

TASMANIAN CAVERNEERING CLUB.

[May, 1956]

Since the last circular two trips have been conducted, at Easter six members visited a new area at Loongana to investigate caves reported by Frank Long; the area was not investigated completely owing to bad weather but one cave in particular was seen which has excellent possibilities for a future trip.

A party of four went to Ida Bay on the 21st.-22nd. April with a patent (very) raft to try and force the new length of creek discovered on the previous trip; however the creek turned out to flow in the opposite direction and to be nothing more than a new tributary to the main creek, the continuation of which still eludes us after nine years of effort - please will some genius tell us where to look now ?

LIBRARY.

Following is a list of books and magazines missing from our Library; now we don't want to cast any aspersions but will you look on your bookshelves now - Yes you !

Adventures of a Mountaineer Smythe.
Rock Climbing and Mountaineering Brunning.
Climbing in Britain Barford.
Cave Men Old and New Casteret.
Darkness under the Earth Casteret.
First Aid in Civil Defence Dept. Civ. Def.
Subterranean Climbers.
Science News 5 (Cave Science).
New Biology (Animal Life in Caves).

NEW MEMBERS.

P. Hull (Junior).	9 Lord St.
R. Fox	38a Risdon Rd.

FORWARD PROGRAM.

8th.May.	Kodachrome evening at the home of Mr. & Mrs. IFerris, 38a Risdon Rd., Newtown. Please notify the Secretary or Mr. Ferris to facilitate catering. Bring your slides.
12th.-13th.May.	Hastings Survey of Hell's Half Acre <u>Will</u> be started.
22nd.May.	Quarterly General Meeting - Come along and air your grouches. Films by Ray Lighton.
26th.-27th.May.	Hastings; Digging in the new tunnel and exploring the new hole in the wall noticed in the Tourist Cave.

F. R. Brown, (Hon. Sec.)

FAMOUS LAST WORDS.

"I don't think this pool is more than three feet deep."

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