The interchange of staff between the Faculty of Mathematics at the University of Waterloo, Ontario, Canada, and the Faculty of Mathematics at the University of Newcastle is continuing.

Professor I.J. McGee, of the University of Waterloo, was at this university from May last year to January, and stated before he left that the work done had been enjoyable and rewarding.

Dr. D.L.S. McIvor, Lecturer in Mathematics, visited Waterloo from last August to February and during his stay travelled to universities in the United States and Canada. His research work was facilitated by the computing facilities at the University of Waterloo.

At present Dr. L.W. Cummings, of the University of Waterloo, is a Visiting Associate Professor in the Faculty of Mathematics. One of his students, Jim McDougal, who is enrolled at Waterloo as a candidate for a Master of Philosophy degree, is studying with Dr. Cummings in Newcastle.

Dr. Paul Stava, Senior Lecturer in Mathematics, has been attached to the University of Waterloo since early this year and Dr. A. Guttman plans to spend the second half of this year at the same institution.

The Dean of the Faculty of Mathematics (Professor R. Keats) stated that the interchange of staff had originated at discussions he had with the Dean of the Faculty of Mathematics, University of Waterloo (Professor W.F. Forbes) in Canada in 1972. It was mutually agreed that the exchange would be beneficial to both and could be implemented with very little difficulty. It was envisaged that each year one or two members of staff from each faculty would visit the other for periods of six or twelve months; there would be no financial commitment by either university, staff being expected to pay their own fares and to continue receiving salary from their own University. Although members of staff would clearly be out of pocket with such an arrangement, it was felt that the opportunity given for overseas experience, both with teaching and research, would make the scheme sufficiently attractive that the staff interested would think it well worthwhile in spite of the financial loss to them.

Professor Keats added that Professor Forbes hoped to visit Newcastle himself next year.

NEWS FROM THE STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION

Adrian Kok-Kwong Woo has been elected unopposed as President of the Newcastle University Students’ Association. Mr. Woo holds the degree of Bachelor of Commerce and is currently enrolled as a Dip.Ed. student.

The 23rd Students’ Representative Council has commenced its term of office, following the annual general meeting of the NUSA on March 18, and will meet for the first time in the Michael Nelson Room, the Union, on 10th April. The Council, among other things, will elect a Vice-President.

Nominations are being called for elections as NUSA’s first Media Officer. If elections are necessary to fill the position they will be held on April 8. The results of other elections held for membership of the 23rd SRC are: Messrs. Paul Drinkwater, Ian Hamilton (Arts Representatives), Mr. John Ashton (Architecture) and Mr. Richard Ramsey (Science).
The SRC is also looking for a Transport Officer. The guidelines for this position include preference for a student whose studies embrace statistics and transport problems. The Transport Officer will be a non-voting member of the SRC and a full member of the University's Academic Transport Advisory Group.

Mr. Bob Asser has been elected Editor of Opus. He stated that the first issue for this year should be printed on 14th April. It was hoped to produce editions every three weeks and to pay a few new contributors.

The SRC is endeavouring to establish a child minding service for cooperative in the Union. The project is based on the suggestion that some students might be grateful if their child could be minded whilst they attended lectures and would be willing, in return, to mind other children later in the day or the week. It is understood that the Board of Management of the Union has made available a suitable room in the Student's Association where students/parents who are interested in the suggestion can enrol their names at the SRC Office.

A recent general meeting of the Students' Association resolved to request the Australian Union of Students to give "critical" support to the Australian Labor Party, and to wage a strong campaign accordingly, in the event of another Federal election being conducted this year.

Names are being taken from members of staff and students who support the S.R.C. request that the Australian Broadcasting Commission makes arrangements for programmes broadcast by Radio Station 2JJ to be boosted, or relayed, to Newcastle and the Lower Hunter Valley. A petition can be signed in the SRC Office.

Messrs. Omondeo and J. Ashton were SRC delegates to the Radical Ecology Conference held at the University of Melbourne over the Easter weekend. Approximately 600 people, some from overseas, were present and anybody interested in the business of the conference can see a full documentation in the SRC Office.

A general meeting of NUSA will be held in the Courtyard of the Union on 15th April at 2 p.m. to consider proposals received from the Australian Union of Students relating to the A.U.S. national constitution, a possible increase in students' fees and the abolition of the annual A.U.S. conference in Melbourne.

Monday, 14th April, is the extended date for the conclusion of applications to join the AUS Friendly Society's Hospital and Medical Schemes. The S.R.C. commended the schemes because of their cheapness and because they are accessible to married and part-time students too. Application forms are available at the SRC Office.

** THE UNIVERSITY COUNCIL **

The university's total enrolment of students is higher than last year. The Vice-Chancellor advised the University Council on the night of 20th March that the number of students enrolled stood at 4,309, as against 4,177 at 30th April last year.

The break-down: Enrolled for Bachelor degrees 3,657, enrolled as non-degree students 69, enrolled for higher degrees 307, enrolled for post-graduate diplomas 276.

The Vice-Chancellor reported that the pressure being exerted on the Secretary's Division by annual conferring of degrees ceremonies was increasing, as demonstrated by the following figures for years taking out degrees: 1970, 280; 1971, 353; 1972, 400; 1973, 516; 1974, 586, and this year 607. It might be necessary to suggest to the Council that conferring of degrees ceremonies follow a different pattern in future.

Council was told by the Buildings and Grounds Committee that:

* Work on the construction of the Behavioural Sciences Building is likely to commence in May. Estimated to cost more than $2 million, the building will embody three storeys and accommodate Psychology, Education and Sociology. English, Linguistics and other Arts departments will expand into the space vacated in the Arts/ Administration building.

* Tenders will be called in the near future for the construction of the new 200-seat lecture theatre (ED1) near the Physics Building.
Tenders are expected to be called at the end of April for the construction of the Child Care Centre on the perimeter of the university to provide day care for 60 children aged from one to six.

Mr. J. D. Stowell was appointed Acting Head of the Department of German and a member of Senate during the absence on study leave of Professor D.G. Mount for six months from the end of May.

Professor J.B. Moore was appointed Head of the Department of Electrical Engineering for an indefinite period from 7th February.

The Staff Members' Housing Scheme was amended to provide for the loan repayment period to be extended for members of staff from 60 to 65 years of age.

NEWS FROM THE UNION

At its meeting on 13th March, the Board of Management of the Union, among other things, gave its approval to a schedule of new prices which increases such staple items as meat salads by 10¢ to 70¢, pots of tea by 5¢ to 20¢ and cheese sandwiches by 2¢ to 22¢.

The Board amended the schedule of hours of opening of the Union as follows:

- Cafeteria, Level 2, 11.45 a.m. - 2 p.m., Monday to Friday; 4.30 - 6.30 p.m., Monday to Thursday.
- Fast Food Bar, Level 2, 12.45 a.m. - 2 p.m., Monday to Friday; 4.30 - 7 p.m., Monday to Thursday.
- Common Room Servery, Level 2, 9.30 a.m. - 6 p.m., Monday to Thursday; 9.30 a.m. - 2.30 p.m., Friday.
- Lounge Coffee Bar, Level 2, 11 a.m. - 2 p.m., Monday to Friday; 11 a.m. - 3 p.m., Saturday; 3 p.m. - 2 a.m., Friday night dances.
- Southern Cross Lounge, Level 3, 12 - 2 p.m. and 5 - 8 p.m., Monday to Friday; 2 - 5 p.m., Friday as Coffee Bar.
- Seahorse Bar, Level 3, 12 - 2 p.m. and 5 - 8 p.m., Monday to Friday.
- Union Building, 9 a.m. - 10 p.m., Monday to Friday; 11 a.m. - 4 p.m., Saturday.

Union closed on Sundays.

Approval was given for amendments to be made to the Union's Rules and Regulations to provide, among other things:

- "No persons shall behave in the Union premises in an indecent, disorderly or offensive manner or be unsuitably dressed. Shirts must be worn in Common Room, Dining Room, Lounge Coffee Bar, McLarty Room, Southern Cross Lounge, Godfrey Tanner Room, Seahorse Bar, Auchmuty Room, Helmore Room, Fast Food Wisteria Room.
- "No person shall bring intoxicating liquor into the Union premises; all liquor requirements shall be provided by and through the Union's licensed outlets.
- "Briefcases shall not be permitted in the Games area, or in the Union Shop premises."

The Administration will be requested to install lockers in the Union and at other spots on the campus for use by students.

Dances for students are being arranged after having been discontinued for several months. The Board of Management's current policy is to organise the dances itself rather than giving permission to student clubs. Dances will be held on Friday, 11th April and on Thursday, 24th April beginning at 8 p.m. and finishing at midnight.

The Board has resolved to carry out an advertising campaign in the Union in an endeavour to achieve less litter and greater neatness. Students will also be urged to carry their used crockery to a number of central pick-up points.
The terms of office of eight student members and one graduate member of the Board of Management of the Union will terminate in May. So as to fill the vacancies nominations have been called and if necessary elections will be held on April 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. The polling place will be the office of the Union. The annual general meeting of members of the Union will be held in the Courtyard on 1st May at 1 p.m.

Following discussion on the use of the Union's liquor facilities by other persons and bodies on the campus, the Board of Management adopted the following resolution:-

"That members of the Council, teaching and other staffs of the University be granted honorary membership of the Union during their holding of the position which qualifies them as above."

COMPUTER BARBEQUE

The Counselling Service will use the Computing Centre to determine which students are well matched before they attend a barbeque on April 23. Being spread around the campus are copies of a questionnaire which will enable the Counselling Service to get an idea of which students of this University or Newcastle C.A.E. are the sorts other students prefer.

The questionnaire provides space for information about both the person completing the questionnaire and what he/she would like in the person preferred.

Students are asked to return the questionnaire, with $1 to pay for food and soft drink, to the Counselling Service. The "Mix and Match Computer Barbeque" will be held at the Sports Oval from 5.30 to 7.30 p.m.

CONVOCATION'S A.G.M.

The annual general meeting of Convocation will be held in the Arts/Drama Theatre on Wednesday, 30th April, at 7.30 p.m. All members (and especially new graduates) have been invited to attend.

The agenda includes an election of four members of Standing Committee of Convocation to fill vacancies caused by retirements. The Constitution states that nominations for the positions of Committee Members signed by two members of Convocation may be submitted to the Secretary of Convocation at any time prior to the annual general meeting.

SEMINAR ON DRAMA TEACHING

The fifth seminar in a series designed to keep members of Convocation better informed about events and issues at the University will be held in the Drama Theatre on Wednesday, 30th April, at 8 p.m. The subject, Drama, Education and Society - Phase '75, is a topical one, as the University recently added a course in Drama to the studies leading to a Bachelor of Arts degree.

The Warden of Convocation (Professor Ken Dutton) stated that the talks should be of great interest to members of Convocation generally, as well as members of the public interested in developments in the theatre and drama teaching in the Newcastle region.

The speakers are:

PROFESSOR ROB. JORDAN, Foundation Professor of Drama and Head of the Department of Creative Arts, University of Newcastle, who spent six years preceeding his arrival in Newcastle building up a Drama Section at the University of Queensland. He will speak on Drama in the University.

MISS JESS DYCE, Principal Lecturer at Newcastle College of Advanced Education specialising in Drama. In 1958-59, she spent study leave in the U.K. and the USA. investigating the teaching of Drama and Speech Education; she was attached to the University of London and North Western University, Illinois. She will deal with Drama Teaching in a Teachers' College and its Implementation in Schools.

MR. ROD. WILSON, Manager of The Civic Theatre, Newcastle, since February, 1974, who holds a Diploma in Production in the National Institute of Dramatic Art and has been engaged in design, direction, technical aspects, management, touring and other facets of the theatre. He has worked with children and drama students in a number of places. He will speak on the problem of Taking Drama to a Larger Audience in the Community.
At the conclusion of the seminar supper will be served in the Staff House, adjacent to the theatre.

**ELECTIONS OF STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES**

As a result of the recent elections, the following students have been elected to various University bodies for 1975:

**THE SENATE**
Kenneth Walter DRAY, Barbara Jann LORD, Anne Patricia MASON and Leo Michael WALSH.

**THE FACULTY BOARDS**
- **ARCHITECTURE**: Graeme John COLLIN and Rodney James SEYMOUR.
- **ARTS**: Jennifer Margaret BROOKS, Anthony John DE LYALL, Andrew Christopher PARRATT and Leo Michael WALSH.
- **ECONOMICS AND COMMERCE**: Peter Arthur LAW.
- **MATHEMATICS**: Stephen Ronald COLLARD and Margaret Joyce STOCKS.
- **SCIENCE**: Peter Thomas CUMINGS and Susan May NEEDS.
- **THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN EDUCATION**: Judith Anne CASHMORE and Robert Joseph RALSTON.
- **THE BOARD OF ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES**: John Kenneth BESWICK, Ian Edward BRUMBY and Malcolm Charles McNEIL.

**ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

Mr. Richard Wherrett has taken up duties as a part-time Tutor in Drama with the Department of Creative Arts. He travels from Sydney every Wednesday and Thursday. The Head of the Department (Professor R. Jordan) said that part-time teaching assistance became a necessity when 150 students enrolled for Drama I. The anticipated enrolment was 75.

Mr. Wherrett started his career in the theatre with Sydney University Drama Society. In 1965 he went to England and tutored at RADA, LAMDA and E15 and also worked with repertory societies, including Lincoln. He also worked with Manchester Library Repertory and Beaford Arts Centre (now the Orchard Theatre) as guest director. At Lancaster University he worked with Professor Adrian Mitchell on an adaptation of "Ulysses".

Returning to Australia in 1970 Mr. Wherrett became Assistant Director for The Old Tote. He was associated with Nimrod Theatre from its beginning in Christmas, 1972, and became a permanent director in 1974. He has also scripted a number of radio programmes for the ABC. At present Richard is working on a production for the Lunchtime Theatre. He will be director for the Australian National Playwrights' Conference in Canberra in May.

Dr. Christopher Percy Pollnitz has taken up duties as Lecturer in English. Formerly a Research Student at the University of Leicester he holds the degrees of Bachelor of Arts with honours in the University of Adelaide and Doctor of Philosophy in the University of Leicester.

Mr. Clifford Alan Cranfield has begun his appointment as Lecturer in Education. He is a Bachelor of Arts in the University of New South Wales, and a Diplomate in Education and a Master of Arts in this University.

Mr. Malcolm Ferguson Park, who holds the degree of Bachelor of Architecture in the University of New South Wales, has joined the University's staff as a Lecturer in Architecture.

Mr. Maurice Bainbridge Scott has taken up an appointment as Lecturer in Education. Well-known in theatrical circles as actor and producer, he holds B.A. and MA. degrees in this university.

Mr. Christopher Stuart Dibbey has begun duties as Tutor in Mathematics. Previously a research assistant he is a Bachelor of Mathematics with honours in this university.

Mr. Norman Rose Bennett has taken up his appointment as Tutor in English. He was formerly a High School English Teacher and a part-time Tutor in English and holds a Bachelor of Arts and Diploma in Education in this university.
Dr. Beverly Ann Coyle was attached to the University of Nebraska before beginning duties as a Tutor in English. She holds a B.A. degree in Florida State University and Master of Arts and Doctor of Philosophy degrees in the University of Nebraska.

Dr. John Beauchamp BerriZZ has taken up his appointment as Lecturer in Civil Engineering. A New Zealander, he is a B.E. in the University of Canterbury, an M.S. in Engineering in the University of Colorado and a Doctor of Philosophy in the California Institute of Technology.

TALK ON THE MIDDLE EAST

Dr. I. Attala will be the speaker at the meeting of Newcastle Group of The Australian Institute of International Affairs on 17th April. Dr. Attala, who is Deputy Superintendent of the Alldale Hospital, will speak on "The Situation in the Middle East". He will also show a colour film which he obtained during his trip to Egypt last year. The meeting will be held in Alan Bourne's studio, 70 Dawson Street, Cooks Hill.

CONCERT BY SELMA EPSTEIN

The American pianist, Selma Epstein, now resident in Newcastle, will present a solo piano recital at Newcastle City Hall on Sunday, 20th April, at 3 p.m. The programme will include works of Bach, Schubert, Chopin, Liszt, Schumann, Mendelssohn, as well as works by modern composers.

Programme/tickets for the concert are $2.50, or $1.50 for students and children. They are available at the door, from 6 Ivy Street, Islington, or from Mrs. E. Sheehan, of the Department of Economics.

UNIVERSITY POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS

The Assistant Secretary (Mr. P. Farley) has further information about the following fellowships:

- Each year the Council of the University of Auckland offers several Post-doctoral Fellowships normally tenable for 10 to 12 months. It now invites applications for Fellowships to begin during the period 1 September, 1975, to 31 August, 1976.
- The Fellowships are open to graduates of universities for the purpose of carrying out advanced research within any Department of the University in a field which is acceptable to the Department. Successful applicants may be expected to participate in limited teaching activities.
- To be eligible for a Fellowship, candidates must have been awarded the degree of Doctor of Philosophy, or have completed the requirements for such an award, or hold some other appropriate academic qualification. The Awards are primarily intended for candidates who have held a Ph.D. for not more than four years at the time of application, but in exceptional circumstances other candidates may be considered.
- The total value of the Fellowships will normally be based on a monthly allowance of NZ$550, plus, where applicable, actual approved fares for the appointee only up to a maximum equivalent to an economy-class return air fare from the place of residence at the time the appointment was made. Fellows should expect to pay tax on the monthly allowance.
- Formal application should reach the Registrar, University of Auckland, up to 30th April, 1975.

The New Zealand National Research Advisory Council is also seeking applications, closing on 30 September, 1975, for 10 senior and post-doctoral fellowships to be taken up in 1976 for research at the branches of the N.Z. Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, Department of Education, Forest Service, Department of Internal Affairs, Department of Justice, Department of Labour, Department of Scientific and Industrial Research, Department of Social Welfare, Ministry of Transport, and Ministry of Works and Development.

Applicants for Senior Research Fellowships should possess a Ph.3. degree or higher qualification or have distinguished record of scientific research. The fellowships are intended for research workers who have had considerable professional experience. Emoluments will range from NZ$11,517 to NZ$17,088. In addition the employer's contribution to a superannuation scheme, if applicable, will be paid. Fellowships will normally be awarded for a period of from 9 months to a year.

A grant equivalent to return economy-class air fares from the fellow's home...
to the New Zealand Institution will be paid. If a fellow's wife accompanies him a grant equivalent to her return fare will also be paid, provided the fellowship is for a term of at least 9 months. For shorter terms a proportionate grant may be paid. The cost of transport to and from New Zealand of a fellow's children, is his own responsibility.

Applicants for Pat-doctoral Research Fellowships should possess a Ph.D. or equivalent degree. The fellowships are intended for research workers who are recent graduates or who have had some research experience since graduation. The emolument will be NZ$9,668 a year. Fellowships will normally be awarded for a period of from two to three years. A grant equivalent to return economy-class air fares from the fellow's home to the New Zealand Institution will be paid. If a fellow's wife and family accompanies him a grant equivalent to their return fares will also be paid. The same taxation conditions apply as for Senior Research Fellowships.

The Australian Advisory Committee on Research and Development in Education invites applications for the award in 1976 of Fellowships tenable overseas for persons wishing to follow a career in educational research within Australia. They are intended for graduates who have had experience or demonstrated interest in educational research. They may be awarded for a minimum of three months and up to six months. Provisions include economy-class return air fare, a sustenance allowance appropriate to the country concerned and payment of all compulsory fees.

(Please of the short term nature of the awards, provision of fares and allowances are offered for the Fellow only and do not include dependents).

PULITZER PRIZE-WINNER FOR SENASON

"The Effect of Gamma Rays on Man-in-the-Moon Marigolds" is a Pulitzer Prize-winning play, written by Paul Zindel. Newcastle Repertory Club is staging the play as their first major production for 1975. The production opened on 2nd April, and is running to nine performances on subsequent Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturday nights, commencing at 8.15 p.m. in the Repertory Theatre, de Vitre Street, Lambton. Phone 51 2970 for further information.

NEW RESEARCH AND CONSULTING CONTRACT

The Department of Chemical Engineering has just been given a substantial research and consulting contract (through TUNRA) by the Electricity Trust of South Australia.

The contract is expected to assist the Trust with its investigations into the very difficult Leigh Creek coal at its Port Augusta power station, with the object of preparing adequate specifications for future larger boilers. The contract is largely concerned with the use of the computer programme and associated measurement techniques which have been developed in the Department during the last seven years by postgraduate work under National Research Advisory Committee grants. The programme was developed by close relationship of fundamental research work to field observations on operating boilers made possible by the Electricity Commission of New South Wales and the State Electricity Commission of Victoria. This application is an illustration of the facts that the energy resources situation is now requiring large scale utilization of difficult coals and that the contribution of fundamental research to solution of the consequent problems is now being recognised.

Professor I. McC. Stewart, of the Department of Chemical Engineering, stated that as far as he knew his department was the first university in the free world to be associated to this extent with power station combustion and heat transfer problems.

FACULTY WIVES GROUP

Would any students willing to baby-sit children of The Faculty Wives on the third Thursday of each month, between noon and 2 p.m., please contact Mrs. Kirby (Biological Sciences office) on Ext. 566, or Mrs. Boettcher (home) 57 5029.

EDWARDS HALL RESIDENTS' GROUP

Elections for the Resident Members' Association of Edwards Hall resulted:

Chairman, Mr. K. Murhhall-Griffith; Vice-Chairman, Mr. N. Dawes;
PHILOSOPHY CLUB MEETING

The first meeting of the Philosophy Club will be held on Friday night, 11th April. Christine Davis will give a paper on “Self and Alienation in Zen.” J. Renwick, Mr. F. Adler, Mr. Chen Swi Eng, Mr. P. Johnston, Mr. Prane Chopra.

Next general meeting, Friday, 18th April, 1.30 p.m., in Chaplains’ Office.

Spiritual Renewal weekend at Kilaben Bay, Friday night, 18th April to Sunday, 20th April, led by our new chaplain, Father Roman Carter, O.P.

Tertiary Catholic Federation of Australia N.S.W. regional camp will be held at Katoomba over the Anzac weekend, Thursday night, 24th April, to Sunday, 27th April. Theme: “Free to be Faithful.”

ITEMS FROM THE CATHOLIC ASSOCIATION

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An initial meeting to organize a Catholic Graduates' Group will be held at 8 p.m. at 16 Farm Street, Speers Point on Saturday, 12th April. For further information contact the Chaplains' Office, or Leo Walsh at the S.R.C., Office.

HISTORY DEPARTMENT'S FILM

The History Department proudly presents the film "The Last King of America" in which the popular and well-beloved monarch, statesman and farmer, George III gives his views on the War of Independence, the American Constitution, the treachery of the French, and other vital events of the day in press interviews with C.B.S. journalist, Eric Seveareid. Special reserved accommodation for students of History IIIC.

This attraction, which cannot be repeated in Newcastle, is being screened in the Drama Theatre on Friday, April 11, between 6 and 7 p.m. in glorious colour.

Some unpatriotic persons claim there is a slight resemblance to an actor named Peter Ustinov.

AWARDS IN OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH RESEARCH

The National Health and Medical Research Council has recently established the following awards in occupational health research:

1. Research projects
2. Travelling Fellowships (long term)
3. Travelling Fellowships (short term)

Application forms are available from Mrs. G. Durham (Ext. 240). Completed application forms should be sent to Mr. J.M. Falconer (Assistant Bursar) no later than 24th April, 1975.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

SURPLUS TAPE DECKS: Tenders are invited for the following equipment, which is surplus to the requirements of the Language Laboratory of the University of Newcastle, Shortland: 12 only Ferrograph Tape Decks, complete with recording facilities and headsets. The Tape Decks are currently housed in benches which hold three tape decks, and the benches are also for sale.

Tenderers should telephone Mr. W. Layton (68 0401 'Ext. 637) to arrange a suitable time for inspection.

Tenders should be forwarded to The Assistant Bursar, University of Newcastle, M.S.W. 2308, in a sealed envelope marked "Tender for Tape Decks". The closing date is 11th April, at 11.30 a.m.

HOUSE OR FLAT WANTED: Two bedrooms, Charlestown or closer to university, unfurnished or partly furnished, 'phone and garage desirable, reply to Peter Mansour, Ext. 355 or leave message on Ext. 414.

HOUSE FOR RENT: 4 bedroom, modern brick home, adjacent to Blackbutt Reserve, available for rent from 3 May to 7 August, friendly neighbours, large living room, 'phone, garage, $45 a week, D. Barrett, 57 5581.

FOR SALE: Humber Super-snipe series III, automatic, radio, new steel radials, registered to December, 1975, ideal car for towing boat or caravan, good condition, no rust, $500 o.n.o., contact Ext. 734 or 57 5233 (home).

FOR SALE: Hanimek Stereo car cartridge player with speakers, good condition, $50, contact Kim Murhall-Griffith at Edwards Hall.

HOUSE FOR SALE: Three bedrooms, 50 Spruce Street, North Lambton, $28,750, telephone 67 1114.

TYPING DONE: Mrs. Carolyn Robson, 170 Maitland Street, Muswellbrook, 'phone Mus. 1630, is available to type theses, reports, etc. She owns an electric typewriter.

PRIVATE SALE: Birmingham Gardens (opposite university). 14½ square modern weatherboard and tile home with three bedrooms (built-ins in all rooms), 'phone, recently wallpapered and redecorated throughout, fully tiled bathroom, archways adjoining lounge and dining and large modern kitchen, new stove, oil heating, greenhouse and lock-up garage, in walking distance to schools and shops, bus stop opposite, fully furnished if needed. Large landscaped...
SPORTING NEWS

Victory in Bridge

Mr. J. Steve Boydell, Assistant Secretary to the university, and his wife, Anne, were winners of the Newcastle Regional Bridge Championships held in...
the Special Functions Room at the Great Hall on April 6. The outcome had particular significance for the university since the runners-up were Dr. A.G. Doczy and Mr. P.N. Chopra, both of the Department of Education, and Professor G.R. St. Pierre, a Visiting Professor in Metallurgy, also participated. Mr. Boydell is President of Toronto Bridge Club. He and other members of his club were invited to play.

The Championships were essentially an elimination contest among members of Newcastle Bridge Club aimed at establishing which members will represent the Club at the State Championships in Sydney next June. Thirty-two pairs participated in two separate sessions involving a total of 52 hands. Newcastle Bridge Club will send its top nine pairs to the State titles.

Rugby League

Playing on 5th April at University Oval, in the University Cup, University defeated Railway College of Apprentices (Sydney) 46 - 5. On 12th April in the University Cup, University will play the Catholic College of Education at Oak Hill, starting at 1.30 p.m. On 13th April, in the Second Division in all Grades, University will play Beresfield at Beresfield, commencing at 1 p.m. The First and Second Grade competitions commenced on 20th April and the Third Grade commenced on 5th April. Members of University Club train at No. 1 Oval on Tuesday nights from 7.30 to 9 and on Thursday nights from 7 to 8.

Rugby Union

On 5th April, playing at Bellbird, University I defeated Coalfields 28 - 3, University II defeated Coalfields 19 - 0, and Coalfields III defeated University III 12 - 4. Notable performances on the day were tries by newcomers to First Grade, Steve Brown, Frank Henskens and Peter Johnson, and the excellent goal kicking of Stewart Evans in Second Grade. District points for the day were awarded to Mick Howard 3, Brian Atkins 2 and Ken Screen 1.

Australian Rules

On 5th April, University was defeated by R.A.A.F. 26.22, 178 - 3.2, 20. Trevor Harvey was the outstanding player. The next match will be held on 12th April, when University will play Cardiff at Islington. Training is on Mondays and Thursdays, from 5.30 p.m.

Classes Organised

An evening Leatherwork class and a Ballroom Dancing class will commence in the very near future. Anybody interested can contact Stan Barwick on Ext. 469 for further information.