

SPECIAL ADVERTISEMENTS

DR. J. HUPPERT has COMMENCED PRACTICE at 4 William St., Nth. Brighton. Tel. 4244.

BIRTHS

BROOM (nee Bartuch)—On April 11, at Straithern, Carlisle, to Bert and Mrs. Charles a son (Barry Charles). (Both well.)

MARRIAGE

YEO-JONES—On April 6, 1946, at Epping Congregational Church, Sydney, by Rev. C. J. Jones, G. E. Jones and daughter of late Rev. Alfred and Mrs. Jones formerly of Sydney, Blackmore, Victoria, to Herbert Leslie Yeo, formerly of Southfield, Sydney, both at present of Balwyn, Melbourne.

SILVER WEDDINGS

ANDREW-DUNSTAN—On April 15, 1922, at Wesley Church, Melbourne, by Rev. J. J. Robertson, in loving memory of their late daughter, the late Mrs. Dunstan, to J. Winter Dunstan, and Mrs. J. Winter Dunstan, both at present of Melbourne. (Present address, Union Bank, Mills, Q.)

GOLDEN WEDDINGS

DAWSON-CLARKE—Mrs. T. Dawson has pleasure in announcing the 50th anniversary of their wedding, celebrated at Arncliffe on the 19th of April, 1897. Present address, Inkerman street, Dunolly.

DEATHS

ARCHER—On April 12 (suddenly), at Poovong, Queensland, Florence, beloved wife of Charles, loved daughter of the late Edward and Emily Archer. (Both well.)

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PLANGAN—Passed away April 13, 1947, peacefully, at 21 Colac street, Melbourne, the late Mrs. Frances Plangan, aged 84 years. To the care of the Wesleyan Mission, 21 Colac street, Melbourne. (Both well.)

NEARLY 800 TEXAS CITY PRESUMED DEAD IN TRAGEDY

"Damage Approached That At Nagasaki New York (AAP)

About one-fifth of the population (18,000) of Texas City are dead or injured as a result of the terrific explosion which began with one on the French freighter "Grand Camp" on Wednesday.

At least 400 bodies have been recovered, but it is believed that up to 375 still lie beneath the debris. Many will never be recovered. The injured total 3,000. A large percentage of the 500 employees of Monsanto Chemical were killed or injured, and more than 100 are still not accounted for.

PALESTINE ISSUE FOR NEUTRALS Inquiry Committee

New York (AAP)—A British spokesman at Lake Success said yesterday that his country would propose the exclusion of the five major powers from the United Nations Committee of Inquiry on Palestine, the appointment of which would be considered by a special session of the General Assembly on April 25.

EUROPE-WIDE SEARCH FOR MAN WHO MADE BOMB

London (AAP)—European police are co-operating with Scotland Yard in a wide search for a man who made the bomb found in Dover House, part of the Colonial Office in Whitehall, on Wednesday.

"BUDGET SECRETS USED FOR GAIN"

London (AAP)—"It is quite obvious that someone who had access to Budget secrets has made use of them for financial gain," Lieutenant-Commander J. G. Braithwaite (Cons) said in the House of Commons yesterday.

DE GAULLE HOPES TO AWAKEN FRENCH PUBLIC OPINION

London (AAP)—M. Soustelle, General de Gaulle's chief lieutenant, told Reuter's Paris correspondent yesterday that the new "Rally of the French People" movement, of which General de Gaulle is leader, was not a new party, but a movement to awaken public opinion, to make the parliamentary system work democratically and to check the Communist "colonisation" of the public services.

MOUNT HEKLA AGAIN IN ERUPTION

New York (AAP)—Mount Hekla, the Iceland volcano, has erupted again with greater violence than a fortnight ago, says the Danish Press Reykjavik correspondent.

FINNISH DEADLOCK ON PREMIERSHIP

Helsinki (AAP)—Mr Sakari Tuomioja, Governor of the Bank of Finland, has failed so far to form a government to replace the Coalition Government which resigned on April 11. It is believed that a general election will be held if the parties fail to agree on a new Prime Minister.

Several Changes Made In British Cabinet

London (AAP)—Several changes have been made in the British Government as a result of the resignation of Lord Pethick-Lawrence, Secretary of State for India. He has been succeeded by the Earl of Listowel, until now Postmaster-General.

Rioting on North-West Frontier

Calcutta (AAP)—Military reinforcements have reached Dera Ismail Khan, a north-west frontier town, where communal rioting broke out four days ago, says Reuter's Peshawar correspondent.

HUGE CROWD SEES ROYAL FAMILY IN BECHUANALAND

Cape Town (AAP)—The largest number of Europeans and Africans ever to be assembled in Bechuanaland greeted members of the Royal Family at Lobatsi yesterday on their way to Cape Town on the last lap of their long tour.

GENERAL WINGATE'S BODY FOUND IN BURMA HILLS

Calcutta (AAP)—A British graves concentration unit has found in the Assam hills, 40 miles north of Imphal (Burma), the bodies of Major-General Charles Ord Wingate, the Chindit leader, and the American crew of the Dakota plane in which he was lost early in 1944.

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