

These happy young fellows are enjoying their Summer Camp

WALGETT NEWS

December 20th was the day of the Walgett Senior Citizens party run by the Walgett Branch of the A.L.P., who catered for seventy Old Age Pensioners, including fifteen of aboriginal blood. A huge supper was served at the Royal Hotel, and all present were able to take home many food gifts for Xmas as well as a present from all the community of Walgett.

Numerous old songs were sung and presented and all these old people had a very successful and enjoyable evening.

Those at the dinner included Dorothy Sands, Mrs. McBride, Tom Sullivan and wife Essina, Alice Brown, Hubert and Possum Morgan, Mrs. J. Kennedy, Charlie Kennedy, Billie Bloomfield, Mrs. Sue Morgan, Madge Mackenzie, Arthur Dodd and of course Charlie Dodd. Mrs. Walford was unable to attend owing to illness but the organizers made sure she did not miss out on her share.

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Mervyn Suey must be the only Bowling Club greenkeeper of aboriginal extraction in this state. Mervyn was recently appointed to this position by the Walgett Bowling Club after a considerable period of experience as an assistant.