La Perouse Doings

Mr. Jeffery, the Supervisor of La Perouse Reserve reports:

The Children’s Library, and Crafts Movement, held at La Perouse Hall each week, is, I think, at a stage where it becomes worthy of comment.

The attendance is very good, being from 20-40 children. This attendance depends on what is showing at the local pictures; that concerns the bigger children mainly. However, they as a rule attend from 11 a.m. till it is time to proceed to the pictures.

Mrs. Eastern is to be commended on her efforts as she works for two days of the week and puts the money she earns into the arts and crafts at La Perouse.

Some water colour paintings have been sent to Wagga Wagga Art Society for an exhibition. It will be very interesting to hear the results.”

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Condobolin people entertained many visitors over the Eight Hour week-end, and many reunions were made. Visitors included the Reads, Powells, Governors, Nadens, Towneys and Keeds, all from Peak Hill, Pastor Naden, from Gilgandra, Alice Williams from Cowra, Bob Sharp from Trundle, and Ben Mason from Singleton, and his friend from the Northern Territory.

The children of the Condobolin Aborigines’ School are feeling very grateful to the Junior Red Cross, who have sent each child a lovely health kit, containing a comb, mirror, toothbrush, toothpaste, nail file and nail brush, facewasher and a small towel. These kits are kept at the school and used daily.

Little Lorna Dargin, of Condobolin, has been discharged from hospital after a four months’ stay there. We are pleased to see Lorna home again, although her leg is not yet 100 per cent.

Mrs. Nina Barlow, of Condobolin, has returned from Griffith, where she has been for several weeks.

There was great excitement at Condobolin recently, when Miss M. Fairfax, the A.I.M. missionary, returned from her three months’ leave, looking fit and well.

A big rise in the Lachlan River caused some consternation on Condobolin Station about Show time. However, the river did not flood the Reserve, although Mr. and Mrs. Lance Smith were temporarily flooded out of their home.