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## "'MODERN NITE' AT PORT ERIN" \*

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A novel show in aid of the National Children's Homes is being presented at the Port Erin Legion Hall next Friday (Sept. 23rd). It is described as a "modern nite" and will feature a number of young artists mainly rhythm groups. They include the Suedettes, the Zephyrs, the Sinners, the Meteors and the Hayseeds, Jimmy Maddocks and his trio along with magician Gus Alligan, Granville Christie and Norman Mills. Mr Jack Nivison, M.H.K. will be the compere and it looks like being a real rip-roaring night. For the young people in particular this should be a big draw.

"[News from the South] 'Modern Nite' at Port Erin." *Isle of Man Examiner* 15 September 1960: 9f.

A new world of music making on offer at the Port Erin Legion Hall, and the names of Manx groups to pursue further.

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