

A short newsletter again this month, working on a month by month arrangement. Quite possibly this is the way of it too, for a little time yet; we need to take it carefully don't we?

What about that storm last week? And what a dislocation it was. Going without power is not the easiest thing is it? We cannot but help thinking on the lives of our forbears in a time when there was no electricity supply, no phones let alone mobile phones. Neither did people have a store of frozen food or the need to keep it that way. Our forbears were set up to live a life that we can barely contemplate.

We have a booking for the meeting room for Thursday 4th. We've had this in place for each of the last months when we have not met, but perhaps this time we can meet and have our Annual Meeting. So ...

**THURSDAY, 4TH. NOVEMBER, 7.00 P.M. AT THE MEETING ROOM, ADJACENT
THE LIBRARY**

– enter via the town side of the building.

Hopefully we are all double vaccinated, and please remember the QR coding when when you come in.

One little snippet that has come past in the last few days is an article relating to Mr. Radovick. What an enterprise this man had established in such a short time.

Important Sale at Korumburra, Age, Saturday 16th. April 1904

Messrs. McCartin and Co. and G.W. Mitchell in conjunction report having held a clearing sale in the estate of the late Mr. A. Radovick under instructions from the National Trustees Executors and Agency Co. of Australasia Limited on 12th. and 13th. inst. at Korumburra, when the whole of the property, stock, implements, machinery, etc. was sold, the attendance including buyers from all parts of the state. Vacant blocks in Radovick street, Korumburra, sold up to £1.1/- per foot; "Stephenhurst" the homestead, comprising about 521 acres was bought by Mr. T.G. Abbott at £17.10/- per acre, "Astolat" adjoining comprising 367 acres was knocked down to Mr. F.E. Kurrle, at £16 per acre. Shorthorn bull, Duke of Derrimut went to Mr. Porter of Melton at 105 guineas, yearling bulls to 22 guineas, shorthorn cows to 29 guineas, 4 and 5 year old bullocks from £8.3/- to £9.7/-, steers 1 and a half years old to £5.18/-. Pure Shropshire rams to 28 guineas. Shropshire ram lambs to 26 guineas, pure Shropshire ewes to 14 guineas, ewe lambs to 13 guineas; medium draught horses to £29, hacks to £12. The sale is considered to be the most successful ever held in the district.

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