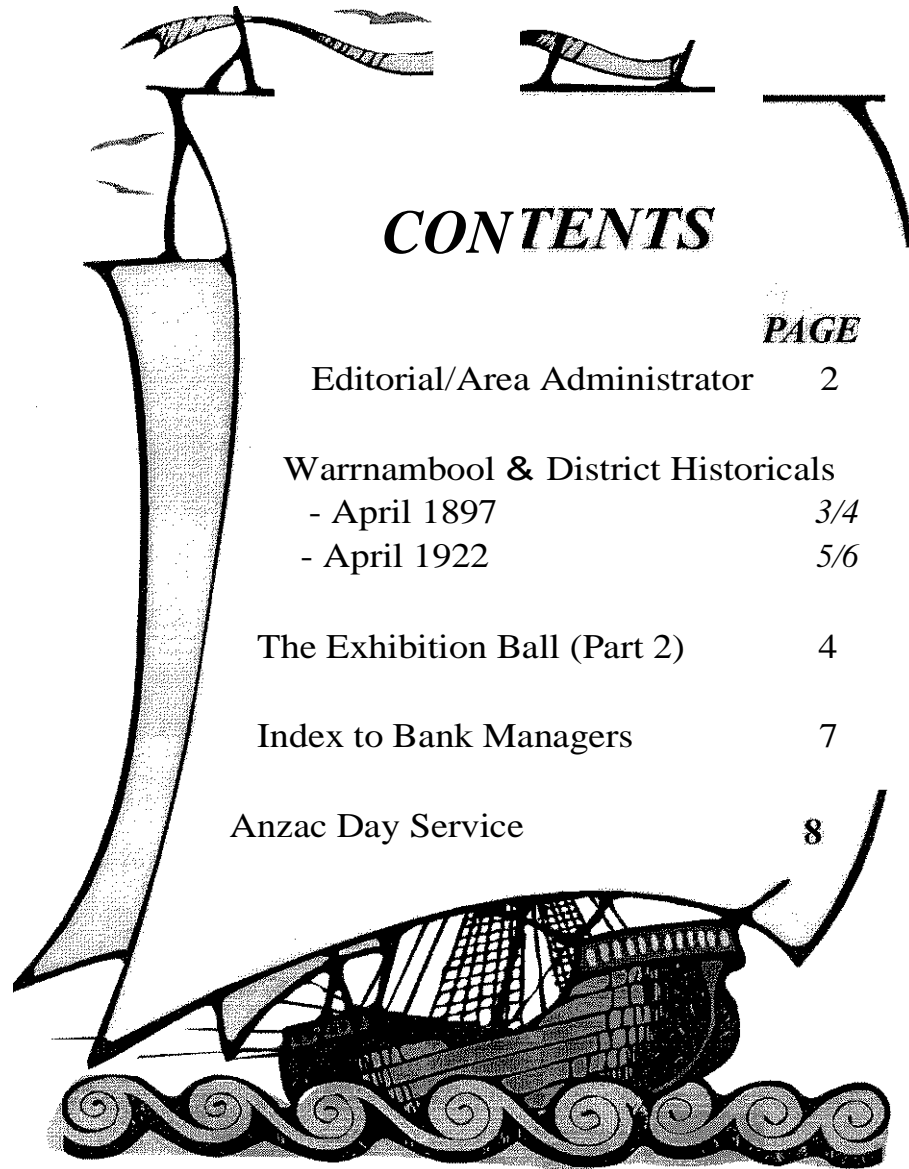


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WHAT'S ON:

Wednesday, 23rd April - Workshop night. See page 2 for place & time.

Thursday, 8th May - Meeting night. See page 2 for place & time.

Saturday, 10th May - Seminar

EDITORIAL

This April edition of the SIW Genealogist sees the conclusion of the article on Warrnambool Bank Managers. On page 4, we have part 2 of "The Exhibition Ball" article from last month. The March edition described the patrons attending the Ball in fancy dress. This month, we outline the patrons arriving in evening dress. On page 8, we have an article from the Warrnambool Standard of 1922 on the Anzac Day Service and presentation of Victory Medals to local servicemen.

Unfortunately, due to ever-increasing work and family commitments, I will be standing down as editor, effective from June (AGM). Expressions of interest in taking on the position are welcome at any time, please see Marie or myself.

AREA ADMINISTRATOR

Dear Members and friends,

The seminar will soon be upon us. We are looking forward to hearing the speakers & hope that we have a good turn-up. Flyers will be given out at the meeting to distribute around. Please help to make it a success. Saturday 10th May, 10am to 4pm, in the Conference Room at the Fire Station, registration from 9.30am.

A special event this month is the Irish Cultural weekend "Shamrock By the Sea" on 25th - 27th

April. The event will be opened by the Irish Ambassador to Australia, His Excellency Mr Richard O' Brien. Speakers over the weekend include Dr Richard Reid, "Irish Migration to Australia and SIW Victoria", and Dr Jeff Brownrigg on the topic of Australian Irish Nightingales. Both are experts in Irish heritage. Other activities are planned, including visits to selected Irish heritage sites in Koroit & Port Fairy, and a dinner & concert at the Blarney Stone Bistro on the Saturday evening.

Cost for the weekend is \$100, which includes all speakers and activities, dinner on Friday, lunch on Saturday & Sunday, morning & afternoon teas. Bookings can be made through the W'bool City Council, Dawn Odd, PO Box 198, Warrnambool, 3280.

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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

APRIL 100 YEARSAGO-1897

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

Marriage of:

CAMPBELL, J.F. of Port Fairy to Lily BEARDSLEY, Russell's Creek. Report.

TRIGG, William of Mepunga to Nellie LOADER of Wango om. Report.

DOLDING, Charles of Bendigo to Henrietta PRICE of "Upton", Warrnambool. Report.

WINES, Henry to Amelia BOWTELL at Woodford. Report.

Deaths of:

John HENDERSON, Grasmere, aged 65. (3).

George THRELFALL of Hopkins House, Ballangeich. (10).

Paul McLAREN at Stawell, aged 23. Sudden. (12).

Deaths in hospital: Benjamin LANCETER, aged 70. (3); Thomas HARRIS, aged 66. (3).

Farewells & Presentations to:

Gus OFFICER, transferred to Melbourne Bank (20).

I Miss M. STOREY, teacher at Hexham - promoted to North Melbourne. Miss COFFEY to replace her (29).

I Rev & Mrs Jas MATIDESON (Wesleyan). New minister, Rev H.K. HUTCHINSON (14).

Items of Interest:

I Accidents to Mrs SELBY and grand-daughter (5); to council employee, J. KERR (7).

Item re McFARLANE's sawmill and rabbits on Aboriginal reserve at Purnim (1).

Threat to local railway track in letter to station-master CADWALLADER (2).

Description of Warrnambool College, established 1887 (5).

I : Good information re Patrick Thomas O'BRIEN, state school teacher at Kirkstall (6).

I I William HAINES, leaving I Warrnambool - sale at his I residence, "Ivanhoe", in I Canterbury Road (14)

I :G. CARDINAL discovers gold in Omeo district (30).

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APRIL 100 YEARS AGO - 1897 (cont.)

Items of interest (cont.):

J. YOUNGER erects handsome residence at Booval. Leased by O. BLAYNEY. Contractors - W. MONTGOMERY (art glass work); Thomas KINGSTONE (mason); Mr GILMOUR (carpenter); R. WORLAND & CO. (plumbers); Evan JONES (plasterer); JACKSON & COLESTON (painters & grainers) (14).

Bro. S. PERROTTET presented with Past-Master's jewel at Freemason's Lodge (15).

Park-ranger STEWART loses pet emu - killed after chase (21).

Chemist H. LONDON given valueless £5 note (29).

Burglary at J. MUNRO's Ellerslie store. Manager J. PAGE (29).

Dr William ANDERSON, brother of J.W. ANDERSON of Tower Hill Park, dies in Newfoundland. Brief life history of the former (3).

Collision between 3 railway trucks on Warrnambool Pier Line. Train driver J.

McLELLAN and acting-foreman R. GILES, to give evidence (7); Thomas NAYLOR buys damaged tins of rabbit from Western Meat Preserving Company (13); staff changes resulting from collision affect J. McLELLAN, R. GILL, CRADDOCK, MOLLOY and porter McKINNON (29).

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The Exhibition Ball (PART 2)

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

Amongst others who appeared in evening dress were: Mr & Mrs E.L. ROSSITER, Mr & Mrs HALL, Mr & Mrs DOD, Mr & Mrs J. DICKSON, Miss WIDTING, Mr & Mrs W.J. IDCKFORD, Mr & Mrs Alex ROBINSON, Major FOOTE, Mr & Mrs SANSOM, Mrs LAWTON, Miss WELLS, Mr PRICE, Miss GREIG, Miss BLOCK, Mr HEAVER, Miss SINEY, Messrs VILLIERS, Miss CARROLL, Miss STAFFORD, Prof LAZELLE, the Misses GEILHOFER, Mr Arthur GEILHOFER, Mr & Mrs JACKSON, Mr & Mrs HOWGATE, Messrs A. FRASER, R. STANLEY, G. POWELL, J.B. ALLAN, G. OFFICER, W.F. MOLESWORTH, Mr & Mrs CARPENTER, Miss RYAN, Mrs & Miss Maggie GILLESPIE, Mr J.WILSON, Mr A.W. ARDLIE, Miss HOLANDER, the Misses MURRAY (2), Mr & Mrs GARTLAN, Mr HODSON, Mrs & Miss DAVIS, Mr S. GIBLETT, Miss N. GIBLETT, Miss SMALL, Mr BREBNER, Mr C.Z, TOZER, Mr J. TAIT, Mr R. WEBB, Miss BRAHAM, Mr COSTALLOE, Mr & Mrs COOKE, Miss POTTS (Melbourne), Mr A. DAVIES, Miss LANGLEY, Mr ALSTON, Mr & Miss McGENNAN.

WARRNAMBOOL & DISTRICT HISTORICALS

APRIL 75 YEARS AGO - 1922

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

Marriages of:

Alfred Thomas FRANKS of Lewisham, London, to Indus Amelia (Birdie) MICKNER of Elsternwick. Report and family information (1).

Dr Adrian FARMER of Melbourne to Jean SALTAU of "Moolooloo", W'bool. To live in W.A. Report (15).

Deaths of:

William GELDHOFF sen. at Koroit. Life story (3).

Lex DYBING at Lithgow, N.S.W., soon after death of father Edward (ex A.I.F.) (7).

Mrs W. L. McDOWELL (Agnes) at Nirranda (12).

S. GIFFEN RUSSELL - came from Beechworth in early eighties (15 & 28).

Obituary - Rev. T.H. HURLEY - native of Yangery -life story (29).

Farewells & Presentations to:

Mrs T. NESBITT WARREN (7).

Mr & Mrs SARKELS - in charge of Hotel Mansions (4).

Mr SAMBELL, chemist, Fairy St, off to England & Europe (4).

Constable DE MANUEL at South Yarra - to replace Const. AHEARN in W'bool (12 & 13).

Mary LAMB, Winslow (18).

George ROLLO, off to Melbourne (29).

Les HOWSDEN of W'bool Post & Telegraph Office (26).

Mr & Mrs H. and E. OAKMAN at Allansford (27) - 2 items.

P.J. STAHEL, under-manager of Nestle, going to Maffra (20).

Rev. F.H. INGAMELLS resigning from ministry at Creswick to go on the land (21).

Items of Interest:

Accident to John CURTIS - bike collides with car of mail contractor, A. GIBBONS (5).

Myra MORRIS, once local schoolgirl, acquires wide literary reputation (28).

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APRIL 75 YEARS AGO -1922 (cont.)

Items of Interest cont:

Hotel licences transferred - Bay View Hotel, South W'bool, from Hervert Percy DOLLMAN to Michael Patrick O'DEA; Royal Hotel, W'bool, from Arthur William WALSH to James RUSSELL (27).

W. EGAN to replace Les HOWSDEN at Post & Telegraph Office (26).

OAKMAN BROS sell Allansford business to G. DEVENISH (29).

Messrs HABERFIELD's cartage contract with Nestle expires (29).

W.T. & A.J. McGEE to close Sheldrick's Brewery and sell plant - 20 men to lose jobs. J.W. McGEE to continue as Wine & Spirit merchant. Goodwill of brewery sold to Melbourne and Ballarat brewing companies (8).

Illness of Mr ANDREW, popular head-teacher (15).

Vehicle & horse of Cyril KEARNS used without permission. John Stanley JENKINS questioned (21 & 29).

Silver watch stolen from John McCREADY, Japan St (28).

Shops occupied by A.E. EMERY and offices occupied by W. WHITE sold to Jas NEWMAN - part of KUCKS estate - recently bought by J.G. BEARDSLEY (10). EMERYs to sell up and move to Melbourne (12 & 13).

Les OAKLEY purchases from L.B. HOUSDEN a w.b. villa in Raglan Parade (10).

Alex. CUST relinquishes dairying. Sale at Dennington (24).

George NICHOLLS, home missionary, Nullawarre, transferred to Apollo Bay (1).

Frank CROSSLEY leases Victoria Market House & opens dining room & boarding house (29).

Mrs D.A. CAMERON presented with autographed quilt. Son Ian completes medical course (7).

Success at High School of 5 children of J.H. SMITH, acting Head Teacher at Warrnambool State School (1).

Miss SNOWBALL's pupils display work - J.J. FORRESTER, artist & collectory of fine china (29).

Article by William RICHES (1).

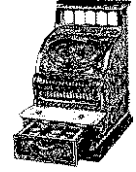
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INDEX OF BANK MANAGERS & TRUSTEES AT WARRNAMBOOL AND ACTUARIES OF THE STATE SAVINGS BANK

1854 - 1989 (CONT.) 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

<i>Name</i>	<i>Bank</i>	<i>Years</i>
SMITH, Peter J.	SSB	1988 --
SMYTHE, W.E.F.	COL	1875
SOUTHEE, Rex E.	CLTH	1974 - 1980
SPENCE, Basil	B of A	1864 - 1873
STANLEY, Richard Clifford Shaw	B of A	1923 -1928
STEVENS, A.G.	CBA	1925 - 1930
STEVENS, F.P.	Trustee SSB	13.3.1862 - 9.3.1886
STEVENSON, W.H.	NBA	1974 -1979
STICKLAND, A.S.	ESA	c1942 - c1946
STRUCK, K.A.	CBA	1970 -1973
TAYLOR, K.H.	CBA	1953 - 1957
TEPPER, Heinrich Albert	SSB	1951- 1955
TIBBITS, Guy Stephen	LON & ESA, amalg. in Mar 1921	1920 - 1925
TOMKINS, C.H.	CBA	1932 - 1937
TWINEM, Robert	Trustee SSB	29.4.1879 - 18.1.1886
WARD, D.G.R	NBA	1979 - 1983
WATSON, B.J.	Actuary	1862 - 1865
WAUCHOPE, J.R.	NBA	1960 - 1965
WELSH,W.D.	CBA	1983 - 1984
WHITE, John McNeil	SSB	1966 - 1970
WHITE, William Leslie	SSB	1957 - 1963
WHITEHEAD, L	NSW	1898 - 1902
WHITNEY, L.E.	VIC & CBC, amalg. in 1927	1924 - 1939
WILKINSON, J.G.	NSW	1959 - 1962
WILLIAMS, E.F.	A & NZ	1971- 1980
WILLIS, Harold Arthur Wm	U	1913 - 1922
WILLS, T.K.	NSW	1977 - 1981
WILSON, T.H.	COL	1899 - 1912
WILSON, William T.	A & NZ	1980 - 1986
WOLFE,R.M.	NSW	1937 - 1938
WOOLARD, W.H.	NSW	1937 - 1938
WORLAND, Edmund Kendle	SSB	1946 - 1950
YOUNG, Alan L.	CLTH	1980 - 1982
YOUNG, Robert Bruce	SSB	1970 - 1977

ANZAC DAY SERVICE

Presentation of Victory Medals

Article from Warrnambool Standard April 22, 1922,

Submitted by B. Beavis

At the conclusion of the Anzac day United Service, to be held on Cannon Hill on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, the Victory Medals will be presented by Lieut-Colonel Davidson, D.S.O. to the following:

Chaplain T.P. BENNETT, A.I.F.

Major R.J. DICKSON, A.I.F.

Captain W. T. McGEE, A.I.F.

Lieut. L.G. STEVENS, A.I.F.

Lieut. J.A.G. WILSON, A.I.F.

L.G. ANDERTON, 2nd F Amb.

A. ANDERSON, 31st Bat.

W.W. BURLEIGH, 2nd V.S.

P.H. BALLANTYNE, 3rd Amb.

H.K. COX, 3rd L.H.F. Amb.

L.A. CHISLETT, 6th Bat.

A. CATHCART, 2nd F.A.B.

J. CAMPBELL, 8th L.H.

D. CAMPBELL, 13th L.H.

C. CLARK, 8th Bat.

J. EVANS, 1st A.R.W.

S.G. DAVIS, 1st D.A.C.

G.A. DRAKE, 24th Bat.

L. DIXON, 23rd Bat.

G.R. DIXON, 5th Bat.

W.W. DAVIDSON, 5th Bat.

T.J. GRIFFIN, 24th Bat.

L.F. HART, 2nd Bat.

C. HOLDER, 4th Bat.

J. HARDY, 8th Bat.

H.J. JEFFERIS, 1st D.A.C.

R.J. JACKSON, 38th Bat.

N. Mc. JENKINS, 13th L.H.

K.T. JOHNSON, 24th Bat.

C.H. LOVELL, 2nd F.A.B.

L. LEE, 14th Bat.

R. LANDMANN, 46th Bat.

O. MURRAY, 22nd Bat.

A.H. McLEAN, 3rd L.H.F. Amb.

D.W. McKANE, 10th A.S.e.

K. McDOUGALL, 14th Bat.

W.D. McDONALD, 14th Bat.

C. NELSON, 6th Bat.

L. NOLAN, 6th Bat.

W.L. PILKINGTON, 5th Bat.

P.P. RYAN, 13th Bat.

C.F. ROBINSON, 14th Bat.

A.J. RALPH, 8th Bat.

A. STEELE, 8th Bat.

A. STEELE, 13th Bat.

R.J. STANLAKE, 6th F. Amb.

L.G. SOMMERVILLE, 2nd F.A.B.

J. SMITH, 2nd F.A.B.

J. WEST, 22nd Bat.

D.A. WALLACE, 13th L.H.

L. WINDMILL, 8th Bat.

B.H. WITHAM, 2nd F.A.B.

Returned men, in civilian dress, are requested to meet at the Soldiers' Club Rooms at 2:15pm on Anzac Day to take part in the Memorial Service.