

ANNUAL SUMMER CAMP FOR FAP WEST CHILDREN

The Board, encouraged by the success of the previous Annual Camps, has given its approval for the holding of another Camp during this summer's school vacation.

The Camp site used for the three previous years at Collaroy will, however, not be available this year, but it is not expected that those who are fortunate enough to be chosen for the Camp will be disappointed when they find that this year it is to be at La Perouse.

The Camp this year will be under canvas and a large marquee is being made available by the Army for meals and recreation. It is proposed to have the usual entertainment, the high-light, of course, being a visit to Taronga Park.

The Camp is to be held from the 11th to 23rd January, but as the number is limited, there are bound to be quite a lot of disappointments, especially amongst those who have been to Camps in the past.

The children to attend the Camp are to be drawn from various centres of the far west and will be allocated on a quota basis. There will be certain qualifications necessary, but parents who wish their children to attend should make application to the Sergeant, or Manager, or Aborigines Welfare Officer, as the case may be. It must be remembered, however, that it might not be possible to satisfy every application.

Children will be transported free of charge and Camp equipment will be provided. Each child will be provided with a list of clothing and extras, which they must bring with them. Parents will be asked to contribute \pounds_3 for each child attending. Inability on the part of the parents to do this will not disentitle the child to consideration for participation in the Camp, but preference will be given to those children whose parents have agreed to pay.

It is expected that in some centres Committees will be formed to raise funds where necessary so that children, whose parents would not otherwise have been able to contribute, may attend the Camp.



Russell Robinson, the handyman of Tabulam Station with ZU-San, the Manager's Bulldog. Russell was very chary of her when he first met ZU-San, but now he knows her better. He takes great delight in telling every one not to be frightened of her, and to quote his own words: "Hers and me's mates now."