

Monty unveils Memorial

~~During~~^{At} Aldershot: A Service of Remembrance at St. Alban's Garrison Church, Field Marshal Lord Montgomery unveiled a memorial tablet to members of the Army Physical Training Corps and associate units, who gave their lives in two World Wars.

After the service - the Field Marshal (who is Colonel-Commandant of the Corps) took the salute at a review of past and present members, ~~who were attending their annual reunion~~.

Weddings

Kent: The "match of the season" brought bridegroom Colin Cowdrey and his best man, Peter May, to St. Nicholas' Church, Chislehurst.

There, another England team-mate, the Rev. David Sheppard, congratulated Colin Cowdrey before assisting at the ceremony.

The lovely bride was Miss Penelope Chiesman - so let's wish them a long and successful partnership.

In London, an Australian match, as Keith Miller arrives for the wedding at St. Columba's, of team-mate Colin MacDonald and Lois Ahlston, a Melbourne girl. So, for Colin at least, the 1956 Tour had a happy ending.

Boxing

New York: A savage world-title-fight, (with no punches pulled), brings sweet revenge for challenger Carmen Basilio as he batters coloured Johnny Saxton - to regain the welterweight crown..

Yes, it's curtains for a gallant champion: the referee stopping the fight in the ninth round.

Both men look all-~~in~~ⁱⁿ, but Basilio is happy; as champion he's back in the big time...

Typhoon

The Far East: Wrecked shipping on the coast of ~~Java~~ Southern Japan marks the course of a typhoon that raged at 150 miles per hour across the South Pacific.

The damage is so overwhelming - that attempts at salvage seem futile ~~was~~ the dead and missing total hundreds, after a devastating tropical storm.