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Thursday, January 16, 1975

**RSL MEMBERS FAREWELL 'A MATE'**



Balmain pays its last respects to "Mr RSL", Tommy Hannan, president of the Balmain-Rozelle club for 14 years. In the foreground is the Reverend Gerber, who delivered the sermon in St Thomas' Church of England in Rozelle.  
PICTURE BY DAVID LIDDLE

**HUGE FUNERAL FOR TOM HANNAN**

Thomas William Hannan, the man who stood at the helm of the Balmain-Rozelle RSL Club for 14 years, has died.

Tommy Hannan, president and life member of the club since 1960, died on January 3.

He was an outstanding individual with a peculiarly strong bent for

social work. His death leaves a big hole in the ex-service circles of the peninsula.

Only 61 at his death, Tommy had in his lifetime been a despatch clerk with Dunlop Rubber in Drummoyne, proprietor of a mixed

business, and a waterside worker.

During the war he saw active service in New Guinea as a member of the 30th Battalion and later with Agnew, the Australia-New Guinea Administrative Forces.

His membership with the Balmain-Rozelle RSL Club covered 20 years, of which for 14 he was unopposed as president.

Last October the club showed its appreciation for leading it from a small institution to a multi-million dollar concern by presenting him with a portrait of himself and hanging it in the foyer.

Tommy was a keen cyclist, and widely respected in the sport.

He was the first interstate cyclist to take part in the Colac to Melbourne race in Victoria, and in 1934 came fifth in a field of 200 in the Goulburn to Sydney event.

Before then he was an active member of the Sydney City Mission.

Mr Stan Hannan, his brother said of him: "He was the only honest man I ever met in my life. He was absolutely scrupulous."

**PROCESSION**

Tommy was as widely known as anyone could be in Balmain — one description of his funeral cortege was that it was the biggest since that of the late John Storey, former Premier of NSW.

Eightyfive private cars and a specially chartered bus took part in the procession, which began at St Thomas' Church of England at Rozelle, along Victoria Road, Evans Street, Beattie Street, Montague Street and Darling Street.

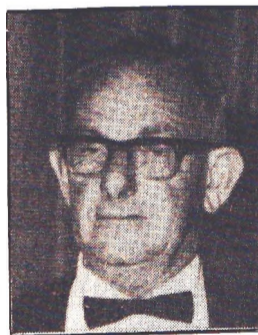
Tommy was an avid voluntary worker and highly respected for his work with local organisations.

His brother, described him as "more of a mate than a brother. I think he was a mate to everyone".

The Secretary/Manager of the club, Mr Bill Moss, said: "He was the greatest gentleman I have ever seen. I have lost the best mate I had."

Tommy was part of a big local family, centred around Smith Street, Rozelle.

His wife, who died in 1946 only three years after they married, was formerly Joyce (Phyllis) Morier, also of Smith Street.



Tommy Hannan as Balmain remembers him.

**Millions spent on schools**

The Balmain school building scene is continuing to boom with work worth more than \$1.4 million beginning at Rozelle Primary this year and stage one of Balmain High almost finished.

Details were released this week by the Minister for Public Works, Mr Leon Punch.

A contract for \$1,386,737 has been let to the St. Leonards firm of McDonald Constructions Pty Ltd for design and construction work at Rozelle.

This firm recently completed repair and conversion work to other buildings at the school.

Three new buildings will be constructed under the terms of contract.

One will provide five classrooms and two kindergartens, all with an associated outdoor teaching space and offices and a special purpose room for teaching migrants.

The second will comprise a shelter, food service unit, change rooms and showers, all on the ground floor, and on the second level rooms for community and after-school use.

The other will be a dental clinic, with two dental suites.

Toilets will be added to one of the existing buildings to meet the present policy to provide toilets throughout the school.

Conversions in the contract will also include two more classrooms up to present standard and associated outdoor teaching space. A staff room, library and an art, music and pottery block are also included.

Landscaping is also to be done by the contractor, who is expected to complete the work by mid-1976. Meanwhile, work at Balmain High School in Terry Street is on schedule and will be completed with the entry of pupils for the 1975 school year.

The director of education for the Sydney central metropolitan area, Mr William Nay, told The Link this week: "We are well satisfied with present progress."

Mr Punch has also announced a \$584,152 contract let to D.G. Sundin and Co. Pty Ltd of Eastwood for Stage Two of Balmain High, to be completed in the first half of 1976.

Stage Two will consist of a three-storied building containing 14 classrooms, three resource centres, two offices and toilet facilities.

This building will be of reinforced concrete frame and brick walls similar to present buildings.

**Council plans more parking**

Balmain shoppers will shortly benefit from moves by Leichhardt Council to provide off-street parking in the heart of the Darling Street shopping centre.

The Mayor, Alderman Les Rodwell, told The Link this week council is negotiating for two "choice" properties to provide parking for Balmain similar to that in Rozelle's Merton Street.

Just before Christmas council workers bulldozed two vacant properties in Merton Street to provide parking for 24 cars to encourage shopping in Rozelle.

The Balmain move will be welcomed as part of a scheme to reduce the tremendous parking demands in and around Darling Street.

Council is also at present seeking staff for the Balmain Child Care Centre, to operate from the Balmain Town Hall.

A director, assistant and cook are to be appointed. The centre is to take 25 children per day starting some time in February.

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# Meeting Told Barging of Containers Feasible **But no ANL yet**

Barging of containers would be feasible at both No 1 wharf, Rozelle, and No 10 wharf, Darling Harbour, local residents were told at a protest meeting at the Balmain Town Hall on Tuesday night.

But information from the Australian National Line indicated there would be no major move in present transportation of container cargo until a berth is provided at Botany Bay some time in 1977.

A Maritime Services Board launch which made a "round trip" of the Harbour on January 7 visited both Rozelle

and Darling Harbour wharves.

Residents' spokesmen told the meeting they had been informed that the Rozelle wharf was not in use and could cope with a limited number of containers within three months.

An increase in this number could be accomplished within another three months.

Further, a portion of the Darling Harbour

wharf at No 10 could cope with containers being left for export, thus reducing the number of trips needed to Mort Bay terminal.

However, the president of the Balmain Association, Mr David Porter, told the meeting he had received a letter from the ANL stating the planned movements for operations over the coming few years.

Basic to the moves was

a change to Botany Bay container wharves, leaving only passenger traffic at Mort Bay except in really busy times when some vessels could be moored there to take or unload containers.

The letter stated that the ANL expected to get a first berth some time in 1977 and a second and a third probably by the end of 1978. The changeover of operations was a long-term one.

## LET'S COOK

### BANANA BREAD

60 g (20 oza) butter	2 cups SR flour
½ cup caster sugar	½ tsp salt
2 lge or 3 sm bananas	3 tsp yoghurt
1 egg	30 g (10 oz) walnuts, chopped.

*Cream butter and beat in sugar gradually until mixture is light. Mash bananas to a pulp and combine with the egg and add gradually to the creamed mixture, beating thoroughly.*

*Sift flour with salt and add alternately with the yoghurt. Pour into deep greased 18 cm by 9 cm by 9 cm (7 in by 3½ in by 3½ in) loaf tin. Sprinkle with walnuts and bake for an hour in moderate oven.*

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January 19    **MOTIVATION FILM**  
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2.30pm

7pm    **LENNIE HUTCHINSON**

## FORMER LOCAL HEALTH CHIEF'S DEATH

A man whose lifework ensured that the citizens of Leichhardt Municipality will lead healthier and happier lives died at this Five Dock home on Christmas Eve.

He was Mr Ronald Sydney Williams, 65, who retired last September as Health Surveyor for Leichhardt.

Before his retirement he had worked for more than 30 years in the Leichhardt area, first as a health inspector and later as head of the section.

His work "in the field" made him many friends, most of whom still looked on him as such when he took on his "desk job".

His work on the NSW Institute of Municipal Health Surveyors included the editing of the organisation's journal. He became a life member for his services.

A firm and competent man, his work aroused admiration in many areas, and many health experts from all over Australia and from other parts of the world visited Leichhardt to see him and discuss his ideas.

The Catherine Street, Leichhardt, garbage disposal centre was one of his outstanding achievements — totally designed in the municipality to arrange disposal without the use of

any machinery.

His work otherwise eliminated much of the hazard of hepatitis from the area and a paper he wrote on this disease and its eradication has been sought throughout the Commonwealth and from as far off as South Africa.

Mr Williams' successor, Mr Bill Brimble, told The Link this week Mr Williams was highly regarded by his fellow-



MR RON WILLIAMS workers.

"He always strove to uphold and extend the principles of public health administration through all forms of government, not only local government," Mr Brimble said.

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# FUNNELWEBS IN BALMAIN

Six funnelweb spiders, the most deadly in Australia, were found in a Balmain garden recently.

A Smith St. resident clearing an over-grown garden discovered six of the spiders last week when Mr Sandy Minty,

proprietor of a pest control service, confirmed the spiders were funnelwebs and arranged for one to be delivered to the Commonwealth Serum Laboratories at Crows Nest.

Mr Minty said he had never seen a funnelweb during his 14 years working as a pest exterminator in the Balmain area.

Spokesmen for The Australian Museum and the Serum Laboratories said that although fairly unusual, it was not impossible there were funnelwebs in Balmain.

## Authorities' Warning to Local Residents

Both said they had no recent records of the spider in Balmain but said any sandstone area attracted funnelwebs and warned residents to watch out for them.

The funnelweb's poison and, because of its size, the large amount it can inject when it bites, makes it deadly.

There is no antidote to the funnelweb's poison.

The spider is mostly found in the North Shore areas of Sydney, where it thrives, but has been discovered as far away as Nowra, Menai and even Kings Cross.

The last known death from a funnelweb bite was in Nowra about three years ago.

### NO VACCINE

The spokesman for the serum laboratories said a potential problem for Balmain residents was the large amount of sandstone landscaping which has taken place in recent years.

"The likelihood of funnelwebs would be increased if any sandstone from the north shore or

Gosford areas was used in the landscaping," he said.

"While all hospitals are supplied with vaccine for Red Back spider bites there is none for funnelwebs.

"They do have plastic display charts clearly identifying funnelwebs and anyone suspecting a bite should try to take the spider to the hospital to be identified," he said.

The laboratories will accept any spiders for identification at the office in Willoughby Rd., Crows Nest and give advice on funnelwebs.

They maintain a colony of 600 funnelwebs at Crows Nest and periodically milk them of venom to be sent to Melbourne for research into discovering an antidote.

### Quiet time for Police

Balmain Police Headquarters reported this week a very "quiet" holiday break with no unusual incidence of theft, house breakings or violence.



**BALMAIN LEAGUES CLUB**

### Entertainment Guide

(For the benefit of members and friends)

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 16  
FILM NIGHT**

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 17**

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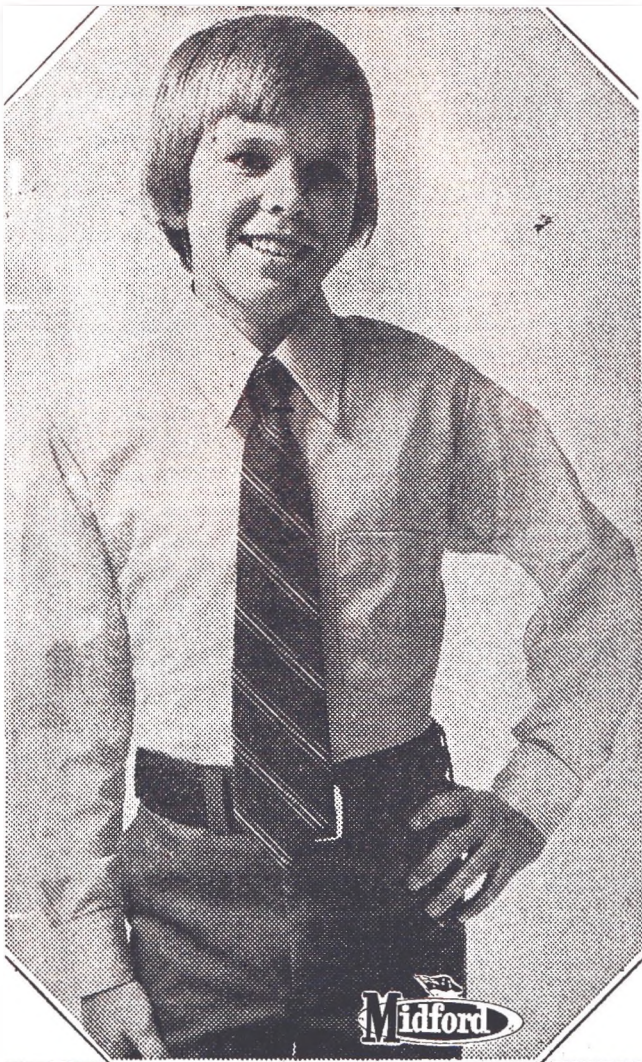
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## POLO SIDE DRAW 4-4

Balmain's water polo team this week drew 4-4 with Cronulla, last year's grand finalists.

Balmain was the better team and should have won but for Lady Luck and penalties incurred by a few players.

Cronulla had no answer for the strength of David Woods, the elusiveness of Wayne Miranda nor the consistency of Andrew Stewart in goals. But all Balmain players gave of their best.

If Balmain can continue this it is conceivable they can beat Universities in their next encounter.

With a win and a moral victory against Cronulla, Balmain's major obstacle against a place in the grand final has been overcome.

1st grade coach, Alex Hamill has had his share of critics, but must now be congratulated for his work in moulding a first class side.

The second graders gave another solid display to draw 3-3 with Cronulla.

The second grade competition has developed into a three way competition between Balmain, Cronulla and Manly.

Both 3rd and 4th grades put up creditable performances to beat Cronulla 4-3 and 5-3 respectively and established themselves as favourites to win the premiership titles for the

second year in succession.

### PATTERN

Balmain met Manly on Sunday night in what promises to be entertaining polo at Dawn Fraser Pool.

At the last encounter fans were treated to an exciting match as Balmain gained a 3-0 lead in the first quarter and Manly fought back to get within a goal.

Balmain is currently third in the competition and Manly is fourth. It has extended all the top teams in recent encounters.

The Tigers have now developed an attacking pattern so lacking in the early part of the season and the bad passing which marred Balmain's play has been eliminated.

Newcomers to first grade, Wayne Miranda and Richard Falzon, have exceeded expectations and combine well with the established team of David Woods, Ken Laws, Andrew Stewart and Greg Laws, who are all playing well.

The Manly team will not be over-awed by Balmain's powerful side as they boast three Internationals in Michael Withers, Bill Phillips, and Nick Barnes and one of Sydney's brightest prospects in Lee Phillips.

JOE FALZON

### CHURCH NOTICES

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9.30am Sunday School  
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It is expected that the Centre will commence operating in late February/early March and it will accommodate twenty-five children between the ages of 3 to 5. The Centre will cater for children who require full-day care for five days per week, and it is anticipated that the Centre will be open from 7.00am to 5.30pm, Monday to Friday inclusive.

Applications should be made on the appropriate form which may be obtained from the Council's Office, 107 Norton Street, Leichhardt, or at the Balmain Town Hall, 370 Darling Street, Balmain.

Preference in enrolment will be given to "children in special need", as defined by the (Commonwealth) Child Care Act, 1972, and particulars of which are included in the Enrolment Form.

Further information may be obtained from Council's office.

(D.G. Johnson)  
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Town Hall,  
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7th January, 1975

## Six better swim times

The holiday season failed to dampen the enthusiasm of 60 competitors at the Balmain amateur swimming club events at the Dawn Fraser Pool on Saturday and six bettered their best in their three events.

They were James Walton, Susan McIntosh, Stephen Schulze, Christine Pearce, Russell Pearce and Ricki Nicholson.

Results were:  
U/8 33 yds freestyle: Heat 1: H. Mason 1.05.1, 1; L. Somerton 44.2, 2; J. Taylor 48.6, 3. Heat 2: A. Taylor 39.0, 1; G. Cameron 31.5, 2; J. Boyd 42.8, 3.

U/8 33 yds B/B/B, Heat 1: K. Schulze b/f 45.4, 1; G. Cameron bck 43.0, 2; J. Boyd bck 1.01.6, 3.

U/10 55 yds freestyle: Heat 1: M. Drummond 1.02.7, 1; M. Stewart 1.11.4, 2; J. Dunford 1.16.6, 3. Heat 2: M. Mason 50.1, 1; J. Walton

51.5, 2; J. Hyde 56.4, 3. Heat 3: C. Pearce 40.5, 1; D. Walton 46.0, 2; C. Hill 51.4, 3.

U/10 55 yds B/B/B, Heat 1: C. Somerton bck 1.10.6, 1; L. McJannet br 1.22.9, 2; J. Walton br 1.14.7, 3. Heat 2: C. Pearce br 55.7, 1; J. Hyde br 1.08.3, 2; R. Bligh bck 1.04.6, 3.

220 yds mixed strokes: Heat 1: J. Walton f/s 4.57.9, 1; D. Walton f/s 4.32.5, 2; D. Russell f/s 6.36.7, 3. Heat 2: J. Rollason f/s 3.34.3, 1; R. Nicholson f/s 3.21.5, 2; S. Schulze f/s 3.20.2, 3. Heat 3: R. McJannet f/s 2.51.2, 1; A. Pearce f/s 3.16.9, 2; S. McIntosh f/s 2.59.3, 3.

110 yds freestyle: Heat 1: R. Nicholson 1.24.5, 1; S. Walton 1.10.6, 2; S. McIntosh 1.20.0, 3. Heat 2: S. Schulze 1.32.6, 1; T. Moran 1.23.6, 2; K. Miranda 1.26.7, 3. Heat 3: R. Pearce 1.31.1, 1; S. Bell 1.43.2, 2; D. Robinson 2.01.7, 3.

110 yds B/B/B: Heat 1: S. Bell br 2.08.1, 1; J. Boyd bck 2.26.4, 2; J. Rollason b/f 2.02.5, 3. Heat 2: R. Arthur bck 1.57.7, 1; S. Schulze br 1.52.4, 2; G. Moran bck 1.53.2, 3. Heat 3: R. McJanet br 1.43.5, 1; T. Moran bck 1.49.8, 2; A. Pearce br 1.46.6, 3.

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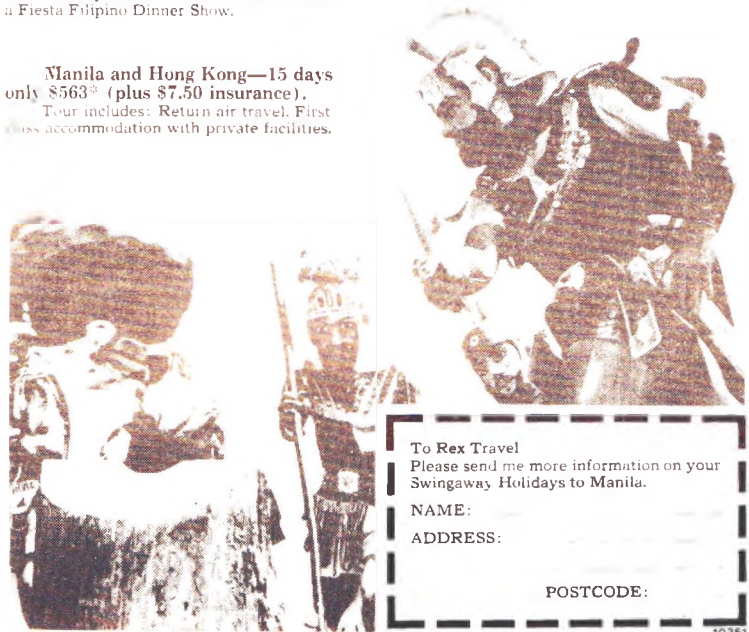
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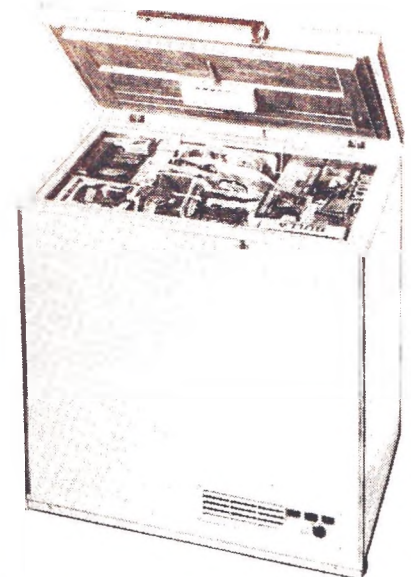
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**CATLEY William Richard.** In loving memory of my dear Father whom God called home 7th January, 1973.  
He would not wish for sorrow.  
He would not wish for tears.  
But just to be remembered throughout the coming year.  
No longer in my life to share.  
But in my heart you are always there  
Sincerely missed always remembered your loving daughter Audrey, Grandchildren Linda and Kim.

**CHALMERS.** Loving and unforgettable memory of Janece Irene who left us on 16th January, 1974.  
The wise man accepts whatever God sends.  
Willing to yield, like a storm tossed tree bends.  
Knowing that God never makes a mistake  
Whatever he sent she was willing to take  
Blind, Deaf and internally ill.  
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Just kept smiling through.  
Always in my heart, Mum and Dad.

**CHALMERS.** In loving memory of our dear sister and aunt who departed life on 16th January, 1974.  
Out of this world of suffering,  
Into the Garden of Rest.  
It must be a beautiful garden.  
As God only takes the best.  
Always remembered by her brothers, sister, Sister-in-law, Brother-in-law, Neil, Gary, Marilyn, Heather, Alan and their children.

**DIXON William A.** (late of Palm Beach Qld). In loving memory of my dear son who passed away 1st January, 1974. Beloved brother of Eddie and Brother-in-law of Hazel.  
What would I give to see you smile.  
To sit with you and talk awhile.  
To be together in the same old way.  
Would be my dearest wish today.  
Always loved and remembered by his loving Mother and Father. At rest.

**DIXON William A.** (late of Palm Beach, Qld). In loving memory of my dear husband and father who passed away 1st January, 1974, at Pymble.  
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Remembering you always,  
Forgetting you never.  
Always loved and remembered by his loving wife Irene, children Nola, Kevin, Brian, Julie, Son-in-law Bill and grandchildren Roddy and Stewart. At rest.

**KELLY** — In loving memory of our darling daughter, Clara, who passed away 14th January, 1959.  
God closed your eyes to ease the pain.  
To wish you back would be in vain;  
In life you toiled, in heaven you rest.  
God bless you, Clara, you were the best.  
Sadly missed by her loving father, mother, brother Sid and sister Noelene.

**KULMAR Marie Eulalie.** In loving memory of our darling Mother, Mother-in-law and Nanna, who passed away 16th January, 1972.  
We miss her because we loved her.  
To us she was more precious than gold.  
No treasure on earth can replace her.  
Her memory will never grow old.  
Always remembered by her loving daughter Sandra, Son-in-law Raymond, Grandchildren Paul and Mathew.

**KULMAR Marie Eulalie.** In loving memory of our dear Sister and Auntie who passed away 16th January, 1972.  
God saw her growing weary,  
He did as he thought best.  
He put his arms around her  
And said "Come home to rest"  
Always in the prayers of her loving sisters, brothers and their families.

**KULMAR Marie Eulalie.** Passed away 16th January, 1972.  
This day will be remembered and quietly kept.  
No words are needed.  
I will never forget.  
Sadly missed Shirley.

**LEWIS Elizabeth Jane.** In loving memory of my dear Mother and Mother-in-law.  
God saw her growing weary,  
And did as He thought best.  
He put His arms around her,  
And said, "Come home to rest."  
Always remembered by loving son Jack and daughter-in-law Ruby.

**LINTON Lavenia (Dina).** In loving memory of our darling Mother whom God called home 10th January, 1966.  
Your presence we miss, Your memories we treasure,  
Remembering you always,  
Forgetting you never.  
Always remembered by her children Shirley, Ron and Ray, Son-in-law Don, Grandchildren Vicki, Michael and Donny and sister Etti.

**MCARTHY, Maude.** In loving memory of our dear Mother, Mother-in-law and Nanna who passed away 17th January, 1970.  
We miss her because we loved her.  
To us she was more precious than gold.  
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Her memory will never grow old.  
Sadly missed by loving daughters, Vera and Susan, son-in-law Les, and granddaughter Robynne.

**MACKENZIE.** In loving memory of my dear wife, Doris (Dot), who passed away January 4, 1969.  
Close to our hearts,  
Your will always stay,  
Loved and remembered every day.  
Sadly missed by her husband, Ken, son, Keith and daughter, Jean.

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**MATTHEWS.** In loving memory of my dear husband Charles William who died suddenly 10th January, 1972.

Sweet is his memory,  
Dear is his name,  
Deep in our hearts,  
He will always remain.  
His loving wife Cath,  
daughter Merle, Son-in-law  
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**NESBETT May.** In loving memory of my dear mother who passed away 7th January, 1954.

Two little words not hard to write,  
To tell I'll remember all my life.  
Always remembered by your daughter Iris, Nieces,  
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**ROCHESTER. Francis.** Memories to-day and every-day of my dear husband Frank who fell asleep 8th January, 1973.

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You are smiling and seem to say,  
Don't grieve I am only sleeping,  
We will meet again some-day,  
Sadly missed by his loving wife Thelma and family.

**ROCHESTER Francis Joseph.** In loving memory of my dear Father, Frank who passed away 8th January, 1973.

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**MRS Nell O'Toole** would sincerely like to thank all her family and friends for their kindness shown to her during the recent loss of her dear Mother Mrs Elsie McGlenn, particularly her Aunt Mrs Moffatt, Daphne and Auntie Pearl, Mrs Ford, Balmain Leagues Club staff, Mrs O'Keefe. Their thoughtfulness was greatly appreciated.

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University had somewhat surprisingly batted for most of the day, totalling 199 runs when Balmain came to the wicket.

Five top Balmain players were absent from the team and versatile skipper Tony Steele was seen filling the vacant wicket keeper's position.

Those missing were:  
● All-rounder Stuart Webster, who has been chosen for NSW to play against the MCC touring side in the match beginning on January 18.

● Wicket-keeper Kerry Thompson, who has a broken thumb.

● State coach Peter Spence, who is currently conducting a coaching seminar at the SCG for country teenagers.

● Spinners Michael Muffin and Mark Sargent, who are playing in a series of matches for NSW secondary schools in the Australian Carnival in Brisbane.

Their replacements **CLIFF WINNING**

were Greg Fitzgerald, Richard Devonshire, Gary Richardson, Glen Bailey and Doug Alderson.

Last Saturday against University Stephen Hatherell, having a splendid season with his fast spinners, took 5 for 67.

He was ably supported by left-handed speedster John Fitzgerald who snared a further valuable three wickets.

Batting at the end of a hot, sultry day, Greg Fitzgerald and Jimmy Hogg were dismissed for only 35 runs.

But the 164 in arrears is expected to come quickly with Steele, Bailey, Alderson, Peter Taylor, Hatherell, Richardson and Devonshire all yet to bat and all known run-takers.

Balmain had faced University last week fifth on the first grade cricket premiership table with a fine win over Nepean.

## BREEZE FAVOURS SAILING

Sailing has resumed for the season and in the second race this year a moderate northeast breeze favoured competitors last Sunday.

Moose, crewed by Ian Churton and Glenn Thomson, won the Flying 11s heat, followed by Marauder (Doug and Colin Webb) and Waukesha (Peter Barnes and Greg Fiddling). Handicap times went to Moose, Waukesha, and Marauder.

Bruce Anson and Ross Bell in Charlie Brown won the Sabot two-ups event, with Rebel (Robert and Victor Meyer) second and Imp (Stephen and Susan McIntosh) coming third. Fastest time was by Charlie Brown.

The one-up Sabots event was won by Aquarius (Glenda Magrath) followed by Minnow (Stephen Curry) and Little Fred (Trevor Magrath). Fastest time went to Aquarius.

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## LINK WITH LEAGUE

# Tigers' smart buys may be winner

The Balmain Tigers are straining at the leash for the start of the 1975 Rugby League season following their first full-scale training session on Tuesday night.

The struggles of last season were just a memory as new coach Paul Broughton put the squad through its paces at King George Park.

Broughton was the coaching success story of Brisbane football last year taking the Brothers club from second last in 1973 to the 1974 grand final.

Balmain secretary, Keith Gittoes, is one of

many who believe Broughton can do a similar job with the Tigers.

"We're looking forward to a very successful season and I'm amazed that the traditional Tiger spirit is even more evident this year", Gittoes said.

"We are aiming to be in the first five at the end of the season and I can't see why we won't."

A final five spot certainly isn't beyond the Tigers as they seem to have laid the foundations for a great year with some sensible team-building under the new 13-imports League rule.

Unlike some other clubs Balmain have been able to buy four imported players and yet still have three vacancies before filling their quota.

This is in contrast to some clubs who have had to cull their import list to 13 and have been unable to inject any new blood in their sides for next season.

Balmain's buys look beauties.

Former Newtown and State lock Neil Pringle heads the list and was a coup for the Tigers as he was one of the most sought after players on the market.

### INTERESTING

Another smart buy was Allan McMahon from Collegians club in Wollongong. McMahon, essentially a fullback but also a top centre or winger, was a Country first representative last year.

Also from the Wollongong area, Les Mara, who was with Thirroul last year and played for Illawarra against England.

One of the most interesting buys, and no doubt a bonus which came with coach Broughton, is Graham Roberts, from Brothers club, Brisbane.

Roberts, only 20, was the form centre of Brisbane club football last year and is the son of former St George winger Ron Roberts.



GEOFF STARLING

The Tigers have lost two stalwarts Gary Leo, who is coaching in Newcastle, and Greg Fryer, now with Western Division side Oberon.

But they have retained all their young and ever-green stars of last year including, Geoff Starling, John Spencer, Peter Boulton, Denis Manteit, Jeff Shield, Phil Moase and English import Jim Fiddler.

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