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# TRAFFIC CHAOS FEARED IN BALMAIN

Calling Roger Degen, M.L.A. for Balmain, Ald. L. Rodwell, Mayor of Leichhardt, and other workers for and friends of Balmain-Rozelle: There's a dagger pointed to the heart of your district, further threatening its existence as a place worth living and working in.

It's the use of our quiet, twisting, narrow suburban streets by the new giants of the transport field—the vehicles which will bear the 20-ton container loads from the second wharf of the Australian National Line, now being built at Mort Bay.

These will cater for the revolutionary transport development which will speed up (and cheapen) the delivery of goods to and from the new container vessels which will use Sydney Harbour as one of the major Australian terminals.

It will, of course, be in addition to the Maritime Services Board's new container terminal at White Bay, approaching completion.

We have been assured, however, that the White Bay traffic will use only the internal M.S.B. road network and the short stretch of Robert Street (recently widened and strengthened) until it approaches the main road network at Victoria Road.

### Mort Bay

No such comforting assurance has come from the Mort Bay region.

Being a Federal instrumentality, of course, the A.N.L. can say that the task of improving the road network to carry its container loads is not one for it.

Yet, will not the A.N.L. agree with us that something MUST be done to simplify—or at least not to make harder—its work of catering for this new transport development, and that its own interests demand that it should be on the job of

urging the road authorities to do something?

What is being done by authority to solve this problem? As far as we can see, precisely nothing!

Leichhardt Council, no doubt with some justification, says it's not its job!

The consensus of opinion of aldermen, as expressed last August, when they deferred a proposal for reconstructing two roads in the municipality used by heavy industrial traffic, was that Council neither had the money nor could it at that stage set aside sufficient funds to finance loans for the purpose.

### No Plans

The obvious instrument for providing roads adequate for such traffic—the N.S.W. Department of Main Roads—said last September (and has repeated it now) that it had no plans whatever for road work in the area north of Victoria Road.

It said that the reason for this was that there were no roads in the area warranting main road classification.

Well, here's a pretty "How-d'ye-do"!

A major industrial development being launched without the slightest show of interest from responsible persons as to the ability of the district's streets to cater for it!

We can foresee these vehicular giants groaning up the slopes from Mort Bay, along streets absurdly narrow and inadequate for this size and weight of traffic, dodging (if they can) vehicles parked at the kerbs, and before very

long, smashing the light road pavements to smithereens.

Mr. Degen: This is an urgent, vital and precise job for you to handle.

Knock on the door of the Minister for Highways and Local Government and ask him what he and his officers are thinking in regard to this problem—and what they are doing, or intend doing, if anything!

Make a nuisance of yourself on the floor of the House, asking questions, demanding action!

Get support from other Members who would no doubt see this also as an urgent problem!

It's already too late to prevent the initial stages of the traffic chaos to come, but the quicker a remedy is begun, the less the chaos will last.

### New Road

A new type of road catering for heavy industry must be built in this area as a matter of urgency.

And our new Mayor—Ald. Leslie Rodwell: Here's a job for you, too.

It calls for urgent action by your Council to MAKE the Minister, and the Commissioner for Main Roads, interested in Balmain's traffic problem; to force them to help whatever effort is possible from your own resources.

We're quite sure both the local police and the Police Traffic Branch will agree with our views in this respect.

Those who feel that too much is being made

## Old-world Building



Among the many old-world buildings which give Balmain much of its traditional character is the Bank of New South Wales' Branch building in Unity Square, seen here.

This was built by the bank in 1903, but since then has

undergone many changes to cope with the area's development.

In 1967, the interior was extensively remodelled to give it its present up-to-the-minute appearance, while retaining the old-world grace of the exterior.

The first Balmain branch of the Wales was opened in 1875, in premises on the corner of Darling Street and St. Vincents Lane.

Present manager of the branch is Mr. N. L. Ralphs, who was recently appointed to that position.

of this subject should pay a quiet, personal visit to the area in question, watch existing traffic (including that from the present Tasmanian ferry terminal), and perhaps step across the entrances to the streets being used, measuring distances for themselves.

They might get a new picture of things—and perhaps acquire some sympathy for the people living thereabouts who are now affected by industrial road traffic, and who will be more seriously affected when the new developments are in operation.

## Hospital Staff Journal

Balmain Hospital has commenced publication of a staff journal. Its first issue gives interesting glimpses into personalities and conditions at this worthy institution.

It records, incidentally, that the official name of the hospital is now "Balmain Hospital", having been altered in October from "Balmain and District Hospital."

In a foreword, Mr. K. R. Boylan, Chief Executive Officer, said he trusted that in the course of time the true value of the journal would not be measured

by the quantity of humorous incidents or witticisms of the editors, but by the closer link established between the staff of the hospital and between the various sections and departments.

No name has yet been selected for the journal. A competition to select one has been commenced among the staff, to close on January 14.

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## NINE Column

THOSE WHO GET HURT!

The thought that increased industrialisation is a good thing for Balmain-Rozelle because it means increased employment—which appears to be strongly held in official Labor circles—would seem to have been comfortably forgotten in the case of the approaching era of containerisation.

This new development, of course, bases its appeal to economists on the fact that fewer persons need to be employed in handling its processes.

However, this appears to this paper to be less important than the arrant failure of the relevant authorities to proffer any plans to cater for the transport of the containers through these otherwise quiet suburban streets, at least in the case of the second wharf now being built at Mort Bay.

Failure of Leichhardt Council and the Department of Main Roads to get together to tackle this problem savours of complete indifference to the welfare of the public.

People who live and work here—not to mention those who have invested their life savings in their own homes and businesses—are those who will be hurt by the traffic chaos to come.

Of course they will yell! But what a tragedy it is that it needs loud and continued public protest to spur into action those who are in charge of public policy!

The local and central administrations have had complete information about the ill effects of heavy traffic in the Mort Bay area, and ample warning of the approach of new trouble from this source. Surely they will wake up soon, and act?

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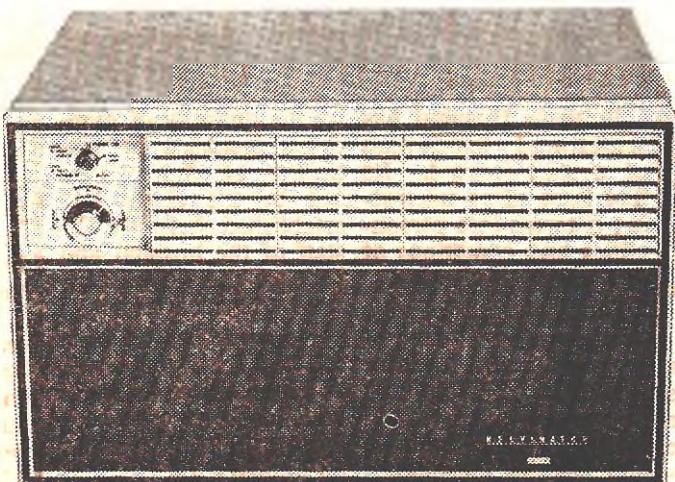


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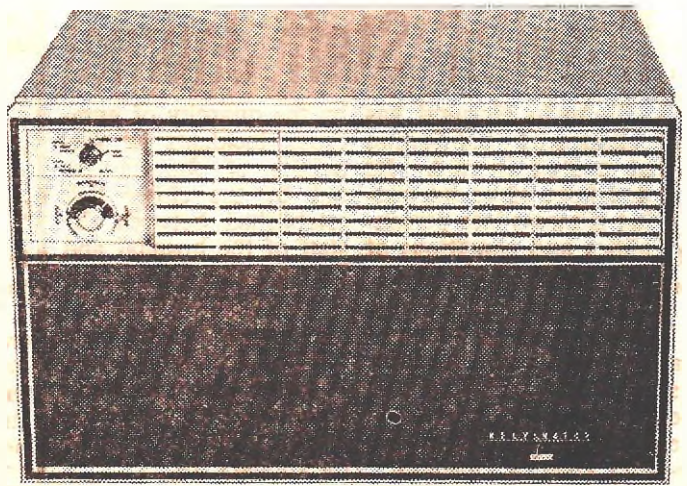
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# COST OF PUBLIC LIBRARIES

Now that the public libraries issue has become a live one in Leichhardt Council circles, the question has been asked: How much will such libraries cost?

The Committee for Establishment of Public Libraries in Leichhardt told "The Link" that there was no mystery about costs, because they were published each year by the Library Board, which administers the Library Act of N.S.W.

As the law stood, if Councils spent 30 cents a head on libraries, the Government would subsidise the expenditure dollar for dollar. Unfortunately, it would go no further.

A modern library, however, could not run on a basis of 60 cents per person, so the Council had to provide more than 30 cents, and each year the amount increased.

In 1966, for example, Councils spent about 85 cents a person on the average. In 1967 expenditure was 96 cents a person.

Altogether the 178 Councils under the Library Act spent \$3.5 millions, while the Government added about \$1.1 million.

The burden on Councils was heavy, and the Premier had promised to increase the subsidy.

Mr. E. Smith, organiser of the Committee, added: "Another way of looking at the problem is to say that in 1967, Marrickville residents paid 78 cents per person; Hunters Hill paid 68 cents, although some wealthy Councils spent a good deal more.

"But Marrickville and Hunters Hill are long established, and their costs are small, perhaps too small; and if we had established libraries when we should, our costs would have been low also.

"The figures given

above are for the average. There are no other costs, for these include establishment, replacement, purchase of books, staffing, etc.

"The average cost per head in 1967 for the ratepayer was 96 cents — about the cost of a single newspaper bought on 19 days, or something less than three packets of cigarettes.

"Three things should be clearly understood: "1. Books are not only important; they are expensive, so that good libraries are costly.

"2. We should insist that we have good libraries, because bad ones are worse than none at all.

"3. All but a few Councils have set up their libraries, because they find that the cost when distributed over the whole population is small."

## R.S.L. CORNER

Winners of the knock out euchre on Friday night, were Marie Toscani and Harry Hampson, from Tommy Quinn and Arthur Hamill. There were 64 starters — the perfect number.

The club asks members to support the

euchre tournament. There is \$60 to be given away.

Sports Club events for the near future are: Tuesday, January 21, gala sports club night. Sunday, January 26, bus trip to Austinmer; buses leave the club at 8.30 a.m. sharp. On

Tuesday, February 18, the Sports Club's annual election will be held.

The Committee of Management would like members to read all the advertisements it issues. If you want to follow the happenings at Balmain-Rozelle R.S.L. sub-branch club, read your local paper!

There were two jackpot Monte Carlo's on Sunday night. The first was won by Reg Johnson and Judy Stewart. Winners of the second were Toby and Phyllis Murphy, who had attended the return cricket match against Chester Hill R.S.L.

That match had resulted in a draw. In a guessing competition there, "Shifty" (Cuddles) Smith, won an occasional table

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The erring motorists then find themselves in the embarrassing position where they are unable to move out of the way of cross traffic. This in turn leads to more congestion, and sometimes collisions.

The Police Traffic Branch says that Regulation 67B of the Motor Traffic Act was framed to prevent unnecessary congestion at intersections.

It requires that a motorist approaching an intersection should not enter it unless he is able to drive completely across or to turn to his left or right.

In other words, if the roadway directly beyond the intersection be blocked, the driver should not enter the intersection. He would gain nothing for himself, and would in fact cause more delay to other traffic.

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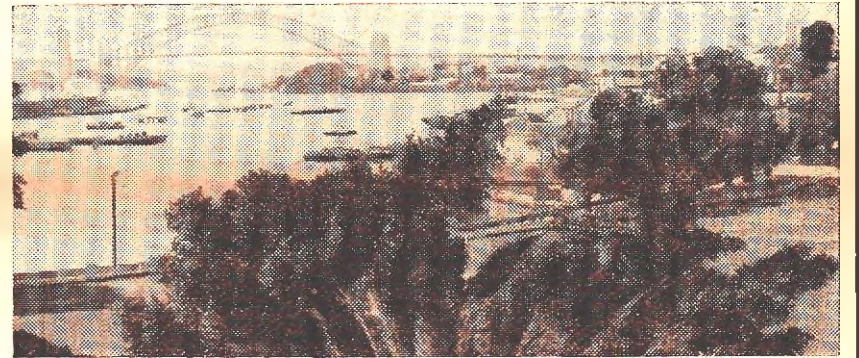
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Every nomination for a position on the Committee of Management must be nominated and seconded by 2 Ordinary Members who are financial for 1969, otherwise their nomination becomes null and void. Nominations close on Sunday, 9th February, at 6 o'clock.

Voting dates on Club premises in the Mixed Lounge, 5 till 9 o'clock, Thursday and Friday, 13th and 14th February, and 10 o'clock till 6 o'clock, Saturday, 15th February.

The Club's Annual Meeting will be held on Club premises on Wednesday, 19th February, commencing 8 p.m. sharp.

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and the units should be ready for occupation this May.

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A spokesman for Balmain Estate Agency said that this would be the best development of its kind in Balmain.

One of the centres selected by the Department of Technical Education for Day Matriculation courses is Meadowbank Technical College, in Constitution Road, Meadowbank.

The college provides this course for people living in the Balmain-Rozelle district.

Intention to enrol may be given by writing to the college, or by telephoning 80-0488.

Personal interviews, by appointment, will be given by the guidance officer during the long vacation, and actual enrolments will be made on February 6, at the College, from 2 p.m.

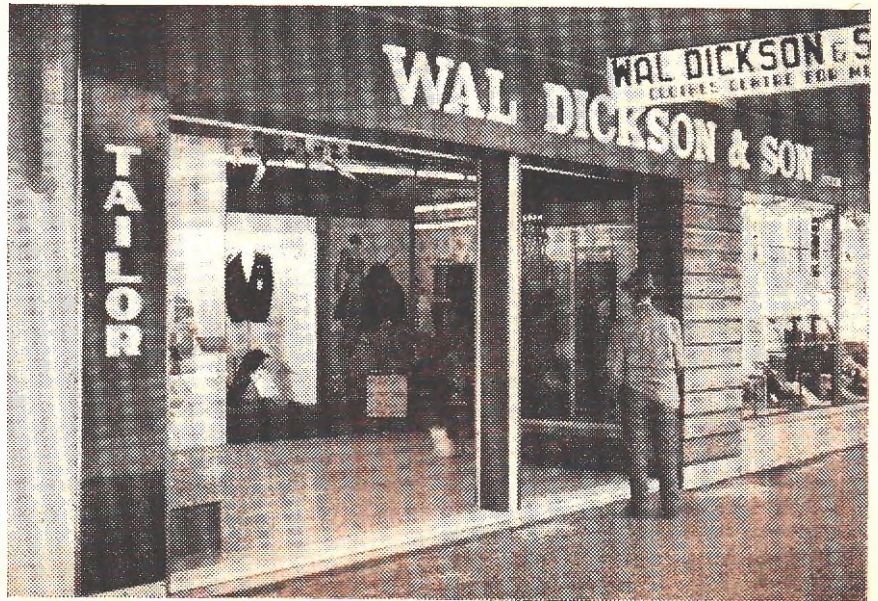
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Applications in the applicant's own handwriting, giving full details regarding age, education, qualifications and previous experience, should be accompanied by copies only of references.

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The Nutrition Section of the N.S.W. Department of Public Health says that salad vegetables are value nutritionally, as they provide minerals, vitamins (especially Vitamin C) and roughage. For these reasons it is a good idea to serve salads frequently, not only in summer.

It is necessary to include either meat, fish, cheese or eggs in a salad to provide protein or building material needed by the body. In winter, instead of serving a complete salad meal, the protein portion could be hot and a side salad could be served with it.

Salads have a valuable place in a reducing diet, as the salad

vegetables are generally very low in calories, so large portions can be used, making the meals larger.

Although on a reducing diet it is necessary to exclude or limit salad oil in dressing, savoury dressing (using vinegar or tomato juice) can be prepared to add interest to the meals.

If serving salads frequently, make them interesting and tasty by varying the ingredients as much as possible.

If lettuce is generally used as the basis of your salad, try cabbage for a change. It is very tasty if finely shredded and mixed with French dressing, chopped chives and salt and pepper.

Always try to prepare salads just before serving, as a loss of vitamins will occur if the vegetables are prepared much in advance.

Garnishes will help to add interest to your salads, and suggestions for these are strips of green and red pepper, sprigs of parsley and celery curls, or radishes, cucumbers and tomatoes cut in fancy shapes.

If there is no weight problem, there is a wide variety of dressing which can be used to add interest to the meal.

## Vapour Lock

"Vapour lock" is the summer plague of motorists. It can strike any car, regardless of its age or make.

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Many drivers know the symptoms: a sudden faltering of the motor, followed by a complete stop.

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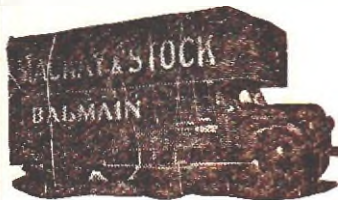
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