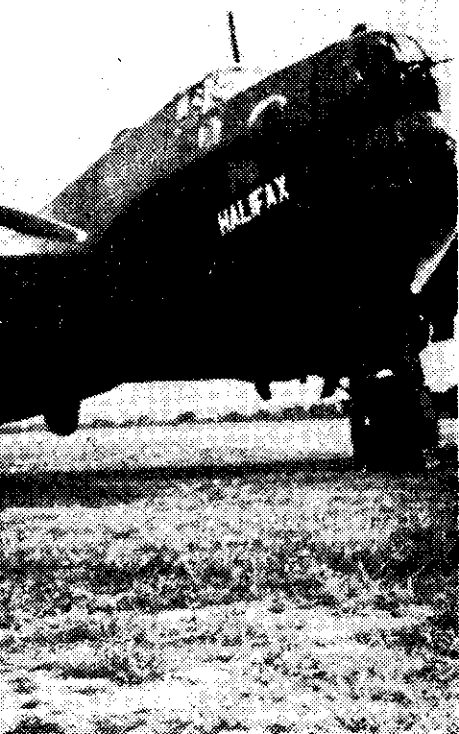


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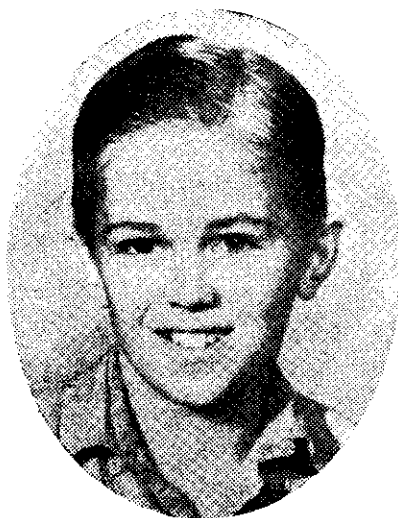


BBC photograph

commentator, interviews the pilot of a Halifax bomber. "The Halifax" is a BBC nightly overseas programme



will sing four songs by Grieg, including a recital from Station 3YA at 8.26 p.m. on January 23



ALISTAIR ROBERTS, young Australian boy actor, plays the role of William Catlyle in "East Lynne," heard from all ZB stations at 2 p.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays



JOHN SCOTT, tenor, will sing five songs from Station 3YA's studio at 7.58 p.m. on Friday, January 23



"SPEED" ROBERTSON, hero of all air-minded young listeners to the ZB stations, is one of the daring "aces" in "The Air Adventures of Jimmie Allen," which from January 22, will be heard from all ZB stations on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays

Items From The ZB's

AS a test of public reaction to the Sunday afternoon series, *Accent on Youth*, station 4ZB recently conducted a popularity poll, votes being sent in from as far north as Auckland. *Accent on Youth* features groups of young artists usually heard on Sunday afternoons in 20 minute cameos and on a recent Sunday a full hour was set aside for a "grand parade" of all who have participated in the programmes. The poll was topped by Dave Christensen, the boy cornetist, whose picture appeared in a recent *Lis-tener*, with the singers Delda Osborne and June Holmes, following. These three, and other clever young Dunedin artists, will in future be heard in the *Accent on Youth* cameos every Tuesday at 6.30 p.m.

SONGS of Yesteryear, the musical session broadcast from 4ZB every Tuesday evening at 7.45 p.m., is further proof that the taste of the average listener in these days of ragged and war-worried nerves is for neither high-brow nor lowbrow music, for neither violent swing nor arid classics, but something between the two. *Songs of Yesteryear* is essentially a session of favourite, well remembered ballads, recalled at a fireside. An old reed organ, a 'cello and a male quartet provide the music, and the songs are as familiar and timeless as "Just a Song at Twilight" and "When You and I Were Young."

AMONG the Christmas and New Year greetings broadcast from the ZB stations was a message from Fred and Maggie Everybody and Daisy Sprogins, who in private life are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Howell, and their daughter Madeleine. Their greetings were distinctly "in character" though there was an underlying note of seriousness in their thought for children in hospitals and those who were celebrating Christmas apart from their families. The Howells visited New Zealand a few years ago, and made many friends here.

PROGRAMME Notes: The "Lone Ranger," hero of countless young people in both America and New Zealand, will ride again in the near future. The voice of the "Lone Ranger" was killed in a motor car accident last year, but a new voice has been found with which to continue his adventures. *The Lone Ranger Rides Again* starts from the ZB's on Thursday, January 29, and will be heard at 7.30 p.m. from all stations. The Musical Army is on vacation during the school holidays, but will re-start on Tuesday, February 10. There are Musical Armies at all ZB stations, and they are on the air twice weekly in the children's session. New serials soon to be heard from the commercial stations are *On His Majesty's Service*, a modern tale of espionage inside Nazi Germany, and *One Girl in a Million*. Starting dates will be announced shortly.