

ABORIGINAL DEB PRESENTED AT GUYRA

Miss Jenny Irving of Guyra, was one of eight debutantes presented at the annual Guyra Catholic Ball recently.

The ball is one of the social highlights of Guyra. Miss Irving, who was partnered by Bob Faulkner, from Uralla, is believed to be the first Aboriginal girl to be presented at the ball.

She and her partner were a charming and popular couple.

Miss Irving wore a frock of white lace over taffeta. The frock featured a bell skirt and fitted bodice.

The debutantes were presented to Monsignor D. Hiscox, of Tenterfield and formerly of Guyra.

Rev. Father Kelly, of Guyra, congratulated all who had worked for the success of the ball.

He said he was more than delighted with the presentation of the debutantes, which was representative of all sections.

Father Kelly particularly commended Mrs. John Ray, who had trained the debutantes, and had arranged their presentation.

President of Guyra Shire, Cr. D. R. G. White, expressed his delight at being present, and he praised the work of Mrs. Ray.



Miss Irving poses before the ball, carrying her posy which featured a pink orchid centre surrounded by pastel flowers and tulle. Below, the full presentation group with Miss Irving and Mr. Faulkner at extreme right

