Old man dies after carrier theft 12.1:5  
 Patterns to suicides detected by study 1.2:25  
 Baby survives woman's leap off cliff 30.5:3  
 'Suicide' after copter crash 31.10:3  
 Three suicide failures but house destroyed 15.11:1  
 Inquest told suicide was feasible 5.12:18

## SUPERANNUATION

Demand for super fund watchdog (State Govt. Super Fund) 13.2:9  
 Employers fear superannuation stampede 8.3:6  
 Building unions threaten action 29.3:6  
 Builders ready for super plan 3.4:5  
 Building tradesmen will stop work over scheme 14.4:8  
 Super plan strike threat 17.4:7  
 Agreement on super close (Building Industry) 18.4:5  
 Builders to oppose pay flow-on 26.4:5  
 Super for all to be major union aim 22.5:5  
 ACTU set to use muscle to get super 23.5:16  
 Super Tax Bill goes to house 31.5:3  
 Cutting the super fat (Leader) 2.6:2  
 New deal on Super 'A blunder' 6.8:3  
 Shortfall in State super funds 30.8:1  
 Super funds lack 'matter of policy' 30.8:9  
 'Free super trust funds' call 5.9:5  
 Millions owed in payments 5.9:5  
 Building unions take 'super' trail 6.9:6  
 Ban opens union's 'super' battle 12.9:4  
 New State Super Scheme next year 14.9:1  
 Greiner attacks super changes 17.9:5  
 Public servants plan protest 22.9:42  
 Union meeting calls for superannuation talks 27.9:4  
 Unions oppose new State Super Scheme 28.9:4  
 Super tax to 'force more on pension' 1.10:4  
 Meeting closes HDWB office 3.10:4  
 PS anger over NSW 'Super' Scheme 5.10:4  
 Changes to BHP Super Fund 9.10:4  
 Meetings on Super 13.10:5  
 Welfare plan unveiled by coalition 23.10:7  
 Inquiry into bias against female life assurance and Super Scheme 29.10:4

## 'SUPERNOVA'

Smaller Supernova likely : Director 4.8:84  
 Supernova science fair opens tomorrow 20.8:8  
 Dark's plan urged 21.8:3  
 Science show opens 22.8:5  
 Science fair proves success 27.8:5  
 Galaxy overout for a super star blast 29.8:12  
 Parry St site backed by MP 30.8:7  
 Science centre site still uncertain 31.8:6  
 Supernova concern on funding 6.12:4  
 Land available for Supernova growth 27.12:1

## SURF LIFESAVING CLUBS

Stockton iron man aiming to secure title at home 20.1:14  
 Iron man Kelly shows 'em 31.1:14  
 Jelly blubbers stop title 2.2:18  
 Aussie bronze 4.2:7  
 Surf club cited on patrol failure assertion 7.2:3  
 Iron man in row after saving mate 14.2:1  
 Top surf club out for fortnight (Swansea Belmont) 15.2:1  
 Surf club hard done by but cops it sweet 16.2:16  
 Swansea-Belmont suspension has branch effect 17.2:13  
 Faithful old boat needs good home 22.2:36  
 Royce Jackson heads for life of retirement and Maritime Museum 23.2:20  
 SLSA stiff-necked over penalty 1.3:18  
 Paddlers hold surf hopes 9.3:16  
 Chapman iron man champion 2.4:18  
 75 years of service (Wedhead SLSG) 16.5:24  
 Nippers could tour overseas 13.9:16  
 Superman race 25.10:16  
 Challenger's hopes buried in the sand as junior raises victory flag 29.10:1  
 Junior surfers set for tussle 29.10:17  
 Nobbys celebrates new clubhouse opening 1.12:7  
 Fingal rises in nipper point score 3.12:20

## SURF LIFESAVING CLUBS (Cont)

Club president blasts surf officials 3.12:20  
 Five clubs chasing third Capper title 8.12:43  
 Nobbys make a late run to win carnival 10.12:16  
 Iron man for games 14.12:22  
 Beach debris cancels surf carnivals 15.12:3  
 Swansea carnival gets Tooheys \$1000 boost 15.12:45  
 Surf leader injured (Ron McKeon) 29.12:30

## SURFING

Scully makes his mark 10.1:14  
 Big surf contest in doubt 29.2:34  
 Officials ignore ban 10.3:40  
 Surfing gamble misses (Wayne Bartholomew) 20.4:11  
 'Star fin' a winner for Horan 26.4:1  
 Stockton youth walks uncertain plank 5.6:18  
 Peninsula wins teams title 7.6:16  
 Egan runs hot in Coffs classic 14.6:16  
 Wood makes a task 5.7:14  
 Important meeting for local surfers 14.7:39  
 Law's bid for world title 21.7:43  
 City surf gala plan to be examined 1.8:12  
 Cavanagh wins surf award 4.8:41  
 Surf clubs feel judiciary chill 7.8:18  
 Newcastle surf title change approved 9.8:15  
 Surf club anger on beach decision 15.8:5  
 Bid to stage surfboard title 16.8:4  
 Surfers get a wide range of titles 21.8:15  
 Junior classic 24.8:14  
 Veteran ski paddler has remedy for longer life 4.9:18  
 Paddlers suffer at sea 7.9:18  
 Top riders in surf classic hindered by poor surf 10.9:6  
 World star's Mattara title 13.9:16  
 Novocastrians rated highly in surf world 17.9:14  
 Newcastle surfers in top form 20.9:16  
 Egan captures State Scholastic title 29.9:41  
 Gardiner repeats victory 4.10:18  
 Two rounds at Shelly Beach 4.10:18  
 Sainsbury's first round (Mark Sainsbury) 11.10:16  
 Girl, 15, will surf for Australia (Jodie Laksen) 16.10:20  
 Tweed to host Pro-am surf 17.10:40  
 Top field in classic (Kuta Lines/Egan Surf Classic) 18.10:18  
 Iron man moving to Qld 19.10:18  
 Sainsbury an easy winner at Merewether (Mark Sainsbury) 25.10:16  
 In quest for gold 29.10:20  
 Scully joins talent drain (Mark Scully) 31.10:46  
 Law takes open title after hard-fought battle 1.11:16  
 Three seek iron man crown 8.11:18  
 Merewether second in league event 9.11:15  
 Sweep to continue at surf carnival 10.11:45  
 Whinige-and-win ironman recipe 12.11:15  
 State championship round to be staged in Newcastle area 15.11:16  
 Tonks starts on right note 16.11:16  
 Richards winding down (Mark Richards) 16.11:20  
 Surfer breaks into big-time (Barotn Lynch) 19.11:18  
 Johnson loses chance to retain title 22.11:16  
 R & R seminar at Blacksmiths 23.11:17  
 Victory at sea for Richards 23.11:20  
 Egan continues his dominance 29.11:18  
 Treble chance at Scholastic Nationals 6.12:16  
 Upset loss for surfer 12.12:52  
 Wood lifts form in bigger sea 13.12:20  
 Wood in fierce contest 14.12:22  
 North boys take surf honours 15.12:45  
 Juniors make surf history 24.12:12  
 Redhead wins cash after protest 24.12:12  
 Law in Australian for titles in Peru 26.12:21  
 Belmont Bay provides unlikely venue for surf carnival event 'no two-man contest' 29.12:29

## SURVEYS

LIB leader skittled by P.M. in poll 26.1:1  
 Premier's approval rating up 4% 23.2:8

## SWIMMING AND DIVING

Medallist thinks about retiring (Lisa Curry) 6.1:14  
 Curry not concerned by losses 10.1:14  
 Tabitha strokes way to games (Tabitha Andriunas) 18.1:36  
 Randall aims for records 28.1:38  
 Mark Scully aims to prove coach wrong 1.2:38  
 No rest for Country and National age champions 1.2:38  
 Swim hope irons out insomnia 21.2:16  
 Coach defends standards 24.2:18  
 Beaten Ford expects to win gold in Los Angeles 25.2:40  
 Boy 'knew swimming rules' (Greg Hammond) 8.3:5  
 Teenager makes courageous swimming return 15.3:20  
 Sponsorship offer for across-lake swim 21.3:40  
 Lake swim just start for plucky 13 year-old 23.3:16  
 Michelle Ford again betters Olympic time 25.4:15  
 Slight Donna has big goals 31.5:18  
 Ford pulls out of swim meet 14.6:18  
 Olympic trip doubts 16.6:3  
 National record falls 16.6:42  
 R.N. diver injured 20.6:18  
 Five swim records go 9.7:22  
 Training the mind as well 11.7:38  
 Swimmers succeed as new club 12.7:14  
 Swim chief quits on eve of Olympics 28.7:42  
 Olympic success inspires Wickham 6.8:22  
 Travel 'jinx' stops season in India 8.8:3  
 Coach in stay plea 9.8:18

## SWIMMING POOLS

Nelson Bay pool 'under threat' 3.1:4  
 Insect swarm closes pool at Maitland 6.1:5  
 'Bug-free' pool reopens 10.1:8  
 Consider pool options, Port told 22.2:4  
 Many pools health hazzard : Choice 23.2:4  
 Sales ban urged on filters 5.3:3  
 New turnstile will cut costs 8.3:5  
 Move for new pool 9.4:1  
 Lake pool may be leased to private enterprise 10.4:1  
 Leasing a pool 11.4:2  
 Port Council 'split' over pool coaching rights 11.4:6  
 Paciullo bans skimmer for pools 4.5:5  
 Pool to stay open during repairs 16.5:8  
 Pool safety fence was child's play 16.5:10  
 Maitland pool to go ahead 23.5:3  
 Accident body concerned at pool skimmer box dangers 13.6:7  
 Valentine heated pool may close 27.6:4  
 Talks begin soon on new pool for Bay 27.6:3  
 Buck-passing alleged over Valentine pool 20.7:3  
 Sharks found in lake this year : Fisheries Inspector 21.7:12  
 Heated pool, parents help footballer walk 26.7:1  
 Lakeside baths to go 14.8:3  
 Clubs rally to support Lake pool 10.8:6  
 Lake to let baths go gradually 21.8:5  
 Many Newcastle backyard swimming pools a hazard 13.10:27  
 Pool incident sorted out 22.12:12

## SYDNEY

Government 'selling Harbour park land' 6.1:3  
 'Truth distorted' on Harbour land sale 7.1:5  
 The park sell-out (Leader) 9.1:1  
 Fight over backyard becomes public 10.1:4  
 Wran orders Harbour land sale review 11.1:3  
 Premier revokes Harbour land sale 18.1:4  
 Waterfront land not for sale to public : Minister 19.1:3  
 Reserve review (Leader) 19.1:2  
 ALP men linked to land 'gift' : Mrs. Foot 24.2:4  
 Land deal man talks on pay 28.2:3  
 Business man in Vendetta : Senator charges 29.2:5  
 Foot land allegations are evil ravings, Wran says 29.2:10  
 Report clears parks director 16.5:4

## SYDNEY CITY COUNCIL

Court move in Sydney fare row 16.3:4  
 Sydney Labor caucus backs Lord Mayor 19.3:1  
 Libs not against Lord Mayor 20.3:3  
 Further Council 'abuses' likely 21.3:7  
 No action against Lord Mayor 2.4:3  
 Sydney Lord Mayor 'did break law' : no action 3.4:5  
 Sutherland is likely to retain office 16.4:6  
 ALP may lose control in Sydney 17.4:5  
 Lord Mayor of Sydney censured 13.6:1  
 Rebate for Sydney power 3.10:1  
 Council wins noise case appeal 5.12:17

## T.A.B.

Move for more pub T.A.B. 6.1:5  
 Report brings shake-up for T.A.B. system 22.2:4  
 Pub T.A.B. bet in dispute for \$8560 11.4:1  
 Hunter T.A.B. figures show economy is picking up 18.4:15  
 Hunter's punters invest \$100m on T.A.B. 24.7:1  
 Punter 'settles' winning pub T.A.B. bet dispute 19.9:1

## TABLE TENNIS

Woseen surprises with State title 30.7:12  
 Woseen takes trophies in table tennis 22.8:39  
 Veteran, junior help take out table tennis 4.10:17

## TARIFFS

Cars the first Hawke target 4.2:3  
 Time to act on Tariffs (Leader) 6.2:2  
 Tough decisions on industry protection 7.2:2  
 P.M. quells Tariff row 7.2:5  
 P.M.'s stand on industry praised 8.2:5  
 P.M. hints at changes to car policy 23.4:6  
 Expansion of car, footwear quotas 9.5:3  
 Vehicle protection drop planned 21.5:4

## TASMANIA

Bushfire lit to attract attention 4.1:8  
 One in 188 pays Franklin levy 14.1:33  
 Parts of wife's body 'flushed away' 14.2:6  
 Anti-dams head quits 20.2:5  
 'Bad Rory' cut up wife, court told 21.2:3  
 Police 'feared for children's lives' 22.2:13  
 Scientist dreamt of his wife vanishing 23.2:5  
 Scientist asks for mercy 24.2:6  
 Observer to monitor Hawke-Grey clashes 25.2:5  
 Man killed 'like a machine' 25.2:11  
 Dam attitude attacked 27.2:7  
 Husband mentally ill but not insane : Psychiatrist 28.2:4  
 Verdict of insanity over wife's murder 1.3:1  
 Tasmania's subs 'trade-off' rejected 27.3:3  
 \$230m offer on dam 28.3:4  
 Bondage theory in death trial 28.3:4  
 Doctor 'panicked when woman collapsed' 11.4:11  
 Tas picketers' arrests may set off national row 17.4:4  
 Life term over 'sexual fantasies' murder 19.4:5  
 Ditched aircraft 'could have made land' 15.5:5  
 Tas wants US polar supply base 15.9:4

## TAXATION

Judge alters decision 14.1:11  
 Call for major overhaul of tax system 19.1:2  
 A.L.P. 'should bury' rent tax plan 23.1:7  
 Modest tax relief will herald early poll 23.1:3  
 Tax : what goes up won't come down 25.1:2  
 Resources tax 'no' from Qld 1.2:16  
 Walsh does about face on resource rent tax 4.2:11  
 State taxes slammed in wage case 9.3:6  
 Taxes 'too high' 12.3:10  
 Canberra urged to tackle capital tax 13.3:1  
 Greiner promises 13.3:1  
 Peace man's tax money seized 14.3:3

## TAXATION (Con't)

No immediate plans for Capital Gains tax :  
Keating 14.3:6  
Room for \$800m in income tax cuts 19.3:1  
A tax change, but not yet 27.3:2  
Tax challenge rejected 11.4:7  
Coalition plans to oppose Tax Bill again 21.4:5  
ACTU to push for budget tax cuts 2.5:3  
Tax battle puts Scots' kilts in a knot 8.5:1  
Social Service body attacks tax plans 15.5:3  
Economist has gains tax-option 16.5:12  
Super Tax Bill goes to House 31.5:3  
Fortified wine tax lifted 23.6:3  
Bowen seeks tax cuts for exports 23.6:11  
Time for annual tax race 25.6:5  
Inequity keeps tax high : Wran 27.6:29  
Tax change to 'improve Aust shipping 3.7:6  
Tax phone demand 'covered' 6.7:5  
Medicare tax on lump sums 17.7:6  
Keating 'no' on ACTU Medicare levy call 18.7:1  
Howard bids for tax documents 18.7:3  
NSW taxes coalmines biggest problem : survey  
24.7:6  
Average wage earners to get tax cuts 25.7:3  
Taxpayers foot 'rampage Bill' 26.7:4  
Massive land tax jump in City 30.7:1  
Centre-left 'committed to capital tax reform'  
31.7:4  
Greiner urges land tax relief 31.7:6  
Nicotine gum tax dropped 1.8:6  
Greiner urges tax relief for small business  
9.8:6  
Tax warning 'ignored' 11.8:3  
\$22-a-week tax cuts 'needed' 15.8:4  
Brewery lobby opens way to EEC wine flood 27.8:1  
Treasurer sees \$40m tax boost 27.8:4  
Alcohol body happy on wine tax 27.8:8  
Liberals warn high tax 27.8:11  
Tax breach penalties to be tougher 12.9:4  
Millions lost in tax 14.9:1  
Packer loses tax appeal case 22.9:42  
Retreads ruling to cut price 2.10:1  
Tax proposals slammed by law council 2.10:3  
Tax schemes 'sand in Government's eyes' 2.10:13  
Budget 'tax time bomb' 8.10:5  
Labor tax change 'a shabby trick' 10.10:6  
Inquiry into tax refunds 11.10:6  
Indirect tax possible : Dolan 12.10:4  
Stone expects 'a bevy of new taxes' 16.10:8  
Indirect tax issue splits ACTU 27.10:5  
Protest call on childcare tax 29.10:8  
Summit for tax overhaul 1.11:6  
Keating denies secret ACTU tax deal 7.11:3  
Sinclair to detail tax plan today 8.11:4  
Nationals pledge \$8 a week tax cuts 9.11:6  
Campaign focus on family tax 12.11:4  
Thousands more to pay higher rate : Peacock  
19.11:8  
Lower tax under ALP 19.11:8  
Tax officers' ban 21.11:4  
Sinclair firm on \$8 tax cut 21.11:8  
Prediction on taxes 26.11:7  
Dole tax attack 26.11:6  
Savings under threat over taxes 29.11:8  
Move for early tax plan doubted 7.12:8  
New tax on securities 17.12:5  
Reforms are vital now : Peacock 17.12:5  
Mine staff to seek housing tax relief 17.12:15  
Family trust schemes under scrutiny 18.12:3  
Grant to study evasion 19.12:14  
Federal tax & Port bodies 20.12:5  
Hells' Angels Ltd must pay tax bill 21.12:7

## TAXATION EVASION

Accountant 'feared for safety' 8.2:5  
'Harbour' tax avoider jailed for two years  
14.2:4  
The cancer of tax-dodging (Leader) 29.3:2  
Tax cherries "ripe" 29.3:6  
'Bottom of sandpit' attack on Minister 4.4:3  
'Crusade' on tax avoiders signalled 20.4:5  
Newcastle MP attacks super scheme 26.4:1  
1000 companies 'in tax fraud conspiracy' 21.7:12  
1100 firms stripped of \$240m, court told 24.7:5  
Clyne in pyrrhic court tax battle victory 1.8:30  
Tax warning 'ignored' 11.8:3  
Identity of signatures unclear 5.9:17  
Cheque was for \$1.68m 6.9:4  
Mud flies in Parliament 13.9:3  
Good companies stripped involving billions'  
14.9:4

## TAXATION EVASION (Con't)

Cyne found guilty 4.10:4  
Five for trial on tax fraud 4.10:5  
Two north firms cited over tax 12.10:4  
Clyne in court over tax 14.11:4  
Tenfold increase in fines for tax evasion 21.12:6

## TAXATION OFFICE - NEWCASTLE

Keating may announce tax office 19.3:1  
Region tax office : 800 jobs 20.3:1  
Just reward for a fine effort (Leader) 20.3:2  
Tax office a boost to North : Wran 24.3:11  
Aid for tax centre workers 27.3:5  
An Easter visit by the tax men bring no fear  
20.4:4  
Tax staff try Newcastle's style 23.4:5  
232 tax staff keen to move 19.5:10  
Nearly 300 for tax office 22.6:1  
City 'home' to Regional Tax office in 1985 11.8:1  
Application called for tax office senior post  
30.8:4

## TAXIS

Taxi co-operative moves to halt fare evasion  
18.1:3  
Youth, 14, driving cabbies to ruin 1.2:1  
Reforms urged for taxi industry 1.2:9  
Number to change for Taxi Co-op 28.3:13  
Cabbies : chauffeurs chasing elusive cash  
31.3:7  
New number for taxis 22.5:7  
Taxi tours to boost tourism 28.7:5  
Westend Police blitz may lure taxis back 26.11:1  
Taxi scheme success 1.12:21  
Taxi charges increase 4.5% today 7.12:6

## TEACHERS

Teachers plan Federal body 12.1:5  
Stress reason for teachers' poor health :  
Uni study 20.1:5  
Teachers fear transfer row 17.2:3  
Putting a union on the right line 14.3:2  
Teacher 'tied pupil to chair' 16.5:5  
NCAE students protest over quick courses 31.5:4  
Students hold march over courses 1.6:6

## TELECOM AUSTRALIA

Telecom unions angry over 'sick/sack' issue  
5.1:4  
Telecom union action shelved 6.1:4  
OTC 'made \$3m' in overcharging 20.1:7  
Telecom may cut 51 jobs at Newcastle 30.1:1  
Talks on Telecom extension 22.2:4  
Telecom, union to sign jobs pact 29.2:8  
Duffy sets up new Telecom inquiry 16.3:4  
Telecom in move against S.P. men 28.3:16  
Telecom to encourage Australian 21.4:8  
Economic upturn catches Telecom by surprise  
19.5:13  
Uncertainty over car telephones 29.5:6  
Viatal contract goes to GEC 15.6:4  
Telecom cuts off doctors phone 20.6:3  
'Political lecture' over telephone 29.6:3  
Pension phone scheme 3.7:8  
Tax phone demand 'covered' 6.7:5  
Satellite will not be in Telecom's control 11.7:8  
Telecom seeks to boost phone bill 14.7:1  
City high on Telecom's profit list 14.7:5  
Telecom connects 10,000 in district 17.7:7  
\$1.5m work on exchange 18.7:6  
IAC : Tariffs add \$30m to cost of communications  
3.8:5  
Telecom men lift bans 14.8:6  
Telecom corruption slight 8.9:5

## TELECOMMUNICATIONS - STRIKES AND DISPUTES

Telecom union action shelved 6.1:4  
Phone calls go 'cheap' 13.1:4  
Telecom to check on 'cheap calls' 14.1:33  
Phone bills delayed 26.1:6  
Telecom dispute likely to escalate 31.1:6  
Telecom bans go 22.2:5

## TELEVISION

T.V. violence (Leader) 7.2:2  
 Pal system for outback T.V. 8.2:6  
 Durgog T.V. 11.2:10  
 'Pay' television guidelines issued 29.2:12  
 Challenge to NBN 6.3:1  
 New groups vie for Hunter T.V. licence 9.3:3  
 Third group in T.V. licence bid 10.3:1  
 No opposition to NBN plan 14.3:4  
 Regional T.V. could be destroyed ABT told 21.3:4  
 NBN sell-off could net Parry \$5.5m 28.3:1  
 Standards issued for children's television 5.4:6  
 Gold logie to Newton 7.4:3  
 Awards to Melbourne, Adelaide T.V. channels 26.5:8  
 Aussat system means end for ABC-TV Valley news 9.6:1  
 Apology will clear ABC 11.6:5  
 Bonus issue to follow 12.6:1  
 Parry mounts T.V. raid 21.6:8  
 Telecast for concert (Boy George) 4.7:6  
 Bomilcombe in partial bid for media group 7.7:14  
 Qld T.V. move 11.7:4  
 Senator attacks changes in ABC 11.7:14  
 The Hart goes out of weather forecasting 20.7:1  
 Opposition attacks ABC over assistance for gays 4.8:4  
 Dean condemns benefits for ABC homosexuals' partners 6.8:5  
 Quiz man counts losses (Sale of the Century) 15.8:1  
 Former Adelaide media executive fined \$1100 15.8:9  
 ABC to keep FM, extend news 1.9:5  
 Explosion in T.V., radio forecast for Hunter 15.9:1  
 Court order halts 4 Corners 15.9:5  
 Gosford T.V. translators 19.9:16  
 'Improved' ABC news format 16.10:10  
 Curbs on T.V. ads 'no bar to young viewers' 8.11:3  
 Champ scoops \$300,000 pool 23.11:1  
 Third T.V. channel for Valley by June 24.11:1  
 Castanet Club aims for T.V. comedy show 1.12:9  
 \$1.4m to bring O/28 T.V. region 1.12:9  
 Legalities stop 'scandal' show 17.12:15  
 T.V. news man for PNG (Murray Finlay) 20.12:3

## TELEVISION. ETHNIC

Reaction test for O-28 T.V. shows 9.5:6  
 O-28 screening times issued 10.5:5  
 A poor test (Leader) 14.5:2  
 A spotlight on Ethnic T.V. 16.5:2

## TEN-PIN BOWLING

Baker at Gosford (Coca Cola Gosford City open) 9.7:18  
 Steelworker, 22, bowls perfect 300 game 31.7:18  
 Texan triumphs in ten-pin 29.10:20

## TENNIS

Setback for girl tennis player (Linda Tanner) 20.1:14  
 Gold Coast tennis offer 14.2:16  
 \$932,010 surplus 14.2:16  
 Doohan, 22, plunges into cut-throat pro-circuit 9.3:16  
 Victoria tennis centre to cost \$50m 8.6:18  
 Doohan's bid for Cup side 7.7:42  
 Cash 'not certainty' 10.7:16  
 Anyone for quiet tennis? 12.7:1  
 Australia 2-nil in Davis Cup 14.7:40  
 Cash sorry over blow up 17.7:18  
 Tennis great at Cessnock 3.8:15  
 Victorian open tennis on again 22.8:39  
 Young tennis players on display 28.8:17  
 Americans edge out Australia in tennis 3.9:14  
 \$5000 for courts 13.9:3  
 Site chosen for tennis complex 17.9:14  
 Junior tennis star too popular (Mark Kratzmann) 22.9:45  
 Rookie hits form (Todd Nelson) 2.10:18  
 Top players late for tennis 2.10:18  
 Friends become tennis foes (Ben Testerman & Mike DePalmer) 3.10:18  
 Edmondson blasts crowded schedule 4.10:20  
 Martina for NSW open 5.10:20  
 Hunter players shine in tennis 5.10:20  
 Fitzgerald dismayed at decision to scrap grass 9.10:20

## TENNIS (Con't)

Synthetic surface for national centre 9.10:20  
 Success at films & tennis 10.10:37  
 US christian gives Cash no peace 10.10:38  
 Davis Cup pair out of indoor 11.10:16  
 Drewett upstages Cup players 12.10:18  
 Fromholtz for District Park 12.10:18  
 Williams for Country Week 13.10:43  
 Awesome Lendl stops Fleming 13.10:46  
 Champions beaten in tennis opener 18.10:20  
 Hooper wins marathon (Chip Hooper - (American)) 18.10:20  
 Dingwall topples Swede 19.10:18  
 Cash will play big American 19.10:18  
 Unseeded teenager breaks through (Vicki Marler) 22.10:18  
 Hunter Region's bid for tennis title 25.10:16  
 Doohan makes hot start to campaign 30.10:20  
 Girl, 15, handed tennis title 5.11:18  
 McEnroe ban 6.11:22  
 Minter rallies in Brisbane 13.11:20  
 Newly-wed beats Turnbull 16.11:20  
 Top seed falls to Bunge 17.11:44  
 Lloyds at Kooyong 19.11:18  
 Doohan set to sweep series 21.11:38  
 Martina will get better asserts coach 21.11:38  
 Tennis success no surprise to Johnson family 22.11:16  
 Durie ponders her future ... 22.11:18  
 ... While Doohan's looks bright 22.11:18  
 Injured McEnroe out of open 23.11:20  
 Shriver fed up with tour 23.11:20  
 Turnbull close to \$2m in earnings 24.11:46  
 Martina hits form for open 26.11:20  
 Top tennis youngsters continue run of encounters 27.11:19  
 Vic crowd's here unable to shine 28.11:44  
 Davis Cup star out in open first round 29.11:20  
 Wilander recovers from the brink against Kiwi 30.11:20  
 Country dark horse advances 30.11:20  
 W. German junior pumped up 1.12:50  
 Confident Lendl comes to terms with grass bogey 1.12:54  
 Martina drops rare set 3.12:22  
 Swede, 18, into quarters 4.12:22  
 South African takes match up to Lendl 5.12:41  
 Woman support Kooyong grass 5.12:44  
 Loss ends major hopes for Cash 6.12:18  
 Champ's grand run over 7.12:20  
 Coach was more upset 7.12:20  
 S African suffers 7.12:20  
 Curren battles but Wilander runs hot 8.12:44  
 Swede : one of the greats on grass 10.12:18  
 Davis Cup final next mission 10.12:18  
 Doubles record 10.12:18  
 Pro. Council fines pat Cash \$2000 10.12:18  
 Cash says fine 'unjustified' 11.12:19  
 Fitzgerald too strong for Qld latecomer 12.12:52  
 Pfister topples second seed in day of upsets 13.12:20  
 Fired-up Kreik seals place in Masters 14.12:22  
 Kreik tries on bad-boy image 15.12:46  
 Fitzgerald's world rank rises to 30s 17.12:24  
 Doohan wins hard way 18.12:16  
 Mayotte produces form 19.12:40  
 Doohan puts singles games together 20.12:16  
 Player fined for swearing 21.12:20  
 Two-love, and Doohan is ice-cold 22.12:1  
 Tennis showdown looms 22.12:34  
 Plan for a forfeit turns to victory 24.12:1  
 Doohan snares biggest prize of career 24.12:14  
 Fitzgerald faces tough draw 24.12:14  
 Tough opener for McNamara 26.12:24  
 Doohan to begin Vic open assault 27.12:18  
 Doohan keeps rollin' 28.12:14  
 Hlasek scrapes through 29.12:30  
 Fitzgerald continues winning run 31.12:14

## TERRORISM

Wine bar attack charges 12.1:7  
 Stock disease threat sparks Police alert (Foot & Mouth) 20.1:4  
 Foot-and-mouth threat (Leader) 21.1:2  
 CSIRO letter 'link' to virus threat 21.1:1  
 Virus scare handling attacked 23.1:3  
 Extortion threat reward at \$75,000 24.1:5  
 Police check typewriters (Foot & Mouth) 30.1:5  
 New letters on disease 31.1:1  
 Life for threats against Govt 1.2:6  
 Human bomb 18.2:1  
 Friend tells of family deaths 18.2:1  
 Jeweller, 74, to face gelignite charges 20.2:5

## TERRORISM (Con't)

Man, 71, bailed on Hyatt 'bomb threat 21.2:5  
 Inmate to face extortion charges 21.2:6  
 Prisoner charged on virus threats 22.2:5  
 Supreme court revokes bail on Hyatt bomb charge 25.2:11  
 Hyatt bomb : man pleads guilty 6.3:5  
 Man alters plea on gelignite charge 30.3:5  
 Bombing, death threats, part of campaign 18.4:1  
 Police question man on hoaxes 19.4:1  
 Man put on bond for pigeon coup 25.4:6  
 Test-tube baby pioneer receives death threats 16.6:14  
 Theatre has brush with terrorism 13.10:12  
 Man planted 193 gelignite sticks as public protest 16.10:7  
 Hoax bomber sentenced to six years jail 6.11:12  
 Publicans get letter threats 11.12:6

## TERRORISM - FAMILY COURT BOMBING

Judges in peril (Leader) 7.3:2  
 Hawke, Evans differ over bombing remark 7.3:4  
 Bomb blast judge undergoes surgery 7.3:10  
 Family Law Court bombed 16.4:1  
 Family Court under threat (Leader) 17.4:2  
 Police look for link in Family Court bombing 18.4:5  
 A Family Court judge can never be right 21.4:7  
 New security four Judge 4.5:5  
 Killer 'knew Judge's routine' 5.7:5  
 A court lives under repeated threats 5.7:5  
 Guard for all family judges 6.7:5  
 Ex-husband a suspect in Judges home attack 10.7:5  
 Law world mourns bomb wife 11.7:9  
 \$500,000 reward for finding Judges' attackers 16.7:3  
 Man charged after bomb force raids 1.8:1  
 Bomb suspect identikit 31.8:5  
 Bank records searched 11.10:5  
 Letterbox blast halts trial 8.11:3  
 Bomb death inquest date 8.11:5  
 Bomb inquest order 11.12:8  
 Newspaper oppose suppression order 12.12:8  
 Watson inquest order 'might stop crackpots' 14.12:8

## THEATRE

A clever sheep saves the day 10.1:8  
 Simon not at his best 16.2:6  
 The virtues far outweigh the faults 20.2:6  
 Threat lacking in demolition job 8.3:4  
 Rocky Horror no longer wicked enough to be good 17.3:13  
 Castanets get top offers after win 21.3:3  
 A dead-end situation 31.3:4  
 Appeal to support Castanets 14.4:1  
 One-liners in search of a plot 12.4:5  
 The Lord of visual, verbal magic 18.4:4  
 Performances overcome script 26.4:4  
 Love Story scores as a witty winner 30.4:6  
 Ancient myths turned on their heads 30.4:6  
 'Bride' retrieves reputations (There goes the Bride) 3.5:4  
 Theatrical legend holds the stage (Elocution of Benjamin Franklin) 5.5:8  
 Funny puns and youthful energy (Man of Steel) 10.5:4  
 A hopeful snow white eyes stage (Carolyn Lind) 11.5:3  
 New format for festival 11.5:9  
 The man behind a great fashion creation (John Lawlor) 16.5:1  
 Drama chief critical of plays choice 21.5:6  
 Moving, delightful, but scene needs change (The Christian Bros.) 31.5:4  
 Show triumphs despite staging drawbacks (Ruddigore) 1.6:6  
 An annoying, untidy but intriguing look at youth (The Kid) 2.6:5  
 A story of real life (Year 9 are animals) 4.6:10  
 Mild-Mannered Farce not quite what playwright had in mind 13.6:4  
 Theatre figure dies 26.6:4  
 A star may be reborn 6.7:7  
 Veteran Simon a recipe for success 9.7:10  
 Obsession's wooden heart 12.7:3

## THEATRE (Con't)

HVTC has \$20,000 mid-year surplus 7.8:3  
 Big brother struts the stage 10.8:5  
 A lack of dimension (The Disappeared) 16.8:4  
 Order protects theatre 17.8:5  
 Farcial furriers try hard to please 18.8:12  
 A medical delight (The Comedy of Errors) 23.8:4  
 Lawson joyous work (The Bastard from the Bush) 23.8:4  
 Excellent presentation, work 24.8:10  
 Good ideas, but it's making them work 25.8:12  
 Smooth, sweet shift from screen to stage 29.8:12  
 Good old fashioned fun 4.9:7  
 Some fine humour 13.9:4  
 Music the high point of joyous production of Godspell 14.9:4  
 Comic celebration of multiculturalism 18.9:4  
 A storage of 1946 riches 20.9:4  
 Theatre effects 25.9:6  
 A dream world full of secrets (Secrets) 28.9:5  
 Theatre has brush with terrorism 13.10:6  
 Grant of \$72,000 to HVTC 17.10:14  
 Author in search of audiences 29.10:4  
 A different sort of farce but with some lumpy patches (A Bed of Ruses) 1.11:9  
 The lady's too prim and proper (Almost a Lady) 5.11:9  
 Indifferent text given sparkle 8.11:4  
 Riotous roles too tough (Say who you are) 10.11:4  
 \$15,000 grant helps theatre co-operative go professional 13.11:4  
 Plan for Civic Theatre lease held up 14.11:3  
 HVTC, freewheels get more funds 20.11:3  
 Workers and students entertained and educated 5.12:8  
 Goodies, baddies in Fort show 29.12:4

## THEFT

\$800 taken in purse theft 5.1:7  
 44% rise in N.S.W. burglaries 'and worse expected' 5.1:10  
 North house thefts running at \$50,000 a week 6.1:1  
 Arresting the theft trend (Leader) 6.1:2  
 \$25,000 cinema theft foiled 7.1:4  
 'Not a shred of evidence' in diamond swindle charges 14.1:5  
 Club wall holed by thieves 17.1:5  
 Man stole gold ingot and seven items from car 20.1:5  
 \$100,000 haul in stamps 23.1:1  
 35 stolen stamp albums recovered 24.1:3  
 Beach kiosk theft (Nobbys) 25.1:11  
 3 juveniles charged over break-in 31.1:6  
 Thieves enjoy 'feast' in Merewether area 1.2:5  
 Stolen weather equipment returned 3.2:7  
 Jail sentence for theft, fraud 4.2:9  
 \$10,000 stolen in bowling club raids 7.2:6  
 Man 'asked to steal money, jewellery' 9.2:6  
 Hamilton arrest charges 9.2:8  
 Police seek four men, woman 10.2:4  
 Stolen cash 'used to pay Greeks' 10.2:5  
 Money stolen 14.2:7  
 Man for sentence : 5 counts 15.2:14  
 Stolen tickets 17.2:6  
 Theft could finish girl's show bid 18.2:3  
 Airmen on stealing charges 18.2:12  
 Offers pour in for show girl 20.2:1  
 Theft charge 21.2:5  
 Man ordered to work 200 hours 21.2:7  
 \$5000 in tools stolen 23.2:8  
 Man stole generator 'to repay sackings' 28.2:4  
 T.V. program brings an end to trial 29.2:12  
 Thefts 'for presents' 29.2:13  
 Accused man says his life is at risk 2.3:5  
 Man set fire to \$14,000 vehicle 2.3:5  
 \$35 fee asked for own tape recorder 7.3:11  
 3 stolen bikes recovered 7.3:18  
 Callous theft 8.3:16  
 Recorder theft victim 'should see solicitor' 8.3:6  
 Police break theft ring 9.3:3  
 Robbery close to home 10.3:3  
 Car firm warns on 'disappearing' 'test driver' 14.3:1  
 Woman 'stole for wedding day' 20.3:3  
 Another theft at co-op 20.3:9  
 Man given \$1000 bond 21.3:13

## THEFT (Con't)

Judge cites principle on changing plea 22.3:3  
 Video thieves zapped 5.4:1  
 Overalls a bonus after theft from van 6.4:6  
 Notorious car-tester strikes again 10.4:1  
 Man, 19, 'stole 20 sums of money' 10.4:4  
 Women jailed for shoplifting 10.4:6  
 Garden items 'held for friends' 12.4:3  
 Video thefts net \$20m 'for drugs' 14.4:5  
 Woman seeks pound theft inquiry 24.4:8  
 Boat, trailer one of many thefts 25.4:4  
 Kotara theft 1.5:6  
 Explosives stolen 1.5:1  
 Man 'nearly blew himself up' 1.5:1  
 Car theft charges 2.5:4  
 Thieves take car without wheels 3.5:1  
 Three charged on car thefts 8.5:4  
 Two men arrested in shop 8.5:6  
 Remanded on theft charges 8.5:6  
 Man jailed for stealing car 12.5:4  
 Another car goes missing on 'test drive' 17.5:3  
 Fences jumped after theft 17.5:6  
 Burglar alarms bonus (Car-theft prevention) 18.5:6  
 \$1200 fines and bond 19.5:11  
 Remand on break-in charges 23.5:12  
 Judge criticises delay in stealing charge 24.5:6  
 Man accused of eight offences against Police property 26.5:1  
 Jewellery stolen from house 29.5:5  
 Two men fined for dairy thefts 29.5:6  
 BMX bandit in shop robbery 2.6:3  
 Police recover car, beer after City chase 2.6:4  
 Hooded men in theft 4.6:4  
 Theft at Passage TAB 6.6:9  
 \$2000 taken from shop 6.6:9  
 Thieves hit surf shop 13.6:7  
 Girl robbed of handbag after threat 15.6:1  
 Five years jail on theft for bank rent 20.6:4  
 Man gets 6 years' for four thefts while on parole 20.6:15  
 Warning over theft 20.6:18  
 Jail on stolen car 21.6:6  
 Thieves take pythons 26.6:8  
 Six-year jail term for theft 28.6:6  
 Recorder stolen 28.6:6  
 Three on shoplifting charges 3.7:7  
 Thefts linked to freed youth 4.7:3  
 \$8000 computers stolen from school 6.7:4  
 Pensioners get bonds over theft of cash 13.7:3  
 Bid to foil thieves 13.7:5  
 Hunt for thieves 17.7:8  
 Two men, youth on theft charges 20.7:6  
 Youth for sentence 25.7:10  
 Car gets double take 26.7:3  
 Purses stolen 26.7:8  
 Ravensworth safe taken 27.7:6  
 Man, 19, on theft charge 31.7:4  
 'Unique' fur stolen 1.8:9  
 Man charged 1.8:9  
 City Mall theft arrests 3.8:6  
 Car thieves drawn to rail stations 10.8:1  
 4 plead guilty over car thefts, damage 10.8:4  
 Car thefts bring jail sentence 14.8:4  
 \$7000 in silver stolen 15.8:14  
 Ring taken 15.8:14  
 Youth had 58 prior convictions, on 7 bonds 18.8:1  
 \$15,000.00 Dobell work stolen 20.8:3  
 Pharmacy's display bottles stolen 21.8:4  
 Youth had 58 convictions 24.8:3  
 Two jailed over \$19,000 theft 24.8:5  
 Vandals drive two vehicles over cliff at Bogey Hole 25.8:4  
 Radios stolen 28.8:5  
 \$1m theft in Sydney 30.8:4  
 Man stole car after release from order 30.8:5  
 Appeal upheld 30.8:7  
 Jewellery stolen 31.8:6  
 Qld Police may extradite man 3.9:4  
 Videos stolen 11.9:5  
 Police seek two girl 'hijackers' 12.9:16  
 Thieves get bad news 13.9:6  
 Youths sentenced for car stealing 15.9:3  
 3 for court over cab counts 17.9:1  
 Man pleaded guilty to men's crimes 25.9:6  
 High-speed chase 24.9:9

## THEFT (Con't)

Fine for railway thefts 25.9:1  
 Guilty plea on four theft charges 25.9:7  
 Theft from store 3.10:10  
 House theft 3.10:10  
 Video thefts 4.10:9  
 Theft at house 9.10:8  
 Rail man 'shocked' over list of SRA goods 10.10:3  
 Portable T.V. theft 17.10:8  
 Six bikes found by divers 17.10:11  
 Shock, fury over theft of plaque 19.10:1  
 No conviction on theft charges 20.10:4  
 Adam's kids thief's prey 23.10:1  
 Man, 32, charged after jeans theft 23.10:4  
 Escape in court on theft charges (David James Cowan) 26.10:6  
 Four flee as 'hot' car crashes 30.10:3  
 Jewellery, cash stolen 30.10:6  
 Stolen money 'thrown at security guard' 30.10:9  
 Car theft charges 31.10:6  
 Second plea for plaque 31.10:10  
 3 on car counts 31.10:14  
 Car theft arrests 31.10:18  
 Theft at markets (Pink Elephants Markets) 1.11:4  
 Two charged 1.11:6  
 Two charged over thefts 3.11:4  
 2 charged 6.11:10  
 82 steal charges 15.11:5  
 Men acquitted of stealing charges 16.11:5  
 Stealing charges 17.11:5  
 Thief keeps in trim by lifting wallet 20.11:4  
 Beach theft 21.11:4  
 Charges on car theft 23.11:6  
 Five years jail over break-ins 24.11:13  
 First arrests for anti-theft squad 24.11:14  
 Men to pay \$4335 for stolen \$360 wire 27.11:3  
 Man fined \$500 on thefts 27.11:4  
 Man stole from Electricity Commission 27.11:7  
 Community Police Scheme cuts thefts 28.11:9  
 Theft count 29.11:5  
 Bail refused on University theft charges 1.12:1  
 Theft arrest 1.12:19  
 5 charged 5.12:17  
 Fine on theft 5.12:18  
 'Santa Claus' takes 3 away 14.12:1  
 New phone unit stolen 18.12:5  
 Whizbin theft warning 18.12:6  
 Islington thefts 21.12:7  
 Two men on market stealing counts 22.12:3  
 Man charged after theft 22.12:5

## TIDY TOWNS COMPETITION

Adamstown park honour 13.2:5  
 Tidy towns double 14.2:5  
 Dungog Shire towns aim for tidiness 24.4:7  
 Tidy towns inspection 11.10:5  
 Valley centres win 'tidy' awards 31.12:3

## TOBACCO AND SMOKING

Legal action threat over cigarette ads 5.1:5  
 Cigarettes, beer to rise soon 18.1:6  
 A smoker under siege 4.2:8  
 Smoking ban call 8.2:12  
 A few beers, smokes cost \$90 a week 13.2:1  
 Beer excise rise 'not enough' 14.2:6  
 Cigarette firms warn on sponsorship 16.3:1  
 Armidale smoking drive 28.3:7  
 Ministers try to cut use of tobacco 13.4:3  
 Minister defends ads 16.4:5  
 Smoking kills 800 per year in Hunter area 19.4:4  
 The doctor who sells smoking (Dr. William Whitby) 9.5:2  
 Smokers flock to health study 25.5:3  
 Parents' smoking 'can harm children' 2.6:5  
 Controversial commercial follows launch of Quit for Life Campaign 4.9:8  
 Quit for Life aid call 25.9:7  
 Campaign aims to stub out young smokers 26.9:8  
 Cigarette ads breached broadcasting act: Judge 12.10:5  
 Warning on young smokers 13.10:4

## TORONTO

Club to decide on \$12m centre land 10.3:11  
 Toronto club clears way for \$14m shops centre 2.4:1  
 Boat aground, fair halted 9.4:1  
 Weather did not dampen fair 9.4:5  
 Council ready to adopt Toronto road plans 24.5:4

## TOUCH FOOTBALL

Touch football \$6000 kick-off 12.10:18

## TOURISM

Grey days in the blue water wonderland 14.1:7  
 202 unit resort planned (Boat Harbour) 8.2:3  
 Tourism body to have more flexibility 13.2:3  
 Call to cut pay rates in tourism industries 13.2:7  
 A cruise up the Hunter (Lady Patina) 15.2:20  
 23 vie for 11 tourism body vacancies 29.2:10  
 New tourist authority posts filled 3.3:4  
 Australia for sale 15.3:2  
 Lake mayor heads tourism 17.3:11  
 Village residents form ranks (Boat Harbour) 28.3:10  
 Extension of time for comment denied 5.4:9  
 Opposition attacks 12.4:4  
 Faulty rebates (Leader : Tourism rebates) 16.4:2  
 General manager for tourist body sought 18.4:6  
 Tourist body may cut ties (Port Stephens) 19.4:3  
 Weather helps holiday boom 24.4:3  
 Gosford left off holiday map 26.4:8  
 Tops keep link with Council 3.5:5  
 Control plan for Port tourist scheme 16.5:3  
 Lake tourism body picks logo 23.5:33  
 Tourism appointment 26.5:9  
 Tourism manager (William Noble) 30.5:14  
 Top travel luriters to visit Valley 7.6:4  
 Ways to take advantage of City's assets 16.6:5  
 Cash needed for 'ship-of-the-desert plan' 27.6:1  
 Sciences centre out in the cold 28.6:5  
 A blue print for tourism 6.7:2  
 Chamber seeks airport to bring tourists 6.7:5  
 Anchors seen as Stockton drawcard 16.7:6  
 Pokolbin tourist village defended 20.7:4  
 Tourist town lease up for sale 25.7:12  
 'Boom' tourism plan for Lake 1.8:3  
 RA&F Hornets could be tourist draw 1.8:30  
 Holiday activities 6.8:11  
 Sydney base for Hunter tourism job 7.8:1  
 Local base order on tourism job 10.8:3  
 Duty-free goods on arrival soon 6.9:7  
 Tourism 'in boom period' 10.9:10  
 Sir Job forecasts tourist influx 18.9:5  
 Botanic garden project 24.9:7  
 Award win to Hoges 27.9:1  
 230 units in \$12m Wyee Tourist Scheme 4.10:3  
 Hogan is pulling tourists in 8.10:7  
 Historic HV coal 'tourist trail' planned 3.11:1  
 Lake tourism body 'out of line' 9.11:1  
 Myall plan seen as '\$50m blow' to tourism 10.11:1  
 Lake Council 'acting as censor' 13.11:1  
 Asia tourism target 13.11:6  
 Colonial town could be leased 21.11:16  
 Tourism body backs its chairman 28.11:15  
 \$44,500 tourism grant 30.11:6  
 Tourists become major money earners 12.12:25  
 Lease for Old Sydney Town 14.12:10  
 Push on for local holidays 17.12:4  
 Coalmine bid to trap the tourists 19.12:10  
 Tourists pack resorts 27.12:3  
 Sleeper plan for tourists 29.12:3

## TOYS

Guard on dolls (Cabbage Patch) 15.2:5  
 Aircraft is a model of ingenuity 17.8:5

## TRADE

Hawks to push for trade 1.2:4  
 Freer trade plan wins support 2.2:1  
 Boosting Australia's exports 7.2:2  
 Hunter export campaign launched 23.2:7  
 Exports reach record \$22 billion 25.2:13  
 Warning to Japan on trade relations 24.3:3  
 Sheep export row 27.3:12  
 Bowen to open trade office in city today 13.4:5  
 Dept. of Trade and Industry feature 13.4:8-10  
 New joint regional office recognises the Hunter Area's importance 13.4:8  
 Full range of specialised services now available 13.4:9  
 Providing a stream of information 13.4:9  
 Industries can call upon expertise 13.4:9  
 Trade services' 50th anniversary 13.4:10

## TRADE (Con't)

Radio popular in Asia 13.4:10  
 Overseas trade body planned 14.4:5  
 Bowen to develop steel deal in China 24.5:3  
 Tradesmen's pool a possibility 18.6:4  
 Shearers set deadline 18.6:4  
 Solid rise in exports 31.10:18  
 US steel barriers 'threat to local market' 7.11:40  
 Hawke warns Japan on trade 13.11:7  
 New Japanese markets 'needed' 27.11:5  
 Korea warns on exports 28.11:7

## TRADE PRACTICES COMMISSION

Petersville 'breached' act 12.1:7  
 Legal case Bill set to pass \$10m record 12.11:7  
 \$50,000 fine for Mobil 24.11:13

## TRAFFIC

Left turn on red soon 14.1:1  
 Rail line shift in Toronto traffic plans 4.2:1  
 Credit card payment of fines by Oct. 21.6:3  
 Hunter motorists 'owe \$4m' 22.6:4  
 Police told : book more speedsters 28.6:1  
 State review of traffic fine jailings 11.7:6  
 Road work 20.8:4  
 Street link decision deferred 19.9:5  
 Cars choke highways 29.9:3  
 Traffic steady as holiday ends 2.10:1  
 City 'flood rain' throws traffic into chaos 6.11:4  
 Road delay 30.11:4  
 Proposals to slow traffic flow 5.12:18  
 Traffic jams highway 31.12:1

## TRANSPORT

The woeful state of public transport 5.3:8  
 Transport review meeting called 23.3:4  
 Public transport needs updating (Leader) 2.4:2  
 Hunter advisory group on transport set up 14.4:10  
 Plan for better transport 1.5:5  
 UTA chief retiring 2.5:8  
 Bus time changes 6.6:18  
 Bus rail and ferry fares to rise 11.6:1  
 Landa 'got report wrong' 13.6:31  
 Imported cars warning 18.6:8  
 Student pays the price to get ahead 26.6:1  
 Schools win bus hire change 28.6:1  
 Council to list bad roads 28.6:6  
 Unsworth looks at Metford Station 30.6:3  
 Hunter UTA manager named 29.6:3  
 Transport improvement study 29.6:11  
 Pensioners vehicle concessions begin 2.7:4  
 Coffs Harbour girl to get fare aid 3.7:1  
 Land transport costs too high : Morris 4.7:5  
 Export taskforce to be set up 9.7:3  
 Bus changes 11.7:12  
 Bikers in helmets protest 18.7:7  
 Rego licences to rise in NSW 20.7:6  
 TWU ire at SRA on freight 27.7:5  
 Joint body will be 'industry voice' 27.7:6  
 Hydrofoil sails for Sydney 28.7:13  
 Fare rises 'bias on country' 30.7:3  
 Stockton ferry users upset over fare rise 31.7:4  
 New UTA chief set for challenge 31.7:7  
 Last trip for conductor 3.8:6  
 Threat to trains averted 4.8:5  
 Bus time tables go on display 4.8:13  
 Improved bus service 'not to be hurried' 6.8:1  
 Bus fleet 'deficient' 7.8:11  
 School bus wrangle : boy loses ticket, left behind 10.8:3  
 New bus cleaners 14.8:6  
 Strategy sought for cycle safety 17.8:7  
 Service and transport new growth industries 21.8:4  
 Cut in coal freight 'burden on public' 22.8:16  
 Travellers urged to belt up 24.8:10  
 Clerk 'inflated cost' of pensioner travel 28.8:7  
 Buses may replace rural rail services 30.8:1  
 Transport seminar 10.9:5  
 Westlakes transport : no easy solutions 12.9:8  
 Electronic indicators at Newcastle Station 13.9:4  
 \$450m in State Budget for transport 17.9:7  
 H.S.W. drivers to get donor provisions 27.9:5  
 Ferry work not for Australia 27.9:5  
 Saturday afternoon Lake bus service 3.10:4  
 Minister : Senate evidence is not correct 10.10:3

## TRANSPORT (Con't)

Ferry in trials off Port 11.10:7  
 Travel passes 12.10:6  
 Licence photos for Victoria 24.10:13  
 Swansea route changes 24.10:6  
 Bus tickets change 26.10:13  
 Response to road strategy welcome 29.10:8  
 Newcastle to receive 20 new buses 2.11:6  
 Sydney train times change 10.11:13  
 Mini bus for aged 29.11:6  
 Huge lift for coal by road tipped 11.12:1

## TRANSPORT - STRIKES AND DISPUTES

Rail strike threat 6.1:3  
 Coal train stoppage in Hunter tonight 19.7:7  
 Union lifts bans 26.7:6  
 Rail strike looms over crews cut 2.8:1  
 Post back to normal (Transport Depot) 9.8:4  
 Rail depot dispute could halt trains 16.8:5  
 Dispute looms at rail depot 21.8:3  
 Hunter dispute stops all trains 24.8:1  
 State trains off tracks indefinitely 25.8:3  
 Skids put under dream journey 25.8:3  
 No back pay for rail strikers 27.8:1  
 Unions tie up State's train system in battle to maintain membership 27.8:4  
 Inquiry finds errors in Lake reports 28.8:1  
 Glimmer of hope for rail settlement 28.8:1  
 SRA sheds staff from midnight 29.8:1  
 Pressure on drivers 30.8:9  
 Trains could run tomorrow night 31.8:1  
 Deal reached on HV trains 1.9:3  
 Some rail services after midday 3.9:3  
 Trains 'returning to normal' 4.9:4  
 A picnic that ran off the rails 13.9:3  
 Bus drivers walk out 6.10:13  
 Coach travellers take to rail 8.10:5  
 Transport workers threaten strike at Christmas 16.11:5  
 Strike by drivers hits ship trial 16.11:8  
 Second strike hits loading 20.11:10  
 Railway strike stops coal, goods 22.11:1  
 Coal freight hit by Valley rail strike 28.11:1  
 Union dispute halts passenger train 29.11:1  
 Rail dispute adds to Port's collier queue 29.11:3  
 Deal may end rail strike 30.11:1  
 Scare triggers freeze on all atomic goods 30.11:5  
 Coal ships may move on if rail strike continues 1.12:1  
 Rail men vote to stay out 1.12:3  
 Hill to visit for talks on rail strike 3.12:1  
 New strike stops Port coal trade 4.12:1  
 No hopes of peace in rail strike 4.12:1  
 North Coast train services to return 5.12:1  
 Hunter strikes snub rail union 7.12:1  
 The man who is cast in the role of rail strike baddie 7.12:3  
 SRA to stand down 1000 employees 8.12:1  
 SRA strives to end strike 12.12:3  
 \$2.4m coal 'loss' over range 13.12:1  
 Rail strike risks coal market loss 14.12:1  
 Train strike : the toll mounts 15.12:1  
 Industry and commerce call for end to rail strike 15.12:3  
 Go back or face sack 17.12:1  
 How the rail strike began 17.12:15  
 Train battle not over 18.12:1  
 Trains on the move again 18.12:1  
 'Threats' condemned 18.12:1  
 Heavy traffic for trains 19.12:16  
 Intercity trains will run despite stoppage 20.12:5  
 Hunter Valley trains resume services 21.12:4  
 Coal chief blames Korea cut on rail strike 24.12:1  
 SRA profits from end of rail strike 28.12:1  
 War widows finally win free travel 28.12:4  
 Dairymen to pay rail strike haulage costs 31.12:1

## TRAVEL AND TRAVEL AGENCIES

Jayes travel expo '84 supplement 26.9:1  
 Move to cushion travel losses 1.10:4

## TROTTLING

Pacing carnival sets gate takings record 16.1:1  
 Reinsman out to improve record 20.1:11  
 Trot Club increases stakes 27.1:16  
 12-year-old Double Agent beats Bad Legs to win miracle mile 28.1:38  
 Famous old pacing duo go bush at Morisset (Joe Ilsey; Double Agent) 2.2:15  
 Cup win realises dream (Jim McManus) 12.3:16  
 Trotting meeting off 14.4:39  
 Vital trotting report issued soon 19.4:18  
 Trot driver out for 12 weeks 24.4:16  
 Trot authority posting for Jack Newton 30.5:36  
 Maitland expected to become trot centre 21.6:16  
 Cleary confirms Maitland trot upgrading 22.6:18  
 Rushed trip for Qld reinsman 25.6:14  
 Funeral of trot identity, 83 5.7:13  
 Pacing winner also has family duties 7.7:41  
 Two important meetings for trotting groups 7.7:41  
 Riverdale hope 12.7:12  
 Trotters run extra lap ; race void 16.7:1  
 New method to start trot races successful 17.7:14  
 Beresfield to eventually be developed - says Cleary 20.7:14  
 Trot judges warned 23.7:20  
 Trotting club has best year 13.8:15  
 Golfer may take trotters north 21.8:15  
 Driver calls for safety measures at Cessnock 25.8:41  
 9th campaign by Pennyjack 1.9:38  
 Few frills but thrills, epills galore at Newcastle trots 3.9:3  
 Cessnock trot track unsafe 7.9:18  
 Triumph lad gift favourite 8.9:39  
 Back Burn pick in gift final 15.9:42  
 Back Burn survives protest in gift 17.9:15  
 Martin Marauder hits form at Maitland 24.9:18  
 Swiss Cheese was chance at Broadmeadow trots tonight 6.10:43  
 Gifted boy lifts sire's status 8.10:15  
 Van Sue in line for hat-trick 13.10:45  
 Maitland trots flooded 15.10:20  
 Top field drawn in Spring Cup 20.10:43  
 An unwanted wins Cup 22.10:16  
 'Poppy' not to run in Kilmore Cup 25.10:16  
 Mobile racing at Cessnock 27.10:45  
 Harness titles to North 27.10:45  
 WA reinsman has winning touch 29.10:17  
 \$1m for trotting 10.11:15  
 Pacer bidding for win at Maitland 17.11:43  
 Merson Raider leads Hunter charge 23.11:20  
 Track record broken twice 24.11:46  
 A long time between drinks for trot ace 26.11:18  
 Wondai's Mate should qualify tonight 27.11:20  
 Wondai scrapes into final 28.11:44  
 Trotting driver fined \$500 29.11:20  
 Really Honkin pick for final 30.11:20  
 Stallion Harness horse of the year (Gammalite) 30.11:20  
 Gifted Boy is set to celebrate centenary 1.12:53  
 S Coast pacer is going places 1.12:54  
 Three drivers suspended at Newcastle Showground 3.12:20  
 Blind owner's maiden trot win 10.12:16  
 Club to celebrate trotting's golden era 13.12:20  
 Sires races appear slanted 15.12:45  
 Mare makes a return to Broadmeadow 15.12:46  
 First winner out for repeat 15.12:46  
 Osborn's night trotting first and last 17.12:22  
 Sydney pacer is Sires Tip 22.12:3  
 Rush trip pays dividend for trainer-driver 24.12:11  
 Pacer on winning track 29.12:29  
 Stabling complex draws praise 29.12:29  
 Doubles highlight final trot meeting 1.12:11

## TUBEMAKERS OF AUSTRALIA LTD

Safety award 25.2:13  
 Tubemakers interim soars by 23% 1.3:9  
 Pipemill looks at ways to upgrade works 2.3:6  
 Tubemakers' Mater gift 25.8:3  
 Tubemakers earnings up 103% to \$21.59m 30.8:9  
 Tubemakers look brighter in 1984 30.8:3  
 Tubemakers celebrates 50 years with gifts to parks 17.10:14

## TUBEMAKERS OF AUSTRALIA LTD (Con't)

Company may cut 88 surplus workers 7.11:3  
 Tubemakers plan fails 13.11:4  
 Tubemakers talks resume 23.11:5  
 Tubemakers supplement 4.12:1-12  
 Workers remain at Tubemakers 13.12:1  
 Tubemakers aid disabled 18.12:6

## UNIVERSITY OF NEWCASTLE

Report due next week on Uni course failures 5.1:4  
 Second failure row for faculty 7.1:3  
 Two options on failures 14.1:3  
 Annual search for student accommodation begins 4.2:23  
 Outside study sought on Uni failures 14.2:4  
 University staff honoured 18.2:39  
 Scholarship to former Bay student 21.2:6  
 Two new faces on Council 22.2:9  
 Uni gets maths head 23.2:7  
 University enrolment record 16.3:6  
 Newton John Award to Housing Director (Dr. Roy Gilbert) 24.3:14  
 High Court slows Newcastle case 3.4:3  
 No plans for Newcastle to break with A.U.S. 3.4:5  
 Cattle disease breakthrough 5.4:3  
 University to confer 3 honorary degrees 24.4:6  
 Uni students' housing 'appalling' 3.5:6  
 Equal opportunity post sparks row 4.5:6  
 Twins share university talent 7.5:1  
 Proud Aunt Susan attacks research (Susan Ryan) 7.5:12  
 Honorary degree for expert on Aboriginal culture (Percy Haslam) 7.5:12  
 Medical appeal 22.5:6  
 Hunter in bid for high-tech 'broker' 24.5:1  
 Jobs seen in high-tech Uni centre 25.5:5  
 High-tech Centre (Leader) 28.5:2  
 Uni team aims for mileage trophy 1.6:3  
 Music their world 4.6:3  
 Mid year break for students 6.6:16  
 Tents bloom as cash fades 6.6:18  
 Uni row settled 7.6:4  
 Students hold a 'TEAS' party 9.6:11  
 Warning of Uni student quotas 18.6:8  
 Uni studies behavioural science 18.7:12  
 Uni men reject Blainey statement 19.7:8  
 University's new department 3.9:8  
 Newcastle Uni : few imports 6.9:5  
 Uni look 84 supplement 11.9:11-13  
 Collection of books 3.10:15  
 Major boost in University funds 6.10:5  
 Backlash at Uni over EEO papers 11.10:3  
 Conference on small businesses 30.10:9  
 University 'will get less support' 17.11:2  
 MP & Professor in court move on former lecturer 28.11:9  
 Uni group sets \$100,000 student housing target 19.12:9

## URANIUM

A.L.P. 'out of step' on uranium mining 5.1:10  
 Call to close Roxby mine (Young labor) 6.2:6  
 Mining of uranium inevitable : centre left 29.3:3  
 Uranium debate heats up 30.3:3  
 Vic A.L.P. firm on uranium stand 2.4:5  
 Uranium lobbyist to get \$350 a day 2.4:9  
 ACTU backs off stance on uranium mining 25.5:3  
 Uranium inquiry backs mining 29.5:3  
 Hawke backs call for uranium go-ahead 1.6:3  
 Platform against widened role 1.6:3  
 Centre left backs uranium mining 5.7:3  
 Poll supports Hawke stance on uranium 7.7:4  
 Churches urge no uranium 9.7:8  
 Violence greets ALP uranium decision 11.7:1  
 Left defeated on uranium ban 11.7:8  
 Shipment doubt on uranium ore 12.7:6  
 Uranium veto may cost \$108m 13.7:3  
 Uranium carrier delayed again 16.7:1  
 Uranium ship runs NT gauntlet 17.7:7  
 Buffer zone to guard Roxby mine 17.7:7  
 Qld Nationals back uranium growth 30.7:4  
 Author flays Hawke, Hayden 3.8:4  
 Roxby protest opens quietly 20.8:3  
 Violence erupts over Roxby uranium 31.8:3  
 Night courts hear Roxby protest cases 1.9:5  
 Roxby feeling turns sour 3.9:4

## URANIUM (Con't)

Warning by Bannon on Roxby 4.9:5  
 Protest to continue 5.9:17  
 Break-in at Roxby protest office 6.9:5  
 Bund man finds role at Roxby 10.9:5  
 Chipp warns on uranium in election visit 19.9:12  
 Roxby protesters end blockade 24.9:7  
 Roxby protests 'until election' 26.9:6  
 ALP 'sure to resume uranium stand' 2.10:4  
 Party 'lone voice on conservation' 9.11:6  
 Town's deadline for protesters nears 12.11:6  
 Roxby conflict of 'grave concern' 13.11:5  
 Roxby 'would dry out' pastoral land 12.12:6

## VANDALISM

Vandals take chain from park swing 10.1:5  
 Three-hour damage spree costs \$665 25.1:14  
 Fines over smashed fuses, road signs 3.2:6  
 Bonds over smashed windows 15.2:12  
 Brothers 'smashed' house 22.2:3  
 'Upset' man fined over window 20.3:5  
 Vandals ruin 16 phones 29.3:6  
 \$10,000 damage (Tenambit Public School) 7.4:3  
 Vandals cause blackout (Scone) 21.4:4  
 Vandals hit Port Scout's building 11.5:7  
 Rocks thrown at Lake buses, car 15.5:8  
 Anti-smoking group wins court case 26.5:3  
 Vandals slash vehicle tyres 13.6:3  
 Farmer driven mad by vandals 4.7:7  
 Graffiti charges 19.7:7  
 Garbage bin spree cost man \$464 26.7:10  
 Graffiti defaces walls at Beach 24.8:1  
 Vandals drive two vehicles over cliff at Bogey Hole 25.8:4  
 Vandals burn clubhouse 29.8:5  
 Shop slogan painters fined 25.9:5  
 \$20,000 damage to plant, equipment 26.9:1  
 Youths held on damage charges 27.9:3  
 Writing on the wall 20.10:2  
 Vandals free park birds, damage avaries 22.10:3  
 Vandals destroy Matland tree 30.10:3  
 Protesters accused of truck damage 8.11:5  
 Vandals at Lake 5.12:6  
 Vandals attack idle trains 10.12:1  
 West End : vandals, drunks, fights 16.12:3

## VICTORIA

Vic Govt. acts over surrogate mother advert 5.1:11  
 Vic bushfires insurance liability case begins 25.1:14  
 Man, 45, dies in boating mishap 25.1:11  
 Vic centre 'a step ahead' (Finance Centre) 27.1:8  
 Timer 'used to start fire' (Ash Wednesday) 9.2:4  
 Vic needs extra 500 secondary teachers 10.2:5  
 Storms lash Melbourne 21.2:1  
 Vic Police begin internal inquiry 14.3:5  
 Ash Wednesday fires inflated insurance premiums : sec 21.3:4  
 Court gets last word on parlours 28.3:13  
 Storm damage at \$6m 28.3:16  
 Cain attacked on shop hours 21.4:5  
 Vic, S.A. to link power grids 16.5:8  
 Three die in Melbourne fire 23.5:18  
 Police push for longer batons 24.5:6  
 Garbage vendetta denied 25.5:3  
 BIF walks out of work row talks 30.5:14  
 Victorian horror smash kills six 27.9:3  
 Flood damage in millions 20.9:5  
 Questionnaire for Police on alcohol, drug use 24.9:11  
 Bolte blood switch inquiry 27.9:1  
 Victoria moves to ban R-rated videos 4.10:6  
 Companies bid for coal 10.12:4  
 Vic plan to cut compo costs 12.12:6  
 Court action for access to survey 26.12:9

## VICTORIA - CRIME

Vic escapes recaptured 2.1:3  
 Learning to drink and drive (Leader) 4.1:2  
 Premier quiet on drink move 4.1:8  
 Victorian Govt. studies Police powers 4.1:16  
 Griffith man extradited to face murder charge 4.1:16  
 Judge negates S.M.'s remand decision 11.1:11  
 Couple in custody over drug charges 17.1:4  
 Prisoner found hanged 23.1:6

## VICTORIA - CRIME

Two Vic men stabbed each other to death in house 24.2:5  
 Women raped in Vic old people's home 7.3:6  
 Vic Police continue hunt for murderer 7.3:19  
 Wife 'set up husband and lover' 20.3:5  
 Widow, Policeman to stand trial 21.3:5  
 Two murders linked to drugs 2.4:9  
 Weekend trader gets 84 days jail sentence 4.4:5  
 Inquiry on Police shooting of man 19.4:5  
 Hoaxer 'would die for cause' 20.4:4  
 Man 'will not be force fed' 20.4:4  
 Rebel trader re-arrested 23.4:1  
 Trader takes case to High Court 24.4:7  
 Surety offered for man on bomb counts 28.4:9  
 Army man beaten, tortured, stabbed, Police say 2.6:10  
 Blackmail threat to city water 15.9:1  
 Police view of man's mind 15.9:1  
 Man 20 arrested on poison water threat 17.9:1  
 Geelong threat : bail refused 18.9:4  
 Horse 'axed for insurance' 26.9:4  
 Bolte blood 'switch inquiry' 27.9:4  
 Cain 'did not try to impede inquiry' 28.9:4  
 Man in court (Geelong threat) 9.10:5  
 Shearers fear more trouble after battle 9.10:7  
 Shearers offered 'olive branch' by Police 10.10:5  
 Vic Police inquire into 1980 cup 'rigging' 24.10:1  
 Vic Police hunt kidnap bandit 31.10:14  
 ASIS names for Vic Police 7.11:19  
 2-State drug blitz 8.11:4  
 ASIS names decision justifies stand : Cain 8.11:7  
 Constable wrestles gun from Vic man 13.12:5

## VIDEO

Consumers 'conned in video deals' 14.6:5  
 Video raids 7.8:7  
 Video petitions 10.8:3  
 Greiner to act on videos 13.8:5  
 Labor moves to set up video inquiry 21.8:3  
 Porn Bill to be introduced 27.8:3  
 Cabinet acts on X-rated videos 29.8:3  
 Victoria moves to ban R-rated videos 4.10:6  
 91% want X-rated video choice 15.10:3  
 7500 on garage video books 24.10:4  
 Bills to ban X-rated videos introduced 31.10:3  
 Video hearing set to begin today 12.12:15  
 You say erotica and I say exotica 13.12:3

## VIETNAM

Asean 'in deals' with Vietnam 15.3:4  
 China backs Thailand over Viet attacks 4.4:8  
 Viets expecting China attack 16.7:7  
 Hanoi frees Perth yachtie 30.11:3  
 Vietnam orders deaths 19.12:9  
 Refugee camp hotbed of intrigue 31.12:6  
 Viet troops raided by Guerrillas 31.12:6

## VOLLEYBALL

Girl volleyball hope 8.6:18  
 Newcastle volleyball sides lose 12.6:18

## VOLUNTEER RESCUE ORGANISATIONS

Drama and routine for rescue helicopter 25.1:10  
 Bridging troubled waters (Volunteer Coastal Patrol) 26.1:2  
 Park setting for battle service 7.5:6  
 CB group recognition 28.5:13  
 'Lives will be lost if copter not replaced' 25.8:1  
 Helicopter too busy to answer all calls 27.8:3  
 Volunteer Coast watch centre opened 27.8:8  
 Hunter's leader's back appeal 28.8:1  
 Rescue helicopter should be ambulance hospital 28.8:4  
 Paramedics praise Air Service team 28.8:4  
 \$6500 goes to 'copter appeal' 29.8:3  
 Meeting 'achieved little' 29.8:7  
 Local helicopter success tipped 31.8:1  
 Rescue helicopter kept busy again 31.8:3  
 Call to give the rescue copter a golden future 1.9:13

## VOLUNTEER RESCUE ORGANISATIONS (Con't)

Copter helps bush rescue 3.9:3  
 Rescue copter taken away 4.9:1  
 Council backs investigation on Rescue Helicopter Service 5.9:3  
 Valley copter appeal 6.9:5  
 State provides interim rescue copter 7.9:4  
 Costs up for copter lease 8.9:3  
 Setback in replacing helicopter 11.9:3  
 'A better service' from new copter 19.9:3  
 \$90,000 bill for rescue copter 26.9:1  
 SISA 'will reject' copter bill 27.9:1  
 Council to discuss helicopter recall 27.9:3  
 No rescue copter again 28.9:3  
 Copter appeal 3.10:3  
 Coastguard opening 8.10:5  
 Sydney rescue copters busy 8.10:9  
 Copter delayed by radio gear 11.10:5  
 Copter arrival to boost funds 5.11:8  
 Copter man visits 7.11:10  
 Copter light stirs interest 13.11:3  
 Sponsors back rescue helicopter 28.11:9  
 Copter gets biggest donation 13.12:6  
 Five rescued at City beach 17.12:1

## WAGES AND PENALTY RATES

Doctors 'won't yield' over 7% fee rise 3.1:3  
 No rise yet in doctors' fees 4.1:3  
 Doctors defer move for 7% fee increase 5.1:3  
 Govt. attacks State AMA's over fees 6.1:3  
 Attack on MP's rise 7.1:4  
 Peacock protests at pay rise 9.1:5  
 P.M. calls on States to end pay grabs 11.1:1  
 M.P.'s must set pay example (Leader) 12.1:2  
 States defy Hawke on M.P.'s pay rises 12.1:3  
 Pay stance eased 13.1:5  
 A look at lump sums 14.1:2  
 Accumulating a nest egg (Leader) 14.1:2  
 Deciding how much an M.P. should earn 17.1:2  
 F.I.A. urges cut-off point for CPI rises 8.2:16  
 MIFU defends 4.1% wage claim 13.2:1  
 Call to cut pay rates in tourism industries 13.2:7  
 Wages Bill 'could' increase \$11.7% 15.2:8  
 Builders may delay National wage case 17.2:6  
 \$7 pay rise 18.2:5  
 BLF warned on wage rise 27.2:4  
 Average wage nears higher tax scale 28.2:7  
 BLF drops barrier to wage case 29.2:3  
 Federal Government backs wage rise 1.3:6  
 Non-Labor states against wage rise 2.3:6  
 Reject rise call from employers 7.3:14  
 State taxes slammed in wage case 9.3:6  
 Dispute threatens wage case rise 15.3:4  
 SCC appeal begins 28.3:13  
 Study on Public Service pay to go ahead 4.4:4  
 Wage rise, now tax cut calls 5.4:1  
 An inevitable 4.1% wage increase (Leader) 5.4:2  
 Liberal wages policy on way 12.4:7  
 \$300,000 to push accord's effects 16.4:3  
 Wages body 'should go' 17.4:3  
 Peacock calls for wages changes 18.4:7  
 Builders to oppose pay flow-on 26.4:5  
 Builders angry at pay rise block 28.4:4  
 Question is how to make accord stick 2.5:3  
 No wage rise likely for year : Hawke 3.5:6  
 Canberra in case for building rise 12.5:3  
 Full bench to hear power wage claim 14.5:3  
 Canberra threatens firms with sanctions 15.5:8  
 The consensus is holding (Leader) 16.5:2  
 Allowance will stay : union (Federated furnishing) 16.5:11  
 Chief justice tops salaries list 18.5:6  
 Pay rises 'making indexed lifts pointless' 17.8:1  
 National wage case dropped 6.9:6  
 Women do better in income rise 21.9:8

## WALLSEND

Residents form body for concerted action 23.2:4  
 Residents group for Wallsend 28.2:5

## WALLSEND DISTRICT HOSPITAL

Graduate takes on hospital (Dr. Dennis Harvey) 12.1:3  
 Pathology practice quits Wallsend Hospital 22.5:1  
 Two hospitals given notice by visiting medical officer 5.6:5  
 Geriatric team to boost help for aged 11.7:3

## WARATAH ESTATE

Wetlands garden for City estate 13.1:1  
 No approval yet for Lake sewerage plant 24.1:3  
 Land sales at Warebrook Estate steady : Kern 11.5:7

## WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE

More water for irrigators 9.1:4  
 Sewerage option display at beach 10.1:4  
 Mother 'browned off' by water 11.1:4  
 Sewerage option display on show 11.1:14  
 Cash for water projects flows in 12.1:6  
 Reduction possible for dirty water 17.1:6  
 Proposed new lookout 'still in pipeline' 19.1:4  
 A missing view (Leader) 19.1:2  
 Lake estate will be sewered : developer (Westminster Estate) 26.1:3  
 Call to recycle Burwood effluent for industry 28.1:5  
 Treatment plant 'victory' (Bardens Bay) 30.1:3  
 Family 'cheated' over 'no water' protest 3.2:1  
 \$30m dam plan for mountains 8.2:14  
 Water consumption drops by 28% 11.2:4  
 Bill for NJC use soars 11.2:4  
 Split over sewerage disposal 17.2:1  
 \$20m contract for dam awarded 18.2:4  
 Road block warning (Adamstown) 20.2:4  
 Reply on water plan 'unsatisfactory' 20.2:5  
 A unique dive is in the pipeline 29.2:10  
 Burwood Beach under scrutiny 3.3:13  
 Open days at sewerage works 3.3:10  
 Noses were held but visitors smelt problems 5.3:4  
 Three turn up so sewerage meetings dropped 9.3:3  
 Meeting on City's sewerage woes 13.3:5  
 Beach options outlined 14.3:4  
 Hotel water rates to be cut by up to 30% 15.3:8  
 Save now or pay later (Leader) 17.3:2  
 A welcome fillip (Leader : Burwood Sewerage Works) 20.3:2  
 Water usage or wastage 28.3:2  
 Tillegra dam meeting 2.4:5  
 Trust will call for new look at Tillegra Dam 4.4:4  
 Piping of sewerage inland proposed 5.4:4  
 System may solve Minmi problem 20.4:4  
 Glenbawn at 70% capacity 20.4:7  
 Public divided over sewerage disposal 28.4:3  
 Residents concerned over roadside drain 1.5:6  
 \$6.4m swamp plant opened 5.5:5  
 HDWB to decide how to open Burwood Beach 11.5:7  
 Deputation on dam to Parliament 16.5:4  
 HDWB cuts land component 19.5:3  
 Board urged to ease hardship help limit 21.5:7  
 Water management 'a matter for councils' 7.6:6  
 Controversial unsewered area rate plan shelved 23.6:4  
 Sewage gets an airing in court 27.6:7  
 Sewerage scheme connected 29.6:11  
 Sewage row costs couple \$800 18.7:6  
 Error puts rates up 1000% 1.8:3  
 Irrigation water assured : Minister 6.8:3  
 HV dams at full capacity 18.8:13  
 Sewerage depot to go ahead at Wye 28.8:3  
 Irrigation charges increases 13.9:4  
 Push for Throsby Creek study 13.9:6  
 Water rates add to business worries 17.9:8  
 Work to begin on water supply 29.9:13  
 Bjelke 'feathering family's nest 4.10:1  
 Views sought on waste water plan 9.10:8  
 Sewerage worry for residents 25.10:5  
 Doctors warn on fluoride poisoning 29.10:5  
 Walka scheme move 3.11:12  
 Festival features dummies 3.11:12  
 Federal refusal on sewerage 9.11:4  
 State subsidisers for Singleton water 21.11:3  
 Farm dams 10.12:5  
 Irrigators enjoy ample water 19.12:10

## WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE - STRIKES AND DISPUTES

Strike 'threatens Sydney beaches' 18.4:6  
 Qld water threat eases 22.6:4  
 350 stop work at HDWB 2.10:3  
 Meeting closes HDWB office 3.10:4

## WATERSKIING

Water ski champion ailing 19.1:16  
 Ski pair win on rough water 23.1:16  
 Skier gets in a jam 25.1:36  
 No room for fat : champion 25.1:36  
 Sandy puts zip into titles 26.1:16  
 Ski decision angers American team 27.1:16  
 Wild storm smashes water ski event 27.1:3  
 Jury, lacking, alleges ski team 28.1:38  
 Italians come to grief 28.1:38  
 Bertels quits while he is still in one piece 30.1:14  
 Male skiers can start worrying (Liz Hobbs) 31.1:14  
 Water ski titles at Myuna Bay 11.2:39

## WEAPONS

See also: Nuclear Weapons

## WEAPONS

Australia firm on chemical weapons 19.4:5  
 Ban on chemical exports possible 27.4:3  
 Firearm deaths revive gun law controversy 30.4:3  
 Police displays (36 calibre colt) 15.8:11  
 Bikie deaths 'an abuse of slack gun laws' 5.9:16  
 Police seek tighter new gun laws 10.9:1  
 Rush for gun licenses in Hunter 11.9:1  
 Gun law changes 12.9:1  
 Amnesty period for firearm surrender 13.9:7  
 RAAF trims costs to buy weapons 20.9:3

## WEATHER

Falls cheer some farmers 3.1:3  
 Coral reef skeletons may foretell weather cycles 7.1:1  
 Floods cut links from W.A. to Qld 13.1:3  
 Heavy rain cuts roads, rail, leaving travellers stranded 16.1:3  
 Food airlift to centre 17.1:6  
 Wild storm hits Tweed 18.1:3  
 Storm knocks out ambulance radio channel 23.1:3  
 Beaches packed for girls, music, sunshine 23.1:1  
 Road, rail links out in deluge 31.1:1  
 Gunnedah, Moree hit by floods 1.2:1  
 Hunter flood brings the debris... 2.2:1  
 It went to Stockton Beach (Debris) 7.2:11  
 Sydney, North hit by wild storms 8.2:3  
 Storm ruins 30% of grape crop 9.2:1  
 Wind skittles boat, ferry 20.2:1  
 No good for the beach, but as hot as ever 12.3:1  
 North hit by wild storm 14.3:3  
 Down pours : The Heavens opened .. 21.3:1  
 Rail services hit, sport disrupted 22.3:3  
 Landslip, rail disruption after rain 23.3:6  
 Farmers fairly fed up, but frogmen feeling frisky 24.3:3  
 Ice-cream, pools hit by bad summer 5.4:1  
 Wind, rain lash region 9.4:1  
 Four missing, floods as storms lash coastline 10.4:3  
 Jones gives weather warning (Bureau of Meteorology) 31.5:4  
 45cm of snow in Upper Hunter 4.7:1  
 Wind, sea close Port as thaw hits Valley 6.7:1  
 Show homes opening postponed 28.7:3  
 Westerly wind hits Hunter houses, power 30.7:3  
 RBT dropped 4.8:5  
 Violent storm damages 20 coast homes 11.8:3  
 Storm in Lake cost \$3,000 clean-up 14.8:5  
 Wind punishes marathon skiers 6.9:1  
 Elmore claims on homes to go to Board (Rain) 6.9:1  
 More rain 'needed' 18.9:3  
 A wild weekend for the Hunter 1.10:1  
 Fly TAA - and pray for 3 days rain 3.10:1  
 Bowls game had impact of a cyclone 11.10:5

## WEATHER (Con't)

Maitland trots flooded ... 15.10:20  
 Beaches lose out in rain 29.10:8  
 City 'flood rain' throws traffic into chaos 6.11:4  
 City gets half month's rain in one day 7.11:3  
 Floods hit north 8.11:1  
 Rain causes chaos 9.11:4  
 Storm havoc hits Sydney 12.11:5  
 Air battle lights sky 14.11:20  
 Another scorcher tipped 21.11:1  
 Sunny day, schools on strike! 22.11:1  
 'Dust storm' confirmed 22.11:3  
 Sydney misses eclipse 24.11:14  
 Violent storms lash Queensland towns 17.12:5  
 Summer arrives with a bang 19.12:3  
 Storm ends day of searing heat 26.12:1  
 Cyclone passes 28.12:1

## WEIGHTLIFTING

Rogers after National title in weightlifting  
 14.4:39  
 SA lifter smashes two Commonwealth marks  
 (Dean Lukin) 9.7:22  
 Young chocolate freak sets four power lifting  
 records 1.8:42  
 Mudd lifts performance at institute 6.9:18  
 Weightlifting now a spectator sport 17.9:14  
 Lifter weary of second place (Greg Hayman) 5.10:20  
 Lifter ends drought (Greg Hayman) 8.10:18  
 State debut for Shannos 6.12:18

## WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Legal threat over Blacks' pub ban 18.1:3  
 Bypassing red tape in W.A. 20.1:2  
 W.A. stays tight lipped on 'super' bank 26.4:14  
 Opposition to have say in W.A. land rights body  
 2.10:6

## WESTERN AUSTRALIA - CRIMES

Five Police for trial over youth's death  
 (Roebourne) 7.2:7  
 Western Australian Police await trial on normal  
 pay 8.2:9  
 Violence flares in Roebourne 5.3:3  
 Forgery sparks wild sharemarket run 15.3:3  
 John Pat trial to begin 30.4:5  
 Brutal, cowardly Police attack on youth alleged  
 1.5:4  
 Perth girl, 14, charged over stabbing 2.5:8  
 Policemen punched, kicked Aborigines : witness  
 2.5:8  
 Aboriginal witness admits to lying 3.5:5  
 Police's 'threat to get man' 5.5:10  
 Liquor led to fatal brawl, W.A. court told  
 8.5:4  
 Police 'thrashed' in fight with Blacks 10.5:7  
 Policemen tells of wild brawl 15.5:4  
 Police deny bashing Aborigine 16.5:6  
 Night of death 'not unusual' 17.5:5  
 Aborigines 'made up evidence' 22.5:4  
 Aborigine 'could not have hurt himself in fall'  
 23.5:3  
 Police not guilty of Pat death 24.5:1  
 Aborigines in W.A. seek Pat inquiry 25.5:6

## WHARVES AND WHARF LABOUR

Wharf repair work to begin soon (No.5 Lee)  
 5.1:10  
 500 Dock jobs to go 28.1:5  
 Wharf jobs may be cut 19.4:4

## WHARVES AND WHARF LABOUR - STRIKES AND DISPUTES

Stand-downs likely over ANL bans 7.1:4  
 ACTU calls meeting to end ANL dispute 14.1:11  
 Dispute 'could lead to Ports closing' 16.1:1  
 Ports hostage in union fight (Leader) 17.1:2  
 ANL dispute close to settlement 17.1:6  
 A.N.L. dispute ends : power to be restored today  
 18.1:10  
 Wheat silo ban over Manning : Director 19.1:4  
 Moves to halt coal shipment 11.2:4  
 Strike on coal import averted 16.2:5

WHARVES AND WHARF LABOUR - STRIKES AND DISPUTES  
(Con't)

Maintenance ship picket line may be lifted  
 4.4:5  
 Wharves may be back to normal 9.5:11  
 Break-in charge 23.5:11  
 Shipment doubt on uranium ore 12.7:6  
 Loading of ore delayed 13.7:1  
 Uranium carrier delayed again 16.7:1  
 Uranium ship runs at NT gauntlet 17.7:7  
 A.C.T.U. keeps out of loader dispute 7.8:3  
 Hours row hits wheat exports 8.8:1  
 Rail handling 'delays grain' 9.8:3  
 New hearing sought on dispute at Kooragang  
 Coal Loader 14.8:7  
 Grain campaign 'selfish' 15.8:1  
 Export crisis looms for wheat crop 17.8:3  
 Ship banned (Safocan Nederberg) 8.9:5  
 Inspection again in ships row 20.9:6  
 Grain terminal scandal 21.9:3  
 Newcastle move to clear wheat 21.9:7  
 Stoppages hit coal-loading 26.9:9  
 Submarine visit stops shipping 29.9:3  
 Coal-loading disrupted 29.9:5  
 New loader stoppage 3.10:14  
 Maritime flag ban 'blocking sales of coal'  
 3.10:15  
 Workers threaten to stop Port over ships' move  
 22.10:9  
 'Serious delays' in Port 31.10:10  
 Second strike hits loading 20.11:10  
 Rail dispute adds to Port's collier queue  
 29.11:3  
 New strike stops Port coal trade 4.12:1  
 Loading of coal resumes as dispute resolved  
 5.12:5  
 Foremen to strike 19.12:1  
 Stevedores delay ship 20.12:4

## WILLIAM LYNE HOSPITAL

'Surety required' on William Lyne 12.3:3  
 Dental unit 'a boon to housebound patients'  
 12.5:12  
 Two hospital wards 'fire hazard' 21.5:3  
 2 wards 'need to be closed' 29.5:12

## WINE INDUSTRY AND TRADE

The tops may be tops for wine (Barrington)  
 6.1:1  
 Old bottle of wine may bring \$500 7.1:4  
 Vignerons in harvest race with weather 18.1:3  
 Hunter wines to tackle market in Japan 30.1:1  
 Storm ruins 30% of grape crop 9.2:1  
 Grapes giving more than the last drop 2.3:3  
 Wine levy wrong 28.3:4  
 Wyndham enters Japanese market 26.5:4  
 Fortified wine tax lifted 23.6:3  
 US win for Hunter vineyard 23.6:3  
 Rosemount tops show 23.6:5  
 Valley wine recognised for quality and price  
 3.7:5  
 Brewers call for tax on wine in budget 6.7:4  
 Wine supplement Newcastle Herald dated 9.7:84  
 Wineries display wares at 3-day expo 9.7:9  
 Koalas as 'bait' in HV wine export drive  
 10.7:3  
 Valley winery scoops UK medal tally 31.7:3  
 Hunter wine export drive 6.8:6  
 HV wine sets show record 16.8:3  
 Scientist with taste for wine 20.8:1  
 Wine tax blow to Valley growers 22.8:1  
 Brewery lobby opens way to EEC wine flood  
 27.8:1  
 Alcohol body happy on wine tax 27.8:8  
 Wyndham Estate scoops 17 awards at wine show  
 28.8:8  
 Upper Hunter's new wine queen 17.9:3  
 Upper Hunter Wine Festival supplement  
 24.9:12-13  
 Upper Hunter Wine Festival begins 29.9:5  
 Wine show hailed as best ever 1.10:1  
 Some and Denman shine in festival 2.10:13  
 Statistics point to record grape crop 4.10:9  
 Hunter pushes its wines to Japanese 30.10:8  
 Unessey lies the head that wears the crown  
 27.11:20  
 Vintage year for wine pioneer 6.12:1

## WOLLONGONG

\$1.2m boost for S. Coast Port 21.5:5

## WOMEN

Refuge decision 'dictatorial' 4.1:13  
 \$327,000 for new jobs 6.1:5  
 Women to have new voice in Canberra 30.1:3  
 Dinner marks women's day 23.2:12  
 Education system 'biased toward boys' 7.3:5  
 Fun picnic beats rally (International Women's Day) 12.3:3  
 Furey : hug, kiss sons, keep women at home (Dr. Furey) 18.7:8  
 Lawyers' appeal on child care 19.7:5  
 Hayden defends honour of W.A. 19.7:8  
 Wives grow discouraged seeking jobs 24.7:7  
 Woman elected to union post 28.8:5  
 Seminar (Virginia Chadwick MLC 'Women in Politics') 22.9:4  
 Women in jail are 'special cases' 1.11:5  
 Woman aim for better news coverage 10.11:4  
 400 jobs in NSW plan for women 16.11:3  
 Technical course for woman 12.12:24  
 Scientist finds demand limited 14.12:5  
 More women going to University 21.12:3  
 Federal funds to help women attend forum 21.12:7

## WOOL INDUSTRY

Shearing comb study 'would take 6 months' 25.1:10  
 Silent conspiracy in Bourke's battle of wide comb 7.3:4  
 Wool transport charge 'would cost hundreds of jobs' 10.5:7  
 Rotary blade success 12.5:1  
 City wool centre given a year's respite 24.5:5  
 Shearers call for limits on Kiwis 15.10:5  
 Newcastle's wool trade 'viable' 24.10:14  
 New wool loading method gets trial 22.11:3  
 Top wool destined for \$1000 suit 29.11:1

## WYEE

Wyee 'backblocks' a Council headache 25.1:11  
 Wyee pair to defy quit order 15.2:12  
 Lake Council under attack 22.3:3  
 Wyee residents reach end of patience 23.3:3  
 Council letter on Wyee zoning brings strong reaction 27.4:4  
 Wyee residents angered by effluent ponds plan 14.8:5  
 Effluent pond work halt sought 16.8:3  
 Landcom to sell land at Wyee 17.8:7  
 Sewage depot to go ahead at Wyee 28.8:3  
 Wyee disgust at decision 29.8:5

## WYONG

Tuggerah clean-up 19.5:11  
 'Land grab' notices alarm residents 6.6:12  
 Toukley bridge funding passed 6.6:17  
 Mine uncertainty puts 'block' on land use 13.6:8  
 Wyong dairy farmer's battle not over yet 13.6:8  
 Pie lovers bowled over by feather 27.7:1

## Y.M.C.A. AND Y.W.C.A.

Y.M.C.A. honours leaders 29.5:12

## YOUTH

Nominations called for leadership course 18.1:10  
 Old pub to become a learning centre 19.1:3  
 Teenagers seek more cheap entertainment 2.2:3  
 New youth centre opened (Edgeworth) 6.2:7  
 Sacking of young workers attacked 11.2:4  
 Plea for better youth deal 14.2:5  
 Youth sought for interview (Recreational needs) 23.2:12  
 Youth of year to Scone 12.3:5  
 Youth speaking contest on again 21.3:29  
 Grants for youth, Y.W.C.A. 17.4:7  
 Juniors protest on former club lease 20.4:5  
 Aboriginal issues discussion 26.4:4  
 Westy youth get centre 17.5:5  
 Youth employment survey 22.5:4  
 Driving force of NYS calls it a day (Newcastle Youth Service) 30.6:12  
 Youth body caught in entrepreneurial trap (Newcastle Youth Service) 1.7:6

## YOUTH (Con't)

'Drying-out' centre anger (Newcastle Youth Service) 10.8:3  
 Protest over ban on disco 11.8:1  
 Black market disco buyers 'stupid' 11.8:14  
 120 in Branxton protest march 13.8:3  
 Remission scheme criticised 18.8:12  
 Lake Council failing in youth needs 20.8:1  
 Teenagers' home 28.8:8  
 Youth feel helpless : report 4.9:3  
 Age 'a major factor in jail placement 11.9:3  
 Booragul to get youth centre 18.9:4  
 Youth rally to feature free bands 26.9:7  
 'Concerns of youth' named by churches 28.9:4  
 New plan for housing young offenders 3.10:5  
 Youth protests at poor facilities 8.10:8  
 Budget cuts a threat to Lake schemes 8.10:8  
 Newcastle's youth council will continue to function 8.10:8  
 Police caution in youth law reform 12.10:4  
 Workers for youth 12.10:6  
 Slow response to youth campaign 17.10:8  
 Increase in funds for youth 5.11:4  
 Suicide, hunger face homeless youths 10.11:1  
 Recovery 'misses young' 12.11:6  
 Newcastle Show will honour youth in 1985 16.11:7  
 Help comes to Cessnock youth 17.11:4  
 'High pay, less work' for Aust youth 19.11:3  
 Youth hostel funds 1.12:18  
 Youth aid popular 17.12:6

## ZOOS

Zoo looks at fate of reptile park 26.6:5