NEXT MEETING - WEDNESDAY, 27 June 2001 Time: 6.30 pm for 7.00 pm VENUE: COOMBAH LOUNGE, COOMA EXSERVICES CLUB SPEAKER/TOPIC: MC ALYSON HULLEY-JEFFRIES

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

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JUNE ROSTER: Attendance: John Clarke & Dave Holgate *Property*: Gordon Haylock Be Early. If not at meeting arrange for substitute. At another venue arrange to bring necessary property.

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK BY: Gordon Haylock

Beauty parlours are like steak parlours, Men rare and Women well done.

Owing to Change Over Dinner there will be no thought of The Week next meeting.

LAST WEEKS MEETING:

At the last meeting, the Club had as its Guest Speaker, Assistant DG Mel Ferguson, and Kayo Sawada Ambassadorial Scholar from Tokyo Japan. She has been in Australia for six months and has six months to go and is at the ANU in Canberra. Mel is a man I would say that the Club will get on with very well, and we may see more of him.

NFWS:

- It is good to see that we will have Alan Frost with us for a while yet, as he does not know when he will be going. Alan has a birthday coming up early in July. He will be 87 young.

 Sergeant Les was called away to a fire prior to the dinner. I had heard that Les was
 - looking for a hairdresser early in the day, it may have been for a polish.
- Market Day last Sunday: BBQ \$615.80, stalls \$313.00. Expenses \$186.50 total \$742.30. Only 22 stalls were there.
- The Rotary Club of Norfolk Island: Invitation to visit your fellow Rotarians on beautiful Norfolk Island. Special discounted holiday packages for Rotarians, their families and friends from \$799 for 8 days, 7 nights per person ex Sydney or from \$699 for 8 days, 7 nights per person ex Brisbane. For further information about travel and accommodation please contact The Travel Centre, Attention Mike Perkins. Phone (int) 6723 24166, Fax (Int) 6723 24168. Toll free 1800 1400 66. Email: mikep@norefold.net.nf
- Some Things to Ponder Over: Atheism is a non-profit organisation. Give a man a fish and he will eat for a day, teach him to fish and he will sit in a boat and drink beer all day. If a mute swears, does his mother wash his hands with soap? One nice thing about egotists, they don't talk about other people.
- Farewell: The members said good-bye to Mavis Wellington at the last meeting as she leaves for home on Saturday. The Club wishes you all the best.

FUTURE PROGRAMS:

Next Dinner: Is the Change-over-dinner at Cooma Exservices Club. 6.30pm for 7.00. Cost \$25 per head. Numbers with any guests by Monday 25th June 2001. ROTARY INFORMATION:

Attendance Last Week: 26 members out of 36 = 75% Visiting Rotarians: Mel Ferguson, Canberra Weston Creek Guests: Mel Ferguson, Kayo Sawada, Mavis Wellington, (Club); Claire Neumeyer (Margaret E); Helen French (Graham F); Richard Warner (Tony S) Apologies: John C; Darrell G; Jim H; Brian J; Lou M; Ken P Leave of Absence: Carlo P; Dr Bob Make-ups: Bill R, Darrell G ROTARY INFORMATION: Rebuilding Gujarat

When an earthquake devastated Western India, Rotarians around the world answered the call for help. Property damages in Gujarat, India's second most industrialized state, are estimated at more than US\$2 billion. Rotary District 3050 suffered 80 percent of destruction, with the rest occurring in District 3060. The damage was so horrific that the Rotary Foundation Trustees in February encouraged districts to make a donation from their District Designated Funds and raised the cap from \$10,000 to \$25,000. Rotarian, May p 32.