NEXT MEETING - WEDNESDAY, 6TH SEPTEMBER 2000 Time: 6.00 pm for 6.30 pm VENUE: Grand Court Chinese Restaurant SPEAKER/TOPIC: Wait and See, and Mr Tell You?

INTRODUCED BY:

**VOTE OF THANKS:** 

MEAL: Advise Darrell Gaukroger if you want an Australian Meal as against chinese meal.

APOLOGIES OR GUESTS: Please advise Darrell Gaukroger on 6452 3302 by midday of meeting.

Non-apology & non-attendance means you pay for the meal.

Apology, Non-attendance & no make-up means you pay \$2

SERGEANTS FAX-A-FINE: Send to John Clarke on 6452 4004

SEPTEMBER ROSTER: Attendance: Ashley Constance & Tony Slater Property: Lou Moore

Be Early. If not at meeting arrange for substitute. At another venue arrange to bring necessary property.

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK BY: Steve Shirvington

Next Week: Col Adams

Loneliness is never more cruel when it is felt in close propinquity with someone who has ceased to communicate.

## LAST WEEKS MEETING:

40 Years of Rotary full details in Bulletin of the 13 September. A Rotary Health Research newsletter is printed after every Board meeting, about five times annually. Normal distribution of the newsletters is to all Rotary Clubs in Australia. Where is Cooma Rotary Club's newsletter?

## NEWS:

Subs: After the 1 September 2000, there will be NO discount on Club fees. Please see Treasurer Bill before the Friday 1st is over.

Congratulations: to Wayne Benson, his application to Group Study exchange was successful. 2000-01 Exchange District 6380 which includes parts of Ontario Canada and Michigan USA. This will be a special purpose exchange for team members involved in emergency services.

A visiting Rotarian: from New Zealand, Norm Jenner, Rotary Club of Manukau City Sunrise District 9920. Called in to see Secretary Des the other day. He was coming on Wednesday night, but our Club meeting was transferred, so he left a banner with Secretary Des. He was over visiting family in Cooma.

August Market Day: was not a very successful day owing to intermittent rain showers. A small number of stalls. Stalls amount \$163 and BBQ Profit of \$9.70, with a large amount of stock on hand.

September Market Day: Roster is John & Heather Jacoby, Tom Bellgard, Steve Shirvington.

Welcome back Dr Bob, and it is good to see you looking so well, and he won the Dinner set.

There was a young woman from Foster, whose parents thought they had lost her. From the fridge came a sound and at last she was found. The trouble was how to defrost her.

## ROTARY INFORMATION: Rotarians Donate Tools to Fight Poverty in Africa.

Without the proper tools and equipment, may poor people who want to improve their lives and communities often can do very little. Rotarians in Nottingham, England, however, have completed a month long project designed to help those faced with such obstacles to help themselves. Tools for Self Reliance has been providing tools and skills training to some of the poorest communities in Africa since 1979. (The Rotarian – July p.3)