

Dear Editor,

Congratulations on *Dawn*. I hope other aboriginal people will read it with as much pleasure as I did.

I would like to read more about the Kinchela boys in *Dawn* and to see more photographs of them.

Dorothy Mitchell,
"Kurrajong," Muttama.

... Thanks for your nice letter, Dorothy. We hope to publish some more photographs of the Kinchela boys very shortly ... Ed.

Dear Editor,

It was indeed very kind of the Superintendent to explain the position about the repeal of the law allowing aborigines to have liquor. I don't think many of us were very worried, because we have seen just how liquor upsets our homes and leads to all kinds of other troubles. Anyhow, if an aborigine wants to have a drink, and he is a good citizen, he can always get a special exemption.

Mrs. J. R. (Kempsey).

... I quite agree, Mrs. J. R. I think you can rest assured that whatever the Board does is in the interests of the aborigines themselves. —Ed.

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Dear Editor,

I have noticed with marked interest the unanswered call for some full-blooded aborigines to take their place on the Aborigines Welfare Board, and, like the members of the Board, I can say it is a call in vain. The stipulation *full-blood* does not give every aborigine the chance to offer his services to a worthy cause. I am sure there would be many half-castes who would be more able to qualify for that position than there are full-bloods, seeing that they have a greater advantage in education and are more broadminded of the position and the development of the Board's scheme.

Robert J. Brown (Wreck Bay).

... Thanks, Mr. Brown, for your very interesting letter. While I must agree there are more half-castes than full-bloods available for the Board, I must point out that the half-castes are ALREADY represented, but to be quite fair and impartial, the Government wanted the full-bloods too to be also represented so they could present their particular points of view and their own problems. —Ed.

The Editors Mail



Dear Editor,

Many thanks for the prize I received. Everyone here at Cootamundra enjoys reading *Dawn* very much. We would like to see more about the girls in *Dawn*, though.

—Lorraine Darcy (Cootamundra).

... Glad the girls like *Dawn*, Lorraine, but I DID think the girls were being well represented. Have to see what we can do about more photographs, though. —Ed.

Tint Mosquitoes with Spray to Trace Their Migration.



Swamp-lands west of Chicago, favourite breeding grounds of the mosquito, were sprayed with red, green, purple and yellow dyes this year to "tag" 50,000,000 mosquitoes and learn how far they fly. Would a mosquito travel more than a mile to bite a man?

Officials think not, but to prove it they sprayed four marshes four different colours and then, as the tinted mosquitoes started out on their manhunt, set about to trace their migrations.