

GENERAL NEWS.

Thursday next is Anzac Day and will be observed as a public holiday. The local sub-branch of the R.S.L. will conduct services in the hall at 8. p.m. the Rev. N. F. Warlow presiding, to be followed by community singing. All returned men must wear ribbons, but not medals, and those not having ribbons are asked to enquire of the secretary (Mr. J. Osmond.)

The Lennonville Cricket Club conducted a very pleasant social afternoon's cricket on Sunday of last week the occasion being the farewelling of the railway gang, who are going into retreat at Moyagee. As their new home is in a dry area (except when it rains) the club entertained them with glasses and a barrel and, of course, a little cricket. The stewards were most attentive to the players during the early part of the game but it was noticed that later the most favoured places in the field were near the "bush shed." However, although the game suffered somewhat owing to the "sticky" wicket everyone voted the afternoon a huge success. The fixtures close for the season with the return match with Lake Austin.

The euchre party and dance in aid of the R.C. Church funds was again well patronised on Saturday evening and proved very enjoyable. The euchre prizes went to Miss O. Oates, first in the lady's, with Mrs J. Walsh second, the men's going to Mr. P. Hayden and Mr W. Carroll. The booby prizes were won by Miss P.

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On Tuesday evening at Magnet Amusements talkies Robert Young and Leila Hymans will be seen again in "Saturdays Millions" together with "I like it that way" in which laughter, music and dancing will be the feature of the evenings entertainment. Roger Pryor and Gloria Stuart are the principal actors.

The death occurred at Paynesville on Monday of James Melville Gardener Torrence, who had only recently arrived in the district and who had been in indifferent health for some time. Deceased was found dead in bed by the licensee of the Paynesville Hotel, Mr E. S. Moses, at 8.30 a.m. and on receiving notification P.C. Hearn went out and after examination had deceased buried later in the Paynesville cemetery. It was apparent that deceased had died in his sleep from natural causes, he having been suffering from heart trouble for some time. Deceased, who was about 55 years of age, was a native of Edinburgh and came to W.A. about 30 years ago having spent most of his time in the Kimberleys; he landed in Fremantle on March 16th, when he arrived by the Koolinda from Derby.

Shares in Airlines Ltd. are offered to the public at 5/- each and the provisional directors in this Co. are Messrs C. E. Prior, P. Fitzgerald, H. B. Jackson K.C. and E. L. Barrett. The Co. will be formed with the object of engaging in civil and commercial air navigation and the transport of goods and passengers between Perth, Kalgoorlie, Wiluna, Meeka-

LEED, KALGOORNE, WINDA, MEKATHARRA, Cue, Mt. Magnet, and other centres.

A fatal accident occurred five miles south of Meekatharra on the Nannine road on Monday last week, when a truck driven by T. Stanton and carrying his two sons and another man, one R. Burnside, overturned, pinning the driver, a son and Burnside beneath it. The boy, who was thrown clear, walked to Meekatharra for assistance, and when help arrived Stanton senior was found to be dead and the others slightly injured. The late Mr T. Stanton was well known throughout the Meekatharra and Sandstone districts, having resided at Sandstone for about 6 years prior to settling with his family at Meekatharra in 1916. He was first employed as an assayer by the Fenian Gold Mining Syndicate, later as secretary of the of Australian Workers' Union, Meekatharra Branch, and for the past few years conducted a carrying business. The deceased was 46 years of age.

A meeting of the Buffaloes Lodge was held on 7th April, the business being the installation of new officers for the quarter. Those installed were—S.P., A. Moore; C.M., Alan Mickle; C.S., E. K. Woodroffe; C.R. W. Britton; C.C., J. Vasse; C. War, E. Moffett; A. B., A. Melville; C.W. E. Huckstep and T. Kiely (junr). These officers hope to hold a successful quarter and hope to see larger attendance amongst the local members of the Order which now number 104. A meeting will be held on Sunday night at 7 o'clock, so roll up and help to make it a pleasant evening.