

# Thanks from the candidate

Newly-elected Liberal member for Nunawading Province, Rosemary Varty, this week thanked voters and supporters who had helped her achieve the victory.

"To the voters I express my sincere thanks for their support," Mrs Varty said.

"During the campaign I was approached by many individuals and groups being affected by the actions of the present Labor government.

"My win is not only a recognition by the voters of the province that the government needs the check and balance of an upper house which can call them to account, and review

and amend legislation; it is also a victory for common sense and decency in government.

"My campaign was run on local issues and I will be a voice in Parliament for all the people of the province.

"I will be fighting very hard for action on such local issues as the freeway, brothels, and health care.

"Many helpers were not members of the Liberal Party, but were concerned citizens from all walks of life, and from all over the State, who recognised the importance of this election," she said.

Mrs Varty said she would establish an electorate office in Ringwood. Until premises could be obtained, however, she could be contacted at suite 9, 9-12 Market St Mall, Box



● Mrs Rosemary Varty.

Hill, ring 898 6340, or at her home number 898 3031.

"I look forward to working as one of the parliamentary representatives for the province," Mrs Varty added.

## Letter to the Editor

## Thanks

Sir, Our heartfelt thanks to the people of Nunawading Province for their hospitality and warmth over the past weeks.

It is no exaggeration to say we were overwhelmed by your welcome and the result.

To those who supported us we are extremely grateful.

To those who disagreed with us, we thank you for your forbearance and your tolerance of our presence in your suburbs.

We hope — our disagreements apart — that we gave no offence and certainly none was intended.

Our presence in the electorate was a last ditch stand for us to make a strong point about the need for moderate, rather than extreme, conservation management, of the Victorian high country.

We made that point in our own way, and we hope we never have to undertake such a course again. We do not enjoy being political.

We hope the next time we meet be in the mountains so we can return your hospitality and perhaps show you what we were on about, at first hand.

Graeme Stoney,  
Minto Park,  
Mansfield,  
on behalf of the  
Mountain Cattlemen

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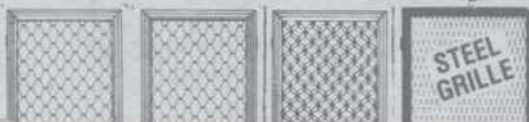
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