

Burra Bee Dee Concert

Recently an enjoyable concert was held in the School Building of Burra Bee Dee. Real troupers the children were under the tuition and leadership of Barbara Sorby, who also compered the show.

Under the leadership of the Matron, a fortnight later a fancy dress dance was run to raise funds for a battery transmitter radiogram for the Station.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Hawkins, of Coonabarabran, judged the fancy dressers and had quite a job separating the

winners, and in one section declared a dead heat. The Manager thanked them for giving their time up to come to the Station, and little Denise Griffith presented Mrs. Hawkins with a basket of flowers grown on the Station as a token of appreciation. Mr. Hawkins then played the piano for the dancing for the night. The result was most gratifying as £9 3s. od. was cleared for the night. No one person could be singled out for special thanks as all put their shoulder to the wheel which made it turn successfully. Three hearty cheers were given for Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins and the singing of the Queen brought to an end a happy night.



ABORIGINES' WEEK

During Aborigines' week, one of Sydney's major stores, Farmer & Co., arranged an Aborigine Crafts Exhibition, which attracted big crowds and provoked some very favourable comment.

Writing to the Board, the Company said:—

“We appreciate your assistance in securing for us the services of Mr. John Timbery and Mr. Joe Timbery, to demonstrate Aboriginal Crafts during Aborigines' week.

We would like to say how pleased we were with their punctuality, their conscientiousness, their skill, and above all, the very pleasant manner they showed to a great number of people who watched them at work and who asked them many questions. Their personal appearance was excellent and we were very happy indeed to have had them with us for the period of two weeks.”