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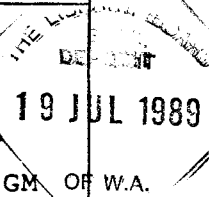
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MONTHLY LUNCHEON

MONDAY 17 JULY 1989

VENUE: Gallipoli Room. Anzac House, Perth

TIME: Fellowship 1200 hours
Luncheon 1250 hours

SPEAKER: The Rt. Rev'd Howell Witt

SUBJECT: "Some Experiences As A Padre"

THE SPEAKER

Bishop Howell Witt was born in Wales and ordained there, and then moved to South London. He was asked to come as the first Anglican Chaplain to the Woomera Rocket Range and afterwards ministered at X200 (where the original atom bomb was fired in Australia) and then Maralinga. He was the parish priest in two South Australian parishes before coming as Bishop of North West Australia where he travelled extensively to cover the largest Anglican diocese in the world. He was then Bishop of Bathurst and now lives in retirement in Mosman Park.

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SPEAKER JUNE

Many thanks Peter for a very informative and interesting talk which was well received. Congratulations also on the Award of an OAM in the Queens Birthday Honours List.

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STATE CONGRESS 1989

The following officers were elected/reelected at the RSL State Congress held in June.

President, J.P. (Jim) Hall AM. BEM. JP.
 Senior Vice President, D.H. Bruce OAM. JP.
 Junior Vice President, L.C. Keynes BA.
 Committee Members: Messrs. W.J. Surrridge, P.C. Firkins,
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 Highgate Sub Branch Representatives to State Congress.
 S. W. Dallywater, P.C. Firkins, Dr. A. King, D.J. Orr.

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APOLOGY

In the last news letter the time of commencement of Committee Meetings was given as 1.00 pm - it should be 12.45 pm

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Highgate member Keith Potter, one of the few survivors of the torpedoed Italian prisonship NINO BIXIO will place poppies on the 53 graves of the Australians KNOWN ONLY TO GOD at the PHALERON WAR CEMETARY ATHENS. Of the 504 prisoners in the No. 1 hold only 70 survived. Keith is on a business trip to Europe and Asia.

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There have been some complaints that it is often difficult to hear the Guest Speaker at our Luncheons. It is being arranged to have a microphone and amplifier available in future which hopefully will solve the problem.

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A warm welcome to new members S.D. Meredith, G.F. Gadson and G.G. Henderson, and to two guests at the last luncheon M.R. Revell and R.S. Jones who by now have hopefully "signed on".

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COCKTAIL PARTY: Will be held this year on TUESDAY 1st AUGUST at the W.A. Club on the 8th floor, 18 The Esplanade Perth.
Time: 6 pm to 8 pm Cost: \$15.00 per person

In order to assist the organisers would you please return the Pro-Forma to the Treasurer as soon as possible.

To: The Treasurer, Mr A.A. Lloyd

I will/will not be attending the Cocktail Party on 1st August 1989.

I will be accompanied by

Cost \$15 per person. Cheque herewith \$.....

Signed \.....

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