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Householders who spend more than \$10,000 on home renovations or extensions must advise the Australian Taxation Office, according to the Tax Commissioner, Mr Trevor Boucher.

Building representatives have estimated that more than 100,000 Australians start some form of domestic building every year.

Mr Boucher said that about 75,000 of these household improvements could be reasonably valued at more than \$10,000 and therefore come under the Prescribed Payments System (PPS).

Householders in these circumstances would then have obligations to the Tax Office, he said.

The Prescribed Payment System is used to collect income tax for work, other than that covered by pay-as-you-earn tax.

According to income tax law, a householder is a person who contracts with another person -usually a builder- to do building work.

PPS also applies to householders, who as owner-builders, undertake similar domestic projects by assuming the role of the builder for the project. They are, therefore responsible for deducting tax from payments made to the subcontractor.

Mr Boucher said that, the difference is that owner-builders are required to deduct tax from payments of work, but householders are required only to report payments.

"As soon as the householder or owner-builder realises that the cost of the project will be more than \$10,000, they must register with the Tax Office", he said.

"Each month during the project, the householder must send details of all payments made for the building work to the Tax Office. However, an owner-builder must forward details

of the amount of payment made and the amount of tax deducted to the Tax Office".

Householders usually will make one payment or monthly payments to their builder and it is these payments which must be reported.

In estimating the total cost of a project, the householder must include the cost of goods and materials, as well as the cost of work done. The cost of surveying, design, and other activities completed before the project started must also be included.

PPS covers payments for work under a contract for:

- * Painting, decorating, or treating internal or external surfaces.
- * Installing, fitting or fixing any heating, cooking, refrigeration, insulation, lighting, power or water supply, irrigation, sanitation, drainage, fire or security protection, sound communication or air-conditioning, walls, ceilings, linings or floors, tiles or other claddings or built-in furniture.
- * Internal or external cleaning.
- * Any other activity on land or a structure, including preparation for, or finishing of, any of the above activities. This includes earth moving, foundations, scaffolding and landscaping.

Payment reporting is not required however, for some services which are included in the total cost of the project. These include such professional building services as architecture, design, engineering and surveying, and delivery or removal of goods and materials.

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WHAT'S ON

ST. MARYS TENNIS CLUB

FUN DAY

Mixed Doubles

Partners to be drawn on

Sunday, 17th April

8.30 a.m. start - \$2.50 entry fee
per person

Please leave names at St. Marys
Health and Beauty by Friday, 15th
April. Raffle will be drawn on
Sunday, 17th April.

Youth Club meeting to be held at
Sally Spilsbury's house, Gray
Road, Tuesday 21st April, 7.30p.m.
All welcome to attend.

All subs to be paid by end of
month for Youth Club.

S. Spilsbury.

Monday night - Air rifle - 3.30 till
4.30 - 10 year old

Tuesday night - Junior Youth Club
3.30 till 4.30

Wednesday night - Jujitsu Karate -
8 years and over.

ST. MARYS R.S.L. will be holding
Anzac Day Services as usual.
The Dawn Service at 6 a.m. con-
ducted by Father Connolly at the
Cenotaph.
The 11 a.m. service will be con-
ducted by Rev. L.M.Neal. The
march will start at front of
R.S.L. Building led by Neal Rattray.
All members are requested to
attend and the public are welcome
at both services.

Hon Secretary,
Jack McGee.

CONGRATULATIONS TO TWO OF ST. MARYS
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FINGAL

E Barber Talbot St. 742143
R.H. Yates 742111

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8.00am 4th Sunday
Fingal 9.30am every week
St. Marys 11.00am every week
St. Helens 10.30am 2nd Sunday
7.00pm 1st, 3rd, 4th
5th Sundays
Rossarden 7.00pm 3rd Tuesday

Sunday School

Fingal 9.30am
St. Marys 9.45am (with Salvation Army)
St. Helens 3.30pm Mondays K.U.C.A
& Scamander Club

ALL WELCOME. Minister: Rev. Alan
Renton. Ph. 752139

SALVATION ARMY

Sunday 9.45am Sunday School - Uniting
Church, St. Marys.
Sunday 2.30pm Sunday School - Salvation
Army - Cornwall.

2nd Sunday
in month Afternoon Service.
3.00pm

Wednesday 11.00am Home League, Fellowship for
all women. Salvation Army
- Cornwall, 1st, 3rd, 5th
week of month. Uniting
Church, St. Marys - 2nd
4th week of month.

Tuesday Joy Hour - Games, Crafts,
Fun, Fellowship for all
children 5 - 12 years -
weekly at Salvation Army
Cornwall.

Thursday 7-9pm 1st week in month - Youth
Group. Sunnybanks, St.
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THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF ST. HELENS

St. Pauls Church

8.00am }
9.30am } every Sunday
7.00pm }

Sunday School

3.00pm Mondays

Pyengana

11.00am 2nd, 4th Sundays

Falmouth

9.30am 1st, 3rd Sundays

THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF THE FINGAL VALLEY

Sunday April 17th

8.45am G.F.A.W. Fingal
10.45am H.C. St. Marys
7.00pm E.P. Avoca

(Services taken by New Minister,
Rev. David Rossignol.

Sunday April 24th

2.30pm Bicheno
(Seaview Christian
Campsite)

CATHOLIC PARISH OF ST. MARYS

St. Marys - St. Mary of the Assump-
tion - Sundays April 17, 24 9.00am

St. Helens - SS Helena & Stanislaus
Saturdays April 16, 23 6.00pm

Fingal - St. Joseph
Sunday April 24 10.30am

Mangana - Our Lady of the Sacred
Heart - Sunday April 17 10.30am

Mathinna - 5th Sunday of each month
11.00am

Bicheno - Community Church
Sunday April 17 4.00pm

PARISH PRIEST: Father Connolly,
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Phone 722252

MEALS ON WHEELS FINGAL VALLEY

APRIL	ST. MARYS	FINGAL	MANGANA
Sunday 17	Kerin Glatte	R. Saunders	R. Saunders
Monday 18	Karlene Richards	Ida Legro	Ida Legro
Tuesday 19	Mary Viney	June Hall	June Hall
Wednesday 20	Cheryle Hendley	Y. Johnson	Cros Upton
Thursday 21	Wendy Aulich	Miss Cooke	Les Walters
Sunday 24	Leanne Morris	M. Saunders	Jack Miller
Monday 25	D & S Robinson	June McKenzie	June McKenzie
Tuesday 26	Viv Young	Heather Mills	Les Walters
Wednesday 27	Audrey Wright	Jan. Marshall	Jan. Marshall
Thursday 28	Pam Lynch	Jack Miller	Jack Miller

SPORTS

ST. MARYS GOLF NOTES

by Tee Up

St. Marys had a very successful Legacy Day with 77 players from Mowbray - Riverside - L'iton - Swansea - Bicheno - Malahide and St. Helens.

Congratulations to Geoff Hughes for winning the A.I.F. Cup in which he has competed since its inception 30 years ago at the St. Marys Club. Mowbray really had a day of it by winning 10 of the 17 trophies. I believe many visitors praised the condition of the course and this must be pleasing to the home Club for a wonderful effort.

On Sunday April 24 the Football Social Day Mens Canadian Foursome - 10.30 start is on the agenda. The aim is to have one footballer and one golfer in combination. Barbecue will be available. It looks like an interesting day. Also the Club wants names for a bus to go to Swansea to their Legacy Day on the 23 April. A list is on the board in the Club House.

Legacy Day Winners:-

A.I.F. Cup 1988 Geoff Hughes 64 nett

Ex Servicemens Trophy Terry Gibbons

- 66 nett

Lands Forces Trophy H. Easther

- 67 c/b

R. Reeves 67 nett

Air/Naval Forces Trophy R. Staggs

- 67 nett

Best Gross

D. Jones 74 nett

Best Nett A Grade C. Lyne 66 nett

Best " B " G. Cashion 67 "

" " C " B. Cook 66 "

" " Right Hander R. Bishop

- 66 nett

" " Left Hander R. Gale

- 67 nett

Legacy Trophy B. Clarke 65 nett

60 & Over gross G. Singline 85

60 & Over nett D. Campbell 68 nett

Nearest Pin 2nd D. Jones

" " 5th K. Howe

" " 7th D. Jones

Spot Drive R. Bishop

Members Stableford

S. Wilmot	(9)	45 points
Chris Hayes	(17)	43 "
A. Wright	(6)	39 "
S. Jansen	(27)	34 "
J. Newman	(17)	34 "
Cros Davern	(26)	29 "

Associates

Stroke & Monthly Brooch

B. Johnson	(18)	61 nett
M. King	(29)	63 nett
H. Fleming	(35)	63 "
K. Wright	(31)	63 "

Monthly Brooch B. Johnson

Buffy reduced from 18-17

Stableford

M. King	(29)	43 pts. on c/b
K. Blair	(27)	43 "
H. Fleming	(35)	42 "
S. Oliver	(36)	41 "
J. Lohrey	(27)	40 "
K. Wright	(31)	40 "
Stroke & 1st Rd. L.G.U. Bowl		
R. Gill	(36)	65 nett
K. Wright	(31)	66 "
K. Blair	(25)	71 nett
A. Holmes	(22)	72 "

LADIES VOLLEYBALL NOTES

21.3.88

Game 1: Slammers d Hot Dots

Game 2: Rockets d Top Forties 3-0.

15.9, 16.14, 15.3

28.3.88

Game 1: Rockets d Slammers 3-0.

15.12, 15.8, 15.4

Game 2: Top Forties d Hot Dots 3-2

15.13, 15.12, 14.16, 12.15, 17.15.

11.4.88

Game 1: Top Forties d Slammers 3-2.

15.8, 15.3, 3.15, 5.15, 15.7.

Game 2: Hot Dots d Rockets 3-1

15.12, 15.12, 9.15, 15.10.

ROSTER:

18.4.88 Hot Dots v Slammers T.F.

Rockets v Top Forties Slammers

25.4.88 Slammers v Rockets Hot Dots

Top Forties v Hot Dots Rockets

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WARBURTON

by Aaron Furlow, Grade 10

Warby, as it is commonly known by the townsfolk, was a fast growing area with workmen kept constantly busy developing and constructing new houses, buildings and shops around the area to extend the area to East Warburton with central Warby as well.

Every school day, morning and afternoon, the school buses could be heard travelling to and from school in their own rattling fashion. We would be awoken every morning by the squeak of the paper boy's bicycle. During most afternoons and nights one could hear the rattle and banging of people pushing buttons at one of several pinball parlours and amusement arcades (which are usually overcrowded by teenagers and young adults).

During a mid-afternoon Saturday in Winter you could see the recreation ground packed with cars, together with their shouts, cheers as well as beeps of horns, participating in the series of events at the local football matches, which is a loved sport by the majority of the four thousand plus spectators.

Then there is the smell of the trees and flowers in blossom with their fragrance flowing during the period of spring while the boys and girls feast on the ripe plums and apples in the orchard up Hillditch Avenue.

WEST LAUNCESTON

by Kelly Frank, Grade 10

West Launceston is your average middle-class suburb. But, of course, when summer comes, so does the rest of Launceston - to the Basin!

The tidy schedule of West Launcestonians is upset, as the place comes alive in the sticky heat, cars line both sides of the road in an effort to gain a little square of ground near the pool. It's even more crowded when the rock concert begins though; the older people - the only ones left in their houses - cringe when the incessant drum beat begins. But it's soon over in a matter of days, and West Launceston is left to itself for another year.

YOU'RE ON YOUR OWN IN A WORLD OF RACISM

by Alison Lync, Grade 10

It is a desolate land I live in, a land that sustains the flow of the River Murray in Australia's parched riverland area. I see the water at a steady on-going pace in the winter and virtually cease to flow in the warmer months, leaving our trees without a base to expand and mature as the banks are corroded away - a harsh country.

This is the land I call my home, the clear sky my roof and ochre soil a place for resting.

I knew very little about the land beyond the horizon fostering the greater amount of the population, but dreamed often about the tales I had been told by my elders. I imagined wearing footwear and not walking upon my bare heel. The rich chocolate colour drained from my souls as if a lemon squeezed of its juice.

I was not to know that one day my dreams could become a reality

The opportunity came by means of a visiting white man who was unknown to me. He came promising hope and good fortune to any who ventured into what he referred to as "the only place to be", ... a city full of people economic earnings.

My dreams over-ruled any particular doubt I may have had, I was lured into his net. Doubts came later as if they had once been twisted like the braids in my hair then combed out and straightened to flow freely.

The city lights glistened, reminding me of the moon and the stars and the way they reflected upon the Murray. Buildings extended high into the distant land of the gods, like nothing I could remember witnessing previously.

I had footwear, I felt proud but uncomfortable ... I did not belong, people stared, as if it was a crime to have blemished skin the colour of the earth, and commented amongst themselves regarding other characteristics that they could not accept - I AM an aborigine, a true Australian, but all I face is discrimination, a new word to me!

PARENTS & FRIENDS MEETING 7.30 p.m.

Tuesday, 19th April

M. Forsyth will discuss H.Ec. scopes and costing with parents.

(Excerpts from the Weekly Courier,
Wednesday April 10th, 1929)

Adverse weather conditions were responsible for the unsuccessful show held at St. Marys last Wednesday. It was distinctly unfortunate for the Society and the district that one of the worst rain storms of recent years should have come along on the day set down for the show. The executives had arrangements well in hand and the Secretary, Mr W.N. Wright had worked unceasingly in an endeavour to bring about a record fixture. A number of visitors from a distance put in an appearance on the day prior to the Show, and had the weather remained fine many more would have come along. As it was only the very hardiest spirits ventured out. Despite the fact that it was 'teeming cats and dogs', the entire ring programme was persisted with. Those who had the courage to visit the ground were treated with the spectacle of equestrians of both sexes splashing through deep pools and negotiating fences from take offs fatlock deep in mud. As in these cases horses jumped carefully and

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safely and no accident occurred. The riders however could not have had one stitch of dry clothing on them. Hack races and trots were also run.

The Governor, Sir James O'Grady was present and performed the opening ceremony. There is no doubt that in the person of Sir James, the primary producers have a real champion. His investigations of their position is no superficial one for he probes their problems with a thoroughness that has won the admiration of the farming and pastoral community.....

.. A considerable financial loss is likely to result due to the wet day but with the determination to succeed which was expressed by the President of the Association, Mr Eugene Ransom, there is little doubt that in a few years the deficit will be completely wiped out.

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STARDUST

By Mercury

Week commencing April 14th 1988.

ARIES March 21 - April 20

Now is the time to be nice towards that certain person in your life, as he or she seems to be going through a rough patch just at the present.

Best Days: 14, 25.

TAURUS April 21 - May 20

You may feel restless at the present time and this may have some effect on the people around you. Just bide with it and it will soon pass.

Best Days: 16, 27.

GEMINI May 21 - June 21

Relationships seem to be full of surprises in the coming week, with a lot of unexpected people from the past turned up out of the blue.

Best Days: 18, 24.

CANCER June 22 - July 23

A social event may turn into a disaster when someone says the wrong thing. Also there may be a rather big expense just around the corner so you had better start saving.

Best Days: 19, 26.

LEO July 24 - August 23

Someone may be hassling you into a decision of some kind, but don't rush it as you may end up regretting your final conclusion.

Best Days: 20, 23

VIRGO August 24 - September 23

If given the opportunity to take off on a well earned break, then take it as this may never come your way again. You will be surprised how much better you will feel after this break.

Best Days: 15, 22.

LIBRA September 24 - Oct. 23

This may be the week to go out shopping and find all those great bargains you have been waiting for. Also accept all invitations thrown your way.

Best Days: 17, 21.

SCORPIO October 24 - Nov. 22

This is the time now to sit down and take a long hard look at a relationship you have been in for awhile. As you feel as if you are going no where at all.

Best Days: 14, 23.

SAGITTARIUS November 23 - Dec. 22

You may find yourself chasing after friends this week, as they seem to really need your help, but just remember keep your cool with them, as you may need their help one day soon.

Best Days: 17, 24.

CAPRICORN December 23 - Jan. 20

You may receive a surprise concerning money, so that will be a great thrill. Also romance seems to be on the cards this week, with an old friend turning up from nowhere.

Best Days: 16, 25.

AQUARIUS January 21 - Feb. 19

Try to avoid all arguments as you may find yourself getting involved with something that doesn't concern you.

Best Days: 20, 26.

PISCES February 20 - March 20

This week could be filled with a lot of hard work, but just remember you are the one who will receive the benefits.

Best Days: 18, 27.

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