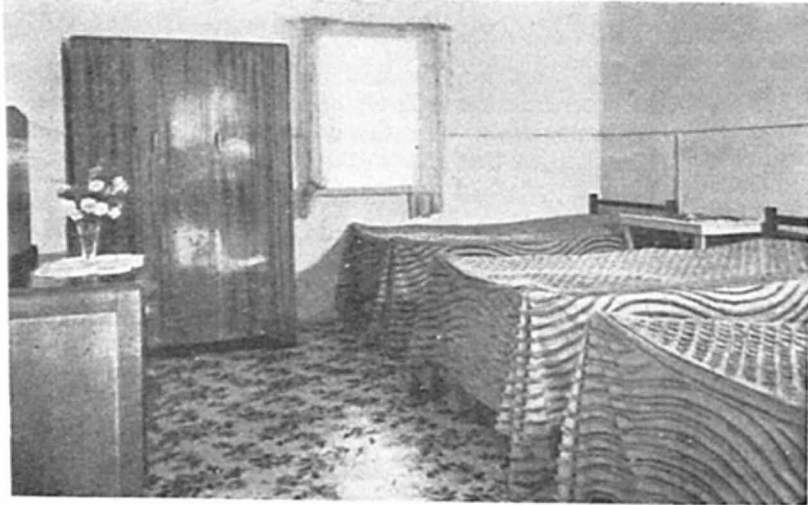




A good view of the "Centre" Project showing main building, bathroom (at left), water tower, tank, copper, wash troughs, all put in by the "Centre" committee. Note the contrast of old and new, and the electric light on building.



The girls' bedroom.



Kathleen Wise (13 years) makes her own bed.

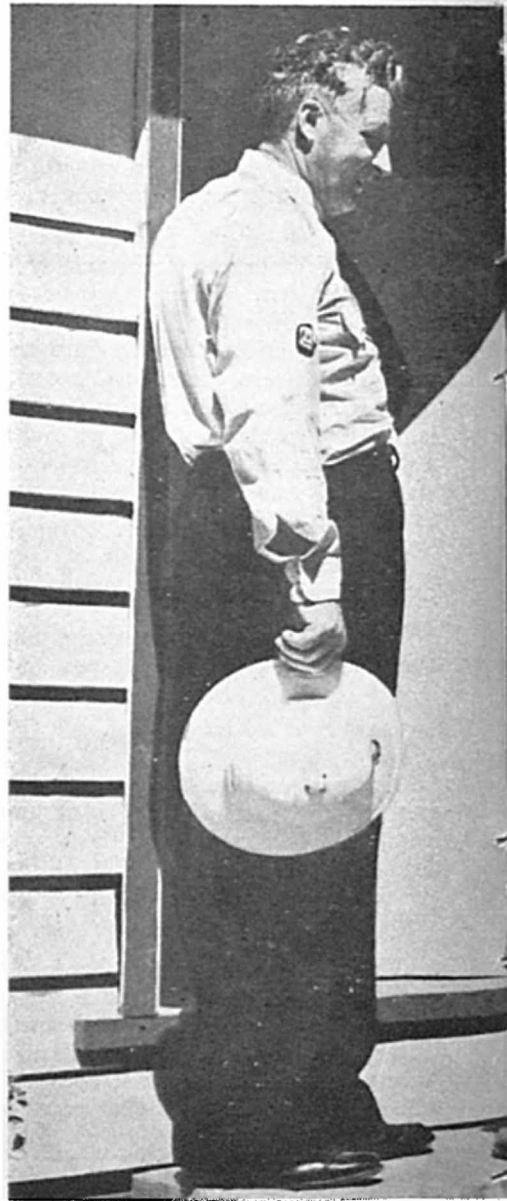
## THE SWAN HILL DISTRICT

The Swan Hill District Native Children's Centre is a lasting monument to the foresight, energy and initiative of Sgt. Feldtmann.

The Centre, which was officially opened by Cr. Duncan Douglass, was built within four months of subscriptions. Local residents donated the land and local and district residents subscribed to the building.

Sergeant Feldtmann said that all work was done voluntarily, which had saved the committee a great deal of money. He had given their services freely on Saturday and was proud of the result, and he was sure all who were in kind would feel enriched in the knowledge of the practical nature to help our native children.

"You should all be very proud of what we have given our native children something really good."



Sgt. Feldtmann (the originator of project) representative, to take over