

This was the final night of judgement in the contest to find Miss Australia --- and the parade was held at Brisbane in Queensland. Prizes for the winner included a thousand pounds in cash --- and a trip to Europe and America.

The winner was the local girl --- Miss Queensland.

She was crowned by Premier Gair.....and will represent Australia in the competition to find Miss Universe.

Also in Australia ~~is Mrs Barbara Porritt --- the one-millionth immigrant to land in Australia since the war.~~ *With her husband, she came from Yorkshire*

~~And --- pulling Australia well along the road towards the second million --- this is one family of new arrivals. Their name is Stalenberg and they come from Holland.~~

All one happy family. It's the biggest thing to hit Australia since they got rabbits.

And here from Adelaide in South Australia, is a monster street parade of legendary characters, including Gulliver trussed up like a taxpayer.

Needless to say --- you guessed it. It's the first reminder that Christmas is coming.