

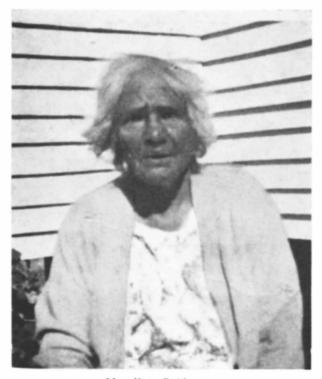
The grand old lady of Tabulam, KATE ROBINSON, will be between the age of 90-93, this year.

In the early days Kate Robinson worked as a servant at Yugilbar Castle, at Baryulgil, with a white resident of this district who is still living; they were young girls then, and much of the same age.

Kate Robinson has 182 descendants, which comprises :

- 40 Children and Grand Children.
- 111 Great Grand Children.
- 31 Great Great Grand Children.





Mrs. Kate Robinson

A quiet wedding recently took place at the Anglican Church in Boggabilla. The ceremony, performed by Reverend McGregor, was the marriage of Pam McGrady, daughter of Mrs. Mavis McGrady, to Charles Duncan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Duncan. The bride's mother was unfortunately unable to attend the wedding owing to sickness.

JUNIOR HOCKEY

One of the most popular of the eight teams playing in the under 12 years section of the Manning Valley Junior Hockey Association's Competition this season, was the newly formed aboriginal team from the "Purfleet" Mission Station, two miles south of Taree.

In an effort to assist in the assimilation of these dusky lads with their white brothers, the Association arranged for a volunteer to bring these youngsters to and from the the game each Saturday morning and to assume complete control of them for the season.

Ted Burke from the C.Y.O. club stepped in and took the responsibility and shouldered it in excellent fashion. He not only brought them to and from their game each week, but spent many patient hours each week in coaching and teaching the lads the fundamentals and principles of the game.

His efforts and theirs was justly rewarded when the team defeated M.Y.F. 1 nil to win the Consolation Final, after narrowly missing the major semi-finals by one point.

The youngsters tried hard and always played a fast, crowd-pleasing game. They conducted themselves like young gentlemen and were a credit to their parents who regularly followed them.

The team mixed well with the other teams in the Association during the season and will be eagerly accepted again next year.



John Woodhouse presents R. Morcombe with the trophy for Purfleet winning the Consolation Final of the under 12, 1958 Competition