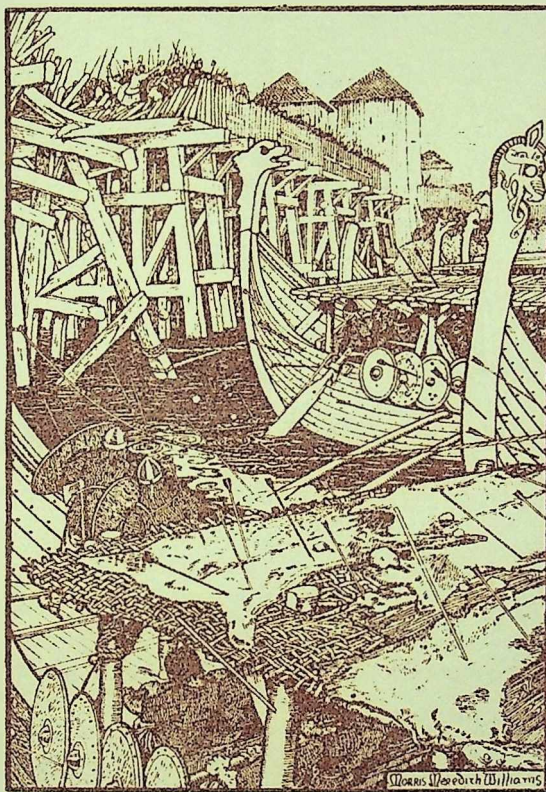


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Australia: NSW	2		2
Victoria	14	9	23
Queensland		2	2
South Australia	8	2	10
Western Australia		1	1
Tasmania	1		1
New Zealand	1		1
United States of America	3		3
Canada	1		1
United Kingdom		1	1
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Inns and Outs HANDFIELD (activity) and HORVAT (dues/activity) will be out if nothing arrives from them by 9 December.

If they are out, CLARK and DILLON will be invited to join.

DON ASHBY, BERRY, CIRCOSTA, JOHNSON and TAYLOR should all be out, but for various reasons they are given until 31 January to pay their dues owing since 1 August; this applies also to HORVAT if he makes this mailing.

In Limbo

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change of address

I asked waitlisters last mailing to give an indication of their continued interest in joining ANZAPA, and to comment, if they felt like it, on the practice of sending the official organ to them, on whether they should pay a fee for this and whether they should be required to acknowledge receiving it (as a sign of continuing interest in the association). I heard from Clark, Dillon, Peacey, Brosnan, Payne, Weddall, Arnott, Frahm and Middlemiss during the two months since last mailing, and all indicated interest. Margaret Arnott and Perry Middlemiss asked to join the waiting list; I invited Leanne Frahm to join (see note in Parergon Papers 5). What I find particularly interesting about this response is that I didn't hear from waitlisters 3 to 10 (Ford to Styles); Lawrence, Ryan and Styles I know are interested, and I think Stevens is, but I have heard nothing at all (except rumours) from Ford, Joiner, Campbell and Pagram in the time that I have been OBE. Since there is at least a theoretical chance that twelve of them may be invited to join in February, you can see why I like to hear from the waitlisters every so often.

The four waitlisters who commented on the official organ said that it should be sent to them and that they should pay for it. Three said that they should also acknowledge receiving it; one said that paying for it was enough. Irwin Hirsh also commented on these matters, and said yes to all three proposals. Other members have commented in their contributions to this mailing.

As a result of all this, I have proposed a Special Rule to make clear the small duties and entitlements of waitlisters. With seventeen people on the waiting list, and little apparent prospect of our ever not having a waiting list, it seems a good idea to settle the matter now.

I have also proposed a Special Rule about the association's activity requirement. The present interpretation of 'six pages every six months' is 'six pages in any three consecutive mailings', which is unfair to some members, easy to miscalculate and open to abuse by any OBE who might feel like playing favourites (e.g. 'I'll keep X in, because he's a good guy and only owes two pages anyway, but Y can go, because no-one likes him anyway'); also it actually promotes minimum activity, because the easiest way of keeping up is to put six pages in every third mailing.

Unlike constitutional amendments, Special Rules may be passed by a simple majority of members voting. Or a majority of simple members voting. So if you are interested, vote.

WHO WANTS TO BE BLOODY?

The Constitution provides that ballots for the election of Official Bloody Editor be distributed with the February mailing. So far no-one has given any indication of wishing to stand for the position, but I feel confident that someone will step forward between now and 31 January. I will not be standing for re-election unless the candidates are really awful.

You do not need to be nominated for the job. Just write to me by 31 January. If you are standing on a platform, feel free to tell me about it, but understand that I will only be listing nominations in the official organ; to get the votes you will need to get out there on the hustings in the February mailing.

The only restriction on nomination is that the OBE must be an Australian resident (and a member in good standing, of course). Sorry about that, Denny, Jan and you-all overseas. I understand, Mike, that Tasmania is regarded as part of Australia for the purposes of this section of the constitution.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Balance, 7 October 1977			\$149.09
Receipts: Darling	7.00		
Weddall	1.00		
Unspent provision for postage	8.10	+	16.10
Provision for postage, mailing 59	30.00	-	30.00
Balance, 10 December 1977			\$135.19

And from that last date you will gather that I am typing this official organ on the day when the mailing should go out, and Labor get in. (*No political comment in the OO, JB!* Quite right, sir. Very sorry, sir. Seen any good cricket lately, sir?) There are two reasons for being two days late getting this mailing out. I would normally have done the OO last weekend, but Don Ashby rang me on 30 November and asked whether it would be okay if he got his stuff to me by the beginning of this week. I said it would be okay. On Monday I started a training course, and sensory overload (I think it's called) made me feel like nothing but crashing each night this week. Don's stuff, and anything he may have sent with it, has not turned up yet.

There has been no word from Carey Handfield or Mike Horvat, so their membership has lapsed and Mike Clark and Kevin Dillon will be invited to join.

DEADLINE FOR MAILING 60: TUESDAY, 31 JANUARY 1978

Actually Friday 3 February will be okay, but 31 JANUARY is easier to remember.

Contributions to John Bangsund, PO Box 434, Norwood, SA 5067 (Phone 08 43 9957, after 6pm. Address for telegrams and air express parcels: 82 Hughes Street, Mile End, South Australia.)

IT'S VOTING TIME! And members will receive two copies of this page, one in the official organ, one to use as a ballot form. I hereby nominate Bruce Gillespie official teller, and Monday 16 January 1978 the deadline for receipt of votes. Votes need not be recorded on this form, but all must be signed.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

As detailed in the October official organ, the amendment concerns the number of persons or couples that ANZAPA may accept as members, and the number of copies of contributions required if membership is increased. The ballot takes the form of three questions.

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| 1 | <i>Are you in favour of ANZAPA's membership limit being increased from 30 to 35?</i> | YES | NO |
| 2 | <i>If so, would you prefer the number of copies of contributions required from each member increased to 38 or 40?</i> | 38 | 40 |
| 3 | <i>If you are not in favour of increasing the membership limit to 35, but a majority of members is in favour of it, would you prefer the number of copies increased to 38 or 40?</i> | 38 | 40 |

SPECIAL RULES

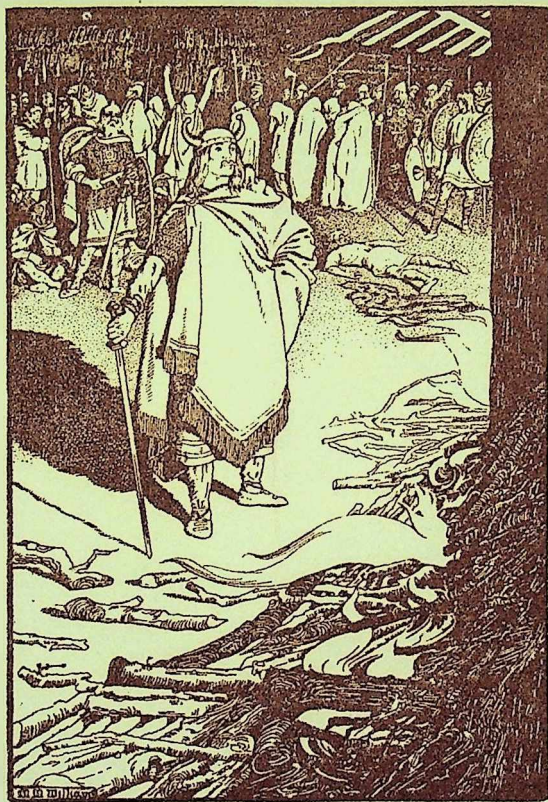
The Constitution says that amendments and special rules shall be voted on 28 days after their distribution. As with the amendment ballot above, I take the liberty of extending this deadline to 16 January 1978, since there are always considerable delays in the postal service at this time of year. Ballots to Bruce Gillespie, please.

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| 1 | Persons on the waiting list shall be entitled to receive copies of the official organ, | YES | NO |
| | and shall be required to pay a fee of A\$1.00 on joining the list, | YES | NO |
| | and to acknowledge receipt of the official organ. Persons who do not acknowledge receipt of two successive official organs will be considered to have lost interest in joining the association, and their names will be removed from the waiting list. | YES | NO |
| 2 | Until such time as a constitutional amendment to the same effect is either accepted or rejected by a majority of members, the OBE shall interpret the 'six pages every six months' rule as meaning six pages in the mailings from February to June and six pages in the mailings from August to December. | YES | NO |

Special rules proposed by John Bangsund.

BALLOTS TO BE RETURNED TO BRUCE GILLESPIE, GPO BOX 5195AA,
MELBOURNE 3001, BY MONDAY 16 JANUARY 1978

Your signature here, please:



"Come thou out, housewife," called Flosi to Bergthora