

ANGLESEA & DISTRICT HISTORICAL
SOCIETY Inc.

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Edith LAWN 831681

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ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The AGM was well attended on October 1st. Nominations for the following positions were received with the results being....

PRESIDENT	Mrs E Lawn
HON SECRETARY	Mrs S Forsyth
HON TREASURER	Mr A Stanley
VICE PRESIDENTS	Mr P Denham -Immediate Past President
	Mr A Poigndester
PUBLIC OFFICER	Mr G Cook
RECORDER/HISTORIAN	MR K Cecil
COMMITTEE	Mesdames J Cameron-Murch; B Marsh;
	J Wendt, Dr J Wark

Outgoing President Pat thanked office bearers and members for an excellent year during which the Society had consolidated its position, both financially and by repute. Books published had reached a wide area of the reading public and the Museum itself had been the venue of some interesting exhibitions.



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ANNUAL DINNER - A MUST - In your Diary please!

DATE	Friday November 4th
VENUE	Anglesea Hotel
TIME	6.30pm for 7.00pm
SPEAKER	The Rev Eric Derbyshire, from Queenscliff, giving his reflections as a migrant parson on life and work over forty years in Australia - 1948 to 1988. Rev Derbyshire has a fine reputation for after dinner speaking and will delight his audience with his quick wit and sense of humor.

A tear-off slip is to be found at the end of the newsletter. Please return with cheque made payable to the Anglesea & District Historical Society, Box 98, Anglesea, 3230, before October 28th.

MEMBERSHIP

A membership slip is also available if you have not already paid for 1988/89. It would be greatly appreciated if you would include your subscription when making your dinner bookings.

MUSEUM IMPROVEMENTS

Further to the outgoing President's remarks on this subject, we are delighted to report that our two display rooms, brought about by the archway cut through the wall, have now been carpeted and look handsome indeed. Do call in at your earliest opportunity to admire the transformation. Holland blinds are to be purchased for the windows in these rooms to minimise fading of exhibits.

The display leaves, funded from a grant from The Ministry for the Arts, and made by member John Taylor, are in use. They drew favorable comment from Miss Sally Robins, Museums Co-ordinator from the Ministry when she visited our premises in August. Incidentally, we are pleased to have Sally's acceptance to attend our Annual Dinner. I'm sure she will be more than happy to speak to any members present who have questions for her.

RECENT ACQUISITIONS

These include a fine bookcase from a local resident; baby clothes (some of which are more than 100 years old); and other memorabilia. We are extremely grateful to so many folk who have the Society in mind when contemplating a new home for some of their treasures. Two pictures have been donated by well-wishers for "special efforts" to raise funds.

BOOKS AND CALENDARS

With AIDA we have published another history of Aireys Inlet from material supplied by noted historian Ian McLaren. Several more titles are in the pipeline with ANGLESEA PLANTATIONS expected before Christmas.

Orders were taken at Angair for our annual calendar which, we must confess, is later off the press than usual - but we can assure you that the pictures will be an interesting collection and the price will remain the same at \$5.00.

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

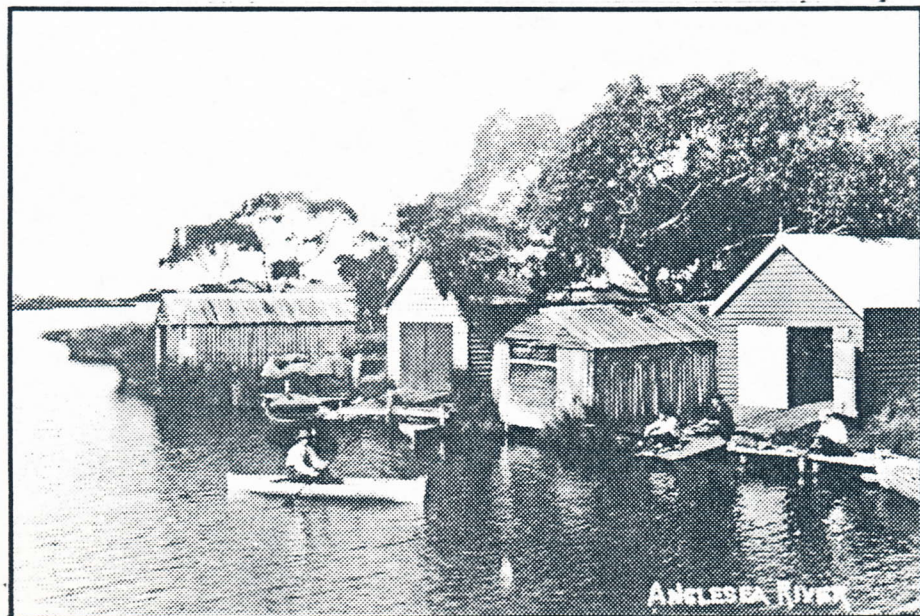
Again, your Society has taken stalls on the three occasions organised by the Anglesea Primary School, viz, October 30th, ANGAFEST; January 1st, REGATTA DAY; and January 8th, WOODCHOP. The Committee will be seeking assistance from members to man our display and the opening of the Museum on each of these dates. We will also be represented at Aireys Inlet over the New Year period.

The Easter Garage Sale has proved a winner and will be staged again in 1989. Keep it in mind when spring cleaning your cupboards.

IN THE FUTURE

The November meeting will be held on Saturday 12th at 7.30pm - note the change of date because of the Annual Meeting on the 4th.

A list of speakers for future meetings will be given in the next Newsletter and planned activities outlined. We hope to announce an interesting excursion possibility.



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I/We shall be attending the Annual Dinner on Friday 4th November.

Enclosed \$ for places @ \$16.00 per head.

Name.....

Address.....

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R.S.V.P. by 28th October.

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MEMBERSHIP \$5.00 1988/89 due for renewal

I enclose \$ for sub.subs

Names.....

Address.....

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All correspondence to Box 98, Anglesea, 3230 - Thank You.
