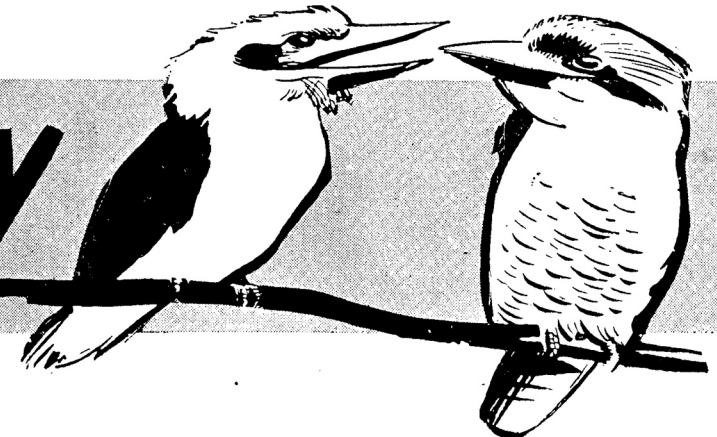


# THEY SAY



Square Dancing is very popular at Tabulam Station, and weekly Square Dances held on the Station are well attended. First introduced into the school, it became so popular that the adults were taught and almost everyone now knows at least ten dances.

Now that every house in Tabulam has carpets, everyone on the station is making a magnificent effort towards purchasing a movie projector for the school.

Domestic Science classes have started at Tabulam Aboriginal School and soon it is hoped to supply lunch two days a week for everyone at school. The parents have responded very well to appeals for help in starting this project.

The Tabulam Aboriginal School football team has again commenced football, and on form, appears to have a first-rate team. This team has been entered in the Casino District Football Competition and the Far North Coast Football Carnival.

Recently Tabulam took the field against Mummulgum for the first time in their new outfits. The team looked very smart in their new jerseys, shorts, socks and boots, and their play was equally smart, winning comfortably by 21-0. Don Wilson, at fullback, was outstanding, scoring two tries. Eddie Phillips, Bruce Walker and Clifford Williams all played good games.

At Casino, Tabulam met the strong Casino Primary A Grade and were successful by 9 to nil. The team tossed the ball about in fine style and delighted the large crowd with its attractive display. The speedy backs played with such precision that they are now conceded a good chance of winning the competition.

Eddie Phillips, at half-back, played a stirring game and showed skill and determination on all occasions. Don Wilson and Max Watt also played fine games.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Saunders, of Caroona Station, are being congratulated on the birth of a daughter, Margaret.

Football is the main interest on Caroona Station at present. The manager has received two letters from the league congratulating the club on its sportsmanship and work generally. In addition, the Tamworth paper "The Northern Daily Leader" commented very favourably on the club's work.

The second team of young players, known affectionately as "the rats," are being praised by everyone for the gameness and good spirits displayed in their matches against teams older, heavier, and more experienced. Their slogan is "you wait until next year."

The school has caught the fever, and Mr. White, the principal, is hard at work coaching a team to challenge the neighbouring primary schools.

Some very enjoyable dances have been held.

A new wash room is being added to the school, and will be much appreciated.



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