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LANDCARE

***** COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT IN CARING FOR THE LAND
1990 IS THE START OF A DECADE OF LANDCARE

Landcare is a community program involving landholders and other people working in groups to tackle land degradation problems of concern in their local area.

The program encourages good land management and aims to ensure sustainable productivity and amenity value throughout Tasmania.

Landcare groups identify, plan, implement and maintain their own Landcare projects. They have access to technical and financial assistance through Government, such as the National Soil Conservation Program (NSCP) and the Billion Trees Program.

LANDCARE ON ALL LANDS

Landcare projects occur on both private and public lands. On farm land it makes sense that landholders and other members of the local community work together as a group to solve problems such as wind erosion, salinity, rabbits and weeds. The group approach has been shown to provide an effective way to tackle many land degradation problems.

On public lands a similar approach can be taken - projects may include protection of remnant vegetation and wildlife habitat and erosion control; or participation in the preparation of land use management plans.

Solutions need to be planned typically not just for one property - but cover a whole catchment or a sub-catchment.

STARTING A LANDCARE GROUP

If you are concerned about the state of your district's land - both its present state and its future, you could join with others and:

- * identify the major issues that need tackling now.
- * contact your local Landcare Officer for advice and assistance about joining or forming a group and developing a Landcare project.
- * hold a meeting to form a Landcare group in your area.

ASSISTANCE TO GROUPS

Groups can apply for assistance from Government agencies such as programs as the N.S.C.P. and the Billion Trees Program. Support may also come from schools, service clubs and volunteer groups such as Greening Australia, Tasmania Farmers and Graziers Association and the Australian Trust for Conservation Volunteers. Technical support can be obtained from Government agencies, private consultants and tertiary institutions or within the group.

A TIME FOR ACTION

Tasmania does have land degradation problems - problems that are serious enough to take action now before the problems reach the irreversible and/or costly stage.

A small number of 'Community Landcare' groups have formed within Tasmania. Many are currently seeking financial assistance under the Community Landcare Support Sub-program.

If you are interested in having a Landcare event promoted or require any information related to Landcare contact Simon Boughey on: (003) 415325

If your community or group of people are interested in forming a Landcare group or you require more details please contact Gary McKenzie, Landcare Officer South on (002) 784382 Or Greg Pinkard (003) 415258

WEEKEND PETROL AVAILABLE FROM:

SHELL, MAIN STREET,
AUGUST 18/19

B.P. STOREY STREET
AUGUST 25/26

B.P. MAIN STREET
SEPTEMBER 1/2

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Sunday 19th 10a.m. - 2p.m.
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trampoline, household goods, toys,
etc. 7 Hugh Street, St. Marys.

Would anyone knowing the where-abouts of kindergarten chairs from Uniting Church Sunday School, please return them or ring 722 202 or 722 281.

Those with raffle books for St. Marys Football Club and the Association raffle, please return to Bruce Spilsbury as soon as possible.

IT'S CHRISTMAS TIME AGAIN.....
(or it will be before we know it!)

Arrangements for

the GRAND - SUPER - BEST EVER
1990 Christmas celebration
are under way.

The initial meeting of interested people will take place at St. Marys Hotel Tuesday 28th at 7.30p.m.
Your help is needed so please attend.

Geoff White, **Interim Convenor.**

SCOTTS

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WHAT'S ON

COMMITTEE MEETING MEALS ON WHEELS

Will be held at St. Mary's
District Hospital on Monday Aug
20th at 7.30p.m.

BUSINESS Meals pricing
Fruit Juice
Accounts for payment
Petrol Vouchers
Christmas arrangements
General

E.C.H.O.

Next meeting Friday 17th August

VENUE Cray Drop Inn,
Four Mile Creek
via Falmouth Junction.

TIME 7.30 p.m.

ITEMS 1. Choice of "Logo" for
group from designs by High School
art students.

2. General discussion of
"ECHO" enterprises, needs, ideas,
problems etc.

GUEST SPEAKERS

Miss Karen Butler D.P.I. Deloraine

SUBJECT Flowers & Bulb ventures.

Mr. Clive Ockenden, Manager
"DERWENT SEEDS" Hobart.

SUBJECT Current seed production
needs and opportunities.

SUPPER \$2 per person.

ECHO MEMBERSHIP \$5 per family.

GEOFF CARR
CO-ORDINATOR

St. Marys's Indoor Bowlers will
welcome new members every
Tuesday from 12-30p.m. Come
along and enjoy yourself, learn
to play bowls.

Silver Threads Club,
St. Marys

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CALL AND SEE BRUCE OR PHONE:
722233 or 722155

CORNWALL INDOOR BOWLS TRIP

Dear Sir,

Because of some unfortunate
withdrawals we have a few seats
vacant for our trip to the Huon
Valley. The cost is \$350.00.
This covers cost for bed & break-
fast for 4 days, all travel
wherever we go, Ferry cruise on
the Huon, trip and ferry to
Bruny Island, trip to Hastings
Caves. Cost does not cover cost
of lunches or dinner at night.
You do not have to be a member
of a club or even a Senior Citizen
If you need more detail or would
like to go please contact Mrs.
Daph Stone 722278, or Mrs. Una
Camplin 722248. The trip is from
Oct. 1 - Oct. 5. Give yourself a
break.
U. Camplin.

CHURCH FUNCTION

Soup and Sandwich Luncheon in the
Uniting Church Hall Fingal on
Tuesday August 21st starting at
12 noon. Funds in aid of the
Anglican Church Guild Fingal.
Cost \$3. Trade Table...Cakes,
Biscuits, Baby Knitting, and
many other items.

The St. Mary's R.S.L. Sub Branch
has changed the meeting time for
the R.S.L. Monthly meetings.
It is now 2p.m. instead of the
7.30p.m. This is for the winter
months as it is so cold. It is
every 2nd Monday of the month
as usual.

J. McGee

BLACK GOLD BOUTIQUE

ST. MARYS

SALE SALE

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SALE STILL CONTINUES.....

PRICES DROPPING...

SAVE NOW!

CHURCH

NEWS

FINGAL--PORTLAND UNITING CHURCH

Worship Services Every Sunday
St Marys 11.00am
Fingal 9.30am
Scamander 9.00am
St Helens 7.00pm
Rossarden usually 3rd Wednesday 7.30pm

Sunday School
Fingal Sunday 9.30am
Kuca Clubs (weekday Sunday School)
after school, Scamander
and St Helens Monday
St Marys Tuesday

Parish Youth Group ring 725139 or 761141

ALL WELCOME REV.ALAN RENTON
PHONE 725139

THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF ST HELENS

St Pauls Church
8.00am } EVERY SUNDAY
9.30am }
7.00pm 1st, 3rd, 5th Sundays

Sunday School
3.30pm Mondays

Pyengana
11.15am 2nd Sunday
7.30pm 4th Wednesday

Falmouth
9.45am 1st & 3rd Sundays

Scamander (Home for Tea)
10.30am 4th Tuesday

ANGLICAN PARISH OF THE FINGAL VALLEY

Sunday August 19
8.45am Fingal
10.45am St Marys
3.00pm Mangana
6.00pm Avoca

August 26
8.45am Fingal
10.45am St Marys
3.00pm Mathinna
6.00pm Avoca

Rev David Le Rossignol
Fingal 742113

SALVATION ARMY

Sunday School
9.45am Salvation Army - St Marys
Church Service
11.00am 1st & 3rd Sunday - St Marys
2.15pm 2nd & 4th Sunday - St Marys
2.15pm 5th Sunday - Cottage Service
Womens Meeting
11.00am Tuesday - An hour of Fellowship for all women.

ENVOY & MRS BETTS

CATHOLIC PARISH OF ST MARYS

FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH
St Helens Sat. Vigil Mass 6.00pm
St Marys Sunday Mass 9.00am
Fingal Sunday Mass 10.30am
Bicheno Sunday Mass 4.00pm

SECOND SUNDAY OF THE MONTH
St Helens Sat. Vigil Mass 6.00pm
St Marys Sunday Mass 9.00am
Bicheno Sunday Mass 4.00pm

THIRD SUNDAY OF THE MONTH
St Helens Sat. Vigil Mass 6.00pm
St Marys Sunday Mass 9.00am
Fingal Sunday Mass 10.30am
Bicheno Sunday Mass 4.00pm

FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE MONTH
St Helens Sat. Vigil Mass 6.00pm
St Marys Sunday Mass 9.00am
Bicheno Sunday Mass 4.00pm
Swansea Sunday Mass 6.00pm

FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE MONTH
St Helens Sat. Vigil Mass 6.00pm
St Marys Sunday Mass 9.00am
Bicheno Sunday Mass 4.00pm

PRIEST: FATHER PAUL CONNOLLY
ST MARYS 003 722252

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

Hodgman Street, Scamander
Sabbath School 10.00am
Divine Service 11.00am

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ENQUIRIES MAY BE DIRECTED THROUGH:

Mr D Casboul
St Marys 722383

OR

Mr T Pears
Campbell Town 811 167

BRUCE DAVIDSON

FUNERAL DIRECTOR

From Mr. George Shaw M.L.C. (Member
For Macquarie)

The Hon. K.S. Wriedt, M.H.A.
Minister for Roads and Transport,
2 Bayfield Street,
ROSNY PARK, 7018

Dear Minister,

Proposed School Bus Charges

I thank your office and you for your phone call on the above subject which I am sure you will agree has become a major issue. Even though I feel you have heard my opinion I now submit it in writing.

Under the Education Act 1932 children aged 6 to 16 are compelled to enrol and attend school. It also provides that the Minister establish such schools as are necessary for the purposes of the Act and that no fees shall be charged for instruction in State Schools.

The principle is clear the State must provide education for all and it is to be "free" (which means the taxpayer pays.) In line with this fundamental provision is equality of access for all children wherever they live.

That is why years ago schools were built in every village settlement to enable access.

As roads and transport improved, the Government closed schools and centralised always with the undertaking that for country children there would be a free bus, provided the child lived further than 3.2 kilometres from the school and numbers were within certain limits.

The situation for city children is quite different. Few live further than 3.2 kilometers from the school and other transport options are available.

To impose a charge on country children in the name of equity (because city children already pay) is a complete misunderstanding and misrepresentation of the situation.

While I acknowledge there are anomalies and inequities within the school transport system which ought to be removed, I cannot accept the proposal to impose a charge on all students served by the country bus system. This impost would deny equality of access and in effect reverse the principles of "free" education established under the Act.

There are many other good arguments that can be advanced to oppose this proposal but I am sure you are aware of them. In summary I believe the proposal is unwarranted, unwanted and unworkable.

Yours sincerely, George Shaw.

CRIME PREVENTION

Equipment Security

Adopt the concept of removal of risk by introducing the following theft reduction techniques;

(1) The theft of batteries, tools and accessories from tractors or farm implements may be prevented by locating the equipment in a locked building or in proximity to an occupied residence;

(2) Property near a roadway is more susceptible to theft or damage. Remove the opportunity by removing the item to a more secure location;

(3) Chain implements to a permanent item of a substantial nature;

(4) Identify equipment and tools by engraving, welding or stamping your drivers licence number on the item;

(5) Retain literature incorporating photographs of your equipment or photograph the unit;

(6) Record any serial numbers or modifications;

(7) Remove keys from vehicles when not in use, consider isolation switch for the ignition;

(8) Lock fuel pumps and storage tank access, consider isolation of power supply;

(9) Many smaller farm implements are easily transportable - rotary hoses, ride on mowers, pumps etc., identify them as yours and lock them away;

(10) Lock away oxy-acetylene cutting equipment, hacksaws, crowbars and other similar equipment which may be used by offenders;

(11) Secure your vehicle and contents, remove property and documentation from the glovebox and lock valuables in the boot, make use of a lockable garage if possible;

(12) If thefts from shearing sheds are occurring in your area, consider leaving a dog chained at the shed. A barking dog may deter an offender and alert you.

ST. MARYS DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

MEETING WITH THE MINISTER

Mr. Peter Patmore, Minister for Education and the Arts will visit the School on Friday 17th August.

From 1.00 until 1.45 Mr. Patmore will meet with Parents in the School Library to discuss matters of concern relating to Education.

If you are concerned about the likely effects Cuts to Education, School redevelopment or matters related to School Transport please take the opportunity to talk with Mr. Patmore.

PUPIL-FREE DAY - 24th August

All Secondary and District High Schools have been allocated two days this year for use as staff retraining days. St. Marys will use the first of these on Friday, 24th August.

The theme for the day will be "Continuity of Education in a District High School". During the day we will begin to address the problem of "Continuity". We shall look at developing whole-school methods, strategies and curricula to ensure that the educational program for each individual student is steady and developmental, building constantly on early experiences and understanding. It is necessary that all our physical, curricula, fiscal and human resources are organised in such a way that they best facilitate a continuous learning program for all students.

P - 6 CROSSCOUNTRY

At our recent crosscountry event we saw a wonderful display of students participating with positive attitudes and a willingness to get in and have a go. The benefits of our daily Physical Education Program were displayed as all students were able to complete the course in fine style. It was tremendous to see the encouragement offered by fellow students to all runners.

The house competition result was very even with

Blackwood (325) scoring a narrow win over Dalmain (311) and Duncan (270).

Prep Girls -	Miriam Kilmista, Serena-Ann Wells, Karen Searle
Prep Boys -	Bong Bong Louis Kylie Bean Sam Laycock
Gr 1 Girls -	Krystal Dell Jessica Mitchell Jessica Baldock
Gr 1 Boys -	Jarrold Peet Anthony Gillies Tyson Ward
Gr 2 Girls -	Erica Fearman Jess Baldini Kate Baldini
Gr 2 Boys -	Matthew Viney Luke Faulkner Tristan Ireland/ Tristan Clement
8-yr Girls -	Chantelle Peet Lizzy Smith Clare Fraser
8 yr Boys -	Stuart Ireland Steele Baldock Ben Lewis
9 yr Girls -	Clonagh Riley Andrea Gillies Joanne Denney
9 yr Boys -	Clinton Lawler Keith Pyke Clinton Mitchell
10 yr Girls -	Angela Barr Michelle Griffiths Renee Lynch
10 yr Boys -	Scott Mason Harold Claridge James Laycock
11 yr Girls -	Angela Gamble Rebecca Hendley Kate Rawnsley
11 yr Boys -	Jonathon Peake Daniel Gillies Jarrod Luther
12 yr Girls -	Misha Andrews
12 yr Boys -	Adam Williams Jacob McDonald

Congratulations to all those students who participated!!!

Those students who were placed in the first 5 in the eight year old races and above will have the opportunity to represent the school in the combined East North East State Schools Sport Association Crosscountry Carnival to be held at Mathinna on Tuesday, 21st August.

YEAR 9 ARE ANIMALS

The school play - 22nd and 23rd August - Adults \$2, Students \$1.

Anglican Womens Guild at Fingal meet on the first Monday of every month at the home of Mrs Roxy Cowie. Meeting starts at 1.30pm followed by afternoon tea. New members are always welcome. Our Guild accepts responsibility for the following. Assisting other congregation members with church cleaning, assisting with general running of the church, collecting for Missions in overseas countries. We are always willing to help in any other way that we are required. Our fund raising consists of....Catering for various functions, Morning teas or luncheons.

NOTICE OF MEETING

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

ST. MARYS SPORTS CENTRE INC.
1990

To be held in Clubhouse on Friday, September 7th 1990 commencing at 7.30.

Business Includes:

Minutes of 1989 A.G.M.
Treasurers & Auditors Reports
All the golf & bowls reports from relevant officers.
Election of 1990/91 office bearers and ordinary committee persons.
Appointment of Auditors.
Remunerations of Treasurer and Secretary.
Determine 1990/91 Annual Subs.
Changes to constitution (subject to clearance by solicitors) and any general business.

R.B. McGiveron

Secretary.

Emma Clement wasn't at Sams Supermarket last Saturday morning. Geoff White had given her the day off to run in the Tasmanian Cross Country Titles at Hobart.

The trip was successful, and Emma returned to the Valley that night with a gold medal for winning the Under 15 women 4km. State Title, and a place in the Tasmanian team to compete in the Australian Cross Country Championships to be held in September, also in Hobart. She will run in the Womens Under 18 title race.

Emma has represented Tasmania in the 1989 and 1990 Australian All Schools Championships, but this was her first competition at Senior level. While she only turned 15 last month, she has had to move from Under 15 to Under 17 and now Under 18 events over the past 6 weeks.

This week, training for the Nationals has to be fitted in with rehearsals for the St Marys High School drama production "Year Nine are Animals" which is to be performed at the School Hall next Wednesday and Thursday, 22 and 23 August. It's going to be busy month.

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MEALS ON WHEELS

<u>AUGUST</u>		<u>ST MARYS</u>	<u>FINGAL</u>	<u>MANGANA</u>	<u>MATHINNA</u>
Sunday	19	M & K Webb	Malc. Saunders	Neil Ward	K Turner
Monday	20	Gail Gamble	Shirley Parker	S Parker	C Scott
Tuesday	21	Kaye Nailer	G McPhederan	Jack Miller	M Ellis
Wednesday	22	George Oliver	Gloria Parker		C Webb
Thursday	23	Wendy Aulich	P Rowlings	P Rowlings	I Hardman
Sunday	26	Kevin Faulkner	Aub Oliver	Aub Oliver	K Turner
Monday	27	Debbie Barnes	Jack Miller	Jack Miller	C Scott
Tuesday	28	Pam Peake	H Richardson	Alan Barnes	Max Ellis
Wednesday	29	Doris Bullock	Kaye Cooke		C Webb
Thursday	30	Jenny Cooke	Y Johnson	Les Walters	I Hardman

SPORT

ST MARYS GOLF NOTES by Tee Up's Mate

The ladies club championships have now finished and it was good to see all the players finish, that started. May Cook has taken out the club championships with four consistent rounds. Congraulations May.

In B Grade Kath Blair has continued on her good form to take the championship in that grade and keep improving her golf. Well done Kath.

In C Grade Maisie Nolan played very steadily to clinch that title, well done Maisie.

There is now a Limit Marker's championship trophy and this year there were two very promising players who competed well for it. Finally the winner decided was Helen Child in a good contest with Leslie Burness. Congratulations to you both. Since the championship Leslie has put in another good round to win a club competition.

Members have, over the past two weeks played for the President/Vice President's Trophy and the Spalding Competition. In the President/Vice President's Day we saw good performances from Jason Costain and Shan Wilmot in Division one to take trophies, and Leon Atkins and Andrew Haas to win in Division two. The Spalding Day qualifiers were Robin Costain, Shan Wilmot, Andrew Haas and Geoff King who all played quite well under the heavy conditions.

Just a reminder to all of the match-play competition dates have been extended for a week, because of last weekend's bad weather, where several matches had to be called off. All please note that the 36 hole finals in each grade have to be played on Sunday 23 September at 10.00am.

August 25th and 26th is the Annual Spilsbury Trophy dates. Let's see a good roll up for that.

A short notice of Annual General Meeting is listed in this issue of Valley Voice.

A big thankyou to our President Rod Spilsbury and Vice President (Golf) Derek Summers on the excellent trophies they provided on their day. Thanks fellas.

JAN HOLLINGSWORTH

REGISTERED DENTAL MECHANIC WILL
BE VISITING ST MARYS ON FRIDAY
24TH AUGUST 10.00am - 12 noon
OR PHONE 768253 FOR 7 DAY A
WEEK APPOINTMENTS AT
36 TRELOGGEN DRIVE
BINALONG BAY

RESULTS

Associates Championships

Day 3 & McGiveron Trophy

Limit Markers H Child (36) 69 on c/b
L Burness (36)

Day Comp. M Nolan (30) 62
I Francis (32) 66
S Oliver (33) 67

Day 4 H Child (36) 60
L Burness (36) 65
I Francis (32) 68

FINAL SCORES & CHAMPIONS 72 HOLES

A GRADE M Cook 353
B GRADE K Blair 372
C GRADE M Nolan 388
LIMIT MARKER H Child 431

CLUB HANDICAP CHAMPION
M Nolan (12) 268

MEMBERS - PRESIDENT/VICE PRESIDENT'S

		DAY	
Div 1 Nett	J Costain (15)	65	
	R Spilsbury (16)	65	(inelig)
	S Wilmot (7)	66	
Div 1 Gross	S Wilmot	73	
	R McGiveron	74	
	K Davern	75	
Div 2 Nett	L Atkins (22)	62	
	A Haas (17)	67	
	J Furlow (22)	75	
Div 2 Gross	A Haas	84	c/b
	L Atkins	84	
	G King	96	
Nearest Pins	5th K Davern		
	7th K Burges-Watson		

SPALDING DAY

Winners R Costain (15) 64
S Wilmot (7) 65
A Haas (17) 67
G King (19) 67
Others J Furlow (22) 68
K Howe (6) 69
R McGiveron (6) 69
L Atkins (21) 69

Nearest Pin 4th - K Howe
5th - P Wilson

1990-91 RATES

The overall increase in the municipal rate for 1990-91 is 6.07%, however due to the recent revaluation of all properties the major bearers of the increase will be rural areas and some townships such as Avoca and Mathinna. The majority of townships will receive only moderate increases in their overall rates.

COUNCIL DEPOT

The Council was advised at its recent meeting that the new depot in Fleming Street, Fingal is nearing completion. It was decided that tenders will be called for the sale and removal of the old depot buildings.

CEMETERIES - NICHE WALLS

It was agreed at Monday's meeting that niche walls at the Fingal and St. Marys cemeteries would be established after further investigations have been made on the matter.

SCAMANDER TIP - USE BY NON - RATE PAYERS

The Council has been advised that since the opening of the new tip at Scamander, extensive use is being made of the tip by residents of Beaumaris. As Beaumaris residents did not contribute to the establishment costs of the tip nor were they making a financial contribution to the continued maintenance of the tip, it was decided that an approach would be made to the Portland Council seeking a contribution towards these costs.

SCAMANDER ROCK CONCERT

A copy of a letter and petition to Mr. Holgate requesting the non-issue of a licence for any rock concert to be held within the township of Scamander was discussed at Monday's meeting. It was agreed that the St. Marys Ward Councillors would meet with the Scamander and District Progress Association with a view to reporting back to Council.

FOOTBALLAugust 4th

St. Marys played Fingal at St. Marys.

Results Under 16's

St. Marys 5-5 defeated Fingal 1-2.

Best: St. Marys

M. Radford, T. Lockhart, D. Davern, S. Wines and T. Riley.

Best: Fingal

D. Brittain, D. Hall, M. Johns, A. Woods, P. Webb.

Goals: St. Marys

M. Gamble 2, Donald, Newman, Faulkner 1.

Goals Fingal:

C. Speers 1.

Reserves

St. Marys defeated Fingal by 62 pts. 10-12 to 1-4 in a pretty uneven event. Best players - St. Marys: J. Viney, M. Williams, D. Faulkner, P. Spilsbury and G. Peet. Best Players for Fingal: S. Bean, R. Parsons, J. Hall, S. Francis, C. Baldwin. Goals for St. Marys: R. Squires 5, L. Spilsbury 4, J. Viney 1. Fingal: D. Ling 1.

Seniors

After a fairly even first half which saw the home team in front 11-4 to 7-7, St. Marys' superior fitness and teamwork paid off to run out winners by 39 pts, 21-8 to 14-11. Goals St. Marys: A. Viney, S. Gray 4, J. Miles 3, A. Wright, S. Brown, G. Murfett 2, M. Viney, G. Brown, S. Wiggins, D. Ridgers 1. Best St. Marys: A good team effort with John Miles outstanding. Fingal Best and goalkickers misplaced. Stone scored 5 goals and was one of the best with C. Woods.

August 11th

St. Marys played host to Campbell Town.

Under 16's

Campbell Town's superior size and strength proved too much for their smaller opponents running out easy winners, 12-17 to 1-3. St. Marys Goals: M. Gamble 1 and best players S. Lockhart, J. Lockhart, S. Wines, P. Scales and G. Henley.

Reserves

St. Marys reversed their last defeat by Campbell Town, to win by 27 points after leading at half time by 15 pts. This was a fairly even game with St. Marys' superior fitness prevailing. Final scores 10-5 to 4-14. Goals St. Marys: G. Peet, R. Squires and J. Viney 2, M. Duniam, Leedham, R. Hoskinson, L. Spilsbury 1 and Best players: G. Peet, J. Viney, B. Leedham, R. Hoskinson, P. Mason.

Seniors

St. Marys overwhelmed Campbell Town to win by 103 pts in a very one sided affair. Best players St. Marys: J. Miles, A. Viney, R. Salter, D. Ridger, P. Barnes, S. Dakin, M. Viney. Best Players Campbell Town: J. Porteous, J. Martin, D. Johnson, R. Evans, T. Clark. Goals St. Marys: M. Viney 9, D. McInstry, D. Burgess 4, R. Salter, A. Viney 3, G. Murfett, P. Spilsbury 2, D. Ridgers, J. Miles, S. Gray, Davern, S. Brown 1. C'Town: R. Blair, J. Frosser 1.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sir,
WHEELY BINS HAVE SALES TAX
ADVANTAGE

Tasmanian councils should consider the use of "wheely bins" for the collection of household rubbish following a recent Federal Court ruling.

The Federal Court decision has exempted from sales tax the "wheely bins" used to collect rubbish in the Knox municipality in Melbourne even though the collections are completed by private contractors. Brambles, the contractor has leased the bins to the council who are responsible for their care and any damage that might follow from their misuse.

If the precedent set by this case is applied widely by government bodies seeking to contract services it may make "contracting out" a far more viable proposition.

Councils should look at renegotiating their rubbish disposal contracts to ensure that equipment is leased from contractors and controlled by councils. The new ruling could also be applicable to other functions which are/can be contracted out such as computer services and roadworks.

Yours sincerely,
John Watson
Senator for Tasmania.

The District Health Committee will advise and report to the Chairman of the Northern Regions Hospital Board and his officers concerning the local community needs and wishes for all its health services.

INTERIM DISTRICT HEALTH COMMITTEE

14/8/90

To: Presidents and Secretaries of existing organisations,
On Monday 13th August I was appointed as Convenor for the proposed District Health Committee in the St. Marys, Scamander and Fingal area. One of my functions is to get expressions of interest from groups and organisations who would like representation on the interim committee. The core of the committee will be former hospital Board members, namely:- Stephen Salter, Mr. Kevin Faulkner, Mrs. Doris Bullock, Mrs. Sophie Legge and Mr. Robert Legge.

Could you have a member of your organisation, who would be prepared to accept nomination to the interim committee, present at a meeting in the St. Marys Institute on Tuesday 28th August at 7.30pm.

Attendance will not guarantee representation directly as it may be necessary to group particular interests together to keep the committee at a realistic number. This intent will be helped if former hospital Board members represent other groups with which they are already associated.

Looking forward to your participation.

Yours sincerely,
Stephen Salter.

REGIONAL HEALTH ADMINISTRATION AND DISTRICT HEALTH COMMITTEES

To allow local communities to have a continued role and participation in the decisions affecting delivery of health care services to their own areas, local District Health Committees are being formed.

A meeting at Scamander on Monday night proposed that one committee be formed with three cells, i.e. an Eastern Districts Health Committee be established with sub-committees for Bicheno area, St. Marys - Fingal - Scamander area and one for St. Helens Portland area.

It is intended the District Health Committees draw their membership from out-going hospital boards members as well as a broad cross section of community groups and interests. Groups representing industry, education, welfare, community service, public health, aged people and so on.

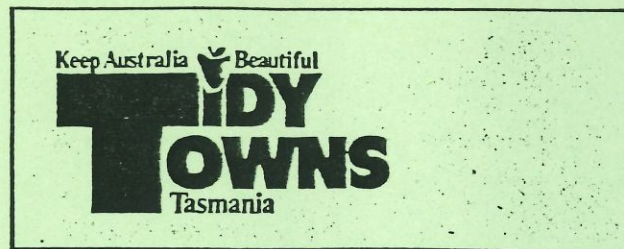
RETURN THANKS

NOEL EDWIN SUTTON. PASSED AWAY
27th JULY, 1990

We wish to say a sincere 'thank you' to our many relatives and friends for their prayers, expressions of sympathy, floral tributes, phone calls, visits and attendance at the church. We are certainly lucky to be part of a small, closeknit community.

Our heartfelt gratitude to Father Bill Egan for his inspiring service - a message of hope to us all. Special thanks to R.S.L. members and Selby Targett. God bless you.

Margaret, Cheryl and Jim,
Dennis and Kaylene, Rosanne and Graemme. Grandchildren Rachael, Leah, Melanie, Adam, Scott and Kate.



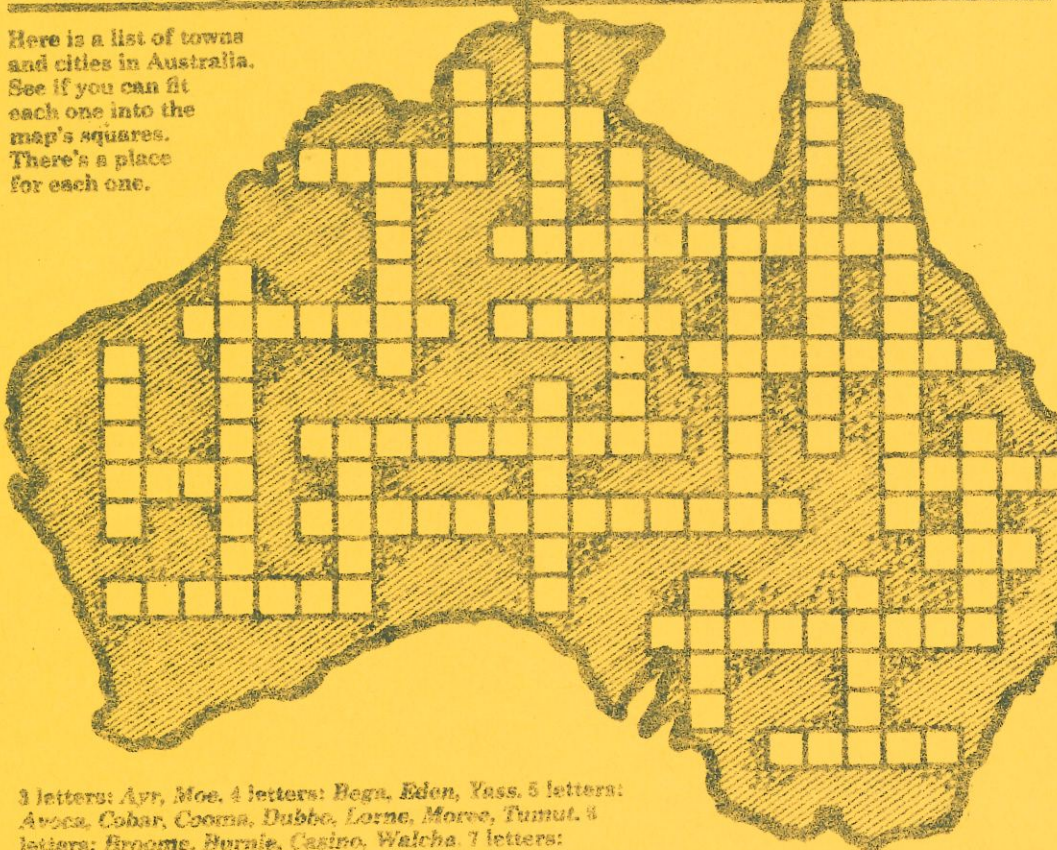
ST. MARYS

IS ENTERED IN THE 1990 TIDY TOWNS COMPETITION. THE JUDGING
WILL TAKE PLACE ON FRIDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER. THE LIONS CLUB
OF ST. MARYS HAS ENTERED THE TOWN IN THE COMPETITION AND
LIONS WILL BE IN ACTION THIS SATURDAY FROM 10.00 a.m.
TIDYING UP AREAS OF THE TOWN.

PLEASE TAKE THE TIME TO HELP TIDY UP YOUR TOWN.

AUSTRALIA WIDE

Here is a list of towns and cities in Australia. See if you can fit each one into the map's squares. There's a place for each one.



3 letters: Apr, Moe. 4 letters: Bega, Eden, Yass. 5 letters: Arco, Cobar, Cooma, Dubbo, Lorne, Morro, Tumut. 6 letters: Broome, Burnie, Casino, Walcha. 7 letters: Mandra, Quilpie. 8 letters: Adelaide, Armidale, Bathurst, Gundagai. 9 letters: Mudgee, Melbourne. 10 letters: Parramatta, Townsville. 11 letters: Port Augusta. 13 letters: Port Macquarie.

DOWN UP

The definitions below are for words, names or phrases which contain the letters "bon", eg for tuna-like fish, bonito.

1. Sliding instrument in a brass band
2. Kentucky corn whiskey
3. Symbol of piracy, or of poison
4. Type of ape
5. Long-running TV western starring Lorne Greene
6. Wanderer; rover; itinerant
7. Admit freely
8. Jet-black wood
9. Disease which ravaged Europe in 14th century
10. Conflagration for celebration
11. Western starring John Wayne and Joanne Dru
12. Type of African antelope or drum
13. Early 19th century ruler of France, conqueror of Europe
14. Legitimate; on the level
15. Sweet with cream filling
16. A song for the US Confederacy
17. Legal phrase meaning "for the common good"
18. Author of "The Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire"
19. Ship commanded by John Paul Jones
20. West African nation, capital Libreville
21. Much-parodied song about a faraway lover
22. A witticism (Fr.)
23. An innkeeper
24. University of Paris
25. Slang term for a surgeon
26. Subject of disagreement
27. French painter, noted for her pictures of animals, 1822-1899
28. Farewell wish for someone taking a trip

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Each clue relates to a phrase or saying with the name of a food.

1. Act the goat
2. Paternal sponsor
3. Become confused
4. Intellectual
5. Person who drops things
6. Thick fog
7. Bad luck!
8. Provide for the family
9. Faint-hearted person

