

PRIZE TO ABORIGINAL CHILDREN

Two Aboriginal students were amongst prize winners at the Annual Prize Presentation of Nowra Technical College on September 23.

They were Mr. Ted Stewart, from Worrigea and Miss Patsy McLeod of Wreck Bay.

The prizes were presented by Councillor C. F. Shirley of Shoalhaven Shire Council.

Ted received his award for proficiency in the Motor Maintenance Course and Patsy was successful in the handicraft course for women.

Nowra Technical College has conducted an evening motor maintenance course for Aboriginals for the past two years, and this year commenced handicraft classes for Aboriginal women.

Approximately 45 Aboriginal people were amongst the crowd at the prize-giving function. They stayed for supper afterwards.

The Motor Maintenance Course has proved so popular that intending students should make early application for enrolment.



Above: Cr. C. F. Shirley presenting her prize to Patsy McLeod. In the background are the Technical College Local Committee Chairman, Mr. F. O. Moorhouse, and (at right) the Headmaster of Nowra High School, Mr. M. E. Sykes



Below: Ted Stewart receiving his award from Cr. Shirley. The Principal of Nowra Technical College, Mr. S. Potts, is seated at left