



### Absolutely Unaffected After 4 hours Immersion

Not a drop of water got inside—so complete was the insulation. As a further test, the condenser was stored in an atmosphere of 80% humidity for four to twelve days and then subjected to a 1000-volt D.C. test for three to five minutes. After all this—a much more rigorous test than that to which the average condenser will normally be put—the loss was practically negligible.

With the Simplex Condenser freedom from "shorting" is definitely assured. Because of this, and because these condensers are so strongly made that nothing can get out of place, they give an all-round efficiency and length of life never before obtained from any other condenser. Change over to-day and give your set new life, new power—more tone with less interruption. At all Radio Dealers.

# Standard

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### Gift Suggestions

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lines not mentioned in this advertisement are selling at very low prices, and therefore irrespective of what you require it would pay you to get the price from L. B. Scott, Ltd. Their stocks are large and varied, and they cater for every requirement in radio.

If you have not received a copy of their price list it will be well worth your while sending for one. Their address is L. B. Scott, Ltd., P.O. Box 395, Christchurch.

### The Best Gift for a Radio Enthusiast

IF you want to please him . . . if you want to give him something that will win a way to his heart quicker than anything else . . . give him radio accessories as a Christmas gift. Radio enthusiasts, every one of them, love to have spare parts . . . love to be trying them out . . . particularly if it is something new . . . something which has been proved by experts to be considerably in advance of other parts in the same class.

The new Standard Simplex Condenser is such an one. It has been tested by the experts of the International Telephone and Telegraph Laboratories under the most searching conditions, and has been found to possess qualities far surpassing any previously obtained. Simplex Condensers, therefore, represent something new, something which has been accepted by the world's leading radio engineers, and because of this you can rest assured that in giving a Simplex Condenser you are giving something that will be delightedly accepted—a gift that has an infinite capacity to please, and which will continue to do this long after most other things are worn out or have been forgotten. Obtainable from any radio dealer.

### All-Wave Receivers

FIVE years ago Radio Limited realised that shortwave had such wonderful possibilities that it must eventually be incorporated in the modern receiver. The A.C. set was not then known, and the first Ultimate shortwave and broadcast receivers were battery receivers. Radio Limited pioneered the shortwave idea in New Zealand, and actually released a combined shortwave and broadcast receiver which both English and American technical journals stated was "a vision of the future."

Only this year have the possibilities of shortwave been realised in the United States, and a leading American journal makes the following statement in their latest issue:—

"Something akin to the enthusiasm and thrill of the early days of radio, is with us again in the coming of 'all-wave' receivers with which listeners can stray, at will, all over the radio lot, from long waves to shortwaves."

"An increasing number of commercial all-wave receivers is being offered the trade and buying public this fall, so that no longer need the enthusiast build his own apparatus." Until recently the manufacturers of the Ultimate confined their operations to combined shortwave and broadcast receivers, but since the introduction of the Superheterodyne and Midget, they have released the Ultimate in the mantle type, and also manufacture the Ultimate Consolelette.

### Silver Marshall

THOS. BALLINGER & CO. suggest their 724 A.C. and D.C. Screen-grid Superhet. Receiver as an admirable family Christmas gift. This set was designed by the famous American, McMurdo Silver, and has nine tuned circuits which provide a very fine degree of selectivity. [They claim, difficult to obtain in any commercially practical t.r.f. set. These sets may be seen at Ballinger's showrooms in Victoria Street, Wellington.]

### Majestic 1932 Range

MESSRS. GRIGSBY-GRUNOW CO., manufacturers of the Majestic receivers, in their 1932 production have placed on the market a complete range of superheterodyne receivers incorporating the very latest developments in radio science, including spray shield valves, twin power detection and modulated circuit.

To produce their new range, Messrs. Grigsby-Grunow Company searched the world for these new features which are exclusive to Majestic. Nothing that has happened in radio's long list of achievements has caused such a world-wide sensation as the above three outstanding discoveries.

The new range includes a midget, two consolettes, and several console and radio gramophones, selling at prices to meet all demands.

### Stewart-Warner Radio

THE 1932 Stewart-Warner offers many attractions, for it combines long and shortwave reception in an all-electric receiver. There are no coils to change, nothing to plug in, no alterations to be made in the set. With the new Stewart-Warner you merely operate an extra dial, and entertainment comes in on all waves, from all corners of the earth. The new set employs the superheterodyne principle and utilises pentode and multimultr valves. It is not priced prohibitively; in fact very low selling prices have been announced.

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