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IS THE END NIGH...?

There is no doubt this newspaper fills a small but interesting and important part of the community activity along the coast and in the valley. It has been through many phases and many changes, always being kept alive in some form by a small and necessarily dedicated little band of workers.

As is usual, it will go into a well earned holiday recess in December and from the conversations in the air at the moment, it may not re-appear next year at the appointed time unless some replacement staff can be found.

Your present writers, editors and organisers have all indicated a desire to have a spell from the production for a while. If all of them keep to this resolution then it means new staff must be found now so that the routines can be learned over the next four issues.

We need typists with time to spare, people with a no-grudge attitude to put in the hours necessary and most of all we need more contributions from our readers.

The message is quite plain and not in any way exaggerated. Unless some of our readers can help out, the Valley Voice may close down forever soon.

Contact Ron Sumner, Bob Cook, Keith Cook or Mary Targett if you can be of help in any way to keep the paper afloat.

INSIDE...

Lists of coming meetings

...see What's On.

Some-one at Fingal defends the sleepers

...and writes us a letter.

Sports reports

...what new nicknames has Stan made?

And we repeat our request for more contributions of all kinds. If this issue is a bit thin it is because we have not received enough material to print.

We hope to be back to normal next issue and perhaps even larger.

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WANTED...Quote for sale and delivery of 50 bales of hay to my house in St. Marys. Keith Cook, Hospital.

THUMBS UP

...to the new earthworks in front of the Post Office, St. Marys. The Mackenzie Landscape Company has done a fine, if smelly, job.

R.A.F.T....The next meeting of RAFT will be held at 8.00pm. on Tuesday, 23 October in the Fingal Presbyterian Hall. There will be a guest speaker from Launceston.

POLICE AND CITIZENS YOUTH CLUB...The Annual General Meeting of the Club will be held on November 7 at the residence of C.E. Barnard, commencing at 7.30pm.

Disco will recommence on Friday, 26 Oct. at the Institute. Doors will open at 7.30 and be locked at 8.00pm. Those who feel they cannot comply with this need not attend.

THANKS...To the Lions Club for giving us a chromed rod for our bath room. We are very grateful. Thanks also to Barry Wright for installing it.

C.Y.S.S. RAFFLE...Drawn 5 October. 1st prize, Coffee Table, Mrs A. Smith, St. Marys. 2nd. prize, satin pillow cases, Mrs C. Barnes, Fingal. 3rd. prize, decorated cake, Mr. S. Hardcastle, St. Marys.

RED CROSS MEETING...Monday, November 5 in the upstairs meeting rooms at the hospital. All welcome. 7.30 pm.

HOLY TRINITY...SPECIAL MEETING...I give notice of a Special Meeting to be held at the request of the St. Marys Vestry to discuss action on a report made concerning the state of repair of Holy Trinity Church. Parishioners and other interested persons are invited to attend on Tuesday, 6 November, at 7.30 pm. in the church.

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You had a dig at some joggers last issue and then said that no-one gets up in time, at Fingal, to report if anyone is jogging down here.

We dont need to jog! We can understand the St. Helens people taking to it to get the salt from their lungs and the St. Marys people to expel the fog from theirs. Our climate is kinder.

Whilst we don't all exercise, some of our folk are very fit and would run the whole show if we let them. Other notable Fingal athletes have run out of town and even I have run out of money, friends and influence.

"The Fingal Flyer",
Fingal.

Sir,

I have been following "Casey's Column" with interest and would like to thank the writer for the effort he has put into researching and compiling his column.

I feel it has stimulated discussion and while Casey puts his view I am sure it is to assist others.

I hope he keeps up the good work.

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The International Year of the Child Charter Scroll will be passing through St. Marys and Fingal early in November. It will arrive in St. Marys on November 5th, be on display at the official opening of the Lions Playground. It will then go on th Fingal. The school children of Fingal will parade the Scroll through the town on Wednesday, 7 November. The parade will be from the Caltex Service Station to the Town Hall. Representatives of the children will carry the Scroll at the head of the parade. As yet, the starting time is uncertain, but parents will be advised by notices around the township.

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...to the repaint on the Kangaroo in the St. Marys Pass.

...clean up behind the Council Chambers in Fingal.

...to the paint job on the St. Marys community hall.

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Sunday October 21

Fingal	9.30am	Vincent
St. Marys	11.00am	Vincent
St. Helens	5.00pm	Vincent

Sunday October 28

Fingal	9.30am	Vincent
St. Marys	11.00am	Vincent
St. Helens	5.00pm	Vincent

THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF FINGAL CULLENSWOOD AND AVOCA

Sunday October 21

Avoca	9.00am	M.P.
St. Marys	10.30am	M.P.
Fingal	7.00pm	H.C.

Sunday October 28

Fingal	9.00am
St. Marys	10.30am
Avoca	7.00pm

CATHOLIC PARISH OF ST. MARYS

St. Marys - St. Mary of the Assumption

Sundays October 21 and 28 9.00am

St. Helens - SS Helena & Stanislaus

Saturdays October 20 and 27 6.30pm

Fingal - St. Joseph

Sunday 28 10.30am

Mangana - Our Lady of the Sacred Heart

Sunday 21 10.30am

Bicheno - Community Church

1st Sunday of each month 4.00pm

COMING EVENTS cont.

R.A.F.T. PICNIC - Particulars next issue.

ST. MARYS LADIES FELLOWSHIP Progressive Supper

20th October commencing at Mrs. Olga Targett's 7.30pm.

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER

Sunday	21
Monday	22
Tuesday	23
Wednesday	24
Thursday	25
Sunday	28
Monday	29
Tuesday	30
Wednesday	31
Thursday	1

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Mr. B. Saunders

WITNESSES CONVENTION

Local Jehovah's Witnesses from Scanander and St. Marys recently attended the annual statewide convention of Witnesses at North Hobart Oval. The convention was one of the 18 District Assemblies being conducted in Australia.

Cold weather and rain didn't dampen the crowd's attention to discourses, interviews and experience related from the open air platform.

The program featured Bible dramas presented in costume, emphasising that Bible standards never change, despite society changing. Two new books were also released.

Mr. R. Blacklock delivered the key address, stressing that mans problems can only be solved by God's Kingdom in Christ.

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SPORT

SHOOTING

A five event program is scheduled to be held this Sunday, 21 October at the St. Helens Gun Club shooting grounds.

The Championship is a mixed target event, graded A, B, C and D with a trophy for each grade.

There will also be a double barrel cash handicap with \$40 first, \$10 second and \$5 third.

Barry Wright is leading in the Wally Stokely Perpetual Shield with 14 points. Following closely are Alma Tucker and Ray Groves with 10 points each.

FISHING

Anglers Diary: 21 October, next Sunday, Scamander Angling Club surf contest at Four Mile from 11 am to 3 pm. On 28 October St. Helens Surf Angling Club bream contest from Scamander to Ansons Bay from daylight to 5.30 pm. This is the day that daylight saving commences.

There were no contests during the last fortnight but some encouraging reports were received. Blackback have been caught off St. Helens wharf when they were chasing sardines and other small fry. A few anglers have also landed good bags of bream from the Scamander river and from the Swan.

For the game fisherman, reliable reports state that there are bluefin around Flinders Island. A well-known identity, Tom Jenkins, has sailed to the Furneaux Group to investigate this at first hand. In addition, albacore have been caught just off the shelf, not far from St. Helens.

The forshore reclamation at St. Helens has resulted in an exciting plan to improve boating facilities, with double width launching ramp for run-abouts plus moorings for a number of professional fishermen and around 30 for the amateur. The St. Helens fisheries inspectors have copies of the plan and would be pleased to show them to anyone interested. What is needed now is a little lobbying in political circles - any help in this area will be greatly appreciated.

VOLLEYBALL

Round 5 results: Franks d. SupaValu 3-1; CBA d. Jetsetters 3-0; SupaValu d. Roosters 3-1; Spalding d. TRC 3-0; Adidas d. Roosters 3-0 and CBA d. Pelicans 3-0.

Games went as expected in this round with the only upset being Footie Franks defeating Supa-Valu quite comfortably to open their account at last. Pelicans played well against CBA and although losing 3-0 there was only an 8 point margin in the score. Spalding had an easy win over TRC who look strong on paper but are finding wins hard to come by.

Good players in this round were Gus Richards, "Rats" McDonald, Garry Streets, "Crumb" Longden, Adrian Donker, David Herring, Brett Galloway, Trevor Barker, Steve Richards, Terry Targett, Smirky and all the Pelicans.

Round 6 results: Jetsetters d. Spalding 3-1; CBA d. Roosters 3-1; Spalding d. Footie Franks 3-0; TRC d. Pelicans 3-0; Jetsetters d. Supa-Valu 3-2 and Adidas d. TRC 3-0.

Jetsetters took over 3rd. spot on the ladder with their two wins. Spalding continues the climb to 4th. with the win over the Franks. Adidas played an excellent team game to win 45-13 over TRC. Roosters, with new recruit Craig Dazeley playing well, gave CBA a scare, winning the first set and being on set point in the second before going down 3-1. TRC, although with only five players, were far too strong for the Pelicans who have slipped back to 4th. place.

Best players in the round were Bob Blackman, "Flasher" Lohrey, Kerry Franklin, Greg Tapp, Craig Dazeley, Murray Gofton, "Shorty" Hall, "Powder" Morris and all for Adidas.

With the first half of the roster now completed, Adidas and C.B.A. appear to have first and second places sewn up and Jetsetters should be able to hang onto a place in the four, with any of the remaining teams still having a chance to take out the other spot. Teams should start thinking about percentage now as it could be that it will be this which finally decides the Final Four.

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CASEYS COLUMN

The Southern Division of the Institute of Municipal Administration recently invited a speaker to address it concerning Site Value Rating. It seems the interest in this most logical system is increasing.

The basic premise is this: Rates should be raised fairly from all property owners in accordance with services given, not as a tax on improvements. When properly considered and fairly applied, there is no plausible argument that can contradict the Site Value as the Rating base. That's why 94% of the country uses Site Value.

The Fingal Municipality has a chance to show it is prepared to be progressive by voting to change to Site Value at it's next meeting.

Let's build a sports hall! One with all the facilities we are likely to need in our community for the foreseeable future. Apart from the public halls at St. Helens and St. Marys (and they are too small anyway) there are no reasonable facilities for indoor sports anywhere in the whole region.

A small community like King Island built one in eighteen months from the date of the first meeting to discuss it. We can follow that example. If you are interested in seeing it happen, contact me and if enough support seems visible I'll get some data together and call a meeting to set the wheels rolling as quickly as can be done.

WORTH SEEING...

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ROUND 3 9.10.79

Game 1: Tobys d Blackwoods 3-1. 11.15, 15.7, 15.7 and 15.6. Best for Tobys: K. Bean, V. Aulich. Best for Blackwoods J. Williams and T. Goss.

Game 2. Kiwis defeated Targetts 3-0. 15.5, 15.8 and 15.3.

Game 3. Bankcard defeated Tobys 3-0. 15.4, 15.4 and 15.4.

Game 4. Kiwis defeated Blackwoods 3-0. 15.9, 15.6, and 15.2. Best for Kiwis, M. Targett, K. Richards. Best for Blackwoods: J. Williams and D. Cashion.

ROUND 4 16.10.79

Game 1: Tobys defeated Targetts 3-2. 15.2, 12.15, 8.15, 15.8 and 15.0. Best for Tobys: J. Aulich, Jo. Aulich, K. Bean and D. Dawson. Best for Targetts: Team Effort.

Game 2: Blackwoods had to forfeit to Kiwis.

Game 3: Bankcard defeated Targetts: 3-0. 15.8, 15.11 and 15.7.

Game 4: Kiwis defeated Tobys 3-0. 15.13, 15.9 and 15.4.

ROUND 5: 23.10.79

Blackwoods	v	Bankcard
Targetts	v	Tobys
Bankcard	v	Kiwis
Targetts	v	Blackwoods

ROUND 6: 30.10.79

Blackwoods	v	Bankcard
Tobys	v	Kiwis
Targetts	v	Blackwoods
Bankcard	v	Tobys

Teams must be prepared to forfeit if they are not ready to commence at 7.00pm sharp.

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DEPOSITS

... 3 - 24 MONTHS

STARDUST

By Grandma Moses
Fortnight beginning October 19

SCORPIO: October 24 - November 22
Special projects may be a bit slow getting off the ground but a person in authority may be able to help you out. Keep down a feeling of overconfidence & hold your enthusiasm in check.
BEST DAYS: 23, 26, 31.

SAGITTARIUS: November 23 - December 21
A good time to work towards your desired objective, but you will have to work fast to obtain maximum benefits. Act with imagination but do not exceed authority, a challenge could be put before you, be realistic.
BEST DAYS: 25, 26, 30.

CAPRICORN: December 22 - January 20
Family interests & projects in the home may demand your attention & the main subject of discussion is likely to be matters that concern your future security. Try to be definite in personal affairs to avoid confusion. BEST DAYS: 20, 24, 1.

AQUARIUS: January 21 - February 19
Friendships & social activities still stimulate new monetary interests for you. Keep your feet on the ground, an over-active imagination can lead one astray, tackle jobs you have been putting off.
BEST DAYS: 19, 23, 29.

PISCES: February 20 - March 20
The danger of accidents on the job is ever present but it is more so now. Do not bear grudges in close relationships. Mail from afar may cause concern. Business is now looking up & you should be honest.
BEST DAYS: 21, 25, 30.

ARIES: March 21 - April 20
Lagging careers will move forward again in a highly satisfactory way. Always be alert because someone with authority may pick at flaws. A good time to make revisions in your family budget, allow for rising costs. BEST DAYS: 23, 28, 29.

TAURUS: April 21 - May 21
Work out any inequalities in your budget & set up allowances for the youngsters in the home, at the same time encourage them to be thrifty. All activities should be undertaken diligently, look after your health.
BEST DAYS: 26, 27, 1.

GEMINI: May 22 - June 21
At the moment any activity that is of a purely social nature is likely to be extremely dull & boring. You may become restless & energetic, put this to good use building up your hidden talents.
BEST DAYS: 19, 21, 25.

CANCER: June 22 - July 23
A good time to revise your budget, don't scrimp when buying small domestic purchases, but draw the line on buying costly items when they increase your outstanding debts. You may see a few changes in personal interests. BEST DAYS: 22, 24, 29.

LEO: July 24 - August 23
You are extremely popular at the moment & you will derive great pleasure from entertaining guests in your home. Make an effort to keep travelling to a minimum after the 20th-your full concentration is needed. BEST DAYS: 21, 27, 1.

VIRGO: August 24 - September 23
Pass up what looks like a good financial opportunity because it is not likely to prove satisfactory - remember not to expect miracles. Some emotional or business difficulties are indicated, tie up your purse strings. BEST DAYS: 19, 24, 30.

LIBRA: September 24 - October 23
Consult old & valued friends when advice is needed. Family affairs are favoured now, a younger member of the family could cause minor upsets-evenings are good for settling problems. Busy yourself with unfinished tasks now. BEST DAYS: 19, 22, 1.

DO YOU KNOW....?

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- ...Tolkien is Hobbit forming?
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