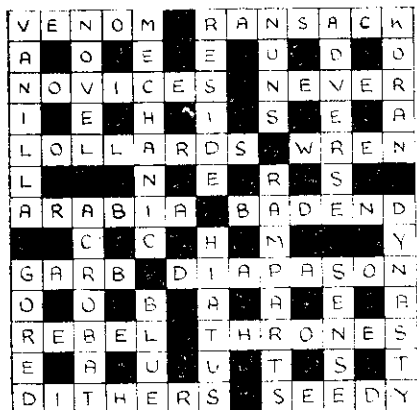


# "THE LISTENER" CROSSWORD

(Solution to No. 719)



## Clues Across

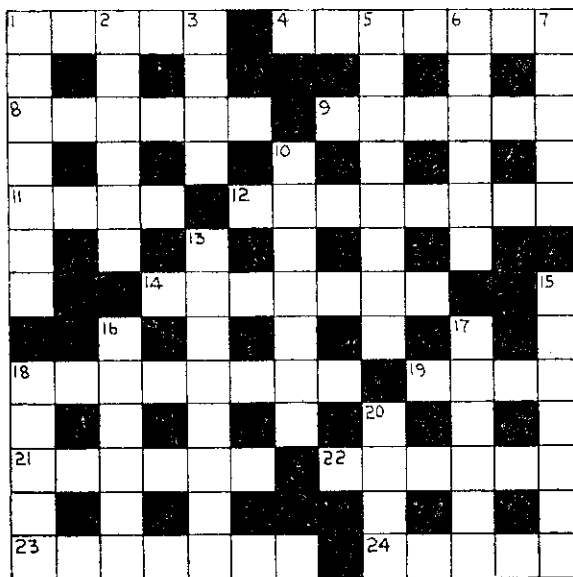
1. There seems to be a disturbance in the middle of this assembly.
4. Feathery mixture of pale gum.
8. Fliers out of formation.
9. Elizabeth Taylor made her name in the film called "National —."
11. Part of the main chance.
12. Napoleon was one.
14. Pale, shy, and confused, but nevertheless well-proportioned.

18. Fuss follows hue in the States.
19. Did she offer the gods their drinks 2 down?
21. Lack of thread?
22. Reverse a layer and you have a beast.
23. Feels indignation at headless gifts.
24. "All her lovely companions Are — and gone" (Thomas Moore).

## Clues Down

1. Here we see the mongrel lift up his voice with a male-dictory result.
2. Foreign, War, or Post?
3. It takes two to provide this.
5. These vessels could make us listen.
6. Not always taken when it's given.
7. Consumed.
10. Poor Ted (anag.).

No. 720 (Constructed by R.W.H.)

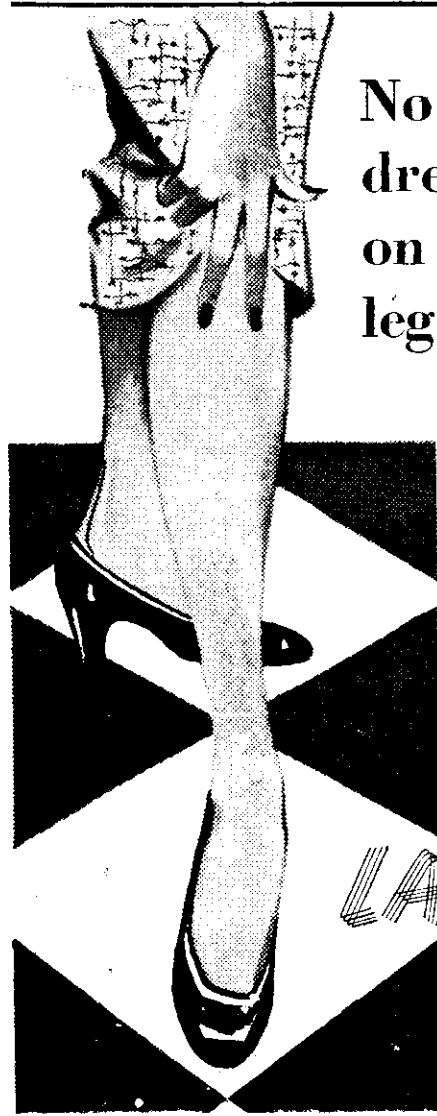


# Votes for — What?

*POLITICS? . . . Let's talk about something more interesting. . . No, I shan't bother to vote. . . Don't see what difference my one vote would make, anyway. . .*

EVEN on the eve of an election it's a pretty prevalent attitude—how prevalent you realise when you hear in the election post-mortems how many of all those entitled to vote didn't bother; didn't bother even when everything was done to make it easy for them. Anthony Bartlett took a conversation round just such an attitude as this for his starting point when he wrote *Power Through the Ballot Box: A Programme for Electors*, which is to be heard on Monday, November 8, from 2YC at 7.15 p.m., and from 4YC at 8.15 p.m. The whole programme, in fact, is really a conversation piece between the complacent non-voter point of view and the point of view that the single vote withheld does make a difference. "Of course it makes a difference," says one of the characters in the programme, who starts it all off by laying down the law about political canvassing. "The whole structure of the country is based on the individual's political responsibility—his, or her, right

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