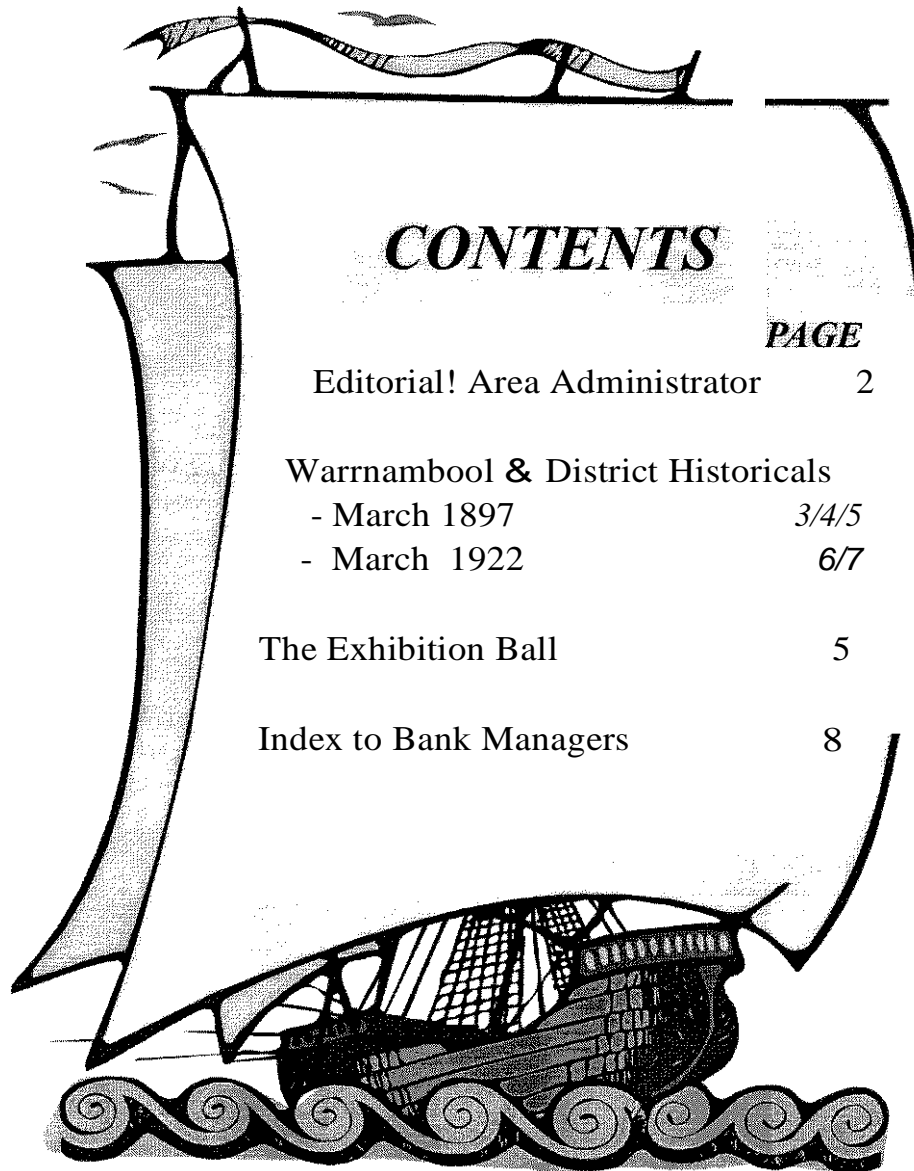


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WHAT'S ON:

Wednesday, 26th March - Workshop night. See page 2 for place & time.

Thursday, 10th April - Meeting night. See page 2 for place & time.

Saturday, 10th May - Seminar

EDITORIAL

Welcome to the March edition of the S/W Genealogist. Having "logged on" to the internet recently, I am constantly amazed at the amount of genealogical material available. I am considering including an article on what's available on the internet in the newsletter & would appreciate hearing from any readers who have found something interesting from a genealogical view for inclusion in future issues.

AREA ADMINISTRATOR

Dear Members and friends,

The main news I have for you this month is that we have almost completed arrangements for our seminar to be held in the Conference Room at the Fire Station on Saturday 10th of May

We are bringing the following speakers from Melbourne - Jenny Carter, who will speak on Children and Wards of the State last century; Helen Harris, who will speak on Crime and Genealogy; and Faye Guthrie, who will inform us about Bulletin Boards and Genealogy. Susie Zada from Ocean Grove will give a talk on the Internet and Genealogy. All told we are looking forward to an interesting day once more.

At the March meeting, John Culver is going to tell us about his recent trip to the latter Day Saints complex in Utah, USA.

I saw the following piece of advice in a recent newsletter:

Plan Purposefully
Prepare Patiently
Proceed Positively
Pursue Persistently

This reminded me of the ABC of Letter Writing:

Accuracy
Brevity
Clarity

Till next month, good luck with your research

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Venue

Flagstaff Hill Maritime Museum
Library,
23 Merri St.,
Warrnambool, 3280
is the venue for:

Monthly Meetings

2nd Thursday of the month, 8:00pm

Workshop Nights

4th Wednesday of the month, 7:30pm

Research Library

The library is open at various times (Mon to Sun) when staffed by volunteers of the group. Ring Flagstaff Hill on (055) 64 7841 between 9:30am & 4:30pm Mon to Fri to check if the library is open.

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WARRNAMBOOL & DISTRICT HISTORICALS MARCH 100 YEARSAGO-1897

(As reported in the Warrnambool Standard, compiled by Betty Beavis)

Marriage of:

J. HEAP, Allansford, to Tottie O'BRIEN. Report (5).

In Memoriam to:

Winnie KERR and Martha ROBERTS who died at Southern Cross, W.A. in 1895 and 1896 (27).

Deaths of:

Margaret Jane POLLOCK, Aged 78 (8)

Edwin BOWRING dies in England (31).

Farewell & Presentation to:

Rev. E. DODDRELL (Congregational) (31).

Items of Interest:

Serious accident to night train below Cannon Hill. Passengers mentioned - A.W. BUTT* (manager, Bank of Australasia Warrnambool); RT. ANGWIN* (accountant, Bank of N.S.W.); Mr GOOCH with wife & family; W. T. HATTAM (Port Fairy); Mr GILLETT (commercial traveller); Thomas BENT*, ex-M.L.A.;

Miss LOADER with friend and two children; J. LUCAS* (local pig-buyer); W. GREENWOOD* (coach of Warrnambool Cricket Club); H. CONNELLY* (trainer of race-horses); M. BARRY (blacksmith); W. HEAVER* of Warrnambool; attendants with 5 racehorses - THOMSON, E. CONNELLY, JOHNSON and A. WHITEHEAD. Horses were Province, Robinson Crusoe, Newfield, Weasel & Brussels. References made to Mr KNIGHT; driver Thomas BROW; fireman Richard SCULLY* and guard Michael PENDER; & inspector of the permanent way Mr DA VERN*. Stationmaster CADWALLADER made arrangements. Further references to those marked with asterisk *. (12, 13 & 23).

Other accidents to Mr RUSSELL, manager of National Bank with wife and governess (2); Alex McGEE of Sheldrick & Co. (3); Allan WALSH on Cassady's Bridge (4) and T.H. WATSON at Winslow (8). Praise to L. BAYER for splendid work for W'bool Exhibition. (3 & 6).

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MARCH 100 YEARS AGO -1897 (cont.)

Items of interest (cont.):

Fire in cottage opposite "Airlie", Henna St, owned by Mrs MACKINLEY and occupied by Mrs HOLLIWELL. Assistance given by neighbour, Mr DAVERN (31).

Fire in H.D. PARKINSON's stables at Mailor's Flat where Mrs PARKINSON saved the buggy (11).

W. LAWSON, R. WEBB, W. BAYLIS, L. BAYLIS, Mait LEAR, W. HOWGATE, E. PRICE, T. NELSON, J. WALL, W. VINEY, Charles EASDOWN, W. CALLAGHAN Mesdames RENWICK & GARDINER and Misses MACKKEY, Edith MOORE & M. RYAN perform in various operas, etc. at Exhibition (1 5 & 25)

C.K. ROSS (brother of Warrnambool Town Surveyor) develops typhoid in Kalgoorlie (9); fire breaks out in the hospital (10).

Theft from draper J. EARLE, Liebig St (24).

Article re T. WILLIAMS' farm at Yangery reprinted from the "Leader".

S.S. Julia Percy returns from trading in Queensland waters - CHAPMAN appointed skipper; T.H. OSBORNE, Local agent. New owners, Vessel renovated. (12)

J.B. FLETT & SON purchase Mrs CHAPMAN's boating establishment (12).

Jeannie CROMBIE applies to transfer licence of Woodford Inn to Fanny WILSON of Penshurst (12).

Servant girl steals jewellery from Mrs MOULDEN. Mrs TYRELL, witness (16).

John DUCK of Nirranda, Mrs GOODEN of Yangery and William WATSON of Cudgee each purchase property from Hugh MCKAY's estate (17).

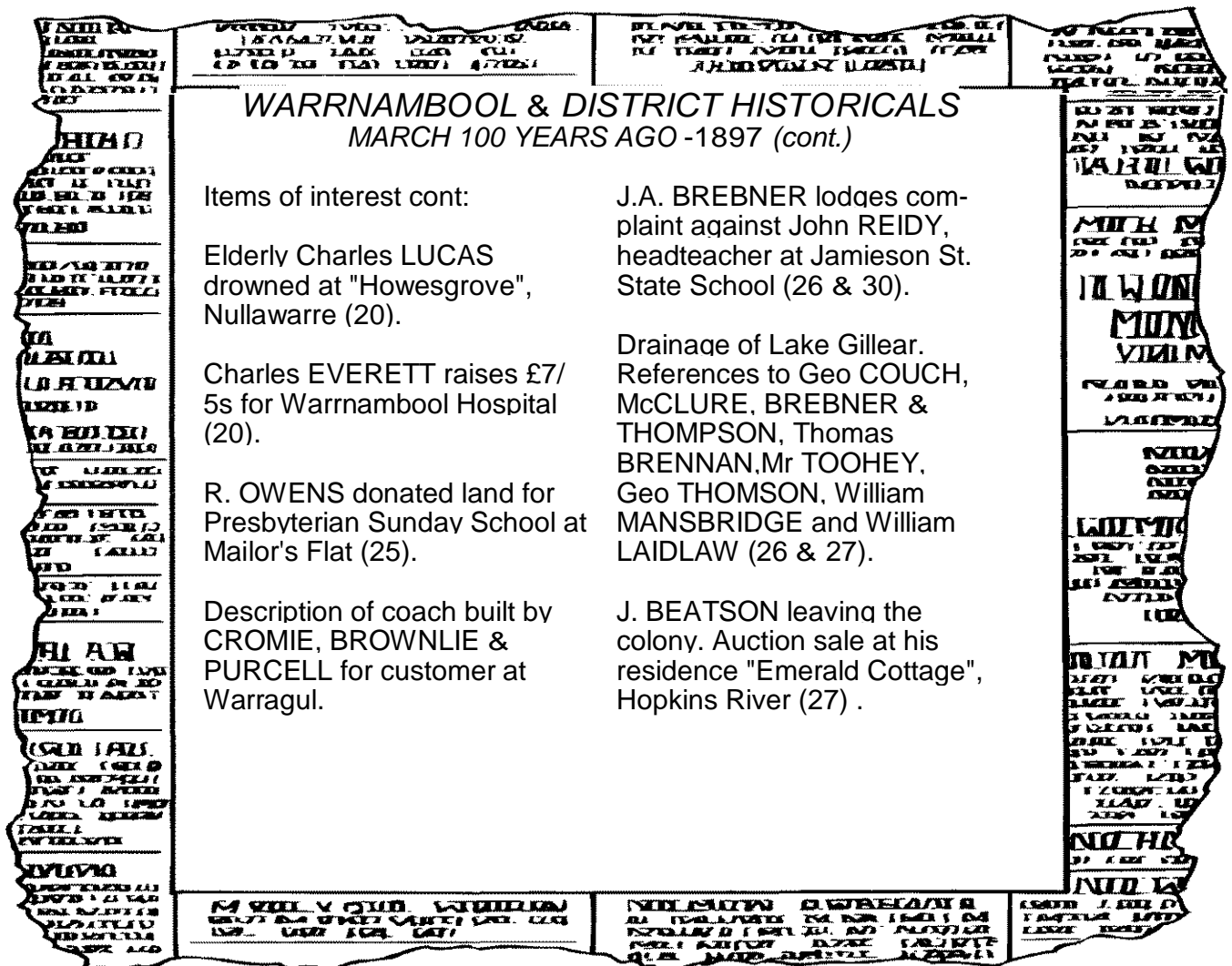
A. HOY, Woodford, loses valuable mare (bot flies) (17).

J. McKENZIE, letter sorter transferred to Melbourne. Praised (19).

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Items of interest cont:

Elderly Charles LUCAS drowned at "Howesgrove", Nullawarre (20).

Charles EVERETT raises £7/5s for Warrnambool Hospital (20).

R. OWENS donated land for Presbyterian Sunday School at Mailor's Flat (25).

Description of coach built by CROMIE, BROWNLIE & PURCELL for customer at Warragul.

J.A. BREBNER lodges complaint against John REIDY, headteacher at Jamieson St. State School (26 & 30).

Drainage of Lake Gillear. References to Geo COUCH, McCLURE, BREBNER & THOMPSON, Thomas BRENNAN, Mr TOOHEY, Geo THOMSON, William MANSBRIDGE and William LAIDLAW (26 & 27).

J. BEATSON leaving the colony. Auction sale at his residence "Emerald Cottage", Hopkins River (27).

The Exhibition Ball

(From the Warrnambool Standard, 25th March 1897, submitted by b. Beavis)

Fully 200 people attended the plain and fancy dress ball to celebrate the closing of the exhibition in the Town Hall on Tuesday evening. Music was in the capable hands of Mr BAYER (violin), Mrs BAYER (piano), Mr J.E. VILLIERS (bass) and Mr STAINSBY (cornet). Supper was provided by Messrs KUCKS bros. and done full justice to. The opening set was danced by Major FOOTE and the Mayoress Mrs HICKFORD, the Mayor and Mrs W.S. HELPMAN, Mr HALL and Mrs J. DICKSON, Mr ROSSITER and Mrs HALL, Major HELPMAN and Mrs MORAN, Mr J. DICKSON and Mrs A. ROBINSON. The following appeared in fancy costume: Miss Edith MOORE, Girofle-Girofla. Major HELPMAN, military evening dress. Miss Amy MACKEY, Daughter of the Regiment. Miss T. MACKEY, La Mascotte. Miss F. LAWTON, cap and gown. Mr A.J. McGEE, stockman. Mrs MORAN, Red Cross Nurse. Miss Ivy MORAN, gipsy. Mr Eric MACKAY, cadet. Mr J. DORNEY, drummer. Mr Len BAYLIS, sailor. Miss BAYLIS, red, white & blue. Miss BAYLIS, French peasant. Mr DEANY, Bombastos. Major FOOTE, uniform. Miss GILLESPIE, Queen of the Gipsies. Mr MACKENZIE, cricketer. Mr W. LAWSON, Captain of the "Pinafore". Mr W. VINEY, cricketer. Miss FRUCHER, La Grande Duchesse. Mr T. NELSON, policeman. Mrs THOM, Mary Queen of Scots. Mr MASON, blackman. Mr MUMMERY, jockey. Herr SCHOOT, jester. Miss HYLAND, Grecian dress. Captain JENKINS, mounted rifleman. Miss ROBSON, Swiss peasant. Mrs ENGLANDER, Keen's mustard.

WARRNAMBOOL & DISTRICT HISTORICALS MARCH 75 YEARSAGO-1922

(As reported in the Warrnambool Standard, compiled by B. Beavis)

Marriages of:

Alexander STURROCK of Oakleigh to Edith may PORTER, Koroit St. Report (1)

Herbert Anderson POTTER of San Remo to Elaine M. GIBLETT of Russell's Creek. Report (3).

George Rolfe WEBB to Una Berenice LOCK of "Airlie", Warrnambool. Report (3).

Engagements of:

John Kingsley KIRBY of Coleraine to Elizabeth Foster LITTLEWOOD of "Dunmore", Warrnambool (3).

William Frederick DAVIES of Hamilton to Mabel Rosina RODGERS (25).

Deaths of:

Alice LATTA, aged 18 (1 & 3).

Mrs Edward WILSON, first matron of W'bool Hospital (3).

Henry MOORE, Water Supply Dept. (4).

Mrs J. PORTER. Illowa (9).

Mrs M.A. ELDRIDGE, aged 88 of Noorat (8).

Miss Annie GLEESON (10).

Mrs Robert CUST (29).

Farewells & Presentations to:

Const. James AHEARN & Const. CAHILL (3); Mr & Mrs Isaac SMITH (3); Miss Eva BURROWS (3); J.O. ANCHEN (3); Mrs Peter DALLIMORE (3); Mr & Mrs E. PARK of Hotel Mansions (15); J. LARK, weaving staff, Warrnambool Woollen Mill (24); Sgt W.J. MAHONEY (28).

Items of Interest:

Accidents to William STONEHOUSE, Mr BEASLEY and Colin BROWNE (driver) (13); C. SWAN (16).

Herbert BALLIS gives notice of intention to trade as a marine dealer (10).

Sgt McCARTHY, ex-Koroit, appointed to fill Sgt MAHONEY's position (30).

Relative writes from W.A. naming 5 surviving brothers & sisters Of Capt. B.K. BURNIE who were Omitted in newspaper report (31)

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Items of Interest (cont.)

Mr MAGUIRE's car taken from Mailor's Flat Hall for joy rides (2).

Local horse-breaker, Andy BRUCE, to ride at Wild Australia Show. Also Thomas KANE (3).

Infant son of Mr & Mrs A.S. MATHESON of Nullawarre receives gift from General Sir Ian HAMILTON.

Ex-A.I.F. men - Railway porters H. BROWN, W. BYRNE & J.C. MARKHAM; leading shunter W.H. NORRIS; shunters W.C. NICHOLS and W. STANDERING; goods checkers G.B. BLACK and laborer F. TOMLINSON - presently classed as supernumeries - to be appointed to general staff.

Clearing sale of furnishings of Royal Hotel on account of A. WALSH. Details (11).

Railway men FORD and COGGER (driver & fireman) rescue two ladies from the sea (13).

Miss Charlotte COLESTON (sister of Mrs H. EARLE) on furlough after 7 years mission work in China (17).

Miss Jessie LUCAS, milliner, leaves for Sydney - health reasons (17).

F.T. HOPKINS from Brighton to succeed J. BURROWS as postmaster (21).

P.J. STAHEL of Nestle appointed manager at Maffra (24).

BRUCE & McCLURE manufacture new type of windmill (25).

James McDONALD, son of Samuel McDONALD, previously at National Bank, Warrnambool and Wagin, W.A., promoted to manager at Newcastle, N.S.W. (27).

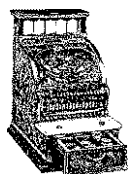
Hotel Mansions garage ablaze. Proprietor, H. MAXWELL. References to H.J. REILLY (assistant electrician); T. MILLER (hall porter); J.JONES & Arthur DRAKE (27).

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INDEX OF BANK MANAGERS & TRUSTEES AT WARRNAMBOOL AND ACTUARIES OF THE STATE SAVINGS BANK



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(by Marie Boyce)



The Banks & their abbreviations covered by this index:

Bank of NSW	NSW	Westpac	W
Commercial Bank of Aust.	CBA	Bank of Victoria	VIC
Commercial Banking Co. of Sydney	CBC	National Bank of Aust.	NBA
National Australia Bank	NAB	Colonial Bank of Aust.	COL
Commonwealth Bank of Aust.	CLTH	Bank of Australasia	B of A
Union Bank of Aust.	U	Australia & NZ Bank	A & NZ
English, Scottish & Aust.	ES & A	London Bank of Aust.	LON
State Savings Bank	SSB	State Bank	S

<u>Name</u>	<u>Bank</u>	<u>Years</u>
ORR, Alan C.	CLTH	1984 -1986
OSBORNE, F.C.	COL	1914 -1919
	Colonial Bank amalgamated with NBA in 1919	
OSBORNE, F.C.	NBA	1919 -1921
PALMER, W.H.	B of A	1857 -1864
PATERSON, RB.	VIC	1856 -1857
PHELAN, C.H.	ESA	c1925 -1929
PITT, Edwin Gibson	SSB	1911 - 1918
PLUMMER, Wm (JP)	Trustee SSB	22.6.1859 - 20.6.1866
POTTER, Robert	NSW	1938 -1959
PRESLEY, J.	NSW	1902 -1914
PULLMAN, Leslie Milton	SSB	1945 -1946
RAINGILL, Thomas	Actuary SSB	1865 -1872
RANDELL, A.D.	NSW	1931- 1934
RAINER, T.M.	CBA	1907 - 1910
RICHARDS, L.R.	NSW	1962 - 1965
RIDE, Edgar James	B of A	1940 -1946
ROBERTS, Thomas	NBA	1867 -1869
ROBSON, A.e.	CBA	1948 -1953
ROSE, D.K.	CBC	1980 -1983
ROSS, RB.S.	CBA	1942 - 1948
ROWE, H.A.	CBA	1937 -1942
RUSSELL, F.R.	NBA	1896 -1901
SCORGIE, Frank Alexander	SSB	1963 -1966
SEDDON, A.F.	CBC	1984 -1985
		Amalgamated with NAB
SHANAHAN, Rev. Michael Joseph	Trustee SSB	29.8.1882 - 29.3.1886
SHAW, Edgar Hunter	B of A	1928 -1932
SHELLAM, Hervert Wm	B of A	1950 -1953
		In 1951 known as A & NZ
SLATTERY, Very Rev. Dean	Trustee SSB	22.6.1859 - 1882
SMALL, Gilbert Moore	SSB	1909 - 1911