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A Special General Meeting is held every 3rd Wednesday of each month at 10.00am at the Masonic Centre, McIvor Road, Bendigo.

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The meeting in March was the Annual General Meeting. The Retiring President, Alan Court gave us his report of his year in office, and he was followed by the treasurer giving his report. Then a motion thanking the Treasurer and the Auditor was moved by Arthur Eaton. Next came the election of the Office Bearers and Committee, with the following results:

President:

Herb Hesse

Committee:

K. Houlahan

Past President:

Alan Court

R. Michel

Vice President:

No Candidate

C. Miller

Secretary:

R. Chenery

R. Twitt

Treasurer:

K. Coles

Auditor:

C. Miller

B. Michelson

It was moved and passed that there should be no change in the fees and subscriptions.

Message from the Treasurer:

Members are reminded that the annual subscription of \$20 is now due.

As it was the AGM we had no guest speaker, but we were given a very interesting talk by Alex Wilson about his career and experiences in computing. One remarkable fact is that while computers have increased in capability, speed and memory, their size has decreased unbelievably. Alex brought along some historical pieces of computers in their dinosaur epoch and for comparison their microscopic present day descendants.

#### VACANT OFFICES

At the time of going to press there are two serious absences. We still need a Vice President and Bulletin Editor and this is a matter of urgency. Job specifications, Rates of Remuneration and Perks available on application.

Equally serious is to find a successor to Arthur Eaton as Travel Organiser.

#### SICK LIST

Gordon Glover is improving in health.

Col McLean is expecting to have a pacemaker implanted in the near future.

#### DEPARTURE

Bill Sadler is moving to Warrnambool and so has resigned from our club.

#### NEW MEMBERS

It is planned that Peter Bath and Bill Redmond will be inducted as members at the meeting.

# ENTERTAINMENT

We shall be entertained today by the Evergreen Concert Party. This is a group of 14 retired musicians who have been performing for hospitals, Probus Groups and others. Ladies are invited to attend the concert or the whole meeting as convenient. The business part of the meeting wil be restricted to the bare essentials.

## BOWLS NOTES - MARCH/APRIL

Our game for March was against Woodbury and we were able to record a comfortable win, 86 shots to 77. We had three rinks up and two down. Our best rink on the day was Les Nankivell, Len Roy and Alan Court. Well done to all bowlers. We have been knocking on the door and the win was very pleasing. Keep it up in April when the annual grudge match against Sandhurst Probus will be played on Thursday 19th April, 9.30am at Woodbury, Regulation Dress.

### 2 BOWL TRIPLES

TEAMS:

- J. Rose, P. Bath, A, Court
- E. Trewartha, L. Roy, H. Hesse
- J. Kelly, E. Hogan, W. Clemens
- F. Scrivener, R. Fitzgerald, F. O'Connell
- G. Glover, A. Stephens, E. Waterworth

Reserves: A. Eaton, L. Nankivell, J. Laidler, R. Chenery