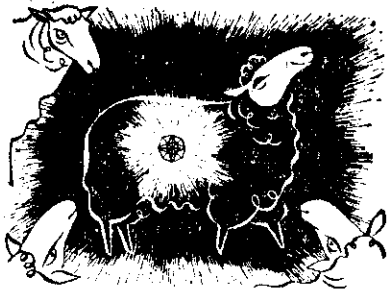


## NEW RADIO PLAYS FOR SUNDAY EVENINGS

**A**FTER 18 months of comparative inactivity, the Drama Production Department of the NBS has begun producing plays again, and the first of a new batch will be heard on Sunday, September 19. Production and recording of plays ceased early in 1942 when shortage of disc blanks and casting difficulties held everything up.

Six new plays are now scheduled, and some have already been recorded. They will be heard in the early evening programme from 2YC on the third Sunday of each month. The first one, on September 19, is a farce by H. R. Jeans



"This Sheep Made News"—Martha, who swallowed a diamond

(author of *500,000 Dogs Went to Town* and *The English Love Music*). It is called *This Sheep Made News*, and concerns the strange adventures of a sheep which swallowed a diamond.

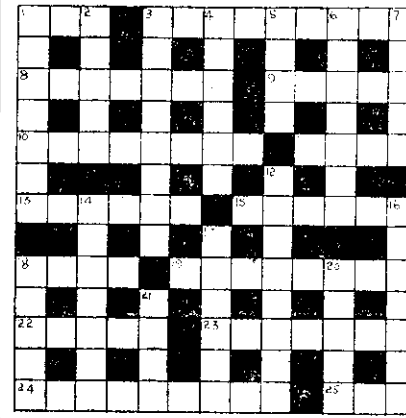
The October play will be *Pipe Dream*, by a New Zealander, J. Wilson Hogg, who won a radio-play competition in 1937. He is at present teaching in New South Wales, and the theme of his new play derives from the tale of the Pied Piper of Hamelin—in *Pipe Dream* the piper whistles all the rogues out of Nazi Germany.

Another comedy by Jeans, *Did Bacon Eat Lamb?* calls up, with the aid of a Time-Machine, the voices of Chaucer, Milton, Leigh Hunt, Byron, Gray, Shelley, Keats and others in an absurd but clever satire.

*Red is the Morning*, a drama written by Cecil Maiden and set in Soviet Russia during the German advance on Sebastopol is the December fixture, and it will be followed in January and February by *Three Men on a Raft* (J. Jefferson Farjeon), and *Ten Minute Walk* (a thriller by H. R. Jeans). These plays will be heard from other stations also in their turn.

## THE LISTENER CROSSWORD

(No. 159: Constructed by R.W.C.)



### Clues Across

1. The lowest form of wit.
3. Shl pips are made into gems.
8. Not sure (anag.).
9. You could see this in the panes.
10. Not a neat way to make notes.
11. This could be a bore.
13. Demand for a repetition.
15. Pussy precedes a European queen in a connected series.
18. A good thing to be on, perhaps, but usually a bad thing to be in.
19. Heura pot (anag.).
22. Feminine of ruff.
23. Gentle breezes.
24. Invite pal in a melancholy way.
25. Plaything.

### Clues Down

1. Get a pot to make a stew.
2. No inn provides this.
3. He trusts to keep out burglars with these, perhaps.
4. Frequently describes a kettle of fish.
5. Deception in jest.
6. Rebuke.
7. French monkey found in Genesis.
12. Socrates' wife.
14. Her coal (anag.).
16. Stay, men! here is a general pardon.
17. Japanese cheer (not to be confused with the Bronx cheer).
18. Here you see us pry into some sticky business.
20. Is the G.P. yet in this country?
21. Sign concealed in 19 across.

(Answer to No. 158)



# I.C.S.

## TRAINED MEN

### ALWAYS Succeed

Below are some of the 300 I.C.S. Courses of Training, all of which can be studied at home.

Accountancy exams	Radio Engineering
Secretarial exams	Radio Service Exam
Book-keeping	Architecture
Matriculation	Building Contractor
Advertising	Concrete Engineer
Salesmanship (any branch)	Structural Engineer
Showcard Writing	ing
Commercial Illustration	Drafting (any branch)
Fashion Drawing	Aeroplane Engineer
Journalism	Ground Eng. License
Short Story Writing	Motor Engineer
General Education	Diesel Engineer
A.M.I.C.E.	Civil Engineer
A.M.I.E.E.	Surveying
A.M.I.M.E.	Municipal Engineer
Shorthand-Typing	Steam Certificate
Chemistry	Window Display
(Analytical)	Mechanical Engineer
Business Management	Foundry Work
Plumbing	Mining (Coal, Gold)
Air Conditioning	Electrical Engineer
Sheet Metal Work	Elec. Power and
Office Training	Lighting
Station Book-keeping	Wiring License
Carpentry	Farming
Quantity Estimating	(all branches)
Dressmaking	Farm Book-keeping
	Refrigeration
	Professional Exams

(Underline your subject above—if not on list write it here.....)

Enquiries cost only a 1d. Post Now!

Name.....

Address.....

Become a Trained Man. Earn Promotion and more money. Write NOW to

INTERNATIONAL CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOLS

Dept. L. 182 Wakefield St., Wellington

## CAVALCADE OF MUSIC IN N.Z.

"The Story of Music"

in New Zealand is the History of Begg's

No. 6: 1911—1920

## GRAND OPERA

Throughout the lifetime of the House of Begg's, New Zealand music-lovers have been favoured with visits from many world-famous concert artists and opera companies. The first grand opera company to visit this country came in 1872. In 1917 the Gonsalez Italian Grand Opera Co. visited New Zealand and presented eleven famous operas. Both grand opera and comic opera have been a source of songs and melodies that have become familiar to the listening public. As to the former, think of the Overture to "William Tell", the Pilgrim's Chorus from "Tannhauser", the Jewel Song from "Faust", songs from the "Tales of Hoffman", and hundreds of others; while light opera and musical comedy have given us many favourites.

By means of musical scores and gramophone recordings Begg's have helped to familiarise generations of

musical students and the public with the gems of opera and musical plays.



Carmen



Hoffman

## MUSIC MARCHES ON!

What lies in the future when Victory has been achieved? Whatever the new world brings forth in the field of music, Begg's will be in the forefront in making the newest and best available to the New Zealand public. There will always be the piano and organ and stringed instruments; there will be new creations in television, radios, gramophones, and recorded music. What a thrilling future to look forward to! The World marches on—and Begg's march with it!

Invest Your Surplus Cash in National War Savings!

# Begg's

THE MUSICAL & ELECTRICAL CENTRE

AUCKLAND, WELLINGTON, CHRISTCHURCH, DUNEDIN, PALMERSTON NORTH, NELSON, TIMARU, OAMARU, INVERCARGILL.