



Hello Kids,

Well, how are we all this month? This is not a time of the year we like very much, is it, for the days are too short and we miss the lovely warm weather of summer. However, the seasons come and go and there is nothing much we can do about it.

I've been travelling round a lot lately and met quite a few of my young friends at Bourke and Walgett.

Speaking of Bourke, I must pay a tribute to a young aboriginal lass I saw riding a pony in the Pony Club events at Bourke Show. I'm afraid I don't know her name but at the time she looked so very neat and clean and so well behaved. She was really a credit to the people she was with, and, more importantly, a credit to herself.

I have four 18-year-old girls from Burnt Bridge, via Kempsey, who want some young men pen friends. How about it fellows? The girls are Leah Pacey, Ruth Campbell, Pamela Morris and Edith Pacey.

We should shortly be publishing the results of the various story, poem and essay competitions and I hope to see the names of many of my young friends among the winners.

I'm afraid I'm not getting the number of stories, letters, drawings and poems that I once used to, so how about a bit of activity on your parts? Don't forget, too, we give prizes for letters, poems, drawings, etc., so it can be well worthwhile.

It is good to see so many aboriginal children going on through High School and I'm really looking forward to the day when we see our aboriginal people represented in many of the top professions.

If you have the opportunity of staying on at school and furthering your education, then take my advice and do so by all means, for a good education can make your future life a very happy one.

This month, as you see, I have enclosed a maze puzzle for you. You have to find the way the three women travelled to the tomb of Jesus. There is no prize for this competition, but I thought you'd have a lot of fun working it out.

Well, kids, I guess that's about all the news for this month so I'll be eagerly waiting to see what the mailman brings me from you.

Your sincere Pal,

Pete

### EASTER MORNING

We read in Luke 24 that three women prepared special spices, then went early in the morning to anoint the body of the Lord Jesus. In the puzzle below, the women must find the right way to the tomb. Can you help the women find the way?

