

September 1954

We bought some new fields
with mastic shrubs. Dad will
have a lot of work to do!

10 June 1954

Dad today went to plant some new shrubs. He was exhausted. When he returned he yelled to me because I had not prepared dinner

2 July 1954

Mum made us a surprise! she
prepared pic nic for all of us in
the shrub field! How nice it
was!

7th January 1955

Christmas holidays are over.
Father said we should help him
with the cultivation of mastic
shrubs. Today, together with
my father we went for mastic
shrub pruning. I accidentally
shrub a new tree. Father yelled
at me "I planted this shrub
last year, it is not three years
old. You should have not
pruned it!"

1 July 1955

It was difficult to get it
embroidered with tripitiri. I
only managed to carve one
shrub! Let's hope tomorrow it
will be better

15 August 1955.

After the church we rushed to go to the mastic shrub fields! I am exhausted but soon we will finish with embroidery at last!

9 October 1955

Finally, we can work from home! I always enjoyed sieving the mastic resin! We clean the resin from dirt and then it is ready to be sold