In the 1920s, Australia saw significant changes in various aspects of life. Important events included the opening of the Parliament House in 1927, which was commemorated on many Australian stamps. The rise of new fashions, new music, and new attitudes characterized the 1920s, often remembered as the 'roaring twenties'.

**Prime Ministers**
- Billy Morris Hughes (1882-1967)
- Sir Earle Page (1876-1953)

**Communications**
- In 1924, a regular airmail service began between Sydney and Adelaide, followed by regular service between Melbourne and Sydney in 1925.
- In 1925, Jack Long, the premier of New South Wales, became the first political leader in Australia.
- In 1923, Sir Earle Page, while he was acting prime minister, noted that messages were able to travel across the earth in one seventh of a second.
- In 1920, PJ McGuiness and WH Frysh formed the Queensland and NT Ariel services (QANTAS).
- The model T Ford was the most popular car in the 1920s.

**Transport**
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**Fashions**
- Women worked in factories.
- There were no unemployment benefits.

**Entertainment**
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- Al Jolson starred in the first talking picture. The singer, and the era of the silent film, passed into history.
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