

***Workers' Voice*, 25 March 1939, p. 4, Another Strike at N.S.W. Mission**

Many of the aboriginal families who recently went back to Cummeroogunga Mission Station (N.S.W.) have since returned to their strike camp at Barmah (Victoria) because of the overbearing attitude of the mission station manager (Mr McQuiggan).

Several families have remained at Barmah constantly, despite press reports that all the strikers returned to the mission. All the aborigines are determined to maintain their fight for an official inquiry into the administration of the station.

More than £8 was donated by a sympathetic crowd at the Yarra Bank last Sunday after Mr George Patten, an official of the New South Wales Aborigines' Progressive Association, had addressed them.

Mr Patten thanked the Communist Party for closing their meeting early to allow him to speak.

The strikers at Barmah are urgently in need of cash, food, or clothing. Donations may be sent to this office. They will be acknowledged in the "Voice".

A big aboriginal meeting at which Mr J. T. Patten (recently convicted in N.S.W. under a statute of 1887) will speak. "Voice" readers are urged to attend.