NEXT MEETING - WEDNESDAY,2nd MAY 2001 Time: 6.00 pm for 6.30 pm VENUE: THE OLD BANK CAFÉ, 161 SHARP STREET, COOMA SPEAKER/TOPIC: DISTRICT ASSEMBLY WITH BRIAN JEFFRIES

NO CLUB MEETING ON ANZAC DAY

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 Les Sutcliffe on 6452 7192

MAY ROSTER: Attendance: Patrick Kwan & Tom Bellgard Property: Mark Revelant Be Early. If not at meeting arrange for substitute. At another venue arrange to bring necessary property.

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK BY: Gordon Haylock

Next Week: David Epstein

"Volunteer" - Sometimes the job no one wants conceals big opportunities. LAST WEEKS MEETING:

Wayne Benson Police Inspector Group Study Exchange member from Cooma. He is in charge of nine stations. He is married with two children. Waynes leaves on the 27th April for a six week trip to America and Canada, his first stop over is LA for two days. Wayne filled the Club in on mountain and snow searches. He has carried out some 24 searches in his time in the area. *NEWS:*

- Next Meeting: This meeting will be covering the District Assembly which will be held on 5th & 6th May 2001 in Cooma. Brian will be talking and telling us very little, but there will be some jobs the Club will have to do, so members that can, please help, we may get some fun out of it.
- lan Elliott: has recently qualified for the ACT Little Athletics team that is going to Melbourne for the Annual Australian Teams Championship. The total cost includes airfares, team uniform, etc and comes to a fairly large amount of \$850. The Cooma Rotary Club made a donation to lain of \$100.
- The Market Day: on Easter Sunday was a good day for the workers after a slow start or was it a late start. BBQ \$596.40; Stalls \$378.00 and total of \$974.40 with very little costs to come out.
- Health: Good to see Tom Dennis at the meeting with his third leg Tom has been very sick with the flu and a bad shoulder. Jim Hatfield is back home again and is doing well. Don't get under Mary's feet Jim, she may give you a job.
- Rob Simms has had family home and had a great time with grand children.

 Sad News: Members of the Rotary Club were saddened to hear of the death of Don Cowderoy, a former members and past President of the Club after a long illness.

 Deepest sympathy is extended to his family.
- Anniversaries: Alan & Edith Frost 64 years; Gordon and Doris 46 years on 16th April. No wonder Gordon's legs are going! ROTARY INFORMATION:

Attendance Last Week: 28 members out of 39 = 79.5% Visiting Rotarians: Bill Irving, Liverpool Guests: Wayne Benson, Mavis Wellington (Club); Don Stephens (Des T); Cec Shirvington (Steve S); Linda Lucke (Kevin Dunne); Apologies: Geoff B; John C; Ashley C; Tony DeT; Tony S Leave of Absence: Darrell G; Carlo P; Jim H; S.L. Make-up: Carlo P ROTARY INFORMATION: Youth Leads the Way

District 6990 Grand Bahama Island and part of Florida. We're the future of Rotary and we can show other teens how important The 4-Way Test is, said Paola Moya, District 6990 Interact Representative. Interact advisor Ken Ruiz, a member of the Rotary Club of Weston, Fla., also explained that Interactors are not only Rotary's future, but can help re-energize Rotary's future, but can help re-energize Rotarians who may have lost their drive to serve. The Rotarian. Feb. p. 43