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EDITORIAL

DECENTRALIZATION & THE MISSING LINK

Now that the Bell Bay rail link is to go through, for the first time in history many parts of northern Tasmania will have a direct rail connection with a deep sea port.

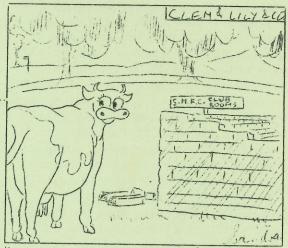
This is a very significant fact, for now decentralization of industry along all connecting railway lines becomes an economic possibility. In the past the bugbear has always been the costs of off-loading and handling. With a direct rail connection and modern techniques of loading it will soon be a feasible proposition that products could be manufactured, even up to a hundred miles away from a deep sea northern port, and landed on the mainland at comparable costs with products manufactured in Hobart and shipped direct.

This applies equally as well to the Fingal Valley. Unfortunately decentralization is one of those things politicians often say a lot about in election campaigns and rarely do anything about in practise.

It will need plenty of government encouragement, especially financially, to entice manufacturers to set up out of the city zones. But it can be done and the ultimate benefits for both manufacturers and the country areas could be considerable.

However, if this is going to ever happen it will need continuous government lobbying from responsible bodies and individuals in our areas. No doubt the best way to accomplish this would be to have a true representative of this district elected to parliament. Because we haven't it will probably mean twice the effort, but surely for the sake of our future prosperity the effort will be worthwhile.

TO ALL MUMS - HAPPY MOTHERS' DAY!!!



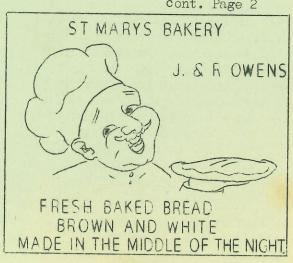
ALWAYS BE USED FOR SUPPOSE COULD A STABLE FOR THE HORSES .

TOUCHE'

At this year's graduation ceremonies at the University of Tas. there were no less than five students graduating who were formerly from this district. John Avery of St. Helens obtained his Batchelor of Law and the former Beris Press of St. Helens, Rosemary O'Neale of Bicheno, Val Schier of Falmouth and Andrew Lohrey formerly of St. Marys all obtained their Batchelor of Arts Degrees. Incidently, Andrew Lohrey's wife Ann, formerly of Launceston, also obtained her B.A. and Honours.

A lot of work has gone into the preparation of the band music presented on Anzac Day by our local players, the young recruits and the visitors. gratulations to Mr. Selby Targett for

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sir, ...

On behalf of the St Marys Football Club General Committee, we wish to express our appreciation to the members of the Fingal Council and in particular members of this Ward for their support in enabling the granting of the \$5000.00 loan required to complete the Clubrooms at present under construction on the Recreation ground. We are also very grateful for the generous support given us by the public in the two Queen Carnivals organised to assist in commencing these new Clubrooms, and from both Quests plus a repayable loan of \$200.00 from the Fingal District Football Association and a \$500.00 grant from the Government, this Club has been able to provide \$4600.00 for the Project. With the completed building being valued at approximately \$14000.00 it can be readily seen that our Club have supplied in cash and voluntary labour a sum approaching \$9000.00. We quite naturally felt that we could not prevail further upon the public for their support in further Fund-raising activities, and we had no alternative than to seek Council assis-

We have been advised that this loan will necessitate a slight increase in the rates and we wish to make the ratesovers aware of the increase involved. Fi mes compiled by the Council show that increases for Householders only will be an average 60 cents to \$1.00 per annum. Fion, with the maximum increase under was category \$1.36. Increases for rural holdings are naturally in excess of these figures.

When completed, these Clubrooms will be such that the District can be justly proud and will serve a most useful purpose for many years in the future.

Signed: R.E. Costain (Sec.)
G.M. Napier (President)

Dear Sir,

Some time ago there was a book discussion group in your District, which for one reason or another was unable to continue. Tould anyone be interested in re-starting the group? The Group scheme now has many new novels and plans for gradually adding to its already extensive Book List. Enclosed are some leaflets about the scheme that you might care to distribute to promote interest in the Organisation of a new Discussion Group.

If anyone would like more details feel free to get in touch with me:

Yours sincerely, S.D. hodman, (For James Homes) Book Groups Officer, Adult Education Board.

* These leaflets may be obtained from Mrs Gill's Shop. St Marys



Dear Sir,

This letter is especially written to inform the Rate-payers in the St Marys Vard of the Fingal Municipality of a petition currently being circulated. This petition is in regard to a proposed Rate levy to off-set Council expense incurred by the completion of the St Marys Football Club club-rooms.

From figures I have obtained it is clear that the highest lovy in St Marys will be \$1.20 per annum if the levy is enforced, however the average levy would be only 60 cents to 70 cents per annum. This project is a must for St Marys young people and I cannot stand by and see the amount of work that has already gone into the building of these sheds wasted just because a small section of the Public has a short sighted and narrow-minded outlook towards it.

H. Wardlaw.

TOUCHE (cont)

Congratulations to Mr Selby Targett for the many hours he has spent helping the younger players and for arranging for the visiting players of such high standard.

The music we heard was excellent and it is to be hoped the band will go from strength to strength and receive a lot of local support.

RESULTS OF MONSTER KAFFLE

drawn on April 26th at Scamander.

Ist Prize...... Mr R.Taţlow, Fingal.
2nd "Mr R.Tatlow, Fingal.
3rd "Mrs P.Pringle, Scamander.
4th "Mr M.Wallis, Club Hotel,
L'ton.

N.Hardman, (Hon.Sec. Scamander Progress Assoc.)



MR. & FAS. NEVILLE LUTYYCHE and children have returned home to Warragul, Vic. after spending their annual leave with Neville's mother Mrs. M. Lutwyche. Whilst home, they visited relatives in Hobart, Launceston, and Savage River, accompanied by Mrs. Lutwyche.

JUDY AND BRUCE SPILSBURY of St. Marys are returning home on Sunday May 9th after several weeks touring Queensland. They spent their time at Lindeman Island, Cairns and Brisbane.

MR. & MES. COMER-WILLIAMS of St. Helens will be spending the weekend with their daughter Mrs. G. Stolenberg of Gowrie Park.

FRIENDS & RELATIVES travelled from all parts of the state to attend the wedding of Diana Lorraine, eldest daughter of Mr. & Mrs. H. Cooper of Fingal, to Michael Ashlin, only son of Mr. & Mrs. H. Ashlin of Geeveston, at the Presbyterian Church, Fingal, on the 24th April. Diana was attended by her two sisters, Judith and Kosemary, and the groom's sisters, Sonia and Christine. Best man was Mr. Ian Parker, and groomsman, Mr. Hilton Coad. 120 guests attended the reception in the Town Hall. Mr. and Mrs. Ashlin will make their home at Moonah.

Man. BUSHING of Fingal, and Mrs. M. Maney of St. Marys are visiting New Norfolk.

FA. & MRS. RALPH CAVTHORN of New Norfolk, leave on Saturday May 8th, for a holiday cruise to Hayman Island, spending a few days at Mackay, Qld., before returning home.

MES. TAS. YATES of Fingal would like to thank friends and relatives for the beautiful flowers cards etc. received while in St. Vincents Hospital.

MR. & MAG. G. SCHIER of Falmouth, travelled to Hobart to see their daughter Val, graduate. Val flew from Dampier, W.A. to receive her B.A. and flew back to Dampier the next day.

MISS TELLE HALKIS AND MISS HOSLYN MCKIN have come to St. Marys to work at the District Hospital. They have come from Queensland, and replace Miss Jan Stretton and Miss Robyn Whitworth, who have gone to work at the Lyell District Hospital after 3 months at St. Marys.

MR. & MRS. PERCY WRIGHT of St. Marys left last week for a months holiday. They are spending some time in Sydney with their daughter Christine and will visit Mr. & Mrs. Tom Cook in Perth W.A. Mr. Cook is Mrs. Wright's brother.

MR. & MES. GEC. BARNES, Fingal entertained Mr. & Mrs. Kay Hawkins and their daughter Alison and Karen from Launceston for the day last Sunday. MALGAKET BEAN on holiday at Deloraine with sister and husband Mr. & Mrs. Brian Baldwin.

A LCCAL EVENT which shows the better understanding between Roman Catholics and Protestants was the recent wedding of John R. Lowe and Joan M. Woods. This took place in the Presbyterian Church at Fingal. The celebrants were the minister, the Rt. Rev. A. Ffowcs-Williams and Father Buckley. The marriage rites used through out the ceremony were those of the Presbyterian Church.

COMING EVENTS

METHODIST CHURCH NOTICES: St. Marys 11 a.m. St. Helens 7.30 p.m. May 9th: Preacher - Mr. Peter Tanner, Burnie. May 16th: Preacher - Rev. Barry Wise.

ST. MARYS FOCTBALL CLUB street stall. Friday 28th May, 10 a.m. NOT 14th May as previously advised.

MON STER BONFIRE...THE BIGGEST AND BEST IN THE VALLEY

Sunday the 23rd May....More details in next issue.

BAREECUE - Crackers for sale - fun for all. Admission 20 cents - 50c per family.

COMING EVENING at Cullenswood House (by kind invitation of Mr. & Mrs. R. Legge). May 17th at 7.30 p.m. to help the World's Needy. Slides of Lake Peddar will be shown. All welcome.

PROGRESS ASSOCIATION MEETING May 11th. 8 p.m. All members needed to help make big decisions.

T.F.F. Wed. 12th May. Special Visitor. Ass. District Officer David Scarborough will discuss Dairy and Kural Reconstruction and hand out information. ALL interested farmers welcome.

FILMS for children, school holidays at the St. Marys District School Hall at 2 p.m. Films to be shown are BUNGALA BOYS and THE STOLER AIRLINER, plus cartoons. Admission 30c for both children and adults. Children under school age FREE. 20th May at 2 p.m. Tickets available Miles' Shop, St. Marys.

ALL THOSE LOOKING for the working bee last weekend will find him 10 a.m. on the left bank of the Local Park. Roll up everyone.

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IN THE EYE OF THE LAW

With the footbal' secson again in full swing the problem of patrons encroaching on the reserved area arises and the provisions of the relevant legislation designed to control such occurrences is brought to notice for the information of all concerned. Section 19A of the Police Offences Act:

"No person shall

a) enter the reserved area of a sports ground without lawful excuse; or

b) remain on the reserved area of a sportsground after having been requested to leave that area by a Police Officer or some person having authority to require him to leave."

This of course means that any person failing to comply with the lawful direction could render themselves liable to prosecution and while we do not desire that such drastic action become necessary we do urge all to be co-operative in this matter and keep clear of the playing areas and outside the boundary fence where such is provided. Instances have occurred where serious injury could have resulted to children encroaching onto the boundary line and being struck by the boot of a player. Adults could also sustain injury in similar manner. An important aspect to remember is that your favourite team could be penalised through your presence on or near the boundary line, should the umpires' view become imprired, and he perhaps give an incorrect decision. This was seen to happen at St. Marys recently, but unfortunately, the incorrect decision by the boundary umpire did not have any actual bearing on the eventual result.

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Have FAITH. God watches over you. Though skys may now seem gray;
Have HOPE, for He will give new strength To you with each new day.
Have TRUST, for He will guide you and guard you from above.
Have FAITH, for we are always
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ST. MARYS DISTRICT SCHOOL PARENTS &

At the St. Marys District School's Parents & Friends meeting last month it was decided to go ahead with the building of a second tennis court for the school. In his report, the headmaster, Mr. D. Williams, said it was his opinion that until a first class court was built, tennis could not be

He also reported some dramatic results in the swimming ability of the children since the learners pool had been opened. Almost twice as many children could now swim to some degree, he send, and this had been accomplished in under three weeks.

The meeting received a letter from the Minister for Education, Mr. Mather, stating that a full time physical oducation teacher was not available for the school at present.

The President of P. & F., Mr. R. Legge, posed the question that if some schools had four Phys. Ed. teachers and other schools no bigger than St. Mary's had two, what was necessary for a school to qualify for just one physical training teacher. It was decided to draught a letter to the Minister pointing this out.

The evening ended with a film about irrigation in the drier regions of Australia and a talk on the teaching of art by the school's Art teacher, Elizabeth Avery.

ALL CONTRIBUTORS PLEASE NOTE:

ALL COPY AND ADDS MUST BE IN ON THE TUESDAY

> PRIOR ТО PUBLICATION

FINGAL VALLEY MEALS ON WHIELS ASSOCIATION

From a public meating on May 4th, a committee was formed to investigate the possibility of starting a Meals on Wheels service in the Fingal Valley. The Committee will be headed by:

President: Mrs. Ruth Gill Secretary: Mr. G. Hoard Treasurer: Mrs. Mary Targett.

taken seriously as a sport at the school. The committee is interested in receiving names of anyone willing to be rostered as a driver. There will be a register of names and the day of availibility in Mrs. Gill's shop, St. Marys, and Mrs. Kath Ransom's shop, Fingal.

> CHURCH OF ENGLAND SERVICE Sunday Night at Cullenswood Church 7 p.m.

Guest Speaker: Mr. C. Johnson

JIFFY

 $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. yeast 2 cups flour (plain) seasoning 1 cup warm water

Topping: as desired Sardines, onions, tomatoes, chives, top with grated choose.

Mothod:

- 1. Mix yeast, warm water and 1 cup flour, beat for 5 mins.
- 2. Cover in warm place for 10 mins.
- 3. Add rest of flour and seasoning (salt, popper, or geno,) Boat for 5 mins.
- 4. Grease flat oven dish liberally with oil.
- 5. Spread dough and cover with desired topping.
- 6. Bake in moderate to hot oven 35 mins.

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SOME FACTS ON SMOKING

- * According to Sir George Godber, Chief Medical Officer of the Department of Health and Social Security, cigarettes are now the biggest avoidable menace to health.
- * Lung cancer kills one in 25 who smoke 10 cigarettes a day andone in eight who smoke 25 a day.
- * In 1946, 8,000 people died from lung cancer; in 1969, nearly 30,000.
- A Because lung cancer takes a long time to develop, youngsters who start smoking today may not become victims for a least 20 years or more - if they continue to smoke.
- # But lung cancer accounts for as little as a third of the total mortality related to cigarette smoking. Chronic bronchitis and coronary thrombosis make up most of the rest. Altogether smoking-induced diseases account for nearly 100,000 premature deaths in the UK each year.
- As the average 20-aday man spends about \$200 a year on his addiction, is smoking worth it, healthwise or moneywise?

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But for the addict, hope may still be in sight with this piece that comes from some latest studies in the U.S.A.....

Ever since the report of the United States Surgeon General's Office in 1964 proved there was a definite link between smoking and lung cancer, temporarily giving a smart uppercut to cigarette sales everywhere, tobacco manufacturers have been investing large sums of money in research, trying to find out the culprit-carcinogen in the cigarette packet. As one of the conclusions of the report was the fact that pipe and cigar smokers seemed to run no greater risk than non-smokers, the researchers wondered if the actual paper in which cigarettes are rolled - which contains additives to slow down combustion and glue to seal the edges - was not the actual cause of the trouble, rather than the tobacco itself. Experiments proved that paper causes tobacco to burn at greater heat, throwing off hotter tars and nicotine of a type which contains harmful carcinogens. The problem then

became one of finding a wrap for cigarettes made from tobacco instead of paper. This the firm of Rapaport International have done. By using Puerto Rican tobacco, fermented and cured at a very high temperature, then ground into a fine powder and reconstituted, they have produced a white tobacco which can be made into sheets one-thousandth of an inch thick and which, they claim, reduces the tar and nicotine content of cigarettes by as much as 40%. The New York firm of Stillwell and Gladding, who analysed the wrapper, says that it burns slowly and naturally, enhances the taste. reduces or eliminates the acrid odours and smoke which burn the eyes and irritate the nose and respiratory system, and makes smoking smoother and milder. Edward Rapaport, boss of Rapaport International, though happy at this discovery, emphasises that the white tobacco wrapper is not a panacea and won't solve every cigarette smoking problem, but he does think it offers the best hope of making smoking safer.

A WINTER'S MESSAGE

Mary had a little cold,
 It started in her head.
And everywhere that Mary went
 That cold was sure to spread.

- It followed her to school one day; 'Twas not against the rule.
- It made the children cough and sneeze To have that cold in school.

The teacher tried to drive it out.

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It didn't do a bit of good,

The teacher caught it too!

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Football notes

BLUE'S GREAT LAST QUARTER

St Helens and Fingal met at the Bay last week. After trailing all day, the Blues got up and won convincingly in the last quarter.

The St Helens to am for three quarters played football similar to that which won them the flag last year but failed dismally in the last quarter and were beaten by 39 points.

MIKE BARNES played well for Fingal all day and with new player Brod-ribb, as well as Smith, Greg sulz-berger, Percy and Marshall, the Blues looked the team to be beaten this year.

The Bay's best players were D. Riley, Davis, Mock, Kellaway, Coker and J. Kiley (until injured.)

St Marys and kossarden met at Rossarden. The Tigers, after kicking 14 goals, 3 behinds in the first half, looked set for a big win but failed in the second half and kicked only 3 goals, 4 behinds and won by only 30 points.

The best players for st marys were Newman, Bye, Barnes, Targett, Tapp and Ricky Freeman (until injured). For Rossarden, Sheehan was outstanding and had Matthews, Lowe, Cruikshank, Tapp and Lewtas battling hard for the Redlegs all day.

An unfortunate mishap was an accident to housego's shoulder, who had to be taken to hospital.

AVOCA continued their winning run and defeated Swansha in a close game by 6 points. The Swansea team is improving each week and should start to win a few games soon. Last week the game could have gone either way.

This week's games should once again be a good round with all players trying hard to gain selection in the combined game next week.

The match of the day will be at St Marys. The home side will meet Fingal and as both sides are unbeaten, there should be a record crowd to see the old rivals meet.

Fingal are expected to have a couple of new players and as they have won all their games easily so far, they cannot be taken lightly. St marys have also been playing well and have perhaps their best team for many years. It should be a good encounter.

I will go for a Tiger win on their home Ground, but by the narrowest of margins.

The Swans should be able to return to the winning list and score 4 points against the much improved avoca side.

The match between bottom teams swansea and Rossarden is also a hard one to pick, but on swansea's form last week, they should be able to open their account with a win.

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ITS NEWS FUR GULFERD

are you having trouble at your golf course with players who dawale over every shot? Take a tip from this sign seen at the first tee of a busy metropolitan area golf course: "SLOW PLAY UNNECESSARY. ONLY LAST FOUR HOLES TELEVISED."

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TAURUS: April 21st to May 20th. Socially you will have great demands on you. Surprise expense will upset your budget. Avoid gossip.

GEMINI: May 21st to June 20th. Take care in the home. Financially, with some care to detail, gains to be had. Good news from a friend.

CANCER: June 21st to July 22nd.
Take care in the home. Your day-dreaming will cause you to miss an opportunity avoid confiding in friends, especially on the telephone or by letter.

LEO: July 23rd to Aug. 22nd A surprise will demand an apology from you in misjudging a friend. Se wise in your spending.

VIRGO: Aug 23rd to Sept 22nd Investment will pay off in the coming week. A mysterious happening will tax your patience. Time to make a short trip next weekend. This journey may be connected with romance.

Q. Did you hear about the Indian who drank 23 cups of tea?

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Caraltonn: Dec 22nd to Jan 19th Guard against untruths. Do not act in haste. Make allowances for a younger person. Good chance to raise a sum of money.

AGUANTUS: Jan 20th to Feb 19th.
Do not be upset over a plan that miscarries. It pays to be to the point in an important matter next week. nomance is in the air.

rInches: fee 20th to mar 20th.
You may be called on to nelp a friend financially. With tact, you will gain greatly. A new associate will take all your interest.

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