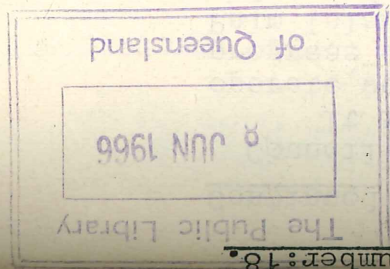


An important event took place at Palm Island on Tuesday last, 17th May. This was the first Palm Island Council Elections which commenced at 9 a.m. and at which 337 electors came along to record their vote. It is pleasing to note that only 13 votes were classed by the scrutineers and election officers

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memory of the late Cannon Gribble, who was an ardent supporter of the Scout Movement on Palms. A short address was given by the Group Scout Master "Brolga" Krause on the significance of Anzac Day and the meaning of the word "digger". After the sounding of the Last Post and the Reveille all joined in the singing of the National Anthem. The colour parties came forward to receive their flags and led the guides and scouts out of the Chapel.

Afternoon tea was then partaken of, after which the party returned to Palms. On arrival at Palm Island the Girl Guides gathered at the school and the District Commissioner Mrs. Krause on behalf of the girls spoke in appreciation of Miss Daybell's service as the Guide Captain and on behalf of the Guides she presented Miss Daybell with some Palm Island novelties. Miss Daybell is due to leave for overseas within the next week and she departs from Palm Island on Saturday the 30/4/66.

BOXING NEWS.

The exhibition of Boxing that was performed on Saturday night was fair, the interest in this sport is gradually waning.

The boys were very interested at first and it was hoped that they would have kept this attitude throughout the ~~year~~ season. Some of the young boys who have not been preparing for their bout, have gone into the boxing ring and as soon as he realizes that the other fellow has an advantage over him, pretends to be knocked out instead of continuing with the match. This shows that he is not a good sport and he should not be permitted to participate in the any sport at all if he is going to perform in such a manner. If you want to join in any sport, not only boxing, but any sport, then you must learn to accept the victories and the defeat in a proper manner, as only good sportsmen do. We hope that the next Boxing Tournament will prove to be a lot more interesting!