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TO ALL HORSE LOVERS, AND OTHERS
WHO ABHOR KILLING OF ANY ANIMALS!

ON THE SUBJECT OF HORSES,
AND THEIR RIDERS.

WHAT A HEART-RENDING STORY ON THE A.B.C's NATIONWIDE LAST WEEK!

THE PLIGHT OF ALL ANIMALS DURING THIS DROUGHT-STRICKEN TIME WAS BROUGHT HOME ALL TOO DRASTICALLY.

EVEN THE HARD-HEARTED IN THE COMMUNITY WOULD BE HARD PRESSED NOT TO FEEL UPSET, SAD, ANGRY, DEPRESSED, CONCERNED, ETC., WHEN THEY SAW THAT BEAUTIFUL STALLION FALL TO THE GROUND, SHOT BECAUSE HE WOULD HAVE OTHERWISE HAVE STARVED TO DEATH. THE PROGRAMME WAS QUICK TO POINT OUT THAT SWIFT DEATH WAS THE LESSER OF TWO EVILS, BUT THAT SCENE CERTAINLY PULLED AT THE HEART-STRINGS.

CONSIDERING THE STORY WAS TOLD TO LET THE PUBLIC KNOW HOW DESPERATE SOME FOLKS ARE TO PROVIDE FEED FOR THEIR ANIMALS, I REALIZE THE STORY HAD TO HAVE IMPACT, BUT SURELY A TRANQUILLISER GUN COULD HAVE BEEN USED?

THEY MUST HAVE REALIZED THE PROGRAMME WOULD HAVE FAR REACHING EFFECTS AND THAT OFFERS OF HELP WOULD COME POURING IN, AS THEY HAVE, AND THAT HANDSOME HORSE NEED NOT HAVE BEEN SACRIFICED, FOR NOTHING.

HOWEVER, THE PROGRAMME WAS A SUCCESSFUL ONE AND APPARENTLY PEOPLE HAVE BEEN VERY GENEROUS WITH THEIR OFFERS OF HELP TO THOSE IN NEED OF MONEY, FEED, AGISTMENT, ETC.

TASMANIANS ALWAYS RALLY FOR ANY CAUSE PUT TO THEM, AND THIS IS A GREAT CREDIT TO ALL TASMANIANS.

NOW THE DROUGHT APPEARS TO HAVE BROKEN AND SEEMS TO BE STATE WIDE, IT IS A SAD FACT TO REALIZE THAT ALL THOSE ANIMALS WHO HAVE BEEN PUT DOWN RECENTLY, NEED NOT HAVE DIED IF THE OWNERS HAD JUST SWALLOWED THEIR PRIDE AND ASKED FOR HELP SOONER.

LET'S HOPE FOR THE SAKE OF ALL FLORA, FAUNA, AND HUMANITY, THAT THIS BEAUTIFUL RAIN IS THE END OF THE DROUGHT.

LOCALLY, WE SEEM TO HAVE A CONSIDERABLE AMOUNT OF YOUNG FOLK WITH HORSES. THIS IS A LOVELY PASTIME, AND THEY ALL SEEM TO BE ENJOYING THEMSELVES, AFTER SCHOOL HOURS, WEEKENDS, HOLIDAYS, ETC.

BUT THERE ARE RULES OF THE ROAD TO BE ADHERED TO, WHICH APPLY TO HORSE-RIDERS AS WELL AS BICYCLES, CARS, MOTORBIKES, ETC.

A NEAR ACCIDENT WAS WITNESSED A FEW WEEKS AGO, WHEN A YOUNG RIDER WAS RIDING ON THE WRONG SIDE OF THE ROAD, WHILE A LARGE TRUCK WAS COMING TOWARDS HER. REALIZING SHE WAS ON THE WRONG SIDE, SHE MOVED TO CROSS THE ROAD, BUT A CAR COMING IN THE OTHER DIRECTION WAS OBSCURED FROM HER LINE OF VISION. FORTUNATELY THE DRIVER OF THE CAR WAS ABLE TO VEER UP A SIDE STREET, AVOIDING A POSSIBLE TRAGEDY.

YOUNG RIDERS MAY NOTE: THAT TURNING YOUR HORSE IN THE OPPOSITE DIRECTION DOESN'T NECESSARILY MEAN YOU WILL BE SAFE, AS SUDDEN MOVEMENTS MAY CAUSE THE HORSE TO BECOME AGITATED, POSSIBLY THROWING THE RIDER INTO THE PATH OF AN ONCOMING CAR.

ALL HORSE RIDERS: ENJOY YOURSELVES WITH YOUR HORSES, BUT PLEASE OBEY ALL ROAD RULES WHICH APPLY TO YOU.

FURTHER TO THIS, THERE HAVE BEEN NUMEROUS COMPLAINTS FROM READERS, ABOUT THE TEARING UP OF NATURE STRIPS AND THE SOILING OF FOOTPATHS OUTSIDE HOUSES AND IN THE MAIN STREETS OF ST. MARYS, BY YOUR HORSES.

THE SAME RULES APPLY TO HORSES AS BICYCLE RIDERS.

NOT ON THE FOOTPATH!

HAVE THE PARENTS, AND CHILDREN WITH HORSES, CONSIDERED THE POSSIBILITY OF FORMING A PONY CLUB IN ST. MARYS? SURELY THERE WOULD BE ENOUGH INTERESTED PEOPLE TO FORM A CLUB, BECOME A MEMBER, AND SO GET A PONY CLUB OFF THE GROUND, FIGUREATIVELY, BUT ALSO OFF THE STREETS, WHICH ARE A DANGER TO RIDERS AND DRIVERS ALIKE.

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E	A	N
N	I	L

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WHATS ON

Sunset Stall. In aid of Catholic Church on 31st March at 10am. Raffle on display in Laverns Shoe shop.

You are cordially invited to a BEQ - Pool party afternoon - evening at Margaret Harris place, Main Road, Scamander on 26th March from 3pm onwards. This function is in aid of the St. Marys Badminton Club. A good time should be the order of the day. Donations Adults \$5.00 per person B.Y.O. children free.

CHILD HEALTH CENTRE, ST. MARYS. Sister is in attendance at Clinic 2nd and 4th Fridays of each month from 12.30pm until 3.30pm.

The next meeting of the Child Health Association will be on Thursday 15th April 1983, commencing at 2pm. These meetings are held the 3rd Thursday of each month. We would like to see some more mothers come along please.

St. Marys District Hospital Aux. Bi-Monthly meeting will be held on Monday 11th April at 7.30pm in the Recreation Room at St. Marys District Hospital.

St. Marys Hospital Auxiliary Fair is on the 25th March starting at 1.30pm. Well stocked stalls plus afternoon tea.

The Lions Club of St. Marys will be holding a ~~FREE~~ blood pressure scan on March 25th at 1pm.

RED CROSS DOOR KNOCK.

Annual Ambulance Appeal will be on Sunday March 27th.

ST. MARYS CALENDAR.

MARCH:

Friday 25th: Child Health Clinic Day 12.30pm-3.30pm.
Hospital Auxiliary Fair, Community Hall 1pm.

Lions Club Blood Pressure Scan, 1pm Community Hall.

Thursday 31st: Street Stall, St. Marys.

APRIL:

Friday 1st: Fingal Child Health Clinic Day 12.30pm-3.30pm.

Friday 9th: St. Marys Clinic Day 12.30pm-3.30pm.

Monday 11th: Hospital Aux. meeting 7.30pm.

Tuesday 12th: Fingal Valley Welfare Committee for Senior Citizens meeting 8pm.

Wednesday 13th: Fingal Valley-Portland C.Y.S.S. annual meeting 7.30pm.

Friday 15th: St. Marys District High School Ball (K-7).

Tuesday 19th: St. Marys High School P&F Assoc. meeting 8pm.

Friday 22nd: Clinic Day.

Tuesday 26th: Fingal Valley Resource Group meeting 7pm.

MAY:

Friday 6th: Fingal Clinic Day.

Monday 9th: Immunization, St. Marys Hospital 1-3pm.

Tuesday 10th: Fingal Valley Meals on Wheels Annual General meeting 7pm

Friday 13th: Clinic Day.

Tuesday 17th: Parents & Friends meeting 8pm.

Friday 20th: Fingal Clinic Day.

Saturday 21st: Lions Progressive

Dinner.

Friday 27th: Clinic Day and School Holidays commence.

ST. MARYS TENNIS CLUB.

A Fashion parade will be held on April 23rd at the St. Marys Hotel. Attractive Models, Hot Supper, \$5 Double.
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CHURCH

NEWS

FINGAL-PORTLAND UNITING CHURCHSunday 27 March

Fingal 9.30am
 St. Marys 11.00am
 St. Helens 7.00pm

Good Friday 1 April

St. Marys 10.00am

Sunday 3 April

Fingal 9.30am
 St. Marys 11.00am
 St. Helens 7.00pm

St. Marys extend a very warm welcome to Rev. Russell Hoatson and hope he enjoys his stay with us.

ANGLICAN PARISH OF ST. HELENSSt. Pauls Church

8.00am Eucharist every Sunday
 11.00am 1st Sunday sung
 11.00am M.P. second Sunday
 11.00am 3rd, 4th, 5th Sunday

St. Michael's and All Angels Church - Pyengana

11.00am Eucharist 2nd Sunday
 11.00am M.P. 4th Sunday
 7.30pm Eucharist 2nd Sunday
 7.30pm Eucharist 4th Sunday

Falmouth Church

9.15 am Eucharist 1st & 3rd Sunday

March 25th

Feast of the Annunciation

2.30pm All invited - afternoon tea to follow.

C H I R O P O D I S T

MISS DORIS HOOPER: In practice at the Doctor's Surgery - St. Marys

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CATHOLIC PARISH OF ST. MARYS

St. Marys - St. Mary of the Assumption - Sunday March 27 9.00am
 Holy Thursday - Mass of the Lord's Supper 7.30pm
 Good Friday - Celebration of the Lord's Passion 3.00pm
 Holy Saturday - Easter Vigil and Easter Mass 7.30pm

St. Helens - SS Helena & Stanislaus Vigil Mass - Saturday 26 6.30pm
 Good Friday - Stations of the Cross - 10.30am
 Easter Sunday - Mass 10.30am

Fingal - St. Joseph Sunday 27 10.30am
 Easter Sunday 8.00am

Mangana - Our Lady of the Sacred Heart - 3rd & 5th Sundays each month 10.30am

Bicheno - Community Church Easter Sunday - Mass 5.00pm

ALL WELCOME

ANGLICAN PARISH OF FINGAL VALLEYSunday March 27

9.00am	H.C.	Fingal
10.30am	H.C.	St. Marys
3.00pm	H.C.	Mathinna
7.00pm	H.C.	Avoca

(Vestry follows)

Holy Thursday 31

7.00pm	H.C.	Fingal
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Good Friday April 1st

Service of Litany & Ante-Communion

9.00am	St. Marys
11.00am	Avoca
5.00pm	Fingal

Easter Day April 3

8.00am	H.C.	Cullenswood
9.30am	H.C.	Fingal
11.00am	H.C.	Avoca

MEALS ON WHEELS

MARCH/APRIL

Sunday	27
Monday	28
Tuesday	29
Wednesday	30
Thursday	31
Sunday	3
Monday	4
Tuesday	5
Wednesday	6
Thursday	7

ST. MARYS

Eric Bean
 Atholie Greenwood
 Len Miles
 Delma Johnson
 Mary Targett
 Keith Cook
 Edna & Max Herring
 Jill Mason
 Audrey Wright
 Wendy Aulich

FINGAL

M. Saunders
 R. McKenzie
 C. Turner
 G. Lowe
 J. Egan

MANGANA

L. Rubenac
 R. McKenzi
 M. Bean
 J. Miller
 J. Egan

SPORTS

LADIES VOLLEYBALL

Week 1 - 8.3.83

Game 1.

Kiwis d Dynamos 3-1 (15.11,13.15, 16.14,15.5) A. Greenwood and V. Aulich best for Kiwis, Sharryn Binns and Tammy Payne best for Dynamos.

Game 2.

Rejects d Wombats 3-0 (15.11,15.3, 15.10) M. French best for Rejects. Jule Hogarth and E. Smythe best for Wombats.

Week 2 - 15.3.83

Game 1.

Rejects d L's Belles 3-1 (15.12, 7.15,15.2,15.11), Val Leedham best for Rejects, Karlene Richards best for L's Belles.

Game 2.

Dynamos d Wombats 3-1 (15.11,13.15, 15.6,15.5). Kath LeFevre best for Dynamos and Mandy Cummins best for Wombats.

Week 3 - 22.3.83

Game 1.

Dynamos d Rejects 3-0 (15.8,15.3, 15.12). Sharryn Binns, Kath Blair and Kath LeFevre best for Dynamos.

Game 2.

Kiwis d L's Belles 3-0 (15.9,15.4, 15.6) A. Greenwood, V. Aulich best for Kiwis, Andrea Hayes and Karlene Richards best for L's Belles.

ROSTER 29.3.83

L's Belles v Wombats Kiwis
Kiwis v Rejects Wombats

5.4.83

Kiwis v Wombats Dynamos
Dynamos v L's Belles Wombats

ALL SUBSCRIPTIONS MUST BE PAID
BEFORE PLAY ON TUESDAY 29.3.83
\$6.00 FOR ADULTS \$3.00 FOR
STUDENT,

REMOVAL OF SPORTS AND STAINS

Treat stains while fresh.
Blot up as much as possible as soon as you can.
Use simple methods of stain removal first, such as clean cold water. Don't experiment if the garment is a good one and the stain is difficult to remove or the fabric is non-washable. Take the article to a dry cleaner and describe the cause of the stain, and that treatment, if any, you have attempted.

ST. HELENS GUN CLUB5 PAIRS DOUBLE RISE EYEOPENER

J. Murphy 8/10

Best 14m C. Grade-Shooter

D. Aylett 26/50

15 Pairs Double Rise Championship

A. Grade - A. Kean 32/40

B. Grade - T. Symons 23/30

C. Grade - K. Aylett 23/40

30 Targets Points Score

1st A. Kean 59/60

2nd M. Davis 59/63

3rd K. Aylett 58/63

25 Targets Continental

A. Grade - J. Murphy 25/25

B. Grade - P. Lohrey 22/25

C. Grade - W. Kerrison 21/25

High Gun

A. Grade A. Kean 114/125

B. Grade T. Symons 103/125

C. Grade K. Aylett 100/125

PRESS RELEASE

With recent rains and the arrival of cooler weather the Fingal Forestry District will start its programme of slash burning to prepare areas for regeneration.

Twelve burns are planned in the District. Two burns are planned in Portland Municipality in the Goulds Country area, and ten burns are planned in the Mathinna area, and five in the St. Marys area.

A great deal of careful planning by experienced men precedes each burn to minimise the risk of the fire escaping beyond the planned boundaries. Should this happen, trained and equipped men are standing by to immediately suppress such escapes.

Each area has a unique set of considerations to be taken into account in preparing fire burning plans, and generally, what is called a convection column is strived for. In the centre of the area the heat of the burn causes a column of heated air to rapidly rise. This rising column draws air inward at the bottom toward the centre. Tonnes of water vapour are carried up with the hot air, plus sparks and debris. As the air rises it cools, and the water vapour condenses, extinguishing sparks.

Convection columns are not the threat they appear to be, but the result of a carefully planned and controlled fire.

A.M. Sather
District Forester

SCAMANDER GARDEN CLUB.

Scamander Garden Club held its meeting at D Scott's on March 16th. 8 members and 1 visitor were present. Raffle Winner: B. Turner. Flower of the Month, Carnation, won by; K.Booth, M.Scott, B.Turner. Any Bloom, won by: Z.Scott, M.Oliver, B.Turner, E.Jamison, Equal3. One Flower Arrangement won by: B.Turner, M.Oliver, M.Scott. NEXT MEETING: APRIL 20TH. Bloom of the month at next meeting: FUSCHIA. ANY BLOOM. AN EASTER ARRANGEMENT.

M.OLIVER, PRES.

BICHENO GARDEN CLUB

On March 18, Bicheno Garden Club held their monthly meeting. There was a good attendance, plus a few visitors. Arrangements were being made to visit Mrs Dewhurst's garden during the April meeting. During the winter months the meetings will be held at 2pm. Next meeting is April 15th. E.M.Hughes.

ST.MARYS GARDEN CLUB

Our March meeting has been postponed until our Annual Meeting on Thursday, April 28th at 2pm, to be held in the R.S.L. Clubrooms. It is hoped Fingal, Scamander, St.Helens and Bicheno garden clubs will visit us then. Vegetable of the month for this meeting will be Red Beet. Special Arrangements, 1 flower arr. Home Produce, Anzac Biscuits, 4 to a plate. Donors of raffle: Daph Stone. Lucky Door Prize donor: MarJ. Oliver. Competitions: Linda Mitchell. More competitions wanted. New members and visitors are always welcome. M.Oliver, Pres.

REMEMBER

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RESEARCH INTO THE PHYSICAL EFFECTS OF MARIJUANA
Research into the physical effects of marijuana is ongoing and often inconclusive. But from animal studies, observations of chronic users and other research, certain hazards seem clear:

*Women who use marijuana regularly have more abnormal menstrual periods and lower levels of oestrogen than non-users. This could affect the entire reproductive system, including breast development and the ability to conceive.

*In men, heavy use of marijuana reduces testosterone levels and sperm count, and often produces more abnormal sperm.

*Marijuana smoke contains more tars and cancer-producing hydrocarbons than tobacco smoke.

*Smoking five joints of marijuana a week affects the pulmonary system---from sinuses to lungs---more adversely than smoking six packs of cigarettes a week.

*Heavy users of marijuana suffer chronic sinusitis, bronchitis and emphysema---all virtually unknown in young non-users.

*Marijuana inhibits white blood cell response, the body's ability to resist and fight off infections.

*During a marijuana high, the heart rate is significantly elevated---extremely dangerous to anyone with a heart ailment.

*Marijuana distorts reaction time, motor coordination and visual perception, making it extremely dangerous to drive.

Users are not only starting younger, but the marijuana in common use today is 10 times more potent than it was a few years ago.

A recent survey carried out in 31 secondary schools (both government and independent) by the NSW Drug and Alcohol Authority provides an overall assessment of drug use among young people in Australia. A total of 2139 students took part in a survey, with an emphasis on the 15 to 16 age group.

Tobacco, alcohol and analgesics were the drugs most commonly used, with few obvious sex differences in the pattern of use, although quantity was generally slightly higher in boys.

Percentages of students using various drugs regularly (at least once a week) were: tobacco-35.1; alcohol-32.7; analgesics-20.9; sedatives-3.3; marijuana(cannabis)-6.3; hallucinogens-1; stimulants-0.3.

Why do children start using drugs in the first place? Students surveyed gave the following reasons: curiosity, need for acceptance,

peer pressure and a rebellion against authority. These reasons point out that society actually invites young people to try pot!

It was once thought that only the child with problems would use drugs, but many pot smokers are happy, outgoing kids with friends, good parents and no reason to escape from reality.

No family is immune. Yet many children do choose to stay clear of drugs, and parents are helping them to make that choice.

The majority of parents are sure their high-school children are not involved with drugs---at least "not seriously"; especially those busy with sports, school activities and getting good marks. Many parents of high-school students, however, are dismayed to learn that their kids are involved---some seriously enough to lose interest in school, to be arrested or, in the saddest cases, to be hurt or even killed in drug-related accidents.

Authorities say that, though parents are concerned, they aren't very well informed. The drug culture---the behaviour, even the language---is unfamiliar to them. When parents do talk about drugs, they'd better get their facts straight, or lose credibility.

Our society---our children---must come to terms with these problems we must assess our life-styles and the role drugs are playing in our lives. How much do you care.

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EAST COAST BOWLS CHAMPIONSHIPS

IT IS NOT ONLY THE YOUNGSTERS IN THE DISTRICT WHO ARE RECEIVING RECOGNITION AS FAR AS SPORTS ARE CONCERNED.

RECENTLY, MRS M ROYLE AND MRS G GREGG, FROM THE BICHENO BOWLS CLUB, WON THE EAST COAST BOWLING PAIRS CHAMPIONSHIP, HELD AT ST.MARYS. THIS IS THE 5TH YEAR IN SUCCESSION THAT THE PAIR HAVE WON THIS PARTICULAR CHAMPIONSHIP.

CONGRATULATIONS LADIES!

THE ST.MARYS CRICKET CLUB HELD THEIR ANNUAL DINNER AT THE ST.MARYS HOTEL ON FRIDAY MARCH 18. THE EVENING WAS A GREAT SUCCESS, WITH A WONDERFUL MEAL AND THEN DISCO DANCING FOR THE REST OF THE EVENING.

THE FINGAL FESTIVAL WAS YET AGAIN A VERY SUCCESSFUL FUNCTION. THE WEATHER WAS KIND, AND ALTHOUGH RATHER SMOKEY, VERY HOT.

THE LIONS CLUB OF ST.MARYS REPORTS SELLING OVER 1000 STEAKETTES, HUNDREDS OF SAUSAGES AND SAVELOYS, AND MANAGED TO CLEAR \$474.00.

THE MONEY IS TO BE DISTRIBUTED AS FOLLOWS:

10% OF PROFIT GOES TO THE FESTIVAL, AND THE BALANCE TO THE TASMANIAN LIONS CLUB DISTRICT 201 T1, DISASTER FUND.

PLEASE NOTE THAT TASMANIAN LIONS CLUBS COLLECTIVELY, HAVE TO DATE DONATED \$33,000 TO THE BUSH FIRE APPEAL.

THE CORNWALL COAL CO. N.L. ARE TO BE CONGRATULATED FOR THEIR GENEROUS OFFER TO SUBSIDISE THE MEDICAL OFFICER STATIONED AT FINGAL.

WE HAVE A NUMBER OF COMPANIES, WHOSE EMPLOYEES SOMETIMES WORK IN HAZARDOUS CONDITIONS; PLUS SCHOOLS, MANY SPORTING FUNCTIONS, WINDING ROADS ETC. AND IT IS REASSURING TO KNOW THAT THERE ARE TWO DOCTORS IN EASY REACH, IN CASE OF ACCIDENTS OR EMERGENCIES. LETS HOPE THE OFFER IS ACCEPTED.

THE MASONIC LODGE HELD THEIR ANNUAL DINNER AT FOUR SEASONS HOTEL, SCAMANDER, ON FRIDAY MARCH 18. THE 40 OR MORE MEMBERS AND THEIR WIVES HAD A THOROUGHLY ENJOYABLE EVENING.

ST.MARYS RED CROSS BRANCH ANNUAL APPEAL 1983

DEAR CITIZENS,

THIS YEAR'S ANNUAL AMBULANCE APPEAL WILL BE CONDUCTED ON SUNDAY 27TH MARCH, 1983, FROM 1.30PM ONWARDS, WHEN I TRUST YOU WILL AGAIN RECEIVE OUR COLLECTORS WELL.

THIS SERVICE, OF WHICH OUR BRANCH IS VERY PROUD AND KEEN TO MAINTAIN, HAS FOR THE PAST THIRTY EIGHT YEARS, PROVIDED FREE TRANSPORT FOR STRETCHER PATIENTS.

ONLY WITH YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT CAN WE PROVIDE THIS VERY WORTHWHILE AND LIFE SAVING SERVICE, SO NECESSARY FOR THIS DISTRICT.

OUR COLLECTION FOR 1982 RAISED AN ALL TIME RECORD AMOUNT OF \$2,784.08..

THANKS TO YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT, WE NOW HAVE A FULLY EQUIPPED AMBULANCE FOR ANY EMERGENCY, AND THROUGH OUR "BEEPER" SYSTEM WE ARE AT ALL TIMES CONNECTED WITH OUR DOCTOR, ST.MARYS HOSPITAL, AND OUR DRIVERS.

LAST YEAR OUR AMBULANCE COVERED A DISTANCE OF APPROX. 16,300 KM AT A COST OF 11 CENTS PER KM. 100 TRIPS WERE MADE CARRYING CASUALTIES AND PATIENTS TO HOSPITAL.

SHOULD YOU BE ABSENT OR UNABLE TO RECEIVE OUR COLLECTORS, AND DESIRE TO SUPPORT OUR APPEAL, DONATIONS MAY BE FORWARDED OR LEFT WITH MESSRS N.PEAKE OR G.OLIVER OF ST.MARYS.

OUR COLLECTORS WILL ISSUE OFFICIAL RECEIPTS FOR ALL DONATIONS AND CONTRIBUTIONS OF \$2.00 AND OVER ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE.

WILL ONE AND ALL PLEASE ACCEPT OUR THANKS FOR PAST SUPPORT.

YOURS SINCERELY,

G.W.OLIVER,

PRESIDENT.

NOW TO BECOME GOODLOOKING

2oz Patience.

1 Cup Kindness.

4ozs Goodwill.

1 Pinch Hope.

1 Bunch Faith.

To these add both handfuls of Industry, 1 packet of Prudence and a little Sympathy.

One handful of Humility must be added and a jar brimful of the syrup of good humour. Season the mixture with good strong common sense and simmer down together in the pan of daily content.

PRESS RELEASE

There were four new cases of Hydatids and four readmissions for further surgery during the twelve month period to December 1982.

The number of new cases is more than in 1981, but the same as in 1980. These figures, released recently by the Tasmanian Hydatids Eradication Council are a part of the continuing survey into the disease in humans which has been conducted by the Council for the Director of Public Health for the past seventeen years.

Although the number of new cases is one more than last year, this does not indicate that the disease is on the increase. All four patients are in the 40--59 age group and could have been infected twenty or thirty years ago.

The most encouraging part of the survey is that there were no new cases under 40 years of age. When the campaign began in 1965 more than half of all the patients were under 40.

This is the 8th consecutive year in which no new case has been reported under 10 years of age and the 6th year in succession with no new cases under the age of 20.

The secretary of the Tasmanian Hydatids Eradication Council, Mr. J. T. Pickmere, said that the chance of Tasmanians picking up the disease now is greatly reduced since the number of infected dogs found by the Department of Agriculture are so few. For the year ending 30 June, 1982, only three dogs were found to be infected with hydatid tape worms.

This is the percentage of dogs found infected in any year since the campaign began.

However this was the first time for all Tasmanians to make a concerted effort to 'get rid of that last worm' and continued public education in the dangers of the disease should not be relaxed if Tasmanians was to achieve complete eradication.

The four new cases were in patients who originally came from the Municipalities of Campbelltown, Franklin, Sorell and Glamorgan.

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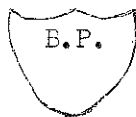
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FORTNIGHT BEGINNING MARCH 25, 1983.

ARIES: March 21 - April 20

Don't leave small jobs 'til later. You will feel a sense of accomplishment if you tackle them now. A wedding to attend in April will be a grand occasion. Advice asked for by you will be given, but not heeded.

LUCKY NUMBERS: 7, 11, 23, 40.

TAURUS: April 21 - May 21

Because of a misunderstanding, a dinner date may have to be cancelled. Arrangements will be made for another date which will suit you just as well. Don't put the blame for something you did, on the shoulders of another.

LUCKY NUMBERS: 1, 15, 22, 30.

GEMINI: May 22 - June 21

You could be called upon to work rather late at your job. Be tactful at all times regarding others' feelings. Do your job without bickering, and don't leave your work for others to do. Take health precautions.

LUCKY NUMBERS: 4, 15, 16, 33.

CANCER: June 22 - July 23

News from an old friend reaches you from overseas. Be co-operative in April and try not to be upset if plans go astray. A personal problem will seem huge but if you really think things through, it is trivial.

LUCKY NUMBERS: 2, 9, 26, 39.

LEO: July 24 - August 23

Face up to your family problems and you will feel on top of the world. Social outings will be a lot of fun. Take a closer look at the families' finances. A mistake could have been made recently in your home accounts.

LUCKY NUMBERS: 5, 13, 27, 31.

VIRGO: August 24 - September 23

If you are told something in confidence, be very careful not to repeat it, for this would cause a chain reaction among friends and the result would be chaotic. Keep yourself in the clear and problems will be minor.

LUCKY NUMBERS: 6, 10, 22, 32.

LIBRA: August 24 - September 23

If you are feeling a little depressed, take a short break from normal routine. When you return to duty you will feel more relaxed and able to cope. Wedding bells are tolling, but not for you right now.

LUCKY NUMBERS: 5, 14, 26, 34.

SCORPIO: October 24 - November 22

You will need to watch carefully, any expenses in April, as the bank balance could be depleted rapidly. An invitation to attend a social function will come your way, and as you will be in familiar surroundings, much fun.

LUCKY NUMBERS: 2, 17, 29, 30.

SAGITTARIUS: November 23 - December 21

"Many hands make light work". Household chores and gardening will be finished more quickly if all members lend a hand. Now is not the time to be spending hard earned money on a new car or home decorating.

LUCKY NUMBERS: 9, 18, 28, 36.

CAPRICORN: December 22 - January 20

Now is the time to write those overdue letters. Don't neglect friends, keep in contact. Time is precious, so don't waste any of it. Put your leisure time to good use, maybe a hobby which could prove profitable.

LUCKY NUMBERS: 8, 12, 19, 33.

AQUARIUS: January 21 - February 19

Someone who obviously takes pleasure in upsetting you is well worth steering clear of. Money matters could cause hassles in April, so take care, and watch your budget diligently. A strange meeting is about to occur.

LUCKY NUMBERS: 2, 4, 24, 35.

PISCES: February 20 - March 20

Someone in desperate need may seek help from you or a family member. It is usually wise to consider all facts well, but in this case, offer help immediately, but not with money. Maybe with advice or assistance.

LUCKY NUMBERS: 6, 13, 19, 30.

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