



Hello Kids !

Writing to me from Aria Park, Faye Nixon said she sang for Col Joye when she was in Sydney recently, and the T.V. star had promised to get her a singing contract for Festival Records.

" I was going nursing " Faye said, " but since I had this offer I have decided to take a singing career, and will be going down to Sydney in August to start ".

Faye, whose address is R.M.B. 162, Aria Park, wants to know the address of Sammy Griffin and Judy Slackie (now Mrs. Cabb McCann). Can anyone help?



Rita Wenberg sent me a couple of very nice photos with her interesting letter. She said she is still doing her Art Course and has ambitions of one day becoming a great painter, but she knows this takes a lot of work and study. Good luck Rita. Let's hope you make it!

Pen Friends Wanted

Douglas and Lorraine Priest, whose address is C/o. Post Office, Gunnedah, want some pen friends.

In a letter to the Editor, Douglas said: " I am 12 and Lorraine is 8 and we would like some pen friends who would write often. I had bad luck today, I ran into a barbed wire fence and cut my mouth. I had to get 3 stitches in it ".

How about some letters for these youngsters?

Writing to *Dawn*, Pamela Haynes of 112 Palmer Street, East Sydney says:—

" Please forgive me for not writing sooner, but I've been amazingly busy this year.

It was my birthday on the 17th July, and I was fifteen years old. Somehow I seem to be so much more adult this year, in my perspective and my manners. My opinions and tastes too are changing very much. I don't seem like me at all. Unfortunately I have more responsibilities now and must behave with more reserve than in former years. I miss my old freedom very much.

This year I'm doing my intermediate and I'm hoping fervently that I'll pass. My main worry is mathematics which is my worst subject and drags my average down terribly.

Within the past year I have taken up squash and skating. I'm tremendously keen on them and would like to indulge in them more often, but I belong to the school choir, the dramatic group and two clubs, which take up a great deal of my time.

I love reading and one of my favourite books is " Hauffs Tales ", which I have read from the library fifteen times, I also like embroidery, stamp collecting, writing, drawing, dancing and music.

Although this is not an extensive letter I felt I must write as I've neglected you for so long."

A very interesting letter from Pamela and it wins her a special prize. Thank you Pamela, and congratulations.

I also had a very nice letter from Helen Clarke of Colleen Guest House, Cootamundra.

Helen doesn't like the cold weather down there, but then I suppose, when the temperature drops to 24 degrees we'd all be feeling it a bit!

Thanks Helen for a very nice letter.

All the best for now.

Your Sincere Pal,

MY WISH

By J. DAVISON

I've always dreamed of having a homestead far away, Paddocks which surround it, where one can roam all day.

Fine horses grazing yonder, 'neath the tall green trees, Grass-tops swaying gently, keeping rhythm with the breeze.

I'm sure if I keep wishing, my dreams will all come true, Just remember these two words—" have faith ", and yours will too!