



Along the Mail Route

Frank Mitchell, of Woodenbong, and his energetic wife Eileen, have made a nice little vegetable garden for themselves around their home.

This should serve as an example to others who have not yet realised the value of having some home-grown vegetables at hand.

Harry Meonsell, one of the old-timers at Woodenbong, has been bitten by the gold bug and for some weeks now has been planning to set out into the mountains to prospect for gold.

In the meantime, he has taken over a job pulling corn cobs to earn some extra cash for his gold-seeking venture.

Pilliga residents mourn the passing of Ernest Adams, a very old and respected resident of the district. Ernest Adams, who was a splendid type of aborigine, had been an inmate of the Wee Waa hospital for the past six months.

The children from Wallaga Lake Station recently took part in the Quaama School Sports.

There was great jubilation on the Station when young Kevin Parson returned with the cup he had won. Congratulations, Kev.!

Valerie Thomas, of Wallaga Lake, is busy getting her trousseau ready for her wedding this month. Bob Andy is to be the handsome bridegroom and he is now known as "Lucky Bob."

Mrs. Stella Ord, of Woodenbong Station, is a patient in Kyogle Hospital. Husband, Cyril, is anxiously awaiting her return home to relieve him of the job of looking after the youngsters and making dampers.

Wallace Meonsell, of Woodenbong, has been making a name for himself at Brisbane Stadium, and the critics say he could develop into a champion if he would train seriously.

Strange how many of our aboriginal athletes could really do good if they would take their training seriously.

A Boxing tournament will be held in the Wallaga Lake Recreational Hall on June 27 to raise funds for the Bega District Ambulance.

The promoters anticipate plenty of very willing bouts.

Mr. John Longbottom, Handyman at Roseby Park, and Mrs. Longbottom have just returned to the Station after spending a holiday with their son on his farm at Jamberoo.

Fifty-six year old William Chatfield, of Burra Bee Dee, was recently accidently drowned in the river at Dubbo.

A returned soldier, the late Mr. Chatfield left a large grown-up family.

Many of the Roseby Park residents are absent from the Station, crop picking further down the coast in the Bodalla district. It is hoped that this work continues to be plentiful.



Guess who's got the lolly! Lola Ingram, Harry Drew, Sonia Nicholls and Margaret Marks, of Condobolin.