Australian wildfires: Absent articles

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Below is a list of headlines from Australian newspapers for lesson idea 1. Stop the press! The editor has a stack of newspaper headlines on his desk but he has muddled up the articles. Can you write an opening paragraph for one of the titles below to help him?

Camels to be shot from helicopters after raiding scarce water supplies

Tennis stars' health fears at Australian Open

Fishos' little heroes happy to hook in

Ramsey Foundation's \$30m booster shot

Wave of help for our Aussie Ark

Fryday fears with mercury to soar

Rain rocks burn effort

'Selfish' climate rally will go ahead

State 'hit one-third of land burn-off in 2019

Premiums wavered for fund victims

Refund seekers should go easy, PM tells tourists

When a land of mist became a land of fire

Islanders feared blaze would jump containment lines

Death of a billion animals heightens extinction fears

'Devastating loss' as Black Saturday firey killed in crash while on duty

Problem law restricts use of donor's' cash

Police investigate fundraise fraudsters

Town's new angels provide 'a bit of hope'

Jail time hasn't stopped arsonists

Asthma woes in smoke-hit city

'Sharp end of extremes" set up 2019 as a record hot, dry and fiery year

Asthma cases spike as city shrouded in smoke again

Benefits of burnbacks undercut by weather, costs

Climate change bill proposed to shift debate Mental health support boosted for affected victims

Billionaire's land plan helps save town from Currowan fire

Online fact-checkers confront deluge of bushfire misinformation

Town that lived on fish and chips reels as warship waits to help

Tourists told to stay away as residents ready for more blazes

World responds: bushfire relief donations surpass \$140m

No tax on disaster payments

Crisis spurs networks to ban songs

Bushfires fuel economic fears, rate cut tipped

Bushfires: Survivors hope rain will go hell for leather

PM defends fire response as inquiries loom

Oz beekeepers 'devastated' by bushfires

Kew Gardens could help Australian bushfire zones

Bushfires take toll on timber supplies

NSW parliament subdued as full impact of bushfire horror hits

Australia needs 'to listen to the science' on bushfires

Food drops for Kangaroo Island wildlife

PM 'sorry' for Hawaii trip

Bushfires will push CO2 to a new high

'Extraordinary situation': Emu musters sheep on bushfire-ravaged land in Victoria

NSW's first indigenous fire crews 'break barriers' in outback towns

Paine humbled by courage of bushfire-hit communities

Bushfires spur thousands to volunteer for firefighting duty with CFA

Flying foxes, koalas worst-affected by bushfires as Australian Zoo struggles for space

After the fires, this tiny bird is in a race against extinction

Up to 30% of koalas may have been killed in Australia's New South Wales bushfires

Lick of paint could save homes in the bushfire zones: With more than 3,000 homes destroyed in the bushfires, should rebuilt homes replicate the houses they replace?