

Along the Mail Route

May Stephens and Lindsay Pickalla were married at Wallaga Lake last month.

A number of relations and friends attended the wedding in the Recreation Hall, and that night a supper dance was held in the hall to celebrate this great event.

His Lordship Bishop Young, of Yass, visited the Station last month, 2nd August, and held Mass in the Wallaga Lake Hall. His Lordship also confirmed young Basil Andy and Roy Thomas.

Beryl Andy is busy getting her trousseau ready for that important day this month when she will be known as Mrs. Ernest Brierly. The people of Wallaga are eagerly looking forward to the wedding, as they intend having a grand reception. The young couple have planned their honeymoon for Sydney.

Bob Parsons, of Wallaga Lake, has just sold his car. When asked the reason for disposing of it, he said that every time he started it, people thought there was an air raid and ran for shelter. So he thought he would let someone else have the "bomb"!

When the District Inspector of Schools, Mr. Lenehan, recently paid a visit to Wallaga Lake School, he congratulated the children on their good singing and their dress. The children were really splendidly attired and looked very smart sitting behind their new desks, which were fortunately received from Sydney the day before the inspection.

Everyone at Moree was delighted to see Mrs. Johnson home again after six months spent in and out of hospital in Sydney. Her stay, this time, is only to be a short one, but it is hoped it will not be long before she will be home to stay. Daughter Minnie, only fifteen, did an excellent job in working at the hospital and attending to the family's needs during her mother's absence.

Congratulations to Mrs. Brenda Binge, of Garah, on the birth of a son at the district hospital.

Moree handyman Jim Weldon is home again after a long sojourn in the hospital.

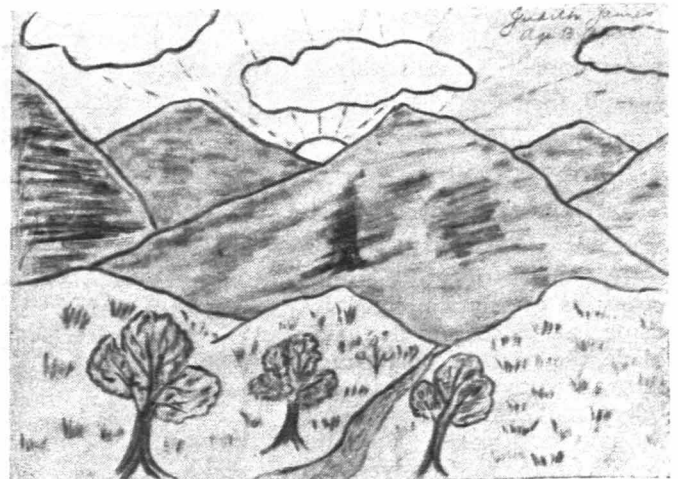
Brownies Alice French, Clare Binge, Frances Binge and Thelma Johnson, visited the McMaster ward at the Moree hospital recently and distributed magazines and toys to the patients.

The newly formed mixed basket-ball team is providing a lot of fun amongst the young (and not so young), although the girls would like the boys to remember that they are not playing football. It was good to see Mrs. Binge and Mrs. Duke on the field.

Last month Lone Guides Mary French, Edna Madden and Wendy Bridge, were invited to join the 1A Moree Company on a hike and had a most enjoyable time. (We hope there was not too much ash mixed with the steak and chops!)

The Moree Brownie Pack is very grateful to the Divisional Commissioner, Miss Coulter, of Moree, who presented them with a fine pennant recently.

When Dr. Beith paid a visit to the school last month he reported that the youngsters' hair needed special attention. All mothers are urged to seek the advice of the Matron on the matter and to pay special attention to their children's hair. Remember, your child's health is important.



Thirteen year-old Judith James of Taree, won a special prize for this splendid drawing.