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FROM ONE OF OUR READERS

Mum, Dad, me and the dog absorbing the beauty and tranquility as we wandered up and down the contours of our farm on a Sunday afternoon - how distant that all seems now, can it be only 15 or 16 years ago? And what about the evenings spent playing cards by lamplight or watching the flickering fire light as we listened to the radio. Well that's all passed on too, like Dad and the lamplight but happily much of the other remains. A different old home set amidst the beauty of a different countryside. Mum, my husband, me and a different dog still take time to enjoy a quiet stroll and partake of the wonders of nature that surround us. Our evenings are usually spent playing cards, "scrabble" or doing some handcrafts by the comfort of a friendly fire. Best of all the family unity I knew as a child has continued into my adult life.

But not all people share this good fortune for today family unity is disappearing rapidly. There is no longer the same caring and sharing and togetherness so prominent in past generations. At Christmas time most families still meet in a happy reunion and love flows freely for a day or so. But as the decorations are packed away it seems that the warm emotions are stored away too. However unity can remain throughout the year. All it requires is a little less thought for ourselves and a little more thought for others.

We can't be everlasting looking over one and others shoulders for following individual pursuits helps develop our personalities but times of sharing experiences together is an integral part of living. All too often in today's society Dad goes off to the pub leaving Mum to stay at home following her usual routine while the children roam the streets. If a family does stay at home they mostly watch T.V., each member sitting like knots on a log not daring to communicate with each other. Occasionally they may go to the football together or off on a Sunday drive. In this case the children are rarely more than 9 or 10 years of age. Once beyond this point they are usually excluded from family activities. Are children today ashamed of their parents or are parents ashamed of their children? Surely some form of family entertainment is available that can bridge any communication gaps within a

family circle.

We all need to feel we belong. We all need to love and be loved. Love can overcome any obstacles created by different ideas and ideals. Love is not retarded by age differences. Love and Family should be synonymous.

Communication comes from Listening to others

The Oneness of unity brings happiness

Joy is found in the Variation in personalities within the family

Enjoyment comes from participation and commitment.

The Bible Study Fellowship Group members had three things in mind when we presented the films shown at St. Marys last Friday night. The films were selected from a list of over 400 titles by praying for God's guidance so we could choose wisely and achieve our aims. Firstly, we wanted to share with others our joy in knowing God. Secondly, we prayed that others would be able to find Him too and share with us in His Fellowship. Thirdly, we hoped families would come as family groups - not just the children or just the parents but all together. We feel two of our goals were achieved for over 70 attended the evening. Unfortunately 80% were children and young people most unaccompanied by their parents. We hope to hold similar films in the future but pray for family participation. For as Christians we know the value of family unity and fellowship.



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Mary Munnings.

BADMINTON

by "Dropshot

ST. MARYS with a depleted team has struggled to keep its top position and in exciting matches defeated Rossarden by 25 and St. Helens by 16 aces. These wins keep St. Marys one match clear of Rossarden, then follows Fingal and St. Helens.

The scenario of the finals is not so easy to predict now. St. Helens, although last, have beaten every other team at least once. In fact, all have beaten each other except for Fingal not yet bettering St. Marys.

I was looking around the last week's scoresheets and spoke to some of the players. Every team has confidence and all claim they will be playing the Grand Final on September 13th. The only doubt in any team is at Fingal who recently lost to St. Helens by a crushing 86 aces. The Blues (Fingal) have not yet won the Final and an element of despair is detectable.

The prize all compete for is the Iris Worsley Perpetual Shield, so named to honor Iris who devoted so much effort to badminton over many years. Iris will present the trophy to the winning team on the night.

Two roster matches remain and there is a possibility St. Marys may yet lose top spot to Rossarden as they meet in the last match on the mountain where the home hall (or home room) advantage is worth 20 aces.

Keep in mind the Final date, September 13th to come along and watch the match.

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CORRECTION

ST. MARYS RED CROSS ANNUAL REPORT

Cost of running ambulance for year ending 30th June, 1976 should have read 14.92 cents per mile NOT \$14.92 per mile. REPEAT 14.92 cents permile.

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PIFFLE

Results of A.M.E.B., Music examinations conducted by the University of Tasmania.
Fourth Grade Virginia Bullock
Primary Grade Rebecca Jackson.
(Frances Madden. D.A.B, L.T.C.E)

Birthday Greeting go this edition to
Mr. David Lilley, Mr. David Llewellyn
Mr. Albert Hailer and Mrs Pat Targett,
Mr. George Oliver and Mr. Bill McGiveron.

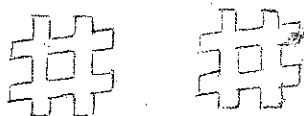
SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

The St. Marys School Cross Country was held on Friday 6th August. There were four age groups. The results being in these age groups
Open Boys. First M.Cocke, second R.Schier, third R.Lohrey.
Open Girls. First S.Carroll.
14 years Boys. First L.Poolle
14 years Girl. First M.Gatty
13 years Boy. S.Goss first
13 years Girl. S.Quillerat, first
12 years Boys. A.Viney first.
12 years Girl. First K.Stubs
A team shall be selected for Launceston from the above list of runners.

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GOLF CHAMPIONSHIPS CONT.....
36 hole handicap; D.HOLMES- M.HOLMES (28) 126; K.DAVERN-P.DAVERN (43) 129; S.DAWSON-S.SPILSBURY (27) 131; K.SPILSBURY-C.BERWICK (34) 131; G.DAWSON-G.KING (35) 131.
36 hole gross. D.Homes-M.Holmes 154
S.Dawson-K.Spilsbury 158; K.Spilsbury-C.Berwick 165; K.Davern-P.Davern 172; C.Dawson-G.King 176.

Associates - FLAG; Mrs. M.Nolan (22) 18th green, Miss C.White (23) 17th hole
Mrs. E. Gill (26) 17th green, Mrs. P. Davern (25) 17th fairway.

Bogey	D.Holmes	1 down
	W.Mitchell	1 down
	M.Holmes	3 down
	F.Singline	3 down



WHAT'S ON

A morning tea will be held at Mangana on Tuesday 17th August 10 am for the Combined Churches.

There will be a meeting of the St.Marys Progress Assoc. at Todds Hall 7.30 pm on Monday 16th August.

There is a working bee called, for the St.Marys Progress Assoc. on Saturday morning 14th August at the Mare's tail Park. Top of the Pass.

Have you been to see the St.Helens Craft Centre? They are at the old Post Office and are open now, they have some lovely crafts there suitable for gifts.

St.MARYS DISTRICT SCHOOL PARENTS & FRIENDS ASSOCIATION. There will be a meeting of the Parents and Friends Assoc. on Tuesday 17th August 1976 in the school library at 8.00pm.

WOMENS FELLOWSHIP next meeting monday 23rd August at R.S.L. Hall 8.00pm. Knitting & Sewing Machine demonstrations by Mrs Sally Ritchie from Melbourne, Sewing Centre Launceston. All ladies very welcome.


Hospital Auxiliary Members, there is a special meeting to be held in the Hospital Recreation Room on friday 20th August at 8.00pm with members of the St.Marys Golf Club, to discuss the arrangements for a proposed Benevolent Day.

The annual meeting of the St.Marys Bowling Club will be held in the Club House on August 13th at 7.30pm. Election of officers and General Business. Please all bowlers attend.

There were 9 members present and 5 apologies Mrs. L.Rattray will be posy Hostess for the next 3 months. Home product for August is a plate of 4 gingerbuts. Special Arrangement is all green arrangement. Veg. of the month is a parsnip. Donors for August meeting are as follows.

Lucky door...M.Royle Raffle....Mr.W.Graham Competition... A Jarvis.
Roll Call was the flower or shrub you admired most in someone else's garden.
There were not many birthdays for July.
Next meeting will be held on August 26th in the supper room at the Community Centre Hall. Any lady or gent wishing to join will be made very welcome.

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CHURCH : NEWS

ST. MARYS & ST. HELENS METHODIST CIRCUIT & FINGAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SUNDAY 16th. August

St. Marys	11 a.m.	R.W. DENNEY
ST. HELENS	5 p.m.	R.W. DENNEY
FINGAL	No service.	

SUNDAY 22nd August

FINGAL	9.30 a.m.	K. Dobson
ST. MARYS	11 a.m.	K. Dobson (Baptism)
ST. HELENS	5 p.m.	K. Dobson

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JUST FOR TODAY

Oh, God, give me grace for this day.
Not for a lifetime, nor for next week, nor
for tomorrow, just for this day.
Direct my thoughts and bless them.
Direct my work and bless it.
Direct the things I say, and give them bless-
ing too.
Direct and bless everything that I think and
speak and do. So that for this one day, just
this one day, I have the gift of grace that
comes from your presence.
Oh God, for this day, just this one day, let
me live generously, kindly, in a state of
grace and goodness that denies my many
imperfections and makes me more like you.

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THRIFT SHOP ROSTER

AUGUST 13th

M. Maney - D. Singline

AUGUST 20th

Mrs. Jack Spilsbury -- U. Camplin

U. Camplin - V. Bradbury

PARISH OF AVOCA, FINGAL & CULLENSWOOD CHURCH OF ENGLAND

SUNDAY 16th AUGUST

Fingal	9 am	HC	Rev. K. Frewer
St. Marys	10.30 am	MP	Rev. K. Frewer
Avoca	7 pm	HC	Rev. K. Frewer

SUNDAY 22nd AUGUST

Avoca	9 am	MP	Tape from Bishop
St. Marys	10.30 am	MP	Tape from Bishop
Fingal	7 pm	EP	Tape from Bishop

PARISH OF ST. HELENS CHURCH OF ENGLAND

SUNDAY 16th AUGUST

St. Helens	8 am	H.C.
Falmouth	9.15 am	H.C.
St. Helens	11 a.m.	H.C.

SUNDAY 22nd AUGUST

St. Helens	8 am	H.C.
St. Helens	11 am	M.P.
Pyengana	11 am	H.C.

THE CHURCHWARDENS AND VESTRY of St. Peter's Church of England, Fingal would like to take this opportunity to thank all people at Fingal who responded to our request for financial assistance to restore the Parish Rectory to a suitable state for the new Rector and his family. A total of \$467 was donated and this has been forwarded to the Parish Council and added to that given by Avoca and Cullenswood. The money given has enabled the kitchen, bathroom and laundry to be restored and modernised and these rooms should now need little attention for a number of years. Although there is still a lot of work to be done on the remainder of the house it is at least now comfortable and the worst of the work has been done. It is heartening to see that so many people in the community are interested in the work of the Church and we would warmly welcome anyone who would like to join in our services.

R.C.L. Mellows
Rectors Warden
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AUGUST 13th - 27th.

PORTLAND.

FRIDAY 13th.
Sunday 15th Greg. Tapp
Monday 16th Edith Lehnrey
Tuesday 17th Jim Napier
Wednesday 18 Pearl Deyvern
Thursd. 19th Mar. Targett
Friday 20th

D. Blunt
M. Pike
E. Oakham
S. Ereen
M. Green
P.F.W.A.

Sunday 22nd Kevin Eaklmer
Monday 23rd Margaret Bullock
Tuesday 24th Joan Jobvey
Wednes. 25th Kevin Crowden
Thursd. 26th Dorothy Deyries
Friday 27th

B. Campbell
L. Gee
L. Johnston
Pre-School
J. Cheung

ELMHAL

Sunday 15th Mr. L. Hubenach
Monday 16th Mrs. E. White
Tuesday 17th Mrs. J. Anthony
Wednesday 18th Mrs. C.G. Loan
Thursday 19th Mr. S. Saunders

Sunday 22nd Mrs. Mae Saunders
Monday 23rd Mr. J. Walker
Tuesday 24th Mrs. O. Saunders
Wednesday 25 Mrs. H. Williams
Thursday 26th Mrs. D. Woods

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Mr. B. Saunders

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Mrs. S. Sweeney

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FISHING NEWS

ST. HELENS BASKETBALL

28th July, 1976.

Womens Teams: Bluebirds d Villians 14 - 8
Reds d Zodiacs 42 - 18

Mens Teams: Yellows d Bombers 38 - 32.

August 4th, 1976.

Womens Teams: Villians d Reds 24 - 23
Bluebirds d Zodiacs 40 - 10

Mens Teams: Bombers d All blacks 39 - 32

Yellows will play All Blacks 11 August.

GOLF NOTES

by Tee up

Associates: Final Silver Spoon

Miss C. White 94-23-71
Mrs. R. Gill 102-26-76

Bisque Bogey

C. White 1 up
M. King square
R. Gill square
J. Cornelius 1 down
P. Davern 1 down

Bogey

C. White 3 down
M. King 4 down
P. Davern 6 down
Nearest Pin Miss C. White

Members foursomes championships 36 holes:
Round 1. S. Dawson-S. Spilsbury 75; D. Holmes-M. Holmes 77; C. Davern-J. McDonald 84; ROUND 2. D. Holmes-M. Holmes 77, K. Spilsbury-P. Berwick 79; I. Calvert-G. Gill 73; C. Dawson-G. King 85. Round 1 handicap: S. Spilsbury-S. Dawson (30½) 61½; D. Holmes-M. Holmes (14) 63; C. Davern-K. McDonald (19½) 64½. Round 2: K. Davern-P. Davern (21½) 60½; K. Spilsbury-C. Berwick (17) 62; I. Calvert-G. Gill (20) 63; D. Holmes-M. Holmes (14) 63.
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has generously made a donation for the trophies which will be presented at the next annual dinner. The casting will commence one hour prior to starting time for fishing i.e. at 10 am on 29th August.

ST. HELENS GAME FISHING CLUB held their annual general meeting last Saturday evening. Office bearers (all re-elected, unopposed) are:- President: S.N. Suter, Vice-President D. Smith, Secretary: A.R. Jackson, Treasurer: P. Hume, Committee: G. Gadsby, W. Stone, G. Luck, H. Gratzner, W. Richards & Mrs. M. Tucker. The secretary reported that the first half of the season had been good, but the second half was marred by bad weather. Most important event was the capture of a Striped Marlin the first to be landed off St. Helens on rod and line. Application for a State record had been lodged on behalf of Maurice Brooker of Scottsdale for his 87lb Yellowfin and for an Australian and State record on behalf of Michael Tucker for his 24½lb Albacore. The treasurer reported a satisfactory financial position and subscriptions remained unaltered for the fourth consecutive year. After the meeting, the annual dinner was held at the Bay View Hotel when annual trophies were presented. A raffle was drawn by Mr. Terry Charlton, President of Tas. Game Fishing Assoc. and was won by Mr. Col Andrews of St. Helens. A fishing reel and line was won by Mr. J. Suter.

SCAMANDER ANGLING CLUB held their first surf contest for the new season at Wrinklers on Sunday August 1. A field of 38 took part but only 3 fish were weighed. Winner was Cyril Turner with a 3½lb blackback, second was Stone and their Norman Sutton. Junior prize went to Ian Oldham.

Next contest will be held at Four Mile Creek on Sunday 29th August from 11 am to 3 pm. On the same day, the first round of a casting competition will be held (weather permitting). This will be conducted over the whole season for annual trophies only and only members will be allowed to compete. There will be two sections: (a) distance with normal beach fishing gear and (b) accuracy with same gear. The first contest will be for distance only and the second to be held later, for accuracy. This procedure will be repeated throughout the season. There will be one section for men and another for ladies. Male members hope that this will encourage lady members to do their own casting in future. Mr. P. Spilsbury

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RIDDLES.

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2. Why did the boy put his hands in the alphabet soup ?
3. Why did mother take the ink away from the baby ?
4. Why couldn't the boy sleep in class ?
5. What do porcupines have for dinner ?
6. What soup is especially bad before taking exams ?

EASY MIXTURES.

The letters listed below have had all their "E's" removed and the letters jumbled. Try and straighten them out, and add three "E'S"

1. M N N T L G
2. M M B R R
3. M S T
4. V S R
5. Z R E
6. B L V I
7. S S S L D
8. S S S P L L
9. D D F N A
10. W T R D A H

Ans. to Riddles.
1. They were identical twins and he wanted some way to tell them apart. 2. He was groping for words. 3. She knew he was too young to write a book. 4. The teacher talked too loudly. 5. Pickled onions. 6. Noodle soup.

ANSWERS TO LAST CROSSWORD.

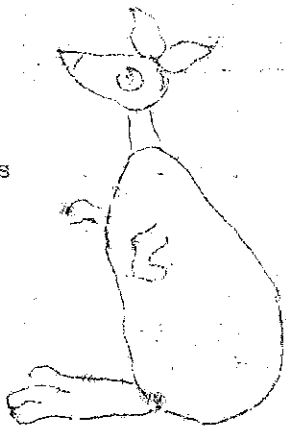
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R	E	E	L	E	D	B	R	E
			A	N		P	A	
B	R	A	W		B	I	T	T
R	E	P		R	U	G		R
U	N	P	A	I	D		C	I
M	E	L	T	S		B	A	B
V	E	E	K		O	P	E	N

DRAW A KANGAROO

1. Draw these two shapes.



2. Add the nose, eye, ears and neck.



3. Put in the legs and paws.



4. Add the whiskers tail and black spots.

STARDUST

By Mercury

ARIES March 21 - April 20th

Everything should be moving harmoniously for you just now, Business is operating under excellent aspects which gives a great deal of stability. Watch carefully every development dealing with travel and exchange.

Lucky days 17th & 19th.

TAURUS. April 21 - May 21

This is a time for creative activities, music would seem a fortunate means of self-expression. Give attention to children's interests. Rely on the judgement of older people in business matters. Lucky days 17th and 23rd.

GEMINI May 22 - June 21

At this time you will do well to push yourself into the background with all your own wishes and put yourself in the other persons place, try to see things from his point of view, this will help you both.

Lucky days 15th and 17th.

CANCER June 22 - July 22

This time is favourable for service rather than self-seeking, work unobtrusively and let recognition come later. Avoid daydreaming and be realistic especially in regard to business matters. Lucky Days 19th - 21st.

LEO. July 23 - Aug. 23

This is a period of some confusion for you, You must take care of the details as they come up, A very unusual experience may come to you and it will depend on your state of mind how you react. Lucky days 20th & 25th.

VIRGO Aug. 24 - Sept. 23

Do not be impatient to see results from your work. Listen to your inner voice, and restrain your personal wishes. Older people can prove very helpful if you let them.

Lucky days 18th and 20th.

LIBRA Sept. 24 - Oct. 23

Keep your mind on what you are doing, do not speed if driving, work at a moderate speed especially if working with machinery. Do not be drawn into unnecessary arguments. Take care of your health. Other people will be helpful. Lucky Days 17th and 20th.

SCORPIO Oct. 24 - Nov. 22

Keep mentally flexible and you should be able to grasp opportunities which may be extended through friends. Engage in community activities, your time should be put to good use and work prove enjoyable.

Lucky days 18th and 24th.

SAGITTARIUS Nov. 23 - Dec. 21

It is a time to work out regulations and to plan both for others and yourself to be applied in your everyday work, there may be confusion if you don't. New conditions are forming and will be beneficial.

Lucky days 14th and 17th

CAPRICORN Dec. 22 - Jan 20

Use your energy to transform your surroundings financial matters to be under some strain, so cut your pattern to your cloth, you will see you have enough then. Good news may come from afar. Lucky days 15th and 18th.

AQUARIUS Jan 21 - Feb. 19th

Donot engage in gossip or scandal about others avoid moody company and let people sort out their own worries for once. This is not the time to act on impulse. Take time for mental recreation. Work will be enjoyable.

Lucky days 16th and 22nd.

PISCES Feb. 20 - March 20

Heavy expenses are indicated, so figure everything on a rational basis. Plans you have made may have to be revised, but this should be easily ironed out. Relax a little more with friends. Lucky days 18th & 25th.

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