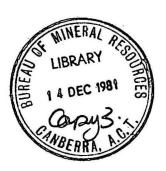
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PUBLICATION AND INFORMATION SECTION

Head of Section: A. Renwick

A. Renwick administered the Section throughout most of the year. During his comparatively short absences on leave and duty, E.P. Shelley acted for him.

The year saw progress with a number of interesting publications, including a revised edition of 'Rocks and Fossils around Canberra' which is intended for the layman, and the more definitive commentary on the 1:50 000-scale map of Canberra, Queanbeyan, and Environs, aimed at the more serious student and the professional.

Progress was also made with the BMR Earth Science Atlas of Australia, for which a number of new commentaries and some new maps were prepared.

Publication Subsection

Principal Editors: W.H. Oldham (until July), A.G.L. Paine

J.F. Truswell was absent on secondment for the whole year, but J. Adkins's appointment in March prevented the Subsection from falling seriously behind in its publications program. However, W.H. Oldham retired in July and, although his position has been filled by internal promotion, the ensuing vacancy has not yet been filled. In the latter half of the year, publication of the BMR Journal fell a month behind schedule because of work overload.

The Publications Coordinating Committee, established in 1979, continued to meet fortnightly and is becoming progressively more experienced and successful in its role of planning and expediting production.

The transfer for functional purposes of the Publications
Production Group from the Administrative Section on an experimental
basis in 1980, has proved to be successful, and a closer working
relationship with editors, and hence an increase in overall efficiency,
have resulted.

After wide consultation with authors and draftsmen the Subsection compiled 'Preferred Abbreviations', which is to be published shortly as the first edition of a miscellaneous monograph.

Information Subsection

Principal Information Officer: E.P. Shelley

General Services

A large part of the Subsection's activities was directed towards the continuous flow of enquiries from Government, industry, and the public. The demand from schools and students for project material continued at a high level throughout the year. In the 8-month period February-September, 582 requests from schools and over 10 000 from students were received, a significant increase over the same period of 1980. There was also an increase in the number of enquiries from industry reflecting the steady increase in exploration activity.

The Subsection coordinated BMR contributions to various publications including the Arid Zone Newsletter, AAEC Annual Report, Newsletter of the NSW Committee for the Coordination of Government Geological Programs, the Department's Annual Report, and various yearbooks and directories. The Subsection also coordinated answers to Parliamentary questions and Ministerial correspondence, and prepared briefs and background papers for the Minister and the Department.

A brief was prepared for the Department for the 37th meeting of ESCAP and the 8th meeting of the ESCAP Natural Resources Committee.

Information Systems

Maintenance of the Publications and Records Index continued during the year. This index shares the GEODX database with the Stratigraphic Index, and is maintained on BMR's HP-1000 computer using the IMAGE Data Base Management System. The list of Records in the 'Quarterly list of publications of BMR' is now compiled from the database, as was Appendix 2, and the first part of Appendix 1 in this Record.

In cooperation with the Cartography Section, a computer database was designed to facilitate the production of the index of airborne surveys.

During January and February, a survey was made of reference and source databases in BMR, both existing and proposed.

In March, E.P. Shelley presented a paper, 'Non-bibliographic geoscience databases in Australia', at an AMF seminar on geoscience numeric and bibliographic data.

In September, BMR hosted a meeting of BMR and State Geological Survey information specialists to discuss common problems and explore possible areas of cooperation.

BMR continued its support of the Australian Earth Sciences Information System (AESIS). \$7 000 was contributed towards AESIS computing costs in 1980/81 and \$8 000 has been provided for 1981/82. E.P. Shelley represented BMR at the AESIS Advisory Committee Meeting in Melbourne in October.

Publications

New editions of Parts 1 and 2 of the list of publications were compiled, printed and distributed. A brochure 'Geological, Geophysical, and Geochemical Maps from BMR' was produced early in the year to replace the two brochures 'The Geological and geophysical activities of BMR in Australia and Antarctica'.

A consolidated list of BMR maps and other material available from the Government Printer Copy Service, and a list of PSSA operations are at an advanced stage of compilation.

The Subsection produced the 'Quarterly List of Publications of BMR' during the year. BMR Records were despatched monthly to open file centres.

The 12th issue and one supplement of the list of coming events in the earth sciences were compiled and distributed within BMR, and to some other organisations and individuals.

Four project brochures were revised and printed in October; one other was reprinted without revision. Seven others, including a new title (Tin), are in various stages of preparation.

Internal Information Services

The Subsection continued to provide a watching brief on UN activities in the earth sciences and mineral and energy resources relevant to BMR, and briefed officers and circulated material as appropriate. Hansard and Notice Papers were scanned for items of interest to BMR and these were circulated to relevant officers.

Symposium and Lectures

The 10th BMR Symposium was held in Canberra on 5-6 May. There were 160 registrations by geoscientists from industry, tertiary education institutions, and Commonwealth and State organisations. Fifteen papers were presented by BMR scientists; the Harold Raggatt Award for the best presentation was awarded to Dr R.W. Johnson.

The Subsection organised the Tuesday morning lecture series held at BMR from January to April.

Public Relations and Publicity

Several student groups visited BMR during the year; most visits were organised in cooperation with Museum staff. Careers information in the geosciences and mining was provided at 'Careers 81' at Bruce College of Technical and Further Education in July. Some of the material from the Careers 81 display was sent to Rockhampton for a similar display in late July.

A collection of rocks from the Canberra region, and assistance with a seismology display were provided to Canberra's 'Questacon' science education centre.

In the 12-month period to September 1981, 28 news releases were prepared on various BMR activities (7), publications (7), availability of data (10), and petroleum reserves (4). A program of advertising of BMR publications in selected newspapers continued in 1981.

LIBRARY

Librarian-in-Charge: M.A. Thompson

Computerised Loan System

Further development of LIBLN, the computerised loan system, took place during the year. Three new items and a new set were added, and the database was reorganised to provide for the incorporation of ordering information, and to minimise the amount of empty space. A clean up of serial entries was also made. The computerised ordering information proved valuable during the time when new subscription lists were being prepared for the contractor.

The list of keywords used in the database was rationalised.

Reference Services

The Reference Librarian made a number of on-line searches of overseas databases during the year. BMR joined AUSINET and it is now possible to interrogate AESIS again. The keyword data in LIBLN are also proving useful in answering queries.

A bibliography on mineral resources assessment was commenced.

Seminars and Courses

The more important seminars and courses attended by Library staff during the year were:

- 18-26 January Mrs Thompson attended the first joint conference of the New Zealand Library Association and the Library Association of Australia, held in New Zealand, and a Post-Conference Seminar on Resource Sharing. While in New Zealand, Mrs Thompson visited the libraries of the Geological Survey and of DSIR Geophysics Division in Wellington.
- 23-24 March Mrs L. Woods, Ordering Officer, attended an
 Interdepartmental Finance Seminar organised by the Department
 of Administrative Services.
- 27 March Mrs McGeehan and Mrs Toth attended an Inter-Library Loans Seminar, organised the the Special Libraries' Section of the ACT Branch of the Library Association of Australia.

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- I June Mrs Toth attended a Workshop on Copyright at the National Library.
- 10 July Mrs Toth attended a Seminar on Serials Cataloguing in the '80s.
- 22 July Mrs McGeehan and Mrs Norfolk attended a meeting of the Library Association of Australia, ACT Branch, On-Line Users' Group held at BMR. Mrs McGeehan presented a short paper on the Library's database.
- 27-28 August Mrs Norfolk attended a National Seminar on Acquisitions: Approval Plans and Blanket Orders Viable Acquisition Techniques for the '80s? in Melbourne.

General

Four Library Committee meetings were held during the year. Members of the Committee assisted in preparation of the list of serials to be ordered in 1982; the number of subscriptions had to be reduced owing to rapidly increasing prices.

Periodical circulation was suspended from March to October owing to staff shortages.

While overseas on leave, Mrs Thompson visited the IGS Library in London, USGS Library in Reston, and the Science and Technology Division of the Library of Congress in Washington.

Use of the Library's facilities and collections by non-BMR personnel increased as shown by inter-library loan and visitor statistics.

Statistics

A statistical summary of Library activities for the period November 1980 to October 1981 is given below. Figures for the previous 12-month period are given in parentheses.

| Loans (internal, including circulation of serials) | 11 466 | (17 466) |
|--|--------|----------|
| Reference searches - for BMR staff | 215 | (187) |
| - for others | 221 | (227) |
| - total | 436 | (414) |

| Recall notices (produced by computer) | 4 290 | (15 483) | | |
|--|-------|----------|--|--|
| Inter-library loans - requested from BMR | 4 377 | (4 116) | | |
| - requested by BMR | 893 | (967) | | |
| Acquisitions - new serials | 64 | (104) | | |
| - books (\$10 + in value) | 260 | (400) | | |
| Cataloguing - books, pamphlets, maps, company reports, | | | | |
| microfiche | 927 | (847) | | |
| - serials | 80 | (120) | | |
| Visitors to the Library | 705 | (606) | | |

ADP APPLICATIONS SECTION

Head of Section: A.J. Barlow

General

The Section provided ongoing services to computer users as in previous years. These functions included operation of the Hewlett Packard computer system, CSIRO node operation, on-line and off-line data preparation, programming of laboratory data acquisition systems including joint projects with the Australian National University, and consultant services on system operation, data base problems and programming to user groups.

CSIRO Computing

There was little change from 1980 in the nature of jobs processed by the CSIRO computer. To keep pace with increasing charges, some processing was transferred to the in-house Hewlett Packard system. Running of jobs at low priority to reduce computing costs was encouraged.

Finance

Although computing charges on the CSIRO network were increased by about 25% in July 1980, most of the increase was absorbed. A further increase of about 15% in July 1981 was compensated by an allowance in the 1981/82 budget allocation. Total expenditure for 1980/81 was \$620 000 including about \$150 000 for consumable items and repairs and maintenance, and about \$90 000 for contract processing of seismic data.

Information Storage and Retrieval

There are now some 30 separate data bases in operation on the Hewlett Packard system using the IMAGE data base management system. The total storage capacity required by these data bases is about 150 million

characters of on-line disc storage and about 50 million characters on removable disc packs. A few of the small data bases are dormant due to lack of user involvement. Some of the larger data bases are near capacity and will require restructuring by the end of the year. To cope with this requirement, an additional disc drive has been ordered and is due for delivery about the end of the year. Several new data bases were implemented during the year including one for Central Office. This was rather larger than anticipated and it was necessary for Central Office to provide their own data entry operator.

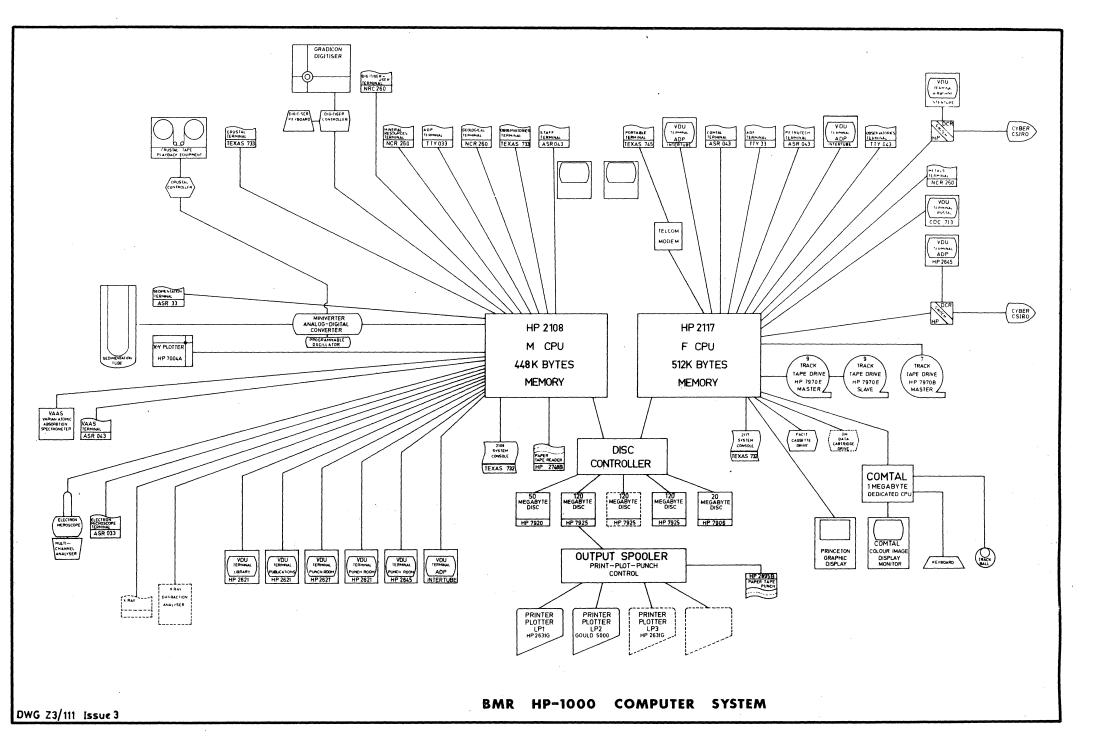
Automated Cartography

Utilisation of the digital flat-bed and drum plotters during 1981 was high for currently running projects but little progress was made on the development of new major applications. An interactive, intelligent graphics terminal was received and cartographic personnel made considerable progress in becoming familiar with its use, and have developed some minor applications. The next major task is to produce a comprehensive report on future cartographic applications, together with a summary of necessary hardware and software. A 'turnkey' hardware and software system is desirable, but it may be necessary to implement some of the less demanding applications on existing hardware. It is expected that much of the necessary application software may be able to be purchased.

ANU Joint Projects

The mass-spectrometer computer-based acquisition system performed satisfactorily throughout 1981 and little intervention by BMR programmers was necessary to ensure continuous operation.

Considerable effort was spent on the acquisition and processing of data from the new experiemental ion-microprobe. By the end of the year, good data was being obtained and processed, but there will need to be intermittent enhancement of the computer system for probably some years. ANU have been hampered by the loss of their research assistant who was expected to maintain and contribute to the enhancement of the system. ANU expect to recruit a replacement programmer, but he will probably require considerable tuition before contributing a great deal to the project.



Very little work was done on the palaeomagnetic data acquisition system as priority for programming resources was given to the ion-microprobe project. However, the system operated satisfactorily throughout the year. A major enhancement to the operating system and the addition of new magnetometers and computer peripherals is scheduled for early 1982.

Computing Systems Review

The feasibility study on a proposal to obtain a medium size in-house computer remained suspended during 1981. It is expected that the computing 'Strategic Plan', being prepared for the PSB, will include much of the necessary study and documentation for the submission to enable the necessary approvals to be sought.

Assistance to other Branches

The usual assistance in programming, development, systems design, and program conversion was provided to scientific and technical staff, and a number of problems relating to retrieval from data bases were resolved. For some users, complete data base design was undertaken and systems implemented ready for data compilation and input. One Science 3 officer from the ADP Section spent nearly the entire year on the LANDSAT system both with installation of hardware and development of applications programs. Two CSOs remain outposted to the Airborne Reductions Group, and an additional CSO 3 is outposted to the seismic processing development project. The acting CSO 3 was seconded to the Irian Jaya project in Bandung for two months to assist in the setting up of applications software on their mini-computer system, to upgrade the operating system software, and to train users.

Hardware

The in-house Hewlett Packard 1000 system was further expanded during 1981. The accompanying diagram shows the current configuration of the system. The most notable addition to the system was the digital image processing system for LANDSAT magnetic tapes. The processor was installed on the ground floor; with the computer, monitor, keyboard, and track ball on the third floor. An additional 120 Mbyte disc and several user terminals were also integrated into the system.

A dial-up facility for the Hewlett Packard system was also successfully implemented.

Some enhancement was also made to some of the field acquisition systems. A replacement disc and CPU were obtained for the magnetotelluric system, a flexible disc for the palaeomagnetic system, and additional tape drives and replacement CPU for the marine acquisition systems.

PLANNING & REVIEW SECTION

Acting Head of Section: P.A. Smith

Staff

K.M. Kennedy retired on 7 April 1981 and P.A. Smith acted as Head of Section for the remainder of the year. Dr Marion Leiba was appointed to the Section on 15 May 1981. S.E. Smith continued to act on higher duties throughout the year.

Program Formulation

A document summarising BMR projects for 1981/82 was prepared and distributed.

During 1981 a new divisional structure was approved for BMR and program formulation for 1982/83 was largely based on it. Divisional programs were compiled within operational groups for consideration at Director's meetings early in December 1981. The resulting tentative program will provide a basis for Forward Estimates and for allocation of in-house scientific and technical services.

A move was made towards program budgeting and program formulation shifted to a financial year basis.

Program Data Base

Development continued of a data base incorporating financial, staffing, and other information on BMR programs. The possibility of extending the use of the data base for program budgeting is being investigated. The costing system developed by the Section during the 1970s for use on the CYBER 76 computer was discontinued.

General

The section provided a secretariat for the Director and Assistant Director (Operations) and represented BMR at AMSTAC and ARPAC meetings as required. Involvement with various review and program

committees continued and assistance was given in the preparation of new program initiatives.

CARTOGRAPHY SECTION

Chief Cartographer (Production): P.A. Boekenstein Chief Cartographer (Resources): M.E. Nancarrow

Management and Staffing

At October 1981 the staff of the section consisted of 64
Draftsmen, 1 Graphic Designer, 3 Photographers, 1 Technical Officer,
11 Drafting Assistants, 1 Assistant (Printing), and 1 Clerical Assistant.

The section continued to operate with the Mapping Subsection located at Canberra and the Publications Subsection at Queanbeyan. Project management continued to be applied successfully.

Three draftsmen accompanied parties on field surveys:

P. Corbett, Lyndhurst (geology); C. Knight, Davenport (geology); and

J. Gallagher, Pine Creek (geology). I. O'Donnell visited the three
geological field parties during a field supervisory visit between 7 and
23 August. He also visited the offices of the NT Department of Mines
and Energy at Alice Springs and Darwin to discuss geological map
compilation methods, future mapping programs, and estimated completion
times.

- R. Swoboda visited Mercury-Walch between 3 March and 13 March 1981 to prepare repromat and partly supervise reprinting of 1:2½ million Australia geological map (4 sheets).
- M. Steele visited Mackay Aerial Photo Surveys at Mackay from 21 to 23 September to advise the contractor on flight-path recovery requirements, procedures, and standards.
- H. Hennig visited BSP Planning & Design in Melbourne on 12 March to discuss contract drafting procedures and problems on completion of the Mundogie 1:100 000 geological map. R. Cooper and S. Holliday visited several organisations in Sydney to inspect their plotting and Interactive graphics systems from 25-27 March.

R. Cooper attended a seminar "Using and understanding computer graphics", in Sydney from 15-17 July.

A "Tektronix" 4054 graphics computing system was acquired during the year.

Production (November 1980-October 1981)

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|--|---|-----------|-----------|--------------|--|
| 1. | Geological maps | 1:100 000 | 1:250 000 | Other scales | |
| | Photoscale compilation in progress | 19 | 4 | - | |
| | Photoscale compilation completed | 5 | - | - | |
| | Preliminary Edition: | | | | |
| | Compilation by BMR in progress | 4 | - | 3 | |
| | Compilation by BMR completed (ready for printing) | 1 | - | 2 | |
| | Printed | 11 | . 3 | 2 | |
| | 1st and 2nd Edition: | | | | |
| | Fair drawing in progre | ess, | | | |
| | BMR | - | - | 1 | |
| | Contract* | 4 | 5 | - | |
| | Fair drawing completed | 1, | | | |
| | BMR | - | - | 5 | |
| | Contract* | 4 | 7 | ,_ | |
| | Printing in progress** | 3 | 2 | - | |
| | Printing completed** | 3 | 6 | 10 . | |

Notes:

- * Contract drafting stages: Specifications prepared 6 maps; contractor recommended 10 maps; first proof checked 14; second proof checked 12 maps.
- ** Printing stages: specifications prepared 20 maps; printing contracts recommended 15 maps; colour designs and colour guides 19 maps; screen masters and dyeproofs checked 17 maps; machine proofs checked 10 maps; printed maps checked 15 maps.

The above statistics include two 1:10 million maps for BMR Earth Science Atlas together with reprints of Australia 1:2.5 million geological map (4 sheets).

| 2. | Geophysical Maps | 1:100 000 | 1:250 000 | 1:1 000 000 | Other scal | es |
|----|---|--------------|---------------|-------------|------------|----|
| | Pre-survey compilation completed | 1 | 19 | - | - | |
| | Flight path recovery, in progress | 1 | 1 | - | - | |
| | Flight path recovery, completed | - | 11 | - | - | |
| | Preliminary releases: magnetic and radiometric | 4 | 130 | 20 | - | |
| | Total magnetic intensity contours (updating) | 7 - | - | 8 | 8 | |
| | Marine surveys (computer | drawn): | | | | |
| | Track maps | - | - | - | 1 | |
| | TMI profiles | - | - | - | 3 | |
| | gravity series maps, (computer drawn) | - | 51 | 3 | - | |
| | Stream sediment geochem series (computer drawn) | ical 8 | - | - | - | • |
| | Petroleum Development an Exploration Titles | nd - | - | = | 2 | |
| | | | | 8 | | |
| 3. | Text Figures, diagrams | etc. complet | ted | | | |
| | BMR Journal (issues 6/2 | 6/3, 6/4, | 7/1) | | 230 | |
| | Bulletins 187: 8 figures; 210: 12 figures, 11 plates; 212: 43 figures, 7 plates; 213: 30 figures, | | | | | |
| | 212: 43 figure 25 plates | es, / plates | s; 213: 30 I: | lgures, | 136 | |
| | Reports | | | | 84 | |
| | BMR Earth Science Atlas | commentarie | es | | 11 | |
| | Records and Miscellaneou | s (includes | s AMI) | | 1 148 | |
| | External publications | | | | 240 | |
| | Slides for BMR Symposium | m and lectu | res | | 491 | |
| | | | | | | |

ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION

Senior Executive Officer: B.M. Williams

The Administrative Section provided administrative support throughout the year in the areas of finance, personnel, establishments, recruitment, publications processing, sales and distribution, office typing and registry services, vehicles, overseas visits, printing, and photocopying, and day-to-day administrative assistance.

Finance

Table 1 sets out the final estimates for 1981/82 and actual expenditure for 1980/81. Total BMR expenditure of \$15 198 924 in 1980/81 was 0.03% less than appropriations.

In 1980/81, additional estimates were obtained for salaries and allowances (\$301 300), office requisites (\$15 000), office services (\$11 000), general stores (\$18 000), and freight and cartage (\$4 000). To offset these additional estimates, savings were offered against motor vehicles (\$20 000) and aircraft operations (\$32 000).

A new accounting procedure was introduced on a trial basis whereby minor field purchases and travelling/camping allowances are paid by cheque in the field. The 1981 seismic field party used the new procedure and if it proves successful, it will be extended to all field parties in 1982.

Preliminary investigations took place in September 1981 to establish whether the effort currently required to process several different stores forms can be reduced by the introduction of a composite form. This has become necessary because of staffing difficulties in the Supply Section, Fyshwick. If a practical solution can be found, the new procedures and form are likely to be introduced early in 1982.

Draft estimates forms were redesigned to complement the new 'Project Proposal' and 'Continuing Project' forms. The draft estimate forms will be used initially to establish the cost of each project then become part of BMR's draft estimates. The forms will be modified as the need arises to meet future requirements.

At the request of Department of Administrative Services, BMR put in a submission on alternative methods of ordering/paying for contract fuel.

Staff

The level and standard of administrative support was below that of past years. This was due to several factors: staff turnover exceeded 70, 'relief' positions were abolished, it was necessary to use more staff for greater periods on higher duties, and several positions were unoccupied for varying periods.

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The Administrative Section was restructured, and divided into two Subsections, namely Establishments and Staffing, and Administrative Services, each headed by an Executive Officer. A Senior Executive Officer is responsible for the overall operation of the Administrative Section. The Establishments and Staffing Subsection now handles establishments, staffing, personnel, recruitment, and branch services; the Administrative Services Subsection handles finance, registry, office and typing services, works programs, vehicles, travel, and publications sales and distribution.

Major reviews of technical positions in the Geological and Geophysical Branches were undertaken during the year. Other overdue establishment reviews will be expedited when the vacant establishment cell positions are filled.

One major change in conditions of service was the amalgamation of the two-tier camping allowance (married/unmarried) rate into one rate based on the married rate.

Works Program

The program for 1981/82 is shown in Table 2.

Public tenders are to be invited before the end of 1981 for the Palaeontological Store (est. \$220 000), and an extension to the Core and Cuttings Laboratory (est. \$380 000). Both are due for completion by mid-1982.

Compactus units for half the areas of each of the above are expected to be ordered before June 1981 for delivery and installation immediately after the buildings are completed. These are estimated to cost in excess of \$400 000.

Work commenced during 1981 on replacement or modification of existing fume cupboards in the BMR building; work should be completed in early 1982.

Expenditure on furniture and fittings will be at a higher level partly because of the need to provide new furniture for the new positions of Divisional head.

Vehicles

Four accidents were recorded. No personal injuries were sustained, but one vehicle and one 4-wheel trailer were extensively damaged.

Six 30-cwt International 4 x 4s were replaced by 30-cwt Chevrolet CK20 4 x 4s and twenty 2-wheel drive vehicles were replaced. As a result of deferred replacement over the past two years, owing to financial constraints, the Transport and Storage Division, Department of Administrative Services, is scheduled to replace a further 54 vehicles at the end of 1981 for the 1982 field season.

This major replacement program presents an opportunity to change the composition of the existing fleet. Fully modified 4 x 4 vehicles are to be replaced by a mixture of 4 x 4 and 4 x 2 vehicles some of which will require little if any modification. Sufficient fully-modified SWB 4 x 4s will be retained on hire. This will result in savings in hire charges, and modification and running costs.

General

Sales of publications exceeded \$154 000 for year ending September 1981, an increase of 67 percent over the same period of 1979/80.

The Department completed a stocktake of publications held in the bulk store at Fyshwick and these stocks are to be reviewed in line with a recommendation of the Review of Commonwealth Functions Committee.

All light-fittings in passageways and stairwells were changed from light bulbs to fluorescent tubes to overcome a safety problem caused by the constant failure of the light bulbs.

Severe restrictions had to be imposed on photocopying services from March to June, owing to financial constraints.

Assistance was given for the engagement of a consultant to prepare tender specifications for the crewing and operation of BMR aircraft. This was necessary owing to the withdrawal of TAA from this function after many years.

The new IBM Copier Mark III has been in operation since the commencement of 1981. While it has several advantages over its predecessor, Mark II, it also has had several mechanical failures and periods of stand-down.

TABLE 1

EXPENDITURE FOR 1980/81 AND FINAL ESTIMATES FOR 1981/82

| Item | Description | Final Estimates 1981/82 | Actual Expenditure 1980/81 |
|-----------|--|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| 432-1-01 | Salaries and allowances | 11 270 000 | 9 866 641 |
| 02 | Overtime | 166 200 | 158 338 |
| | | 11 436 200 | 10 024 979 |
| 432-2-01 | Travelling and subsistence | 610 000 | 553 910 |
| 02 | Office requisites and equipment, stationery and printing | 160 000 | 157 922 |
| 03 | Postage, telephones and telegrams | 227 600 | 224 897 |
| 04 | Office services | 54 000 | 51 530 |
| 05 | Printing and distribution of maps and publications | 348 000 | 346 739 |
| 06 | Motor vehicles - hire and maintenance | 641 000 | 599 216 |
| 07 | Aircraft maintenance and running expenses | 556 000 | 478 029 |
| 08 | General stores | 698 000 | 640 565 |
| 09 | Contract services | 660 000 | 675 949 |
| 10 | Freight and cartage | 67 000 | 63 870 |
| 11 | Repairs and maintenance | 73 000 | 72 063 |
| 12 | Computer services | 702 600 | 629 249 |
| 13 | Contract services - Bass Basin geophysical framework study | 2 000 000 | - - |
| 14 | Incidental and other expenditure | 82 200 | 71 740 |
| | | 6 879 400 | 4 565 679 |
| TOTAL DIV | VISION 432 | 18 315 600 | 14 590 658 |
| 891-1-01 | Plant and equipment | 650 000 | 608 266 |
| TOTAL BM | 3 | 18 965 600 | 15 198 924 |

TABLE 2
1981/82 WORKS PROGRAM

| | BMR \$ | DAS \$ |
|-------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Major new works | 600 000 (1) | 310 000 (2) |
| Minor new works | 23 500 | 82 000 |
| Repairs and maintenance | 19 000 | 91 000 |
| Furniture and fittings | 27 000 (3) | - |

- (1) Comprises \$220 000 for Palaeontological Rock Store and \$380 000 for extension of Core and Cuttings Laboratory.
- (2) Modify fume cupboards \$160 000, upgrade air conditioning \$150 000.
- (3) Estimated not yet approved.

APPENDIX 1 Publications issued in period 1/10/80 to 30/9/81

Bulletins

- 182. Cook P.J. Mayo W. Geochemistry of a tropical estuary Broad Sound, Queensland.
- 186. Shergold J.H.
 Late Cambrian trilobites from the Chatsworth Limestone, western
 Queensland.
- 196. Fraser A.R. Pettifer G.R.
 Reconnaissance gravity surveys in Western Australia and South Australia,
 1969-1972.
- 198. Wells A.T.
 Evaporites in Australia.
- Smart J. Grimes K.G. Doutch H.F. Pinchin J.
 The Mesozoic Carpentaria Basin and the Cainozoic Karumba Basin, north Queensland.
- 265. Huleatt M.B. Kennewell P.J. Geology of the Wiso Basin, Northern Territory.
- 207. Marshall J.F.
 Continental shelf sediments: southern Queensland and northern New South Wales.
- 208. Levingston K.R. Geological evolution and economic qeology of the Burdekin River region, Queensland.
- 209. Palaeontological Papers 1981.
- 211. Kennard J.

 The Arrinthrunga Formation: Upper Cambrian epeiric carbonates in the Georgina Basin, central Australia.

Reports

- 214. Walter M.R.

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