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Writers' Week

10th—17th March, 1974

The Adelaide Festival of Arts 1974



WRITERS' WEEK

SUNDAY, 10th 4.00 p.m.

Opening by Geoffrey Blainey Address: Michael Frayn Chairman: Colin Horne

Barr Smith Lawn (University of Adelaide)

MONDAY, 11th
9.30 a.m. to
Review of Current Australian & New Zealand Writing

Tooland Writing: Maurice Shadbolt

Poetry: Geoffrey Lehmann Fiction: Judah-Waten

Children's Books: Anne Ingram Non-Fiction: Humphrey McQueen Chairman: Colin Horne State Library Lecture Theatre

2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. The Expatriate Writer Sumner Locke Elliott

Peter Porter Randolph Stow Chairman: Geoffrey Dutton

State Library Lecture Theatre 8.30 p.m. Young Writers Reading

Janine Adams, Helen Bansemer, Adrian Flavell, Peter Goldsw. Peter Hicks, John-Peter Horsam, Susanna Johnson, Stephen Measday, Graham Rowlands, Rob Tillett, Richard Tipping.

Edmund Wright House

TUESDAY, 12th Children's writers: Discussion Group

9.30 a.m. to Ted Greenwood Barbara Ker Wilson 10.45 a.m. Patricia Wrightson Chairman: Rosemary Wighton

State Library Lecture Theatre 11.15 a.m. to Children's Writers,

Is there really a boundary between children's literature and adult 12.30 p.m. literature? Leon Garfield

> Ivan Southall Chairman: Felicity Hughes

Scott Theatre A Tribute to Kenneth Slessor

2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. Leonie Kramer **Douglas Stewart** Readers: Judy Dick

Jonathan Leigh Readings and Reminiscences arranged by Beatrice Davis Scott Theatre

8.30 p.m.* Why Write? A Personal View John Updike

Chairman: Thomas W. Shapcott Festival Theatre

*Tickets for these Public Lectures are available to members of the public from the Festival Theatre

All other sessions are intended primarily for writers, but a limited number of seats will be available for members of the public at the State Library, Scott Theatre and Edmund Wright House All writers attending Writers' Week are invited to attend the South Australian Writers

Party, to be held at Rigby Ltd., on Friday evening, March 15th. Attendance is by invitation only, but writers are welcome to apply for invitations by sending a stamped, addressed envelope to: Mrs. Pamela Thomas, Publicity Officer (S.A.W.F.), 144 Alexandra Avenue, Toorak Gardens 5065.

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Chairman: Judith Rodriguez

WEDNESDAY, 13th Public and Private Themes in Poetry Peter Porter 9.30 a.m. to

> 10.30 a.m. State Library Lecture Theatre 10.45 a.m. to The Sameness and the Difference, Working in 3 Media in 2 Countries

11.45 a.m. Sumner Locke Elliott Chairman: Colin Thiele

State Library Lecture Theatre Poetry Reading Chairman: Graham Rowlands

Museum Lawn

2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. The Legend of Ern Malley A reading of the poems Programme devised by Maurice O'Brien

Jack Emery

Speaking of Beckett

Scott Theatre THURSDAY, 14th Literature and Politics

Poetry: Art for Art's sake; Art for Society's sake 9.30 a.m. to Lars Gustafsson 11.00 a.m. Geoffrey Thurley

Richard Tipping 11.15 a.m. to The Novel - Society, Yes; Politics, No 12.30 p.m. **Donald Horne**

Barry Oakley 2.00 p.m. to 3.15 p.m. Journalism: Tell It Like It Is Peter Coleman

Mungo MacCallum 3.45 p.m. to 5.15 p.m. Critical Theory: Clique or Ideology Vincent Buckley

Michael Wilding Chairman: (all sessions) John Temple State Library Lecture Theatre

8.30 p.m.* Literature and Politics in South Africa Nadine Gordimer Chairman: The Premier, Hon. Don Dunstan Adelaide Town Hall

FRIDAY, 15th 9.00 a.m. to 2.00 p.m. Writers' visits to Schools 3.00 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. Pleasure and Happiness in Literature

Michael Frayn Chairman: Derek Whitelock State Library Lecture Theatre

8.30 p.m.* Black Poetry in South Africa—Its Dimension and Direction Oswald Mtshali Chairman: Jim Warburton

Scott Theatre Winery Luncheon-Hardy's Winery McLaren Vale

8.30 p.m.* Speaking as a Writer R.K. Narayan Chairman: Syd Harrex

Edmund Wright House

SATURDAY, 16th

SUNDAY, 17th Poetry Reading Chairman: The Chief Justice, Dr. J.J. Bray Barr Smith Lawn, University of Adelaide

WRITERS' WEEK COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Professor Colin J. Horne (Chairman), Mr. Geoffrey Dutton, Mr. James Glennon, Mr. Maurice O'Brien, Mr. Raymond Olding, Mr. Graham Rowlands, Mr. James Warburton, Miss Christine Westwood, Mrs. Rosemary Wighton.



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