

## Wilcannia News

Doug Young of Wilcannia had a nasty fall from a horse a few months back and is still a patient in the Broken Hill and District Hospital. Keep your chin up, Doug. We hope that by the time this goes to print, Doug will be back with his family.

The following persons are to be congratulated on their efforts towards improving their homes:—

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman commenced painting their home, and laid down a lawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bates—painting and other improvements.

Joy Hunt, Bob Wilson, Grannie Quayle, Chris Young, Mr. and Mrs. Harris, and Mrs. Hunter—All these people have started flower gardens or laid down lawns and have done some painting.

Grannie Moysey has returned to Wilcannia after her holiday at Murrin Bridge.

Ernie Hampton has accepted an offer to play Rugby League Football for Gloucester, and this boy is expected to go places this season. His performance last year was outstanding; and we wish him luck in his new venture. Fernie's brother, Bob, is still around Wilcannia and is expected to play for Wilcannia again this year; Bob is also a very good football player.

Laurie Quayle has taken up residence at White Cliffs again after several years around Wilcannia and Wanaaring. He is expected to take part in the operation of a Service Station at that Centre. Nothing like the old beat, is there Laurie?

## Sporting Achievements of Aborigines

A suggestion has been made by Mr. John Quayle, Aboriginal Supervisor of the Reserve at Wilcannia, that a page in *Dawn* be devoted to recording the sporting achievements of aborigines. *Dawn* would be glad to follow this suggestion and would welcome news of this nature.

## Nambucca Heads — Rotary's Grand Job

The Rotary Club of Nambucca Heads has recently completed the playing field for the use of the residents of the Nambucca Heads Reserve. The sports equipment supplied by Rotary, and subsidised by the Board, is being made full use of. Football and cricket, basket ball and soft ball, are games which the people can now engage in to their hearts content.

The building of this ground was a big job entailing the use of a bulldozer and two men for seven days. Also, 50 three-ton truck loads of sawdust was carted to the site by Messrs. Andrew and White without charge.

Many thanks, Rotary, your efforts are much appreciated, and the thanks of the people of Nambucca Heads Reserve will be reflected in the good use they will make of this amenity.



Meet Dulcie and Billy Boney of Ingalba, via Walcha, Brenda Edwards of Moree and Mrs. Brummil of Tingha.