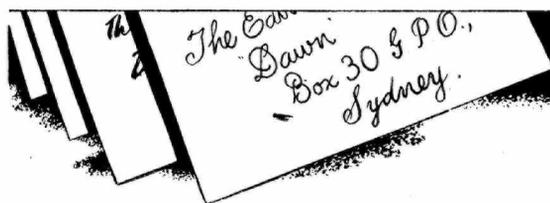


ALONG THE MAIL ROUTE



A very pretty wedding was held in the station church recently, when William Green, of Tabulam, married Jean Cameron, of Lismore. The bride looked lovely in a full length white frosted organdie frock. Her waist length veil was held in position by a circlet of orange blossoms, and she carried a bouquet of sweet peas and yellow jasmin. She was attended by Laura Daley, of Tabulam, Heather Daley, of Baryugil, and Aloma Collins, of Tabulam.

The bridesmaids, Laura and Heather, wore pale pink net ballerina frocks mounted on taffeta, pink satin halo headdresses with shoulder length veils, and carried posies of sweet peas and maidenhair fern.

The flower girl, Aloma Collins, wore a mauve shot faille ballerina length frock with a small hat and veil to match, and carried a basket of dianthus.

The ceremony was performed by Pastor Frank Roberts, of Cubawee. The bridegroom, William Green, was attended by his two nephews, Burwood and Robert Collins.

As the bride's frock was made by Mrs. Grealy of Tabulam, many of the town people were present, Woodenbong, Mallanganee and Baryugil were well represented, and two nurses from New Zealand who are at present working at Casino Memorial Hospital, came out to attend the ceremony.

The bouquets, hats and flower girl's frock were made by Matron N. Levin, the wonderful one tier cake by Mrs. A. Soorley, and decorated in pale pink and silver by the combined efforts of Mrs. Soorley and Mrs. Levin.

The bride and her attendants dressed at the Manager's residence, and were conveyed to the church by Mr. A. Soorley, School Teacher.

The little church which was filled, a big over-flow crowd standing outside, was beautifully decorated with wattle and paper flowers made by Mrs. Marjorie Marsh and Mrs. Alma Wilson.

The Wedding Reception was held in the Recreation Hall to over a hundred guests; the catering was done by Mrs. Florence Collins, the bridegroom's sister.

Two photographers came from Casino to take movie and stills of the happy couple with their attendants. Even the cake was given a place in the film, before it was finally eaten.

TABULAM ABORIGINAL SOCIAL CLUB.

The Social Club met recently to form a committee for 1956-1957, and assess their wealth after the harvesting of the Corn Crop, grown on the station, on shares with a local farmer.

All outstanding debts, which were considerable, were paid, and donations of £10 were given to both the Casino Memorial Hospital, and the Casino District Ambulance.

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LA PEROUSE, SMOKE SIGNAL SPOTTED IN THE FAR WEST, AND THE ANSWER COMES FROM WILCANNIA.

Mrs. Page's challenge has been taken up by Mrs. Len Moysey, of Wilcannia, who can produce, 12 sons and daughters, 90 grand-children, and 55 great grand-children: 157. How's that Mrs. Page? Mrs. Moysey is still hale and hearty.

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Another very old lady passed away last week, Mrs. Mitchill, who was believed to be 104. She left a very large family of sons, daughters, grand, great grand, and great great grandchildren.

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Melvie Simm, East Wasland.