

LISTENER'S CORNER

Last night's Hebrew programmes were certainly true to the Purim spirit, having as they did Mr. Karniel's satires as a feature. The following are two typical shots from his "political commentary" on the Book of Esther: During his recent visit to Switzerland, Mr. Sumner Welles was surprised to be introduced to the "Minister for the Fleet." He was, however, told that if Germany could boast of a Minister for Justice, they could have one for marine affairs. The difference between India and Germany lay in the fact that in the former territory one man fasted for a whole people, while in the latter the whole people starved for one man.

In his first talk on an excursion to Petra, Mr. J. L. Meltzer gave a vivid and highly coloured description of the journey from Jerusalem to Karak. The effect was enhanced by his dramatization of certain parts of the journey.

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