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EDITORIAL FOREWORD

This month's publication is overdue by some two weeks, due to circumstances beyond our control - to wit, the Baw Baws Search. We apologise for any inconvenience which may have been caused through this, but feel sure that you will bear with us.

While you have probably all read a great deal about the search in the paper you may be interested to know the Club members who volunteered for service.

Peter Becker,
Ian Bennet,
John Brownlie,
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Graham McKinney,

Bill Mansfield,
Jack Morrison,
Frank Pitt,
Norm Richards,
Peter Salmon,
Athol Schafer,
Emil Slade,
Heinz Wolff,
John Yates.

I know you will all join me in thanking these members for giving their services so freely and promptly.

NEW MEMBER

We welcome the following new member to our ranks:

Elizabeth WARDEN, 91 Help St., Warrnambool. p. Warrnambool 601.
(We sincerely trust that you do not have to walk from Warrnambool to join in our walks).

SOCIAL NOTES

Congratulations to Heather and John Marshall, who, we believe, have a baby girl, Mary Elizabeth, who arrived on May 26th.

And another lot of congratulations to Fred and Rose Schoenfeld, whose new baby girl arrived on May 15th.

-- Up the girls !!!!!!!!!!!!!

HOSTS AND HOSTESSES

A host and/or a hostess is required in the Club each Friday evening, to ensure that visitors and newcomers to the Clubroom are not left to wilt in a corner. An attempt has been made to start a roster, but has so far failed for want of support. A notice is to be placed on the notice board and we would ask all those willing to help in this respect to put their names on the list, for this very necessary duty.

COMING EVENTS

GREENSBOROUGH - ST. HELENA - WATTLEGLEN Sunday, 3rd JULY

For walkers who like a pleasant, lazy walk, July 3rd is the date to remember -- Greensborough to Wattle Glen via the historic church at St. Helena - a link with the early pioneering days -- and, with Napoleon Bonaparte! An ideal lunch spot at the aqueduct and plenty of time to enjoy it. July 3rd is the date ... come and don't be late. Bring your billy & a bite or two. Be seeing you. (FAYE GALLET)

ROBIN HOOD - Brandy Creek - Camp Hill - Leader is John Ball, (b) MU7868
10th July. Van leaves 8.55 a.m.

This proved a popular and easy walk a couple of years ago and the leader would like to see a good number out once more. The walk area is between Drouin and Warragul through pleasant pastoral Gippsland country, ending with pleasant views from Camp Hill. So even if you did come before, come again.

LYREBIRD WALK::: On Saturday, July 16th, Horst Eisfelder will be leading another LYREBIRD WALK. First introduced three years ago, this type of walk is about to become another Bushwalker's tradition. The leader promises to show you the lyrebirds in their natural haunts.... So don't forget to bring your cameras.

TARRAWARRA - HEALSVILLE - 10 miles. Loader is Jack Morrison, FB1851.

17th July. The train is the 9.15 a.m., Express, and you buy a 2nd ret. to Healesville.

This walk takes one through the hunting territory of the Yarra Yarra tribe. Jack says it is possible that sharp-eyed Bushwalkers may be able to locate the old camp sites - handy if Jacky Jacky's tribe decides to end the walkabout.

N.B. While on the subject of coming walks, don't forget that it is time to start planning for extended Christmas trips. The Walks Secy. would like to hear from all prospective leaders, especially if they have some definite idea as to where they would like to go.

FEDERATION BALL. All those who went last year thoroughly enjoyed themselves at this event, and we are sure that you will all enjoy yourselves this year on 5th August at Tudor Court. Further details will be available in the next News.

BARN DANCE. The Barn Dance is to be held on 3rd/4th Sept. and arrangements are on hand for a new site. More of this event anon.

JULY LECTURE. Mr. Ian Turner, an authority on early Australian history, will give us a lecture on "Cause and Effects of Early Historical Happenings." However, more on this subject next News.

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