NEWSLETTER FOR
The University of Newcastle

CHANGES IN GRADUATION CEREMONIES

Next year's Graduation ceremonies will be the first affected by changes which the University Council has made in the form of the ceremonies. On November 19 the Council adopted a policy of holding graduation ceremonies on Saturday mornings in First Term, with up to two ceremonies on each morning. This compares with the previous policy of holding the ceremonies during the week when they competed with lectures. Senate and Faculty Boards had generally supported ceremonies being held early in the first vacation or on a day during First Term on which lectures were not scheduled.

NEW MEMBER OF COUNCIL

Professor R.G. Keats, who was recently elected to the office of Deputy Chairman of the Senate for 1977 and 1978, has been elected by the Professors to fill the casual vacancy on the Council caused by the resignation of Professor K.R. Dutton. As a result of his election, Professor Keats will serve on the Council for the remainder of Professor Dutton's term of office, that is until June 30, 1978.

RESULTS OF EXAMINATIONS

Examination results will be mailed to students progressively as they become available around about Thursday, December 9. No information about the results will be given by telephone. Students who wish to reenroll in 1977 are asked to return their enrolment forms by Friday, January 7.

PROFESSOR SHORT APPOINTED FULL-TIME DEPUTY VICE-CHANCELLOR

At its meeting on November 19 the Council of the University appointed Professor L.N. Short as full-time Deputy Vice-Chancellor of the University for five years commencing January 1, 1977. Announcing the appointment the Vice-Chancellor said Professor Short had been part-time Deputy Vice-Chancellor since November 1975. He had been appointed Foundation Professor of Education in the University in January, 1968 after having been Director of the Educational Research Unit of the University of New South Wales from 1961 to 1967. Professor Short's interests and experience in tertiary education were unusually broad and he was well-known in Australian university circles for his many and diverse contributions. He was a member of the Council of the University from 1971 to 1972 whilst Deputy Chairman of Senate. The Vice-Chancellor added that Professor Short would continue to hold a Chair in his own discipline - Education.

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In 1977, graduation ceremonies will be held on Saturday, April 23 and Saturday, April 30.

Standing Committee of Convocation will conduct Graduation Balls in the Great Hall on both Saturday nights. In previous years one ball was held and the Great Hall and the Union were jointly used.
The Council endorsed a pattern of two ceremonies a morning, one at 9.15 a.m. and another at 11.15 a.m. It was informed that this worked well at the University of Sydney and would fit in well with the thinking of Standing Committee of Convocation in relation to the Graduation Balls. Council decided to hold two Graduation Ceremonies on April 23 and one on April 30. As it was told, a fourth ceremony could be readily accommodated within the pattern when growth made it necessary.

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and is thus available for use. Telephones is sited externally was received from the ded a red telephone in the Engineering Building 'A' and Mr Drinkwater, and this is the Auchmuty currently being considered. It should also be borne in mind that the University has provi­ sion currently made for public telephones and the difficulties involved in obtaining additional facilities. Three public telephones were originally provided in the Union building at the request of the Union. Subsequently other requests for public telephones have been made to Telecom which is responsible for the provision of public telephones on the University site just as it is for the community at large. The number of telephones available has been severely limited and the Department has been under­ standingly reluctant to provide additional facilities at the University at the expense of similar requests from the gen­ eral public.

In 1967 the University requested a public telephone at the Sports Pavilion, however, after two years of negotiations Telecom refused the request but suggested the installation of a red telephone instead. This was provided at the University's cost early in Janu­ ary, 1970. During the con­ struction of Edwards Hall three public telephones were requested and one was ultimately approved and installed by Telecom. The University sought a public telephone for the Great Hall in 1972 and this was finally agreed to and installed in late 1975.

In May 1974 the S.R.C. wrote to the University seeking "The provision of additional public telephones or red telephones on the campus, in appropriate faculty buildings, in the Library or on the site between the Library and the Union building". A public telephone was installed under the Library on the Lower plaza by Telecom late in 1975. No other requests had been received from the S.R.C. until a letter dated November 8, 1976 was received from the President, Mr Drinkwater, and this is currently being considered. It should also be borne in mind that the University has provided a red telephone in the Engineering Building 'A' and the Auchmuty Sports Centre. This gives a total of nine public telephones on the Univer­ sity site which are available for use during normal hours. Only one of these telephones is sited externally and is thus available for use after buildings are locked, and it is significant that this was apparently out of order on the occasion referred to in Mr Walsh's letter. Telecom is naturally most concerned with the cost resulting from vandal­ ism of public telephones, particularly those located in vulnerable or remote areas. In view of past experiences in obtaining additional public telephone facilities on campus it appears that Telecom may be reluctant to meet the recent requests made by the S.R.C. No request has been received by the Plant & Equipment Division from the Attendant Patrol Staff as suggested by Mr Walsh, however, the Bursar is better able to comment on the matters raised by Mr Walsh with respect to the Patrol Staff and arrangements for dealing with after-hours enquiries.

Yours sincerely,

D.D. MORRIS, University Planner.

* On the night of November 25 the handset of the Public Tele­ phone on the Lower Plaza was torn off the instrument and stolen.

Dear Sir,

It is with some uncertainty that I pen this little note. To tell you of the difficult­ ness Of reading what you wrote. But no ..... Even if I sound derisive I must be decisive. Though scientists cannot spell (So many folk do tell) What the hell? Neither can you!

Jim Cleary, Physics Department.

Dear Sir,

I am sure that with your long experience in journalism you are aware that the juxtapos­i­ tion of two unrelated truths could produce a combination which could lead to an incorr­ ect assumption of a greater. So, in the last issue of Uni­ versity News you indicated, quite correctly, that I was the Faculty Secretary of the Faculty of Education. I think it should be made clear that I wrote that letter as an individual, and the Faculty of Education should not be held responsible in any way for the ideas there expres­ sed. I also happen to be a member of the Staff House, the Oddfellows Hockey Club among other groups.

I imagine that none of these groups would necessarily like to be associated with my pri­ vate views either.

Yours sincerely,

Peter W. Day.

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UNIVERSITY
MASTER PLAN
REVIEW REPORT

Some time ago, the University commissioned its Master Plan Consultants, Laurie & Heath Pty Ltd, to carry out a review of the University's original Master Plan. The Consultant's Report has now been completed and at its meeting on November 19 the University Council agreed that the Report be received and that it be distributed on request to interested groups within the University and made available to individuals through the Auchmuty Library. The aim of the review was to re-assess the long term develop­ ment of the University in the light of changes which have occurred since the original Master Plan was prepared (over 10 years ago) and to look at the possible ultimate capacity of the University site within the general principles established by the original Master Plan.

Unfortunately, the very sig­ nificant changes in growth rates and levels of funding which have occurred or during recent months have meant that many of the prop­ osals contained in the Report, even if agreed to, would be unlikely to eventuate in the foreseeable future.

The Buildings & Grounds Commit­ te of Council has, there­ fore, asked the University Planner to have a five-year development plan prepared, against the background of the Master Plan Review Report and any comments on it which may be received, but taking into account the current antici­ pated level of funding and growth.

The University Planner is anxious to receive comments on the Report from interested groups or individuals as soon as possible to enable the five-year development plan to be prepared early in 1977.

Copies of the Consultant's Report are available from the Reference Desk in the Auchmuty Library for borrowing by individuals and a limited number of copies are available for distribution to represent­ ative groups within the Uni­ versity on application to the University Planner.

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NEWS FROM THE COUNCIL

The Department of Creative Arts is to be known as the Department of Drama until the time is right for the establishment of a full Department of Creative Arts. The Council decided on this change of name and concentration of plans for a full Department of Creative Arts in the Drama component "because of the present and anticipated near future situation of the university".

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The German Saturday School Newcastle is to sponsor a prize to be awarded annually to the best student in German Studies in the Newcastle Region. The prize will be called the German Community Prize.

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* Council asked Senate to give advice on the question of rationalisation of facilities for higher education in the Newcastle Region. This matter was raised in a letter from the N.S.W. Higher Education Board, which stated that both the Report of the Universities Commission for 1977/79 and the Report of the Commission on Advanced Education has directed attention to the question of rationalisation of facilities in the higher education sector. At an appropriate time the Board would wish to enter into consultation with the Council of the University and the Council of Newcastle College of Advanced Education and work closely with these two bodies in effecting the most appropriate rationalisation of resources for higher education in the Newcastle Region.

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Appointment of the Board of Trustees of the Community Child Care Centre has virtually been completed. Professor W. Short is the Trustee, being Chairman, nominated by the Vice-Chancellor. Miss Joan E. Poole is the member of Newcastle C.A.E. staff nominated by the Council of N.C.A.E. Mr W.P. Rigney is the member nominated by the S.R.C. Mrs Wendy Harrison is the member nominated by C.A.E. College Association. Dr J.J. Bragg and Mr L. Caldwell are members nominated by the Vice-Chancellor. Dr M.P.A. Kirton, Dr K.H. White and Mr P. McDonald are members of the Council appointed by the Council. The Director when appointed will be a Trustee and the parents of children attending are entitled to nominate three of their number.

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Subsequent to the Sports Union requesting that its fee be increased, the Council further increased the general services charge which students of the university are required to pay. On September 10 the charge was raised after the Union and the Students' Representative Council asked for a 6% increase. This resolution was rescinded and general services charges of $99.25 a year for full-time students and $96.25 a year for part-time students were approved from January 1 next year. The previous charges were $93.24 a year for full-time students and $90.25 a year for part-time students.

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Council and community representatives have been appointed to the Community Programmes for two years beginning on January 1. Dr P. Kirton and Mr B. Relf will represent the Council and Messrs R. Roberts and J. Varnum the community.

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Mr Peter Tullgren, member elected by students, ceases to be a member at the end of this year and will be replaced on January 1 by Mr Wilfred Schultz.

Professor K.R. Dutton, the Retiring Deputy Chairman of Senate and a member elected by professors, has followed the convention and resigned from the Council with effect on January 24, 1977. An associated convention is the election by professors of the new Deputy Chairman to fill the vacancy on the Council. Professor R.G. Keats has been elected to succeed Professor Dutton as Deputy Chairman of Senate on January 24, 1977.

The Acting Chancellor (Sir Bede Callaghan) expressed on behalf of Council members and himself thanks to Mr Tullgren for his contributions for the future.

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The Council appointed Associate Professor A. Herzog Acting Head of the Department of Civil Engineering from December for seven months. The appointment is necessary because of Professor F.M. Henderson's plans to go on study leave. Mrs G.V. MacNeill was appointed Acting Head of the Department of Linguistics during the absence on study leave of Professor R. Hatton from December for eight months. Dr G.C. Goodwin was appointed Acting Head of the Department of Electrical Engineering from January for six months. The appointment was caused by Professor J.B. Moore's plans to go on study leave.

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The Council approved the admission of certain candidates to higher degrees at the next Graduation Ceremonies. They are:

Doctor of Philosophy
David John Hill (Department of Electrical Engineering), thesis title: "Stability Results for Nonlinear Control Systems".

William Lawrence Hogarth (Department of Mathematics), thesis title: "A Singular Perturbation Approach to Some Problems in Chemical Kinetics".

Pramod Chandra Sharma (Department of Geography), thesis title: "Local Government in an Australian City: A Geographical Investigation of Selected Dimensions of Neighbourhoods in Newcastle, New South Wales".

Master of Engineering
Harry Erle Cantle (Department of Civil Engineering), thesis title: "The Effect of Pulverisation and Pre-Treatment Moisture Content on the Properties of Stabilized Clays".

Master of Arts
Ronald Robinson (Department of Economics), thesis title: "The Australian Slaughtering Industry - An Industry Study with Particular Reference to Technological Diffusion".

Master of Education
William Reid Bruce (Department of Education), report title: "A Consideration of Some Factors Relevant to the Implementation and Development of Asian Social Studies in the Newcastle Region".

Ronal David Hinten (Department of Education), report title: "An Evaluation of Two Reading Schemes".

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Work is proceeding satisfactorily on the construction of the Medical Sciences Building, although wet weather has caused some delay. The basement has been completed and footings, Level 1 columns and lift well construction are well advanced.

Included in minor building works, site works and site services approved in principle by the Council for implementation in 1977, subject to the Union's right to appeal against approval, are the provision of air conditioning equipment and renovation of lecture theatre B01, provision of accommodation for the proposed radio station, extensions and alterations to the Faculty of Architecture building, construction of a new left turn inlet road off Rankin Drive, provision of entrance to the university, extension of No. 3 car park near Metallurgy and various kerb and gutter, lighting and other site works.

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The university has promoted seven senior lecturers to associate professors. The new associate professors are:

Dr W. V. Daniela, MA (Syd), Dr Phil (Freiburg), Department of Philosophy.

Dr B. Fenelon, BA (Qld), MA, PhD, MAPS5, Department of Psychology.

Dr G. C. Goodwin, BSc, BE, PhD (NSW), MIEE, MIEAust., Department of Electrical Engineering.

Dr R. C. Jones, BSc (NSW), PhD (Syd), Department of Biological Sciences.

Dr H. Maddox, BA, PhD (London), Higher Education Research Services Unit.

Dr N. Rutherford, BA (NSW), PhD (ANU), Department of History.

Dr E. R. Smith, MSc (Melb), PhD (London), Department of Mathematics.

Advancement to senior lecturer level has been approved for 12 lecturers:

P. Drew, BArch (NSW), Department of Architecture.

W. C. Dunlop, BA (Auck), MCom, Department of Economics.

Dr J. G. Fryer, BSurv, PhD (NSW), LS, MISAust., Department of Civil Engineering.

Dr D. S. R. S. Karamchetty, BE (Andhra), MTech, PhD (Kharagpur), MANSE, MIEAust., MESEE, AFPA, Department of Mechanical Engineering.

Dr R. J. Loughran, BSc (Durham), MSc, PhD (New England), Department of Geography.

Dr D. L. S. McElwain, BSc (Qld), PhD (York, Canada), Department of Mathematics.

S. C. Morton, ASTC, FRAIA, AREBA, MRAPI, Department of Architecture.

Dr R. N. Murdoch, BSc (NSW), PhD (Syd), Department of Biological Sciences.

Dr V. M. F. O'Byrne, BA (Budapest), MLitt, LLB (Dublin), DLettres (Caen), Advocate of High Court (Salisbury, S.R.), Department of Education.

G. E. Reeves, BA (New England), MA, Language Laboratory.

Dr R. Mcl. Robinson, BA, PhD, Department of Philosophy.

Dr R. J. Vaughan, BSc, MEngSc, MEng (NSW), PhD (Adel.), FSS, Department of Mathematics.

The university council, at its meeting on November 19, approved the promotions which were recommended by the personnel committee of senate (the deans, the deputy chairman of senate, the vice-principal and the vice-chancellor). The promotions are effective from January 1, 1977.

Further grants have been awarded to university staff members for research in 1977.

The national health and medical research council, the department of biological sciences, has been granted $30,287 for a project "genetic marking in Australian aborigines and investigation of tribal structure".

Mr A. H. B. Gillies, a postgraduate student who will be attached to the faculty of medicine, has been awarded a stipend of $9,600 in connection with research on "local controls and actions of renin angiotensin".

The department of defence, professor R. G. Keats, of the department of mathematics, will receive a further $1,000 for research in "signal processing".

The department of education, professor J. B. Biggs, and professor K. F. Collins, of the department of education, have been awarded $13,000 by the department's research and development committee for continuing research in "classroom examples of cognitive development phenomena".

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Contrasts In Film Art is the title of the film series which will be screened by the department of community programmes during the summer. The films will be screened in the basden theatre ho1 on Friday evenings at 8 p.m. The films in the series were selected as contrasting examples of great film-artists at work. They are:


February 25, Day For Night (France 1973) Director: Francois Truffaut. Principal actors: Jacqueline Bisset, Jean-Pierre Aumont. The series will be presented by dr Brian smith, who will introduce each film briefly and lead discussion following the screening. The fee for the series is $5 and enrolment is open to all interested people.

Mr Jack walsh, the university cricket coach, will coach the sons of staff members for five weeks.

Mr walsh, an ex-English county player and coach, will make his services available to budding young cricketers on Monday afternoons from 4 to 6 p.m., commencing on Monday, December 6, at the university practice nets on No. 1 Oval. A nominal fee of 60 cents per session will be payable to defray expenses. Members of staff are invited to enrol their son(s) and take advantage of the opportunity to learn a little of the fine
art of cricket. They can make arrangements through the Amen­
ities Office.

It is envisaged that three nets will be in operation to cater for boys in the 8-10,
11-13, 14-16 age groups. Beginners’, learners’ and advanced sessions will be
conducted. The sessions will be super­
vised by Geoff Butler, Norman Talbot and Harry Bradford.

DEVELOPMENTS
IN ASIAN STUDIES

Next year the Asian Studies content of subjects offered by
the University will be devel­
oped further by the introd­
uction of Japanese IIA and a
reference to Asia in the sub­
ject Sociology I.

Dr Arle Brand, at present
Senior Lecturer in Erasmus
University, Rotterdam, is due to
join the Department of Sociology early next year. He
has worked in Thailand and
will give lectures on Asia.

Dr Rosemary E. Barnard, Lect­
urer in Asian Studies in Geog­
raphy, has received a grant for
a research project in connec­
tion with the modernization of agriculture in a Malay peasant
community. She will go to
Malaysia in the long vacation
to start this work.

In 1976 the University was
able to increase its offerings
in the Asian Studies area fol­
lowing the appointment of Mr
Kiyoharu Ono, Lecturer in Japa­
ne, Mr Howard W. Dick, Lect­
er in Asian Studies in Econ­
omic History and Dr Barn­
ard.

In 1977 the University plans to
offer the following subjects
with Asian Studies orienta­tion:

Japanese I, Japanese IIA,
Economic History III/IIIA,
Growth and Development (part of
Economics IIIA or IIIB), Geo­
graphy IIA and IIIB, Geography
IIC, History IIIA, History IIIC,
Psychology IIIB and Sanskrit I.

The Chairman of the University’s
Board of Asian Studies (Assoc­
iate Professor P.G.P. Irwin),
stated that in 1975 the Asian
Studies Coordinating Committee
(based in Canberra) made a
special grant of $49,000 so
that the University could make
academic appointments to dev­
elop the teaching of Asian
languages and course components
about Asia.

Professor Irwin said that by
making Asian Studies subjects
available the Board hoped to
encourage, among other things, the extension of Asian Studies
content in school courses. It
was also anxious to establish
direct contact with graduate
teachers, who were eligible to
enrol as non-degree students.
The Board of Asian Studies will
continue to sponsor lectures by
outstanding scholars.

A display of historic photographs in the foyer of the Auchmuty
Library shows the several adjournments that have delayed the
construction of Christ Church Cathedral.
The picture at top is dated 1893. Work on the foundations
started in 1886 and one stage was completed by 1900. Note the
saplings used as scaffolding and the graves in the old Newcastle
Cemetery.
The picture below was taken about 1927 during construction of
Stage IV of the building. The present Heritage appeal for funda­
tes aimed at completing Stage V.
The display in the Library consists of some of the more interest­
ing items in the Cathedral Archives, which are included in the
University Archives.

GUEST APPEARANCE
BY SANTA CLAUS

A family Christmas Smorgasbord
dinner has been organized by
the Faculty Wives' Group in
Association with the Staff
House. It is to be held on
Wednesday, December 22 in the
Staff House, commencing at
5.45 p.m.

Special Guest will be Santa
Claus, who will distribute
sweets to all the children,
and the evening will close
approximately at 8.30 p.m.
with Carol Singing around the piano.
The cost will be $2.75 per
adult and $1.25 per child.
Tea or coffee for adults and
cordial for children are
included in the charges.
Numbers will be limited to 150
Mr H. Floyer, Treasurer of the
Staff House, is accepting
bookings.
STUDY LEAVE INQUIRY
INTERESTS A.V.C.C.

The Australian Vice-Chancellor's Committee is seeking further information and clarification on the Government's inquiry into study leave in universities and colleges of advanced education. The committee was prompted to do this by the Minister for Education's statement that:

The Government has accepted the financial recommendations of the Universities Commission for 1977 amounting to $561.6m. The Government will continue to supplement programmes to meet unavoidable cost increases on the basis of appropriate indexes already approved for that purpose, but that institutions are urged "to use every endeavour to identify savings and to practice good housekeeping". There is to be an inquiry into study leave in universities and colleges of advanced education.

The Committee welcomed the decisions on programmes for 1977 and cost supplementation but is seeking clarification about the identification of savings and the practice of good housekeeping referred to by the Minister.

The Committee has written to the Minister for Education welcoming his announcement about student assistance in 1977 and the decision not to reintroduce tuition fees for second degree, higher degree and overseas students. The Committee has examined the implications of the student assistance changes in the light of continuing areas of hardship and need and is making representations to the Minister about:

- The reduction from $600 to $150 the maximum assistance permitted for other awards and is asking for consideration that prizes, exhibitions and the like are excluded, and
- The new criteria for determining 'independence' and to seek removal of anomalies.

All universities have been served with a log of claims by the Health and Research Employees Association (HAREA) covering a wide range of non-academic staff. The A.V.C.C., through its Non-teaching Staff Study Group, has co-ordinated universities' responses to the log, and has obtained legal representation before the Conciliation and Arbitration Commission on their behalf. The Committee believes that Government expenditure on research in 1977, through the Universities Commission, the ARGC and the NH & MRC, is inadequate in the current cost climate. It is therefore making representations to the Ministers for Education, Health and Science to remind them that a further real increase in funding will be needed in 1978 and 1979 to maintain and develop research capability. The A.V.C.C. has agreed to a request from the President, FAUSA (Professor J.R. Niland) for a meeting between representatives of the A.V.C.C. and FAUSA, to discuss such matters as academic salaries, superannuation, book-pricing and the Inquiry into Education and Training. A meeting has been arranged for December 16.

The A.V.C.C. has appointed the following office-bearers for 1977:

- Chairman, Professor Sir Zelman Cowen
- Deputy Chairman, Professor R.H. Myers

Executive: Chairman Mr J.R. Wilbraham, Deputy Chairman, Dr K.J.C. Back, Sir George Cartland, Professor D.A. Low with power to co-opt.

F.S. HAMBLY,
Secretary.

EDUCATION INQUIRY COMMITTEE NAMED

The Minister for Education, Senator Carrick, announced the names of the committee of 10 to conduct an inquiry into education and training.

The Committee is:

- Professor B.R. Williams, Chairman
- Mr M.H. Bone, Director-General of the Department of Further Education, South Australia
- Mr C.O. Dolan, National Secretary of the Electrical Trades Union, a senior vice president of the ACTU, a member of the Technical and Further Education Commission and a member of the National Training Council
- Dr A.M. Fraser, the Director of the Queensland Institute of Technology, a member of the Commission on Advanced Education and a member of the Queensland Board of Advanced Education
- Miss Pauline Griffin, an Australian Conciliation and Arbitration Commissioner, who was for 10 years a member of the Council of Abbotsleigh School, Sydney
- Miss E.M. Guthrie, Staff Inspector (Pupil Welfare and Curriculum), NSW Department of Education and chairman of the NSW Committee into the transition from school to work
- Mr J.A.L. Hooke, Chairman of Amalgamated Wireless (Australia) Ltd and a member of the Defence (Industrial) Committee
- Sir Peter Lloyd, formerly chairman of Cadbury Fry Pascall, Australia Ltd, and a member of the Council of the University of Tasmania
- Dr W.D. Neal, Dean of the Faculty of Teacher Education at the WA Institute of Technology and chairman of the WA Post-secondary Education Commission
- Mr D.A. Low, Chairman and managing director of ICI Australia Ltd, and a member of the Defence (Industrial) Committee

Senator Carrick said he believed the membership of the committee was appropriate for the most important inquiry into post-secondary education since the Martin Committee was set up in 1964.

The Government expected members of the committee to consider the issues from a national standpoint and not to regard themselves as representatives of particular States or organisations.

Senator Carrick said the committee will direct its attention particularly to post-secondary education because of the significant number of people who entered the labor market at the end of their 10th year of schooling.

"The committee will look at the products of the secondary schooling system and how they are fitting into the labor force," he said.

"We want to examine also what options are available for further education to the child who leaves school early."
All members of the academic and teaching staff are deeply thanked for their contributions to the above appeal.

In particular, the Heads of the Departments of Education and Geography, and the Secretaries of those Departments, should be acknowledged for their wish in co-ordinating the collection.

A total amount of $675 was in hand when the appeal was closed on Friday, November 25.

This has been passed to Margaret Shortle with an indication of the origins of the appeal and the breadth of response across the University.

The Association will endeavour to acknowledge individual contributions. Anonymous donors please accept this item as thanks and acknowledgement.

W. Warren,
HON. SECRETARY, U.N.S.A.
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13' Quintrex aluminium boat - galvanised trailer - 25 H.P. motor. Excellent unit. Any trial. $1,450. Tel. 51 2378.

VW 1500 Beetle. 1970 model in excellent condition; one-owner, going on leave. $1,950 o.n.o. Tel. Ext. 310 or leave message at Ext. 346.

9' wrought iron gates in two sections - 3' and 6'; 26' high. $20. Tel. Margaret Hill, 58 2240 after 5 p.m.

Dark veneer wardrobe, loughboy, dressing table, double bedhead. Best offer. Tel. 20 1011.

List of Non-Academic Positions

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Five-minutes walk to University. Three bedroom house on large block in quiet cul de sac, close to schools and Jesmond Shopping Centre. Double garage, new stove, oil heater, carpets and blinds. Second mortgage available. $29,990. Tel. 52 5090.

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