



In this issue . . .

- ★ The Family: a personal view.
- ★ Child Abuse: Fact and Fancies.
- ★ Family Violence: Social Fact and Legal responsibility
- **★** Parents Anonymous?
- ★ The Migrant Family and social workers.
- * Adoption Conference Report

Vol. 1., No. 2., June, 1976

National Library of Australia Card No. and Issn. N 03128970 Photographs Frank Halls, Andrew Blake Graham Gregory, Colin Knox Robert Ashton/Scoopix, Howard Birnstihl



Australian Child and Family Welfare (QUARTERLY)

in this issue..

Editorial
The Family: A personal view — Peter O'Connor 5
Some Facts and Fancies about Child Abuse — Peter Boss . 11
Parents Anonymous - Self help for Child Abusers - In-
terview with Max Lidell
Family Violence — Social Facts and Legal Responsibility —
Frank Bates
The Migrant Family — Some comments on Social Work
Practice
Report
First Australian Conference on Adoption — Cliff Picton
Reports
News from the Field:
Child Care Enquiry, W.A.
David Fanshel's visit
Intercountry Adoption — A national body?
Anglicans Appraise
The Children's Commission in Retrospect — Barbara
Spaulding
Other ways to care for Wards — Sister M. Agatha Rogers . 55
The Canon gets Home Release
Book Reviews
From the Business Manager's desk
- 1 0 111 111 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1

AUSTRALIAN CHILD AND FAMILY WELFARE is the quarterly journal of the Child and Family Welfare Council of Australia and is published by the Children's Welfare Association of Victoria.

ADVERTISING: Progress Press Pty. Ltd., 2 Keys Road, Moorabbin, Victoria, 3189. Telephone: 95 9600.

PRINTER: Pilgrim Printing Services, 11 Sheridan Court, Heathmont, Victoria, 3135. Telephone: 729 5828.

Australian **Child** and **Family** Welfare

is the quarterly journal of the Child and Family Welfare Council of Australia and is published by the Children's Welfare Association of Victoria.

COMMITTEE CO-EDITORS:

Denis Oakley Peter O'Connor

Book Review Editor:

Cliff Picton

Associate Editor

Max Lidell

Business Manager

Vernon Knight

Circulation Manager:

Helen McLeish

Committee Members:

Patsy Sebastian Barbara Spaulding John Edwards

Bill Hughes

Neale Molloy

Secretary:

Lea Urbinder

INTERSTATE REPRESENTATIVES:

A.C.T.:

Mr Spencer Colliver Department of Social Security

New South Wales:

Mr Ray Jenkins Burnside Children's Home

Northern Territory

Mr Albert Kruipers Somerville Children's Home

Oueensland:

Rev. Lyn Reilly

University of Queensland

South Australia:

Mr George Belchev Lentara Children's Home

Tasmania:

Mr Adam Jamrozik

College of Advanced Education

Western Australia:

Mr Geoff Aves

Community Welfare Department

EDITORIAL CONSULTANTS:

Mrs Concetta Benn, Australian

Broadcasting Commission

Prof. Peter Boss, Monash University, Victoria
Mr Spencer Colliver, Department of

Social Security, Canberra

Dr Leonard Tierney, University of Melbourne

Mr Neville Turner, Monash University, Victoria

Rev. Graham Gregory, Child Care Service, Melbourne.

notes to contributors

- Manuscripts should be typewritten on one side only, with double spacing and wide margins. Two copies are essential, three or four desirable. The approximate number of words should be stated.
- References should be referred to in the text by giving, in brackets, the surname of the author and should be listed in numerical order at the end of the article, as follows:

Books: Author's name and initials; year of publication (in brackets); title of book underlined; publisher; page reference, if appropriate.

Articles: Author's name and initials; date of publication (in brackets); title of article; abbreviated title of journal underlined; volume and number.

- 3. Footnotes should be kept of a minimum.
- Book reviews should also be typed and sent to the Book Review Editor, Cliff Picton, Department of Social Work, Monash University, Clayton, Victoria, 3168.
- 5. The editorial board do not hold themselves responsible for the views expressed by contributors.
- 6. All rights of reproduction are strictly reserved.
- All manuscripts and editorial communications should be addressed to: The Editor, Australian Child & Family Welfare, 25 Queens Road, Melbourne, 3004.