

BUFFS COLOURS.

15/8/56.

For a service at Canterbury Cathedral, men of a famous Kent regiment marched to lay up their Colours for the last time. They were the 2nd Battalion, the Buffs. The ceremony was combined with a Remembrance Service of the Regiment's Past and Present Association, ^{it} and it was attended by many ~~fixing~~ Old Comrades.

FUNERAL.

Mass was held outside the offices of the Municipal Council at Marcinelle, ~~in Belgium~~, for the first of the victims whose bodies were recovered from the terrible coalmine disaster in Belgium.

In the funeral procession were delegations of miners, and representatives of the Pope, the King of the Belgians and the Government.

AIR DISPLAY.

Crowds whose admission money was being devoted to naval charities, flocked to Lee-on-Solent to watch a display by helicopters from the Royal Naval Air Station.

Following the mass flypast, these handy little aircraft gave a demonstration of just how handy they could be....easier to park than most cars.

An agricultural note was introduced when a man hanging from a helicopter harvested a girl off a haycart. Farmers grumbled ~~it~~ that if it hadn't been for the bad summer, she'd have been twins.