

Rev Amos to the newly-weds in 1863.

From the Lands Department I have secured a series of maps

1. City of Bathurst
2. Mt Pleasant - Bathurst district
3. Neville
4. District adjacent to Neville.

In addition I wrote to the Vicar of St Keverne, Canon Peskett who has traced Baptism particulars for the first 6 children Harrett, Robert, (Edwin) Edwin, Catherine, Mary. From that list I learned that grandfather was the 4<sup>th</sup> child but a previous Edwin had died as an infant a few weeks after his baptism. That must have been a miserable Christmas 1831!

Another line of enquiry is through the history of the Methodist church in the Western District. I have from Dad's library salvaged "The Illustrated History of Methodism" by James Colwell. I have also established contact with Rev Wesley Fredrick of the Historical Society, situated in a room at the Central Methodist Mission. On a future visit to Sydney I'll enquire what material is available for Penrith, Carcoar, Wellington circuits. Bathurst and Orange may of course have something to offer.

A helper there, Mrs Kentwell sent me a series of obituary notices.

When I received Mother's grandmother's death certificate, I couldn't read the place where she died but Ross recognized <sup>1952</sup> Mandurama, near Blayney. She is buried at Neville.

Mrs Nichols. Back to Wellington - Mrs Barton  
Mother Essam Llanarth  
Dictionary of Biography John Smith  
Peter T. Johnson - "Quench not the Spirit"  
Gene Loeuenthal - Bounty Ships  
Mitchell Library  
Mrs Mac. Smith - visit to Orange -  
Copy of letter.  
Marriage Cert. Edmund. Susannah  
Death Cert. Edmund  
Death Cert. Robert Peter.  
Genealogical Society. Marriage Registers  
Historical Society C'berra. Place names  
Meteorological records.  
Letters to Historical Societies.  
Letters to Eva. Viv.  
Maps - City of Bathurst  
Mt Pleasant  
Neville.  
Transcribing Letters South Creek  
Inns.

Started with -

I hope you will pardon my temerity in writing to make an inquiry.

My maternal forebears were Cornish & my grandfather's family were members of the St. Kevern parish for for about <sup>4</sup> generations <sup>before they left in 1848</sup>. Over the years I have been in touch with one of your predecessors & with Mr Frank Curnow, <sup>who has always been very helpful</sup> my husband. I spent a fortnight in the 70's following through inquiries & at that time I was able to decipher the headstone of Peter Cook who came with his widowed mother from the Parish of Constantine. They farmed "Leaneague" part of the Lanarth Estate.

We are visiting Europe at present & would like to spend time in Cornwall during the month of July - which we know is high tourist season. We are a retired couple who are

not looking for fun & games but would like somewhere quiet to enjoy the countryside. Last visit we were very adequately housed with Jill & Richard Pearce who lived at Pendennis in Lemon St. but I understand that they have since moved away. Another couple we met Mr. Mrs Sargent in Trenambol Cottage. We have received by mail agent's brochures & are quite delighted by <sup>perhaps B. Be preferably self contained</sup> ~~gas~~ <sup>gas</sup> ~~listed for next month~~ <sup>we wondered if you knew of</sup> anyone in the parish who would have accommodation available - not necessarily with board, but <sup>perhaps B. Be preferably self contained</sup> with space to lie able to deal with papers. Access to Helston & Funsio are important but we have our car with us. It is possible that our daughter & her husband who live in P.N.C., would be on leave & be able to join us for part of the time. He is a keen golfer, so access to a golf course would be an advantage.