#### FROM THE ZBs

## "Notorious" is Complicated

RADIO producers, like movie script writers, novelists and publishers, know a good thing when they see one, and for them one of the best things in the business is the romantic serial. In Notorious, which is to be broadcast from the four ZB stations at 10.0 a.m. on Mondays, and 10.30 a.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays (and which should not be confused with Mr. Hitchcock's piece of the same name) the heroine through to fault of her own acquires the stigma "notorious," and suffers twelve months in prison for the death of a cyclist in a road accident. As it happens, she was not the driver of the car involved, but she took the blame on herself to clear Tony Mannering, her fiancé, who was hurt in the smash and who would have been apparently hurt more permanently in his prospects and reputation if he had been accused of killing someone. To complicate things still further, Mr. Mannering recovers from his injuries without any recollection of the smash. or even of the fact that he has a flancée. In fact Mr. M. (Nigel Lovell) becomes engaged to another girl. These developments face the heroine, Mary Beauclerc (played by Sheila Sewell), when she completes her "stretch," but since such things are not beyond the contrivance of writers the ending is a happy one. Notorious begins from 1ZB on Monday, April 21, from 2ZB on May 1, 3ZB on May 8, 4ZB on May 19, and 2ZA on June 20. It will be heard from 2ZA at 8.0 p.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and



SEWELL and NIGEL. SHEILA LOVELL, who have leading roles in the new ZB serial "Notorious"

## For Shakespeare and

WHAT can be said about Shakespeare that has not already been said before? If all the critics, audiences, actors and readers who have commented on Shakespeare and his work during the three hundred and eighty-eight years since he was born, have already said the nost important things, then there is quite clearly a problem presented to those attempting to arrange a suitable commemorative radio programme. But there is one form of tribute that is evergreen and invariably appropriate and this 1YC and 2YC have chosen to honour this year's anniversary on Wednesday, April 23. On that day, at 7.30 and 8.30 p.m. respectively, they will broadcast Scenes From Shakespeare. The 1YC feature consists of four scenes from The Tempest and the 2YC programme three scenes from The Merry Wives of Windsor. These Scenes From Shakespeare. were presented by the Stratford-upon-Avon Festival Company. The Tempest scenes are Act 1, Scene 2; Act 3, Scenes 1 and 2; Act 5, Scene 1; and the cast includes Robert Harris, Hugh Griffith, Joy Parker, Julian Somers and David O'Brien. The selections from The Merry Wives of Windsor are Act 2, Scenes 1 and 2; and Act 3, Scene 5; and the cast here includes Robert Atkins, Viola Lyel, Claire Luce and Anthony Eustral.

## St. George

Following the broadcast of this feature on the anniversary Shakespeare's o f birth. 1YC and 2YC will exchange the programmes for broadcast in the following week.

Wednesday, April 23. 2YC will also present (at 8.1 p.m.). Words by Shakespeare, featuring the English Singers in a studio recital of Shakespearian songs, to music by Arne, Shield, Mendelssohn, Martin Shaw and Forster. In these Part Songs for Women's Voices the conductor will be Malcolm Rickard.

Besides being Shakespeare's birthday, April 23 is, of course, St. George's Day. Many stations of the NZBS will recognise the occasion with appropriate music and in some cases spoken programmes. Highlights from the main centres include On England, an NZBS programme of readings on English themes selected from 500 years of the spoken and written word, from 2YC at 7.43 p.m.; a commemorative programme from 1YA at 4.15 p.m.; and Shakespeare and St. George (the English tradition in verse and song) from 4YA at 3.0 p.m. There will be special afternoon programmes from 3YZ and 1XH, and evening programmes from 1YZ, 4YZ, 2XG, 2XN, 2ZB, 3ZB and 2ZA.



# HOR SKIM MILK POWDER

The best of milk

Skim Milk Powder is far better than liquid milk for baking because you can use it as a dry baking ingredient and add liquid as necessary. This means you can make all your baking real health baking — and more appetizing too-by using a much higher concentration of milk-goodness, Anchor Skim Milk contains all the food elements of natural milk, excepting only the fats which are often in excess in our diet. SKIM MILK POWDER IS RECOMMENDED FOR HOME USE BY THE N.Z. DEPT. OF HEALTH.



# a boon when you're baking

N.Z. CO-OPERATIVE DAIRY CO., LTD., HAMILTON & AUCKLANG

### THE DOLCIN DISCOVERY PROMPT RELIEF FROM THE PAIN OF RHEUMATISM. ARTHRITIS, SCIATICA

DOLCIN is a new American ! discovery, in tablet form, designed to relieve the pain and discomfort of Rheumatism, Arthritis, Fibrositis, Neuritis, Sciatica, Gout and Lumbago. Sufferers in America, Canada, Great Britain and Australia have found that DOLCIN Tablets bring prompt and prolonged relief from pain, with complete freedom from illeffects, at low cost. Get a bottle of DOLCIN Tablets from your chemist, and start your DOLCIN treatment at 100 tablets - 8/4. 500 tablets - 33/4.

Helpful literature on Dolcin will be sent on request to Dolcin (N.Z.) Ltd., 2 Customhouse Quay (Box 662), Wellington