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| June 2005 | Item Worldwide census of Jerrems. Item-Genevieve Jerrems (wife of William George Jerrems ll) fined for speeding. |
| July 2005 | **Jerrems Miscellaneous.** Item Vanessa (Donald’s niece) graduates from High School. Item How James Jerrems acquired surname of “Jerrems”. Item about famous Melbourne photographer Carol Jerrems. Twelve photos of Donald Jerrems’s side of the family. |
| August 2005 | **Jerrems Miscellaneous.** Article about Queensland’s Long Board champion **Jesse Jerrems**, Col. photo of Noosa beach. Birth of Ray’s granddaughter Jessica, and collage of Col. Photos. Item on Jerrems history about the brothers who migrated to Australia, showing living descendants in Australia and US. Letters to Editor (**Sue and Jerry Jerrems**). BW photos of **Carol Jerrems’s** “Girl in a Mirror”, “Vale Street”, “Mozart Street Gang”, Melbourne “Age” article about film “Girl in a Mirror” (July 2005). |
| September 2005 | **Jerrems Miscellaneous**. Article about Origin of Jerrems Clan name, including reference to lady at Gundagai and Huguenots. BW photo **St Helen’s** **Church**, Willingham c1900. Letters to the Editor (**Sue and Jerry Jerrems, Lance Jerrems**). Col. photo of **Ari Jerrems** and girl friend Gabriella. |
| October 2005 | **Jerrems Miscellaneous**. Article about late **Carol Jerrems**, BW photo of Carol. Article “Baghdad Bike” by **Chick Keller** (son of Sydney Jerrems), Col. photos of Chick and boy, Baghdad palace. Article “Double Trouble” by **Doug Jerrems**, Col. photo of Doug. “Trivia” article about Jerrems Spur, NSW. “Letters from Heaven” from William George Jerrems ll. |
| November 2005 | **Jerrems Miscellaneous**. Article about “Dan’s Jacket” (**Dan Jerrems**). Anonymous review of “Dark Odyssey” starring **Jeanne Jerrems** (Dan’smother). Col.photo of jacket. **Evocative tribute to late Liam Jerrems** by his brotherJesse. Trivia (Jerrems Spur, Thomas William Jerrems’s ratio of daughters to sons). |
| Thanks  giving 2005 | **Miscellaneous.** Col. photo of Lyon&Healy mandolins. Article about Gainsborough and Big Bill. Review of late Carol Jerrems’s “Girl in the Mirror”, BW photo of Carol. Item “Do your shopping with Nicoll the Tailor”, Col. Trade Card Jack and Jill). Letters to the Editor (Jesse Jerrems, Brian Harrison, Ken Jerrems, Allis, Jenny Jerrems). BW photo (c1905) of Sydney group (Charles Snr etc). |
| December 2005 | **Christmas Greetings. .** Photos and greetings from Jessica, Brad and Anita, George Jepson, Didier and Susan (no photo), Jenny, Ari and Gabriella, Olivia, Vanessa, Jacqueline, Warren and Mia, Chick, Sue and Jerry, Donald and Sharon, Ray and Di, Laurel and Laurie (no photo). Cover of “Dark Odyssey” video cassette. List of subscribers. |
| January 2006 | **Miscellaneous**. Story about **Big Bill** and his family. Modern Col. photo of Gainsborough Town Hall. Item about “The Strongest Jerrems” (**James Jerrems Jnr**) with Col. photo of Illinois smithy. Item about Didier’s graduation. Article explaining 1905 photo of Charles, Susannah etc |
| February 2006 | **Miscellaneous**. Article “Confessions of a. Genealogist” (Ray).Trivia item about nine generations of people named “William”. Photo of USA Commemorative Coin showing **William George ll.** BW photo of **Carol Jerrems’**s “Vale Street Gang”, review of “Girl in a Mirror” film by Ray. Letters to Editor (Jeanne, Leila, Ken, Chick, Jenny). |
| March 2006 | **Jerrems**. Genealogical article about the Jerrems family in Lincolnshire in the 1700s and 1800s. Item about Didier’s epic trip to Agadez, Col. photo of him on camel. Classified Ad for European Correspondent |
| April 2006 | **Humorous Edition.** Warren’s time and position in Boston Marathon (no photo). Item on AAADD (Donald). Didier’s Thoughts. Photo of Jenny’s cloned cat. Email from Heaven from Donald’s father. Old Ray’s story.  BW Business Card of Nicoll the Tailor |
| May 2006 | **Miscellaneous**. Two BW old photos of street scenes in Hobart, Australia. Article about **Jerrems migration** from Gainsborough to Australia. Trivia Item about **Jerrems Spur**, plus map. Boston Marathon report about **Warren Jerrems** (“stop for a kiss” sign),Col. photo of Warren. “Remember Me” item about **George Jepson** portrait, photo of portrait |
| June 2006 | J**errems**. Article about Sue Jerrems’s trip to UK, Col. photos of Lincoln Cathedral, Gainsborough churches, buildings and street scenes, Jane and Mary Jerrems’s gravestones in Willingham, Sue Jerrems holding bald eagle.Trivia item “There’s Something About Mary” (the number of Susans and Marys). Items about Conover website, Beulah Jerrems. |
| July 2006 | **Jerrems.** Article about sources of Laurel Gray’s (nee Jerrems) and Ray’s families, BW photo of Forbes Hotel, Sydney, BW 1905 Greenwich (Sydney) photo. |
| August 2006 | **Jerrems gravestones**. Item about how the Jerrems project got started. United States **Genealogy of William George l** and his children. Story of Mary and her gravestone in Willingham, Col. photos of Jane and Mary’s gravestones in Willingham. Item about Internet security (Donald). Letter to Editor from **Laurel Gray** (nee Jerrems) about her family history, |
| September 2006 | **Jerrems Hill.** List of USA Jerrems living people. Article about “The Mystery of Jerrems Hill” in England, Col. aerial photo of house, BW photo of map of area. Col. photo of Nicole Kidman and Old Rascal Ray. |
| October 2006 | **Nicoll the Tailor**. Photos of Nicoll the Tailor Trade Cards (orange Geisha Girl, BW Negro photographer).BW advert for Nicoll the Tailor (including sketch of Alexander). Article “Big Alex Has Come to Town” (story of Alexander Nicholl). Col. photo reverse side of Trade Card. List of Nicoll the Tailor stores. Follow-up to “Old Rascal Ray” article |
| November 2006 | **Miscellaneous.** Email From Heaven about Thanksgiving dinners, Col. mandolin photo .Col. photo of an Auburn Speedster similar to Mark Healy’s. Link to Quiz |
| December 2006 | **Miscellaneous**. Col. photos of Jessica, Didier on camel, BW Dark Odyssey poster and VCR covers, Carol, Nicoll the Tailor Trade Cards (Jack and Jill tumbling down, orange Geisha Girl, Simple Simon in pond),Col. photo Jerry and Sue Jerrems, BW photo Mark Healy ll and his Auburn, Col. photos Mark lll in front of fire truck, Liam, George and Anita Veale, Hobart street scene, Commemorative Coin, Donald in Xmas cap. Results of Quiz |
| January 2007 | **Miscellaneous.** Article about Leonore’s paintings (Leonore Smith Jerrems was the first wife of Arthur Wallace Jerrems Jr, Jeanne /Caty Jerrems being his second wife)), Col. photos of two paintings (melon and rooster shawl). Item by Jacqueline (Donald’s niece) about ballet dancing, Col. photos of Jacqueline in leotard. Reminiscences of Jeanne Jerrems/Caty about “Dark Odyssey”, photos of covers. Quiz link. |
| February 2007 | **Nicoll the Tailor**. Photos of Nicoll the Tailor Trade Cards (Man feeding baby, negroes on raft, three wise dogs and camel). Article about **Jerrems C. Hart**, Col. photo of book cover. Quiz results. Correspondence between Donald and Gregor **Wollensak** (distant cousin from Berlin). Laurel’s BW photo of early 1900s wedding reception. |
| March 2007 | **Miscellaneous.** Correspondence about Laurel’s wedding reception photo. Letter from **Dan Jerrems** about his coat. Letter from Donald’s Berlin cousin (and Col. photos of the area) about Donald’s **Wollensak** connection, including genealogy of Wollensak family. |
| April 2007 | **Miscellaneous.** Photo of Nicoll the Tailor Trade Card (Jester and Frog “Fra Diavolo”). Letter from **Georgia Stewart**. BW wedding reception photo and comments from Laurel that it is probably a christening photo from about 1900. Newspaper article about **Yvette Surridge** (UK). Laurel and Laurie BW wedding photo and item on their 50th wedding anniversary.  Donald’s humorous disclaimer from liability. |
| May 2007 | **Gray, Laurel (nee Jerrems)**. Article about Laurel and Laurie’s experiences in New Guinea, with location map of PNG, Col. photo of Laurel’s sister Dorothy and her husband Frank. Article about **Cathy Jerrems** and the trout, Col. photo of person holding trout. Wedding news about **Hilary Jerrems** (West Australia). |
| June 2007 | **Jerrems Migration Part 1**. Col. photo of reverse side of Nicoll the Tailor Trade Card. Retrospective on first 25 issues, with photo of smithy. Email from Heaven from Big Bill, BW photo of **Carol Jerrems** the photographer. Col. photo of sailing scene. “In Memoriam” for Lance Jerrems. |
| July 2007 | **Jerrems Migration** (Part 2). 3 Col. photos of sailing ships (incl panorama), drawing of two passengers. Letter from Sue Jerrems about garden railway, photo of a railway. Article “Who Are You Serena’. |
| August 2007 | **Jerrems Migration** (Part 3). Col. photo modern Hobart town. BW photo of Hobart wharves. Article about Cicada band (Nick Jerrems) and Simon Jerrems. Photo of Cicada band group. Welcome to Ian Jerrems. |
| September 2007 | **Nicoll the Tailor**. Nicoll the Tailor Trade Card (Kaiser bowling bomb). Letter from Allis, article about Jerry locating her. Quiz about Kaiser Trade Card |
| October 2007 | **Veale, Anita (nee Jerrems)**. Article about the McShanes (Anita Veale’s footballing forbears), number of photos. Item about the Geelong Football Club winning premiership. Item about Alexander Jerrems Snr playing gridiron |
| November 2007 | **Nicoll the Tailor**. Nicoll the Tailor Trade Card (dog and baby girl). Article about **Jane Jerrems**, Col. photo of her gravestone at Willingham. New York Times article of 30th October 1878 about Nicoll the Tailor |
| December 2007 | **Christmas Edition**. Harpers Weekly Santa scene BW photo.Col. Christmas indoor scene photo. Article about modern Australian Christmases, Gainsborough Xmas, Melbourne Xmas for Thomas and his family. Col. photo of St Helen’s Church (Willingham) graveyard. Xmas Greetings, Dancing Elves link |
| January 2008 | **Miscellaneous.** Photo of Ray’s Sleuthing Hat. Letter from Angie, Col. photo of Angie. Stephanie Jerrems photo and correspondence. Article about Jacqueline and scholarships, photo of Jacqui. Emails from Sarah Papageorge and Sandra Walcyk, descendants of the families formerly living in Wappenham in Northamptonshire whose surnames were variously Jerrems, Jerrams and Jerromes.. |
| February 2008 | **Wappenham village**. Article about Wappenham, three photos of Wappenham, genealogy of Sandra’s Wappenham forbears |
| March 2008 | Wappenham village. More articles and photos of Wappenham. Jerrems Hill (England) photo. Photo of Warren in Boston Marathon |
| April 2008 | **Miscellaneous**. Article about importance of grouping people into locations in genealogical research.BW New York street scene photos from Fulton Genealogy website, article about website. Item-“Welcome to Ray Lloyd” (Wappenham researcher). Item-arrival of Ray’s granddaughter Samantha, Col. photos of Sebring (racehorse) and trainer Gai Waterhouse. |
| May 2008 | **Plank roads**. Col. photo of Donald at game. Article about Plank Roads, BW photo of cobbled street. Article about Warren Jerrems in Boston Marathon, Col. photo of Warren from above. Col. photo of Ray’s granddaughters Jessica and Samantha |
| June 2008 | **Miscellaneous.** Photo of Washington at battle. Photo of Needle monument (scaled-down Washington monument). Article about David Jerrems and his service in American Revolutionary, photos of muster sheets. Para about General Herkimer, ancestor of the Wappenham families. Newspaper article on marriage of Mary Hayes to Alexander Jerrems Snr, BW photo of Mary.  Photo of statue of General Nicholas Herkimer (ancestor of Sandra Walcyk)., |
| July 2008 | **Jerrems, James**. Photo of old drawing of Utica street scene. Article about James Jerrems (Wappenham ancestor), Col. photo of rural scene. Col. photo of Leonore Smith Jerrems’s Rooster painting, article about rooster shawl. Letter from Leonore Neary. Item about “Cicada” tour (Steve Jerrems’s family), photo of CD cover. |
| August 2008 | **Jerrems, USA.**. Modern Col. photo of entrance to Forest Hill Cemetery. Article about Helen Jerrems’s evasion of import duty (daughter of William George Jerrems). Sandra’s Col. photos of graves in Forest Hill Cemetery (Jesse Jerrems, William Kirkwood) photo of Sandra, Utica street scene (Col. Genesee St from Canal Bridge c1890), all relations of the Wappenham family. Letter from Angie and photo. Photo of Old Ray at G8 Summit. |
| September 2008 | **Jerrems/Healy**. Article about Annie (daughter of William George Jerrems) at Ogontz School for Young Ladies. B/W photos of class in front of school (c1900), young Annie with cravat. Email from Chick with text of William George ll’s letter to Betty Rizzo. |
| October 2008 | **Healy.** BW photo of Healy family (Annie, Mark l, Mark 2, Patricia) c1945,photo of Annie in cravat (Annie married Marquette “Mark1” Healy). Article about life of Annie Healy, and the three “Marks”. BW photos of Mark ll and Auburn car, Modern Col. Photo of Mark lll and fire truck.  Article commenting on William George ll’s letter to Betty Rizzo. |
| November 2008 | **Jerrems.** Articles from “Remember Me” series about (1) Anna, Sandra’s great grandmother, from the Wappenham families (including story about mice) and (2) the cup presented to William George l by his children. BW group photo of Anna, Sadie, Mary and William, BW photo of Sadie in boa, and photo of cup. |
| December 2008 | **Nicoll the Tailor**. Email from Heaven from Big Bill. Dancing elves. Retrospective on 2008 articles etc. Alexa’s BW photo of Alexander Nicoll, Donald and Annie. Col. Photo of house he lived in. |
| January 2009 | **Nicoll the Tailor**. Article about Alexander Nicholl and 2 grandchildren (Donald and Annie), Alexa’s BW photo plus reverse side. Item When Will Sandra Walcyk Reach 1000, |
| February 2009 | **First World War.** Remember US from Great War. B/W Photo of B Coy 13th Field Ambulance, First World War article, Col. photos of MM and Croix de Guerre. BW photos of Ray’s grandfather Edward Smith and his brother Alf in uniform. BW photo of WWI registration card for Donald Edward Jerrems I. |
| March 2009 | **Nicoll the Tailor**. Col. Trade Card polo players. Email from Vince Healy about Alexander Nicholl. Article “Nicoll the Tailor The Real Deal”. BW Trade Card girl and puppies. Item Old Ray, Col, photo with Obama. |
| April 2009 | **Miscellaneous.** Email from Ray Lloyd , BW photos of daughters of Samuel Jerrems (Wappenham line). Col. Photo of three cousins (Jessica, Sammie, Nathan). Article Remember US Uncle Arthur and Aunty Mame. Three Greenwich photos of Arthur Wallace Jerrems and Mame etc. (Arthur b1872 was son of Thomas Jerrems and brother of William George Jerrems). Item Wedding Bell News for Vanessa (Donald’s niece) and Tom, Col. photo of Vanessa and Tom. |
| May 2009 | **Fiftieth Edition Retrospective**. Email from Heaven from Big Bill.. |
| June 2009 | **Jepson.** Col. photos of Vanessa’s wedding (Donald’s niece).  Article about George Jepson (Ray’s great great great grandfather), Col. photo All Saints Church, Gainsborough, old BW photo Guy’s Hospital London where George trained. Col. group photo Donald’s side of family. |
| July 2009 | **Jepson.** Article about William and George Jepson Snr (Ray’s ancestors). Col. photos Lincoln Cathedral, cloisters, interior St Botolph’s Church, Boston, UK. |
| August 2009 | **Railways.**Tale of Two Railways (NSW Zig Zag, US Transcontinental). BW photo of Zig Zag, Col. photos Baldwin and 32 Class, Donner Pass tunnel. |
| September 2009 | **Railways** topic continued, Col. photos of US loco, Jerry lV (William George Jerrems lV) beside restored loco. Ray’s further article about Zig Zag. Col. photo Sue’s backyard (wife of Jerry lV). Item about Facebook Relations. |
| October 2009 | **Big Bill.** Col. photo of St John the Baptist’s Church, Stainton By Langworth, article about Big Bill’s Wedding there. Col. photo of St Helen’s Church, Willingham-By-Stow. Article Big Bill Does His Bit for King and Country (story of 1811 and 1812 tokens). BW photo of one token (both sides). |
| November 2009 | **American Civil War**. B/W illustration of Civil War artillery, BW photo of “A” company. Article Jerrems Family Goes to War in US (Civil War). (Wappenham line).  1956 B/W photo of Donald and siblings. Modern Col. photo of siblings. |
| December 2009 | **Christmas Edition**. Col. photo of Ray with grandson Nathan on his shoulders. Lots of photos. ”Item Old Rascal Ray” with Col. photo of Clinton and Obama. |
| January 2010 | **Healy.** BW photo of logo of Lyon & Healy. Article Marquette the Mandolin Maker, BW photo of Patrick Healy, Col. photo of factory, Col. photos of instruments. Item welcoming Helen Mitchell. |
| February 2010 | **Jerrems, Henry**. BW photo of Henry Herbert Jerrems (son of Robert Cane Jerrems, who was son of Thomas Jerrems) and family, article about him, BW photo of him. Col. photos of three Richmond houses occupied by him. Account about Helen Mitchell and Anita Veale living in same suburb. Account of Helen Mitchell’s latest granddaughter. |
| March 2010 | **Jerrems, Edwin**. Article about Edwin Jerrems (Helen Mitchell’s ancestor). Edwin was the eldest son of Robert Cane Jerrems, the “founding father” of the Melbourne branch of the Jerrems family, being a member of the Jerrems family which migrated to Victoria in the 1850s and settled in Richmond. Col. photo of old mansion, BW photo of Edwin and family, BW photo of cobbled lane scene. |
| April 2010 | **Jerrems, Charles**. This article is one of the “Remember Me” series and tells you about Charles Jerrems, who was born in1858 in the Utica area in New York State. His ancestors came from Wappenham, described in the JJ of February 2008.BW photo Charles and Mary in front of house. Col. photos of gravestones of Charles and Mary, and son William. Item about Donald’s gout. |
| May 2010 | **Jerrems**. B/W 1905 photo Jerrems family (Ray’s forbears) at Greenwich. Article “Family Fables”-Susannah Jerrems. Col. photo Lady Ogilvy, B/W photo Princess Alexandria. |
| June 2010 | **Miscellaneous**. Article “Another Lady in Waiting”. Col. photo of Prince Albert. Item “The Confederate Pig”. Item Tom Haley in memoriam. Item Modern day reunion Melbourne of Anita Veale, Helen Mitchell, Ray and Diane. |
| July 2010 | **Miscellaneous.** Col. photo Sandra, Col. photo Hose Company. Article Remember Me-Joseph Jerrems/Jerrams. Col. photo Utica, BW photo Utica (all from Wappenham line). Item Susan (Donald’s sister) and husband Didier in Italy, Col. photos Italy. B/W Pyramid photo (Helen Jerrems, Alexander etc, children of William George Jerrems). |
| August 2010 | **Jerrems, Alexander.**. Article remembering the famous Gridiron player Alexander Nicholl Jerrems (son of William George Jerrems). B/W Pyramid photo, B/W photo of Alexander as coach. Two Yale photos. |
| September 2010 | **Bowling, Billy.**  BW photo Billy and mother. Article Remember Me (Uncle Billy). Col. photo of canteen, BW photo of Billy, Col. photo of uniform. (all from Wappenham line). |
| October 2010 | **Nicoll the Tailor.** Col. photo Bowery (New York) elevated railway. Article about the 1887 Bowery Fire. Col. and BW elevated railway photos. BW photo Bishop’s Crook. Col. photo modern bdg. |
| November 2010 | **Colbrook, Robert.** Col. photo caboose. Article Remembering Robert Colbrook. Col. photo Holland Patent railway station. BW photo of brakemen. Col. photo gravestone of Robert (all from Wappenham line). Thanksgiving wishes. Coloured greeting card. |
| December 2010 | **Christmas recap**. Col. photo Sandra’s snowy backyard (Sandra is from Wappenham line). Selection of extracts and photos from 2010 articles. Email From Heaven from Big Bill, Col. photo St John the Baptist’s Church at Stainton By Langworth where Big Bill was married. |
| January 2011 | **Colbrook children.** Article about Robert Colbrook’s children Robert and Benjamin (following on from November 2010 article about Robert). Col. photo of Great White Fleet and painting of Almshouse, BW photos of jail, boys home and alms house. (all from Wappenham line). |
| February 2011 | **Patent medicines** Photos and descriptions of 19th Century Patent medicines, quacks, adverts etc. |
| March 2011 | **Sassall** Story Part 1 (Ray’s maternal great grandparents Alfred and Susannah Sassall), family photo of Susannah, Alfred, children including Esther. Photo of Doug Jerrems on guitar. Alfred Sassall and Susannah married 1884, Alfred in early days. House, Lithgow history, blast furnace, George Sassall killed there in 1912. Anecdotes by Graham Harmer. |
| April 2011 | **Sassall** Story Part 2 (Ray’s maternal great grandparents Alfred and Susannah). Domestic routines, Alfred’s sight waning, move from Lithgow to Ramsgate on Botany Bay. Photo of cliffs, small cottage, steam trams. Roll call of families including Pillans family. |
| May 2011 | **General Herkeimer** Revisited. Account of Battle, photos of paintings. Guns used in the Battle, Fort Stanwix (all relating to Wappenham line). Old Ray at Royal Wedding. |
| June 2011 | **First World war Battles** of Villers Brettoneux and Le Hamel. Photos of school, VB Memorial, grave of William James Blamey, Vickers gunners, Ray’s grandfather Edward and his brother. |
| July 2011 | **Willingham Village** Part 1 (near Gainsborough) where Big Bill and his ancestors were born. Air photo, photos of churches and pubs. |
| August 2011 | **Old photographic techniques**. Photos of Sandra, firemen, Nicoll, Annie and Donald Jerrems, Kirkwoods, Matthew Brady, Merlin, photo cart, Sylvia Kirkwood, Carol (mixture of Gainsborough and Wappenham lines). |
| September 2011 | **Jerrems, Thomas**. Jerrems street, Gainsborough where Big Bill’s son Thomas (Ray’s great great grandfather) had a grocery shop. Lots of photos. |
| October 2011 | **Willingham Village** Part 2**.** (near Gainsborough) where Big Bill and his ancestors were born. Letter from Adam Marshall. Aerial photo, old town photos. |
| November 2011 | **Willingham Village** Part 3. (near Gainsborough) where Big Bill and his ancestors were born. Willingam in the 1720s. Bingham Family descendants still living there. St Helen’s Church and Lord Hawke. Old Ray at Aust Golf Open. |
| December 2011 | **Christmas Retrospective**. Humorous “letter from Big Bill. Old Ray at Royal wedding. Novelty animated Christmas card |
| January 2012 | **Jerrems.** “Remember Me” series. Arthur Jerrems, Granny James in wheelchair etc (Adelaide descendants of Big Bill’s son Thomas via his son Edwin Lewis Jerrems). Photos. |
| February 2012 | **Nicoll the Tailor** Story Part 1 (Nicoll the Tailor was Donald Jerrems’s great grandfather). Village of Monymusk, original village of the Nicolls, photos of hut, Village Square, bowls etc |
| March 2012 | **Sassall.** Third Sassalls article (Ray’s maternal great grandparents Alfred and Susannah). Lithgow, Alfred’s baker’s run, Hartley Vale history (incl shale mining and shale oil production), life in Hartley Vale. |
| April 2012 | **Nicoll the Tailor**. Ancestors of Nicoll the Tailor (Nicoll the Tailor was Donald Jerrems’s great grandfather) in London, Donald Nicoll, Professor Alexander Nicoll, Air photo, photos of Vale of Health etc |
| May 2012 | **Nicoll the Tailor**. References to Rick Jerrems and Alan FitzPatrick. Story of Nicoll the Tailor (Nicoll the Tailor was great grandfather of Donald Jerrems) in Australia. Gold diggings photo, old Melbourne photos (two storey GPO, early Exhibition Bdg, Bourke St, Little Lonsdale St). |
| June 2012 | **Jerrems.** Story of John Jerrems (son of Big Bill) in Durham, John’s daughter Ada Bernard Fitz-Patrick and list of their children (start of South African Fitzpatrick line). Photos of Durham etc |
| July 2012 | **Jerrems.** Elopement of Thomas Jerrems (Big Bill’s son and Ray’s great great grandfather) and Elizabeth, Ancient Order of Shepherdesses, Poor Union. Thomas in gold diggings, Melbourne and Hobart. Family comes out, Thomas dies. Two Hobart drawings. B/W Photo of mining family. |
| August 2012 | **Sassall.** Fourth Sassalls article. Susannah Sassall (Ray’s maternal great grandmother) before marriage to Alfred Sassall. Baker’s run (cont’d), history of Rosedale (Little Hartley), Hartley, Susannah looks back, family bible. Letter from Alexa Vickery. Photos of Rosedale etc. |
| September 2012 | **Jerrems, Alice.** Little Alice Jerrems was a child actor who played major parts in J.C. Williamson’s plays in the early 1900s..She was the daughter of William George Jerrems, one of eight children of Robert Cane Jerrems, Ray’s great grandfather’s brother. Email from Greg Acland (Hetherington line). Photos. |
| October 2012 | **Jerrems.** Story of some of remaining children of Thomas Jerrems (Big Bill’s son, Ray’s great great grandfather) and Elizabeth (Thomas jnr, Catherine, George Jepson). |
| November 2012 | **Fitzpatrick**. First article about Fitz-Patrick line (See JJ June 2012) (descendants of Ada Fitzpatrick nee Jerrems, daughter of John Jerrems, son of Big Bill), in South Africa (Sybil, Dan and Ivor). Photos. |
| December 2012 | Christmas roundup of the year’s stories. |
| January 2013 | **Australian Snowy Mountain Huts** (Part1) general interest article. Photos of stockmen’s huts in the Snowy Mountains. |
| February 2013 | **Hope**, Percy, article (Part 1) (grandfather of Ray’s friend Sue Olsen nee Hope), prior to First World War (collision, Kirklands in Tasmania etc). Photos of Chapel, Manse, Ford Roadster etc. |
| March 2013 | **Hope**, Percy (Part 2) article, (grandfather of Ray’s friend Sue Olsen nee Hope) from First World War onwards. Battlefield photos (Messines, Polygon Wood, Passchaendale) etc. |
| April 2013 | **Big Bill** article Part1 up to 1814 (birth of daughter Elizabeth). Photos of Gainsborough Square, Churches, Tokens, river sailing ship. |
| May 2013 (98) | **Australian Snowy Mountain Huts** (Part 2) general interest article. Photos of hut contents, interior photo of hut and Jack Lavick etc. |
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| June 2013 | **Big Bill’s** later life from 1822 onwards, bringing up eight children, operating as insurance agent, bailiff of Gainsborough Magistrates Court, Constable of the Borough and inspector of hotels and inns. |
| July 2013 | 100th Edition. Family reunions. Most Famous Jerrems people etc series: Carol Jerrems, Nicoll the Tailor, Alexander Jerrems, Jeanne Jerrems, Little Alice Jerrems, Doug Jerrems, General Nicholas Herkeimer, Patrick Healy, Warren Jerrems and William George Jerrems ll. |
| August 2013 | **Emails** from readers Leila Menzies, Brian Harrison, Caroline Jerrems, Dick Weindling, Adam Marshall, Ray Lloyd, Laurel Gray, Mark Healy, Steve Jerrems and Leonore Leary. |
| September 2013 | **Small,** Zilpha, grand daughter of Elizabeth Jerrems (daughter of Big Bill) and Thomas Small of Boston UK. Early life, French Island (near Melbourne) description, photos of house interior, schoolhouse, tractor, derelict house. |
| October 2013 | **Small**, Zilpha, grand daughter of Elizabeth Jerrems (daughter of Big Bill) and Thomas Small of Boston UK, more life on French Island, war story of Hugh Bayford, marriage to Hugh Bayford, life in Hawthorn, deaths.etc |
| November 2013 | **Fitz-Patrick**, Aubrey (son of Ada Fitzpatrick nee Jerrems, daughter of John Jerrems, son of Big Bill), war service in German South-West Africa and France, death from wounds in Spring Offensive,1918, burial at Wimereux. Poem “In Flanders Fields”. |
| December 2013 | Christmas edition. Retrospective. |
| January 2014 | **Mayborn,** Thomas**,** (American Civil War veteran, descendant of Wappenham line) Part 1. Thomas had an eventful time in the army, enlisting at the age of 17 he was wounded, captured and released. He enlisted in 1861 while on a visit to the Utica area in New York State, joining Company A of the Utica Fourteenth Volunteer Infantry Regiment. He later married Rebecca Jerrems. |
| February 2014 | **St Botolphs Church** in Boston, Lincolnshire, UK. Part 1. History of Boston. History of sophisticated design of Church (highest non-cathedral tower in the world), statistics on design. Church completed 1390, tower later. |
| March 2014 | **St Botolphs Church** Part 2. In Part 1 of this article Ray described St Botolph’s Church (which has a connection with the Jerrems family) and its location, concluding with a description of the Church’s tower which was possibly intended to serve as a lighthouse. In this article Ray examined this possibility by looking at the history of lighthouses and talked about more of the Church’s history. |
| April 2014 | **Mayborn,** Thomas**,** Part 2 (American Civil War veteran, descendant of Wappenham line). Thomas was wounded at the Battle of Malvern Hill in the right thigh by a minie ball, a conical bullet. After capture by the Confederates he was placed in the notorious Libby Jail in the Confederate capital of Richmond, but was fortunately released twenty-seven days later. He took up farming and remarried when his first wife Rebecca Jerrems died. |
| May 2014 | **Fitz-Patrick**, Herbert, son of Ada Fitzpatrick (nee Jerrems, daughter of John Jerrems, son of Big Bill), war service in German East Africa and France (in the Heavy Artillery), gassed during Allied Offensive 2018, returned home, career for the ensuing 25 years. |
| June 2014 | **Elizabeth Jerrems** Part 1 (daughter of Big Bill, wife of Thomas Small and mother of Small family). Biographies and ancestry of Elizabeth and Thomas. |
| July 2014 | **Canals** (story of canals in UK) Part 1 (general interest). Numerous photos. |
| August 2014 | **Jerrems, Elizabeth** (daughter of Big Bill)-wedding to Thomas Small (a surgeon) in All Saints Church, Gainsborough in 1833. Reconstruction of architecture of the church at the time, photos, reconstruction of Elizabeth’s dress and Thomas’s coat and cravat, list of likely attendees. |
| September 2014 | **Nicoll the Tailor** Part 4 (Nicoll the Tailor’s daughter Elizabeth married William George Jerrems, son of Thomas Jerrems and grandson of Big Bill). Lists Alexander Nicoll’s children born in Australia and concentrates on Emma, her marriage to William Leonard, and the marriage of their daughter Jeannie to James Bellair. |
| October 2014 | **Jerrems/Small.** Part 2. Elizabeth (daughter of Big Bill) while living in Boston, Lincolshire after marriage to Thomas Small. After having three children they migrated to Australia in 1853. Possible reasons for migrating. |
| November 2014 | **Grim Tale** Part 1. This series tells the story of Ray’s mother-in-law’s ancestors in the gold-mining days in Bendigo and Ballarat in northern Victoria. This article tells readers about the migration from England to Australia of George (b1857) and Jane (b1859) Heyes. |
| December 2014 | **Xmas recap** |
| January 2015 | **Grim Tale** Part 2. This series tells the story of Ray’s mother-in-law’s ancestors in the gold-mining days in Bendigo and Ballarat in northern Victoria. This article tells readers about the birth and marriage of Grimshaw Heyes in Bendigo, his experiences in Tasmania, his six children and his progression to mine manager for George Lansell (the richest man in Australia in the late 1800s) in Bendigo. Photos of mining machinery (poppet head, stampers and winding engine). |
| February 2015 | **Grim Tale** Part 3 This series tells the story of Ray’s mother-in-law’s ancestors in the gold-mining days in Bendigo and Ballarat in northern Victoria. This article tells readers about a number of items, including a visit by the sailors of the American Great White Fleet to the mine managed by Grimshaw Heyes, and mining conditions at the time. Death toll. Photos of hoist, tunnel, trolleys. |
| March 2015 | **Donald Fraser** (uncle of Ray’s wife’s relative Bruce Fairlie and nephew of Grimshaw Heyes), life story, service at Gallipoli. **Also** Ernest Fairlie (Bruce’s great uncle) awarded Gold Humane Society Medal for rescuing boys, killed at Cape Helles, Gallipoli. |
| April 2015 | **Canals in United Kingdom** (general interest) Part 2 |
| May 2015 | **Timbergetting** (general interest)-history of timbergetting in Victoria. Photos of huge trees |
| June 2015 | **Jerrems/William the Squirrel**-story of the famous collections of William George Jerrems ll (son of William George l and great grandson of Big Bill) in America (coins, stamps etc) |
| July 2015 | **Paddle steamers**. Colonial history of Australia Part l-the use of paddle steamers on the western rivers of Victoria and NSW. Traces the use of paddle steamers for carrying wool etc to river ports on the Murray and Darling Rivers. |
| August 2015 | **Paddle Steamers** in colonial Australia Part 2. Continues to trace the use of paddle steamers for carrying wool etc to river ports on the Murray and Darling Rivers |
| September 2015 | **Portland (Victoria) Lifeboat** Part 1-story of the Dusting family (ancestors of Marion Lenton, Ray’s sister in law) who dated back to Cornwall and Mount St Michael |
| October 2015 | **Portland Lifeboat** Part 2-continues story of the Dusting family (ancestors of Marion Lenton, Ray’s sister in law) including the famous Portland (Victoria) rescue boat |
| November 2015 | **Jerrems/Small. Elizabeth Jerrems** (daughter of Big Bill) and husband Thomas Small in Australia after migrating from Boston, UK. |
| December 2015 | Christmas retrospective |
| January 2016 | Duplication of November 2015 |
| February 2016 | **Small, Thomas**. Story of Thomas Small Part 2 (Big Bill’s daughter Elizabeth Jerrems’s husband) down to his death in Victoria. |
| March 2016 | S**mall,** **Jabez** (son of Elizabeth Jerrems and Thomas Small) Part 1. Childhood in Richmond, Melbourne, military service in New Zealand in the Maori Wars, joining what was to become known as the First Wakaito Militia Regiment and was later awarded a service medal. |
| April 2016 | **Jerrems, Warren,** brother of editor Donald. Article submitted by Warren to the Florida Sportsman about his daughter Jacqui borrowing his boat for a fishing trip where she caught a huge 30 inch and a 36 inch fish. |
| May 2016 | **Camels** (general interest)-story of the use of camels in the development of Victoria and NSW in the 1800s, photos of camels towing house, wool waggons, buggy |
| June 2016 | **Small Jabez** (son of Elizabeth Jerrems and Thomas Small) Part 2. Life in Sydney, marriage, family, photography business |
| July 2016 | **Small, Jabez** Part 3. Goldmining investments, land speculation, life in Manly (beach suburb in Sydney), death in Melbourne. |
| August 2016 | **Manly** (beach suburb of Sydney) (general interest) entertainment piers, other Sydney piers. 2010 photo of Donald and siblings. |
| September 2016 | **Nicoll the Tailor** Part 7. Story of Nicoll the Tailor’s sons Wallace and Donald Snr. BW Photo of Nicoll Family Memorial and panel. Photo of Nicoll, Donald and Annie |
| October 2016 | **Nicoll the Tailor** Part 8. Publicity stunts of Nicoll, Photo of Broadway Store. New York Trade Card girl with dog and cat. Exceptional career of Donald Snr’s son as a surgeon. Description of Green-Wood Cemetery. |
| November 2016 | **Shipwreck Coast** Part 1. Colonial Shipwrecks (general interest). Wreck of the Schomberg, first part of the Loch Ard shipwreck at Twelve Apostles, on South Coast of Victoria. |
| December 2016 | Christmas retrospective |
| January 2017 | **Gray, Laurie** in memoriam. Marriage of Laurel Jerrems (Ray’s second cousin) and Laurie Gray. Early days as missionaries in Papua New Guinea, including epic Landrover trip from Saroa to Port Moresby. |
| February 2017 | **Gray, Laurie and Laurel** Part 2. Rest of time in Saroa, PNG. Photos of Warren, Mia and Susan in Washington |
| March 2017 | **Poor Houses** Part 1 (general interest). History of poor houses and comparable institutions in England and Australia. Story of Parramatta Mens’ Home Xmas dinner. |
| April 2017 | **Poor Houses** Part 2. Alms Houses, Orphanages incl. Bendigo Orphanage, Mental Asylums (incl Mt Ararat, Victoria), effects of US Civil War |
| May 2017 | **Jerrems, Arthur**. Story of Arthur Reginald Jerrems (Ray’s great grandfather’s youngest brother) Part 1. Rower and footballer, first marriage to Henrietta Harrison (Brian and Ian are her great great nephews), second marriage to Emily Wilkins, Google URL for 303 Lennox St Richmond. |
| June 2017 | **Jerrems, Arthur**. Arthur Reginald Jerrems Part 2 (son of Thomas Jerrems, grandson of Big Bill). Son Frank served in the 6th Battalion at Gallipoli, taken ill and recovered at Malta, and later wounded in the hand. Experiences with SP Bookies, Anita Veale nee Jerrems’s mother caught by police, Squizzy Tailor. |
| July 2017 | **Bellair, Thomas**. Part 1 of the story of Thomas Bellair, whose connection with Nicoll the Tailor was somewhat oblique, because his son married Jeannie Leonard, who was the daughter of Nicoll’s daughter Emma. Thomas was an accomplished actor who became a noted theatre entrepreneur with the famous George Coppin in Melbourne and then moved to country Ballarat where he leased the majestic Theatre Royal. |
| August 2017 | **Bellair, Thomas**. Part 2 of the story of Thomas Bellair, whose connection with Nicoll the Tailor was somewhat oblique. Except for taking a theatre company to Calcutta at one stage Thomas turned from theatre productions to leasing hotels in Ballarat, Melbourne and Wagga Wagga. Thomas and his wife Rachel had 13 children. |
| September 2017 | **Paddle Steamers** Part 3 (general interest), Conclusion of history of paddle steamers in western Victoria and NSW. |
| October 2017 | **Jerrems, Joseph, Anna and Sarah**. This article continued on from JJ of November 2008 about Sandra Walcyk’s great great grandfather Joseph Jerrems of the Wappenham line and his daughters Anna and Sarah, outlining how, after Joseph’s wife died, Nicholas White took in Sarah and how Oren Root first took in Anna, followed by his brother Philander Root, who possibly arranged for his wife Elizabeth to take in Anna later. |
| November 2017 | **The Good Old Days** (general interest)-Billy Cart, Bread Cart, Milk Churns, Ice Chest, Clothes Prop, Clothes Wringer |
| December 2017 | **Christmas roundup** |
| January 2018 | **Small, Arthur Jabez**. Part 1 of the story of Arthur Jabez Small, a grandson of Elizabeth Jerrems (daughter of Big Bill) and Arthur Small. Arthur Jabez was by far the biggest land developer in the Jerrems family, pioneering the development of 63 acres of land in the modern-day up-market Sydney beach suburb of Avalon. Photo of modern Avalon beach |
| February 2018 | **Churches**. Features four UK churches prominent in Jerrems history-St Helen’s, Willingham, St Michael’s Coningsby, St Mary’s Sculcoates and St John the Baptist, Stainton by Langworth. |
| March 2018 | **Bullocks** article (general interest)-how bullocks were used in colonial days in NSW and Victoria |
| April 2018 | **Small, Arthur Jabez**. Part 2 of the story of Arthur Jabez Small, a grandson of Elizabeth Jerrems (daughter of Big Bill) and Arthur Small. Account of the projects undertaken at Avalon, including service station, golf course, general store, Surf Club, Mini golf course. |
| May 2018 | **Shipwreck Coast** Part 2. Account of the famous wreck of the Loch Ard sailing ship on the South Coast (Twelve Apostles) of Victoria in the 1870s, statistics etc |
| June 2018 | **Small, Arthur Jabez** Part 3 -grandson of Elizabeth Jerrems (daughter of Big Bill) and Arthur Small. Photo of koala climbing fence, Arthur’s conservation projects at Avalon (Sydney)-founder of Parks and Playgrounds Movement with Charles Bean, donor of Angophora Reserve, photo of his family. |
| July 2018 | **Lenton History** (Ray’s wife’s ancestors) Part 1-starting with convict James Moore who spent a year in hulks, transported to Australia in the notorious Hillsborough where one third of 300 convicts died from typhoid, enlisted on the Venus where most of crew mutinied in Tasmania. |
| August 2018 | **Lenton History** Part 2, continues the convict stories of Ray’s wife’s ancestors. James Moore enlists on the “Boyd” and is eaten by Maoris, John Wild is transported to Australia, flogged for stealing clothing, goes to Norfolk Island, and then to Antipodes Island for seals, wins case for value of seal skins. |
| September 2018 | **Convicts**. Famous works carried out by Sydney convicts (general interest), including buildings and bridges. |
| October 2018 | **Gravestones**, a selection of gravestones featured in Jerrems Journal articles. Mary/Jane Jerrems, Jesse Jerrems, Nicoll the Tailor, Herkeimer, William/Anna Kirkwood, Herbert/Aubrey Fitzpatrick, George Sassall, William Blamey.g |
| November 2018 | **Lenton History** Part 3-Completes story of John Wild who lived in Liverpool and Campbelltown (where he held Egypt Farm) and died in 1816. Tells story of John Frost who was convicted of breaking and entering in UK and was assigned to Elizabeth Macarthur. Settled at Campbelltown where he married Mary. After her death in 1827 he married three more times, |
| December 2018 | **Christmas roundup** |
| January 2019 | **Healy, Harriet** (wife of Columbus Healy, son of Patrick Joseph Healy) cooking school, friendship with famous cooks Roger Verge and Julia Child, student Jacqueline Kennedy. |
| February 2019 | **Lenton History** Part 4. Completes the story of John Frost and embarks on the story of John’s convict son-in-law Joseph Lenton, Ray’s wife’s great great grandfather. Joseph and his wife Mary were married at Campbelltown near Sydney, had twelve children and were farmers in the Campbelltown and Narellan districts near Sydney. |
| March 2019 | **Smith, William Healy**, a brother of Ray’s grandfather Edward Smith, who enlisted in the First World War with the famous Queen’s Royal West Surrey Regiment. He was killed in 1917 near Ypres in northern France and is buried at Wimereux on the French Coast. |
| April 2019 | **DNA Testing**. This rather technical article described the DNA testing services now available and then told you the interesting results obtained by our Editor Donald and Ray and Irish reader Donal OCallaghan. |
| May 2019 | **Lenton History Part 5**, returns to Ray’s wife’s ancestors, beginning with tying up some loose ends about Joseph and Mary Lenton and then turning to one of their children, Charles Joseph Lenton, who married Louisa Chislett. Louisa had spent some time in an orphanage and had been taken in by the Behl family in Wolumla on the far NSW coast. |
| June 2019 | **Lenton History Part 6**, follows on from the previous article and hypothesises what Louisa (Ray’s wife’s great grandmother) encountered when she was taken in by the Behl family. Following her marriage to Charles Lenton they had eight children and the public spirited bootmaker was appointed the mayor of Waterloo. |
| July 2019 | **Jerrems Sibling Rivalries**, about sibling rivalries which had surfaced in our Editor Donald’s extended family. After moving to Georgia with his wife Sharon Donald jumped off a high rock and caught a one kilogram fish only to be upstaged by his relatives who caught two huge fish. |
| August 2019 | **Bush Huts Part 1**.In his research on 19th Century Australian colonial history Ray noticed that nineteenth century settlers frequently used tree bark to construct huts, and even churches, including their roofs. This article explores the various uses of bark, which peeled off eucalypt trees fairly easily in sheets and was surprisingly durable. |
| September 2019 | **Smith, Alfred**, the second full article about the “Smith” family, turning to Ray’s grandfather’s brother Alfred (“Älf”), who also served with distinction in the First World War and has two children who are still living. Alf was a “runner” in the war and was (like Ray’s grandfather) awarded the Military Medal. |
| October 2019 | **Bush Huts Part 2**. Continues the theme of bush huts, showing crofters cottages from the United Kingdom and including another method of construction in Australia involving the use of saplings and clay (known as “wattle and daub”) for walls. |
| November 2019 | **Famous horses**, introduced the novel theme of a horse (known as a “waler”) that served in the First World War. Known as “Bill the Bastard”, Major Michael Shanahan was the only person who could ride him. Amongst a number of escapades Bill rescued four Light Horsemen in heroic circumstances at the Battle of Romani in Palestine. |
| December 2019 | **Christmas edition recap** of the year’s articles. |
| January 2020 | **The Orphans Tale**. Fostering of George Henry Heyes’ children Nellie, Elsie and George by the Heyes sisters. |
| February 2020 | **Gravestones Part 2.** Healy mausoleum, Milligan, John Wild, Friend children, William Lenton, Philip Hogan, Norbert Carlon, Shackleton. |
| March 2020 | **DNA update** |
| April | **TBA** |
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