

Along the Mail Route

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. George Longbottom, of La Perouse, on the arrival of a brand-new daughter.

Congratulations also to Mr. and Mrs. Joe ("Bud") Timbery, of La Perouse, on the addition of a son to their family.

The La Perouse Girl's Cricko Team won this season's competition in their particular division, and say they will do even better next year.



Wesley Day, of Moonacullah, giving his little brother Edgar a ride on the new motor bike.

Residents of La Perouse mourn the passing of Mrs. Robert Simms, after a long illness.

The Editor of *Dawn* recently paid a hurried visit to Wreck Bay and was delighted to see so many of the residents taking a keen interest in their gardens.

The Stork recently paid a visit to Coonabarabran and left a son for Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Watton.

The management and the residents of Tabulam Station are congratulating the school teacher and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Soorley, on the return of their son John from hospital in Brisbane. John is almost one year old and promises already to become another (Soorley) footballer.

Having completed a tennis court, which is proving a wonderful boon to the station, the residents of Bellbrook are now thinking of a cricket pitch.

A team of aborigines recently played the local team from the Bellbrook township, and surprised everyone by beating them. Bellbrook scored 175, of which the Station supervisor, L. Ellem, contributed 52 retired, but Bill McDonald came to the rescue of the aborigines with a well compiled 95. Denzil Quinlin scored 39, and then George Cohen assisted with some hurricane hitting towards the close of the day. Jimmy Kelly showed good form with the ball, and should do well this year.

A cricket pitch has been put down at the school and the boys are very enthusiastic about it. The school now has a tennis court, cricket pitch, a volley ball set, a circlos set, soccer ball and medicine balls. Football is of course a favourite, and with the creek handy for swimming, the school children are well equipped for sport.

The Manager and Matron of Tabulam Station were very pleased to welcome the Chairman of the Board, Mr. Buttsworth, also Mr. Saxby, during their visit to the North Coast.



The Nolan family from Dubbo: Valda, Bill, Peggy and Joan.