

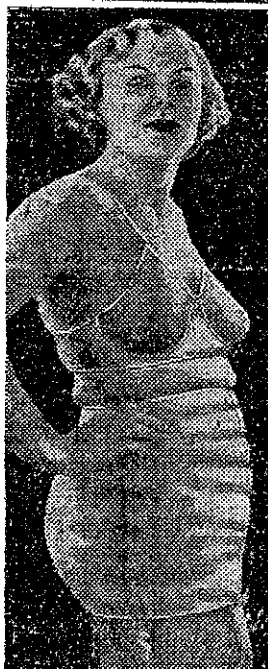
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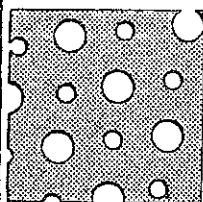
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with the New Wonder Latex Girdle

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10 DAYS
FREE
TRIAL**



Actual Size of
Perforations



THE MESSAGE-LIKE ACTION REDUCES QUICKLY

The perforated Latex Girdle is constructed so that the large perforations form minute suction cups which work constantly while you walk, work, or sit. Its massage-like action gently and surely eliminates fat with every move you make.

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WE TAKE ALL THE RISK. YOU DO NOT RISK ONE PENNY

The new Latex wonder Girdle banishes figure faults and imparts a charming appearance as soon as wrapped on. After having massaged away the superfluous fat, it leaves your figure shapely and more supple, your health improved. The girdle can then be worn as a foundation garment which clings to your figure as a second skin, giving a most graceful appearance.

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Prove without cost to yourself,
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do all we say. Try it for 10 days.
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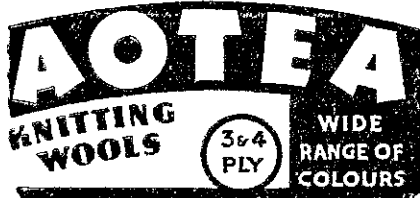
The new Latex Girdles are made to individual measurements, are worn like an ordinary corset giving natural balance and support to your figure with perfect liberty of action.

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Derry's Is Military

HAD RECENT HEAVY LOSS

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Getting personal again, I might mention Bandmaster C. Joughin, who has been with Derry's since its foundation, is still leading cornet.

Then there are the four Geoghans—not a vaudeville team, as the title might imply, but four players who have given the combination yeoman service. There have been from this family of instrumentalists Charlie, Bill, Tom and Frank—three brothers and one nephew.

Librarian George Thompson is known lovingly as "Silent George," for the reason that he works a lot and says little. Through his efforts as a bookbinder the band is said to have the finest kept library of bound music volumes in Australia or New Zealand.

Jimmy Gemmell, too, has been with the band for 32 years, and is now playing a saxophone. A. Hurst, chairman of the band and a brother of Colonel Hurst, is another stout instrumentalist. W. Smith was secretary for 18 years—a good record for office-holding—and the jovial Ren. Bel, double-bass performer, has 25 years to his credit. Albert Hutton, whose musical footsteps are followed closely by his son, joined the band 37 years ago.

ALFRED BRISTOWE, to whom I owe much of my information, has been with the band 29 years. He plays the E flat bass and is known by the titles, "the band's historian" and "Father of Derry's." Recently the band was in camp at Motukarara with the composite forces, and Mr. Bristowe, who can "double" on practically any instrument, did a spot of bugling. It took him back to his old days, he confessed. He, by the way, was once the driver of the old horse-hauled fire-engine in Christchurch.

YET things were not at all pleasant one early morning last February when bandsmen learned that their instruments had gone up in smoke. There was a disastrous fire in the bandroom in the early hours. However, much music was saved, although 23 instruments were destroyed. Uniforms in a cupboard next to the music got the worst of the heat and water, and were reduced to rags. It cost the band £1300, but, with borrowed instruments, it fulfilled all its immediate and later bookings.

Now the band is rapidly regaining lost ground, and proceeds from an art union are expected to set it up again financially. Occasionally it makes what it calls "social trips." That is, somebody asks it to go somewhere and it accepts. Recently it scored a notable success at Timaru, and next Christmas it will visit Napier at the invitation of a special committee.

Present executive officers are: Captain W. S. King, conductor; C. Joughin, bandmaster; Bernard Boulton, secretary; J. Murray, treasurer; board of control and entertainment committee, A. E. Bristowe (chairman), C. Joughin, W. Smith, L. Oakes, E. Boulton, J. Murphy and E. Sharp.