

Happy, n. y.
& good health



90 brown Rd
Harbord 2096
28/12/85

Dear Phylla Rose

Thanks you for the pretty card.
But I was not able to go to Harbord or manly
so get no cards for anyone.

It is 9 weeks since I got the wog.

& ever now I am not very strong, although
on vitamin tablets, & vitamin B12 needles.

I must have nearly cooked, & did not
realize it. Dr said "I really did not
know how bad I was" because I am ~~dog~~
tough & wiry." Just the Thursday & Friday before Xmas
I went to manly & Harbord, But cannot
carry much, & found getting along hard,
with legs like an old dog, & eyes awful
The other eye specialist, you suggested I
saw, told me exactly the same as the
other one "Can't change glasses & can't help.
(come back next november).

When making the appointment, the girl said,
"Do you want to ring later in year, for
appointment, or make now?" I said "I'll give
phone call & make now, & put on calendar, n. y."
But I said "I may not be here." she said
"where are you going?" I said "I don't know
which, n. y. or doctor" but I said I may be able to
(over)

my friend down on street packing 58 - live at Casano All miss her, but
she was born in Casano. Mother on farm out of Casano de getting house in town
creation on eye 17 months ago, not a success, other eye get very bad, & depends
brought down from Norfolk Island on 7th October 1985

Let you know, but Jimmy Little rings "Telephone to
Lloyd" so I may be able to let you know.

What a surprise Alip getting married, I hope
all will go well for her & the lover man,
your gardening sound good, but don't overdo it
as you are getting old as well as me.

And the visit from the Perth baby must have
been lovely, Jamie is independent like Diabel,
& lovely to talk to. Everyone loves him, Parents
further apart, seems, no hope of them getting on.

Richard went up to manua for Xmas, Laura
did not phone either of us. Seems to be trying to part
from us. Sorry for little Jamie, bank him.

I went to Reg - lower north for Xmas, Reg called at
11-30 for me. The hottest day for over 100 years,
nearly skittled me, legs raining next day & eyes
~~was~~ worse, seems I won't be able to write letters
soon they are so sore. Not so much actual sight,
but sore around & behind & ache & pain on head.

Des Chris - Kathy called for ~~the~~ hair & Xmas eve. Had
to get home was glad not to be the hot Xmas day. (depart - home)
Bert & Jim went up to Port Macquarie to Jerry & Annette
& girls. Bert could not get to Kellie's wedding, Bert
felt pain in kidney area, & would not risk the trip.
John & Bill came down from Dune & brought Bert
down to Lueyuan & Bill to ^{the} wedding anniversary
I was not well enough to be taken (held at Libby)

Baxter Pickering was 73 on Xmas Day.

Laura extremely kind to me,
she has a lady next door she attends to, dying writes cancer,
& she has an old cousin deaf badly, went blind one
night, so Laura goes to hospital every day to feed her
the mid-day meal. To save the nurses, having to feed her.

Have not heard from David they may not be able
to get mail out for some. Rex has not heard or Maria
Richard lives in a room somewhere & lovely area,
good cook & house boy. Kathy was 19 or 14.

Must go eye, raining, & put veg on for tea
Love from Glad Bucky 21 or 13/11/83