Dear Editor,

I read your magazine every month with great interest and I’d like to read more of the late Dave Sands and more pictures of the Moree aboriginal people.

And thanks, sir, for such a splendid magazine.

“Mossie,”
Perrains Lane, Coonamble.

. . . Thanks, Mossie. What a terrible tragedy that Dave left us so suddenly. To thousands of others like yourself he will always be the Champ! —Ed.


. . . Many thanks for the photographs and your interesting letter. We were happy to add your name to our mailing list and you will now receive regular copies of Dawn. —Ed.

The Right and the Wrong Way

Occasionally, the Editor receives letters from Station residents voicing their complaints against Station administration or Station conditions.

While the Editor is most sympathetic to these complaints, he must point out that he is not in a position to judge the rights or wrongs of such matters and can only suggest that people wishing to complain against the administration do so by letter to the Superintendent of Aborigines Welfare. They may rest assured their letters will receive every consideration.

Dear Editor,

I would like to express my gratitude to the Board for their kindness in granting me a house at Caroona.

I found Caroona a very pretty little place, just about a quarter of a mile from the railway station, and the lovely homes of our people are a credit to our Board.

We were welcomed by Mr. and Mrs. Williams, and their kindness to us is more than I can express. The homes are most attractively built with lovely sun verandahs (which are a great asset) and coppers and tubs all set in.

I found the Caroona folk very friendly and I was happy to meet them. Once again thanking our Board for its kindness in providing such a nice home for my family and myself.

Mrs. Florrie Munro.

. . . Happy to have your letter and your interesting article, Mrs. Munro, and delighted to know you were comfortably settled in at Caroona. The Board is REALLY doing a good job for the aboriginal people, but I am afraid many of us are apt to overlook just what is being done. The Board has one main purpose—to do everything it possibly can for the benefit of the aboriginal people, but to be successful in its endeavours it must have the assistance and co-operation of the people themselves. —Ed.

Dear Editor,

The residents of Roseby Park were very disappointed when no mention of the Station was made in the last issue of Dawn. They really look forward to their magazine.

C. D. Arnold (Manager).

. . . Sorry, Mr. Arnold, but the size of our Magazine is limited and we have a great deal of material from all the Stations, and it is inevitable that some must miss out . . . but only temporarily. Another thing, we are nearly always a month behind because of printing difficulties, so if you miss out one month you will almost surely be in the following month. —Ed.