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RESIDENTS PROTEST AT TERMINAL

Organisations representing the "Hands Off Balmain" viewpoint were not impressed with last Friday's ceremony when the Balmain container terminal was officially opened. On the contrary, they declared that the suburb had been torn apart for what would soon become a "white elephant".

A large assembly of people attended the ceremony as official guests of the Maritime Services Board. District representatives to be invited included the Mayor of Leichhardt (Ald. L. Rodwell), the Town Clerk (Mr. E. A. Bassett), and the Engineer (Mr. G. A. Wilson).

The opening ceremony, conducted by the Minister for Public Works, Mr. Davis Hughes, heralded Australia's entry into container shipping, as it marked also the inauguration of a new coastal service by the chairman of Associated Steamships Pty. Ltd., Sir Ian Potter.

While guests were being checked through the entrance gates, a demonstration was held by about 50 people who had congregated there for the purpose.

"Mistake"

The demonstration was arranged by the Balmain-Leichhardt Labor Party, whose three representatives, Aldermen Origlass, Wyner and Graham, were elected for Balmain ward at the recent Council election.

Demonstrators included party members, representatives of The Balmain Association and some residents of the area.

It was an orderly demonstration, in which placards were waved as guests were checked through the gates. A wreath of ivy and black placard reading "Balmain R.I.P." were slowly lowered.

Both here, and at a meeting in Grafton Street beforehand, the demonstrators were addressed by Ald. N. Origlass, President of the

party, who declared that the Maritime Services Board had made its biggest mistake, because within five years the terminal would be redundant.

He mentioned that no local residents or their municipal representatives had been invited to the opening ceremony.

Complaint

Actually, he said, the installation was an illegal development, since the M.S.B. had ignored its legal responsibility to submit a development application to Leichhardt Council and had gone ahead with its plan without regard for the feelings of the local people.

Unfortunately, the Council had done nothing about forcing the issue.

Ald. Origlass believed that local residents had a legitimate complaint about the enterprise, which in any case was a panic measure. It had already been demonstrated by the traffic bottleneck that the terminal had been built in the wrong place.

He considered that in the near future it would revert to ordinary cargo handling and that container traffic would go to Botany Bay.

Ald. Origlass later told "The Link" that his viewpoint was supported by last week's State Government decision to create a new \$75 million port in Botany Bay.

He pointed to the statement by a spokesman for Wilhelmsen Lines, one of the unit-load operators, that they had been disappointed that the decision to go ahead with White Bay had been given priority over Botany Bay, and

that they would certainly look at the potential of the bay as soon as its facilities became available.

The alderman added that these considerations demanded that a halt be called to the second container terminal enterprise — that of the Australian National Line at Mort Bay.

The objections to the White Bay terminal, because of damage to residential amenity, applied equally to Mort Bay, if not more so in view of the traffic problem that would be created by road transport of containers, which would be through the whole of the Balmain peninsula.

"Irony"

The President of The Balmain Association, Mr. Robert Irving, said it appeared likely that within five years the terminal would be merely a conventional wharf serving conventional shipping, and therefore a white elephant.

"Only Balmain residents," he said, "would appreciate the irony that the terminal was opened only two days after the State Government had announced the \$75 million plan to develop Botany Bay as a major port."

"The session of back-slapping that accompanied the opening of the new terminal was the grand finale to two years of blasting, ripping and dredging during which the Balmain people have been captive spectators of the destruction of their suburb."

"The development goes against the majority of expert opinion, which has always held that Botany Bay would pro-

Installation Is Duly Opened



Beneath the great crane which is to be used loading and unloading the controversial containers at the Balmain container terminal, the N.S.W. Minister for Public Works, Mr. Davis Hughes, is seen performing the official opening last Friday afternoon. Seated nearby is

Sir Ian Potter, chairman of Associated Steamships Pty. Ltd., who here inaugurated a new coastal service.

Representatives of "The Link" who attended found the terminal, when viewed from the water-line, to be most impressive, bringing to the industrial scene

in this section of the Balmain peninsula an attractive appearance.

Looking upwards at the residential area of Balmain, one sees a neatly tailored, high rocky wall, with small homes tucked away above it and behind the outjutting giant terminal shed.

vide space and transport needed to make the container operation viable.

"The White Bay area is large enough only to accommodate the arrival and despatch of containers, and these must be transported by rail and road to another centre for breaking down."

"Although many of the containers will leave the site by rail, a large proportion will enter one of Sydney's most congested arteries in huge truck convoys."

No Liaison

Mr. Irving added that in all its planning the Board had failed to liaise with nearby residents or even the appropriate Local Government body — Leichhardt Council.

Apparently that failure even to note the concern of the local community had not failed to make an impression on the State Government, for in announcing the new Botany Bay plans the Premier, Mr. Askin, said: "It is recognised that

Riverside P. & C. Activities

The newly-formed Parents and Citizens' Association for Riverside Girls' High School considered many fund-raising projects at its first meeting.

Details will be forthcoming when arrangements are finalised.

There were 45 members present.

The local Councils concerned have a special interest, particularly in the preservation of the local amenity. The closest collaboration will be established between Government authorities and the responsible Local Government bodies."

Mr. Irving concluded: "It is a pity the Government and M.S.B. did not take such a stand three years ago when Balmain's fate was being so carelessly decided."

Membership fee is 20c per annum, which includes membership of the Ladies' Auxiliary.

Riverside won the district swimming carnival last Tuesday with a margin of over 100 points.

The Ladies' Auxiliary advises that any parent experiencing difficulties in providing complete uniforms should contact Mrs. Croucher, sewing mistress at Riverside.

On behalf of the Auxiliary, Mrs. V. J. Drayton, publicity officer, says:

"There are many rules and regulations needed in school administration. Perhaps one small way in which mothers could support school requests would be to encourage their daughters to comply with suggestions made with regard to uniform."

Column NINE

TWO-WAY LIAISON

Many Balmain people will support the complaint of their ward aldermen and of The Balmain Association that the Maritime Services Board showed little regard for local feelings in its manner of constructing its container terminal.

The Board's major mistake, of course, occurred when it misled the people over the height of the shed it was to erect, and the manner in which it belittled Leichhardt Council when waving the big stick of Government instrumentality.

That the Government itself did nothing to counter residents' complaints showed that it, too, thought little of local feeling.

Balmain's fight in this matter, though, would seem to have some effect, since the Premier has announced that regard will be paid to liaison with the local Council and to preservation of living amenity when it tackles a similar situation at Botany Bay.

Whether or not Balmain is a suitable site for a container terminal will be decided only by experience. Still, major developments of this kind mean progress, which is both essential and inevitable.

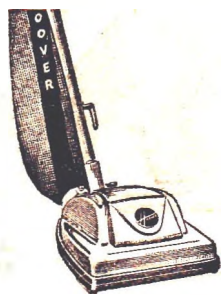
For the future, trampling on Balmain people's feelings must end, and this will come only from effective liaison between Government authorities and Leichhardt Council.

Liaison is a two-way affair. You can't expect authorities to respect local representatives unless those representative earn respect.

We hope therefore that Council has learned its lesson, and that it is now beginning to emerge from the mire of indifference to the people's welfare, in which it wallowed for so long.



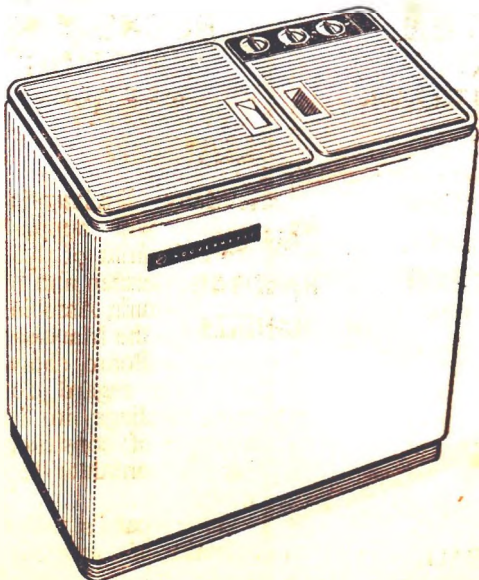
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Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cooper, of Louisa Road, Balmain, celebrated their diamond wedding anniversary at Chelmsford Hall, Montague Street, on March 15.

Sam, who left the Royal Navy (H.M.S. Powerful) in 1908, then started to teach dancing, and next year he married Miss Bella Bain. Together they taught dancing for many years, in Balmain, Ryde, Gladesville and Randwick.

For 52 years Mrs. Cooper has been active in the Red Cross, having received a citation with a gold badge and emblem. She is also still president of the ex-British Centre Group of Legacy.

Sam joined the Navy League, instructing boys from 8 to 16 in the art of seamanship, eventually becoming Commandant for all Australia, and was awarded the coveted Special Service Decoration.

The anniversary breakfast in Temperance Hall was attended by 160 people.

A wedding cake was a present from old friends, Mesdames Marvin and Gillies. Congratulatory speeches were made by Dr. Richter and Lt.-Cdr. Nicholls, M.B.E., and Mr. Curt Anderson (from U.S.A. for the occasion).

The three bridesmaids and flower girl at the wedding 60 years ago again performed at the 60th anniversary.

R.S.L. CORNER

Tonight (Wednesday) is the second of the Club's film nights. As the film is a very good one, there should be quite a good attendance. About eight members who have already seen it are coming to see it again. You can't drink and smoke when you go to the pictures in town!

The knock-out euchre on Friday night was won by Jimmy Bragg and Phyllis Murphy, from Peter Campbell and Percy Cowan. This Friday there will be no euchre competition, but a games night for all Club members, with very good prizes.

The sports club has three important events coming up shortly—an outside fishing trip on Sunday, April 6; a cricket match this Sunday, March 30; and, of course, the big bus trip

to Port Erringai on Good Friday, April 4.

All these events are for sports club members only, and the books are closed till June.

The Club's next important date is Sunday, April 13, when it will hold its march. At the completion of the march, a commemorative dinner will be held in the Club.

The dinner will be for members only. Tickets are available in the members' bar, and medals must be shown when getting your ticket.

Some bad news for the ex-30th Battalion boys, with the passing away of Kitchener (Tichy) Carr, Don Company, and the necessity for Bert Lavish to retire. The reunion will still be held at the Chelmsford Hall on Anzac Day.

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It is understood that the Board has in mind a top-quality effort.

The President of the Board, Mr. W. H. Brotherson, advises that the M.S.B. is in the course of establishing on its own area at Peacock Point a spacious public park.

This is in substitution for the unoccupied section of Commonwealth land which has been regarded as being available for general use by the public, and which now forms part of the Balmain container terminal.

Last October, at the inaugural meeting of the committee set up by the Government to arrange celebration of the Captain Cook bicentenary next year, Mr. Brotherson announced that the M.S.B. was going ahead with the project.

It would be available by April 29, 1970 — the date of the Capt. Cook bicentenary celebrations.

The park will be available only for pedestrians, with no provision for motor vehicles.

It will have a distinctive Australian atmosphere, as it will be planted with native shrubs and trees.

The Board's attitude governing its action was that the park would be a fitting development for the Balmain foreshore.

News of the Board's action is contained in the official brochure issued to guests at last Friday's official opening of the container terminal. This brochure gives a brief history of the terminal area.

Due primarily to the natural deep water available in the adjacent White Bay — the report says — the foreshore area at and adjacent to the site of the container terminal has been included in port development proposals for many years.

In 1913 printed long-term plans drawn up by the former Sydney Harbour Trust to cater for the needs of the ever-expanding city made provision for the construction of wharves along the whole of the southern side of Balmain peninsula.

Trends and economic factors have dictated the rate of progress of wharfage extensions, but, in order to take full advantage of the potential, steps were taken by the Board, as opportunity permitted, to acquire large sections of waterfront land.

With the introduction of zoning in the early 1950's, the waterfront and adjoining lands were zoned "Special uses" for the Board's development purposes under the then Cumberland County Council scheme.

The Board later decided to curtail its wharfage proposals, but continued the practice of looking to the future by acquiring further land in the prescribed zone, and assisted displaced indus-

tries by arranging alternative accommodation for them where possible.

Action in terms of this policy was taken in respect of the properties affected by the decision to construct container berths on the present site.

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YOUR OPINIONS

Credit Problem In Shopping By Cheque

I wish to comment on the letter in last week's "Link" by D. Giles in regard to buying by cheque in local stores.

In paragraph 2 he mentions the poor attitude of a "significant number" of traders in this district, and in paragraph 6 says "Most of the shopkeepers show respect". Bit confusing! Nevertheless, it shows that he is not very happy.

As he is a newcomer to this district, it does seem rather presumptuous to tender a cheque for goods to be taken away without first establishing a credit standing.

No shopkeeper wishes to refuse business; however, the bitter years of experience have taught him that he is a target, and his best defence is refusal of cheques where he has no knowledge of the financial standing of the purchaser.

Amongst the stores in this suburb are thousands and thousands of dollars worth of worthless cheques. D. Giles should inquire the difficulty and cost of trying to recover this money.

Where goods and cheque change hands at the same time, and the cheque is found to have no value, the shopkeeper has one direct action to take.

For a \$2 Court fee he can sign a warrant of arrest. The person is then arrested, but no provision is made for repayment of the money or return of the goods, so he has not only lost both but also the \$2 he paid for the warrant of arrest.

Balmain businessmen are no different to those of any other suburb. The banks have added to their burden, as they are closed on the main day that people wish to buy by cheque.

Strangely enough, the biggest percentage of people tendering a cheque do it after 3 p.m. or on Saturday morning when there is no way of checking. Hence the refusal.

Should Mr. Giles ever commence in business, it would be wise to learn by the experiences of established traders who

have weathered the years and refuse new customer cheques unless the goods are left until the cheque had been cleared.

Bank advertising misleads people to think that they can walk into any retail store and present a cheque in payment. The thing they forget to do is to distinguish your cheque as to its financial backing.

Fortunately, most people who use a cheque book are honourable. But it is that percentage of thieves who make it difficult for the shopkeeper and embarrassing for the honest person.

Mr. Giles will find that after establishing permanent residence here, and a local credit rating, that the cheque will be accepted and the value and service received in return will measure up to that in any other area in Sydney.

In fact, most times it will be even better, because local shopkeepers are proud of their association with Balmain people. — "Shopkeeper"

police to find for us a customer who had paid regularly by cheque, but the last one bounced. Here at least we got our money.

Then again we cashed a Social Services cheque in good faith, partly in goods and partly in cash worth \$30. This one turned out to have been stolen from a letter box, and, after investigations by the Department, was traced back to our bank.

After all this time, we could not remember who gave us the cheque, and had to pay the \$30, which meant a double loss to us.

After experiences like that, can Mr. Giles blame the shopkeeper for being rather careful?

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Shopping Locally

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Disappointment at the lack of support from parents was expressed by Balmain Public School P. & C. Association secretary at the recent annual general meeting.

The secretary, Mr. G. Sterrey, said in his annual report that he reviewed the year's activities with disappointment because of the low number of parents attending P. & C. meetings, and also because of the mediocre success of the various functions, such as the fancy dress ball and annual fete.

The number of pupils enrolled at this primary

school was over 200, yet attendance of parents at P. & C. meetings averaged only nine for each meeting.

Because of sickness of these members and of the headmaster, the August and September meetings were cancelled.

The secretary added: "It is only logical that children attending a school with a large and active P. & C. Association have greater benefits and educational aids than children at a school where the P. & C. is struggling to keep going."

"It must be realised that now more than ever a good and thorough education is necessary for both boys and girls, and I appeal to all parents to help and encourage their children to stay at school and achieve a higher education wherever possible."

"Your interest in P. & C. affairs and therefore school affairs show your children that you are indeed interested and willing to help."

Easter Supplies

Garages will observe usual holiday trading hours for petrol sales over Easter.

These are: Good Friday, April 4, no trading. April 5, 6 and 7, public holiday and week-end trading hours—7 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Members may obtain a brochure listing coin-operated self-service pumps from the N.R.M.A.

Bread will be delivered to all customers on the Thursday before Good Friday and again the following Tuesday.

Bread manufacturers will rely on employees who volunteer to work, bake and deliver fresh bread to shops and institutions on Easter Saturday. Home deliveries will not be possible on that day.

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THURSDAY: Ladies' Prawn Night. Artists: Francis Shaw and Gerry Graham. Prawns come on at 8 p.m. sharp.

FRIDAY: Games Night for all Club Members. Very good prizes.

SATURDAY, 8 p.m.: The Bandels, Instrumental Ventriloquist Duo.

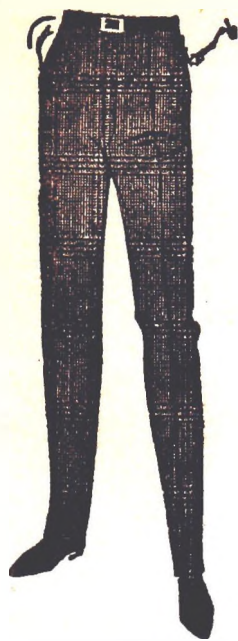
SUNDAY (Sick Parade): The New Sounds, Instrumental Duo. 3 till 6 p.m.: Beth and Jaye, the Caledians Trio Band. 7 till 10 p.m.: Dance Night with prizes for the barn dance and a jackpot Monte Carlo worth \$40. Also a Cricket Match against Callan Park Wardens at Callan Park.

FRIDAY, 4th April, GOOD FRIDAY: Sports Club Picnic to Port Erringai. Buses leave the Club at 7.30 a.m. sharp. All money must be paid in by this Sunday, 30th March.

SUNDAY, 6th April, EASTER SUNDAY: Outside Fishing Trip. Launch leaves Elliott St. Wharf at 4 a.m.

SUNDAY, 13th April, ANZAC SUNDAY: March commences 9.30 a.m. sharp at Coles Corner, marching to Gladstone Park where a Service will be held after a wreath-laying ceremony. The marchers will then proceed to the Club where a Commemoration Dinner will be held. No tickets given out after Sunday, 6th April.

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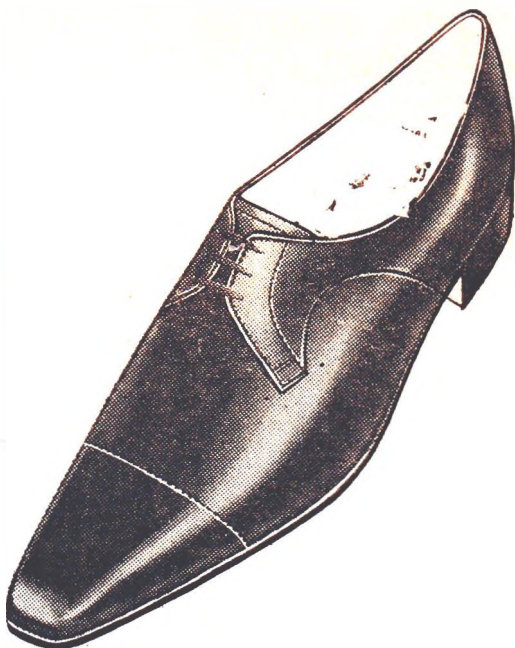
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ALLARD.—In loving memory of our beloved brother-in-law, Norman John Allard, who departed this life 21st March, 1960.

Always remembered by the Cashman family.

CASHMAN.—In treasured memory of our darling mother, Mary Eleanor Cashman, who departed this life 28th March, 1947.

Still deeply missed and always loved by her daughters and sons.

CHRISTIE, Robert.—Passed away 31st March, 1964.

He would not ask for sorrow, He would not ask for tears, But just to be remembered Throughout the passing years.

Always remembered by his mother and sisters.

CURLE, Dorothy.—In loving memory of our loving wife and mother, who passed away 27th March, 1965.

We miss her because we love her,

To us she was more precious than gold,

No treasure on earth can replace her,

Her memory will never grow old.

Sadly missed by her husband Phyl, daughters Beverley, Heather, Robyn, Shirley, Pamela, sons-in-law and grandchildren.

DESJARDINS, Albert Henry and Albert Leslie.—Treasured and loving memories of my dear husband and my son, my dear daddy and brother, my dear brother and nephew, my dear brother-in-law and nephew, my dear uncle and cousin, died 22nd March, 1966, and 26th May, 1960.

Our family chain was broken,

A life linked with our own, God alone knows how we miss them,

As we walk through life alone,

Always we feel so lonely, and tears come to our eyes.

When we think of you in heaven, Bert and Albert, We know we should not cry.

There's a face that is always with us,

There's a voice we long to hear,

There's a smile we will always remember,

Of the two we loved so dear. We often look at your picture,

You smile and seem to say, "Don't grieve, my darling loved ones,

We will meet again some day."

So please, God, take this message

To our dear ones up above, Tell them how we miss them

And give them all our love. To those who have dear ones,

Treasure them with care, For you will never know the heartache

When they are no longer there;

God's greatest gift was making them ours.

Inserted by Grace and Mum, Aileen, Edna, Bill and Barry.

KNEALE, John Alexander.—Treasured memories of our dear father, father-in-law, grandfather and great-grandfather, who passed away 27th March, 1966.

We miss you, Dad, And always will;

But in our hearts You are with us still.

Always remembered by Dot, Alf, Bob, Dennis, Clare, Pat and Leanne.

IN MEMORIAM

KNEALE, John Alexander.—In loving memory of our dear father, father-in-law and grandfather, who passed away 27th March, 1966.

As long as life and memories last, You will live forever in our hearts.

Never forgotten and sadly missed by Mavis, Milton and family.

KNEALE, John Alexander.—Loving memories of my dear father, who passed away 27th March, 1966.

Your memory is like a keepsake,

It's like a thread of gold, Never will it tarnish

Or grow the least bit old. Always remembered by his loving son Ron.

KNEALE, John Alexander.—In loving memory of our dear father, father-in-law, grandfather and great-grandfather, who passed away 27th March, 1966.

Deep in our hearts a memory is kept,

Of one we loved and will never forget.

Always remembered by Betty, Stan, Sandra, Stanley, Graeme and Adam.

KNEALE, John Alexander.—In loving memory of our dear father, father-in-law and grandfather, passed away 27th March, 1966.

We lost a dad with a heart of gold,

How much we miss him can never be told,

Sadly missed by Beryl, Raymond, Karen and Trevor.

KNEALE, John Alexander.—Treasured memories of our Dad and Pop, passed away 27th March, 1966.

With tears we watched you suffer

And slowly pass away, Our hearts were almost broken,

You fought so hard to stay, But now that you are sleeping

So peacefully from pain, We could not wish you back

To suffer more again. Sadly missed and loved always by daughter Joyce, son-in-law Ernie and grandchildren.

KNEALE, John Alexander.—Loving memories of our dear father, father-in-law and grandfather, passed away 27th March, 1966.

They say in time we will forget,

To some it may be true, But never a day begins or ends

Without we think of you. Remembered always by Joan, Mick, Mark and Craig.

KNEALE, John Alexander.—Fondest memories of our dear father, father-in-law and grandfather, who passed away 27th March, 1966.

A face we loved is missing, A voice we loved is still,

There's an empty feeling in our hearts

Which never can be filled. Sadly missed by Pam, Warren, Sue-Ellen, Darren and Lisa.

CUNNINGHAM, Mary.—In loving memory of our dear mother, passed away 24th March, 1967.

God watched you as you suffered,

He knew you'd had your share,

So He gently closed your weary eyes

And took you in His care. Many silent tears,

But always a beautiful memory

Of one we loved so dear. Always remembered by her daughter Marv, son-in-law Des and grandchildren.

ROBINSON, Nellie.—In loving memory of my dear wife, who passed away 28th March, 1965.

My heart still aches with sadness,

My eyes shed many a tear. But always a beautiful memory

Of one I loved so dear. Sadly missed by her loving husband Les.

IN MEMORIAM

ROBINSON, Nellie.—In loving memory of my dear mother, mother-in-law and Nana, passed away 28th March, 1965.

Deep in our hearts a memory is kept,

Of one we loved and will never forget.

Lovingly remembered by her daughter Joan, son-in-law Mick and grandchildren Paul, Garry, Gale and Leanne.

ROBINSON, Nellie.—In loving memory of my dear mother, mother-in-law and Nana, who passed away 28th March, 1965.

She had a smile for everyone. A heart as good as gold,

No one knows how much she suffered,

Because she never told. If Mum had spoken before she died,

These are the words she would have replied:

This life for me has truly passed,

I love you all till the last. Weep not for me and courage take.

Loved and remembered by her son Ken, daughter-in-law Mary, and grandchildren Diane, Elaine, Brian and Ian.

SAUER.—In loving memory of my son David, who passed away 21st March, 1954.

We'll think of you forever, Until God calls us, too.

Inserted by his loving mother, brother Peter and Auntie Peggy and Uncle Hedley.

SAUER, David.—In loving memory of David, who passed away 21st March, 1954.

A beautiful memory, more precious than gold,

A boy whose worth could never be told,

A loving smile, a happy face, A broken link we could never replace.

Always loved by his Auntie Molly, Uncle Billy and family.

SAUER, David.—In loving memory of our dear nephew and cousin, who passed away 21st March, 1954.

God has him in His keeping. We have him in our hearts.

Always remembered by his Auntie Edna and Auntie Betty, and Uncles Jackie, George, Spencer and nephews Dennis and Allan.

SUTTON, Alfred.—Passed away 28th March, 1961.

Always in our hearts. Sadly missed by his loving wife, Bella, and family.

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MONDAY-FRIDAY, INCL.

Depart Quay for Darling St.:
A.M.—6.15, 6.50, 7.25, 8.00*, 8.50, 9.25, 10.30, 11.30. P.M.—12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.15, 4.45, 5.10, 5.20*, 5.50*, 6.10, 6.45, 7.25, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30.

Depart Darling St. for Quay:
A.M.—6.30, 7.05, 7.40, 8.25, 8.30, 8.55, 9.39, 10.14, 11.16. P.M.—12.16, 1.16, 2.16, 3.16, 4.30, 5.00, 5.25, 5.35, 6.05, 6.49, 7.24.

Depart Quay for Darling St.:
A.M.—7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00,

11.00. P.M.—12.00, 12.30, 1.30, 2.29, 3.36, 4.36, 5.36, 6.30, 7.40, 8.36, 9.36, 10.36, 11.30.

Depart Darling St. for Quay:
A.M.—6.44, 7.46, 8.46, 9.39, 10.39, 11.39. P.M.—12.39, 1.09, 2.09, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.09.

SUNDAYS

Depart Quay for Darling St.:
A.M.—8.36, 9.36, 10.36, 11.30. P.M.—12.40, 1.36, 2.30, 3.40, 4.36, 5.36, 6.30.

Depart Darling St. for Quay:
A.M.—9.17, 10.17, 11.17. P.M.—12.09, 1.21, 2.17, 3.09, 4.21, 5.17, 6.17, 7.09.

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS

Depart Quay for Darling St.:
A.M.—7.36, 8.30, 9.40, 10.36, 11.36. P.M.—12.36, 1.36, 2.36, 3.36, 4.36, 5.36, 6.30, 7.40, 8.36, 9.36, 10.36, 11.30.

Depart Darling St. for Quay:
A.M.—8.17, 9.09, 10.21, 11.17. P.M.—12.17, 1.17, 2.17, 3.17, 4.17, 5.17, 6.17, 7.09.

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FIRE (Balmain calls)	56-5995
POLICE—Balmain	82-0777
Detectives	82-4544
Headquarters	2-0966
Emergency	000
AMBULANCE	211-2233
HOSPITAL (Balmain & District)	82-0501
WATER	2-0648
ELECTRICITY	2-0633
GAS	2-0955
TELEPHONE FAULTS	8100
ROZELLE PSYCHIATRIC CLINIC	82-0131

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