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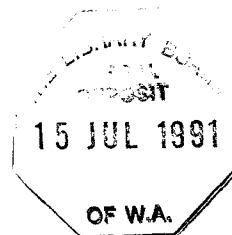
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MONTHLY LUNCHEON

MONDAY, 15 JULY, 1991

VENUE: Gallipoli Room, Anzac House, Perth.

TIME: Fellowship 1200 hours
Luncheon 1250 hours

SPEAKER: The Lord Mayor of Perth
The Rt. Honourable R.G. Withers.

SUBJECT: "Perth"

We are assured of an entertaining address from a most interesting and colourful person who, amongst other activities, served in the Navy.

LAST MONTH'S SPEAKER:

Once again Highgate was given the privilege of an interesting and entertaining talk by one of its members. We were all absorbed by an account of a land few of us know and are grateful to Dr Coleman for this insight.

COCKTAIL PARTY:

Details are now confirmed as being:

VENUE:

Victoria League, 276 Onslow Road, Shenton Park.

DATE AND TIME:

Thursday, 8 August, 1991. 6.00 pm to 8.00 pm.

COST:

\$17.00 per person inclusive.

Would you please confirm your attendance by -

- (a) A telephone call to the Secretary (279 8626), or
- (b) By completing and returning the tear-off slip at the end of the Newsletter.

Judging by the numbers who at the June Luncheon indicated their intention to come along, the attendance should be a marked improvement on last year.

You are also requested to bring guests with you if possible, to help make the evening more pleasant and enjoyable, particularly if they are possible candidates for membership of Highgate. One member asked, "Could we bring wives or girlfriends?" Certainly, but please not both.

The cut-off date for bids will be Monday, 5 August, 1991.

SUB WARDENS:

Ceremonies to be held during the next two months in addition to those published in the last Newsletter are:

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Friday, 9 August.	5.30 pm for 5.45 pm.	HMAS Canberra-Shropshire Assn.
Sunday, 1 Sept.	2.45 pm for 3.00 pm.	Thirty Niners Assn.
Sunday, 8 Sept.	11.45 am for 12 noon.	Maltese Assn. of WA.
Monday, 30 Sept.	9.15 am for 9.30 am.	"N" Class Destroyers Assn.

Another request for Sub Wardens to return armbands. They are now in very short supply.

STATE CONGRESS 1991

No doubt full details will be published in the next edition of "Listening Post", but in the meantime congratulations to Highgate Members on their election/re-election to positions as follows.

JIM HALL - State President, PETER FIRKINS - Junior Vice President, JOHN SURRIDGE and ABLE DACRE to the Executive Committee.

WAR VETERANS HOME BUILDING FUND APPEAL

At the Committee Meeting held on 10 June there was discussion with regard to the request from the W.A. Branch R.S.L. for Sub Branches to donate 50% of their funds to this project. John Surridge proposed the matter be brought forward at the next Luncheon Meeting for discussion, and suggested our Sub Branch donate \$4000 to the Central Fund. This was seconded by Geoff Russell. At the Luncheon this motion was put to the vote and carried. Geoff also explained that a Businessmen's Committee has been formed, and requested that the information given in the May Newsletter be repeated. Briefly, the scheme is promoted by the sale of "Bricks" at \$5.00 per brick. No limit to the number of bricks purchased, all donations tax deductible. Donations to either PETER FIRKINS, 23 SUDBURY WAY, CITY BEACH 6015, or GEOFF RUSSELL, 10/18 VICTORIA AVENUE, CLAREMONT 6010, or direct to R.S.L. HEADQUARTERS OR WAR VETERANS HOMES, MOUNT LAWLEY.

VALE

Member Mervyn Austin died suddenly on Tuesday, 11 June, 1991. Mervyn served with the RAAF, operating with the RAF in England in World War II. A Rhodes Scholar and noted cricketer, he was, until he retired a few years ago, Professor of Classics and Ancient History at the University of WA.

He had intended attending the June Luncheon, and was keenly looking forward to meeting his friend Rabbi Coleman and hearing him talk

At the Memorial Service held at Christ Church, Claremont, our Treasurer, Ted Thomas, represented the Sub Branch.

LEST WE FORGET

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To The Secretary: Mr J.F. Hately, 14 Purley Street, Bayswater 6053.

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