

# SULPHIDE WELFARE CLUB

## BOWLS SECTION

August has been a very busy month for club bowlers.

A Gala Day was held on 19th August in aid of the Lake Macquarie Ladies' Auxiliary. Sixteen rinks of fours played a progressive competition of three games with seven heads per game. The winners were Vic. Kedwell's rink, which played very good bowls to win from Eck. Collins' rink, gaining them the runners-up trophies. A sterling performance on the part of Collins' rink as he had three novices with him. The very nice sum of £20 was handed over to the Ladies' Auxiliary. Many thanks to the lady bowlers for their help in providing the buffet refreshments. The day was marred by an accident to Mrs. Bull, President of the Ladies' Club, who had a bad fall and is at present in hospital. We all hope that you will be fully restored to health very soon, Mrs. Bull.

The Club journeyed to Raymond Terrace on Sunday, 26th August, to play a four rink competition and the two rink social bowls game; Sulphide winning the competition game by 20 points. After the finish of the game both clubs had a very harmonious hour in the club house. Songs were rendered by Barty Wilkinson, Earnie Wilson, Chum Burgin, and yes, the Secretary was kidded into singing. Many thanks for your hospitality, Raymond Terrace.

A record has been created by Frank Rice, who has won four trophies in successive week-end games. The green will go down for the annual top dressing after the 9th September.

## FISHING CLUB

The new fishing club has started off in a very businesslike manner. A constitution has been adopted by the club and executive officers are as follows, viz.:

President, T. Walker; Hon. Secretary, I. Moon; Treasurer, R. Pender.

A suggestion was made that fish scales to weigh up to 28 lbs. be bought, but many members thought that this would be too small, as anything up to 70 lbs. would be caught. We must

have some shark fishermen in our Club!

The first outing was to Nora Heads on Sunday, 16th September.

## PICNIC COMMITTEE

The General Committee has set down 16th November for the Picnic date. The Picnic destination will be known before the end of the month.

## CHRISTMAS TREE

Preparations are already under way for the Christmas Tree, to be held on Friday, 14th December.

Watch your Welfare Club News for developments for the Picnic and Xmas Tree.

R. FORSTER,  
Hon. Secretary.

## LETTER TO EDITOR

Sir,

We hear that our new Sales Manager is spending much of his time out West and submit the following:—

In Bathurst she was Mabel,  
It was Daisy in June,  
In Orange she was Phyllis,  
A lovely thing to see.

In Narrandera she was Lora,  
The sweetest of the bunch,  
But down on his expenses,  
She was petrol, oil and lunch.

—“Anon.”

## BIRTHDAY CLUB

On Friday, 31st August, members of the Birthday Club gathered together in their favourite hostelry to honour the birthdays of Andy Thompson (Drawing Office) and Jim Scarfe (P.I.D.). The usual lubrication was enjoyed with our favourite victuals, “Pies.” The Super. Dept. section of the Club was very subdued on this occasion—no acrobatic performances as on another evening. As this paragraph goes to press, news has been received of an additional birth, so Club members, be prepared in the near future for a special birthday celebration for our new junior member.

“Lathyrus Odoratus.”

