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Thirsty work . . . no bull

IT was hot work getting the Ekka ready for its big opening this week, the sort of task that works up a thirst. Just ask Little Valley Warlock, a 2-year-old Braford bull which officially opened the Cattlemen's Bar yesterday by quaffing a Fourx with owner

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Ekka
KNOX GREENPOND OPEN HOUSE

Cameron Bennett, Warlock will join almost 2500 head of beef and dairy cattle as they flood into the Ekka from opening day on Thursday.

SCUTTLED

Blow for Gillard as asylum seekers get High Court reprieve

Anna Caldwell
IN CANBERRA

THE High Court last night threw Julia Gillard's asylum seeker swap deal into disarray when it blocked today's first

transfer of boat people to Malaysia. The Federal Government will sweat on a second ruling from the High Court this afternoon after a judge last night dramatically granted an injunc-

tion preventing the deportation of asylum seekers before 4.15pm today. Sixteen single men from the first asylum boat subject to the Gillard Government's so-called Malaysian solution were due to

fly out to the Malaysian capital Kuala Lumpur at 11.30am. However, Justice Kenneth Hayne ordered that the 16 men not depart Australia before 4.15pm, pending the hearing of another application in the High

Court in Canberra at 2.15pm. The proceedings were launched by lawyer David Manne from the Refugee and Immigration Legal Centre at a special court hearing in Melbourne last night.

The lawyers, who represent more than 40 asylum seekers, argue sending the group to Malaysia is unlawful. The Gillard Government has vowed to defend the case.

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MONDAY'S EXPERTS



DAVID & LIBBY KOCH WILLIAM MCINNES ROBERT CRADDOCK DIANNE BUTLER

WEATHER REPORT

Cairns	Becoming fine
Townsville	Fine
Rockhampton	Afternoon shower
Toowoomba	Showers clearing
Gold Coast	Showers clearing
Sunshine Coast	Shower or two

27°	Brisbane
27°	Showers clearing
25°	24°
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24°	