SYDNEY. — Three Australians were last night chosen as 1971 Britannica Award winners.

The awards, each of \$10,000 and a gold medal, went to Arthur Boyd (arts), Prof. D. H. Pike (humanities) and Prof. R. Hanbury-Brown (science). The awards are made

annually by Encyclopaedia Britannica of Australia Pty. Ltd., and cover art. education, literature, medicine and science.

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CLASSROOMS IN THE GARDENS GWOOD COUNCIL last night agreed ary classrooms being set up in Darling Gardens,

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The Education Minister, Mr Thompson, met council officials last night and reached the agreement.

The classrooms will take about 400 children while e Collingwood Education tre is being built.

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Arthur Boyd, 51, probably the best-known member of the famous Boyd family, returned to Australia six weeks ago to take up a fellowship in the creative arts at the Australian National University, Canberra.

Since 1959 Arthur Boyd has mainly lived and exhibited in London, where he has established an international reputation as a painter.

ARTHUR BOYD

PROF. PIKE

General

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Prof. Pike, 63, won the award for his work as general editor of the "Australian Dictionary of Biography."

The fourth volume of the dictionary is now in the press and 11 more volumes are planned.

Prof. Hanbury - Brown, 55, professor of astronomy at the University of Sydney, has an international reputation for his contribution to astronomy and radio astronomy.