

CHURCH NEWS.

Captain Trott and Polgen were entertained at a special welcome Dance at the Park Memorial Hall on Friday night last, and then on the following night, showed some excellent films at the picture theatre grounds.

They left to continue their travels in North Queensland on the "Irex" on Monday morning.

A strange vessel seen off the jetty brought some startled looks until it was realized the strange object was only a 3000 gallon tank pushed on top of one of the large flatties, and being towed to easement, where it is to be part of the water system of the Roman Catholic Mission.

BASKET BALL

The second fixture match of the season was played between the "Swifts" and the "Bluebirds", i.e. the Women's Dormitory and the Small Girls Dormitory teams respectively, on Sunday last.

The "Bluebirds" started off in great style, but were overtaken by the "Swifts", who eventually won by 22 goals to 17.

Next week the match will be the Monitress V The Magpies."

FOOTBALL.

A football match was played on Saturday, between "Wattle" and "Shamrock."

There's a story about the new English jet plane that goes 600 miles an hour. The pilot was testing it on its first flight when he noticed a button he hadn't seen before. He pressed it - and zoomed up and up at a dreadful rate of speed. There seemed no stopping the plane's climbing. The pilot breathed in sharply.

"Oh, Lord," he whispered.
And a voice out of the blue answered "Yes?"