

Notes And Comments

A young couple doing the rounds in a flying saucer were having a bicker, "If you keep on talking to me like that", said the lady, "I'm going home to Mars".

It was said that there was a definite perfume about the ghost ship found recently near the pyramid Cheops at Giza (Egypt). Archaeologists believe the ship to have been built by the Pharaoh Cheops nearly 5000 years ago. A New Yorker questioned the reference to the perfume — he thought no perfume would last the distance, but Egypt is rather famed for its smells. For instance, a Digger of the first World War a good many years after the armistice happened upon an oil of the Citadel, near Cairo. Looking at it he remarked, "Humph, I can smell the place even now"!

In an American town the manager of the Essex House, a swank apartment building.

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Also from the U.S.A.: Police reported that on a traffic sign reading "School Zone — don't kill a child" somebody had added in a childish scrawl "Wait for a teacher".

Lord Iveagh, controller of Arthur Guinness Son and C., Dublin, although a member of the House of Commons for a good many years and now a member of the House of Lords, has made just one speech in Parliament and that of only five words. A bill was under debate to eliminate highway road signs.

"Everywhere I go," proclaimed an indignant peer, "I am unable to see our beautiful English countryside for the billboards alleging that Guinness is good for you".

Iveagh, his Irish dander flaming, red of face under his platinum white hair, rose to

platinum white hair, rose to his feet. "Guinness is good for you"! he shouted and sat down.

"The whole world today needs men and women who will serve with unstinted devotion the community in which they live, inspired by the motive of giving without thought of receiving. There is no human situation in which a man cannot be of some service to his fellows if he puts his mind to it".—Rev. H. Hunter, of Armidale.

If the Government snatched a majority in Saturday's general election it would be a minority Government, the Leader of the Opposition, Dr. Evatt, said on Sunday night.

Anyhow the term "minority Government" should well appeal to the Queensland Labour Government.

Queensland has returned a majority of Liberal and Country Party candidates in the Federal Sphere for years, while it has had a Labour Government in the State for years—and no likelihood of its being ousted in the present

being unseated in the present state of the electorates.

The Federal election is over and done with. As one newspaper put it, Labour's "drive to stampede and bedazzle the people—to bribe them, to put it bluntly, with their own money—did not come off".

"A person who does not pray is without any invisible means of support", said Rev. Dr. Thomas Muldoon, at St. Mary's Cathedral, Sydney.
