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Mr Peter Ryan Melbourne University Press P.O. Box 278 Carlton South Vic 3053

Dear Peter,

Australia's Home

You're right. This is a good book and should stay in print even though, in our terms, it has performed very modestly.

We have decided to give the book a new cover, print it on more attractive stock (it was a ghastly Wilke production) and get someone to write a foreword on the book and Boyd's work.

All this will be put in hand shortly, and I'll let you know the publication schedule.

Kindest regards,

John Hooker