

SECRETARIAL REPORT.

Two issues of "Roaring 40's" were produced during the year. The third issue because of lack of time and a number of other reasons did not get to print. I would also like to thank Graeme Elvey for his help in producing the "Roaring 40's".

As Secretary, I would like to recommend that a filing cabinet be purchased to file the various files, as a cardboard box is not the greatest filing system. This would make it far easier on the future holders of this position.

A further recommendation - that Affiliation Fees become due and payable as at 31st. December.

Budget for 1985/86. As the Financial Statement for 1984/85 shows a fairly even receipt against expenditure and with a steady growth in membership, I would recommend that the present affiliation fees remain for 1985/86.

Kevin Harvey,
Secretary/Treasurer.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT JUNE 1st.1984 TO APRIL 22nd. 1985.

Opening Balance \$1016.95

RECEIPTS

Affiliation Fees from branches 1984/85

Mildura \$50.00

Bendigo \$33.00

Maryborough \$23.00

Wynnum/Manly \$26.00

Morella \$20.00

Melbourne/Gippsland \$50.00

Devonport \$30.00

Warracknabeal \$20.00 252.00

Bank Interest 78.74

Excess on Name Badges 23.30

TOTAL \$1370.99

EXPENDITURE

Postage \$ 99.15

Printing, Paper etc. 55.20

Bank Fees .80

Fed. Duty .61

Advance to Rort Committee \$ 200.00

\$ 355.76

CLOSING BALANCE \$1015.23



COME ALIVE
IN '85

BENDIGO RORT.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

27th APRIL 1985.

A G E N D A

1. WELCOME AND REPORT. President Ron Clarke
2. APPOINTMENT OF SERGEANT OF ARMS.
3. MESSAGES AND GREETINGS.
4. SECRETARIAL AND FINANCIAL REPORTS
SECRETARY/TREASURER - Kevin Harvey.
5. ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS
6. EXTENSION REPORT
EXTENSION CHAIRMAN - Garth Whitchurch.
7. 1986 RORT - HOST BRANCH/VENUE.
8. PRESENTATION OF "THE WIZZY".
9. ELECTION OF APEX 40 NATIONAL COMMITTEE.
10. GENERAL BUSINESS
11. ON WITH THE RORT.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

As we are gathering for the 10th. Annual Rort, numbers from afar registered at this time are the largest yet which shows our organization is growing.

With more and more Apexians staying in Apex to retiring age and having spoken with many, there is keen interest in Apex 40. It is up to all of us to encourage these Apexians, our future growth, to join in or form new clubs. I stress that we all make an effort to welcome these men and their lovely ladies into our fellowship.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT Continued.

I must thank the Morella Club in Perth for their hospitality given Meryl, Glenn and self during our recent holiday in glorious City.

The members of this Club have shown interest in linking with the West in 1986. The way the "Sandgroppers" show their hospitality, I can recommend you start saving now for what will be the biggest and best Rort in our history.

It has been a pleasure being your President over the past few months. To Secretary, Kevin Harvey and Extension Chairman Whitchurch, thanks for a job well done.

Wishing you all a happy and safe 1985 and for those of you at the Bendigo Rort have a great get-together. Ron Clarke,

EXTENSION CHAIRMAN'S REPORT.

This year through the efforts of John Crouch and his colleagues it is pleasing to have the birth of another Apex 40 Club at Ballarat. Last year's baby, at Manly Qld., now has approximately 38 members and Chris Trevor-Jones tells me everyone is enjoying themselves.

I have continued visits to Apex Clubs and Conventions to promote Apex 40, and President Ron has recently heard of Apexians in Canberra looking to start up another Club, so it is slowly getting around.

The Portfolio of Extension Chairman is one of liaison, to continue to keep your Executive informed of any interested parties.

Thanks to members for keeping me up to date and to President and good wife, Meryl for their assistance.

Garth Whitchurch
Extension Chairman