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Woollahra

on 1st May, 1970 at 10.30 a.m.

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HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II

AND DEDICATED BY

THE MOST REVEREND M. L. LOANE, M.A., D.D.

ARCHBISHOP OF SYDNEY AND METROPOLITAN OF NEW SOUTH WALES

THE CEREMONY

Her Majesty and His Royal Highness will arrive at 10.30 a.m. and be met by the Archbishop of Sydney, the Most Reverend M. L. Loane.

Following formal presentations, the Royal party will mount the dais when a fanfare will be sounded, followed by the National Anthem.

Miss Sally Anne Jones will present flowers to Her Majesty.

The Chairman and Director of the Retirement Villages, the Venerable C. A. Goodwin, will say the following prayers.

A Prayer for this Royal Occasion:

"Our gracious God and heavenly Father, grant Thy blessing upon our Sovereign Lady Queen Elizabeth, Elizabeth the Queen Mother, Philip Duke of Edinburgh, Charles Prince of Wales and all the Royal family. Endue with wisdom and right judgment all who govern in the affairs of Church and State; those who control industry and commerce; those who educate men's minds through the written and spoken word; all who through positions of wealth, influence or station control the destiny of others, and the parents of our nation that we may be a people who serve our age and generation with a cheerful heart; and finally, by Thy mercy, grant that we may obtain everlasting life through Jesus Christ our Lord."

A Village Prayer:

"O Lord God, who hast taught us that all our doings without love are worth nothing, we thank Thee that Thou didst inspire the hearts of faithful people to commence this work. Continue, we pray Thee, to guide by Thy Holy Spirit those who administer these villages. Bless all who reside in them, especially those who reside here, that they may enjoy health, happiness and Christian fellowship, and may glorify Thy Holy Name through Jesus Christ our Lord."

The Lord's Prayer:

Our Father which art in heaven,
Hallowed be Thy Name.
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done,
In earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
And forgive us our trespasses
As we forgive them that trespass against us;
And lead us not into temptation,
But deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory,
For ever and ever. Amen.

The Archbishop will dedicate the Village.

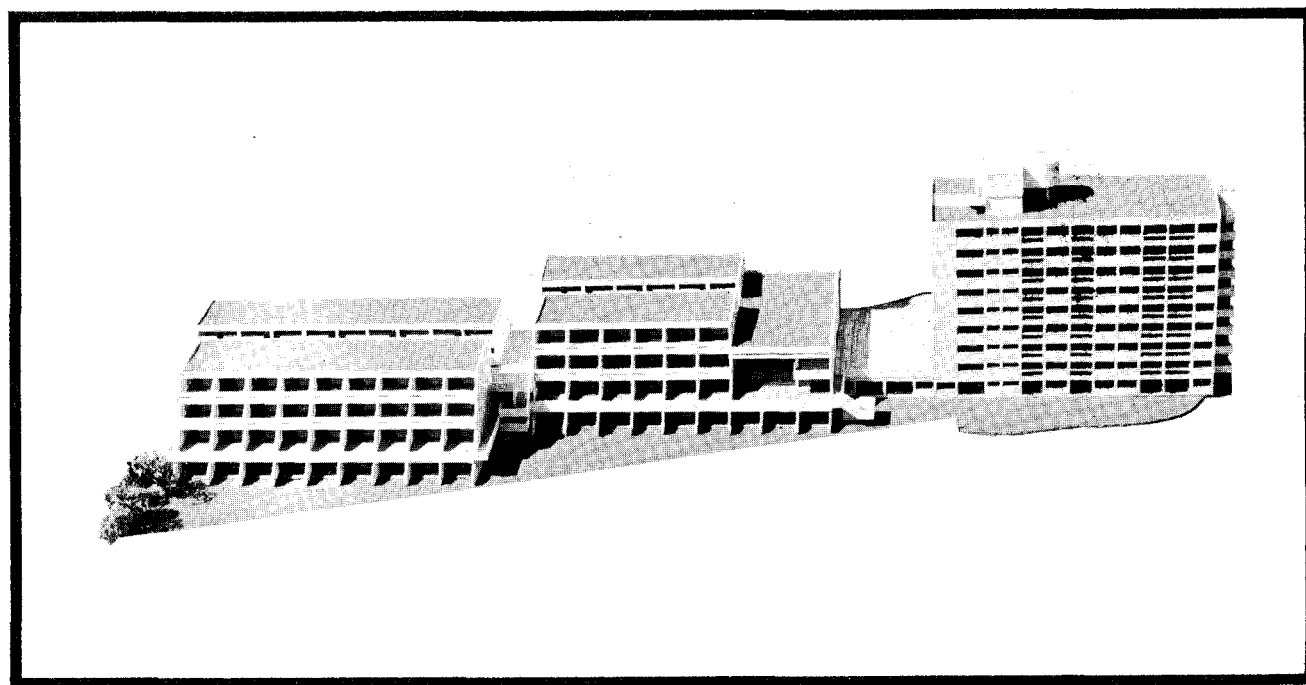
The Archbishop will welcome Her Majesty.

Her Majesty will reply, unveil the Stone, and open Goodwin Village.

The Archbishop will pronounce the Benediction.

The Royal party will move from the dais to the south of Bourke House, visiting units, and return to the dais area from the northern end prior to departing from the same place as their arrival.

A second fanfare will be sounded as Her Majesty moves towards the car at 11.10 a.m.



GOODWIN VILLAGE

Goodwin Village, the latest development in a series of twelve Retirement Villages spread through the suburbs of Sydney and at Dapto on the South Coast, will provide modern, self-contained accommodation for 216 people. It is one of the largest of the twelve projects which in all provide for over 1500 elderly people.

This village comprises three buildings named after early Governors of the State of New South Wales—Macquarie, Bourke and Gipps.

Macquarie Towers, an eight-storeyed building, will

contain 87 units. The other buildings are smaller and specially constructed to give ease of access. The architects, Clarke Gazzard and Partners, have planned carefully to provide maximum sunshine and good views for all the units.

The village is named in recognition of the efforts of Archdeacon C. A. Goodwin in helping to establish the Church of England Retirement Villages whilst the Archdeacon was Rector of the adjoining parish of St. Mark's Darling Point.



A Church of England retirement village is a Christian community in which two distinct types of accommodation are available; self-contained units and hostel-type accommodation. The difference is that the full unit contains a living-room with a small but complete modern kitchen alcove, a bedroom and separate shower room. The hostel accommodation is a studio bed-sitting room with a central dining room and other facilities.

Those who live in units do all their own cooking, and in fact manage their own affairs completely within the structure of the village. Those who have hostel accommodation are able to take their meals in the pleasant surroundings of the modern dining-rooms. Specially planned menus, including diets for those who are under medical supervision, are provided.

The villages are designed for aged people in good health. It is wise to apply early for accommodation. There are graduated facilities to meet the normal process of aging. Provided applicants are in reasonable health when entering the village, they can expect continual provision to be made for them as time goes by. A nursing home at Castle Hill provides care for residents of all villages in case of illness. A complete personal care village, Warrina, is now under construction in this same area.

Any person of pensionable age, who is of goodwill and Christian principles, and who is physically and mentally well, may apply. In the case of a married couple, if one partner qualifies, in most cases the other becomes eligible.

Life in these villages is informal, busy and without any institutional feeling. Villagers at each village have established clubs, art societies and many other interesting group activities. The opening of Goodwin Village highlights the need for accommodation in other suburbs. Goodwin Village will provide self-contained units. There is still need for hostel accommodation.

The Board of Management is at present negotiating to acquire a suitable site and needs \$200,000 as well as the Social Service subsidy to provide adequate accommodation for 100 people.

VILLAGES

Mowll Memorial Village, Castle Hill

Nuffield Village, Castle Hill

Hopetoun Village, Castle Hill

Warrina Village, Castle Hill

St. John's Village, Glebe

St. Anne's Court, Ryde

Adda Pepper House, Paddington

Eames Ahier House, Penshurst

Woodberry Village, Winston Hills

St. Luke's Village, Dapto

Haddin Close, Turramurra

Goodwin Village, Woollahra



ARCHDEACON C. A. GOODWIN, M.B.E.

The Venerable Clive Andrew Goodwin, Archdeacon of Sydney, Chairman and Director of the Church of England Retirement Villages, is also Deputy Chairman of the Glebe Administration Board and Rector of St. Philip's Church Hill.

A foundation member and Chairman of the Voluntary Geriatric Association which consists of a body of over thirty various groups working in the State for aged persons, Archdeacon Goodwin is a member and Vice-Chairman of the N.S.W. Council of the Aging. He is a member of the General Synod of the Church of England in Australia and of the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Sydney.

Archdeacon Goodwin has been closely and creatively associated with every stage of the development of the Retirement Villages. He was Chairman of the

early committees concerned with the work and became Chairman of the Board of Management when it was constituted in 1964.

Born in Sydney, Archdeacon Goodwin has had a wide and varied ministry, ranging from small bush churches to city parishes. In each of his parishes he has embarked on a building programme. The Retirement Villages grew from the vision of the late Dorothy Ann Mowll, wife of the late Archbishop Mowll, but the charge to complete the work came to Archdeacon Goodwin while he was Rector of St. Mark's Darling Point.

In 1969 he spent three months abroad investigating geriatric care.

He was awarded the M.B.E. for "services to the aged" in 1968.

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The Board wishes to acknowledge gratefully the many valuable gifts which have been made towards Goodwin Village, and records that at the date of the Opening they exceeded \$17,000.

