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MD's LETTER

By the law of averages the summer has yet to come. In some ways, I prefer to have my share of rain behind me and being a super-optimist the best is to come.

On the coach side, thanks to a good early season, we have been able to level out demand and the best news is that our sub-contracting is extremely low. Customers who hire us do expect an Epsom Coach.

The mini coach of Queen Mary's Hospital continues to give us a "spin-off" in publicity at a time of year when promotional activity tends to take a back seat.

A further Volvo coach has been ordered for 1985 delivery. At the present time we are looking at all the configurations of replacing the 18- and 30- seaters which continue to have a demand but not until now a suitable successor.

On the travel side, a late booking season and a buoyant demand has kept up a reasonably good year, against the national trend. There are signs that some of our competitors are finding the going harder than anticipated.

The future of the company promises well but not without the necessity to continue strict supervision and the need to change course when necessary.

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P.T.O.

On the back of a letter applying for a job to Epsom Coaches was found the following:- "Dear _____, Just a little note to say how much I loves you. Since you were away I've thought of nothing but you. I really did miss you. You're really just lovely". Shows economy and makes interesting reading!