#### **EELHOUSE**

d Neil James who recently moved into the elhouse, are opening on March. They will stay open for lunches, dinners, and snacks throughout the Spring and Summer and until the end of October.

#### YOUTH COFFEE BAR

Due to lack of support there will no longer be a Coffee Bar in the Wesley Rooms on Friday evenings. Should anyone like to take on the Coffee Bar we would be pleased to help. Many thanks to all who helped and supported us in the past.

Anne Collins & Enid Andrews.

#### GOLDEN CIRCLE

Port Isaac Golden Circle held its February Birthday Luncheon at Mr. John Sherratt's. At the last meeting in January the Golden Circle remembered in silence one of its long standing members Mrs. D. Glover who had sadly died two weeks before.

#### LEN MITCHELL

The whole village was shocked on the morning of January 22nd. to hear of the sudden death at his home, 33 New Road, of Mr. Leonard Charles Mitchell ged 56 years. Our deepest sympathy is extended to his mother and family. The funeral was held at St. Endellion Parish Church on January 28th.

#### JESSIE WELLINGTON

We express our sympathy to Douglas, husband of the late Mrs. Jessie Marina Wellington of Carnsmerry, St. Minver, and formerly of Halcyon, Port Isaac. The funeral service on January 27th. at Rock was attended by a very large number of friends including many from Port Isaac.

#### The Quiet Corner

Let no corrupt talk proceed out of your mouth but only that which will do good to those hearing. Ephesians ch 4 v 29

#### CONSERVATIVES

At the Annual General Meeting of the St. Endellion Branch of the North Cornwall Conservative Association, the following officers were elected: Chairman Mr. John Cunningham Secretary Mrs. Sheila Jarvis Treasurer Mr. Philip Milton Postal Vote Officer

Mrs. Peggy Richards.

#### NO ACCESS

We understand that you will no longer be allowed to walk across the yard at Pendoggett Farm, now that it is privately owned. Cornwall County Highways Rights of Way Officer has been refused an alternative path over adjacent farm land. So one end of Port Gaverne Valley is blocked off and it isn't possible to enjoy what was a popular walk between The Cornish Arms and Port Gaverne Hotel, To walk this route now entails a hazardous spell of walking along with fast traffic on the B.3314.

#### OFF LICENCE

The Bay Gift Shop has been granted an off licence.

#### GOLDEN WEDDING

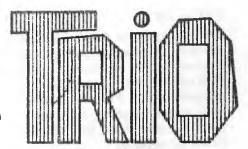
Congratulations to Bill and Vi Pattenden who celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary on Saturday 15th. February.

#### PANTO VIDEO

Did you miss the PIP's Panto? Why not hire the tape for 75p? Please contact Pat Sweett, telephone 880214.

#### BABY/TODDLER CLINIC

Mrs. Pitman, Health Visitor attached to the Port Isaac Practice, invites mothers to bring babies/toddlers to a monthly clinic. The sessions will be held at Port Isaac Surgery by the kind invitation of Doctors Barker, Davison, Lunny, and Sainsbury, on the first Tuesday of every month, 1.30-3.30pm. The first clinic will be held on March 4th. I look forward to seeing you there. Elizabeth Pitman.



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#### R.N.L.I.

The family of the late David Finch and the Port Isaac Branch R.N.L.I. would like to thank all the many friends for their very generous donations in David's memory. The sum of £1,803 has been given for the Lifeboat service.

The 18th. Annual Local Artists' Exhibition will be held in the Port Gaverne Hotel from Friday. 21st. March to Friday 25th. April. The exhibition will be opened by the Chief Constable, Devon & Cornwall Constabulary, Donald Elliot Q.P.M., at 8.30pm. on Friday 21st. March.

Suzanne and Christopher Barriball wish to thank all those who helped, gave presents, cards, best wishes, and prayers, on the occasion of their Marriage at the Collegiate Church of St. Endellion, on December 14th.



#### EXER CISE

The Coastguard Team carried out a cliff rescue exercise at Cartway Cove on Sunday 16th. February - but not at the request of the Parish Council who may be calling on their services later (see the 'Parish Council' report).

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#### PARISH COUNCIL

Notes of the monthly meeting at the Church Rooms, Port Isaac, on Monday 10th. February 1986.

#### Seat Church Hill

An estimate for £45 including fixing was accepted.

Trelights Pump

Mrs. Holden will be grateful for help from the Parish Council to pay for the repair work. It was proposed that this should be done. £9.70 from a 1972 Trelights Chapel Coffee Morning was handed to the Council towards the pump expenditure.

Annual Parish Meeting

This will be held on Thursday 17th. April, at 7.30pm. in the Church Hall. Guest speakers are to be invited. There will be tea, coffee, and biscuits afterwards to allow for general discussion.

Port Isaac - Conservation

A suggestion for a special body to watch conservation matters, if the Article IV appeal is not succesful, was met with mixed feelings, but will be held in abeyance for the time being.

The Green - Trelights

In response to concern at erosion of the green (by 'Laburnums') due to car parking, etc., the Council will have a look at the site before the next meeting.

Footpath - Port Gaverne Valley Councillors expressed the view that they would like the Port Gaverne Valley footpath to be in use and a letter saying that they are 'disturbed' by the recent closure of the path via Pendoggett Farm yard will be sent to St. Kew Parish Council.

St. Endellion Churchyard

The cemetery will be full in 20 years and St. Endellion P.C.C. have notified the Parish Council that they will be responsible for finding a new site. It was felt that this would be handled by the District Council but some Councillors were prepared to have a meeting with St. Endellion after they had taken advice.

Community Bus

The Cornwall Rural Community Council report that 50% of the money will come from Education and 50% from London. There is quite a good case for the bus.

Alternative Rates Systems The Parish Council will discuss this at the 'planning' meeting to be held two weeks later.

Pot Holes - Cliff Path

An application is being made to the Countryside Commission for £1500 to tarmac the path past the car park. A donation will be sought from the Parish Council as well in a few months time.

Rubbish - Cartway Cove Mr. David, our Heritage Coast Officer, is very concerned about the mass of rubbish that has been tipped down the cliffs at Cartway. He is going to try and get this cleared up and invite the press to attend afterwards. This was thought to be an excellent idea and suggestions were put forward to use the Fire Brigade or Coastguard coperation to help with the work.

Transfer of Justices' Licence Mr. Coates, Harbour Cafe.

Toilets - Port Gaverne The District Council is formulating its budget and the Parish Council are still very keen to go ahead with the scheme.

Planning

No applications were received.

Public Discussion

Mrs. Brown spoke of the danger to people sitting on the seat opposite Villa Park Lodge at Trelights from very big lorries turning the corner. This will be discussed at the next meeting after Councillors have had look at the situation.

#### **Next Monthly Meeting**

Monday 10th. March at 7.30pm. in the Chapel Hall, Trelights.

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- 4 x 6oz slices of top rump or topside.
- I cup of chicken broth.
- I small shallot or onion, finely chopped.
- 2 teaspoons tomato puree.
- 2 teaspoons paprika.
- 1/4 lb finely chopped mushrooms.

Pound the steaks, season them with salt and pepper, and sprinkle flour on both sides. Fry very lightly in hot butter so they remain red inside. Transfer to a flameproof casserole. In the butter left in the frying pan, brown the chopped shallots then add the rest of the ingredients and cook for a few minutes. Pour the mixture onto the steaks in the casserole and cover. Simmer over a low heat, shaking occasionally, until the meat is quite tender. Don't raise the lid too often. When done, add hot quartered boiled potatoes.

Shred green cabbage finely, place in a saucepan which holds about 1/2 cup boiling, slightly salted, water. Cook no longer than 4 minutes, stirring constantly with a fork, drain, add a knob of butter and some grated nutmeg (also caraway seeds if you like). Return to the heat and cook, stirring again, for another minute or two.

Fred Thompson.

#### DO YOU ENJOY SINGING?

It suddenly struck me recently that many people now living in the area may not be aware of the existence of the Port Isaac Singers.

We are a ladies choir, 30 in number, and formed 16 years ago ('Nothing ever lasts in Port Isaac' they told me at the time!). In that time we have won prizes at every competitive music festival in Cornwall and travelled and won at Cheltenham, Blackpool, Paignton, and Ilymouth. Often this has been against formidable opposition. Two years ago we took part in the first round of the 'Choir of the Year' competition - only 32 choirs of all types from all over the British Isles got that

far. We have given many concerts in chapels and churches as well as in Truro Cathedral (two weeks ago). We have sung at the Theatre Royal in Plymouth and helped to raise a great deal of money for charities over the year. We have sung on radio (a halfhour programme), television ('Opportunity Knocks') and made an excellent cassette of our songs - still selling well. Last summer we went to Brittany for ten days and hope for some more opportunities to sing abroad in the future. We rehearse Thursday evenings at 8pm. at Port Isaac School. We could do with 2 or 3 more sopranos - 1st. and 2nd. - so if you are keen, you are most

welcome to join us. Ability to sing in tune and enthusiasm are the chief requirements.

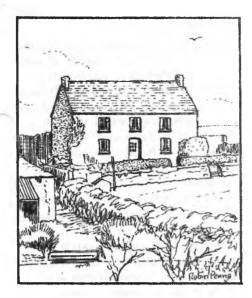
At Wadebridge School, there are the newly-formed Choral Society at 7.15 on Tuesdays, regularly attracting over 50 singers from 17 - 70, and the Male Voice Choir, conductor John Beck, at 7.15 on Wednesdays.

So if you enjoy singing there are many opportunities to follow a stimulating, satisfying, and sociable pastime. Come along and try it out!

Janet Townsend.

Sunday 2nd. March: Gala Concert in Truro, 8pm. Five choirs inc. Port Isaac Singers. Coach leaving about 2pm. seats available.





#### COMPETITION

If you walk up Dolphin Street and cast your eyes up to the right you will see the little vindow in Vesta Cottage - I must admit I only noticed it for the first time myself a few weeks ago. Karl Daly has also spotted it and is this month's lucky £2 prizewinner and can collect this from 18 New Road, the only other observant person was Mrs. J. Murray.

A little farmhouse this month—which one is it? £2 prize for the lucky winner who sends a correct solution to Trio before Friday 14th. March.

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#### LETTER

Dear Sir, After consulting the R.S.P.C.A. Inspector he informs me the cat and kittens are called 'feudal cats'. If a trap is set in the village, could anyone identify them and sign a form to put the cat to sleep? Otherwise neutering will cost £15 to £20. Please be sure you are not signing somebody else's cat or kittens away.

If these cats are neutered, these little souls, in my opinion, will need extra nourishment and a lot of warmth during this very cold weather. Inspector Bull, R.S.P.C.A., Bodmin, telephone 5552, will be pleased to hear if anyone can

Evelyn Brown.

#### NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

Although it was a freezing cold night, nearly every seat was taken in the Church Rooms for the meeting about this scheme. Originating in USA, the idea is to have one or two people in the Parish who could pass on any information that we feel might be useful to PC LeBailly when he visits the village. Even the fact that the scheme is known to be operating could be enough to stop some of the petty thieving, etc. that is going on. Meetings are to be held with some of the groups here, to see whether there is sufficient interest.

BED & BREAKFAST GUIDE
I am thinking of producing a
hotel- guest house- bed and
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Robin Penna.

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PLAYGROUP: Mon. Tues. Thurs., 10am-noon, Church Rooms.

PORT ISAAC YOUTH GROUP: Thursdays, 8pm., at the Golden Lion.

TUESDAY EVENING FELLOWSHIP: 7.45pm., Corestin, the Terrace.

WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP: Alternate Tuesdays 2.30pm. Roscarrock Church Hall.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE: 2nd. Thursday in month, 2.30pm., Cornish Cafe.

#### Wednesday 26th. February:

A Coffee Morning, Bring and Buy, and Some Jumble, in aid of St. John Ambulance and Trelights Chapel, in Trelights Sunday School, 10am until 12. All welcome

#### Tuesday 4th. March:

1st. Baby/Toddler Clinic at the Surgery 1.30-3.30pm.

Women's Fellowship, Miss M. Garland 'Slides of Old Cornwall' Methodist Schoolroom, 2.30pm.

#### Saturday 8th. March:

Cancer Research Campaign Jumble Sale, Church Rooms, 2-4pm. Cake Stall, etc.

#### Monday 10th. March:

Parish Council Meeting, Trelights Chapel Hall, 7.30pm.

#### Saturday 15th. March:

Coffe Morning and Sale in aid of Mount Edgcumbe Hospice. 10am-12.30pm. Any goods for sale gratefully received by Sheila jarvis, 87 Fore Street.

#### Tuesday 18th. March:

Women's Fellowship, 'The Macmillan Nursing Service', Methodist Schoolroom, 2.30pm.

#### Wednesday 19th. March:

Lunch in aid of Home Farm Trust at Janet Chadband's. Details on posters soon.

#### Friday 21st. March:

Opening night of R.N.L.I. Annual Local Artist's Exhibition, Port Gaverne Hotel, 8.30pm.

#### Tuesday 25th. March:

Wheelhouse Restaurant opens.

#### Tuesday 1st. April:

Women's Fellowship, Jill Sutcliffe of Cornwall Trust for Nature Conservation. Methodist Schoolroom, 2.30pm.

#### Tuesday 8th. April:

'Shooting Star' (based on 'The Little Prince') by the Miracle Theatre, at the Village Hall, 7.30pm. Admission: Adults £2.25, children £1.25

#### Tuesday 15th. April:

Women's Fellowship, Open Meeting with Nicki Julian of Radio Cornwall. Methodist Schoolroom, 2.30pm.

#### Thursday 17th. April:

Annual Parish Meeting, Church Rooms, 7.30pm.

This is your annual chance to come and air your views on Parish Council matters.

#### Tuesday 29th. April:

Women's Fellowship, 'Slate Engraving & Painting' by Mrs. Peggy Martin. Methodist Schoolroom, 2.30pm.

It doesn't cost you anything to to advertise events in the Diary send us the details.

#### FOOTBALL CLUB

Port Isaac Football Club Jumble Sale, held at the Church Rooms on 7th. February, raised over £80 towards Club funds. Thanks to all the ladies who helped and those who supported the Club. The match against Polperro on Saturday 8th. March had to be cancelled - there was 3 inches of snow on the pitch! The match will be replayed and a bus will be arranged for this. Les Honey

The Duchy League match for Saturday 15th. February had to be played on Sunday because Pelynt were short of men.

The result was: Pelynt Res. 1 - Port Isaac 0.

Forthcoming matches:

#### Today:

St. Teath, home, Duchy League

Saturday 1st. March:

St. Minver, away, Duchy League

Saturday 8th. March:

Tintagel, away, Duchy League

#### OFF-SIDE

People trying to drive up the hill to the football match at Homer Park last Sunday were frustrated by a huge Telecom van, jacked up at the bend on Church Hill. B.T. thought they had chosen a quiet day in which to replace some telephone poles.

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