

as a man would be ashamed to kick a thieving dog. And I saw a young girl there, driven up and down the room that the bidders might satisfy themselves." But from that brutal, inhuman suppression came golden music, a priceless heritage to posterity—the negro spirituals which were the subject of an illuminating session, from 4ZB last Sunday night, conducted by the station director, Mr. Len J. Greenberg, and Mr. John T. Leech, a Dunedin vocalist.

Air Magazine

THE 4ZB "Magazine of the Air" is no longer a tender shoot among the station sessions. It has become a sturdy plant under the careful attention of Joyce Hamar and Stuart Johnson. Next Friday night at 9 o'clock we understand they are going to hold a 4ZB party.

Wedding In South

WEDDING of radio interest was held at Dunedin recently, the contracting parties being Mr. T. R. H. Green and Miss Eunice Hardie. Mr. Green is the alert and personable accountant to station 4ZB, who varies this exacting task with an occasional yachting

CEREMONY FOR

The Maori King

THE opening of King Koroki's house at Ngaruawahia will be broadcast by 1YA on Friday, March 18, at 10.50 a.m. The station will first broadcast the disembarkation of official parties from the canoe at the jetty below the Ngaruawahia Pa. This will be followed by the welcome given at the pa at 11 o'clock, and then at 12 noon, His Excellency, the Governor-General, presents the C.B.E. to Princess Te Puea. The broadcast ends with the opening of Koroki's house, which will be performed by the Governor-General at approximately 12.30 p.m. The broadcast will be carried out through 1YA, whose transmission will be rebroadcast through the national station, 2YA, Wellington.

broadcast. Member of a very well-known Whangarei family, Miss Hardie's charm of personality is remembered by visitors to 1ZB, 2ZB and 4ZB, where she was hostess at the opening of those stations. After the wedding the guests were entertained at the home of Mr. S. Asquith, advertising manager to 4ZB.

Drama

IT is the intention of 3ZB, Christchurch, shortly to produce a dramatisation of "Treasure Island." This, the "Record" understands, will be something along the lines of "Monte Cristo," which made a favourable impression in Christchurch.

Tales Of The Past

CENTENARY celebrations of the Roman Catholic Church recently held at Auckland were temporarily

transferred to 2ZB on a recent Sunday evening, when Oriwa Tahupotiki Hadson presented a 30-minute cavalcade of the history of the Church in New Zealand, which, in its way, was an oratorical masterpiece. Based on authentic tales of bravery and devotion to duty of heroic Catholic priests who stood high in the regard of the warring Maoris, highlight was the tracing of the life and works of Bishop Pompallier, whose attitude to the Treaty of Waitangi, Oriwa explained, was appreciated and understood by the Maori.

Variety At 1ZB

ALL the stars of Frank Nell's big variety revue company at present playing to crowded houses at His Majesty's Theatre, Auckland, were heard from 1ZB on Sunday night, when a thirty-minute entertainment was presented, with the favourite Australian comedian, Jim Gerald in the chair.

Junior Orchestra

EFFORTS by Mr. B. L. H. de Rose to form a 2ZB junior orchestra have met with high success. Over fifty youthful musicians were auditioned, and, as a result, rehearsals will shortly begin with a band of forty players, all of whom will be scientifically trained in orchestral playing by Mr. de Rose. There are vacancies for an advanced violinist, clarinet and trombone.

For The Sick

VARIETY entertainment under the aegis of station 2ZB will be given in the Plaza Theatre, Wellington, on Sunday next at 8.20 p.m., when Mr. C. G. Scrimgeour, Controller of the Commercial Broadcasting Service, will explain the necessity for equipping the Eward Hospital with radio, to which the proceeds will be devoted.

WE are all pacifists—until the impulse urges us to strike.—Miss Cicely Hamilton.

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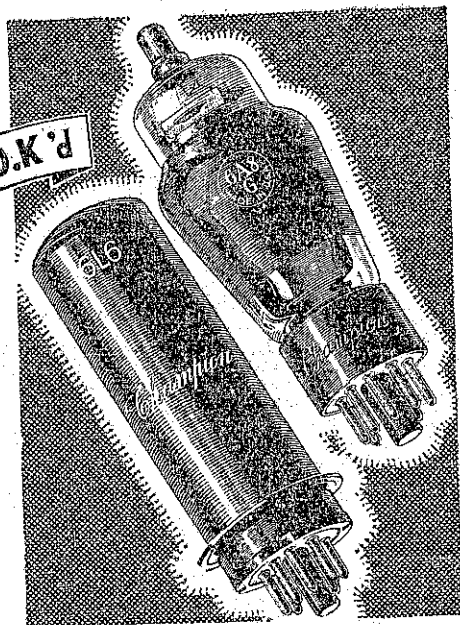
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