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## MONTHLY LUNCHEON

MONDAY 15 NOVEMBER 1993

VENUE: Gallipoli Room Anzac House Perth

TIME: Fellowship 11.50 Hours  
Luncheon 12.40 Hours

SPEAKER: Captain K W Eames RAN

SUBJECT: NAVY AND THE TWO OCEANS BASING POLICY. Captain Eames is the Chief of Staff of HMAS STIRLING. This second-in-command position also carries with it responsibility for Garden Island's environment. By profession Captain Eames is qualified both as a Seaman Officer and helicopter pilot, having spent most of this flying career at sea.

LAST MONTH'S SPEAKER: In proposing the vote of thanks to Professor Cole, Lindsay Caddy said in brief "Most people learn nothing about chemistry during their lives. It would put me at the top of the list. We learnt we had involvement with 25 chemicals before breakfast, so I wonder if I will in future enjoy breakfast any more. It would be superfluous to reiterate the salient points of his address, as I am sure we have all learnt how chemicals affect our daily lives. Professor Cole thanks for your time in giving this address today".

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LADIES NIGHT DINNER: Last call for this, our only evening social event of the year. To elaborate a little on the Treasurer's notes enclosed, the date is Friday 26 November. Time 7.00pm. for 7.30pm. and the venue the WA Club. The Esplanade Perth.

HELP !!!!!. your honorary (=UNPAID) treasurer is getting very busy right now with hundreds of subscriptions etc. flowing in. You can make things much easier for him paying dues by observing the following courtesies:-  
Pay promptly - and to the Highgate Treasurer NOT Anzac House Office.  
Avoid paying in Cash. Our special banking system requires deposits made up of cheques only. All cash received has to be replaced by cheques. (Besides, cash can go astray - no records!).

Use the form (s) supplied with the newsletter, and PLEASE fill in all the details thereon. This will save the treasurer's time and effort spent in looking for this information in the records.

If you have mislaid the form, any piece of paper will do, so long as it shows all the details required.

Try not to present one piece of paper with several names and amounts on it. This can cause apoplexy.

If you are handing over your sub. at the luncheon, enclose it in an envelope if possible. This will be greatly appreciated.

NOTE: All donations will be acknowledge, but otherwise no receipts will be forwarded. Should you require a receipt, please supply a stamped addressed envelope.

Clips are available at the counter at Anzac House, or at the reception desk at our luncheons. If you wish us to mail one to you please enclose a stamped addressed envelope with your request.

We hope members will co-operate in these matters, and this co-operation will be sincerely appreciated.

REQUESTS FOR WELFARE ASSISTANCE: In the past few weeks, our sub branch has made quite substantial donations to both Legacy and the War Veterans Home Building Fund. In addition we are supporting the RSL Welfare Fund through donations made by those attending the monthly luncheons via the collection box. Your committee thought it best that two other requests for financial assistance would be better served by asking members to make their own donations directly to these worthy causes. They are:-

(a) The "Weary" Dunlop Statue Appeal. It is proposed to erect two memorials, one in Melbourne, his home city, and one in the national capital. Any surplus funds will be donated to the "Weary Dunlop Fund for Medical Research". Gifts which are tax deductible should be sent to:  
The "Weary" Dunlop Statue Appeal. GPO Box 369 F Melbourne 3001

(b) 12th BATTALION ASSOCIATION BUNS MEMORIAL. Did you know that the Japanese and Americans have a memorial at Buna but there is no Australian one. This memorial will be to the memory of the 550 members of the 18 AUS INF BDE and attached troops who lost their lives in 1942-43. Donations even as low as \$2.00 will be gratefully received. Please send to THE HON. SECRETARY  
12TH Bn ASSOCIATION 2 Swanston Street Newtown Tasmania 7008.

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SUB WARDENS DUTIES:

SUNDAY 5/12/93 10.45am for 11.00am 3RAR in PERTH RE-UNION  
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NORMANDY (1944) VETERANS: Any members who served in that area, and who are contemplating returning for the 50th Anniversary, might be interested to know a commemorative medal is available to entitled personnel which will be presented in France around 6 June. Application forms are available from the sub branch secretary (279 8626)  
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PART II ORDERS

STRENGTH INCREASE: Welcome to new members Thomas Harrison and Bomdam Generowicz. Tom served as a medical officer with 2NZEAF, and Bomdam with the Polish Forces 2nd Armoured Division.  
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A senior British Army Officer was apparently at one time DAAGMG in a mixed unit. He carried out his first inspection of the women's wing with his usual thoroughness. The chief WRAC officer was annoyed by this and persuaded the GOC to publish an order, saying that inspecting officers should not look in her women's drawers. The officer sent her a copy with the words underlined in red, adding "You could have expressed it better."

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Yours co-operation will be very much appreciated.

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LADIES NIGHT DINNER Friday 26 November 1993

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