

AUSTRALIAN SPELEOLOGICAL FEDERATION

7th BIENNIAL CONFERENCE - GRAHAM'S CASTLE, GOOLWA, S.A. 27-30 Dec. '68.

PROGRAMME:      Thursday 26th:- opens in afternoon for arrivals.  
Dinner at 7 p.m. for those who have ordered it.  
Films (2) at approx. 8.30 p.m. if audience is awake.

Friday 27th:- 7.00 a.m. Breakfast  
9.00 a.m. Official opening of Conference by the  
S.A. Minister of Lands, Mr. David Brookman. The Friday session deals  
with aspects of conservation applicable to caves and cavernous areas.  
Session Chairman is John R. Dunkley. Paper 1: "Conservation and South  
Australia" - Grant Gartrell.  
11.00 a.m. Morning Tea.  
11.30 a.m. Paper 2: "The Case for Colong" - Gregory  
Middleton. It is anticipated that discussion will follow.  
12.30 p.m. Lunch.  
2.00 p.m. Paper 3. At the time of printing this space  
contains a question-mark. It was to have been filled by the paper:  
"Conservation Problems, Texas Caves" - Henry Shannon, but .. as he  
was last reported to be stranded near Mt. Isa .. only time will tell.  
The content of Paper 3 is, however, bound to have a Queensland flavour.  
3.30 p.m. Afternoon Tea.  
4.00 p.m. Executive Meeting.  
6.00 p.m. Tea (or Dinner if you'd rather call it that).  
7.45 p.m. "The Star Mountains in Tetchniculler"  
- Michael Shepherd.  
Films. Curfew.

Saturday 28th:- 7.00 a.m. Breakfast.  
9.00 a.m. Committee Meeting. (till lunchtime)  
11.00 a.m. Morning Tea.  
12.30 p.m. Lunch.  
2.00 p.m. Cave Science Session. Chairman: Elery  
Hamilton-Smith. Paper 1: "Possible Methods of Cave Detection"  
by Michael Webb. Paper 2: "Meteorological Conditions in  
Wyanbene Cave, New South Wales". - Ian Wood.  
Paper 3: "Drought and Murray Cave, Cooleman  
Plains, N.S.W." - Joe Jennings et al, presented by Ian Nankivell.  
Paper 4: "The Fundamentals of Ecology and  
Caves as Ecological Laboratories" - Dierk Von Behrens.  
Paper 5: "The Macroflash Mark 1."  
- Edward G. Anderson (inventor x)

The order of these papers may be rearranged slightly depending on  
lengths, to allow for the afternoon tea ceremony to be held at a  
civilised hour.

6.00 p.m. Dinner ( or Tea etc).  
7.45 p.m. "J.P. Fitzpatrick Hamilton-Smith in South-  
east Asia" - in case you hadn't guessed presented by Elery Hamilton-  
Smith. Films follow

Sunday 29th:- 7.00 a.m. Breakfast.  
9.00 a.m. Committee Meeting. (till lunchtime)  
11.00 a.m. Morning Tea.  
12.30 p.m. Lunch.  
2.00 p.m. Third Session, Chairman Alan Hill, dealing  
roughly with the theme: "Caves and their Visitors"  
- Paper 1: "The Role of The Amateur in Speleo-  
logical Science" - Roly Webb.  
Paper 2: "Caving for Scouts" - Dean Da Costa.  
Paper 3: "The Physical Protection of Caves"  
- John Dunkley.

7.00 p.m. The Cavemen's Dinner

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Monday 30th:-

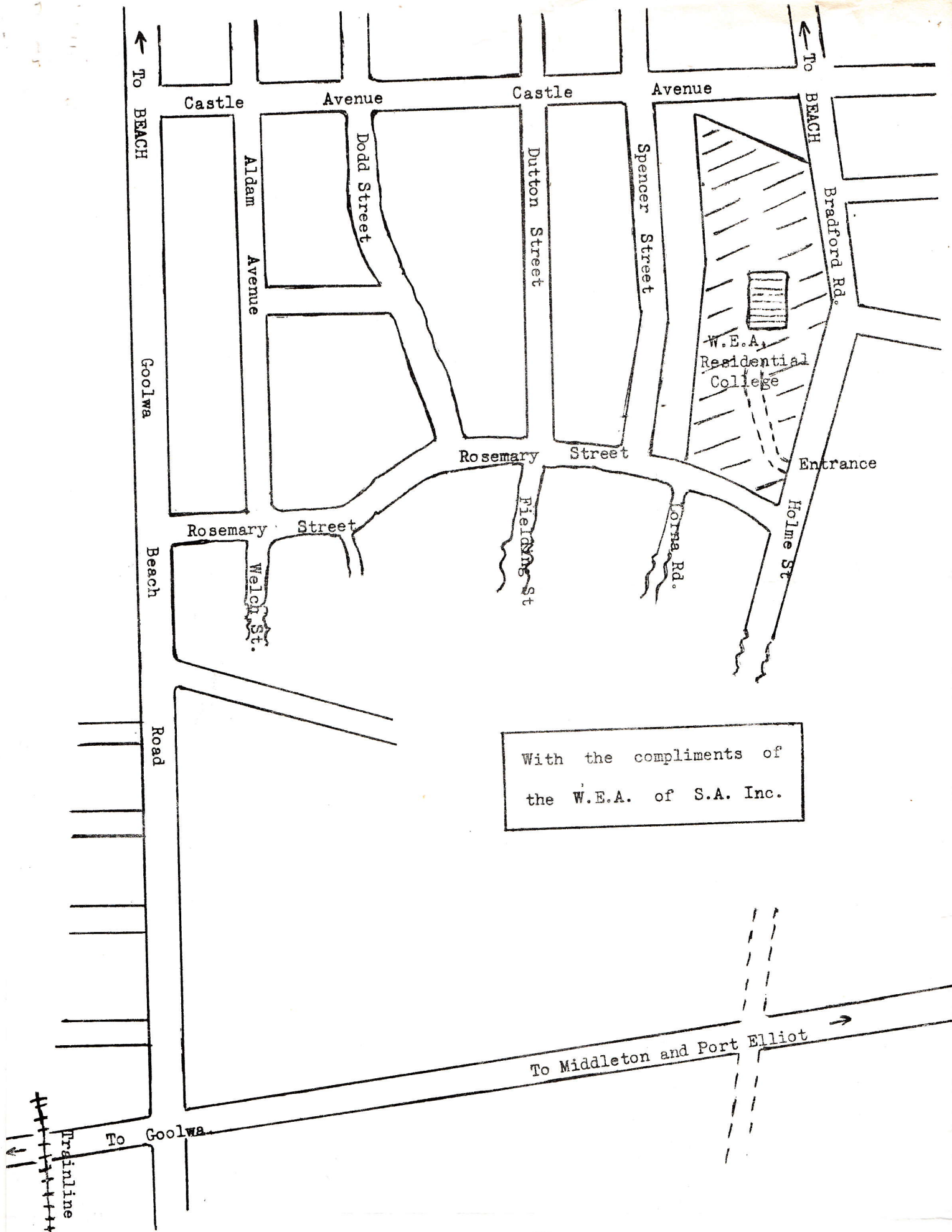
7.00 a.m. Breakfast.

9.00 a.m. Executive Meeting.

11.00 a.m. Morning Tea.

12.30 p.m. Lunch, and then wander off.

Those not engaged in Executive duties will find the Monday morning an excellent time for final pre-post-Conference-trip-briefing. Duty rosters will be posted in a location to be made known, as will notice of alterations and additions to the Programme. Our hosts at the Castle are Mr. & Mrs. Leech. Look after them as much as you can and they'll be able to look after you better in return.



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