

Children's Sessions

AT 1YA.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 27.—Uncle George, with Aerial at the piano and cousins reciting and giving sketches, will provide a happy hour.

WEDNESDAY—Uncle Tom in a cheery mood, and cousins assisting to make the evening bright.

THURSDAY—Peter Pan has good news—the Farmers' Boy will be present with his humorous songs, and the Gramophone Man will have some interesting records, and a little talk about them.

FRIDAY—We are to have the pupils of Mrs. Bartley-Baxter entertaining us this evening, with sketches, recitations and a playette. Nod and Aunt Jean will have stories and birthday greetings.

SATURDAY—Here's Cinderella, accompanied by a clever little band of cousins who will provide music and elocutionary items. Birthday greetings for the birthday children, and Radio Postman busy as usual.

SUNDAY—Children's Song Service conducted by Uncle Leo, assisted by cousins from Beresford Street Sunday School.

AT 2YA.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26—Uncle Jeff will be here at six o'clock—when the clock strikes—with birthday greetings from the fairies. There will be puzzles and stories and a happy little programme of music by pupils of Miss Edna Sneddon, and by Cousins Gerda and Phyllis.

TUESDAY—Brother Jack and Robinson, the cock, will greet you with a song and a crow. Birthday wishes and story. A jolly programme has been arranged by Cousin Eva, who sings, and by Phyllis and Ruby who play pianoforte duets, by Joyce and Dulcie who recite, and by Cousin Zac, who plays the steel guitar.

THURSDAY—Thursday night, and Aunt Gwen will be with you. Cousin Claude will be there, too, with more legends of Maoriland, and Cousins Dora, Marjorie and Gwenda have some lovely 'cello and pianoforte solos and songs for you to enjoy.

On Short Wave

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with a fair amount of static. Strength reduced to R5-6 by 7.30 a.m.

2XAD at 6.30 a.m. was R4 with organ music. Just before 7 a.m. a long whistle was heard on 5SW's carrier, probably for tuning purposes. Big Ben and the singing that followed was R5 with rapid fading.

2YA, with the election results, was the only station tried for during the evening.

FRIDAY—Uncle Ernest will have some more of his wonder stories to-night. Birthday wishes and poems, and the musical pupils of Miss Agnes Wright are coming once again to help give you a cheery hour.

SATURDAY—Uncle Toby and Aunt Gwen, with Cousin Zena and pupils of Mrs. Martyn Williams, will entertain with songs, recitations, stories and cheery birthday greetings.

SUNDAY—The Children's Song Service will be conducted by Uncle Ernest assisted by the Brooklyn Presbyterian Sunday School Choir under Mr. J. K. Purdie.

AT 3YA.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26—Tonight Scatterjoy will tell you of the primitive ways of fishing, and of quaint customs of the Swiss people. Cousins Phyl, Pat and Jean will cheer you with jolly songs and recitations—and the verse for the best writer will be ready for the winner.

WEDNESDAY—Mother Hubbard and Uncle Peter with their songs and stories, and little jokes. Cousin Ken in banjo form, and Cousin Edith in good reciting form, will help the bedtime hour along.

THURSDAY—Just listen to what we have on the air to-night—a lively Coon evening!! Choruses, songs, and stories all about the little Nigger-coon. Scouts in attendance also—so hurrah for some enjoyment.

FRIDAY—To-night is St. Andrew's night, and the boys from St. Andrew's College are coming along to make you happy, with pipe music, part singing, and Big Brother with his stories for young and old.

SATURDAY—Chuckle and Aunt Pat calling to-night!! So listen in little ones. A lot of little pupils of Miss Hooper's to gladden your hearts with merry songs and stories, and we hope to have the blind boys' band (from Auckland) to charm us with their music.

SUNDAY—Uncle David conducting the Song Service, with the scholars from the Linwood Baptist Sunday School assisting.

Thursday, November 15.

THE carrier only of 7LO was audible. PCLL on about 38 metres, was very good at R8-9. Gramophone items were heard, with "Hullo. Here PCLL, Kootwijk." As the talk was in Dutch, it was not understood, except the call.

5SW at 7 a.m. was very poor. Strength R4 and very unsteady.

Static spoilt RFM during the evening. 2HC, N.S.W., was also heard.

Friday, November 16.

FROM 5.15 a.m. till 6.10 a.m. 5SW and 2XAD were heard swap-

ping news, etc. 5SW was R8 and 100 per cent. readable, while 2XAD was R4, and readability very poor at first, but rapidly improved.

Among the items of interest heard were: New York have just had their first snowstorm. The weather in England is wet, but very mild. 5SW, in talking of further tests with 2XAD, said that these tests are invaluable to them.

At 6.30 a.m. 2XAD came on the air again, giving days and hours of television tests. They then commenced one.

7LO Nairobi was just audible at 6.30 a.m. Again PCJJ did not start till 6 a.m. Strength R8-9, static very bad. English announcements were not heard, but several times "Hullo. Holland, India," was heard, probably calling up the Dutch East Indies.

Big Ben at 7 a.m., through 5SW, was heard at R5. A talk about the latest novels followed.

At 12.25 a.m. Friday midnight, 5SW was R8, very clear and fairly steady. An organ recital followed Big Ben without announcement.

Note from 5SW.

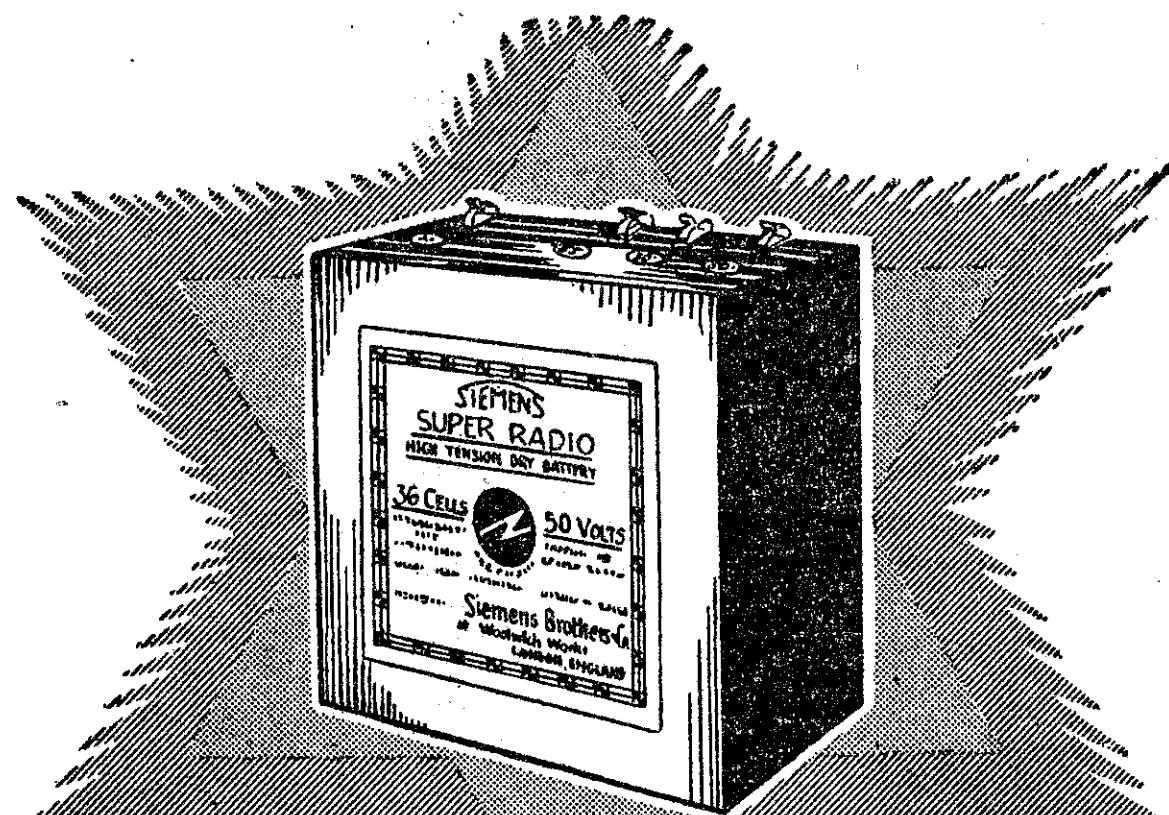
IN reply to Mr. T. A. Dobson (Denniston), re a high-toned note beat about six times from 5SW before changing over to London. I do not remember hearing this. Often, just before "going over," a high-pitched whistle is heard for about 30 seconds: this, I suppose, is to enable the listen-

er to tune-in properly. Some time back, when Britain was observing summer time, and we New Zealand mean time, at 7.30 a.m., the Greenwich time signal was heard which consisted of six dots, the last being the exact hour.

Other Receptions.

Mr. J. D. O'Loughlin (Masterton), writes:—On Friday, October 26, at 12 p.m., I picked up a station on 19.3 metres. It came over well, playing Hawaiian records. After six records were put over it closed down. No announcement was made while I was listening to it. It may have been PCLL, but it was over a metre above his usual wave. A Jap. has been heard several times on 28.5 metres. I could not catch the call, however. On Monday, October 29, 3LO said they were transmitting for one hour only after this, viz., 5-6 a.m., Melbourne time. 2XAF and 2XAD have been rather weak lately. Amateurs heard include oa 2HC, oa 4NW, oa 6AG, oa 2JQ, oa 2GQ, oz 3CM, 2AB, 2GA, 3AR, and 2CK? Wellington, who came up at R8. On Thursday at 1.30 a.m. 2ME was calling PCLL and playing records.

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