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Council To Make More Economies

Leichhardt Council expects to get close to balancing its budget this year with more major economies—in the fields of road work and town planning.

Criticism that these economies will merely "put off the evil day" is answered by the Mayor (Ald. L. Rodwell).

The subject of finance again came before Council last Wednesday night in the form of a recommendation from the Finance Committee (which Council adopted) that the revised estimates of income and expenditure for 1969 as submitted be adopted with two exceptions.

These concerned bitumen resurfacing of roads and streets (other than secondary and main roads), and the reserve for town planning.

The former was reduced by \$30,000 (to \$22,083), and the latter by \$50,000 (to \$9500).

These two items will be given high priority in consideration of the 1970 estimates.

In considering the recommendations Council also had before it a report from the municipal engineer (Mr Wilson) defending his programme of road resheeting as opposed to a policy of patching.

Resurfacing

He pointed out that last year expenditure on resheeting was cut from his submitted programme of \$81,000 to \$61,000 (prior to Glebe ward being added). His programme for this year was limited to pavements already overdue for attention.

Asphalting requirements were estimated at \$116,220, but funds for road resurfacing treatment this year were limited to \$52,083.

The engineer added that an allocation of \$140,000 was indicated for 1970.

When deterioration of road pavements was allowed to continue beyond the point when a further surface treatment was indicated, he said, waste occurred, and rather than money being saved, more was needed to rectify the neglect.

Oxidation of bituminous pavement surface course by air and light with consequent embrittlement and breaking up was checked by asphaltic resheeting at intervals.

When water could enter a pavement, potholes could rapidly occur in wet weather. Repairing potholes was an extremely inefficient operation and ideally should not be

necessary except in exceptional instances.

The engineer added, "I must stress that road resheeting is one area of operations which should be provided with a sufficiency of maintenance funds, and that failure to do so amounts to neglect, and is wasteful, and creates road conditions which are annoying and unsafe".

Reduction in the amount to be added to the town planning reserve is not regarded as of major significance at this stage, provided it is overtaken in later years.

Council is required by law to set aside sums for implementation of its municipal plan, although it is not necessary to allot any special sum each year.

Opposition

Ald. N. Origlass (Balmain ward) opposed the two cuts.

He supported the engineer's views in regard to the need to continue the road resheeting programme on the ground that to fail to implement the schedule would ultimately result in a waste of money.

In regard to the drastic cut in the town planning reserve, this was merely putting off the evil day, he said. A municipal plan (which was required by the Government) was not possible unless arrangements were made to finance it.

Ald. Origlass moved unsuccessfully that Council should declare the existence of the Smoke

and Noise Abatement Advisory Panels to be very necessary.

He did this because there had been no mention of what was likely to happen to the panels, in view of the call by Council for a report on the cost of running them.

The report had shown the cost to be only \$216 for the year—which was only "peanuts".

A second part of his unsuccessful motion was that Council express its awareness that continuation of the present unsatisfactory financial position (as shown by the revised estimates) would invite the installation of an administrator.

HOSPITAL MARCHES WITH THE TIMES



Here we see in operation the new medical records room recently provided at Balmain Hospital, which is now functioning as a highly successful unit.

This provides special facilities for the medical staff to make and maintain patients' records, and raises the standard of the hospital into current world rating in this respect.

In addition to maintaining records, the new facilities enable a start to be made on the indexing of diseases of all patients treated at the hospital.

The picture shows the series of bays containing outlets into which tape recorders are plugged, allowing doctors to dictate their reports for subsequent typing by a medical typist.

Mayor Defends Economies

The Mayor, Ald. L. Rodwell, told "The Link" that with the two cuts council should almost balance its accounts for the year.

"Costs has risen alarmingly this year", he said. "We have made every effort to control expenditure, and will continue to do so."

"Local Government is not the Commonwealth Government. We must make every effort to keep costs down."

"Generally speaking the roads of the municipality (with the notable exception of Balmain Road) are not in too bad a shape."

"All engineers would rather have a road resurfaced than patch it. However, even when a full resurfacing programme is adopted there is always patching going on. You can't possibly

resurface in every case. Councils to borrow extensively for roads. Our engineer has been pressing us to do that."

"However, we have not taken up our borrowing allotment because borrowing is too expensive."

"Leichhardt Council owes less money than perhaps any other Council in Sydney. Even so, our interest bill on outstanding loans is something like \$50,000 a year."

"It is to the present Council's credit that it tries to stop this borrowing."

"I admit I'd like to see more money spent at times, but you can't expect the ratepayer to keep on dipping into his pocket."

Ald. Rodwell added that Council tried to budget for an allotment

each year to the town planning reserve, especially to provide more open spaces, but felt it could go without doing so this year.

Even so, it was now preparing to make another park in Balmain. To this end it was negotiating for the purchase of the old Ward Steves factory in Wallace Street.

Road Work

Leichhardt Council has told the Maritime Services Board that it is prepared to undertake reconstruction work in Booth, Stephen and Adolphus Streets, Balmain, made necessary as a result of extension of the port boundary.

The Board will meet the cost, estimated at \$6070.

Column NINE

COUNCIL'S ECONOMIES

Leichhardt Council's two new major economies—the \$30,000 reduction in the road resurfacing programme, and the \$50,000 cut in the allotment to the town planning reserve—will, it is thought, enable Council to come close to balancing its budget for this year.

Ratepayers in this excessively taxed municipality will certainly be pleased that for the time being they have escaped an increase in the rate. Some think it's only a matter of putting off the evil day. We're inclined to agree.

Whether ratepayers will be pleased with the effect of the economies is another matter.

The drop in the allotment to the town planning reserve does not appear to be of great immediate concern. However, it could become very important later, when the Council will have to face the question of implementing its new municipal plan.

Both the Government and the people of the municipality will look forward to early implementation of that scheme.

The economising in road work is of more immediate importance. It must affect the quality of our thoroughfares.

Some other Sydney localities, such as Kuring-gai Municipality, adopt a policy of patching road surfaces as against complete resurfacing. Often it develops into a policy of patching the patches, with dire results in regard to users' comfort.

Residents will hope the effect isn't too serious here.

Meanwhile we feel Leichhardt Council will have to show much more control over its finances for the people of Balmain and Rozelle, at any rate, to be satisfied.

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More Federal Money Wanted For Sydney Hospitals

Mr. Graham Robertson, Liberal Party nominee for the new seat of Sydney, says that if elected he will fight "tooth and nail" to obtain more money from Federal sources to help retain medical care at a first class level in Sydney.

He said last week that the Sydney Federal Conference branch, situated at Broadway, had formed a select committee last April of people fully conversant with the problems of Sydney Hospital, to report on it and make recommendations to the State Minister for Health.

The committee was commissioned to find out at first hand by interviews and research if Sydney Hospital were necessary, and whether it could be retained on a practical basis.

Over 400 people were interviewed and research was carried out at the University and among hospital staff not attached to Sydney Hospital.

Conclusions

The conclusions of the committee, which had been forwarded to the Minister (Mr Jago) are summarised as follows:

With the influx of tourists, the building of new hotels, and also large office building development, there is a definite need for an inner city hospital.

Developments in the city suggest a shift back to the idea of high density housing for the inner areas of Sydney.

This is a logical step in a large city, as to live at Green Valley, etc., and work in Sydney means a large expenditure for the average wage earner in fares, not to mention the time lost in travel.

A 600-bed hospital would serve the needs of Sydney for decades to come.

The 1200 beds suggested in Dr Richie's committee's plans would be too many. This would impede the rebuilding of Sydney Hospital, not to mention the possibility of attracting people from other hospitals in the

area.

Competition is not wanted between hospitals. They are there to serve the public, not to compete with one another.

The hospital should stay in the northern section of the city proper because of the time taken in peak hour to travel from the Quay area to either St. Vincent's or Prince Alfred Hospital.

Relocation of the hospital on another site would inconvenience the majority of people, and total removal would be a crime.

Day for Blood Donation

Balmain Rotary Club is making a very worthy effort to assist the health authorities in their public service.

It is organising a Blood Donors' Day for the Balmain district.

The venue is the Police Boys' Club, in Darling Street, Balmain, and the date Wednesday, October 29, between the hours of 9.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m.

The club is asking persons in good health, aged between 18 and 60 years, to co-operate in this

worthy cause by attending the Boys' Club on that day to donate their blood.

Boy Scouts In Camp

Central West Metropolitan Boy Scouts (embracing Balmain and Leichhardt) held their area camp last week-end at Camp Coutts.

It was a most successful outing.

In an inspiring ceremony a plaque was unveiled at Scouter Rock to the memory of the late James Coutts, District Commissioner.

Over 1,000 scouts attended the camp.

There were two patrols from Balmain at the commencement — but three at the end, a new patrol being "born" in camp from nine cubs promoted at the meeting.

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A Greek and Italian speaker will address the Meeting.

Authorised by J. Davey and G. Hill, Inner Western Suburbs Teachers' Organising Committee.

TIGERS IN CAR PROCESSION THROUGH BALMAIN

Balmain district residents will be given an opportunity next Saturday morning to pay homage to The Tigers — winners of the 1969 Rugby League premierships — who will pass in a motorcade through Balmain and on to Leichhardt Town Hall for a special function.

The team will be given a civic welcome at the Town Hall, with a small presentation to each player, followed by a buffet luncheon.

The motorcade will start from the Darling Street wharf about 10.15 a.m.

Players will sit in 12 open cars painted in The Tigers' colours — black and gold—two to each car.

The cars have been specially prepared and supplied by the Ford Motor Company.

Route of the procession is the full length of Darling Street, then

across Victoria Road and along Balmain Road, Perry Street and Norton Street to the Town Hall.

The ceremony at the Town Hall is timed for about 11.30 a.m.

Unless the weather is unkind, it will be held in the open at the side entrance to the Town Hall in Marion Street, to allow as many people as possible to attend.

Invitations to attend have been sent to a number of prominent people known to be specially interested in football.

The buffet luncheon is being organised by the ladies of the Leichhardt

division of the Red Cross.

The function is the result of a flood of invitations to the players to attend here, there and down the street.

To save The Tigers wear and tear, the Mayor of Leichhardt, Ald. L. Rodwell, decided to put them on exhibition.

In a minute to the last meeting of Council, he referred to the fact that the team's success marked Balmain District Rugby League Football Club's first premierships win in this grade since 1947.

He said the team's performance had brought credit and distinction not only to themselves, but to the municipality.

He considered it would be an appropriate gesture if Council were to recognise the feat by permitting a small procession to proceed through the main streets of the municipality.

The Mayor suggested that a small gift be presented to members of the winning team, following which a civic welcome would be held. He had made the necessary arrangements in anticipation of receiving Council's approval.

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YOUR OPINIONS

BALMAIN FERRIES

The recent change in the morning peak hour service of the Balmain ferries—which has resulted in a 10-minute earlier departure time—has been in operation for a sufficient period to determine its effect.

It would appear that, apart from the non-existence of the promised larger ferry, there has been a loss of patronage on the 7.00 and 7.30 a.m. ferries.

There has been little change in the number of people using the 8.15 and 8.30 a.m. ferries, which may be due to the fact that the smaller ferry still in use is almost at capacity.

As the Balmain Association was represented on the delegation which met representatives of

the Minister for Transport and Sydney Harbour Ferries, it should be clearly stated that the delegation was in no way responsible for the amended service.

At the meeting, the Balmain representatives requested that consideration be given to:

(a) A two-ferry service serving all available wharves on the peninsula at half-hourly intervals; or

(b) As a minimum, a larger ferry departing from Thames, Yeend and Darling Streets at approximately 8.00 a.m.

It was never intended that the earlier services be effected by the introduction of the proposed extra 8.00 a.m. ferry, and it was anticipated that an additional ferry would be used at this time.

The Balmain Association is vitally interested in this matter, and intends to approach the Minister and Sydney Harbour Ferries again.

W. J. Haesler,
President.

Terminal Worries:

Premier's Assurance

Mr Roger Degen, M.L.A. for Balmain, has received from the Premier (Mr Askin) an assurance that Leichhardt Council will be given prior notice of any future proposals to erect buildings in the Balmain port area.

Mr Degen expressed to the Premier the concern of local residents about the size of the terminal building being erected at the White Bay container wharf.

Mr Askin told him that Seatainer Terminals Ltd. had approval from the Minister for Local Government (Mr Morton) to extend the building from its present length of 360 ft. to 690 ft.

However, the M.S.B. was not aware of any proposals to extend the building.

At the same time Mr Askin disclosed plans for the conversion of Nos. 1, 2 and 3 wharves, Glebe Island, from general to container cargo.

The Premier gave Mr Degen an undertaking that traffic flow from the area was receiving special consideration. The M.S.B. and the Department of Main Roads were conferring on the matter.

DANGER IN HAIRSPRAY

A statement authorised by Ashton Laboratories Pty. Ltd. of Montague Street, Balmain, advises that a small batch of silver tint hairspray which could become dangerous has been sold to the public.

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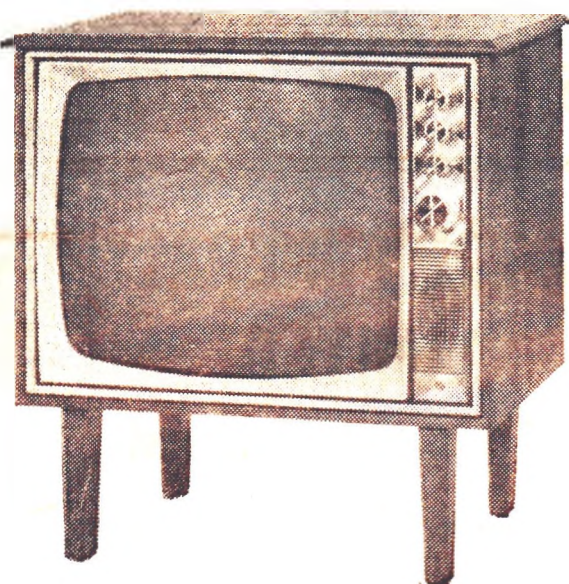
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"Do you promise to love and obey?"
Hang on, Ruebner's on his way!
"Do you pledge with all your soul?"
Wow! Killeen's kicked another goal!

"Now repeat after me, my dear . . ."
Oh! Someone's bitten Leo's ear.
"All your life you'll be devout".
Some mug has ironed Smithies out.

"Missing this would make you cry".
Now Williams's gone in for a try.
"I now pronounce you man and wife".
Cause McTaggart's racing for his life.
"Hear Balmain supporters cheer.
"Let's go to heck right out of here".

"Now, my boy, you kiss the bride".
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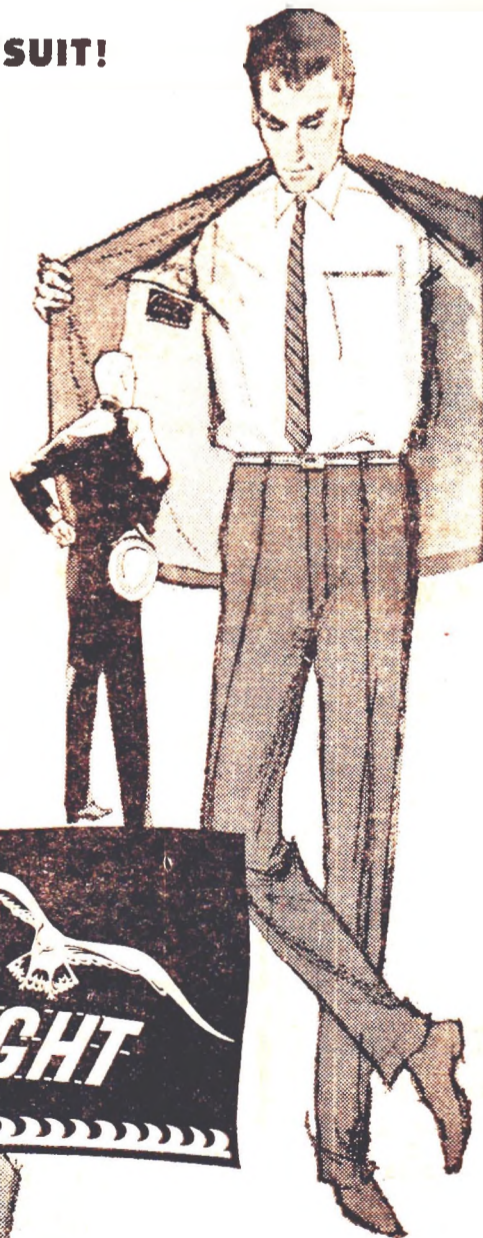
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DOUG FERGUSON and family of the late Ellen Elizabeth, wish to thank friends and neighbours for their floral tributes and kind expressions of sympathy in their sad loss. Please accept this as our personal thanks as many addresses are unknown.

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Club Raffle: Prizewinners—1. double electric blanket. P. Emendolia; 2. single blanket. J. Tarics.

The week's winner of the 200 Club was G. Tumeth.

Table Tennis: The team was host to Bankstown Club last Wednesday night and played a series of games. Balmain won 3 singles and 3 doubles; Bankstown, six singles, no doubles.

Trampolining: The club's display team's segment went off without a hitch at the opening of the swimming season at Leichhardt Swimming Centre last Saturday.

CHURCH NOTICES

BALMAIN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Balmain—Campbell Street.
9.30 a.m.: United Methodist Presbyterian Sunday School.
9.30 a.m.: Morning Worship Combined Methodist and Presbyterian Service.
7.15 p.m.: Evening Combined Service, Methodist Mission, Montague St.
Interim Moderator: Rev. I. A. Pollard.

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NEXT SUNDAY
October 12, Trinity 19
9.30 a.m.: Holy Communion.
7.15 p.m.: Evening Prayer.
9.30 a.m.: Sunday School.
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Monday to Friday:
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10 a.m.: Family Service.
6.30 p.m.: Meditation.
Minister: Rev. F. Lambert-Carter

PARK WILL HAVE FACE-LIFT

Gladstone Park, Balmain, is to have a face-lift: Trees pruned, and flowers planted in the vacant beds.

This was promised by the Mayor, Ald. L. Rodwell, following a recent works inspection by Council personnel.

The inspection followed the story in this paper accompanying a photograph showing the dismal condition of the park's flower beds fronting Darling Street.

Commenting on the complaint by a resident of heavy-handedness in the pruning of two trees edging the bowling green, the Mayor said the inspection showed that all was not well with the trees nearby.

One had been damaged by fire, and another indicated some evidence of decay, possibly calling for its replacement.

R.S.L. NEWS

Balmain - Rozelle R.S.L. Club regrets to report the death of five more local people last week.

They were: Member, Jack Warren; the wife of member Jimmie West; Frank Serong; Billy Leo; and Jack McSeveny.

The club and sub-branch offer their deepest sympathy to the loved ones left behind.

The knockout euchre tournament on Friday night was won by Mrs Gwen Wilson and Ray Smith.

TRAINING FOR LOCAL BANKER

Mr A. F. Smith, of the Balmain branch of the Commonwealth Banking Corporation, has been selected to attend a training course for senior branch officers.

Twenty four officers from all States are attending the course, which commenced this week at the bank's staff training centre in Sydney.

The manager of the Balmain branch, Mr Turner, said that the training course would cover latest methods of mechanisation and computer processing in banking.

Riverside Auxiliary

Riverside Girls' High School concert at Lane Cove Town Hall was a tremendous success, and Miss Wentzel and the girls are to be congratulated on their splendid performance.

Those who donated and worked for the fete on Saturday should also be happy with the result.

The visitors enjoyed the band music, dancing displays and the arrival of the Miss Riverside candidates in the veteran car generously loaned by Mr Ken Moss.

There was a true fete atmosphere with the colourful stalls and bunting spread around the grounds and the professional looking chefs busy making hamburgers, etc.

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