MOREE SWIMMERS

DO WELL AT INTER-SCHOOL CARNIVAL

Station school children have represented Moree at two recent inter-school swimming carnivals at Inverell and Gunnedah.

On the visit to Inverell, Keith Munro was a member of the relay team which won its heat and came second in the final.

Irene Haines won her group race and Stella Hammond was placed second in the senior diving. Louise French was second in her heat but missed a place in the final.

Lola Cutmore and Heather Hammond were members of the Moree High School swim team at the inter-school carnival at Gunnedah.

Tiny bathers admire the commemorative Apex tablet unveiled by the Premier, Mr. Heffron, when the Moree Station pool was opened two years ago. Then the kids take to the water in a scramble race for Dawn’s camera

Fresh milk in summer and hot cocoa in winter has become a ritual of the mid-morning school break

School Elections

At the February Station School elections Daryl French was elected School Captain with Marcella Kinchela vice-captain.

Results of house captain elections were:—Cook House, Julie Binge (Girls), Tom Nean (Boys); Phillip House, Jenny Cutmore (Girls) and Lyall Munro (Boys).

COBB & CO. ROLLS AGAIN

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The old weatherboard building, with its heat-blistered walls, was the first administration centre for the world renowned Royal Flying Doctor Service.

From this small building, the service branched out over Australia and abroad, including centres in Africa.

In the early 1930’s the pedal radio heralded the start of a new era in the vast, sprawling outback and brought comfort and peace of mind to mothers with small children on the cattle stations.

Now the Cloncurry Flying Doctor Base is to be transferred to Mt. Isa (Q.) and the building is for sale.

The Cloncurry Rotary Club wants the building to be purchased by local community service organisations so that it can be preserved.