



50 YEARS AGO

SOUTH Australian Premier Thomas Playford arrived in Port Lincoln aboard the Moonta.

Mr Playford discussed a number of issues with local fishermen.

As a result of the meeting it was decided to base a fisheries officer at Port Kenny.

Blocks of land in the Old Mill Estate were sold off to eager buyers.

The much sought after blocks sold from 20 pounds to 110 pounds.

40 YEARS AGO

FRANK discussion was a feature of the meeting between the Port Lincoln Council and representatives of the Port Lincoln Football League.

Discussions at the meeting revolved around the introduction of a fourth team into the league and improvements to the town oval.

A Port Lincoln butcher was injured while he attempted to release a pig from a de-hairing machine.

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The man was a prominent Port Lincoln footballer and doubts were cast over his season.

30 YEARS AGO

A BOAT destined to try out a new fishing venture of netting garfish capsized in Boston Bay after hitting the bow waves of another vessel.

Lead, which was to be used for ballast, was being transported on the boat's deck, making the vessel top heavy.

Two men were thrown from the boat and into the water.

Miss Australia Margaret Rohan will visit Port Lincoln as the guest of honour at a cabaret.

20 YEARS AGO

THE Port Lincoln City Council has decided to embark on major roads campaign.

The two year project will cost \$423570 and will involve paving, sealing or re-sealing 58 different streets.

A 23-foot speedboat will be based in Port Lincoln to act as the new Fisheries Patrol Boat.

10 YEARS AGO

THE Port Lincoln City Council has warned Port Lincoln's residents over the town swimming enclosure.

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The Council said vandalism has rendered the enclosure ineffective for protecting swimmers from sharks.

A cigar-shaped ball of light carrying two humanoids was spotted near Kimba.

The unidentified flying object was seen to land on the side of the road by five witnesses.