

VALE

After a long period of deteriorating health, we heard the sad news of the death in Auckland of Berrys Hogg, wife of Ian and mother of Peter and Judy, at the Mercy Hospital on Saturday morning 5th October.

Berrys had been in and out of hospital in Auckland for a long period, coming back to Norfolk after each time spent there. She knew she had a terminating illness but went on living from day to day with a tremendous spirit, coming in to work at B.J's each day; nobody but her closest friends knowing that she was living on borrowed time.

Berrys and Ian came from New Zealand to live on Norfolk 13 years ago, Ian working for Southern Cross Motors, then managing Fletcher Christian Apartments before buying the jewellery business of B.J's some 3 years ago. Berrys had been with Bob Fitzgibbons ever since they came to the island and was a great adviser to jewellery patrons.

They have two children, Peter and Judy, both living in New Zealand.

The funeral service was last Wednesday at the

Mercy Hospital Chapel in Auckland.

Berrys and Ian have a small circle of very good and loyal friends on the island and no doubt they will be very supportive to Ian when he comes back next Tuesday.

In the meantime, to Ian, Peter and Judy, we extend our heartfelt sympathies in the loss of Berrys, who was an inspiration of calm acceptance and courage, particularly in the last few months.

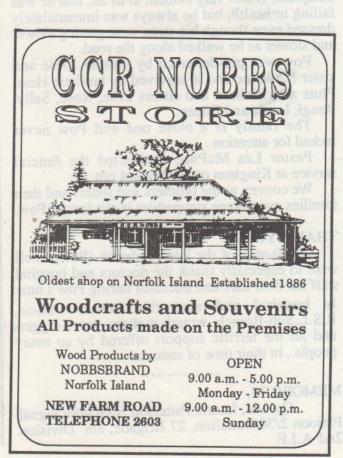


On Thursday morning we heard that Frederick Stanley Snell, affectionately known as "Pow" or "Pa", had passed away peacefully at the Norfolk Island Hospital late on Wednesday evening 9th October,1991.

Born on Norfolk Island on 27th September 1927, Pow was one of the 12 children born to Alfred and Polly Snell.

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In 1952 Pow enlisted in the Australian Army and was a member of the 3rd Battalion R.A.R. which received an American Presidential citation for action in the Korean War.

After recovering from wounds suffered during the Korean War, Pow was part of the Australian Army contingent which attended the Coronation of Queen Elizabeth Il in 1953.

On his return to Norfolk, Pow became a staunch member of the R.S.L. Sub-Branch and the R.S.L. Race Committee.

Like most Norfolkers, Pow enjoyed his sport particularly football in his younger days and later cricket and lawn bowls.

During his working life he was a painter with the Norfolk Island Administration for many years and also a member of the Norfolk Island Police Force.

He spent a few years working in Sydney and during that period worked as a security guard at

the Sydney Opera House.

Pow dearly loved his brothers and sisters, his nieces and nephews and their children. A classic example of his soft and generous nature is the following extract from an article about Norfolk Island published in the Sydney "Daily Mirror" in

"When he had to lock up a young naval rating, he couldn't bring himself to put him in a narrow barred cell, so he took him home. The Norfolk Islanders beat a track to his door with food and drink for the 'locked up' sailor who never had it so good"!

Although suffering noticeably during the last few months of his life, Pow was never one to complain. It was very evident to us all, that he was failing in health, but he always was immaculately dressed even though his steps were getting slower and slower as he walked along the road.

Pow was pre-deceased by brother Ernie and sister Madeline and is survived by brothers Hess, Plute and Richard and sisters Edie, Rose, Sally,

Rangi, Lorna and Eileen.

The family is a close one and Pow never lacked for attention.

Pastor Les McPhee conducted the funeral service at Kingston on Friday at 4 pm.

We convey to the brothers and sisters and their families our sincere sympathies in the loss of Pow.

## THANK YOU.

The family of the late Frederick (Pow) Snell wish to especially thank the doctors and hospital staff for their care and attention during Pow's time in hospital and also the Administration, R.S.L.Sub-Branch, wreath makers, grave diggers and all the terrific support offered by so many people, in their time of sadness.

## MEMORIUM.

Quintal, Laurie Patterson.NX65486,Signal Platoon 2/30 Battalion, 27 Brigade, 8th Division 2nd A.I.F.

Son of Daddie Bill and Mummie Lou of Steele's Point, who died 16th October 1943 while a prisoner of war on the Burma Railway and who now rests in Thanbyuzayat War Cemetery, Burma.

Always remembered by his sisters, nieces and nephews, who miss him still.

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