

FLASHES

Field Marshal Slim gave away his 21-yr-old daughter Una when at the Queen's Chapel of the Savoy she married Captain Peter Frazer, whom she met last year in Singapore. Captain Frazer is in the Grenadier Guards. In Malaya he was on the staff of General Templer. The bride wore a gown of ivory Nottingham lace over duchesse satin. She and her husband will return from their honeymoon before the Field Marshal leaves for Australia.

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The only train in history that ever dropped down into a basement was the 8.30. into Union Station, Washington. The brakes failed. It crashed the buffers, then fell through the floor beyond the platform. <sup>Through</sup> Morning travellers crowded the station, ~~but~~ only six were injured; nobody killed.

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Tokyo mourned Prince ChiChibu, younger brother of the Emperor. His coffin was borne by sportsmen of his own generation. Princess Chichibu was chief-mourner, and Crown Prince Akihito represented the Emperor in the procession. The late Prince was patron of ~~various~~ sports and ~~all kinds of~~ tributes from <sup>sportsmen</sup> ~~organizations~~ all over the country were laid at his last resting-place.