# March 23

## INVERCARGILL 680 k.c. 441 m.

7. Oa.m. Daventry news 7.10 Breakfast session

9, 0-9.15 (approx.) Daventry news

Recordings

12. 0-2.0 p.m. Luncheon session

12.30 Daventry news 5. 0 Light music

Children's session 5.30

Ninety-second Southland anniversary

Daventry news

"One Good Deed a Day" 6.45

Re-broadcast of official news

7.10 (approx.) After dinner music (7.30 station announcements)

Local results

Shall we dance?

9 0 Daventry news

"The Kentucky Minstrels": A unique programme providing an interesting and popular revival of minstrel entertainment on the 9.30 radio

10. 0 Close down

## 3ZR GREYMOUTH 940k.c. 319 m.

7. 0 a.m. Paventry news
7.10 Breakfast session
9. 0 Paventry news
9.10 Morning programme
10. 0-10.10 Weather report
12. 0 Luncheon music
12.30 p.m. Daventry news
2. 0 Light recordings
3. 0 Afternoon programme
4. 0 Daventry news
6. 0 Light variety
6. 0 Light variety
6. 0 Daventry news
6. 0 Light variety
6. 10 Daventry news
6. 11 Daventry news
6. 12 Daventry news
6. 13 Daventry news
6. 14 Daventry news
6. 15 Daventry news
6. 16 Daventry news
6. 17 Weather report and station notices
7. 0 News service issued by the Prime Minister's Department
7.15 Spotlight parade
7.46 Gracie at the Theatre
8. 0 Debate by the teams from the Federated Catholic Clubs and Societies of New Zealand (South Island).
8 Subject: "That a Nation's Commerce is Greater than its Culture"
9. 0 Daventry news
9.20 "The Rich Uncle for The Commerce of The The Commerce

9. 0 barentry news
9.20 "The Rich Uncle from Fili"
9.32 "The Rich Uncle from Fili"
9.32 Daneing to correct tempo by Maxwell Stewart's Baltroom Melody, Josephine Bradley and her Orchestra; Interludes by Bing Crosby
10. 0 (approx.) The Judge's comments on the debate broadcast between 8 and

9 o'clock 10. 5 (approx.) Close down

### 2YH NAPIER 760 k.c. 395 m.

7.10 Breakfast session
9. 0 Daventry news
11. 0 Light music

12. 0 Light music

12. 0-2.0 p.m. Lunch session

12.30 Daventry news

5. 0 Light music

5.45 For the children, featuring "Westward Ho!"

ward 1101"
"Carson Robison and his Pioneers"
Daventry news
"The Japanese Houseboy"

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Weather report and forecast for Hawke's Bay
Summary of cricket results
Re-broadcast of Government news
"The Circle of Shiva"
Concert session: Eric Coates and Symphony Orchestra, "Valee" from "London Again Suite," "By the Tamarisk" (Coates)
Dennis Noble (baritone), "Famous Ballads by Frederick Weatherley"
Boston Promenade Orchestra, "Coppella," "Dance of the Automatone" and "Waltz Czardas" 2.12

Enid Cruickshank (contralto) Grand Symphony Orchestra, "South of the Alps" Suite 8.53

9.0 bayentry news

9.20 "The Crimson Trail"

Light music 9.31 10. 0 Close down

NELSON 920 k.c. 327 m.

7. 0 p.m. Programme of nopular music Concert programme

8.10

"Singapore Spy" (14)
"Radio Revue": An all-star programme, featuring Claude Hulbert, Bobby Comber and the Three Colonial Cousins, Variety orchestra under the direction of Paul England

"Night Club," featuring Ted Fio 9. 0 Rito's orchestra

Swing session 9.30

10. 0 Close down

## 2YD WELLINGTON 990 k.c. 303 m.

"You Asked For It": From listeners to listeners

10. 0 Close down

AUCKLAND 1250 k.c. 240 m.

1. 0 p.m. Band music, vocal gems, light orchestral and popular recordings
2.20 Piano and miscellaneous selections
4. 0 Organ selections, light vocal numbers, popular medleys
5. 0 Light orchestral and popular items
7. 0 Sports results and comments:
"Bill" Hendry
7.30 Orchestral programme
8. 0 Dance session
12. 0 Close down

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## Gardening Talks



1YA: Tuesday, March 19, at 7.30 p.m.

2YA: Wednesday, March 20, at 7.30 p.m.

3YA: Monday, March 18, at 7.35 p.m.

4YA: Thursday, March 21, at  $7.30 \, p.m.$ 

4YZ: Wednesday, March 20, at 8 p.m.

3ZB: Monday, March 18, 6.45 p.m., and Thursday, March 21, 6.30 p.m.

4ZB: Saturday, March 23, 6.45

p.m. 2ZA: Wednesday, March 20, 7.15 p.m.

## YOUR GARDEN AND MINE

By Ann Earncliff Brown (No. 25)

AS New Zealand alpines and herbaceous subjects are now much 🖊 🗘 more frequently grown in rock gardens and raised borders, New Zealand gardeners are coming to appreciate the range and beauty of these native wild flowers from sub-alpine regions. Beside mountain streams and in the shade of rocky ridges are found mountain lilies; senecios favour damp rock cavities; and celmisias star the more open spaces above the bush-line. Not all of us can hope to see these in their wonderful natural settings, unfortunately

While alpines can be transplanted from their native haunts quite successfully at this season of the year, it is also possible and satisfactory to raise alpines from seed. Moist and partially shaded rock gardens or raised, welldrained borders are suitable for these subjects. Where stiff clay sub-soils prevail, a layer of clinkers is advisable to provide good drainage. A little shingle and lime rubble in the soil is also an advantage. Native buttercups appreciate "the shadow of a rock in a thirsty land."

As seed for sowing should be gathered when fresh, it is wise to sow thickly to allow for some immature seeds. A seed bed suitable for alpines requires:

(a) A layer of clinkers covered with rough, chopped turfs,

(b) Six inches of clean loam with 1 part sand and 2 parts leaf mould added,

(c) A scrim-covered framework to cover seed bed.

Firm the seed bed, sow the seeds in rows, press down, and cover with thin layer of sifted soil. Water carefully with rose spray and cover with scrim.

Germination of some varieties will not take place till spring. If seedlings are too thick, thin out; but leave the wanted plants in seed beds till the following autumn, when they can be transferred to their permanent positions.

Punga ferns grow in the average garden where some shelter is given. A little hay forked over them will protect against injury from severe frosts. All New Zealand ferns can be grown most easily in bush houses where their native habitat is carefully reproduced. These ferns, if grown in pots or the mossy cavities of native tree trunks, are very successful and decorative under the shelves of the ordinary greenhouse.

### Mountain Lilies

The mountain fily (Ranunculus lyalli), flowers in its second or third year after sowing, and remains a good garden subject for two or even three years, but should then be replaced by fresh seedlings.

### Veronicas

Veronicas, white, blue, and purple, range from minute prostrate plants to tall, almost tree-like shrubs. As veronicas are not long-lived, but grow readily from cuttings, it is wise to have a supply of fresh strikes to replace those plants which are dying out.

