

Issue No. 144...
Title: All The King's Men.
Discs: 555.449.232.555.
Lines: Stagg.
Voice: Do.

Tracks: Generals Of To-morrow.
You're Lovely Madame.
Forlorn River.
Death Of A Champion.
Life With Henry.

Leaving Buckingham Palace 215 people bore decorations conferred on them by the King. They included civilians and a member of the London Fire-brigade, District Officer Greene, M.B.E.

Captain Fraser, Royal Navy.

Nurse Tomlinson.

Captain Lord Louis Mountbatten, cousin of the King, left the Palace with his wife after receiving the D.S.O.

Inside the Palace 14 budding stars of stage and screen played the role of mannequins before a royal audience. The Queen had consented to see a display of cotton frocks. All ages from 4 to 14 the children are students at the famous Italia Conti acting-school. The frocks are for the States. Americans were so taken by the evacuees' cotton clothes last summer that they sent over big orders. When the Cotton Board asked if the Queen would see some specimens, Her Majesty said yes, and gave the little mannequins quite a thrill.

Brazil ! Far up the Amazon President Vargas visited the chief village of some head hunters - typical inhabitants of the vast Brazilian jungle. It's an old trick of politicians to be nice to the baby; and in various ways the President got on the right side of the natives. On an air survey of the interior he took the chief up with him. The aeroplane may prove to be the means of opening up the rich and largely unexplored forest lands of this great country.

The Chief looked down on the valley of the Amazon - the country which has resisted the march of white progress and remained the possession of primitive man.

In Cumberland a white man has returned to the primitive. Millican Dalton, 73, is England's cave-dweller. Well-known to North country climbers as a lake-district guide for the last 40 years he has now gone to live all alone in a deserted slate-quarry on the gale-swept Jaws of Borrowdale. Think of all the married men who wish they had the pluck to join him ! There is no rent, no rates, no fuel bill.

Millican Dalton is a vegetarian; this life would make anybody go nuts.

At the Royal Horticultural show nobody seems to care much about the flowers. Every day we get more and more interested in things to eat, and a good display of greengrocery now gets more admirers than a peace time flower show. At Twickenham the Welsh used to tie a Leek to the goal post. You could use these for goal posts. But of course the high light of the show was the onions. Why not put one in the crown jewels in place of the Kohinoor Diamond...What a sight ! They bring tears to your eyes.

£10,000,000 HEARST COLLECTION FOR SALE.

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The almost priceless art collection of W.R. Hearst, American Newspaper Magnate, is up for auction. The sale is directed by Dr. Hamer (left) here seen with a prospective buyer, examining a catalogue-illustration of an exquisite gold cup by Benvenuto Cellini. Here is the cup itself, a magnificent specimen of the 16th century Florentine's work.

Hearst ransacked the whole world for art treasures, on which he spent the incredible sum of ten million pounds in fifty years of collection. Many of the 15-thousand objects now under the hammer once adorned his castle in Wales. Not a genuine ghost in the whole collection.

If you can spare two thousand pounds how about this for a nice siren-suit ?

Five thousand secures a china-and-gold dinner-service. Gold cutlery ! Almost as precious as a good joint of meat.

A centuries-old bed - from the days when men were men.

MINISTER SAYS WE'LL OUT-BLITZ NAZIS.

Issue No. 1044..3..3..1941.
Title: Sky Bride.
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At an English speaking union luncheon Sir Archibald Sinclair declared that the RAF will soon let hell loose all over Germany. At the top table were Lord Nuffield, Genius of aircraft production, and Air Chief Marshal Bowhill of the Coastal Command.
