

LIBERAL PARTY (Con't)

Election talk premature: Liberals 24.7:12
 Anthony rejects Senate move 26.7:3
 Unions softening wage claims: P.M. 26.7:7
 Libs accused of tax lurk 28.7:5
 Liberals to pick Newcastle runner 3.8:5
 Liberal candidate disclosed 10.8:1
 Liberal party hopeful named (Stan Hayward) 25.8:5
 Libs may fight local polls 30.8:1
 Life-long Liberal turns on Fraser 3.9:1
 Liberals cane Morris over statements on B.H.P. 17.9:3
 New leader for libs (John Valder) 25.9:2
 Liberals urged to boost youth support 31.12:3

LIBRARIES

Libraries are trying to change image 24.2:3
 \$230,000 for Hunter libraries 20.5:6
 Centre work delayed 19.6:21
 The new look library 13.8:EG
 Historic Hunter films will go to archives 18.8:4
 Toronto to get library pools 28.9:4
 Libraries consider video lending proposal 13.10:4
 Lake area may lose book service 2.11:5
 Diary a gift to library 1.12:1
 Regional library facilities facing growing demand 1.12:17
 Uni worker given library position 14.12:4

LINGARD HOSPITAL

No drama at theatre's premiere operation 9.9:4

LIQUID PETROLEUM GAS

Work begins on Cooper Basin liquids project 16.1:11
 Santos awards \$25m contract for wharf at Stony Point 23.1:13
 Crude oil output falls, L.P.G. rises 19.5:16
 Fuel left by the roadside (Pedr Davis) 11.9:7

LITERATURE

Power restrictions hit book launching 25.3:5
 Heroine hero spotted a mile off 12.5:19
 Fantasy galore for Book Week 28.7:13
 Book prize controversy over fact or fiction 5.10:14
 Booth to launch book 3.11:8

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Councils seek allowance rise to \$5000 21.10:5
 Unity needed for the good of all 13.12:6

LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOUNDARIES

Move on boundaries labelled sell-out 6.4:5
 Boundary studies planned 6.7:6
 No merger plan for Fort Shire 24.12:9

LOCAL GOVERNMENT - FINANCE

Building block charges attacked 10.4:19
 New land valuations spark Merewether protest 24.4:1
 Group wants rating change 17.5:3
 Meeting urged on V-G land ratings 17.5:4
 Council supports rate pegging 25.5:14
 Council, water rates likely rise 29.9:9
 City facing \$4m rates rebate bill 30.9:1
 State sets \$1500 development fee 6.10:6
 Rebate cuts unfair 14.10:1
 Give councils extra \$35m: Dowd 18.10:3
 Public services feel the pinch (Leader) 19.10:2
 Budget cost councils \$35m 19.10:3
 Revenue talks urged 20.10:18
 Ceiling on rate rises a blow to councils 25.11:3
 A bad rate year (Leader) 27.11:2
 \$5m for jobs in Hunter, Coast areas 14.12:1
 15% rise in Lakes rates 24.12:4
 Cold comfort for ratepayers 24.12:6

MAITLAND

Green Hills to expand 9.1:21
 Maitland charmed (Jenny Coupland) 5.2:3
 Maitland revival (Leader) 6.2:2
 \$5.6mill Maitland retail centre ready by October 6.2:3
 Maitland bypass decision soon 10.2:5
 Delays on highway attacked 24.2:4
 Maitland Woolworths site suction attracting a lot of interest 2.4:6
 Road work re-routes Maitland traffic 27.4:13
 Residents invited to Green Hills meeting 19.5:13
 Saleyards lease adopted 26.5:26
 Bypass plan expected next month 9.6:4
 Bypass a year away 12.6:4
 Irate shopkeepers flood council with complaints 19.6:3
 \$5m Maitland centre was nearly abandoned 22.6:7
 Maitland festival plans under way 22.6:10
 Nostalgia reigns as markets close 1.7:3
 \$7million Maitland housing project attacked 21.7:3
 Cluster housing (Leader) 23.7:2
 13 on sunny side of the street 28.8:3
 Newcastle serious retail threat to C.B.D. 7.10:4
 Pools insurance snag delays Maitland schools, club swimming programs 8.10:5
 Festival aims to help regain city's identity 18.10:11
 Judging held for festival prince and princess 21.10:9
 Maitland Prince, Princess crowned (Brossman, Harwood) 23.10:3
 All the festival fun continues at Maitland 27.10:7
 Pumpkins and toil a winning double (Window dressing award) 28.10:5
 Mardi gras heads Maitland festival 29.10:6
 Mardi gras a colourful night 30.10:5
 Something for everyone in a well supported procession 1.11:8
 Turnaround in saleyards E.I.S. 24.11:9
 By-pass property acquisitions to begin 8.12:7
 Delay a threat to \$7.5mill project 13.12:3
 Maitland joins drought declared areas 30.12:1

MAITLAND CITY COUNCIL

Maitland tip nears overflow mark 12.3:1
 Maitland council men to stay on strike 17.3:11
 Maitland may lose grants 18.3:6
 Septic tank contents pumped into bush 19.3:3
 Council to look at low-cost finance for cheap housing 12.5:3
 Social worker set for challenge 17.5:6
 Wide use seen for cheap new panel homes 18.5:4
 Residents invited to Green Hills meeting 19.5:13
 Maitland's budget deficit rises by \$30,000 27.5:5
 Irate shopkeepers flood council with complaints 19.6:3
 Maitland garbage tender call irks union 24.6:3
 Mayor ignoring directive on talks 25.6:5
 Maitland to reconsider tip tender 13.7:4
 Council adamant on sanitation tenders 14.7:3
 By-pass has top State priority 16.7:1
 Labor splits over Maitland garbage 22.7:1
 Garbagemen boo deferral of meeting 24.7:3
 Party policy move in Maitland garbage row 6.8:4
 Maitland staff worried over council tenders 11.8:3
 Battle over power lines 17.8:1
 Maitland heads for deficit 25.8:3
 Maitland meets again on garbage 26.8:10
 Maitland peace depends on tender decisions 13.9:3
 Stock and station agents in saleyards takeover 17.9:5
 Maitland pools move draws union threat 22.9:1
 Sack Aldermen from A.L.P.: Council staff 23.9:1
 Representation (Leader) 24.9:2
 Alderman hit at attitude of some Maitland staff 24.9:4
 Three in Maitland mayoral ballot 28.9:3
 Apathy ends ban 30.9:7
 Red faces over council's fountain spray 1.10:6
 Council divided on a touch of lace 5.10:14
 Pool issue: A.L.P. man resigns 6.10:3
 Maitland pools opening delayed 6.10:10
 Maitland pools open today 9.10:10
 Council staff lunch out on freeze 1.11:4
 Council closures lifted 5.11:5
 Crisis warning for Maitland Council 9.11:8
 Maitland rejects savings on garbage 10.11:1

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Coatly collection (Leader) 11.11:2
 Garbage decision crazy 11.11:6
 Maitland increases rural rate 3.12:10
 Power rule lifts cost of housing project 7.12:4
 Maitland to lift rates by 11% deficit cut 8.12:3
 Action to cut deficit 10.12:3
 Delay a threat to \$7.5mill project 15.12:3
 Maitland could lose centre to Cessnock 17.12:3
 Land at Green Hills sold for \$7.5m centre 23.12:4

MAITLAND HOSPITAL

Acute-care beds at a premium 14.1:4
 Region's services face sweeping changes 10.2:3
 Good and bad news about the health of Hunter children 1.3:6
 Women rally to support Maitland Hospital 30.7:4
 Nurses at Maitland postpone bans 3.8:3
 Hospital unrest threatens to spread 5.8:11
 Changes in staffing plan averts hospital bans 7.8:1
 Nurses worried over suspension of staffing arrangements 10.8:5
 Call for new hospital is political suicide 21.10:3

MANSLAUGHTER

Man ran over friend on camping trip (Martin Kelly) 17.2:1
 Guilty verdict over death (Robert Towers) 2.3:5
 Youth jailed 10 years (Greg Yates) 8.3:6
 3 years for killing (Michael Towers) 13.3:5
 Mountains death: 3 charged 29.4:6
 Farmer faces trial over father's death (Gregory Tisdall) 3.7:3
 Manslaughter charges follows crash 27.7:4
 Starvation of boy alleged 6.8:6
 Not guilty verdict on slay charge 8.10:6
 Youth 16, on manslaughter charge after house fire 29.11:5

MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY - STRIKES AND DISPUTES

Pipe works dispute 6.2:3
 Stoppage affects plant 24.2:12
 Stoppage by craft unions ended by hours agreement 13.3:4
 E.L.M.A. strike hearing today 2.7:5
 700 B.H.P. ironworkers strike over suspensions 10.8:7
 700 ironworkers return to work at steelworks 12.8:4
 Mayfield dispute hearing 16.9:4
 Men urged to return 18.9:34
 A.M.W.S.U. strikes as first trainee goes 24.9:3
 Air employees end strike 29.9:13
 Strikes campaign forecast in protest over retrenchments 22.10:5
 Hundreds march on B.H.P. over job cuts 19.11:3
 Work to stop for protest 2.12:1

MARITIME SERVICES BOARD

Libs want Newcastle port authority to replace M.S.B. 21.5:4
 Henderson expected to leave M.S.B. post 19.6:3
 No decision new M.S.B. man 25.6:6
 Patrol officer new face on M.S.B. 22.7:4
 Grant mix-up result of confusion 27.7:9
 M.S.B. should be praised: Mayor 28.7:4
 Manager to retire on crest of wave 5.11:8

MARRIAGE, DIVORCE AND FAMILY

A special day for Bishop & daughter 18.1:3
 Counselling help in marital strife 24.2:13
 Glendale family has State's top dad (Doug Hinten) 2.3:3
 Changing pattern of family finance 10.3:17
 Law expert attacks rule on damages 15.3:4
 Fixed system favoured on divorce settlements 22.3:9
 Reception was worth the wait 30.4:5
 Swansea project doomed 5.5:5
 Another legal trap in the divorce maze 31.5:2
 Lake family support scheme near end 16.6:1
 500 protest at scheme's axing 17.6:6
 Lake Council funds family support scheme as an interim measure 22.6:3
 Children driven to suicide by court 7.7:3
 Divorce rate creeps higher 25.8:14
 Lake family scheme survives again 14.9:1
 Woman attacks insults against Filipino wives 21.9:3
 Crisis centre fears end over staff funding 4.10:3

MATER MISERICORDIAE HOSPITAL

Mater work load grows 7.1:5
 Analysing the region's health problems 14.1:2
 Minister causing party harm 15.1:1
 A.L.P. moves to limit split in Waratah over Newmed halt 16.1:1
 Variations hinder estimate 19.1:3
 45,000 for Newmed 25.1:5
 Blood supply cut by heat 29.1:6
 Mater staffing morally unacceptable 3.2:1
 Major new hospital urged for valley 10.2:1
 Report proposes major changes in care 11.2:9
 A body blow for the Mater Hospital 15.2:2
 70,000 sign Newmed petition 18.2:5
 Face attacks pamphlet 19.2:1
 Newmed petition makes it after two-hour saga 19.2:3
 \$1.6m for Mater hospital 20.2:4
 Good and bad news about the health of Hunter children 1.3:6
 Mater's needs urgent: Dowd 13.3:5
 A.L.P. group defends Newmed decision 1.4:6
 Mater Hospital facing 22% cut in beds 21.4:1
 Mater revises planned cuts 22.4:3
 Compromise on Newmed II (Leader) 30.4:2
 Newmed II choked in the prime of life (Survey) 4.5:32
 Mater project an empty shell 21.5:3
 Newmed II project revival urged 27.5:1
 Newmed II gets the go-ahead 28.5:1
 Newmed II is alive again (Leader) 29.5:2
 Ecstasy over Newmed II 29.5:3
 Rush of patients hits hospitals 4.6:3
 \$4000 traction bed for Mater 22.7:3
 Shortages place tiny babies at risk 11.8:1
 Mothers and babies in crisis 18.8:19
 Overloaded Mater nurses working without pay 9.9:4
 Doctor for newborn for Mater unit 10.9:4
 No miracles in health deals for valley 29.9:8
 Newmed II to get priority: Director 27.10:4
 Funds lift for big hospitals; less for small 4.11:3
 Hospitals reel under insurance impost 23.11:3

MATTARA FESTIVAL

Mattara Queen contest dropped 30.4:5
 Mattara festival needs \$30,000 16.6:6
 Mattara garden entries open 18.6:6
 Mattara garden competition brighter than ever 14.7:11
 Mattara plans under way 27.7:8
 Garden of Eden alive in Jesmond 28.7:8
 1204 poems for Mattara 7.8:10
 Cardiff amputee has magic touch in garden 12.8:3
 Gardeners get ready for Mattara 18.8:6
 Radio announcer is Mattara's first king 20.8:3
 Couple's dream of beauty realised (Swansea) 25.8:14
 Mattara arts ball coming to town 27.8:EG
 Award to Warners Bay housewife 3.9:5
 Arts Ball sets pace in all-fun Mattara spring festival 4.9:1
 The flowers that bloom (Leader) 4.9:2
 A day of spring in the park 6.9:1
 Fishing for fun and great prizes 6.9:1
 Civic Park swings as festival in the sun is opened 6.9:10
 Angling for a touch of style 7.9:6
 Weather did not hamper day of fun 7.9:6
 Big finish for concerto contest 8.9:12
 Ray helps boy land prize 9.9:6
 Concerto prize to flautist 9.9:6
 Colour reigns at Mattara orchid show 10.9:3
 Mattara hailed as major tourist event 13.9:1
 A marvellous Mattara (Leader) 14.9:2
 Meeting to elect Mattara group 21.10:6
 Mattara group threat to quit over grant 10.11:4

MEAT INDUSTRY AND TRADE

Man admits guilt to 51 meat offences 20.1:4
 Export meat study finds new abuses 21.1:5
 Meat substitution admitted 22.1:5
 Meat checks in shaka-up 27.1:3
 Free beef to inspectors traditional 27.1:4
 Anthony attacks beef import plan 27.1:4
 Company had decided not to assist inquiry 28.1:3
 Brother innocent in meat racket (Richard Hammond) 29.1:4
 Evidence on meat sales 3.2:4
 Meat export crime committed 4.2:5
 Meat licence move questioned 5.2:4
 Feral game used in meat pies, Commission told 10.2:7
 Roo meat was cow knuckle witness 11.2:6

MEAT INDUSTRY AND TRADE (Con't)

Meat export dispute flares 12.2:3
 Commission hears query on sausage in shops 12.2:6
 Suspect cattle passed 17.2:5
 Prime meat taken from export packs 18.2:4
 Meat scandal unbelievable 19.2:4
 Meat duties neglected 20.2:10
 Federal State meat system wasteful 24.2:6
 Dyed Kangaroo would kill industry 25.2:7
 Roo meat sold for Chinese food 26.2:4
 Consumers call for standards on meat 27.2:3
 Pet food sent for human consumption 3.3:7
 Qld meat shipment to N.S.W. unsealed 4.3:5
 Meat inspection system attacked 5.3:5
 Pets won't be blue 10.3:1
 Inquiry told of donkey meat arrangements 31.3:11
 Healthy meat refused says vet 3.4:11
 Live sheep dispute nears end 14.4:12
 Meat inquiry told of threat 22.4:3
 Move on Gulf meat exports 27.4:8
 Butcher refuses to answer inquiry 28.4:4
 Four men lied to meat inquiry 29.4:7
 Four bailed on Vic meat charges 30.4:6
 Tough laws for meat exports 30.4:7
 Sales halt in protest at live sheep 17.5:3
 Live sheep loading triggers strike 18.5:5
 Tighter controls on meat trade 28.5:3
 Meat traders offered \$1m in aid 1.6:5
 Shredders butchered Animal Health records 2.5:3
 Shredded files pure gold to inquiry 3.6:7
 Inquiry told more about gap in files 4.6:5
 Driver took part in substitution racket 10.6:5
 \$20mill yearly for meat security 15.6:9
 Inspectors paid by abattoir 22.6:11
 Meat inquiry told mutton sold as lamb 24.6:5
 Inspector paid to pass mutton as lamb 25.6:4
 Police help could have assisted inquiry 1.7:5
 Meatworks closed over evidence 6.7:8
 Exporter extends live sheep ban 9.7:4
 Reporter reveals health snag 9.7:4
 Meat inspection corrupt, costly 9.7:6
 Commissioner raps Department over meat malpractice 10.7:36
 Nixon pledges meat inquiry 14.7:7
 Nixon told of meat scandal in 1980 14.7:11
 Meat jobs would go: Nixon 15.7:7
 The untouchables (Leader) 16.7:2
 Hearing told of free meat set up 16.7:5
 Sinclair unaware of meat malpractice charges 17.7:9
 Shredding of meat files not deliberate 21.7:8
 I.A.C. inquiry will look at meat industry assistance 22.7:4
 Court rules against Royal Commission 7.8:4
 Meat industry needs help 12.8:6
 Nixon urges beef talks 9.9:5
 Future of Minister in doubt 20.9:1
 Nixon keeps grip on cabinet post 21.9:1
 Fraser slams meat inquiry judge 22.9:1
 The buck stops nowhere (Leader) 22.9:2
 Minister knew of bribes, blackmail 22.9:14
 The Woodward disclosures (Leader) 23.9:2
 Fraser defends remarks on inquiry 23.9:7
 Meat inquiry notes detail theft, bribery examples 24.9:3
 22 S.A. meat inspectors face bribe charges 5.10:4
 No link to roo meat racket 25.10:3
 Gosford work to create 150 jobs 26.10:1
 Laws tightened on Islamic meat sales 2.11:4
 Meat firm set to expand 11.11:1
 Time runs out for butcher chains 1.12:13
 Retrenched meat union organisers win appeal 17.12:6
 Secretary union angry and upset at appeal link 18.12:3
 Union upset over man's name used in court case 21.12:4
 Meat exports to U.S. gets boost 29.12:5

MEDIA

Easing of ban on polls urged 27.2:32
 Media man warns of pressure groups 6.4:25
 Journalists seek end to political blackout 2.11:3
 An absurd ban (Leader) 15.11:2

MEDIA - STRIKE AND DISPUTES

A.B.C. strike 10.2:5
 Your Wednesday herald 7.7:1

MEDICAL

Shyness genetically predetermined 6.1:5
 Women drinkers warned 6.1:23
 Overwhelming fear runs their lives 7.1:2
 Tissue tests may change 7.1:4
 Church calls for test-tube baby halt 7.1:6
 Lungs improve after smokers quit 8.1:1
 Jogging and having children don't mix 9.1:4
 Scientists sent to help fever victims 12.1:4
 Norfolk Is fever scares off tourists 13.1:1
 Nasal spray to prevent colds 19.1:5
 Typhoid victim found, recovers 20.1:11
 Women are better marathon runners: Research 23.1:3
 Advances in surgery 23.1:3
 Urgent recall of bandages 23.1:11
 Children pinned down by mothers curl 27.1:1
 Witchesy grub medicine can work 30.1:1
 Babies getting a better start 30.1:5
 Slimming could hurt unborn 30.1:9
 Taming lions is a tricky operation 10.2:1
 Halt plea to test-tube baby research 15.2:4
 An industrial epidemic strikes 17.2:19
 Dead man's eyes taken without permission 20.2:1
 Moves in the Dalkon shield legal battle 24.2:13
 Class thinks teacher is a long way in front (Brian Morgan) 26.2:3
 Shining a light on depression 3.3:23
 Golden staph reports could cause panic 4.3:4
 U.S. toxic shock trial begins 5.3:5
 Internal drug pump approved 10.3:13
 Expert tells court that girl had toxic shock symptoms 11.3:3
 A 10-minute operation for myopia 18.3:2
 Tampon company negligent 22.3:3
 Some sunscreen harmful 24.3:4
 New contraceptive method 24.3:19
 Sunlight overdose cancer hazard 31.3:11
 Drug ingredient removal ordered (Debendox) 3.4:3
 Early motherhood blamed on poor sex education 3.4:11
 A victory over breast-milk substitutes 5.4:2
 A new kidney and a new life (Ujang Mansyur) 6.4:14
 Sex change at 68 ends transsexual prison 13.4:3
 Parents are facing the dilemma of knife therapy (Downs syndrome) 17.4:4
 New pill prompts quick church attack 23.4:2
 Australian birth practices concern 30.4:5
 U.K. expert advises on juvenile arthritis 5.5:12
 Victorian team set to transfer embryos 12.5:1
 Arthritis costlier than strikes to work days 13.5:6
 40% have operation for convenience 14.5:4
 Laser beam sheds light on eye disease cure 19.5:7
 Deafness the classic occupational hazard 19.5:21
 Armless girl given new grasp on life 21.5:3
 Children to have more lead tests 22.5:5
 Price of health care will keep rising 29.5:1
 Drinking drugs fill hospital wards 26.5:4
 Baby from genius sperm bank kept under wraps 26.5:7
 Anorexia nervosa can be beaten 26.5:19
 Asthma risk linked to smelter 2.6:3
 Eat right and live a lot longer 2.6:13
 New fertility drug 2.6:17
 Team studies disease in children 2.6:30
 Rise in glue-sniffing alarms experts 5.6:4
 Teenagers warned on tampon usage 5.6:5
 Daughter dies after ten-year battle (Margaret Pitcher) 7.6:1
 Kidney computer holds key to a normal life 8.6:7
 Icebender antics can lead to sudden death 8.6:9
 Treat the cause, do not treat the symptoms 9.6:21
 Allergic to the modern world 9.6:21
 Officials chary of nuclear safety pill 10.6:9
 Video ware cause epilepsy 15.6:4
 Tests show 57 out of 87 children in Port Pirie have high lead levels 16.6:6
 Overcoming mastectomy 16.6:19

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Doctor puts a bit of mussel into joints 17.6:4
 Southpaws may have a handicap 19.6:2
 Plucking the mentally ill from the hospital
 doorstep 24.6:2
 Fertility pump aided birth (Dr Kissane) 26.6:1
 Emperor was undergoing sex change (Napoleon)
 26.6:3
 16 rated old enough to consult doctors 29.6:3
 A.M.A. in favour of baby mercy killing 29.6:3
 Top doctor complains about health changes
 2.7:3
 Pregnancy over incorrect pill instruction
 2.7:5
 Fatties take on heart attacks and win 6.7:1
 Insultation material may be harmful 7.7:4
 The sadness miscarriage brings 7.7:21
 Uni team tries lotion for shingles 13.7:1
 Lynn-Maree beats cancer odds 13.7:3
 First W.A. test-tube baby 14.7:3
 That coughing and sneezing is not flu yet 15.7:1
 Abalone divers fertility at risk: Scientist
 17.7:3
 Leprosy case in Sydney 22.7:6
 Smoking, drinking and snoring shrink brain
 23.7:4
 G.P.'s unprepared for violence 28.7:3
 An appetite-controlling pill may help autistic
 children 28.7:17
 Women stronger and live longer 30.7:7
 Artificial blood may save lives 30.7:8
 The man who deals with death is full of life
 (Dr Laszlo Janathy) 31.7:2
 Pregnancy prevention and its death rate 5.8:4
 Need for serious look at alcohol 13.8:5
 Children wait six weeks for therapy 24.8:6
 Contraception by nasal spray 25.8:19
 Illness resulted in a book (Lorna Hewson)
 31.8:5
 Making a knee whole again 1.9:23
 Mother has month to live (Asbestos) 2.9:1
 Research finds Elephant Man had many diseases
 4.9:3
 In-vitro baby code bans cloning 4.9:3
 Children's surgery often not necessary 6.9:5
 Tonsil ops? Doctors blame parents 7.9:1
 Unconscious youth denied treatment (Stephen
 Bennett) 7.9:1
 Unnecessary operations (Leader) 7.9:2
 Dual polio vaccine rarity 9.9:4
 Hospital Board backs staff 10.9:1
 New transplant method a success (Bone Marrow)
 10.9:8
 The bionic ear: Science comes to the aid of
 those with defective hearing 11.9:3
 Sleep a waste of time: M.D. 11.9:4
 New check for unborn babies 20.9:6
 Marathon run for coma victim 21.9:5
 How a stroke victim found a new life (Lorna
 Hewson) 23.9:2
 The world of dreams becomes a key to reality
 24.9:2
 Two more boys have leprosy 24.9:3
 Medical fees up by 10% average 24.9:7
 Personal computer designed for birth control
 14.10:1
 Births at home for Hunter women 14.10:3
 Lumps in breasts common: U.S. report 15.10:3
 Rats used to assess fertility of men 18.10:1
 Malaysian boy, 6, given new nose, face 21.10:4
 Diseases of heart costing \$1.7bill 21.10:6
 Infertility in males rising research shows
 22.10:3
 Doctors develop home abortions 22.10:8
 Road to a life of crime paved with junk food:
 Nutritionist 22.10:8
 In-vitro research hope for infertile males
 27.10:3
 Make skin helps bad burn victims 27.10:13
 Hepatitis linked with drug abuse 30.10:3
 Pain can come with the job (Tenosynovitis)
 31.11:21
 University works on allergy treatment 9.11:1
 Changing attitudes to menstruation 11.11:2
 The nose knows about air pollution 12.11:8
 Sex change torment of crossing the great
 divide 13.11:5
 Surgery for that youthful look 17.11:21
 Hunter quiet with helping hand 19.11:1
 Surgery on face meets delay (Malaysian boy)
 22.11:3
 Investigating the unborn 24.11:21
 Operation to install artificial heart rushed
 forward 3.12:5

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Freedom is a week of camping (Cystic fibrosis)
 7.12:1
 Sterilisation without surgery for women 8.12:3
 40th Australian test-tube baby 13.12:3
 New pneumonia strain rampant 13.12:9
 Doctors get 14% pay rise 16.12:4
 Pill adds to health risk for solarium users
 16.12:10
 Brave to the last (Kathy Long) 22.12:17
 Miracle baby loses race 24.12:5
 Medicine's passport to eternity 29.12:3
 Recession and boom both health risks 29.12:6

MEDICAL RESEARCH

Once a month birth control tested 2.1:9
 Cot death step possible 13.1:3
 Medical grant (Leader) 9.2:2
 Medical research centre 9.2:7
 New artificial blood research 13.2:4
 Prions linked to fatal diseases 22.3:7
 High honour for R.M.E. doctor 13.3:8
 Medical researchers wasting time 13.3:37
 Success near for male pill 16.3:7
 Virus may be a clue to case of M.S. 28.4:13
 Heat danger to unborn 4.5:1
 Right or left the reason may lie in womb 29.5:10
 U.S. tests on new embryo transfer method 17.6:5
 Mouse brain transplant a success 19.6:3
 First brain-cell graft done in Sweden 27.7:3
 Bio-chemists burst through interferon barrier
 7.8:3
 It beats a cup behind the ear 19.10:5
 Capsule advance in birth control 7.12:4
 Guinea pig role for doctors 28.12:7
 Study to look at Australians eating habits
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MEDICAL SCHOOLS

'Gross neglect' in Hunter health 2.1:1
 A crutch for the health services (Leader) 2.1:2
 Health deficiencies outlined 2.1:2
 Commission flags on 3 year pledge to provide
 specialist 5.1:3
 The Newmed II decision: a question of priority
 6.1:2
 No health neglect 12.1:1
 Hunter health figures needed (Leader) 13.1:2
 Health spending challenge 13.1:3
 Analysing the region's health problems 14.1:2
 A.L.P. moves to limit split in Waratah over Newmed
 halt 16.1:1
 City M.L.A. tells of cancer scare (Jones)
 16.1:3
 M.P.s given new cost details for Newmed 19.1:1
 State 'ignores' M.P.s 21.1:1
 Ministerial contempt (Leader) 22.1:2
 45,000 for Newmed 25.1:5
 60,000 sign petition on Newmed 5.2:4
 Medical research centre 9.2:1
 Medical grant (Leader) 9.2:2
 Newmed petition only the beginning 12.2:4
 70,000 sign Newmed petition 18.2:5
 Doctor urges cash before talks 22.2:4
 Professor fears for med school reputation
 22.5:4
 75,000 sign Newmed petition 26.5:5
 Newmed II gets the go-ahead 28.5:1
 Uni advertises for Dean of Medical Faculty
 1.10:3
 Dean's portrait watches over his building
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 Police seek housing from mines 26.3:1
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 Police tribunal may summons M.P.s 30.3:5
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 Police headquarters staff move office 2.4:7
 State acts on police charges (South Australia) 3.4:1
 Launch given new look (William J Mackay) 7.4:1
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 A one-way trip for the Chan 6.2:5
 Country rail fare plan attacked 8.2:4
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 Fares for the X.P.T. announced 5.3:4
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 Rail unions say 500 jobs under threat 16.6:9
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 Call for more stops of X.P.T. 12.7:6
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 Rail freight row end likely 6.8:4
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 Transport mates recall tales of yester-year 21.10:3
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 Major area stations will not close 12.11:6
 S.R.A. cuts spark row 13.11:4
 The railway cuts (Leader) 15.11:2
 Dining cars will stay on trains 16.11:3
 Delay over railway land criticised 16.11:5
 A.R.U. agrees to staff cuts 17.11:9
 Rail tickets sales fall reflects job cuts, rural drought 19.11:3
 Steam trains to stay on coal service 23.11:8
 Rail unions stop freight trains 25.11:3
 Gorman wins \$87m order 27.11:9
 1st class to van for Flyer trippers 4.12:9
 Rail deficit is horrifying (Monday Comment) 6.12:6

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 Wheel likely cause of rail crash (Sydney) 20.3:3
 Danger in wheels of trains dismissed 22.3:4
 Man hurt in train crash 10.4:3
 X.P.T. hits car two die (Orange) 29.5:3
 Northern railway blocked 21.7:6
 X.P.T. car hit: 1 dead 15.10:5
 Inquiry into rail crash 1.12:17

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 Rail electrification (Leader) 6.4:2
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 Two men, youth for trial (Gregory Hancock, Stephen Bridge) 6.2:5
 Attack in lavatory (correction 19/2) (Ronald Taylor) 18.2:7
 Attack in lavatory (correction) 19.2:3
 Woman, 88, twice rape victim 22.2:1
 Guilty plea on threat, thefts (Coy R. Saunders) 3.3:7
 Sexual assault at beach denied (David Coutts) 10.3:7
 Murder 'only solution' to rape (Rape in marriage) 10.3:7
 Jury clears man of assault (David Coutts) 11.3:6
 Man offers \$2000 to sex assault victim (Wayne Lyne) 13.3:1
 \$10,000 compensation order (Tony Esk) 13.3:4
 Fisherman on seven charges (Raymond Freeman) 23.3:5
 Woman only a prostitute (Raymond Freeman) 15.4:3
 Man denies attack (Wayne Nilsen) 20.4:5
 Bicycle rider sought after sex attacks 25.5:7
 Sexual assault on elderly woman third in two weeks 26.6:9
 Remand on sex drug charges (Steven Ricketts) 29.6:5
 September trials over sex charge (Paul Kiem) 28.7:5
 Life prison sentence too short for rapist 6.8:3
 Doctor gets \$1000 bond for assault (Peter Hutley) 14.8:6
 Weekend jail term on assault count (Roy Jennings) 17.8:6
 Rape crisis centre telephones cut off 10.9:6
 Three men plead guilty to sex attacks on girl (King, Curry & Taylor) 14.9:4
 Man 20 faces 3 years jail 18.9:11
 Man acquitted of sex assault count 22.9:4
 Man admits in court to girl sex charges 25.9:9
 Jail terms over Woy Woy sex offences 29.9:7
 Woman abducted at knifepoint 30.9:5
 Two jailed over attacks on elderly woman (Ricketts Eagleton) 1.10:5
 Sexual assault appeal for high court (Wayne Lyne) 9.10:3
 5-year jail term set 14.10:11
 8-year term for armed rape (George Stashinsky) 19.10:7
 Three woman tricked, sexually assaulted 30.10:10
 Assault hearing date set (James, Simpeon) 4.11:10

RAPE AND SEXUAL ASSAULT (Con't)

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 Assault followed bread-in (Anthony Kennedy) 10.11:8
 Woman raped in 1977 awarded \$10,000 (Wayne Maizey) 10.11:26
 Attack in Wallsend drive alleged (Paul Kiem) 11.11:3
 Maitland inmates deny sexual assault charge 11.11:7
 Man found guilty of sex charge (Paul Kiem) 12.11:6
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 Prisoner sent to wrong place (Maitland jail rape) 16.11:1
 Intercourse without consent charge denied 16.11:8
 Two guilty of beach sex charges (Greg Hancock) 17.11:9
 Sex assault alleged on way to buy drugs (Glen Ragan) 17.11:10
 10 years jail over sexual outrages (Glen Ragan) 18.11:4
 Four-year sentences in sex case (Hancock, Bridge) 18.11:7
 \$10,000 to girl for sexual assault 19.11:5
 Man 30, for trial on three sexual offences (Stephen Bagnall) 2.12:6
 11 years jail for Aberdeen man (Anthony Kennedy) 4.12:4
 \$10,000 for woman who gave birth after rape 8.12:5
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 Bids for townhouses site fail (Belmont South) 1.2:1
 Residents seek to buy mine company land (Catherine Hill Bay) 3.2:3
 Funds lack brakes home prices 8.2:1
 Industrial site brings \$285,000 sales low 15.2:1
 Coles building passed in 20.2:21
 Sharp rise in H.V. home values 6.3:1
 What is your home worth? 6.3:7
 Real Estate president retires 6.3:23
 Rothbury site remains unsold 8.3:1
 Housing gloom not too severe: R.E.I. 13.3:21
 Three blocks sell for \$100,000 15.3:1
 Auctioneer cheered 22.3:1
 Lake home bids fail 29.3:1
 Terraces a good buy, says agent 3.4:23
 Newcastle land prices up 24% 6.4:3
 Maitland house fails to sell 6.4:11
 Higher - priced house blocks demand firm 10.4:19
 Home passed in after \$3.5 million bid fails 16.4:5
 Record \$5.25m paid for home 19.4:3
 Building blocks for sale in land-hungry Upper Hunter 21.4:9
 New land valuations spark Merewether protest (Lloyd St) 24.4:1
 Interest rates dampen land sale 26.4:1
 Historic home fails to sell (Hollydene) 3.5:3
 \$540,000 for land at Fingal Bay 4.5:3
 120 homes in \$7m deal (Green Hills) 11.5:1
 19 Branxton lots fail to sell at auction 17.5:5
 Demand drops for Valley land 20.5:1
 Optimism in gloom 22.5:23
 New finance plan introduced 22.5:23
 Waterfront property passed in at \$370,000 (Valentine) 31.5:3
 Inner-city land values rise dramatically 3.6:5
 2 council lots sold at Stroud 7.6:5
 58 homes offered for sale 12.6:23
 Auctions are the answer: Agency 14.6:5
 Council seeks 1977 land freeze 17.6:3
 Residential market at its best for investors 19.6:21
 No sale at auctions 21.6:1
 Lake house fails to reach \$135,000 (Brightwaters) 28.6:1
 Reserve price not met 5.7:3
 New Lambton land sale 10.7:23
 \$210,000 paid for King St offices 12.7:1

REAL ESTATE (Con't)

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 Valuer tells of land market forces 15.7:11
 Fine city site fails to sell at auction 16.7:3
 Eight lots sold from new estate 19.7:3
 Household budgets are under siege 24.7:2
 Terrace houses fail to reach reserves 26.7:4
 Singleton releasing 107 home blocks 28.7:8
 New release at Elmore housing subdivision 31.7:23
 Auction results offer sellers encouragement 3.8:7
 Shortage of developed land in Valley report 7.8:23
 Brick house brings \$116,000 9.8:3
 Dutch auction plan for city units 11.8:1
 Landcom and council clash over estate 14.8:23
 Schoolhouse sale the only bright light at auctions 16.8:3
 Wyea land offers floods and quarry 18.8:3
 Jaycees play lecture series 21.8:21
 Properties fail to reach reserves 23.8:3
 \$11m estate planned for Lake 26.8:8
 R.B.I. supports valuations change 28.8:23
 Singleton townhouse lots fail to sell 31.8:7
 Two register for homes 4.9:23
 Councils lard sale now in doubt 8.9:8
 Land sold despite unfinished work 11.9:23
 High court rules on finance clause 18.9:3
 Demand rises for existing houses 18.9:23
 Colin Chapman to speak at congress 18.9:23
 Westlakes attracts the buyers 2.10:21
 New head chosen for agents group 9.10:21
 Motel site passed in (Belmont North) 11.10:1
 Units hit bottom price 11.10:3
 Brighter days ahead for real estate industry 12.10:3
 Shortland Council buys shop arcade for \$1.5m 19.10:1
 H.V. land a feast after famine 20.10:13
 Business block sold for \$3.75m 23.10:9
 Hill house expected to set record 23.10:23
 Multilist a success 30.10:27
 Tyrrell units will test market 6.11:25
 New system of property sales launched in Newcastle 19.11:7
 But bids fall short of reserve price 20.11:3
 Workshop on auctions for city 20.11:25
 Woodlands auction date set 27.11:23
 Trees for village 27.11:23
 Merewether blocks put up for auction 4.12:23
 Ambassador home display for final time 4.12:23
 Five blocks fetch \$217,000 6.12:1
 Soft terms on 21 Metford lots 7.12:3
 Units for lease 18.12:23

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Learning to live with leisure 10.4:11
 Creativity in conversion 29.5:23
 Ice skating rink may reopen (Wharf Road) 23.9:6

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Red Cross calls for \$50,000 12.3:8
 Doornock a great success 22.3:5
 Red Cross embarrassed 27.4:13
 Newcastle move part of decentralisation policy 2.5:6

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S African draft dodgers taken as refugees 8.1:5
 Polish refugees have a tale to tell 20.1:17
 Refugees well received 15.3:4
 Refugee rules tightened 17.3:26
 2000 Poles set for Australian shift 1.4:1

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 Religious sect seeks inquiry (Ananda Marga) 3.5:13
 Krishna hopes for city temple (Hare Krishna) 2.7:3
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 Church has problem with credibility (Michael Treacy, Moonies) 28.8:34

RENTS, HOUSING

Rents may rise 100% 2.1:23
 Housing seminar at city hall 29.5:23
 Housing money diverted 1.6:5
 When your home is not your house 5.6:7

RENTS, HOUSING (Con't)

Tenancy laws need reform 7.6:4
 Group presses for changes to lease document 3.7:23
 Family seeks roof of its own 30.7:6
 City rents up 100% in 2½ years 7.8:3
 Tenancy guide for migrants 7.8:23
 Shorter leases disadvantage tenants 21.8:21
 Bond problems eliminated 18.9:23
 Concern over rent control 30.10:27

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Unusual restaurant plan for Swansea (Swansea Heads) 16.2:4
 Italian name, French cuisine (Danilo's) 22.2:8
 New french cuisine provides a fresh saucy change 1.3:17
 Original taste of Malaysia 8.3:14
 Elegant French cooking in a casual setting 22.3:12
 A new era begins at the Great Northern Hotel 29.3:10
 A sister for lake venue (Lychee Inn) 5.4:15
 Old home for provincial food (Lexton House) 12.4:12
 Dining with history (Barden & Ribee Saddlery) 19.4:8
 Logs on the fire (Grand Gourmet) 26.4:6
 Filling lunches for hungry workers (Red Bull) 3.5:11
 It's last drinks for thirsty travellers (Travellers Hotel) 6.5:5
 Dining in an oasis at the Junction (Rickshaw Inn) 10.5:12
 Flavour and value at city carvery (Empress Carvery) 17.5:11
 Ingredients for a memorable evening (Avocado Bowl) 24.5:10
 Phoenix offers top quality and value 31.5:12
 Restaurant plan for Lake parks 3.6:1
 Some new Chinese dishes for Newcastle (Lucky Inn) 7.6:12
 Character preserved in Maitland inn's rebirth (George and Dragon) 14.6:10
 Fresh talents at Winstons 21.6:14
 Krishna hopes for city temple (Hare Krishna: Gopal Restaurant) 2.7:3
 Variety to suit a wilde clientele (Sea Witch) 5.7:10
 Charges in 30 years of dining out 21.7:21
 Family atmosphere blended with good Italian cooking (Arrivederci) 26.7:10
 The fresh flavour of the Spice Islands 2.8:11
 Restaurant plan for Swansea refused 3.8:7
 Stable has the appeal of rural Switzerland 9.8:9
 Seafood served in style and at a sensible price (Seafood Express) 16.8:10
 Fire damage can't stop the Istana 23.8:10
 Ambassador closes tonight 26.8:1
 A growing taste for Malaysia 30.8:10
 Fresh simple seafood (Villa Franca) 6.9:12
 A bonzer spot for Waltzing Matilda (Billabong Restaurant) 13.9:12
 Chinese dishes hidden in a Western Style 18.9:2
 Old friends welcome the Fosters (Marquis Of Lorne) 20.9:14
 Yum Cha is a new style of Chinese cooking (Moonlight Palace) 27.9:11
 A change for Dimitris 4.10:8
 Blue Max caters for all tastes 11.10:12
 Chef was born in a kitchen (Renay Restaurant) 18.10:12
 Cup specials 25.10:10
 Cuisine thats really caught on (You and I) 1.11:16
 Where opera comes free (Giuseppe) 8.11:14
 Earth Kitchen a chance to dine outdoors 15.11:12
 Style at the Skiffy: Master chef's touch (Rudi Sauers) 22.11:12
 Fanny's more than just a restaurant 29.11:10
 Some new ideas at the Glacier 6.12:10
 Good food at good prices (Gritz) 13.12:10
 Father and son in partnership (Chuddleys) 20.12:14
 Seafood is very special at Bruno's 27.12:6

RETAIL TRADE

November finish expected for centre (Jewellstown) 20.5:5
 \$1m plan for Toronto shop 25.5:1
 Council rejects \$2m shops plan for Geerock 27.5:3
 Cost killing the lay-by system (Lay-bys) 12.6:3

RETAIL TRADE (Con't)

Lay-by system viable for small retailers 16.6:9
 Glendale study nears completion 19.6:3
 \$5m Maitland centre was nearly abandoned 22.6:7
 A.M.P. locks at its Hunter assets 25.6:8
 Glerdale E.I.S. for display 8.7:6
 No dates set for Newcastle computer scanner checkouts 15.7:8
 Glendale project coalmines clash 20.7:4
 Lack of car parking could choke town (Raymond Terrace) 12.8:7
 Pricing system suffers setback 9.9:9
 Glendale project figures 20% out 10.9:4
 Plan to double shops (Cardiff) 15.9:5
 New supermarkets to create 220 jobs 16.9:4
 A salami sniffer takes a tour through the delis 22.9:19
 Muswellbrook housewife will open \$6.4m centre tomorrow 27.9:9
 Newcastle serious retail threat to C.B.D. 7.10:4
 Charlestown Coles site sold 15.10:3
 A shopping centre at the crossroads 18.10:2
 Franklins tipped to expand in north 21.10:1
 Union rejects shop hours extension 26.10:4
 Buying made easy by computers 28.10:7
 A questionable shopping law (Leader) 2.11:2
 Unionists split with retailers 2.11:3
 \$5m Belmont North shopping centre opens on Wednesday (Jewellstown) 11.11:6
 Hooker joins Dalgety in \$25m project (Glendale) 16.11:1
 Retailers threaten to open on Saturdays 19.11:4
 Glendale shop study biased 19.11:5
 \$25m shop plan wins support (Glendale) 23.11:1
 New business venues for north 23.11:5
 Planners have reservations over \$25m Glendale centre 24.11:1
 Battle over weekend trading goes on as stores defy union 29.11:1
 Glendale project goes on 30.11:3
 No firm decision on shopping 1.12:17
 Extra Saturday afternoon shopping (Leader) 8.12:2
 No Saturday afternoon trading 8.12:8
 Stores crowded as Christmas nears 21.12:3
 Good response to late night shopping 23.12:3
 Newcastle's Christmas retail sales set record 27.12:1
 Myer planning big changes 27.12:7
 Sales boom tipped in retail stores 28.12:1
 Kitchen showroom opens (Ambassador Homes) 28.12:3

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Dispute threat to fuel supply 13.2:4
 Wran attacks anarchy by unions 15.2:1
 Strike threatens petrol supplies 16.2:1
 Timely warning for some unions (Leader) 16.2:2
 Fuel stocks drying up 17.2:1
 Newcastle's petrol stations dry by tomorrow 18.2:1
 Storemen keep Newcastle on rack 19.2:1
 Fuel, food supplies short 20.2:3
 Petrol, food back on sale again 22.2:3
 Hunter S.F.U. votes to end strike 23.2:3
 David Jones struggles to keep up food stocks 24.2:3
 S Coast workers victims of union deceit 27.2:3
 Petrol flow at risk 3.3:3
 Shoppers surprised as dispute shuts stores 23.4:1
 Shop workers to stay out until Tuesday 24.4:1
 No winner in shops dispute (Leader) 24.4:2
 Shop pickets out in force again today 26.4:1
 Shop strikers return to work 28.4:9
 Irresponsible strike cost D.J.s \$400,000 28.5:1

RETURNED SERVICEMENS ORGANISATION

Regions R.S.L. has no numbers problem 25.1:3
 Ex-digger awaits eviction by R.S.L. (Spencer Richards) 24.2:1
 R.S.L. defends move to demolish stone 25.2:12
 Fewer hats at celebration 12.4:4
 Chaplain defends Anzac rite 19.4:3
 No Anzac role for homosexuals 23.4:16
 Modern campaigners plans upset Diggers 24.4:10
 Record roll up in the Hunter 26.4:3
 Fanades attract crowds cheers 26.4:3
 R.S.L. head in Nords Wharf now 16.6:7
 Hunt for old honour rolls 21.6:4
 R.S.L. head attacks migration policy 8.7:8
 Maitland R.S.L. plans new headquarters 22.7:5

RETURNED SERVICEMENS ORGANISATION (Con't)

Help for war veterans 31.8:6
 Governor-general warns R.S.L. 14.9:9
 Fence raises anger in Lake residents 16.9:5
 Insufficient care for war veterans exposed to defoliants: report 27.10:13
 R.S.L. gives invalid marching orders (Gary Hooper) 30.10:1
 Apology issued to invalid (Gary Hooper) 3.11:3
 Old soldiers home again 8.11:1
 Younger men step in for Legacy 9.11:7
 Newcastle honours its fallen 12.11:5
 Naming of square recalls Changi 20.12:4

RIVERS AND CREEKS

Hunter River quality subject of inspection 6.7:7
 Bans go on as Hunter fails 12.11:3

ROAD HAULAGE

Pollution worry prompts meeting 19.1:5
 No solution to lake truck route row 4.2:4
 70 residents protest over traffic noise 20.2:1
 Bridge of sighs gets first aid (Shepherds Creek) 23.2:15
 Driving job an uphill battle (Gail Simpson) 19.5:1
 Transport drivers mostly employed 2.6:21
 Hunter road and rail systems are complementary: R.T.A. 24.6:12
 Truck drivers blockade threat over diesel tax 3.7:1
 Fuel tax doubles haulage rates 3.7:9
 Truck drivers to see Wran 7.7:5
 Truck campaign brings result 10.7:36
 Truck line up in city against tax 19.7:6
 Newcastle truck ban 22.7:1
 T.W.U. truck ban over fuel taxes spreads State-wide 23.7:3
 Police patrol under drivers threat 26.7:3
 State must hold firm this time (Leader) 27.7:2
 Unionists breaking bans on petrol 30.7:1
 Unionists critical of T.W.U. campaign 31.7:1
 Fuel supply for buses in balance 3.8:1
 T.W.U. to ease Newcastle fuel embargo 10.8:1
 1000 trucks in protest rally 11.8:1
 Trucks line highway in fuel tax protest 12.8:5
 Police break up Hexham truck blockade but others continue 13.8:5
 Road chaos as trucks cut lanes 14.8:1
 Blockaders on a wrong track (Leader) 14.8:2
 Police smash blockaders 16.8:1
 Truck drivers call unofficial strike 17.8:1
 Newcastle truck off the road 19.8:1
 Jobs threatened as trucks stop 20.8:1
 Hundreds of jobs in danger 21.8:1
 Truck strike is backfiring (Leader) 21.8:2
 T.W.U. strike hits morning milk 23.8:1
 Truckies end fuel tax strike 24.8:7
 Bans put further pressure on fuel 27.8:1

ROAD SAFETY

N.R.M.A. urges work on 12 intersections 24.4:3
 New old parking rules 6.5:3
 Groups seek safer King St crossing 12.5:5
 A motorcyclist's guide to staying alive 14.5:2
 Rescue squad will give lectures 19.5:13
 Many lake roads fit for rallies 15.7:6
 Road safety campaign continues 19.7:6
 M.P.s look at six road toll options 28.7:7
 Award to promote Hunter road safety (Good driver award) 30.9:4
 Three safe drivers in first awards heat (Barry Northfield, Anne Kuytles, Ken Bell) 6.10:6
 Housewife joins award winners 7.10:7
 Woman only one worthy of driver nomination 8.10:10
 Almost perfect driving record for candidate (Henry Pascoe) 12.10:11
 Three good drivers to vie for award 13.10:10
 Three women the pick of yesterday's drivers 14.10:5
 Two picked in weekly good driver award 15.10:6
 Driving prize to Lake man (Peter Wilcock) 16.10:4
 Award for improved driver (Robert Tarnall) 23.10:10
 A day for women drivers 26.10:6
 Judges surprise safe motorists 27.10:9
 Careful drivers not easy to find 28.10:7
 Visiting motorists earn driving judges praise 29.10:5
 2 drivers set example 2.11:4

ROAD SAFETY (Con't)

Three drivers win commendations 3.11:10
 Judges find three safe drivers 5.11:5
 Singleton drivers award 6.11:9
 3 motorists win award praise 11.11:7
 Sailor safe on the road 12.11:7
 Dangerous road worries parents 16.11:6
 Crosses reflect roads grim toll of lives 17.11:3

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Residents oppose closure plan 21.1:5
 Warning over funds for highway work 8.2:5
 Maitland bypass decision soon 10.2:7
 Part of Ordinance St closed for car-park construction 19.2:7
 Roads funds directed by Hunt 19.2:14
 Complaint received over car park plea 19.2:14
 Interest in new traffic control system (Roundabouts) 22.2:3
 Delays on highway attacked (Maitland) 24.2:4
 Group wants halt to car park work 12.3:6
 Assurance given on highway 7.4:7
 A touch of green (Leader) 20.4:2
 N.R.M.A. urges work on 12 intersections 24.4:3
 Road work re-routes Maitland traffic 27.4:13
 Threat to road funds 10.5:3
 Freeway may open in 1983 - Delay in section to Wallsend: Whelan 14.5:3
 The freeway moves a little closer 17.5:2
 \$3m bonus for freeway to city 18.5:5
 D.M.R. suggests route for new highway through Swansea 25.5:3
 Residents want road closed (Scenic Drive) 31.5:10
 Shires want road grants 2.6:30
 Freeway will not be downgraded: Fife 5.6:3
 Many Lake roads fit for rallies 15.7:6
 By-pass has top state priority 16.7:1
 Whelan pledges funds for Lake roads 16.7:1
 Better public transport a priority 23.7:4
 \$500m roads rip-off: A.L.P. 26.7:1
 Lake prepares road, bridge program 30.7:8
 Pacific is worst highway in state 5.8:4
 New freeway finished by 1991: Hunt 21.8:5
 Roads plan no help to freeway 25.8:5
 Street closure proposal angers Dudley residents 27.9:3
 National road link to cost \$6000m over six years 20.10:9
 Budget grants for national highways far below needs 23.10:3
 Objections to road will need answers 11.11:8
 Council signs a traffic stopper 2.12:1
 By-pass property acquisitions to begin 8.12:7
 Residents reject link road proposals 8.12:9
 \$2000m roads Bill passed by Senate 15.12:15
 Bad highway bend studied by D.M.R. 17.12:4
 \$13m grant for roads in North 24.12:1

ROBBERY

\$700 taken in theft 2.1:9
 Charges against man adjourned (David Johnson) 12.1:11
 Tight security for Denning hearing 26.1:4
 Denning planned to step up judges 27.1:6
 Denning used crime for living 28.1:6
 Teller identifies Denning as robber 29.1:4
 Man for trial over robbery 13.2:9
 Prisoner on robbery charge 6.3:3
 Burman robs city shop of \$530 (Dawn Marie Boutique) 12.3:1
 Two acquitted on rob charges (Frank Simon) 26.3:9
 Masked bandit robs society 21.4:1
 Police search for train bandit 23.4:16
 Pensioner loses life savings to thieves (Ada Childs) 29.4:6
 Man committed 11 robberies in nine months 4.6:14
 Junction bank robbed (Jenny McCarthy) 9.7:3
 Remand on armed robbery charge 10.7:4
 Three on run in bush after gun thefts 17.7:1
 Man hunt ends with 3 arrests 19.7:1
 Hold-up at pharmacy (Waratah) 21.7:3
 Waratah man remanded on 3 charges (David Lawrence) 23.7:5
 Three face assault and robbery charges (McKay, Harris, O'Keefe) 27.7:3
 Robberies over drug deal mistake (Marchant, Shanahan) 30.7:3

ROBBERY (Con't)

Man dropped two rifles in chase (Terence Hall) 6.8:5
 Held-up clients not alone 19.8:1
 Robbery charge (Gregory Gluyas) 20.8:3
 Labourer sozzled on night of theft (Warren Peart) 25.8:6
 Accused at home during robbery (Warren Peart) 26.8:6
 Three years jail for \$671 hold-up 31.8:5
 Hold-up was a tonic for shop's sale (Anthony De Fina) 1.9:1
 Five years jail for pharmacy robbery (David Lawrence) 3.9:3
 Four men in court on taxi robbery charges 4.9:9
 Acquittal on rob assault counts 22.9:7
 Robber used stolen police uniform (Waratah) 24.9:7
 Police link suburban bank robberies 25.9:1
 \$1500 T.A.B. robbery 27.9:1
 Woman taxi driver hit with piping (Monley, Roberts, Mathews) 29.9:3
 Robbery for family zoo trip (Vance Fleming) 6.10:1
 Five years jail for attack in taxi (Vance Fleming) 7.10:5
 Woman fights off shop robber 8.10:1
 \$8000 restaurant goods stolen (Happy Gardens) 9.10:5
 Video shown at Dugan trial (Darcy Dugan) 19.10:3
 Dugan tells of insurance caper (Darcy Dugan) 20.10:5
 Man charged over two hold-ups 20.10:5
 Armed raid on Belmont chemist (Charles Thomas) 26.10:1
 Video thefts lead to better security 26.10:3
 Man tried to steal drug from police (Douglas Krause) 3.11:9
 Cessnock couple mystified by strange robbery (Ron Powell) 5.11:5
 Gunman raids Lake chemist (Ledlins) 15.11:1
 Elderly woman robbed at Swansea 16.11:6
 Bandit grabs \$6000 20.11:1
 Abductor sought for H.V. robbery 22.11:3
 Actors free lesson in drama (Tony Squires) 22.11:3
 Rothbury robber linked with Waratah theft 23.11:3
 Gunmen terrorise pair (Toronto Country Club) 29.11:1
 No bail at hearing into \$6000 theft 30.11:7
 Discharge after closed hearing (Boyd Kafer) 3.12:3
 Robber shot at two men chasing him (Ullman Engineering) 4.12:1
 Plot to rob train shoot survivors 7.12:4
 Scissors held to shop assistants throat 9.12:8
 Four for sentence on rob wound charges 9.12:12
 Beast jailed for 11 years (Ronald Roberts) 10.12:3
 Mayfield station in armed robbery (Anthony Barry) 11.12:5
 Charge over \$3000,000 theft (George Oakleigh) 13.12:6
 Guilty plea to assault (David Sutton) 18.12:3
 2 charged as stolen police equipment recovered 20.12:1
 Two held on siege robbery and arms theft charges 21.12:5

ROYAL NEWCASTLE HOSPITAL

Health deficiencies outlined 2.1:4
 R.N.H. theatres substandard 6.1:1
 R.N.H. justified in over-runs 20.1:1
 Surgical services in doubt at R.N.H. report 21.1:1
 Surgical decline (Leader) 22.1:2
 T.V. donated to R.N.H. blood separator unit 26.1:5
 Confusion over R.N.H. budget figure 4.2:7
 Region's services face sweeping changes 10.2:2
 The hospitals shemozzle (Leader) 11.2:2
 Report proposes major changes in care 11.2:9
 A study full of surprise (Olsen Report) 13.2:2
 Budget cuts hit R.N.H. 20.2:1
 Staff lack limits kidney-unit work 1.4:1
 R.N.H. queries rents 23.4:1
 Hospital flats examined (Leader) 24.4:2
 Hospital flats sub standard 24.4:3
 R.N.H. surgery needs desperate 27.4:4
 R.N.H. car park to open Monday 7.5:4
 Hospital faces big flats bill 21.5:1

ROYAL NEWCASTLE HOSPITAL (Con't)

Hospital check on job-rents deals 9.6:15
 R.N.H. raises flats rents 18.6:4
 No bed for patient with broken leg (John Bertram) 22.6:3
 Patient moved to Ward after three days in R.N.H. (John Bertram) 23.6:8
 Hospital in the dark to stay in the black 16.7:1
 Hospital to drop home care service 16.7:5
 A special Royal baby for the Hunter 9.8:4
 New-lock baby suite is born 16.8:4
 Brereton backs hospitals plan 30.8:1
 Giving the R.N.H. a cheer squad (Leader) 23.10:2
 Fun-a-lift for big hospitals less for small 4.11:3
 R.N.H. helpers raise \$18,000 8.11:4
 Beds given to Newcastle renal ward 16.11:4
 R.N.H. faces loss of more beds 19.11:1
 Hospital pea and thimble (Leader) 23.11:2
 Brereton hits R.N.H. on x-rays 2.12:1
 R.N.H. x-ray equipment is outdated, finicky unusable 3.12:9
 Equipment at R.N.H. to be replaced 15.12:1
 Drug abuse service for hospital 24.12:14
 Residents keep hospitals staff on the move 30.12:5

R.S.P.C.A.

Childs cat destroyed at R.S.P.C.A. 9.3:1
 Council will investigate dog cough complaint 23.6:31
 Wallserd animal clinic opened 16.8:4
 Steggles denies bid to sway R.S.P.C.A. 29.9:3
 R.S.P.C.A. reform bid gets place 18.10:3

RUGBY LEAGUE

Wests gain second Walsh brother from magpies 4.1:18
 Children at play (Leader) 20.1:2
 Ambrum quits club in surprise shift 29.1:16
 League price boosted 9.2:18
 \$45,000 for new K.B. cup 17.2:19
 No appeal says banned player (Terry Standen) 24.2:1
 Hanging judge missing from junior judiciary committee (Farrell) 4.3:16
 Howlett comes back at age 30 (Peter Howlett) 13.3:40
 Two before judiciary (Young, Gustard) 29.3:15
 Father calls for fairer junior R.L. hearings 1.4:18
 Unsporting silence (Leader) 21.4:2
 No origin match despite loss 24.5:20
 Secretary in mystery; resignation (Bob Roabards) 7.6:24
 Finch ordered to apologise; fined \$300 22.6:18
 N.R.L. seeks senior advice on Newtown proposal 6.7:20
 Newcastle challenges Sydney stars 6.8:14
 Eels revel in slush to thrash Easts (Grand final) 20.9:18
 Threat to live telecasts 24.9:16
 Eight-minute spree sinks Sea Eagles (Grand final) 27.9:12
 League makes shock choice (Broadcasts) 19.10:19
 Stanton rejects Britains 'Dads Army' tag 20.10:17
 Chairman Mo to step down (John Wilson) 23.10:1
 Maughan could face dilemma (Leigh Maughan) 28.10:16
 Newtown delay naming coach 9.11:13
 New era for rugby league 20.11:20
 Winney elected to top post (Jack Winney) 30.11:18
 Sydney entry years away, asserts Winney (Jack Winney) 4.12:33
 No rise in R.L. gate prices 21.12:24

RUGBY UNION

Shawn Gould among test team axings 1.1:20
 Wallabies conditioned for homecoming 12.1:33
 Jones takes over as union coach (Morgan Jones) 16.2:18
 Templeton dropped as rugby coach (Bob Templeton) 20.2:29
 Mowbray plans to guide Waratahs to semi-finals 10.3:34
 Port Hunter survived rugged years before 50th birthday 27.3:23
 Forsythes comeback to representative rugby 10.4:27

RUGBY UNION (Con't)

Policeman restores order (Geoff Hill) 19.4:13
 Bold N.Z. team still winning 26.4:13
 No action against official by rugby union executive 4.5:20
 N.R.U. suspends player for rest of the year 11.5:18
 Hunter Valley will be tough 15.5:23
 Over year road to 100th game 18.5:29
 Rugby veteran recalled to Hamilton first grade 22.5:30
 De Tozer dropped for Ardath cup 25.5:28
 Mayfield East and Waratahs in 3-all draw 7.6:30
 Five-match suspension for rugby forward 8.6:15
 N.R.U. threaten to pull out of country week 16.6:18
 Referees ignoring offside rule coach complains 29.6:29
 Union will look at player payments 23.7:30
 Citys rugby reputation on the line 31.7:28
 Considine shoulders task as Mayfield East coach 14.8:19
 Union touch judges atrocious 17.8:29
 Tilse: a quiet ambition to play for Australia 7.9:18
 R Union format change urged 17.12:20

SAILING AND YACHTING

Perfection will beat Iain Murray; Rival 23.1:40
 Helsal II takes out yachting double 5.4:18
 Sailors warned of troubled times for junior sport 24.5:18
 Lake yacht scores in ocean classic 5.10:18
 Lake yacht favoured to win ocean classic 30.10:20
 Sydney-Hobart fleet entries reach 124 13.11:36
 Lake sailors, young crew keen to fire in the Hobart 23.12:3
 Mixed bag chases glory in Hobart ocean classic 24.12:16
 Five boats disqualified in National title race 27.12:18
 Late hitches forgotten as Condr leads 27.12:28
 Helsal II in race lead 28.12:20
 Helsal II snatches lead 28.12:29
 Rooklyn's Apollo leads race fleet 29.12:26

SALVATION ARMY

Opening of centre (Mount Hutton) 8.3:5
 \$205,000 appeal target for North 26.5:14
 Black leather at work for the Red shield 28.6:4
 Salvos need a hand to lend a hand 3.7:9
 Bike clubs help salvos raise \$67,000 5.7:11

SANDMINING

No solution to Lake truck route row 4.2:4
 Sandbed mining approval sought 12.5:26
 Radiation tests sought 9.6:3
 Radioactive sand waste search begins in H.V. 10.6:3
 Beach mine tailing danger 16.10:33

SANDY HOLLOW RAILWAY

Rail link laid to Sandy Hollow 8.2:5
 Railway's end in sight after 50 years 26.5:5
 Railway line is a joke no more 9.6:28
 Bubby ending to a railway dream 31.7:1
 Maryvale-Ulan rail completion vital 31.8:5
 New rail line carries its first coal train 14.9:4
 Old rail workers will see finished product 15.10:15
 A railway with a colourful history 16.10:1

SCIENCE

Magnetic sense found 6.1:7
 A bigger, better, mutated apple 10.2:5
 Lack of gravity puzzles plants 7.4:2
 Scientists track volcanic ash 28.7:4
 Russians boycott congress in W.A. 16.8:5
 A foolish barrier (Leader) 17.8:2
 Science exchange branded as political 17.8:7
 Swedes warn Fraser over science bans 18.8:7
 3 million year old jaw bone discovered 3.9:4
 500 attend science centre meeting 1.12:4
 Minister admits drop in research grants 15.12:8

SCOUTS AND GUIDES

Scouts have celebration 22.2:3
 Top scout award to Newcastle leader (Ted Lewis) 23.2:5
 New scout troops first meeting 1.3:6
 The services in force at reunion 5.8:11
 Scout wins highest award 2.9:5
 A home to call their own 15.9:21

SHARKS

Shark in the swim 6.1:4
 Mates fail to save shark victim (Martin Ford) 8.3:1
 Fishermen net 4m shark 27.5:3
 A 30 year link with sharks at an end (Paul Grunsell) 27.7:6
 Sharks mar surf clubs 75 years 31.12:12

SHIPBUILDING

2 dockyard vessels near completion 8.2:3
 Shipbuilding skills must not be lost 15.2:3
 Slipways land \$3.5m tug order 5.5:12
 Assurance sought on ship repair 1.6:6
 \$3m tug launched under floodlights 21.6:8
 Yard gains ships contract 27.8:1
 Tug business booming for Tomago shipyard 15.9:6
 Tug launched (Gabo) 11.10:7
 Keeping jobs could be problem 11.11:5
 Memory stirred by tug launch (Tom Tough) 22.11:4

SHIPBUILDING - STRIKES AND DISPUTES

Dockyard men strike over foreign contract 27.5:3
 Dockyard repairs dispute worsens 28.5:3
 Carrington protest strike to end today 17.8:6
 Dockyard manning strike 17.11:9

SHIPPING

Painting marks maiden voyage 2.1:3
 Love found the way and a samaritan (Geoff Fisher) 11.1:1
 Living with the coal armada (Leader) 12.1:2
 Newcastle pilots earn \$30,000 15.1:3
 Offshore service foiled by lack of interest 19.1:3
 Threatened freight rate rise humbug 25.1:4
 Ship queue talks deferred 28.1:4
 National register of ships begins 29.1:14
 I remember the S.S. Gwydir 13.2:8
 Morris wants port planning body 19.2:1
 Incentives posed for ship trade 19.2:14
 Island workers battle alumina dust 23.2:1
 New bulk system to settle problem 24.2:6
 Exporters blame M.S.B. over coal hold-ups 9.3:1
 The bulk carrier Yaffa, a slow boat to Japan 20.3:1
 Savage cost of port delays (Leader) 24.3:2
 Shoho queues 72 days 16.4:1
 Shippers unions form task force 30.4:6
 51 ships wait to load 5.5:3
 Jobs safe despite problems in port 8.5:9
 Strike-free week reduces port coal queue 11.5:4
 A week in the port (Leader) 12.5:2
 Ship queue slashed as loading booms 20.5:4
 Hope for waiting seamen 22.5:3
 Relief for sailors (Leader) 25.5:2
 Rise in work for seamen 25.5:11
 Fires reignite concern about use of aluminium in warship construction 26.5:8
 Improving port efficiency (Leader) 8.6:2
 Coal-loading resumes but ban to stay 8.6:5
 Huge ship obeys its master voice 9.6:14
 B.H.P. carrier offered for sale (Iron Hunter) 25.6:5
 Singapore unions versus Australian seamen 29.6:2
 N.S.W. joins check on coal exports, grain handling 30.6:4
 Singapore ship left Sydney illegally (Pacific Viking) 30.6:5
 Safety rules hold ship in port 2.7:1
 Supertankers galore at bargain prices 7.7:20
 Copters will service shipping queues 10.7:1
 Package deal for shipping industry 30.7:7
 Australia's largest ship calls into Melbourne (Mobil Flinders) 5.8:4
 B.H.P. to mothball 2 ships 8.9:3
 End of the line for 60-miler 10.9:4
 Shipping trade in slump 13.9:12
 The men who bring the big ships in 29.9:2
 Further cuts planned in shipping fleet 8.10:4

SHIPPING (Con't)

Arunta's crew remembers 13.10:18
 B.H.P. ship given reprieve 23.10:5
 The new-breed coal ship 3.11:2
 Fourth try for new tug (W.J. Trotter) 8.11:3
 Deeper ports may be needed 16.11:5
 Nuclear warship bans altered 9.12:5
 Floating maritime school visits Newcastle 14.12:7

SHIPPING - ACCIDENTS AND WRECKS

Boy, 5, safe after ordeal 8.2:1
 Inspection of oil rig 2 months overdue 18.2:4
 35 dead after ship sinks (Ottawa) 18.2:5
 No help in grounding 2.3:5
 Radar was off as ship ran aground; Witness Anro Asia 3.3:20
 Ship's master looking at pretty lights 4.3:3
 Writer sinks Titanic myths 16.4:8
 Man, hit by car, dies in hospital (Report of accident on Japanese carrier 'Aji Maru') 18.5:3
 Rouge wave swamps Eden trawler 22.6:1
 Memories of a shipwreck (Harry Dagwell, Leslie Harris) 10.7:7
 Historic trading ship sinks off W.A. 15.7:3
 Bungling caused ship to founder (Klaraborg) 16.7:4
 Buried ship may hold 43 tonnes of gold (Historical) 17.8:6
 Search continues today for lost Fijian seamen 10.9:4
 Ships crash case begins (Bogong, Iron Comberland) 28.9:3
 'Mary Rose' emerges from watery grave 12.10:1
 Container ship sinks trawler (Bongaree) 28.10:4
 German machineguns found off Tasmania (Historical) 30.10:3
 Bronze age ship hull may be intact (Historical) 1.11:3
 Famous ship may be raised (Endeavour) 16.11:4
 U.S. family weeks adrift 8.12:1

SHIPPING - STRIKES AND DISPUTES

Caltex oil plant output out at Kurnell 1.1:8
 Diesel shortage averted 6.1:3
 Living with the coal armada (Leader) 12.1:2
 Coal ships banned from port 14.1:1
 Indefinite strike halts port 15.1:3
 Offshore service foiled by lack of interest 19.1:3
 Tugboat row hits five ports 28.1:4
 Regular services for anchored ships 29.1:3
 Strike delays oil tankers 2.3:1
 Power and ports drain the funds (Leader) 16.3:2
 Time for joint approach on queue of ships outside port 16.3:5
 Ports dispute ends as tug men return 3.4:3
 Tug dispute (Leader) 29.4:2
 National tug crews bans, strikes halt ships 29.4:3
 Strikes could lead to petrol drought 30.4:3
 Tugs work at weekend 3.5:8
 Waterside workers will strike over proposed visit by U.S. warship 13.7:13
 Loading to resume 6.8:4
 Seamen stop work over future of Stockton ferry 7.8:3
 Shippers concerned at port strikes 13.8:5
 Noumea action keeps ship outside Newcastle 20.10:5
 N.S.W. 1981 ship delays cost \$80mill 22.10:4
 Union ban on carrier lifted (Nickel 1) 23.10:9
 Seamen strike over officer's pay cut 27.10:1
 Officer's transfer row triggers stand-downs 28.10:3
 Wealthy strikers (Leader) 1.11:2
 Tug bans maintained 8.12:5
 End in sight to demarcation dispute over River Boyne 14.12:4
 River Boyne on way to Weipa 15.12:5

SHORTLAND COUNTY COUNCIL

Power cuts massive threat to S.C.C. budget 22.1:1
 Power rise to hit small offices 23.1:5
 S.C.C. announces four blackout zonings 30.1:1
 Power bills shock teacher (Mrs E. Lambert) 16.2:1
 Power charges veil of secrecy 17.2:5
 S.C.C. derelict in its duty; Face 20.2:4
 Power too expensive, say local bakers, pastrycooks 24.2:4

SHORTLAND COUNTY COUNCIL (Con't)

S.C.C. faces \$1.3m shortfall in funds 5.3:1
 Introduction of S.C.C. electricity tariff
 schedule disastrous 15.3:7
 Electricity protest meeting warned about lights
 23.3:3
 An argument for the S.C.C. standing charges 1.4:2
 Nesca firm on power standing charge 2.4:1
 S.C.C. men move for 37-hour week 9.4:4
 Cost query on Nesca staff 22.4:1
 \$1.4m for shorter week 23.4:3
 Nesca may buy empty shop 5.5:3
 Electricity suppliers battle over charges 7.5:1
 R.N.H. board man paralysed (John Alderson)
 4.6:1
 The voluntary helpers (Leader) 5.6:2
 Decision to disallow leave to stand 5.6:3
 Pre-school may have its power cut off (Working
 Women's Centre) 9.6:5
 Voluntary work (Leader: Mr Alderson) 10.6:2
 Pre-school stands firm on unfair power fee
 22.6:4
 S.C.C. threatens to cut off pre-school electricity
 1.7:6
 Power costs set to soar again 2.7:1
 Power vow broken 3.7:5
 Council condemns power charges 7.7:1
 Power body pulls plug on the wrong man 10.7:1
 No money, no power 6.8:1
 Moves to lift number on low tariffs 6.8:1
 S.C.C. complacent in lack of competition 9.8:9
 S.C.C. bills puzzle customers 24.8:11
 Nesca stops moves to cut off power 25.8:1
 Inquiry advocated into S.C.C. 4.9:5
 S.C.C. seeks apology 25.9:11
 Hot water tanks limit removed 8.10:3
 County Council collection agencies to close
 9.10:9
 Fair play wins (Leader) 11.10:2
 Inquiry into S.C.C.'s efficiency urged 11.10:6
 S.C.C. boosts grant to foundation 13.10:10
 22 current power bills lost 15.10:1
 Shortland Council buys shop, arcade for \$1.5m
 (Civic Arcade) 19.10:1
 S.C.C. accepts tariff freeze but warns of review
 20.10:9
 Silence on Alderman's charges (Ald Bell)
 20.10:12
 The power game (Leader) 29.10:2
 Elected authorities (Leader) 9.11:2
 Poll for H.D.W.B., S.C.C. not new 9.11:7
 Power supplier plans to sack 54 staff from capital
 works program 13.11:1
 Heating charge ignores original rate 18.11:3
 Power price frozen until April 26.11:1
 Union to oppose S.C.C. cuts 29.11:3
 S.C.C. plan to save jobs of apprentices 30.11:5
 Job-saving decision known today 1.12:12
 S.C.C. offers staff retirement deal 2.12:3
 Retail sales slump hits Nesca outlets 3.12:1
 S.C.C. to lay off 20 apprentices 3.12:3
 Storm, bans cut power 4.12:1
 Selling power (Leader) 4.12:2
 Farmers face big losses in blackout repair delays
 6.12:1
 Power restored to country properties hit by
 Friday's electrical storm 7.12:5
 Move to change S.C.C. decision on apprentices
 fails 9.12:8
 Shortland budget in trouble: chairman 13.12:4
 Power lines going out of sight at Nine Ways
 18.12:5
 S.C.C. head confident of no sackings 28.12:3

SHOWS

Mix-up in Maitland over show holiday 5.8:5
 A poor show (Leader) 6.8:2
 300 Murray Greys at Singleton Show 9.10:4
 All the fun of the fair for gardens and trees
 16.10:1
 5000 turn out for fair (Maitland) 25.10:5
 Festival gained towns approval 25.10:6
 It's showtime again in Dungog 13.11:3
 Christmas fair in King St 1.12:23
 Fair dancers forego their fees in favour of toy
 fund 4.12:4
 Newcastle host for mining and industry exhibition
 14.12:17

SINGLETON

Hotel centre to be built in Singleton 4.1:4
 Buildings remain on caravan site 4.1:5
 \$100million Singleton project 9.2:6
 Wide support for festival 3.3:28
 Governor opens Civic Centre in Singleton 6.3:13
 Towns history given a lot of show 8.3:9
 Skeleton to be reburied in park 27.5:8
 Prices and demand ease for Singleton land
 12.6:9
 Order too late to save trees 28.7:5
 Council could be left out on a limb 28.7:5
 Singleton Council rapped over tree 30.7:7
 Aborigines to be reburied 9.8:1
 200 watch aboriginal burial 10.8:1
 Council to oppose order on stump 11.8:4
 400 Singleton protesters storm bridge 17.8:1
 Singleton retail plan deferred 25.8:3
 Fig tree gets stay of execution 25.8:6
 Protest to urge new bridge 30.8:1
 Singleton townhouse lots fail to sell 31.8:7
 Singleton skirts building slump 9.9:5
 \$4m rescue station deal signed 21.9:4
 Cheaper housing plan for Singleton 22.9:15
 Tree row only obstacle to safer bridge 23.9:7
 Singleton Show opens with spring in the air
 8.10:7
 Fig stump doomed, Minister told 13.10:3
 Singleton looking for Shire slogan 22.10:4
 A slice of Singleton's history may be saved
 21.12:7

SINGLETON SHIRE COUNCIL

Group to inspect home 14.8:23
 Council to consider high-rise plan 24.8:3
 Singleton approves 8-story building 13.10:3
 Government gave little aid to towns boom
 problems 1.11:12
 Singleton coal haul approved 11.11:5
 Shire Council initiates land scheme 13.11:23
 Bans go on as Hunter fails 17.11:3
 Thorley land scheme 8.12:36

SOCCER

Three country clubs named in Northern soccer
 first division 7.1:20
 Bitter fight for soccer leadership 20.1:36
 Yugoslavian team for Newcastle 21.1:15
 Kamasz group takes ballot 28.1:14
 Soccer director resigns at first board meeting
 3.2:18
 Relegated club may drop out of soccer 5.2:22
 Champion club quits soccer 13.2:18
 Slickers promote junior as Bodens replacement
 for tough P.S.L. clash 27.2:19
 Rogers fills vacancy (Martyn Rogers) 6.3:28
 Union of league, soccer hits troubled waters
 18.3:16
 Raiders impressed with new signing 8.4:14
 Soccer officials worried about crowd support
 10.4:27
 More hard work for Rosebuds despite win 26.4:14
 Liverpool will not release Johnston 3.5:18
 N.S.F. moves no danger to women's soccer 5.5:18
 Showman Bellamy saves Red Star 10.5:20
 Bears thrash Azzuri 4-1 to end unbeaten run
 24.5:23
 Red Star to tighten security 2.6:25
 Azzuri knocked from top spot 7.6:26
 Lakes retain lead with late goal 21.6:19
 Axe falls on Weston trio 3.7:22
 Cup economics (Leader) 13.7:2
 Adamstown topples gritty Belswans 26.7:19
 Highfields challenge slips with crushing defeat
 by Weston 9.8:19
 Soccer search for national sponsor 11.8:20
 Coutts: 200th game and winning goal 23.8:18
 Week studied with junior soccer action 24.8:28
 Scheinflug: Newcastle strong soccer nursery
 25.8:19
 Raymond Terrace out of cup 26.8:23
 Lake Macquarie takes first premiership in 18 years
 30.8:18
 Weston Bears into soccer grand final after penalty
 play-off 6.9:23
 Penalty play-off win puts West Wallsend into grand
 final 13.9:18
 Tredinnick insured for \$20,000 2.10:20
 Soccer gains \$7m losses city 15.11:18
 Australians third in youth soccer 16.11:18
 Lowe clinches win in youth soccer 8.12:20
 Socceroos finish undefeated 13.12:28
 N.S.F. meeting to debate bid for 3-year directors
 15.12:18
 Longer terms for N.S.F. directors 16.12:18

SOCCER - K.B. UNITED

Re patient plea from new soccer secretary (Dave McQuire) 10.2:36
 Senkalski, Dooley strengthen United 17.2:18
 Smell of talc invades K.B. dressing room (Chiarelli, O'Keefe) 18.2:16
 Teenager makes Phillips debut (Ralph Majer) 20.2:22
 Johnston back with United 12.3:16
 Dream debut by K.B. youngster (David Lowe) 15.3:13
 K.B. united to twist I.S.C. trust for more 16.3:16
 Special I.S.C. trial for K.B. United 24.3:38
 Curran dropped from line-up 27.3:18
 United in \$1.5m bid to develop No 2 oval 14.4:36
 United to sign two English professionals 27.4:38
 Johnston gains clearance to join United 13.5:14
 Johnston back in our town 4.6:16
 K.B. United will field trio worth \$2m plus 12.6:18
 Senkalski fined \$300 for contract breach 25.6:18
 Pretexts over referees 27.7:19
 Newcastle United to kick on in 1983 2.12:16

SOCIAL SECURITY

Welfare office under review 5.3:5
 Pension blunder a blow for Fraser 9.3:2
 Social Security row ads cost \$300,000 16.3:5
 Social insecurity (Leader) 29.3:2
 Security fraud charges dropped after witness criticised 8.6:8
 Conspiracy case pension back-pay call 9.6:9
 The hangover still lingers on after Don's party 12.6:9
 \$1m to fund Valley welfare program 21.6:8
 Jobless benefits \$100m over Budget estimate 24.6:5
 Who got what out of the budget 28.6:1
 Single mothers check 7.8:9
 Unwed mothers harassed 10.8:4
 Single mothers and privacy (Leader) 11.8:2
 Sex quiz for single mothers 11.8:3
 Newcastle women angry over new rules 11.8:3
 Waiting period for dole removed 29.11:1
 Income level for jobless debated 1.12:13
 Social benefit changes aid families sick 3.12:8
 Dole anomaly proves work costs money 9.12:3

SOCIAL WELFARE

The tax burden will not go away 4.1:7
 Aboriginal concern over new bill 16.2:4
 United Way is feasible: Board study 22.2:6
 H.D.B. rejects report on United Way fund - raising program 23.2:6
 No cuts to aid for poor: Wran 1.3:4
 Libs set to reinstate means test on elderly: Hayden 4.3:3
 Tax perks violate the age pension principle 6.3:10
 A.L.P. seeks more mileage from pensions muddle 8.3:1
 Councils role in welfare 8.3:6
 Hayden firm on pension means tests 9.3:3
 Social worker set for challenge 17.5:6
 \$1m in H.V. social grants 20.5:8
 Winter death stalks skid row 29.5:1
 \$24m rise in welfare sought 8.6:5
 Lake family support scheme near end 16.6:1
 \$300,000 for care of homeless and intoxicated 16.6:8
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 Squeezing juice from the tax lemon 14.12:2
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 Teacher shortage anticipated 9.2:5
 N.S.W. Teachers told no cash for pay rise 4.3:11
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 Teachers to get rise on April 8 13.3:3
 A.C.T. schools row in stalemate 16.3:4
 Teachers win rise 17.3:3
 Upper H.V. teachers live in primitive conditions 20.3:1
 Teachers could be sued 24.3:9
 Teachers paid 4.3% salary increase 9.4:4
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 Teachers opposition led to funds denial 21.9:1
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 Years of teaching not wasted (Reva Richardson) 14.12:5
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 Electronic screen machines worry union 24.2:27
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 Telecom to tackle Valley problems 26.2:1
 City first to see satellite model 10.3:7
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 Sydney mail officers strike 9.9:5
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 Row over ad rates leak 15.2:4
 Television quiz show tops with children (Sale of the Century) 18.2:1
 Pornography the hard core of cable T.V. 27.2:2
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 Radio returns as a major force 10.4:1
 Australia high in T.V. ownership 19.4:5
 T.V. stations lift profit 40% 11.5:11
 Quizzes support unjust society 15.5:3
 Facts about our T.V. viewing 21.5:EG
 A positive role for children's television 28.5:2
 Brideshead Revisited 28.5:EG
 Newcastle may test cable T.V. 14.6:4
 3 million likely to get second television station 12.8:3
 New T.V. channel up in the air 16.8:7
 Teletext service endorsed 27.9:9
 B.H.P. to end "60 minutes" sponsorship 4.10:1
 Satellite T.V. could cost viewers \$7000 8.11:5
 No instant benefits from cable television 9.11:5
 \$44m profit for commercial T.V. stations 9.12:5

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No more matches for linesman (Tom Gray) 1.1:12
 New \$1m joint open proposal 4.1:18
 Abuse brings \$750 fine (Kim Warwick) 9.1:36
 Newcombe, N.D.T.A. clash over clinics 5.2:11
 Junior tennis row over \$15,000 4.3:18
 Navratilova takes open in two sets 7.6:16
 King topples Austin 1.7:18
 McEnroe Connors in battle royal 3.7:18
 Australia takes rubber 4-1 12.7:16
 McEnroe wins marathon 13.7:20
 Navratilova suffers hip injury 31.7:18
 Easy \$80,000 for Evert-Lloyd 2.8:20
 \$250,000 junior tennis series 3.8:18
 New young players make their mark in the U.S. Open 8.9:22
 Shriver puts an end to Navratilova dream 9.9:16
 McEnroe puts U.S. match ahead 2.10:36
 Gerulaitis struggles to down youngster 8.10:14
 Mayer conquers Connors again, Kriek pulls out of superchallenge 21.10:20
 Williams retains tennis title 8.11:20
 Hard-hitting Barker knocks out Cawley 17.11:38
 Straight sets win to Fromholtz in comeback 20.11:29
 Navratilova wins but Cawley not beaten yet 29.11:20
 American stops Cawley 2.12:12
 Shriver ends Aussie hopes (Pam Shriver) 4.12:17
 Alexander breaks drought of major Australian titles 20.12:20
 Carter ousts Alexander 22.12:28
 Bauer's power clinches S.A. tennis final 29.12:26

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Demand for new Hilton inquiry (Hilton Bombing) 15.2:4
 40 at Broadmeadow get death threats 12.3:1
 Fingerprint check on death letters 13.3:5
 Diver caught near money 23.3:6
 \$100,000 offer to collect bag 27.3:5
 Bomb case escapee misled police 20.4:5
 Bomb hunt landed a sardine 21.4:8
 Sheps bomb pair guilty 28.4:16
 20 years for bomber 3.5:11
 Woolies explosion may be linked with bomber 18.5:9
 Man shot after alleged extortion attempt 26.5:9
 Ananda Marga case must be reopened (Leader) 1.6:2
 Ananda trial unfair: Juror 1.6:4
 Ananda Marga men permitted counsel 24.7:5
 9 bombs found in bookshop 30.7:3
 Woolworths bomber sentenced to 20 yrs jail 30.7:6
 Hilton bombing deaths inquest opens 28.9:3
 Get on with it, coroner tells counsel 29.9:12
 Serviceman was bomber, inquest told 1.10:4
 Bomb allegation wild 2.10:3
 Ananda Marga infiltrated 6.10:5
 Bomb mentioned before hotel blast: Policeman 7.10:3
 Sect mar. said we only got 3 8.10:4
 Hilton bomb to frighten leader 9.10:9
 Bombing investigation handled badly 12.10:4
 Hilton witness denies making up story 13.10:15
 Two sect members accused of murder 14.10:7
 Now put them on trial (Leader) 15.10:2
 Ananda Marga wants Royal Commission on Hilton blast 15.10:6
 Inquest is blast's big shockwave 30.10:10
 Lake woman family live with fear (Patricia Munro) 14.12:1
 Bombers strike at officers club 24.12:1
 Terror's influence (Leader) 29.12:2

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A legend in a city of two few legends (Essington Lewis: I am work) 2.2:4
 Motel approved (Hunter Theatre) 13.2:11
 2 till 9: Theatre time for the young 14.5:EG
 Council to combine culture venues 29.5:3
 Freewheels gets \$4000 4.6:7
 Promotion of theatre and city new task 8.7:9
 Concert off after dome collapses (Civic Theatre) 21.9:1
 Grants to theatre groups rise (H.W.T.C., Freewheels) 6.10:15
 Women Pioneers (Choice Ladies: Leader) 14.10:2
 Great women behind the Hunter (Choice Ladies) 16.10:2
 Council split over plan to raze theatre 17.11:4
 H.W.T.C. takes cream of Conda awards 6.12:3
 A bus trip with a difference 8.12:2
 Home-grown products starred in 1982 27.12:6

THEFT

Man injured in robbery 1.1:4
 Thieves cause \$18,000 damage to five cars 8.1:3
 Children's prized presents stolen (Mayfield) 12.1:4
 Pool cue and chair stolen (Lionel Potter) 12.1:10
 24 false pretence charges (Neil Emery) 13.1:14
 Man had no memory of theft 15.1:5
 Police warn of van, boat theft 18.1:9
 Man stole drugs while on patrol 22.1:7
 Police light lifted at scene 26.1:3
 17 thefts alleged at hearing 3.2:11
 \$12 theft to cost two men \$550 6.2:38
 A terrible day in jail 17.2:15
 Bond for chips thief 19.2:2
 \$39,000 in jewellery stolen from shop (Charlestown) 23.2:9
 Fish thieves fined \$220 5.3:3
 Fist through window (Rose Ann Grace) 9.3:5
 Bond for musical equipment theft 10.3:16
 Australian flag theft is a big puzzle (Powercraft Marine) 16.3:3
 Two jailed for Forster thefts 20.3:5
 No stopping a passion for signs (Gregory Lyne) 24.3:3
 Man committed on theft counts (Jeffrey Miller) 30.3:5
 Wangi arrest went swimmingly (Laurence Apps) 2.4:1
 Swimmer gets two years jail (Laurence Apps) 3.4:4
 Cash and property stolen in weekend city raids 20.4:6
 Priest accused of \$75,000 theft (Fr Brian Wallis) 21.4:4
 Two men jailed for Dungog break & enter 24.4:9
 Priest found guilty on theft charges 30.4:7
 Club's equipment seen at party 5.5:7
 The wedding bells are ringing again (Debbie Bull) 7.5:1
 Beatles records set relieving charge dismissed by S.M. 14.5:5
 Charity funds stolen from quest entrant 20.5:3
 Police seize \$20,000 radio system 28.5:1
 Interstate truck theft ring under investigation 28.5:3
 Accused intruder in Hamilton home (Frank Williams) 1.6:5
 Man watching T.V. at time of thefts (Frank Williams) 2.6:5
 Man fined \$300 for taking \$1.30 sweets (Sydney Grubb) 2.6:9
 18 months jail for Carrington man (Frank Williams) 3.6:4
 Woman admits theft charges (Dianne Bailey) 8.6:7
 Pest controller stole \$60 9.6:18
 Four-minute bandits beat pokies 10.6:1
 10 second car thief shows skill (Stephen Drake) 17.6:1
 Bond for clerk who stole 85,000 bricks (Kieron Hannah) 23.6:3
 Club, hotel car parks attract thieves 23.6:3
 Theft charges remand (Douglas Goodbridge) 23.6:31
 Kettle and 99 items taken, court told (Mrs I.M. Cadogan) 24.6:6
 Gold bar theft linked to swindle 29.6:4
 Two fined over furniture (Tony Pollard) 30.6:10
 \$60,000 Wickham theft 1.7:6
 Terriers stolen for game fighting 9.7:1
 Fingerprint leads to theft trial (George Gardiner) 15.7:6
 Car theft count in closed court (Stephen Robinsor) 17.7:9
 Man given bond for tool theft (Phillip Lindus) 20.7:7
 Washing machine thieves add to hardship (Dorrie Robertson) 21.7:1
 Washer offers make life easier 23.7:3
 \$30 flight found \$3000 ute 28.7:1
 Judge says man's life akin to T.V. character (Paul Thomson) 28.7:6
 Bonds for theft from family (Wicki Dunning) 30.7:6
 Owners warned over thefts (Singleton) 5.8:9
 Thieves hit five premises in night 10.8:5
 Theft cost employee \$6000 (Elliott Gregory) 10.8:5

THEFT (Con't)

Woman gets bond for motel room clean-out 12.8:4
 Pensioner stole to make up wages (John Novak) 18.8:3
 Youths shocking record 20.8:5
 Man on theft charges likened to bower bird 21.8:5
 Students catch suspected thief 24.8:5
 Not guilty verdict on theft charge (Warren Peart) 27.8:7
 Bond for \$92,000 theft 4.9:3
 Man jailed for college theft (Wayne Drake) 8.9:11
 \$100,000 in gem shop robbery 11.9:3
 Man had leather fetish (John Spink) 15.9:10
 Five arrested after \$660,000 Qld robbery attempt 22.9:3
 Woman who stole clothes had heroin problem (Sharryn Bergstedt) 1.10:4
 Violent little crimes (Leader) 6.10:2
 Police warn of purse thefts 6.10:5
 Canoe thief deprives man of only hobby (Terry Chedzey) 6.10:7
 Man, 19 stole from shops (Shane Vine) 9.10:9
 Man acquitted of stealing \$1500 from hotel 12.10:4
 Extra year in prison for women 20.10:18
 Man misled company to get job (Paul Perrett) 21.10:4
 Hardware thief fined \$1500 (William Hedges) 22.10:8
 \$48,000 worth of videos stolen 27.10:3
 Scone men sentenced to rising of court 27.10:16
 Bonds for man over warehouse thefts (Douglas Goodridge) 30.10:12
 Theft counts against 3 3.11:12
 Bicycle thefts add to hardship (Leigh Zoehmann's) 5.11:1
 Tears of joy over bike gift (Leigh Zoehmann's) 6.11:3
 Assault followed break-in (Anthony Kennedy) 10.11:8
 Police warning on children shoplifting 16.11:6
 Young fisherman hits first snag (Stephen Smart) 17.11:1
 Thief was clumsy and stupid, judge says 20.11:3
 Gangs behind rise in bike thefts: Police 20.11:5
 Two men took five cycles from garage 24.11:11
 Big meat eater tells of missing money (Elizabeth Florian) 27.11:1
 Bonds follow crime (Hall, Taylor) 27.11:5
 Court orders 300 hours work for community over thefts 3.12:9
 Hotelier cleared over suspect cigarettes 4.12:3
 11 years jail for Aberdeen man (Anthony Kennedy) 4.12:4
 Vanishing act by club raiders 7.12:5
 Two men fined \$100 for pot plant thefts (Chris Wood) 14.12:7
 Man stole because of hunger (Phillip Ellis) 21.12:5
 Raper faces 14 charges involving stolen goods (John Raper) 22.12:7
 Lock up money police warn 24.12:3

THIRTY FIVE HOUR WEEK CAMPAIGN

B.H.P. seeks short week trade-off 25.2:1
 F.I.A. puts deadline on shorter week 5.3:1
 38-hour week to cause funeral delays 6.3:1
 B.H.P. deal seals 38-hour week 10.3:3
 Construction men win 38-hour week 18.3:3
 B.H.P. men get shorter week 24.3:15
 S.C.C. men move for 37 hr week 9.4:4
 Short week no problem for electricity 21.4:5
 Power costs (Leader) 23.4:2
 \$1.4m for shorter week 23.4:3
 W.A. premier attacks hour case 27.4:13
 Qld faces state-wide industrial strife 28.4:22
 Bjelke tough with rail men as short week now looms 29.4:4
 B.H.P. agrees to short week 4.5:3
 Short week at B.H.P. intricate 5.5:13
 Benefits for B.H.P.'s workers 2.6:5
 Shorter working week for electricians 5.6:5
 37-hour week for S.C.C. staff 8.6:7
 State unions to stop over short week 8.6:7
 Dispute over working week likely 9.6:15
 Strike will restrict hospitals ambulance 10.6:4

THIRTY FIVE HOUR WEEK CAMPAIGN (Con't)

B.W.I.U. threatens action on apprentice hours 10.6:9
 Strikers plan to intensify industrial action 11.6:4
 B.W.I.U. to warn leisure day site workers 16.6:10
 Shorter week self-delusion (Leader) 17.6:2
 Short week talks hit unexpected snags 18.6:7
 Steel workers get shorter week 3.7:9
 50,000 S.R.A. employees on 38-hour week soon 22.7:3
 Crisis in Qld on short week strike 26.7:3
 Job threats fail to stop Qld strikes 27.7:3
 38-hour week hopes dashed 3.8:4
 450 Alcan workers gain pay rises 7.8:3
 Qld declares crisis as strike looms 16.8:1
 Qld ready to take on strikers 17.8:5
 Strikers ignore Qld peace bid war goes on 21.8:3
 Qld workers to vote on extended strike 23.8:3
 Obstinancy rules in Queensland (Leader) 24.8:2
 General strike vote in Qld 24.8:3
 Unions abandon Qld strike 25.8:5
 Qld unions warn of more strife 28.8:3
 The shorter week: gains or losses? 2.10:4
 Building unions push for \$40 shorter week 20.10:7
 Bank employees call for renewed talks 20.10:13
 Warning on hours push 8.11:11
 B.L.F. may enforce 9-day fortnight 11.11:4
 36-hour week pact denied by builders 12.11:4
 Consteel link in hours, pay, jobs (Leader) 13.11:2
 Shorter week threat to jobs 15.11:4
 Short week leads to more overtime 20.12:8

TOBACCO AND SMOKING

Quitters are giving up 18.1:4
 A.M.A. seeks end to tobacco aid 20.3:4
 Smoking still major cause of lung cancer 10.4:6
 Outdoors image at risk 12.5:14
 A.M.A. urges higher tax on tobacco 14.5:5
 A.M.A. welcomes \$8000 smoke allergy award 20.5:4
 New filter disguises true levels of tar in cigarettes 21.5:1
 Tobacco a drug of dependence 23.8:19
 Smokers take sickies more 13.10:10
 N.S.W. gets behind bid to cut smoking numbers 6.11:9
 The big money behind a smokescreen 17.11:2
 Cigarette ad ban passed by W.A. house 19.11:7
 Tobacco politics linked to health 26.11:8

TORONTO TRADE FAIR

Private boat use to be restricted 23.3:Supplement
 Catch a ferry and avoid the crush 23.3:Supplement
 Floating tramp sure to attract crowds 23.3:Supplement
 Hospitals exhibit aimed at community health 23.3:Supplement
 Boy scouts to benefit from fair profit 23.3:Supplement
 2.N.U.R. meets its public at the fair 23.3:Supplement
 Athol's aim is success 23.3:Supplement
 Toronto fair expected to draw 60,000 27.3:5
 60,000 flock to Toronto trade fair 29.3:1

TOURISM

New bid for \$100m resort (Tuncurry) 6.1:7
 City guided walk tours 12.1:11
 Bringing tourists to the Hunter 6.3:35
 \$150,000 tourism campaign opened 20.3:10
 Hunter tourism study urges unified approach 28.3:4
 Hunter's wines draw big crowds 12.4:5
 Computer cuts time on tourist visas 14.4:32
 Blacksmiths tourist park decision deferred 28.4:4
 Tourism: a \$150million industry on the move (Survey) 4.5:12
 State grant for Hunter tourism 11.5:5
 Tourist potential untapped 8.7:5
 Tourism office likely to move 17.7:10
 Tourist plan threat 7.8:10
 \$5m plan to restore historic mine 11.8:6
 A packed-lunch tourist set 3.9:2

TOURISM (Con't)

H.V. tourism inquiries rise 25% 25.9:5
 Domestic travel tally surprise 27.9:7
 Work on holiday project blocked 28.10:5
 Tourism on the increase 10.11:6
 Cooranbong: new resort at the old address
 26.11:7
 Tourism could help Hunter weather the recession
 27.11:5

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Payments surplus 15.1:9
 Ban trade with S Africa: U.N. group 22.3:7
 Rural exports slump lowest since 1971 21.4:5
 Some gain made on C.E.R. talks 21.4:23
 Industry groups to meet on C.E.R. 10.5:4
 Federal industrial law invalid 12.5:3
 N.Z. labour attacks C.E.R. 12.5:24
 No unilateral protection cuts, says P.M. 18.5:5
 Fraser's visit shows Korean trade value 19.5:30
 N.Z., Australia agree on C.E.R. trade post
 28.5:7
 Major step forward for N.Z. ties 2.6:12
 Trade deficit of \$907m may push rates higher
 13.7:12
 Present share of Japanese coal market is secure
 31.7:3
 World trade parallels 1930s 4.9:11
 Balance of payments deficit \$448m 14.9:8
 Trade battles test friends (Leader) 7.10:2
 M.T.I.A. renews attack on N.Z. trade agreement
 30.10:12
 Serious obstacles facing freer trade 16.11:6
 U.S., Europe get set for battle over trade
 20.11:14
 Poor countries sidelined at Gatt 25.11:12
 G.A.T.T. meeting in chaos 27.11:13
 G.A.T.T. meeting on verge of collapse 29.11:5
 Pressure mounts for import protection 30.11:1
 The rising tide for greater protection 30.11:2
 The protection dilemma (Leader) 1.12:2
 Asia pacific focus for trade 1.12:8
 Australia, N.Z. sign C.E.R. 15.12:8

TRADE UNIONS

No way to foster industrial peace (Leader)
 18.2:2
 Trade unions and power (Leader) 26.2:2
 A trade union for insecure bosses 19.11:2

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Big rise for traffic fines 7.1:1
 Interest in new traffic control system
 22.2:3

TRANSPORT

Morris urges transport inquiry 28.1:4
 \$790m plan for Hunter transport 25.3:1
 Transport funds for the Hunter (Leader) 26.3:2
 A mixed bag on transport (Leader) 17.4:2
 Transport system in tatters (Survey) 4.5:17
 Hunter road and rail systems are complementary:
 R.T.A. 24.6:12
 Expertise is in difficult jobs, says manager
 24.6:12
 Barclays versatile coal and woodchip hauler
 24.6:13
 Big variety at Young and Green 24.6:14
 Spare parts a family speciality 24.6:15
 A spare parts specialist 24.6:16
 New state branch expanded from one to 14 in just
 a year (Newstate Transport) 24.6:16
 Public transport works get \$332m 29.9:9
 Waratah Estate service planned 30.11:7

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Talks hold key to rail service 18.1:3
 Railway guards call off Broadmeadow action
 20.1:4
 Bus, rail stoppage talks fail 26.1:6
 Rail strike called off 30.1:3
 Wran attacks anarchy by unions 15.2:1
 No signs of peace in rail, flood, fuel rows
 16.2:1
 Timely warning for some unions (Leader) 16.2:2
 Rail strike lingers as talks fail 17.2:1
 Railwaymen and strike 18.2:3
 Buses to go off road on Friday 31.3:3

Final bid to avert transport strike 5.4:3
 Train examiners strike 8.7:1
 Thursday deadline on State fuel tax 12.7:3
 N.S.W. faces industrial chaos 13.8:1
 Police break up Hexham truck blockade but others
 continue 13.8:5
 Newcastle trucks off the road 19.8:2
 Jobs threatened as trucks stop 20.8:1
 Hundreds of jobs in danger 21.8:1
 Truck strife is backfiring (Leader) 21.8:2
 Northern rail strike may spread State wide
 31.8:1
 Rail men to meet on row 1.9:3
 Train examiners strike tomorrow 8.9:5
 Train services hit 9.9:3
 \$40,000 a year rail men's strike hits trains
 29.10:1
 Wealthy strikers (Leader) 1.11:2
 Rail unions issue strike action warning 11.11:7
 National rail action threat 23.11:8
 Rail unions stop freight trains 25.11:3
 Passenger trains to run despite meeting 1.12:5
 Union official forecasts major retrenchments next
 year 2.12:5
 Hunter trains at standstill 7.12:1
 Rail cuts (Leader) 8.12:2
 Train services off as dispute goes on 8.12:3
 Train strikes on N.S.W. spread 9.12:3
 Suburban trains run again today 10.12:3
 Guards strike halt train 15.12:3
 Strike ends trains back to normal today 16.12:3
 Talks fail to settle rail dispute 17.12:3
 Railway strike hits city service 21.12:1
 The stuttering rail service (Leader) 22.12:2
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Any knight starts to pay his expenses 15.1:18
 Trot rivals in poor second line draw 3.2:29
 Heart defect no bar to steel trader 6.2:40
 Gammalite scores cup win 22.2:19
 Pacing in blood of Osborn family 2.4:15
 Trotting authority dismisses appeals 22.4:12
 Trots held back in Cessnock 23.4:18
 Wait for trot inquiry findings 24.4:40
 Horse dies in Newcastle trotting incident
 (Mulkaba) 22.5:16
 Wisdoms Way after \$7m bonus 10.6:18
 Trotting chief retires today (Len Smith) 9.7:22
 Saturday night trot meetings for Valley 15.7:16
 Saturday night trots continues to boom 6.9:19
 Dual honours for reinsman 13.9:22
 Trot fans waiting for track decision 25.9:22
 Trotting club moves to sack trustees 27.9:16
 F.J.C. would consider trot loan guarantee 28.9:22
 Reinsman suspended 20.11:18
 Trotting to switch to Saturdays 20.11:23
 Trot driver barred for year (R.L. White) 4.12:35

UNIVERSITY OF NEWCASTLE

Uni seeks Valley, Central Coast students 5.1:6
 C.A.E. suggests major merger changes 8.1:5
 5 uni students win Herald prizes 16.1:4
 Uni medal to one student (Mark Downey) 12.2:7
 Teacher gets award for service (Jess Dyce)
 17.2:14
 Newcastle Uni. study leads field 20.2:10
 Students forced to sleep on campus 3.3:3
 Uni students lead on jobs 6.3:5
 C.S.I.R.O. chairman honoured (Dr John Wild)
 24.4:37
 Uni's first blind graduate (Michael Corrigan)
 26.4:1
 Call defends university 26.4:4
 Amalgamation (Survey) 4.5:36
 Academics walk out on uni. senate meeting
 7.5:1
 No benefit in joining university & C.A.E.
 8.5:12
 A slow and rocky road to amalgamation 19.5:2
 Plans for change provoke student strife 22.5:1
 Students miss lectures in academic plan protest
 28.5:5
 Major extensions for Edwards Hall 29.5:23
 Newcastle Uni. happiest in Australia 2.6:7
 Deadline for uni., C.A.E. 3.6:1
 N.C.A.E. - uni plans may not be accepted 4.6:4
 Uni C.A.E. face funds halt 5.6:3
 N.C.A.E. members on university council 11.6:4
 Merger plan rethink urged 25.6:6

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 University N.C.A.E. give merger details 3.7:3
 Sex acts alleged at uni bucks night 12.7:1
 Uni night row threatened funding 13.7:5
 Uni. looks for new Dean 16.7:4
 Great hall ideal setting for feast of beauty 17.7:10
 Students farewell professor (Eric Parker) 21.7:9
 Women in education fight old beliefs (J. Bielski) 28.7:6
 What happened to the radicals 30.7:2
 Kultcha Nite gets its wings clipped 31.7:1
 College funding withheld as amalgamation blackmail 5.8:11
 Differences persist in uni N.C.A.E. plan 10.8:3
 Uni fears merger plan will reduce education 26.8:1
 C.A.E. giving thought to Uni merger plan 27.8:3
 Merger plan may go next week 28.8:5
 Uni-paid trips irresponsible 3.9:1
 N.C.A.E., uni clash over merger 4.9:1
 University must be protected (Leader) 6.9:2
 A game determining quality of education 8.9:2
 Newcastle academics get support from Wollongong 8.9:4
 Unicol: the word that strikes fear in hearts (Merger) 9.9:2
 Bishop speaks out on downgrading 11.9:1
 Hands off the university (Leader) 11.9:2
 \$35.8m allocated to run Uni and C.A.E. 13.9:1
 State has no favourites in amalgamation issue 15.9:4
 Uni comments clarified 16.9:15
 Students want proper uni 17.9:7
 Engineering degree status threatened 21.9:3
 Researchers try to find better uses for slag 22.9:10
 Chemical engineering has a female lecturer 24.9:6
 Traumas of a tertiary education marriage (Letters to Editor) 25.9:2
 University funding to be stopped 25.9:16
 Graduate concern on uni merger 29.9:4
 Newcastle Uni team to study Norfolk Is. 29.9:12
 Uni advertises for Dean of Medical Faculty 1.10:6
 College chief hits back at critics 4.10:2
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 Outlining the fears of the Uni staff 6.10:18
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