

IRISH FOOTBALL.

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Spain kicked off in the Soccer international against Eire at Dalymount Park --- and the match produced a sensation in the first few minutes with a goal by Fitzsimmons.

Spain replied with the equaliser scored by Pahiño.

Pahiño scored again for Spain to lead two - one..... but Eire finished up even with a two --all draw.

GENEVA HORSE SHOW.

In Geneva the international Horse Show provided a welcome change from international politics --- and this meeting proved a triumph for Britain's Pat Smythe. After winning one event and being second in two others, this brilliant girl show-jumper won the award for the best woman rider.

MERCURY GIRLS.

Lovely girls were on parade in Birmingham for judging in a contest sponsored by the Sunday Mercury. And the judges included film stars David Knight and Julia Arnall.

The winner was Miss Angela Vaughan, of Wolverhampton. Her prize included a cheque for £250, and the title of Mercury Girl of 1956 --- and everything that goes with it.

CATHOLIC PROCESSION.

In the streets of Maastricht in Holland --- a religious procession which is held once in seven years. Those taking part included bishops from many neighbouring countries and a representative of the Pope. The pageant is divided into nine parts, each denoting a different period in history.

MOUNTAIN CABINET.

A little cabin in the mountains of Maryland U.S.A. is having a visit from men who arrive by helicopter.....which is the modern transportation for important people. It's an important occasion -- for President Eisenhower ^{is} meeting members of his cabinet, for the first time since he was laid low by a heart attack.

SKIERS.

Now that the coasts of Britain are locked in the grasp of winter, there's time to put in a little theory on the sport of water-ski-ing. This is how to do it.

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This is what motor-cyclists call a kick-start

This is how you can do tricks if you're really expert. The trick is in keeping your feet without getting your head cut off

This is the back-stroke.

SANTA PARADE.

Seattle has given a start to the Christmas season of America's western states with a suggestion that there's going to be fish on the menu.

The nautical touch is maintained by the next in line of procession, which is a Viking ship. So if Junior's reached the age when he doesn't believe in Santa Claus, they hope he'll swallow this.