Travelling Salesmen

The Milkman, Paul Piven who had a Dairy at 44 Lucasville Road, now Lucasville over 55's development. He used to milk the cows then deliver milk twice a day, on foot, with a milk can in each hand. You left your billy can on the front gate.

We had a Pastrycook, Mr. Love, who delivered cakes and pies on a bicycle with a big basket in front. He came from Penrith and later purchased a yellow Morris Cowley van for deliveries. I remember he used to stutter and my late Mother would try to help him with his words, which would confuse him even more. He was a very kind man.

Mrs Cotton (aptly named) came in her T-Model Ford and sold haberdashery etc. Mum nicknamed her Boadicea and her Chariot. As some you may remember the T-Model Ford was very high.

Charlie Steele, a 1914-1918 War Veteran, came around also, with buttons and bows etc. He walked from the Glenbrook Railway Station and carried a Globite suitcase in each hand a bundle of material and calico under each arm – summer and winter.

The Carter Bros. with fruit and vegetables, in their 1927 Chevrolet truck.

Ernie Curry came from Emu Plains in his A Ford Ute and also supplied fruit and vegetables.

A "Bottle-O" in a horse and cart, also a Clothes Prop man who doubled up with rabbits at 1/6d. a pair and travelled by horse and cart.

Chimney Sweep and odd-job men, such as Paddy Evans, made regular visits to Glenbrook.