

PROGRAMMES



of the Dunedin community sings, with Ali Pettitt, the pianist. The songs are by 4YA



"THE SPORTSMAN," who broadcasts weekly in the Budget of Sport session from 4YZ on Fridays, is A. V. Veast, of Invercargill



Alan Blakey photograph
MARJORIE GULLY, who will play a sonata by Glazounov from 1YA at 8.36 p.m. on Wednesday, June 3



MYRA SAWYER, soprano, will give studio recital from 2YA at 8.29 p.m. on Friday, June 5. She will sing songs by Bayly, MacKenzie, Lover and Bishop



PETER DAWSON helped to launch the Liberty Loan Campaign in Wellington, by singing at a street display. Here he is buying a £1 bond from a member of the W.A.A.F.



"THE ROMANCE OF SPELLING" is the title of a recorded talk by Professor Arnold Wall, which will be heard from 4YA at 10.40 a.m. on June 3



S. P. Andrew photograph
SONGS BY DELIUS will be sung by Thomas E. West, tenor, in a programme of Elgar and Delius from 3YA on Friday evening, June 5

Items From The ZB's

ELEVEN pounds ten shillings in hard cash was paid out to a lucky entrant in a recent "Give It a Name" broadcast from Station 2ZB. The prize of course was "jackpotted" up to this amount, the question having not been answered for a succession of sessions. The question was: "Who was the British politician born in 1858 who became prominent in Glasgow in the iron and steel trade; who entered Parliament in 1900 and soon made a reputation as a speaker, especially on business matters; who became leader of the House in 1918-21 and Prime Minister in 1922-23; whose political honesty was never questioned by friend or foe, and who died in 1923?" The correct reply of "Mr. Bonar Law" brought with it that very worthwhile prize. "Give It a Name" jackpots is broadcast by 2ZB at 8.45 p.m. on Mondays.

WHAT'S your pet enthusiasm? If it's gardening, don't call it a "hobby" to "Snowy," 2ZB's gardening expert. Gardening is a very serious subject with him and his listeners, and the new Compost Club which has been formed by members of his radio audience is a club with a purpose. On a recent Saturday, Ben Roberts, M.P., appeared with "Snowy" in his morning talk to garden lovers, and they started the foundations for this club, whose aims are to make gardeners soil-conscious, and to provide a rich ground for generations of gardeners to come. It won't be long now, they say—and certainly hope—before the sight and smell of the garden bonfire will be things of the past. For the Saturday suburban smoke they aim to substitute the humus compost heap, so listeners who are interested in such developments should not fail to tune in to 2ZB's gardening session.

AFTER such successful features as *The House of Peter MacGregor*, *Lost Empire*, and *Academy Award*, New Zealand listeners have come to rely on the C. P. MacGregor Studies for something outstanding in radio entertainment. That description, we are told, applies to *The Hawk*, which recently commenced from Station 4ZB, Dunedin. *The Hawk* is a fast-moving adventure story of crime and criminals. It has an unusual "twist," however, which takes it far out of the usual detective story category, and the suspense and excitement are maintained throughout the whole series. An admirably chosen cast is headed by Bruce Payne in the role of Inspector Dunning, and many listeners will, no doubt, have recognised the voice as that of Dr. John Roberts in *The House of Peter MacGregor*. *The Hawk* is broadcast from 4ZB every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday evening at 8.45.