

# IDLE CHATTER Mark II

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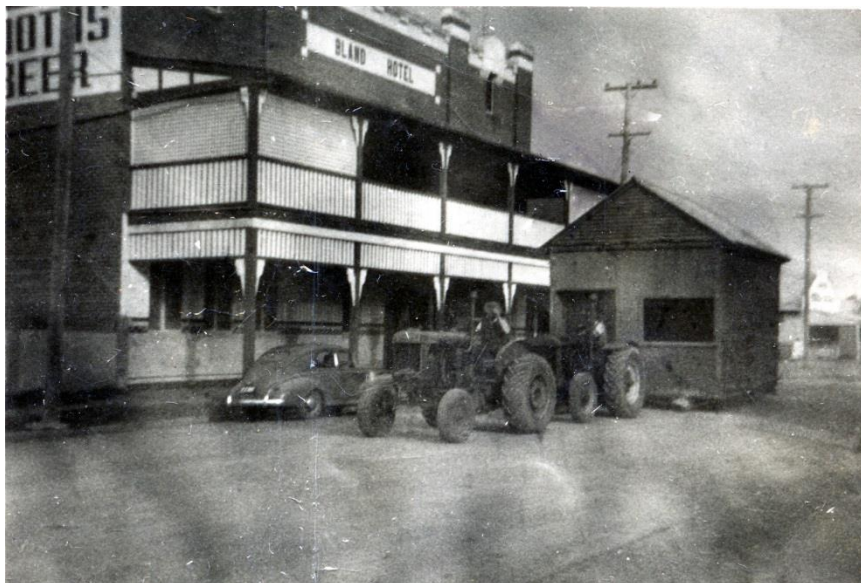
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## CAN YOU HELP?

Is there anyone out there  
who might know something about this photo?



The photo was forwarded to me from Ross Harmer who compiled the DVD about Quandialla. He has come across this snapshot and asked if I knew anything about it. My first thought was it might be when they moved the remains of the first hall, but hopefully there is someone out there that can tell us exactly what is happening and when it took place. Please get in touch with me if you can help with any information.

## HALL WORKING BEE:

**This Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> June at 10.00 am**

We have a number of maintenance jobs that require attention.

- Eg:
- Re-surfacing the band stage
  - Covering the base of the band stage
  - Placing the hall water supply under ground
  - Securing plaques to the Fettle's & Settlers Wall
  - Maybe some painting

*Notice of this working bee is a little late and I do apologise,  
but if you can spare an hour or two your assistance would be most appreciated.*

## CHURCH SERVICE NOTICES:

St Brigid's Catholic Church: Mass will be celebrated at **Bribbaree** every Sunday during June at 8.00am

St Marks Anglican Church: Our July Service will be held on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> July at 5pm. All Welcome

Quandialla Community Church: Services will be held on the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in July at 4.00pm. All Welcome

## QUANDIALLA FRIDAY NIGHT JACKPOTS:

You still have a chance to win!!!

The Bland Hotel Joker Draw has jackpotted to \$900 and The Quandialla Bowling Club Members Draw will be \$9000 this Friday.

*Hopefully it will be someone from Quand's lucky night!*

## SAVE THE DATE:

### QUANDIALLA PRESCHOOL ROAST NIGHT

31<sup>st</sup> July at the Quandialla Bowling Club from 6pm onwards

\$25 per Adult and \$10 for children 12 and under

Major Raffles drawn on the night

More information to follow

## RALPH RICHARDS SEPTICS

Call for a Quote – Phone – 0457 821965 or 0477 094193 or 0429 423853

SEWING GROUP: Don't forget Sewing Group this Saturday – 9.30am to 3.30pm at QCS. All Welcome

**Quandialla District Scholarship Committee – Presentation Evening**

*You are cordially invited to attend our Presentation Evening at the Quandialla Bowling Club on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July, 2015  
Scholarships will be presented at 7.30pm  
Finger food will be served prior to our presentation  
Please come along and support our local students  
N Gault – Hon Secretary*

**BELATED AND EARLY 21<sup>ST</sup> BIRTHDAY WISHES:**

A little birdy told me there will be a combined birthday party in Quandialla this weekend

Miss Chloe Armitage turned 21 on the 9<sup>th</sup> June  
and

Miss Hannah Broomby will turn 21 on the 4<sup>th</sup> July  
*I.C. would like to wish both young ladies Many Happy Returns  
and hope you have a great celebration with family and friends.*

**CARAGABAL P & C INVITES YOU TO  
A CURRIED CARAGABAL CHRISTMAS IN JULY**

Where: *Caragabal Country Club*

When: *Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2015 Time: 6.30pm*

Cost: *\$40 per ticket for a 3 course Indian inspired Christmas Feast*

RSVP: *10<sup>th</sup> July – Hollie: 0427475391*

Dress: *A touch of Christmas*

There will be light entertainment provided - Raffles and prizes to be won!

It is with a heavy heart that I need to report the sad but peaceful passing of Robert Murray Anderson on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June. It was a privilege to know Murray and there would be many more who felt the same and he will be sadly missed. On behalf of all Idle Chatter readers I extend our deepest sympathy to Bev, Sally Anne, Virginia, Jamie and families, our thoughts and prayers are with you.

**BLAST FROM THE PAST** Extracts from IDLE CHATTER

Extract from IDLE CHATTER No: 250

THURS 15<sup>th</sup> May 1967

*CIVIC PRIDE – And what a pleasing sight it was - an all feminine working bee at the Blamey Park. If the men of this town could have watched without a twinge of shame, they would have seen Mrs Melba Edgerton cart 100 gallons of water and distribute same around the young trees. Young Graham Edgerton did a mighty job with the mower (lent by Bill McDonald) and sticks and stones were moved and help given generally by the Sinclair children Francis, Sandra and Merrin. I nearly wrote "Toots" there but Merrin gets annoyed with me when I call her that. Then there was Jan Armour, Jean and Robyn Napier and believe me all these children are to be commended for their effort. Mrs Mabel Dixon, Mrs Charlie Sellen and Mrs Bevan McAlister raked over every inch of the ground and burnt the result of their labour. These civic minded people have made the request that the ground surrounding the Park be burnt off. How about it fellows .....*

Extract from IDLE CHATTER No: 251

THURS 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1967

*GOLF – A little dicky bird has just whispered to me that Max Penfold won the golf last Sunday. If it isn't a McAlister, it's an Armour, if it isn't an Armour it's a Penfold and if it isn't one of that three it's a ruddy miracle. I'm sick of it so I will give a 10/- lottery ticket next Sunday to the winner if it is a foreigner, but I suppose if it comes to bedrock I'll give it to a McAlister, an Armour or a Penfold if one of them should happen to win, again .....*

*THE POOL – Mrs Les Troth has generously donated a sheep skin rug which is to be raffled for the pool fund. The tickets will be 1/- each or three for two bob (sorry, twenty cents). Just imagine jumping out of bed on these cold mornings onto a beautifully soft rug. Blimey! I've talked myself in gimme four bob's worth. Thank you Mrs Troth. The kids will love you for your act .....*

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Cheers until next week ..... **Sue Priestley**