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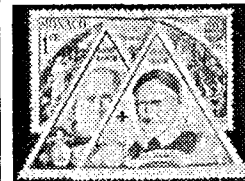
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SPORTS SHORTS

EARLY in the New Year, Sir Pelham Warner will open the new Middlesex C.C.C. indoor cricket school, at Alexandra Palace. Jack Hearne, former Middlesex and England all-rounder, will be in charge of the coaching of schoolboys and club players.

EVERY year the Sports Writers' Association selects the man they consider has done most to enhance Britain's sporting prestige. Their choice for 1952 is Len Hutton, the famous Yorkshire and England cricketer.



Cyril Washbrook (left) and Len Hutton being directed by Anthony Asquith while filming Terence Rattigan's 'The Final Test', at Pinewood Studios.

THE swimming events in the 1956 Olympics at Melbourne will take place in a £280,000 pool to be built in Fawkner Park. This wonderful swimming "arena" will seat 6000 spectators.

FOR the fourth successive time, 30-year-old Ken Joy of the Medway Wheelers has been chosen as the best all-rounder of the year. His average speed for the 50-mile, 100-mile, and 12-hour races was 22.8 m.p.h.

TWO seasons ago the football team of the Halbutt Secondary Modern School, Dagenham, were unbeaten in the junior section of the local schools league; last season they retained their undefeated record in the intermediate section; and this season they have been carrying all before them once again—in the senior division.

THIRTEEN-YEAR-OLD Jean Forbes, who comes from Burghersdorp, South Africa, is already being spoken of as a lawn tennis champion of the future. She is being specially coached at Durban by Bobby Heine Miller, a leading South African tennis player a few years ago.

INSTRUCTION classes in golf in schools all over the country which have the facilities is the aim of the British Golf Foundation. Already 20 of our larger schools have joined the scheme and a further 70 are being approached.

AN American teen-age tennis player who is likely to make an impression at Wimbledon next year is 18-year-old Julie Sampson. Julie, who is America's junior champion, is a student at the University of California. She recently won two titles in the New South Wales championships.

NEWCOMERS to swimming may soon be able to win a special Amateur Swimming Association badge and award. To qualify for this "learner's" badge, entrants will have to swim 100 yards crawl or breaststroke, swim 50 yards backstroke, retrieve an object in six feet of water, and dive from four feet.

PROBABLY the oldest soccer team in the country is Old Owen's Veterans, with an average age of 40 years and four months; it includes a magistrate, a school governor, and an architect.

THE SILKEN SECRET

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"After a minute he calls us back. 'Come back,' he yells; 'an' don't waste any more time!' And he slams the door again, which he'd opened to speak to us, and we went back, and here we are."

"That's gospel truth, sir," agreed Sam.

"It doesn't make sense," groaned the merchant. "Mr. Mount wouldn't vanish like that of his own free will. There's some strangeness somewhere. He may have been kidnapped in those brief moments when you left the chair—murdered even—"

"MURDERED?"

A clear young voice echoed the word. They all looked up. A girl was coming down the broad staircase, candlestick in hand. She looked about 13. Her fox-red hair was down on her shoulders and she was in a loose dressing-gown, almost ready for bed. She stared at Mr. Cogwell in horror.

"Has something happened to my uncle?"

The old man turned to her and put his arm round her shoulder.

"Don't distress yourself, Celia. We are rather anxious about Mr. Mount, but we know nothing for certain." He told her what the chairman said. Her eyes opened wider.

"But who would do a thing like that to Uncle Charles? I don't understand."

"Nor do I," said Mr. Cogwell heavily. "But London is a lawless city nowadays. There's a mystery here, but who's to solve it I don't know. We shall have to think—"

"May I say something, sir?" It was the boy, Dick.

"Yes, yes. What is it?"

"My master could help you, if anyone could. He knows the underworld, sir—they say no other honest man knows it so well."

"Indeed? And who is your master?"

"Pharamus Fazeley, editor of The London Courier—"

"Fazeley? By all means. Celia, my dear"—the old merchant said in a brisker tone, "if there is one man in London can solve this puzzle, it is Pharamus Fazeley!"

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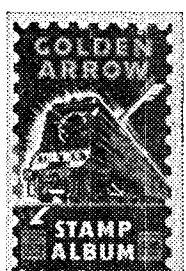
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