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Ken Kingdon was best man and Mr. Russell Brighthouse, groomsman. As the couple came out of the Church a little cousin of the bride presented her with a satin horseshoe. They then passed under a guard of honour formed by the Girls' Life Brigade of which the bride was Acting-captain.

A reception and dance was held at the Returned Soldiers' Hall, Avondale, where Mrs. Steyor assisted by Mrs. Sinclair, received over 100 guests. The happy couple whom we wish the Best of Luck are spending their honeymoon in the South Island.

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SUNDRY NEWS.

The Painter Augusto Giacometti, who recently died in Zurich, has left an amount of 100,000.-frs. to the school of his native town Stampa (Bergell), and 200,000.-frs. to the "Bergeller" hospital. The picture gallery at Chur has received a number of his paintings. (A.T.S.)

The population of the town of Zurich at the end of June numbered 370,351 persons. (A.T.S.)

Dr. A. Wander, Chairman, and for many years Managing-Director of the Dr. A. Wander, A.G., in Berne, and Chairman of various A. Wander concerns abroad, well-known as the producer of Ovaltine, has celebrated his 80th birthday anniversary. (A.T.S.)

The well-known writer, Hermann Hesse (70) has received the decree of doctor honoris causa by the philosophical faculty of the University of Berne. (A.T.S.)

After a lapse of eight years, the "Tell Spiele" in Interlaken have started again. The opening performance, which took place on the 13th of July, was attended by Federal-Councillor, v. Steiger. (A.T.S.)

Professor Carl Henschen, Director of the surgical clinic of the University of Basle, who recently vacated his post, on reaching the age limit, has celebrated his 70th birthday anniversary. Professor Henschen, who enjoys an international reputation, was from 1917-1926 surgeon-in-chief of the cantonal hospital at St. Gall, and since 1926 professor at the University of Basle. (A.T.S.)

The Commercial School at Le Locle (Neuchâtel) has celebrated its 50th jubilee. (A.T.S.)

The Hungarian Government has started an action in a Swiss Court against the former Hungarian Minister in Berne, who recently vacated his post, owing to political differences.

Dr. Franz Gordon, the former Diplomatic Representative of the Republic of Hungary, has refused to hand over the keys of the safe, which were deposited in a Swiss Bank, to his successor. The case will shortly come before the Supreme Court of the canton of Berne. (A.T.S.)

The next International Stamp Exhibition will take place in Basle from the 21st-29th August, 1948. (This year's Exhibition was held in New York). The President of the Organisation Committee is Professor Brogle, Director of the Basle Fair. (A.T.S.)

From New York comes the news of the death of the well-known portrait painter, Adolf Müller, at the age of 85. A Müller was a native of Hospental and emigrated to America at an early age, where he soon gained a