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River Mouths

467 Church St.

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Dear Bronwen,

find enclosed (finally) my report on the Wanganui happenings and Patriarchia. Thanks for all the work you are doing!

Points for the AGENDA:

- could it be said once more when Alet (Stan) Gillanders wants the statistics forms sent by. E.g. what is his statistic year?
  - would it be possible to add some more things to the statistics:
    - Vitamin K given or not
    - Ecobolic given or not, (when given, how much and which one)
    - Hepat<sup>itis</sup> B vaccination
- I think it would be good to colate this as the hospitals give all the above as a routine and most of us dom. midwives only give it when necessary. It would be great to show with our results that ~~there~~ <sup>there</sup> were ~~no~~ <sup>no</sup> higher needs or interventions were needed.
- could Joan or anyone talk about the "Domitian midwifery standards - peer review" and who it is to initiate in our district, especially if the Public Health nurse does not do anything about it!?
  - could the Domitian midwives society become an affiliate member of the New Zealand College of Midwives, please.

maybe they are points that have been raised before?

but I hope they make sense.

- Have you got an (or two) article(s) by  
Kay Mordercai Robson + Robert Calderyoy  
Barcia  
among the MIDIRS?

Caroline Flint quotes them in relation to  
ARMS

- She has a new book out:

"Community midwives" a practical guide

Mary Cook - Caroline Flint

Heinemann Medical Books, Feb. 1989

Oxford

NZ \$37.50 incl. GST

Obtainable through: medical books NZ Ltd.

P.O. Box 8565

Auckland 3

- I also have about 10 neonatal laryngoscopes  
out of plastic for sale. For my midwife  
visit is setting up dom. practice and  
would like one \$12.00 ~~per~~ <sup>or</sup>

\$15.00 incl. package + posting. I thought

I'll bring them to conference, if that's  
allright. I have found them (if) ~~just~~ good

enough, we don't need a \$170.00 <sup>one</sup>,  
when we only use it very rarely.

- Hope you can read this. I have been  
in translated with an work, but must  
stop as No. 3 is due in August.

Thought I should write an article  
for my 10<sup>th</sup> home delivery and celebrate  
a little anniversary? <sup>has</sup> <sup>no.</sup>

lots of love,

don't work too hard

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Bronwen

below are the names (dom. midwives  
that are registered with our Health Department:  
(Manawatu Area)

- ① - Fiona Barnett (on indefinite maternity leave now, but will "do" her friends throughout the year)
- ② - Carol Collins (working as dom. midwife)
- ③ - Ellen Salmans (working as dom. midwife)
- ④ - Ruth Martis (working as dom. midwife but will be on maternity leave from end of June)
- ⑤ - Amanda Wall (not working at present due to family commitments, but may do the odd one)  
(Betty)
- ⑥ - Elisabeth Voss (not attending home births due to work and family commitments ~~was actually never practised dom. practice~~ but might in the long distance future)
- ⑦ - Margaret Watters (Anne) (not attending home births, because of full time hospital job and she also has cancer and tries to ~~come-to-terms-with-year~~)
- ⑧ - Jane Stojanovich (setting up practice for Otaki/Levin/Foxton/Shannon in Manawatu, has registration number but no home births as yet)
- ⑨ - Mary Garner (is in the process of getting a temporary licence for our area and is on the books for next)
- ⑩ - Elisabeth Walker (is trying to set up practice in Dannevirke, has an interview for registration on May 11th and hopefully starts operating soon)



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