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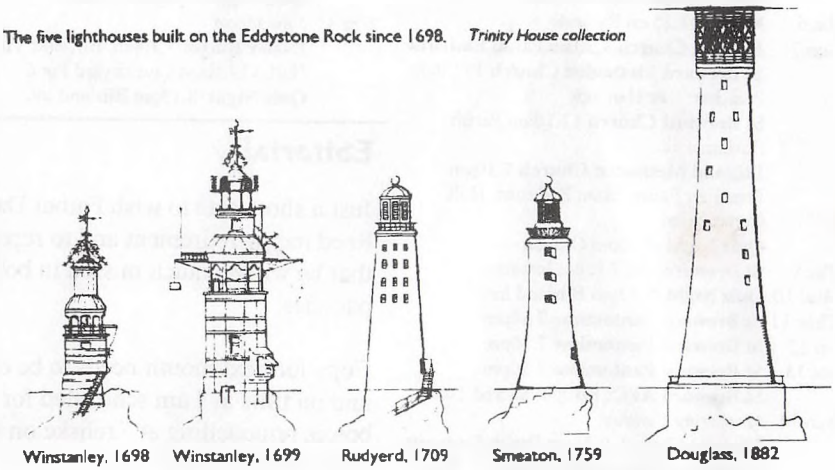

The five lighthouses built on the Eddystone Rock since 1698. *Trinity House collection*

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March Diary

Mon 1 *St David's Day*
Neighbourhood Watch 7.30pm St Breward Memorial Hall
Tue 2 *Full Moon*
Wed 3 **St Breward Methodist Church** 10.00-11.30am Coffee Morning
Quiz Night 8.15pm Blisland Inn
Fri 5 ***St Piran's Day***
Mobile Library
Womens World Day of Prayer: 2.30pm at St Breward Parish Church
Sat 6 **MOBI** 11.15am Rylands
Sun 7 **Blisland Church** 9.30am Parish Eucharist
St Breward Methodist Church 11.00am Preacher: Rev Hancock
St Breward Church 11.10am Parish Eucharist:
Blisland Methodist Church 2.30pm Preacher: Pastor Brian Parkman, Holy Communion
Quiz Night 8.30pm Old Inn
Tue 9 **St Breward WI** 7.15pm Institute;
Wed 10 **Quiz Night** 8.15pm Blisland Inn
Thur 11 **St Breward Pantomime** 7.30pm
Fri 12 **St Breward Pantomime** 7.30pm
Sat 13 **St Breward Pantomime** 7.30pm
St Breward AFC: 8.30pm Sacred Turf
Sun 14 *Mothering Sunday*
Blisland Church 9.30am Parish Eucharist:
St Breward Methodist Church 9.30am Preacher Brian Parkman SAC
St Breward Church 11.10am Parish Eucharist
Quiz Night 8.30pm Old Inn
Wed 17 *St Patrick's Day & New Moon*
Blisland WI
Quiz Night 8.15pm Blisland Inn
Thur 18 **St Breward Pantomime** 7.30pm
Fri 19 **Mobile Library**
St Breward Pantomime 7.30pm
Sat 20 **St Breward Pantomime** 7.30pm
Sun 21 *First day of Spring*
Blisland Church 9.30am Parish Eucharist
St Breward Methodist Church 11.00am RRSA
St Breward Church 11.10am Parish Eucharist
Blisland Methodist Church 2.30pm Readers Service
Quiz Night 8.30pm Old Inn
Wed 24 **Quiz Night** 8.15pm Blisland Inn
Thu 25 ***Lady Day***
Sat 27 **St Breward AFC:** 8.30pm Al Hodge
Sun 28 ***Palm Sunday***
British Summer Time begins
Blisland Church 9.30am Parish Eucharist
St Breward Church 11.10am Parish Eucharist
St Breward Methodist Church 11.00am Preacher Mr N Fletcher R/S
Quiz Night 8.30pm Old Inn
Wed 31 *New Moon*
Easter Bingo: 7.30pm, Blisland Village Hall. - Blisland Churchyard Fund
Quiz Night 8.15pm Blisland Inn

Editorial

Just a short note to wish Father David Reed happy retirement and to repeat that he will be much missed in both parishes.

Copy for next month needs to be early and on time as I am scheduled for pro-boscis remodelling at Treliske on the 22nd of March.

Denis Lusby

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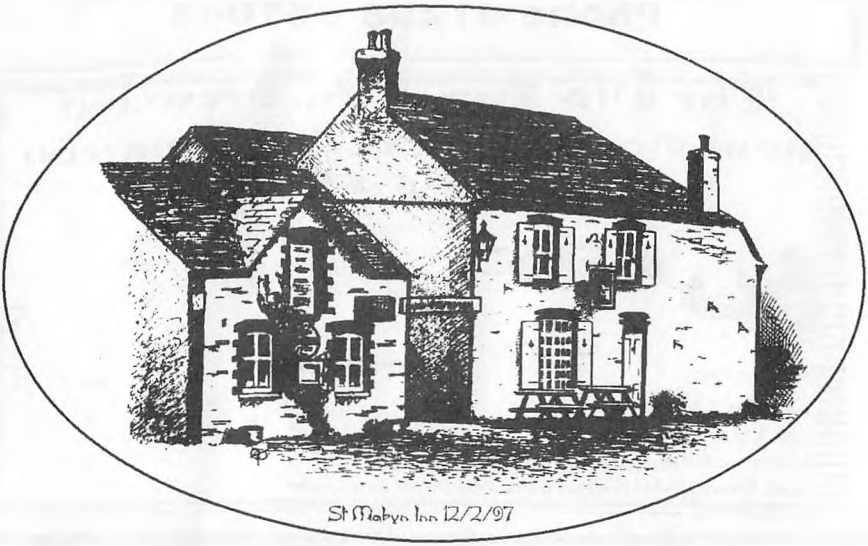

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ST BREWARD PARISH CHURCH

It is with regret that the parish has to say goodbye to Father David Reed at the end of February, Although he has only been with us for a short time he has won the friendship and respect of many people in the village and we shall all miss his cheerful countenance and willingness to always help and join in. We send you our best wishes David, for a happy retirement and hope you will call back and see us sometimes as you will not be too far away.

During the interregnum Sunday services will be held as usual by visiting priests but if anybody has any queries about baptisms, weddings, funerals or any other matters please contact the churchwardens Mrs Sue Hutton 850761 or Mr Paddy McShee 850435 for advice.

On Sunday February 14th, the church celebrated Revel Sunday. This festival is to remember the patron saint of our village and church Saint Branwalader. A procession from Rylands supported by St Breward Silver Band made its way to the church where Father David conducted a short service. This included the blessing of the new banner for St Breward Guides and Brownies. We were then entertained by the band who played a number of items which were thoroughly appreciated by everyone. This was then followed by a tea in the village hall after which Sue Hutton presented Father David with a plant and cheque and she thanked him on behalf of all the village for the work he has done in his time as parish priest.

On Tuesday February 16th members of the church and friends enjoyed a fun evening of skittles by kind permission of the Football Club. This was a great success and it is hoped to repeat it in the future.

ST BREWARD PARISH CHURCH

COFFEE MORNING

To be held in the Bandroom on
Saturday 13th March
10.30 am -12 noon
All are welcome

Church's Pages

Priest in Charge Father R David Reed The Rectory, St Breward Tel 850869
Churchwardens:

Blisland	Maj. CFT Edward-Collins	821226	St Breward	Mr DP McShee	850435
	Mrs HM Webber	850239		Mrs S Hutton	850761

Dear Friends

In this, my final letter which you will see is a very personal one, I should like to express my thank to you all - the Wardens, PCCs, members of the congregations of our Anglican Churches, our Methodist friends and to so many other residents of our parishes for the many kindnesses that I have received during my time here; I hope that together, we have been able to show that God is very much alive in these parishes; there have been the sad times when I have felt it a privilege to be your parish priest sharing your sorrows and grief, and also the many happy occasions which have been a pleasure and joy. I can assure you that you all will be very much in my prayers, especially during coming weeks as we pray that the parishes "receive a faithful Pastor, who shall feed your flock and make ready a people acceptable to you, through Jesus Christ our Lord" (Church in Wales Book of Common Prayer)

May I wish you a prayerful Lent, and in some forty day time, a joyful Easter.
Yours very sincerely
Father David

From the Registers

Holy Baptism
Rebecca Adele Richards and Robert Alexander Matthew Richards were baptised in Blisland Parish Church on Sunday 21 February 1999

"Made members of Christ, children of the Heavenly Father
and inheritors of the Kingdom of God"

St Breward

Revel Sunday
St Breward's celebration of St Branwalader was a truly memorable occasion; St Breward Band beginning to celebrate its Centenary, and in full force, led the procession of parishioners and friends from Rylands, while the dedication of the Guide`s flag of St Piran together with friends from the Methodist Church many other villagers made Revel Sunday a real village day; and afterwards, we were entertained to a wonderful tea with Revel Buns for all. Then, I was taken totally

by surprise when I was given a very generous cheque to mark my retirement. My thanks to ever one who made the afternoon such a memorable one, and thank you for the wonderful present – will make the conservatory of my future home more comfortable.

St Breward Silver Band

As I stated above, the Band did us really proud in its involvement in the Revel Sunday service, for as well as leading us across from Rylands and accompanying the hymns, we were entertained with a delightful selection of music after the service. Our congratulations to the band for achieving its century and to Micky Hunt for his enthusiastic contribution to the well-being of the band over many years.

Shrove Tuesday

The Shrove Tuesday Skittles party was a great success and I am sure, enjoyed by the large number of parishioners who took part, Our thanks to the St Breward football Club Committee and Joe Kay for making us feel so welcome and to all who contributed to the refreshments. It was sad that Joe's 'hospitalisation' prevented him being with us.

Blisland

The new hymn books, 'Hymns Old and New', kindly donated to the Church in memory of the late Arthur John Baker by his widow, Janet and his family were dedicated on Sunday 21 February during the Parish Eucharist. Arthur was evacuated to Blisland during the Second World War being given a 'home from home' by the Leans at Carwen; during this time, he sang in the Church Choir. The kindness of his hosts and warmth of welcome made such an impression on him that he frequently returned to Blisland during the rest of his life. We are grateful to Janet for the interest she has taken, and the practical help in covering and labelling the books,

Some important dates

Mothering Sunday 14 March
Palm Sunday 28 March
Maundy Thursday 29 March
Good Friday 2 April
Easter Day 4 April

See Church notice boards or Community Magazine for times and details of Maundy Thursday and Good Friday services.
NB; There will be no midweek celebrations of Holy Eucharist during the interregnum

Chapel's Page

Pastoral Worker: Mr Brian Parkman, 17 Trefrew Road, Camelford 01840 212736

	Blisland	St Breward
Senior Steward	Mr ET Ham (850691)	Mr R Hoskin (851445)
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Dear friends,

During last year, considerable time and energy was spent by representatives of our chapels in the circuit, seeking to find a way forward from a position of maintaining the "status quo", to mission in the local communities. The question became simply this; How can we encourage others to faith in Jesus Christ and a desire to worship Him? Some decisions were made and some will be painful to fulfil. However, as in other areas of life, if we are to reach our goals, we must move forward. The move forward will require a change of mind and perhaps a change of use of some of our chapels. Change can be painful. We have naturally become set in our ways and will need God's guidance and power to change. Difficulty demands prayer. With this in mind, the circuit is being called to prayer, both private and corporate. Please note; the first of our prayer services will be at St.Tudy Chapel on Sunday April 18th at 6pm. I hope this will be convenient for people living in this area. We shall use this occasion for Praise and Prayer seeking God's guidance in the way forward into mission, as we seek to proclaim the glorious gospel message. Here, in our parishes of St. Breward and Blisland we have been encouraged as folks from "church and chapel" have met together for Bible Study and Fellowship. I would like to record my personal joy and gratitude to the Rev. David Reed who has been such an encouragement to me and the Methodist congregations as together we have started to build on greater links as we recognise that we are "all one in Christ Jesus". We shall all miss David's friendship and ministry. The Methodist peoples of these parishes wish David much blessing in his retirement and new home at Bossiney, Tintagel.

Yours Sincerely, Brian

Blisland Methodist Church Services for March

7th March at 2.30pm	Preacher: Pastor Brian Parkman (Holy Communion)
21st March at 2.30pm	Readers Service

St Breward Methodist Church
March Diary Dates

3rd	Coffee Morning 10.00 - 11.30am	
7th	11.00am	Revd. Hancock
14th	9.30am	Brian Parkman SAC
21st	11.00am	RRSA
28th	11.00am	Mr N Fletcher R/S

Womens World Day of Prayer

Friday 5th March at St Breward Parish Church at 2.30pm. Speaker Joyce Rackham of Lanivet.

Collection for W. W. Day of Prayer funds.

Advanced Notice
Wednesday 14th April "Coffee Day"
at the home of Muriel and Wesley Wilton

Friday August 20th Safari Supper.

Blisland Village Hall
Easter Bingo

Wednesday 31st March
at 7.30pm

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St Breward Church Sunday Club

The Coffee Morning held on Saturday 6th February made a grand total of £124.57 for Sunday Club funds. A wonderful effort and many thanks to everyone who supported it in any way.

We welcome back Pat and Brenda Bennett who have nobly volunteered to run the Sunday Club following Father David's retirement. The club will once again be held on Sundays in the village Hall from 11 am and will welcome any new members. For further details please contact Pat and Brenda on 851680 or come along one Sunday and join in the fun.

Arthur Colman turned up at a wedding recently with his right hand still in plaster, supported by a nice white sling. Fellow guests, who hadn't seen Arthur for a while, were soon busy enquiring how he had hurt his hand and offering their commiserations.

At the reception after the wedding, quite a few were surprised to see that he had made a dramatic recovery during the course of the evening. The sling had disappeared and Arthur was able to support many heavy pint glasses in his damaged hand.

Scientists are now busy investigating the effect of beer on fractured wrists and further tests are being carried out to see if different brews have different recovery rates!

Anna Walby of St Breward played for **Cornwall's under 17 Women's Hockey Team** in a tournament at Bristol, against eight other counties. Cornwall did not win the tournament but put up a good fight. Anna has now been selected for trials for the **West of England U18 Squad** that takes place in April. She was the only Cornish player to have been selected for these trials. In fact Anna has been in the Cornwall team for the last 4 years, beginning with the under 14's at the age of 12.

If selected, Anna will have to travel to Bristol on a regular basis, so if any of you out there feel like sponsoring one of our most promising sportswomen please contact me or Anna direct. DPL

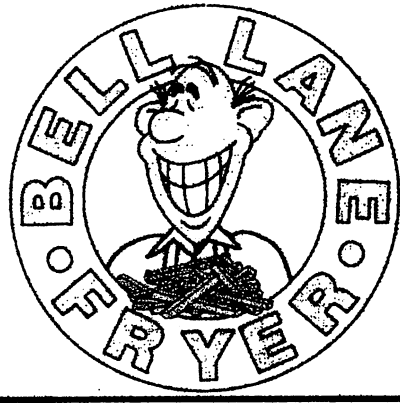
Good luck to Anna.

St Breward Guides go on Safari

First Safari on 10th April – A Safari Meal, starting at St Breward via Fentonadle, Helstone and ending in Camelford – in aid of their second safari which is 2 weeks service camp at the White Cross Mission's orphanage in Bratca, Romania.

Tickets available from Gill Goatman Tel.850213. £7.50 each: Starting times 6.30pm, 7.00pm & 7.30pm.

(Support them in raising funds for this doubly worthwhile cause – our youngsters helping others and experiencing how hard that big world out there can be. Ed)



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St Breward Neighbourhood Watch - February meeting

The Chairman reported:

1) The current account at the Post Office stood at £54.50
1) The NHW sign at Candra had been broken, suspected to be caused by cows rubbing against the post.

PC Wonnacott reiterated the importance of NHW signs in the deterrence of would-be criminals. He also pointed out that small window sticker signs are available that could easily be modified to stick on suitable surfaces throughout the village.

PC Alan Wonnacott gave the number of reported crimes for St Breward - 22 in 1997, 23 in 1998 with 1 to-date this year that involved drink/driving, now a reported crime. The new system of making drink/driving offences a reportable crime may affect future crime figures. PC Alan Wonnacott further explained that the Police have now got to respond to cases of Domestic Strife:

MPC ANDY Daniels, the Road safety and Traffic Management Officer of the Devon & Cornwall Constabulary gave an interesting talk. He started by explaining the considerable influence that speed of vehicles had on injuries and fatalities and was the subject of the latest advertising campaign. The distance travelled from the time of deciding to brake, actually braking and then actually coming to a halt was reiterated, considerably affecting the actual overall stopping distance. Several examples of the various hazards ware given both on the road and to passengers either not using safety belts or not using them correctly. The danger of unbelted rear passengers on the front passengers who were belted was emphasised. A general discussion of road safety subjects then followed including the most effective way of controlling speed and its relevance to St Breward. It was pointed out that many cars passing through the area of Limbhead travel much too fast exceeding the 30mph speed limits in force.

Kevin Foster reported on the St Breward Youth Project. Whilst St Breward has no real problems with youth at the moment, it was important, as well as a duty, to keep youth constructively occupied. The first meeting was held at Brookside Court in December attended by Neil Batey, Senior Youth Leader based at Launceston.

About 10 members of St Breward youth attended to give their ideas. A request for a roller skate board bowl was made with several members of the meeting demonstrating that they had given the idea much thought. A discussion of the type of construction and suitable sites in St Breward ensued. Neil Batey stated that he would give his time and seek financial support but emphasised that this and any other project must be 'self-helped' by youth themselves. A further

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NORTH CORNWALL CONSERVATIVE ASSOCIATION

St Breward Branch

Annual General Meeting

in the Village Hall
on Thursday 11th March 1999
at 7.30pm

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meeting was arranged when financial plans and drawings would be presented.

Kevin Foster enquired to the relevance for St Breward of a Church Watch and a Farm Watch. Father David Reed said that recent break-ins meant the church was locked over the winter months. He felt that a more effective Church watch would be for more people to use the church. Volunteers were requested especially those living near the church (Contact Kevin Foster at Moorgoods).

Due to other commitments Ellen Byrne wishes to resign as secretary. Volunteers please!

£1,000 of basketball equipment has been offered to the St Breward Youth Project subject to finding a suitable site with hardstanding.

Absurd Person Singular

Camhayle Theatre Club is pleased to present Absurd Person Singular by Alan Ayckburn at Wadebridge Town Hall on Tues 16th, Wed 17th, Fri 19th 7 Sat 20th of March at 7.30pm. Tickets obtainable from Record Select, Wadebridge (01208 812625) or on the door.

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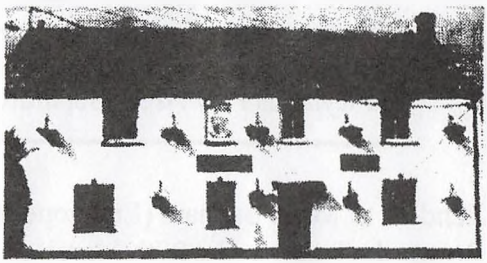

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6. Hill to Tor Down Quarry via Mill Lane (Attention to be paid to Japanese Knotweed Regulations)
9. From Footpath N°4 to road south of Lower Hamatethy
17. Churchtown to Holy Well via Sunny Bank (Remove parings from Churchtown to School Playing fields)
18. Coombe to Chapel (Wooded section only and to remove parings)
20. Limbhead to Penvorder
21. Churchtown to Fellover/ Sunny Bank path
26. Penvorder to De Lank Quarry
28. Maudlin Lane to Rylands Terrace

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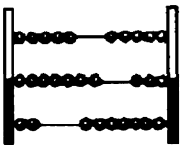

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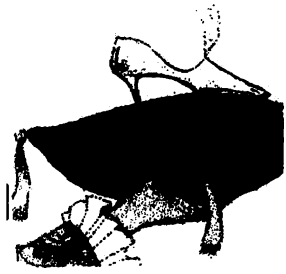

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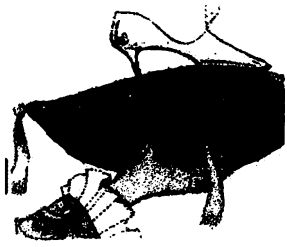

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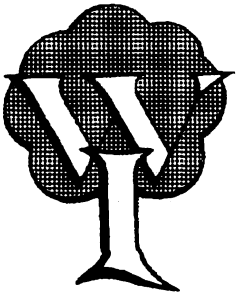

Our meeting took place in the Village Hall with Mrs W Gurr in the chair.

Various activities are planned for March starting on the 3rd with the Annual Dinner at Hengar Manor. On the 15th we are holding a Coffee Morning – 10.30am till 12.30pm in the Institute. This is in aid of the Meningitis Trust and promoted by the Kenco Coffee Company. We hope that as many people as possible will support this. On March 16th there is an event at Lakeview Country Club, Lanlivet, 'The Magic of Italy', £10.50 to include a buffet lunch.

In April, St Breward will be the hosts for a group meeting and we also plan to participate in the 'Keep Britain tidy' campaign when we meet one afternoon and collect as much rubbish as possible from around the village. The Council provides bags, gloves and tools to help collect the debris. The schoolchildren have been very helpful in the past but we have not had many volunteers apart from the WI.

Mr Edgar Rowe, Clerk to Blisland Parish Council, was our speaker, and we were given a most interesting and informative talk on the work and responsibilities of the council.

Blisland Parish consists of 7,541 acres of land and has a population of 675 people of whom 512 form the electorate. We are fortunate in having a school, Church, Post Office & Stores, Village Hall and Public House, Blisland Council owns the Village Hall, Institute (part), Public Toilet and Village Green. It is also responsible for the upkeep of 17,842 metres of footpaths – there are 24 footpaths in the Parish.

It might be of interest to know that the estimated expenditure by the Council for the year 1999/2000 is £7,720. The Village Green and Village Institute will need £2,160, the toilets £1,135 and the Establishment and miscellaneous items using the remainder.

The Council is not a Planning Authority and can be consulted only. It also makes recommendations to the County Council and Planning Authority. It is not responsible for advising others such as Highways, Water Companies or Environmental organisations. If there was a Blisland Residents Association they would automatically be consulted on planning matters.

Estimated expenditure of £5930 is met from Council Tax. The Parish receives £25.90 per Band D property. The balance comes from income.

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There are normally 10 councillors and all have to sign a Declaration of Acceptance of Office. Elections are held rarely in Blisland because seats are not often opposed. This saves the Council money!

Mr Rowe's wife, Jean is also active in local affairs and in January 1999 was presented with a badge of office for her work as Chairman of Cornwall Parish & Town Councils' Association.

Our next meeting will be on March 17th in the Village Hall at 2.15pm

Wendy Barwood

Proposed Photographic Exhibition

We are beginning to receive photographs of St Breward and would like everyone (including our Blisland readers) to search their cupboards for that dimly remembered photo of Great Uncle etc. We need as many as possible to make this exhibition as memorable as possible.

Any enquiries to Denis Lusby 850260

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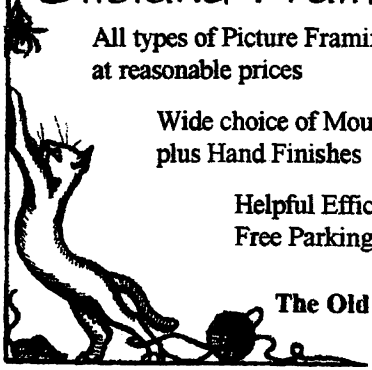

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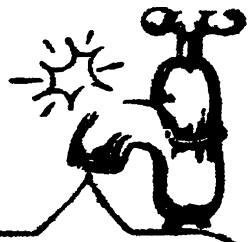

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Sat	6th	Ivey
Wed	10th	The Cornish Arms, St Tudy
Sat	13th	Western Point to Point
Wed	17th	Chain Bridge
Sat	20th	Helligan
Wed	24th	Pityme
Thur	25th	Race Night, Withiel Village Hall
Sat	27th	Hustyn Mine Park
Wed	31st	Ring Kennels

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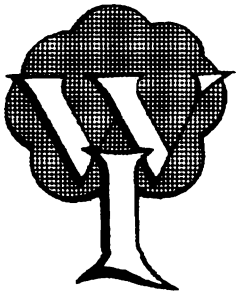

St. Breward W.I. February Meeting

The Annual Meeting was attended by fifteen members and Mrs Yvonne Toms from St. Tudy who kindly acted as our teller for the elections. Mrs. Christine Woolf will continue as the president, Mrs. M. Metters as vice-president, Mrs. Dawes as treasurer, Mrs. M. Shelley as secretary with Mrs. J. Gant as assistant secretary

The Group Meeting has been changed to Thursday, April 22nd with a bring-and-buy in the Methodist Chapel, with an audio-visual show by Mr. Peter Levers about our own area I believe. A Four Corner day has now been arranged for September 16th in the Memorial Hall, the subjects taught by the tutors will be crochet, pergamano, Victorian workboxes and doughcraft. These days are always fun and you can "have a go" at all or just one of the crafts offered in the company of your friends.

At long last the day of the tea for the Camelford Disabled Club has arrived - if this magazine arrives before March 3rd I would be pleased to receive contributions of food, preferably in the cake line, at my house (Hill House, almost opposite the Memorial Hall) on that morning. Mrs V Busbridge volunteered to be our delegate to the IGM at the Albert Hall on June 2nd, and will probably attend the agenda conference at St. Newlyn East on April 14th. We will write to County to ask if a limit of one be placed on the photos submitted for the calendar as at present several are by one person.

The Flower Cup was won by Mrs M Wilton, and the Competition Cup was won by Mrs. P Dibb - congratulations to both! Mrs G Dawes presented the financial statement which still showed a healthy balance, in spite of our celebrations for our 70th birthday, and the souvenir mugs. Mrs Shelley gave the secretary's report of our activities during the year which were quite impressive - it makes you realise just how much is offered to you in the WI!

Mrs. C. Woolf as president thanked the committee and officers for all their hard work during the year, and spoke about the drama group etc. Best wishes go to Mavis Metters who, since then, has gone into hospital for a knee operation; we hope that she will soon be home and mobile.

Anne Holmes

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Old Age

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Sitting there waiting to die?
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Or feel more ready to cry?
Do they look back on past years with pride
On all they managed to do –
The family they raised, or what they achieved,
During those long years through?
Or do they sit down and bemoan their lot
And regret the days that have gone.
While feeling just so useless and old,
With nothing more left to give? –
Then do they accept that their time is done
And give up the struggle to live?

For there's no joy in living too long!

Gwen Masters

St Breward AFC & Social Club

Secretary's Report: Both teams are continuing to maintain good league positions. The second team are once again through to the semi-finals of the Divisional Cup. They now have to play Gerrans on a home and away basis. They have been in the finals of this cup three times but unfortunately have never won it. So the best of luck, lads! A date has yet to be arranged for these games.

First Team Fixtures

March 6th	Sticker	Away	Second Team fixtures
March 13th	Camelford	Home	not received.
March 20th	Torpoint	Away	
March 27th	Sticker	Home	
April 3rd	Roche	Home	
April 10th	Foxhole	Home	

Joe Kay would like to thank everyone for all their kind enquiries and cards received. He is still in hospital at present but is making good progress and is hoping to be home soon.

Entertainment

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STOP PRESS: St Breward man to have his taste buds steam-cleaned. Recently Martin Kay brought home 2 bottles of a new Vodka based cocktail drink. He had tried a bottle at the football club and thought it was really nice. At home he opened it and on having a sip, gave it to Lorraine, saying that it was apple flavoured and he preferred the one he had had at the club. Lorraine drank it and thought it was very nice.

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