

for her. Both Andrew and Sarah look very smart in their school uniforms and it is to their credit that they can look so well given the living conditions. Ann was preparing the tea, Sarah was setting the table. They communicated very well. Ann has a lot of affection for the children and they insist to me that they never want to go back to Ann Street Children's Home.

Ann Creamer

22.8.85 Phoned Education Department re Sarah's school meals. Popped in and told Ann but didn't stay. Arranged visit for next week.

Ann Creamer

28.8.85 Home visit. Took Sarah ~~to~~^q plant for her bedroom and some clothes which I thought would fit her. She was pleased and chatted away about the school. The family were having their dinner when I called - Sarah and Ann at the kitchen table, Andrew in front of the T.V. in the living room. Ann always tries to put down a substantial meal at this time. They have ^{been} allocated a tenement flat at 36 Ashmore Street and hope to move on the 9th Sept. They all seem delighted at the prospect of the change.

Ann Creamer

4.9.85 Dropped in to see Ann. She seems organised for the removal and has arranged for a van which is to cost £15.00. I told her I was going on leave but would visit her in her new home when I returned to work.

Ann Creamer

10.9.85 Home visit. Ann is in the midst of chaos. Andrew scraping the wallpaper, Sarah looking overwhelmed by the mess. They have had one major disaster - apparently the Sunday they brought their bedding and clothing around to their new house, prior to their moving in on the Monday the cleansing Dept came to collect rubbish left by the previous tenant, took all Ann's stuff and burnt it - all the school clothes and bedding have been incinerated! Ann says she has informed the D.H.S.S. but meantime Andrew and Sarah are not at school because they have no clothes to wear.

Submitted A011 to C. Anderson S.S.W. for school clothes. Arranged with Wishart Centre to get single beds and wardrobe and to send invoice for removal costs here.

C. Anderson S.S.W. informed me that on Monday the removal firm which Ann had arranged arrived at the Department saying that she only had £15 towards the cost and that the estimate was £45. Cliff agreed that the Department would pay the balance and told them to invoice us.

Ann Creamer

12.9.85 Delivered order form for school clothing to Ann. The beds had arrived but wardrobes could not be carried upstairs. Ann now looking for a three piece suite! Andrew has finished scraping the kitchen and is clearly enjoying this adult role. Sarah was much more cheerful than last week and showed me her bedroom. Ann will take Andrew and Sarah for their clothes tomorrow and they will get back to school on Monday.

Ann Creamer

17.9.85 Invoice for removal arrived for £65 - to be queried by D. Fraser. Once Ann is sorted out application to be made to D.H.S.S. to recover the money.

Ann Creamer

17.9.85 Phone call from Sister Keith. Ann Mill has told her that she cannot control Andrew or Sarah. Andrew shouts, swears at her and Sarah won't speak to her. I told Sister Keith that I had not picked this up and that as they were all aware that I would be involved in providing information for the forthcoming/

CLIENTS NAME: Sarah and Andrew Jones

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0.1.85 ont'd	knows that Andrew is not very keen on school and seeing it is his last year he seems to think he shouldn't go in and that a couple of subjects he doesn't like so I had made arrangements to go in and see Mr Fyffe, at Kirkton High. I visited Kirkton High that day and Mr Fyffe was not aware of the problems that Andrew was having with one of his subjects, Biology. He said he would try and do something about it. He also said that Andrew was quite bright if he attended school regularly he could get some really good certificates. He also got Andrew to come in and he was able to tell Mr Fyffe about Biology and how he doesn't like it and wanted to know about Work Experience. Mr Fyffe said to Andrew because he doesn't leave school until Christmas it is unlikely that he will be involved in any Work Experience programme until after the Summer Holidays, so I don't know if Andrew was very pleased about this, but this is a fact of life. I suggested to Andrew that there was no way he would get Work Experience if he wasn't going to attend school regularly, so he said he would try. Arranged to see Andrew on 12th February after school at Kirkton Office. M. Davie
2.2.85	Andrew appeared at the Kirkton Office. He said he was going to school regularly and in fact he quite likes it. I thought about getting him involved in something to do with dogs so I suggested that he phone the Brown Street kennels and see if he could go in voluntarily. So he phoned Mr Oswald and I talked to him firstly and then he talked with Andrew and he suggested that the next time Andrew is on holiday from school perhaps he could go down and see what the place is like and then if he liked it he could maybe start down on Saturday morning. Andrew seemed to be quite pleased about this. I left him with the number so it is now up to him to contact Mr Oswald when he is off school. Things at home seem to be going better for Andrew, he said he is getting on better with mum and Sarah and that Sarah is having no problems at school. I arranged to see the family on 27th February. I told Andrew to tell his mum I would be down about 3.30pm then I would see him when he came out of school. M. Davie
7.2.85	Home visit. Miss Mills seemed to be quite relaxed. She had had a infection in her lung a couple of weeks prior to my visit, I forgot to mention that earlier but she was feeling much better now. Andrew has settled down a bit more and when he starts getting abusive she tells him to go upstairs and punch his punch bag. This seems to be working. Sarah is presenting no difficulties. She has been stopped going to Fairmuir swimming because she is not disabled but she has also started going to the leisure centre and the Mary Slessor Centre. She seems to be getting out and about these days. Christina still living with them and Miss Mill feels that she is getting on alright with Christina. Arranged to see Andrew on his own on 6th March, at the Kirkton Office. M. Davie
13.3.85	Andrew turned up looking quite well, a lot happier and cleaner looking. He is still having the odd day off school but he said it is not as bad as he thought it was in the past and have also told Andrew that there would be a review coming up soon and I would be visiting his mother and Sarah and himself next week. I told Andrew that I had been offered another job but I wasn't going to tell his mum until it was confirmed. I arranged to see them all next week. M. Davie
3.3.85	Home visit. Miss Mill was full of the flu. She was looking pretty miserable. Andrew was looking fine as with Sarah. She feels that she wants to come off the/

the needles as it is not doing her any good and she is feeling more depressed. I said to Miss Mill it is probably something to do with her having the flu as that often makes people feel a bit depressed and that because I have heard her say in the past that she feels great when she has the needles, so she considered this idea and thought it maybe is true. She also told me that she had a big lump which she feels is caused by the birth control needle and she had been complaining about this for a long time to her Doctor. However, they have discovered that there is a muscle twisted and perhaps it was caused by this needle. She was not very chuffed about the Doctor not paying attention to her in the past, but she is certainly full of the flu so I suggested that I see myself out and maybe she should have an early night and said to Andrew he could maybe fill a hot water bottle for his mum. I told Miss Mill about the review and she was a bit worried about it but I told her it was just a look at the situation and she really discussed how well she is doing and well the children are getting on. This seemed to make her better. I therefore agreed to see them next Tuesday at Paradise Road and perhaps Andrew would like to come along but Andrew said he had an English exam and may not manage along but if the exam finishes at lunch time he would be along.

MD/EHC

M. Davie.

JR 19/3/85

19.3.85

Care renewed today. Care felt in order, and up-to-date.

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16.10.84	Home visit. Miss Mills was quite happy with the way things are going. She had a bit of a problem with her cooker when I was on holiday but Jean Buttars helped her out with this and got things sorted out. Andrew has been occasionally skipping off school but Mr Barker from the Attendance Office had had a word with Andrew and he seems to respond to a male figure. Miss Mills informed me that her eldest daughter was coming to live with them. I asked her if she had really thought this out because they didn't seem to get on that well when she lived there before, perhaps they could discuss a trial period and see how it goes, so Miss Mills said she would talk this over with Christina and try and get things worked out. I told Miss Mills that I would like to meet Christina, I therefore arranged to visit on 25.10.84. M. Davie
25.10.84	Christina was in, seemed a very nice girl. The house was looking a lot better, Christina's furniture in Miss Mills house. Miss Mills seems very happy with things at the moment. Sarah is getting on fine although Andrew is bullying her now and again. I explained to Mrs Jones that I had to write a report for Andrew, an Annual Review report and she started to panic about the Childrens Panel, but I told her it was just a formality that the children had to be reviewed once a year, so I asked her if she would ask Andrew to come in and see me after school tomorrow to discuss the report. So all in all things seem to be going reasonably well. M. Davie
25.10.84	Andrew came into the Kirkton office to see me. I told him the reasons for the report etc. He said to me that he is not very happy these days and I asked him if it was because it is all females at home and he is the only male and he maybe gets a bit overpowered. He said yes because everything Sarah does is right and everything I do is wrong. I asked him what he does with his evenings and he says he stays in all the time he doesn't seem to lead any kind of life outwith the home. So I said to Andrew that I would be writing the report quite soon and may have to get in touch with him again but in the meantime just try and get involved in things. He said he wanted to join the R.A.F. and is going to be seeking information about the boys R.A.F. He seemed quite adamant that he wants to be a dog trainer in the forces so I said to him that I would try and get some information for him but in the meantime he could maybe contact his local community centre and see if they have anything at the moment because he seems to be a bit of a hermit these days and doesn't really have any friends he goes out with at nights and he feels that mum is picking on him because she is always protecting Sarah and not caring about him. He is quite a sad looking boy actually, I don't suppose he has much going for him at home and now the added problem with Christina, I don't know how well he gets on with her. There could be a few problems there now and intend to keep well in contact with the Jones. M. Davie
6.11.84	Phone call from Child Psychiatry saying that Dr. Morton would like to see Sarah and Miss Mills and had arranged an interview of 22.11.84. M. Davie
7.11.84	Phone call from Child Psychiatry, Miss Mills phoned to say she couldn't make it and the alternative date being 6th December. I told Ninewells I would pick Miss Mills, and Sarah up and take them to Ninewells that day.
MD/EHC	is scheduled for 15.11.84. M. Davie
15.11.84	Childrens Hearing on Andrew. Please see report in file. Supervision has been continued for a further period in order to help Andrew to look at/

at his situation and also over the next few months to try and develop the relationship I have with the family and discuss some of his fears and anxieties about the future. Miss Mill was quite relaxed at the Hearing and Andrew was quite forthcoming. It was a reasonably good hearing. Arranged to see the family on 22nd November when Sarah is due an appointment with Dr. Morton. It told Miss Mill I would pick her up. M. Davie

22.11.84 Appointment with Dr. Morton had been cancelled. M. Davie

6.12.84 Picked Miss Mill up and Sarah. Took them to Ninewells to see Dr. Morton.

therefore discharged Sarah from his clinic. Miss Mills was very pleased about this. She is still having the occasional problem with Andrew but the other thing that has happened is that her eldest daughter Christina, although she has been living with Miss Mills now for a few weeks, sometimes there is some problems because Christina threatens to leave and take her furniture. But Miss Mill feels she has got this in hand. I said to Miss Mill I would see her in a couple of weeks time. I therefore arranged to see her on 19.12.84. M. Davie

19.12.84 Visited Miss Mill. I had a food parcel that was distributed to the Social Work Department. Miss Mill was looking quite well she was still getting her needles every fortnight and the nurse was quite pleased with her progress. Sarah has gone back to school no problem. She has also decided that she doesn't want to join the Girl Guides, but that is her decision and she is going to the swimming at Fairmuir School which is once a week. So all in all Miss Mills seems to be quite happy about things. Sarah's Hearing is on the 10th January, so I had gathered some information to write the report. I told Miss Mill that I would go over it with her at the Hearing or just prior to the Hearing. She is quite organised for Christmas and seems to have been saving up some money. There doesn't seem to be any problems. I will see Miss Mill at Sarah's panel. M. Davie

10.1.85 therefore arranged to see Andrew on his own on 25.1.85.

25.1.85 Andrew did not turn up at the office, so I went down to visit the family. Miss Mill was in and Andrew and Sarah. Andrew said he forgot. Miss Mill is having a wee bit of difficulty with Andrew because he is plunking school. I had a word with Andrew because he had also been shouting abuse at his mother. Andrew is really fed up, his dog had to be put down because it had bitten a neighbour, so he was feeling a bit sorry for himself. He has also joined the cadets and is quite liking this. This may link in with his future plans of wanting to be a dog handler in the Army. Miss Mill was looking quite relaxed and although she has had problems with Andrew she seems to be better now adays at coping with the problems, and I suggested to Andrew if he gets angry, instead of screaming and shouting at his mother he should go upstairs and punch his punch bag and get rid of his energy that way. I arranged to see Miss Mill on January, 30th. M. Davie

30.1.85 Home visit. Miss Mill was looking fine. She was still getting her needles and the nurse was quite delighted with her progress. Sarah is presenting no problems whatsoever but she is still a bit cautious about Andrew. She knows/

14.3.84

15.3.84

E. Titterington.

20.3.84.

26.3.84. Home Visit I called round to see Ann Mill mainly to say that I was moving teams shortly and that she would be getting another Social Worker. Ann Mill reminded me that her bus-pass was due and I agreed to see about getting authorisation for another one. Both Andrew and Sarah seemed quite happy at home and the atmosphere was good. Christina has been allocated a house at 40 Dunbar Crescent. I took her and her boyfriend round her new flat. She has got a grant from D.H.S.S. and has bought a lot of furniture including a cooker. Her bed would soon be delivered as well. Christina was delighted with the flat and it is likely that she can make it look good.

E.T.

27.3.84. Home Visit I called to see Ann Mill with the warrant for her bus pass. She will get this renewed before the other one expires on 29th March.

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2.4.84.

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As I was having great difficulty in getting a joint visit with the previous Social Worker I decided to introduce myself to the Jones. M. Davie

7.8.84

I introduced myself to Mrs Jones. I told her that I had taken the case over from Eric Titterington. Mrs Jones seemed to be very nice and she was very anxious feeling that I was going to take the children off her. I told her that I was just here to make sure that Sarah was getting on fine and also Andrew. Mrs Jones requested that Sarah be transferred from Rosebank to a Primary School in Kirkton. I said I would look into this and see if it was possible. I contacted Rosemary Fee and she felt that this might be a good idea so I negotiated with the Education Department and Sarah will be able to attend Westmarch School. M. Davie

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it would be helpful if I came along to that. Ms. Mills was having problems with Andrew, he would not go to school, he didn't have any school uniform, so I said I would try and get some application forms from the Education Department and get Andrew rigged out and back to school. M. Davie

16.8.84

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have a school uniform for Andrew. I had a word with Andrew because he had been lying in his bed all day and not bothering wanting to go to school. I went up to his bedroom and had a word with him. He said he quite liked school but he didn't have anything to wear, so I said I would get that problem fixed out and would he go to school once he got his uniform. He said he maybe would, well I said to him if you like Andrew I could take you by the hand every morning and take you to school, but if you can get yourself off to school there shouldn't be any need for that. So Andrew just looked at me as if I was mad and said he would go to school next week. M. Davie

20.09.84

Miss Mills was looking really well, she has the nurse coming in every other week for her injection. Sarah seems to have settled very well at Westmarch and Andrew is now attending school without any problems. So all in all Miss Mills is quite happy about things. I told her I was on holiday and I would not be back until 15th October and I would contact her during that week.

M. Davie