AUCKLAND.

DEAR BEE, NOVEMBER 23.

It has been such a busy week, and yet I have not much to tell you, as I am requested not to give you one or two very pleasant items which I had jotted down. There was an excellent attendance at the

THIRD ANNUAL CHILDREN'S FLOWER SHOW

on Friday and Saturday. There were about a hundred more exhibits than last year, and the committee and judges deserve great credit for the successful manner in which they arranged and judged the products of the children's industry during the last six months. The gardens, cultivated entirely (so said the rules) by children, were inspected early in the week, many being pronounced excellent. The Choral Hall looked very pretty, a fountain being in the centre and Mr T. Cranwell's lovely specimen fernery at one end. His Worship the Mayor (J. J. Holland, Esq.) opened the show in a short speech at 2.30. There was no tea, of course, but water to drink for the thirsty little ones on such a close afternoon would have been a boon to many. Amongst the crowd I caught sight of Miss Blades in black skirt, crushed strawberry blouse, sailor hat; Miss Larkins, black alpaca with grey striped vest and collarette; Mrs Haultain, black cashmere; Mrs Winstone, brown holland; Mrs Sharland, black cashmere (mourning), black toque with feathers; Miss Shirley-Baker, pretty blue crepon with blue toque *en suite*; Mrs Holland, black silk, bronze green bonnet; Miss Holland, black alpaca, Oriental vest; Mrs Beatty, neat-fitting grey costume with black bead trimmings; Miss M. Gorrie, dark skirt, blue blouse, white beafeater hat with heliotrope flowers; Miss Morrison, green cashmere, hat with brown trimmings; Miss Thorpe, canary holland; Mrs Lennox, very handsome black silk, black jet bonnet; Mrs (Dr.) Scott looked remarkably well in a fawn tailor-made gown, white vest; Miss Freda Kissling, slate grey tailor-made gown; Miss B. Lynch, pretty brown frock; Miss Ruth Baker, lilac frock; Miss Winnie Kissling, fawn tailor-made gown, blue vest; Mrs Hope Lewis, very stylish grey and black striped taffeta silk with white bands veiled in black lace, crinkley hat coquettishly trimmed with roses; Mrs Hall, black silk with cape, black bonnet with wreath of heliotrope flowers; Miss Ella Hall, dark skirt, blue blouse; Miss Fanny Hewin, dark skirt, very pretty sky blue silk blouse, white picture Leghorn hat with black band and trimmed with roses; Mrs Fenton, black silk, black bonnet relieved with heliotrope flowers; Mrs Faulder, black silk, green bonnet with feathers; Mrs Ashton, dark skirt, green striped crepon blouse; Mrs Myers, black silk; Miss Myers, dark skirt, white blouse; Mrs Matthew Clark, navy lustre, pink vest, black lace hat with pink flowers; Mrs Harden (from South), grey tailor-made gown; Miss Wallace, brown tweed; Misses French, dark skirts, light blouses; Mrs W. Rattray, dark skirt, white cashmere blouse, hat trimmed with floral ribbon; the Misses Fenton, pretty blue linen costumes with neck and waist bands of blue velvet, hats to match.

AT THE OPENING OF THE PARNELL LAWN

on Monday I noticed Mrs T. F. Ward, in a dark skirt, heliotrope blouse; Mrs Younghusband, grey tailor-made gown, pink vest, hat with pink; Mrs Preston Stevenson looked admirable in a black skirt, black and white striped blouse covered with chiffon, large black crinkley hat; Mrs Bush, navy tailor-made gown; Mrs Nichols, grey gown with bodice of black; Mrs MacCormick, grey tailor-made gown; Mrs Nichol, green tailor-made gown; Miss Aubrey, dark gown trimmed with green velvet; Mrs Fripp, brown cashmere; Mrs Tisdale, black silk; Miss Tisdale, dark skirt, blue blouse; and her sister wore a bluey-green canvas; another sister wore a heliotrope; Miss Davy, white piqué; and her sister, dark skirt, pink blouse; the Misses Wylde Brown (two) were similarly gowned in white muslins with fichus; Mrs Jones, black silk with cherry-coloured silk yoke and cuffs; Miss Jones, blue zepher; Mrs Friend, black and white striped zephyr, bonnet with flowers; her little girl, blue with black; Mrs Salmon, mourning costume; Miss Dudley, black alpaca with pinked yoke, etc.; Mrs Ruck, stylish black silk, fawn vest, fawn bonnet relieved with red flowers; Mrs Leathem, fawn tailor-made gown; Miss Colebrook, black and white striped batiste, white sailor hat; Mrs Willie Bloomfield looked remarkably well in a grey and white striped chiné silk relieved at the neck with frills of white Paisley pongee silk, black and white hat with ostrich feathers; and her little daughter wore white; Miss Lucas, charming combination of mode grey lustre and pink silk; Miss Thorne George, navy tailor-made gown, white vest; Mrs Thomas, black silk; Mrs W. R. Holmes, navy striped gown; Miss Holmes, dark skirt, light blouse; Mrs Ludlow Rich, fawn gown trimmed with green; Miss Percival, dark skirt, pink blouse, pink hat; Miss Edith Percival, black gown, cream beafeater hat; Miss Shepherd, dark green cashmere; Miss Brodie, pink and white striped zephyr, sailor hat; Miss Eva Rich, green costume trimmed with lilac veiled in cream lace, white beafeater hat with heliotrope flowers; Miss Thomas looked well in a grey tailor-made gown, pink vest, white beafeater hat with pink roses; Mrs Gillies, black silk; Miss Rooke, cornflower blue lustre trimmed with black ribbon and jet; Miss Kissling, bluey-grey gown and her sister looked pretty in mode grey; Mrs Arnold, electrique blue trimmed with sequins; Mrs Elliot, black silk; Miss Esme Elliot, dark skirt, pink blouse; Miss Thorpe, canary cambric; Mrs E. Bamford, dark green tailor-made gown, fawn vest; Miss Bellairs, dark skirt, light blouse; Mrs Thompson, black silk, white vest, black bonnet; Miss Thompson, navy tailor-made gown; Miss Whewell, green tailor-made gown; Miss Rose Laird, white spotted batiste; Miss Birch, dark skirt, light blouse; Miss Jessie Savage, mode grey; Mrs Mackay, black, her daughter wore yellow; Mrs Pollan, bronze green costume; Mrs Munroe, grey tailor-made gown; Miss Lusk, canary cambric; Mrs Knight, pretty pale pink flowered French muslin; Miss Lusk, dark skirt, light blouse; Miss Reay, Nil green striped costume trimmed with silk; Miss B. Bull, pink cambric; Miss Tottie Rush, black gown trimmed with purple; Mrs Tewsley, pink tussore silk; Miss Amplet, grey and black striped cambric; Miss Mabel Frost, dark skirt, light blouse; Miss Ettie Ireland, dark gown flowered with blue; Miss Mabel Wilkins, dark skirt, pink blouse. Mrs Harrison, black skirt, light blouse; Mrs Burton, blue Tribby costume; Miss Hull, black skirt and cape, white blouse, and her sister wore brown; the Misses Horne (two), grey tweeds flecked with red; Miss Whitson, dark skirt, striped blouse; Mrs Whitson, bronze green gown, black cape; Mrs Atkinson, black silk; Miss Atkinson, dark skirt, fawn blouse; and her two sisters were dressed in blue and lilac, respectively; and their married sister, heliotrope muslin finished with ribbons, large white hat with chiffon and ostrich feathers; Miss Sloman, blue gingham, hat with chiffon; Mrs Colbeck, green gown; Mrs Kempthorne, black silk; Miss Kempthorne, cream lustre; Miss Whyte, dark skirt, light blouse; Mrs Kenderdine, claret-coloured cashmere trimmed with crushed strawberry silk; Miss Kenderdine, black; Mrs Ansenne, grey tailor-made gown; Mrs Angus Gordon, beige costume trimmed with red; Miss Gordon, pink flowered muslin; Miss O'Neil, electric blue trimmed with black; Miss Sloman, blue gingham, hat with chiffon; Miss Leece, dark skirt, pale pink blouse, large picture hat; Miss Mary Gorrie, heliotrope, white beafeater hat; Miss Sellers, fawn tailor made gown; Miss Hay, dark skirt, canary blouse; Miss Kilgour, electrique blue, yellow hat; Mrs Arthur Taylor, cream; Miss Von Sturmer, grey skirt, white blouse; Mrs Upsill, navy blue; Mrs Ashley Hunter, black silk; Mrs Lucky, fawn trimmed with yellow; Miss Blanche Peacocke, white piqué; Mrs J. B. Whyte, brown silk; Mrs Smith, black lustre trimmed with purple; etc., etc.

On the second day of the Children's Flower Show I noticed Mrs Nelson, black; Mrs McKean, black; Miss Gorrie, striped blouse, black skirt, feather boa; Miss M. Gorrie, blue and white check, gown, white hat blue ribbon; Mrs Alexander, black, velvet bodice; Mrs Hope Lewis, lemon crepon, black hat with pink roses; Mrs Gorrie, black; Miss Whiteon, black and red repp, white shirtlette, black hat with roses; Mrs Sharland, black velvet; Miss Haultain black; Miss Nelson, black trimmed with cream lace, grey cape with Marian hood; Miss Winnie Leys, blue striped brown skirt and cape; Miss F. George, Gobelin blue; Miss M. George, cream; Miss Donald, white and pink stripe blouse, dark skirt; Mrs Oxley, grey; Miss Kennedy, navy, white vest; Miss Dolly Davis, blue blouse, dark skirt; Miss Trevithick, navy and pale blue sailor costume; Miss Bell, fawn and cream lace, white hat; Miss — Bell, green and pink stripe trimmed with cream lace.

The following are a few of the dresses worn at the

CONVERSAZIONE GIVEN IN HONOUR OF BISHOP LENIHAN.

Mrs P. Dignan, a stylish black and white silk dress; Miss Peacocke, a very pretty cream dress; Miss T. Coffey, a very pretty costume of pink and cream; Miss R. Tole, a pretty black and white; Miss Mulvany, black skirt, cream silk blouse; Miss Coffey, pretty blue costume; Miss Outhwaite, grey silk; Mrs Innes, cream silk; Mrs J. Tole, handsome black and cream silk, pretty bonnet; Mrs McVeigh, handsome black silk; Miss Savage, black and white; Mrs Mahoney, dainty costume of shot; Mrs A. Burton, a pretty blue and white dress; Mrs Brown, a handsome pink silk blouse, black skirt.

An excellent

CONCERT

was very kindly given last week in St. Luke's Parish Hall in aid of the small debt yet remaining on the building. An appreciative audience from Mount Albert itself and the neighbourhood filled the hall, and at the close of the entertainment accorded the performers a very hearty vote of thanks, Mr J. A. Beale's name being especially mentioned as he most kindly arranged the concert, and accompanied each item on the piano. The following took part:—Misses Court, Smith, Wright and Brown (Miss Bell aided in the invisible chorus). Messrs W. Manning, Schatz, Hooper, Odlum, and Keeling. Evening dress was not worn, pretty blouses and dark skirts being the usual costume of performers and audience. An impromptu dance, varied by refreshments generously provided by a few of the ladies, followed, and the old-fashioned Sir Roger de Coverley closed an enjoyable evening.

Amongst the gowns worn at the Misses Wilkins

POLO AFTERNOON TEA

I noticed the following:—Miss Wilkins, dark skirt, pink blouse; Miss Maud Wilkins, pink and white striped zephyr; Mrs Dennis O'Reeke, black gown, white sailor hat; Mrs (Dr.) Scott, pale lilac zephyr, fawn cape; Miss Elliot, dark skirt, light blouse; Mrs Willie Bloomfield, black skirt, striped black and white blouse, sailor hat; Mrs George Bloomfield, beige tailor made costume, rose pink silk vest, toque with floral decorations; Mrs Mercer, fawn tailor-made costume; Mrs Buddle (Wellington), grey; Misses Bush (two), dark skirts, light blouses, beefeater sailor hats; Miss Churton, dark skirt, light blouse; Miss Mabel Churton, blue gingham; Miss Beatrice Bull, grey riding habit; Miss Griffiths, navy riding habit, white vest; Miss Amphlet, black gown; Miss Thorne George, dark skirt, light blouse; Miss Amy Banks, dark skirt, pink blouse; Miss Blanche Banks, black gown, velvet blouse, black velvet hat; Miss Creagh, blue zephyr with white lace; Misses Pierce (two); Mrs Hammer, black mourning costume; Miss Jackson and Miss Winnie Cotter, dark skirts, light blouses; Mrs Andrew Hanna, dark skirt, white blouse; Miss Ettie Ireland, pretty blue zephyr, etc. Many of the girls came over from the Ladies' Golf Links, which is close by in the adjoining paddocks.

There was a splendid attendance at

MISS CELIA DAMPIER'S BENEFIT CONCERT,

but it is always difficult to see dresses in the City Hall. Amongst the crowd were Mrs J. J. Holland wearing black; Miss Holland, very pretty pink crepon veiled with black lace; Mrs W. Coleman, petunia silk with black lace; Miss de Montalk, blue, white cloak; Miss Vaile, yellow; Mrs Edgar, black; Miss L. Langsford, grey; Miss Nora Greenwood, pale blue muslin; Miss Ruby Greenwood, black and white striped gown; Miss Anderson, grey; Miss Knight, wine-coloured silk; Miss Harris, blue; Miss Buddle, grey tweed; Miss Walnutt, blue; Miss Clarke, white, etc., etc. The charming little heroine of the evening looked pretty in white satin.

THE AMATEUR ATHLETIC SPORTS

held in the Domain on Saturday were very extensively patronised, and a fashionable attendance testified to the popularity of this function. It was very pleasant under the shady trees, though the wind was chilly in the open despite the sunshine. Bright summer dresses were worn and the ladies were eager spectators. Amongst them were Mrs Hope Lewis, in lemon-coloured gown with ecru insertion on bodice strapped with black satin bands, *chic* white hat; Miss Earle, pink floral muslin; Mrs (Dr.) Dawson, pretty shot gown; Mrs Lusher, handsome black costume; Miss Holland, stylish pink shot gown; Miss Essie Holland, navy blue and white spotted frock, gem hat; Miss C. Firth, slate grey, yellow silk yoke veiled with cream lace, hat to correspond; Miss E. Brett, effective electric blue crepon, yoke and epaulettes of cream lace, golden brown fancy straw hat; Mrs F. Kenderdine, fawn tailor-made gown, full white vest, black hat with pink roses; Miss Devereux, white and blue stripe pongee; Miss Oxley, smart silver grey figured lustre, white and black hat; Miss Winnie Leys looked charming in cream transparent canvas over gold, that *en suite*; Miss M. Peacock, fawn tailor-made gown; Miss Upton, slate grey, light blouse; Miss Ada Stevenson looked dainty in all white; Mrs (Dr.) Robertson, stylish grey, black velvet sleeves, grey hat with heliotrope flowers; Mrs E. T. Hart, becoming pearl grey costume, cape strapped with steel sequin trimming, shot green and pink hat; Miss Devore was attired in Prussian blue, black velvet Gainsborough hat; Miss Kelly (Lyris), fawn skirt, smart jacket, pink blouse; Mrs J. R. Hanna, black, heliotrope bodice with jet passementerie; Mrs Oxley, grey costume, white chiffon fichu; Mrs Crawshaw, black, white and black stripe silk bodice, black bonnet with green ribbon bow; Miss Bush looked exceedingly well in stripe blouse, black skirt, *chic* white hat; Miss Rich was much admired in grey, electric blue silk trimmings, black lace hat with pink roses and forget-me-nots; Mrs J. Owen, black crepon, black bonnet with reseda green ribbon; Miss Ada Oakley was daintily attired in white piqué with Nil green silk blouse, hat *en suite*; Miss Atkinson looked delightfully cool in white spotted muslin, Leghorn hat with white trimmings; Mrs Gray, stylish shot green gown, yellow silk sleeves and vest with cream lace, brown hat with shaded roses and ribbon; Miss May Whitelaw, pretty cream and gold frock; Miss Tuckey (Wellington), shot lustre, white silk vest, white hat trimmed with black upstanding bows and pink roses; Miss Hewin, shot blue gown trimmed with electric blue silk. Leghorn picture hat; Miss Gray, new blue gown; Miss Sellars looked *distinguée* in fawn tailor-made gown, cream vest white gem hat; Miss Jones, blue and white striped pongee; Miss Percival, yellow silk bodice, grey stripe silk skirt; Miss Ada Dixon, fawn tweed; Miss L. Kilmiston, soft white Liberty silk, white hat with pinnies; Miss Nellie Edmiston looked pretty in floral muslin with full belt of heliotrope silk, golden brown hat with heliotrope flowers; Miss Preece, crushed strawberry gown; Miss F. Preece, white; Mrs Goldie, black costume; Miss Goldie, black and blue boucle cloth, brown hat with blue ribbon; Miss Rees, pearl grey relieved with blue silk; Miss G. Rees looked graceful in a combination of fawn and pink; Miss Clapcott, black, white net fichu; her sister wore black and white stripe blouse, dark skirt; Miss Leighton looked dainty in black serge, blue and white silk vest, shot blue straw hat with box-pleated chiffon; Miss Selby, grey; Miss Eva Hughes, pink blouse, black skirt; Miss F. Hart, white piqué; Miss Colgrove, shot green lustre, green hat; Miss Valle, black; Miss Morrin, grey crepon, rich silk bodice, black hat with yellow; Miss Macnicol, shot grey silk blouse, black skirt; Miss G. Buddle, blue shot silk blouse, brown skirt; Miss Bates, light blouse, dark skirt, white *chic* hat; Mrs Arthur Carter, brown skirt, white blouse, brown hat; Mrs C. Burton, floral muslin blouse, dark skirt; Miss Braithwaite, fawn; Mrs Hudson, heliotrope muslin, green hat with heliotrope flowers; Miss Cook, white spotted muslin; Miss F. Cook, cream and yellow stripe gown, yellow silk yoke; Mrs McLeod, grey figured lustre, bonnet with green; Miss Scott, pink blouse, black skirt, white hat; etc., etc. There were so many that I can only give you a few of the many pretty dresses.

PHYLLIS BROWNE.

HAMILTON.

DEAR BEE, NOVEMBER 22.

THE PRESENTATION OF CERTIFICATES

won at the late examination of the Ambulance Classes took place last Thursday afternoon in St. Peter's Sunday-school. Nearly 100 persons were present. After partaking of afternoon tea (which was provided by the lady members), the certificates were awarded by Dr. Brewis, after which the Mayor, on behalf of the Ambulance classes, presented Dr. Brewis with an ink stand suitably engraved as a token of appreciation of his lectures and instruction.

Mrs C. A. Davis, Silverdale, is at present on a visit to her friends in Auckland.

The Misses Edgecumbe have gone on a visit to friends in Auckland and at the Thames.

Miss Sandes (who has received three months' leave on account of ill-health) left last week with Miss Darcy for Masterton. All her friends hope to welcome her home again before very long quite recovered.

ZILLA.

GISBORNE.

DEAR BEE, NOVEMBER 15.

On Saturday the

POVERTY BAY POLO CLUB

held their first practice on the new ground at Makauri. The Misses Barker, who were becomingly dressed in dark skirts and summer blouses, kindly provided the afternoon tea, which was thoroughly appreciated by the onlookers as well as by those playing. Amongst the ladies present were Mrs Nolan, in dark skirt, pink blouse, sailor hat; Mrs Reynolds, grey and white silk, black hat; Mrs Lusk, white costume with black ribbon streamers; Mrs Smith, white piqué, flowered bonnet; Miss Bradley, white muslin, black hat with roses; Miss E. Bradley, rose pink and black costume, small white hat; Miss A. Bradley, white dress, sailor hat; Miss M. Rees, blue blouse, dark skirt; Miss Johnson, neat riding habit and covert coat; Miss L. Tucker, grey costume, dark hat; Miss M. Tucker, white gown trimmed with green silk, white lace hat with cream roses; Miss Reynolds, dark skirt and blouse; Miss Webb, white drill costume; Miss Adair, dark skirt, heliotrope blouse, picture hat trimmed with red poppies; Mrs Willis, dark skirt, pink blouse, sailor hat; Miss Guthrie-Smith, riding habit. The players consisted of Messrs Barker, Bradley, Des Banes, Williamson, Sherratt (two), Tucker, and Guthrie Smith.

A PICNIC

to the Ormond quarry was arranged by Mr Macleod and a few others for the same afternoon (Saturday). Although unavoidably detained in town, I heard from all who went out that the affair was a great success. The party, consisting of Mrs A. Rees, Misses Crawford (two), Miss Middleton, Misses Drummond (two), Misses Maclennon (two), and Messrs Sherriff, Crawford, Maude (two), Hoyte, Butler, and Macleod, left town at 2.30 p.m. in one of Mac. Kenzie's brakes, and returned home by moonlight about 11 o'clock.

RUTH.

UPOKONGARO.

DEAR BEE, NOVEMBER 18.

Upokongaro was last night the scene of unusual gaiety.

A SOCIAL

to welcome the Bishop and Mrs Wallis was given by the congregation of St. Mary's Church. It was the first social ever held in this pretty little township, and much anxiety was felt by its promoters but the success of the evening must have exceeded all hopes, and a thoroughly enjoyable time was spent. Brantubs, in which were really pretty and useful things for grown-ups, as well as toys for the children, were under the able care of the Misses McKelvie and Cowper. The best prize was taken from the 'bath' by Mr Ted Cowper; it was a beautiful bridal doll. Tea and coffee tables were presided over by Mesdames D'Anvers, Rowe, and Robertson, assisted by Misses Brandon and Gribben, and Messrs McKelvie, Bagnall, Robertson, Owen, and Cowper. Several musical items were given during the evening. A violin solo from Miss Gribben was a treat. Songs were sung by Mr Anderson, 'The Powder Monkey,' and 'The Twins,' and Mr Vaughan, 'The Flight of Ages,' 'The Magpie,' and by special request, 'The Tin Gee Gee.' Among those present were Mrs Wallis, in a handsome black and blue striped crepon; Miss Harding (Wellington) looking well, with Mrs Montgomerie and Miss Sybil, and Mrs Anderson, who wore a pretty bonnet with heliotrope flowers; Mrs Eustace Brandon (Wellington), black moiré and amber; Miss Brandon, white muslin; Mrs Humphries wore a dark skirt, and very pretty blouse of heliotrope crepon and black ribbon; Mrs Leonard Vaughan played the accompaniments, wearing a pretty pale pink blouse and black crepon skirt. Messrs Humphries, Speed, Brandon, Owen, Robertson, and many others, including many Maoris, who seemed to thoroughly enjoy all the proceedings, were present. Addresses were given by Bishop Wallis and the Rev. Herman.

On Sunday morning Holy Communion and confirmation were held in the church for the first time by the Bishop, assisted by the Rev. Herman and Freer (the latter the guest of Mrs Humphries). The Bishop and Mrs Wallace were the guests of Mrs D'Anvers, 'Culworth,' and after service Mrs Rowe very kindly entertained about forty guests at dinner, amongst whom were Mrs Wallis, Mr Herman, Mrs and Miss Brandon, and a number of members from the Wanganui Church who were kindly assisting at the confirmation service.

The only drawback was, as usual in this district, torrents of rain, which luckily came after people had started for church, so did not prevent a full congregation from being present.

ELSIE.

NEW PLYMOUTH.

DEAR BEE, NOVEMBER 20.

At the opening of the

NEW PLYMOUTH LAWN TENNIS CLUB

amongst those present I noticed Mrs Leatham, in black coat and skirt, figured silk blouse; Mrs Morrison, navy blue serge; Miss N. Webster, pale blue cambric trimmed with lace; Miss Holdsworth, black skirt, white cambric blouse figured with pink; Miss G. Holdsworth, black skirt, white cambric blouse figured with blue; Miss Constance Bayly, black serge coat and skirt; Miss Carrie Bayly, black lustre; Miss B. Bayly, black skirt, white muslin blouse; Miss Hursthouse, brown flecked tweed trimmed with brown velvet; Miss N. Hursthouse, black trimmed with white lace; Miss Hales, grey lustre; Mrs W. Shaw, black silk; Mrs S. Shaw, black serge; Mrs MacDiarmid, fawn; Miss K. MacDiarmid, navy blue serge; Miss Dalziell, black skirt, yellow muslin blouse; Miss Haggitt, black skirt, blue and white striped cambric blouse; Miss N. Skeet, white; Miss F. Cornwall, grey; Miss E. Hursthouse, pale green muslin; Mrs Holdsworth, black; Miss C. Hamerton, black coat and skirt, white blouse; Miss McKellar, fawn; Miss J. McKellar, tweed coat and skirt; Miss L. Thomson, black crepon skirt, black and white striped blouse; Miss Blundell (Wellington), blue and white muslin; Miss O. Tuke, black skirt, blue and white striped blouse; Miss B. Tuke, black skirt, pink blouse; Miss Vita Bayley,