

Programmes Continued

8.47: Instrumental—Bosworth-Hemus-Towsey Trio, "Trio, Op. 56—Finale" (Reissiger).

8.57: Soprano solo—Miss Adelaide Taylor, "For Every Day."

9.1: Vocal quartet—St. Andrew's Quartet, "O, Gladsome Light" (Sullivan).

2YA WELLINGTON (333 METRES)—SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12.

6 p.m.: Children's service, conducted by Uncle Ernest.

6.55: Relay of evening service from Vivian Street Baptist Church. Preacher, Rev. F. E. Harry; organist, Mr. Chas. Collins; musical director, Mr. A. R. Don.

8.30 (approx.): Studio concert.

Contralto solo—Miss Jeanette Coster, "Cast Thy Burden" (Hamlin).

Instrumental quartet—Symons-Ellwood String Quartet, "Len'o from Quartet in F Major" (Dvorak).

Vocal quartet—The Ariel Singers, "This World Is All a Fleeting Show" (Waley).

Instrumental quartet—"Scherzo from Quartet in F Major" (Dvorak).

Tenor solo—Mr. Roy Hill, "In Native Worth" from "The Creation" (Haydn).

Cello solo with string accompaniment—Mr. Geo. Ellwood, "Russian Song" (Lalo).

Soprano solo—Miss Jeanette Briggs, "On Mighty Pens" from "The Creation" (Haydn).

Pianoforte solo—Mr. Frank Crowther, "The Rosary" (Mr. Crowther's own arrangement) (Nevin).

Bass solo—Mr. J. M. Caldwell, "To-morrow" (Keel).

Instrumental quartet—Symons-Ellwood String Quartet, "Marche Militaire" (Schubert).

Vocal quartet—Ariel Singers, "Lead, Kindly Light" (Sullivan).

3YA CHRISTCHURCH (306 METRES)—SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12.

5.45 p.m.: Children's song service from 3YA Studio by Uncle Sam, assisted by scholars from St. Andrew's Presbyterian Sunday School.

7.0: Relay of evening service from St. Luke's Church of England. Preacher, Venerable Archdeacon F. N. Taylor; organist and choirmaster, Mr. G. E. Lomas.

The following after-service concert will be given from 3YA Studio:—

Cello solo—Mr. Harold Beck, "L'Agreable" (Marias).

Tenor solo—Mr. P. Angus, "The Village Blacksmith" (Weiss).

Instrumental trio—Christchurch Broadcasting Trio, "Russian Waltz, Hornpipe, and March Militaire" (Bridge).

Contralto solo—Mrs. D. W. Stallard, "Hold Thou My Hand" (Briggs).

Cello solo—Mr. Harold Beck, "Melody in F" (Rubenstein, arr. Beck).

Tenor solo—Mr. P. Angus, "Love's Coronation" (Aylward).

Instrumental trio—Christchurch Broadcasting Trio, (a) "Cantabile" (Widor); (b) "Hungarian Dance in G Minor" (Brahms).

Contralto solo—Mrs. D. W. Stallard, "Nearer, My God to Thee" (Carey).

God Save the King.

4YA DUNEDIN (403 METRES)—SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12.

5.45 p.m.: Children's song service—Big Brother Bill and children's choir.

7.0: Relay of evening service from Hanover Street Baptist Church. Preacher, Rev. E. S. Tuckwell; choirmaster, Mr. H. P. Desmoulin.

8.15: Studio concert.

9.15: Close down.

Features Continued

4YA NOTES

The service from the St. Andrew's Street Church of Christ will be relayed on Sunday evening. The preacher will be Pastor W. D. More, who will deal further with questions submitted by listeners recently.

After the church service on Sunday evening, if the weather be fine, the concert by the St. Kilda Band will be broadcast.

During the afternoon session on Tuesday an address on "Fashions" will be delivered by a representative of the D.I.C., and a representative of Turnbull and Jones, Ltd., will discourse on the "Domestic Uses of Electricity."

At 7.30 p.m. on Tuesday Mr. W. B. Steel, secretary of the Otago Expansion League, will give another talk on the Otago province.

A really first-class programme has been arranged by the St. Kilda Band for Tuesday evening's concert. A selection from Wagner's beautiful "Parsifal" will be among the larger works. Several popular artists will assist with solo items, including Mr. Charles Rowland, an English comedian who has had considerable experience in the Old Country.

The programme at 4YA on Thursday evening will be provided by some foremost artists, who have not been heard recently. Miss Dorothy Skinner, a contralto with a wonderful voice, will sing some well-known songs. Miss Agnes Guy, one of Dunedin's leading mezzo-sopranos, will be heard in some modern compositions. Mr. F. C. Cooper, well-known vocal teacher, and possessor of a fine rich bass voice, will render "The Riderless Steed" and other songs. Mr. L. M. Cachemaille, a popular baritone from Wellington, with a most pleasant voice and execution, will present a group of classical songs. Miss Marjorie Watts, a clever young pianiste, will play Liszt's "Liebestraum No. 3," and other works, at the concert on Thursday, and Mr. Malcolm Robilliard will contribute several cello solos.

Pastor W. D. More is down for another humorous address on Thursday evening.

The programme for Friday night will include leading artists. Miss Maisie Macdonald, P.T.C.I., one of the most brilliant pianistes in Otago, will be heard, along with some notable vocalists.

Saturday's concert will be a rare treat of good artists and good music. Miss Edith Morrison (a most charming soprano), Miss Molly Vickers (one of Dunedin's leading mezzo-sopranos), will provide high-class songs. Mr. Dan Fogarty, Dunedin's Irish tenor, will present a group of Irish numbers.

Mr. Percy James, probably the most popular comedian in the southern city, will entertain with some really funny numbers on Saturday. Miss Eva Judd (violiniste), Miss Muriel Caddie (pianiste), and Mr. George Christie (cornetist), will contribute the instrumental items on the programme.

Our Mail Bag

Comedy Appreciated.

Listener (Petone).—Through your valuable paper I should like to congratulate Mr. Skedden and his partner on their breaking away from the classics. Their number, "The Orderly Room," must have been enjoyed by hundreds of listeners. I can assure you that the classics are getting very monotonous night after night, with no comedy to relieve it. I should be glad to know what has happened to Mr. Billie Hart. We have not heard him for some months now. His were very popular items, and thoroughly enjoyed. Trusting that the company will arrange some more lighter items. [Mr. Hart is again available, and will appear next week.]

Sidey Time Not a Success.

P. Purrell (Matamui). Daylight saving is not a success here. We miss quite half of the programmes from both 1YA and 2YA, as the reception is not good much before 9 o'clock on an average evening, and with regard to news items from these two stations, I cannot get them even on the headphones, except on very favourable occasions. 3YA is quite good usually at 8 o'clock on the speaker, and on favourable evenings the news session comes through on speaker strength. I must say I think your "Radio Record" is a great help to us country listeners, and I would not be without my copy now if it cost double the amount.

Objections Beyond Expression.

Radio (Picton). In regard to "Sidey time," time won't permit of a full account of my objections to the idea, neither would my purse stand the strain in meeting the cost for notepaper. Suffice it to say that I agree with everything said against the daylight saving scheme, and then a whole lot more on top of it. I can't adequately express myself otherwise. Many thanks for the very fine music over the air, but when are you going to cut out the silent night for 2YA?

The Children's Corner

By "ARIEL"

Dear Radio Boys and Girls,

Here we are with the holidays nearly at an end and school time getting very near. No doubt all of you are looking forward to beginning work again in real earnest, and some of you will be going away to school for the first time. How frightfully important you will feel when you leave home with your trunks well labelled and your belongings all bearing your very own name, sewn on well and truly by mother, and some of your most precious possessions tucked into the odd corners.

But how small and unimportant you will feel at the other end! Everybody but yourself seems to have been there years and years, and many will be the cold and calculating glances directed your way. But, thank goodness, the "new" feeling doesn't last long, and in a day or two everything loses its strangeness.

I always found the first few days at school after the holidays much more thrilling than all the rest of the weeks put together. There were pals to greet, and friendships to renew, confidences to exchange, and adventures to relate (often in long and noisy whispers!); new books and pens and clean blotting paper and everything feeling like a birthday.

Little brothers and sisters left at home have a thin time for a bit and miss you frightfully. I once knew a small girl who had a perfectly hectic time all the holidays. Her brothers bullied and teased her—shut her up in dark cupboards, made her climb trees for the fun of shaking her down; pulled her hair and subjected her precious dolls to all sort of indignities, yet she always did a quiet little weep to herself in a secluded corner after her tormentors had gone back to school.

Anyway, here's the best of luck to every one of you.—Yours,
ARIEL.



"ROSE MARIE."

Miss Harriet Bennet, "Rose Marie," will entertain the children at 3YA when the "Rose Marie" Coy. visits Christchurch.

A HIDDEN PROVERB

In each of the following sentences a word is hidden, but the letters are in their right order. Find each word and put them together to make a well known proverb:—

1. A naughty cat ran away.
2. They found a closely-written roll in gathering up the rubbish.
3. It is the best one I have ever seen.
4. The rug at her stairway is not a valuable one.
5. He is an old acquaintance of mine.
6. Amos soon saw through the strata-geum.

Just to help you a little, I will tell you that No. 6 word is "moss"—the last three letters of "Amos" and the first letter of "soon." Now, I think you'll be able to find the rest.

A little girl was sent to school for the first time. When she returned she was asked by her family all about it. "I was the prettiest child there," she replied. "Who said so?" asked her mother. "Well," she said, "I was there. I could see the others."

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"DO YOU KNOW?"

1YA GENERAL KNOWLEDGE COMPETITIONS

The "Do you know?" general knowledge competition, the first of a series at 1YA, Auckland, closed on Saturday, January 21, and was a very great success. Hundreds of children from all parts of the North Island and some from the South Island competed, and many of the papers sent in were exceedingly good. The following were the questions:—

- (1) Who is Ethel Turner?
- (2) Who was the father of King George V?
- (3) In what play did Shylock appear?
- (4) What is the highest mountain in the world?
- (5) Who wrote "The Quality of Mercy"?
- (6) Who was Sir George Grey?
- (7) In what book does man Friday appear?
- (8) Who is the Minister of Education?
- (9) What is the height of Mt. Cook?
- (10) Which is the largest lake in New Zealand?
- (11) Which was the first capital of New Zealand?
- (12) What part of New Zealand is called "Wonderland"?

The winner of the competition was Josie Travers, of Te Kauhata, Waitakato, who receives a beautiful book as her prize, and the runner-up was Selma Burrows, of Hobsonville, Auckland. The decision was announced by "Genial Jimmy" from 1YA on Saturday afternoon, the 21st instant, and he highly praised the work of these two girls, but also a number of others for excellent writing, and for specially good papers. He also advised the children in future contests to:—

- (1) Put their name and address at top left-hand corner of their paper.
 - (2) Write on one side of the paper only.
 - (3) Write in ink, if possible.
 - (4) Make the answers brief, while at the same time giving as much information as possible.
 - (5) Always be as neat as possible in their writing, and not to use torn, ragged pieces of paper.
- Other children's competitions are now going on, and later there will be another "Do you know?" paper.

CHILDREN'S HOUR AT 2YA

On Monday, February 6, a jolly evening will be spent with "Peter and Paul." They are novel and entertaining. "Peter and Paul" are well supported by a company of young artists.

On Tuesday the session is dealt with by Uncle Jasper. There will be fun and frolic for young and old. All little friends will join in the happy hour.

Haremail! Haremail! Uncle Sandy's hour on Thursday! Uncle Sandy rhymes by the hour—all for the little ones. There are little people, too, who will give him their help on Thursday.

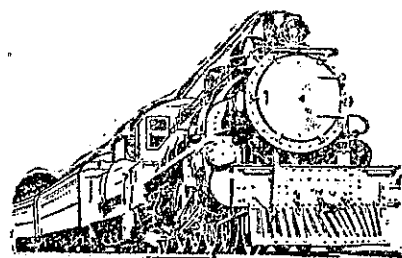
On Friday Uncle Ernest will have amusing incidents and stories to tell you. He also has a merry little army of entertainers under his command.

On Saturday Aunt Dot and Aunt Gwen will provide the fun. They will have something interesting and new tucked away secretly till that date.

UNCLE SAM'S BIRTHDAY

On Saturday afternoon, January 14, Uncle Sam, of 3YA, in full regalia—goatee beard, chimney-pot hat, claw-hammer coat, striped pants, and the inevitable cigar, but with a New Zealand flag in hatband and buttonhole—presented some six hundred prizes at the annual children's picnic of Washington (Men's) and Naioni (Women's) Oddfellows Lodges, held at the beautiful Addington Trotting Grounds, Christchurch. Nearly £10 worth of toys were disposed of, those remaining over after the picnic being sent to children absent through sickness. Uncle Sam was motored to the grounds by Mr. W. H. Simmons, secretary of the Men's Lodge, and was assisted in the prize distribution by Mrs. W. H. Simmons, secretary of the Women's Lodge. A triumphal entry to the grounds was made with the assistance of three Scottish pipers. The weather was fine, and Uncle Sam's nieces and nephews spent a happy day. Incidentally, it was Uncle Sam's birthday, and he thoroughly enjoyed his little party.

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