



Miss Alys Duncan, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Duncan, of Wellington.

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PUBLIC EYE PROMINENT PEOPLE

LADY JELlicoe spent a few days as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gaisford at Oringi toward the end of July. During her stay she twice followed the Dannevirke hounds.

Her Excellency will be the guest of Mrs. Marmaduke Bethell, Pahau Pastures, for the North Canterbury Hunt on August 6th, and will attend the Hunt Ball at Culverden on August 7th.

An occasion that must have held particular interest for the Governor-General was the opening of Flock House, near Bulls. Here the sons of British seamen killed or wounded in the war will be trained as farmers. Lord Jellicoe's interest in all who "go down to the sea in ships," either in the Navy or the Merchant Marine, is always evident, and few of his official duties can have given him greater pleasure than the inauguration of this recognition by the Dominion of the great services that have been rendered by sailors to the Empire.

Sir Lindo and Lady Ferguson expect to leave at the end of August for Canada and the States, in connection with the conferring of fellowships. Sir Lindo has had the high distinction of being invited to accept the honorary fellowship of the American College of Surgeons (a body which corresponds to our Royal College of Surgeons). Dr. Carrick Robertson is the only other New Zealand doctor to receive this same high tribute to good work done in the cause of medicine. They will be the guests of the College of Surgeons in New York from October 20-24, and many visits to

medical institutions in both countries are contemplated. They hope to come back in December.

Miss Peggy Thomas, the daughter of the Colonial Secretary, is just now coming much into the public eye. Next year she is to be

presented at Court, and, with Miss Ishbel MacDonald, seems destined to play a not inconsiderable part in Labour's social amenities (says a *London Star* writer). Her real name is Agnes Lilian, and it was when nursing at the Duchess of Connaught's hospital at Cliveden during the war that she was dubbed "Peggy" by the Canadian and American soldiers there, and the name has clung to her ever since. She is twenty-three years of age, rides, plays golf and tennis, and has a more than passing interest in music. A happy disposition has been polished by a liberal education, and it is obvious that the Labour leaders, in fitting themselves for the possibility of taking office, did not overlook the part that would have to be played by their womenfolk.

Sir George and Lady Fenwick, Sir Benjamin and Lady Fuller, and many other leading visitors from overseas, were entertained at a garden party by Lady Waring in the beautiful grounds of Foot's Cray Place, in Kent, England, recently. The grounds include about 60 acres of beautiful woods, which at the present time are carpeted with a wonderful display of bluebells. Another feature of special interest there is the French Garden, with its quaintly shaped trees. The Margaret Morris dancers gave a display during the afternoon, and the band of the Welsh Guards played.

Miss Catherine Good, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Good, of Hawera. On page 13 is a portrait of her sister, Miss Margaret Good.



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