

## Entertainments

The Musical Cheerers from Folkestone brought along a repertoire of music and mirth that did much to liven New Year's afternoon at the Yarrow, and New Year's evening at the Granville. The party appeared ten strong—six Folkestone lady vocalists and instrumentalists in *costume rayé*, and four Shorncliffe C.A.M.C. entertainers in polkadot attire.

The Misses Jeffery, in their violin and 'cello trios pleased their audiences in very pronounced measure, while "The Rosary," with 'cello and organ, at the Granville entertainment, never sounded more appealing. The members of the party supported one another admirably, and even songs that have become rather over familiar acquired a fresh piquancy through animated presentation, and the effective by-play of Corp. Vernham, who, whether giving a number of his own, or playing obligato clown to some other member of the party, kept the crowd at laughing pitch. His song and patter "Shall us? Let's," was irresistible. Pte. Gillion in his mimicry of theatre laughs succeeded at least in evoking highly reciprocal guffaws from a shell-shock case in the front row at the Granville.

Both Yarrow and Granville patients owe a lively New Year's debt to the Folkestone "Cheerers," and their return will be welcomed.

On Thursday Mr. Boyland's Carry On Party gave the Yarrow patients a very jolly evening. The installation of a new piano by the Y.M.C.A. has removed the disability with which accompanists at previous Yarrow concerts have had to contend.

Granville patients will welcome the return on Saturday afternoon of Prof. de Niemira, whose Belgian Concert Party, of pleasant recollections, has now expanded into The Allies.

The following fixtures at Granville Hall have been arranged for the coming week:—

Monday—The Kharkians, of Margate.

Tuesday, 3 p.m.—Bioscope Lecture by Mr. E. G. P. Cotelingam.

Tuesday, 7 p.m.—Cinema.

Wednesday—The Young Britishers, of Margate.

Thursday—Mr. Boyland's Party.

Friday—The Briefs.

## Re Prize Competitions.

The results of the three December competitions, for War Puzzle, Expanded Abbreviations, and Original Cartoons, will be announced in next week's issue, and a new competition will be opened. Watch for it.

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