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MILITARY AID OFFERED BRITAIN BY POLAND?

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EVENT OF AGGRESSION AGAINST VITAL INTERESTS

"GERMANY MUST BE STOPPED BY SWORD"

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LONDON, April 4. It is understood that the Polish Foreign Minister (Colonel Beck), who is at present in London, is prepared to offer Britain a pledge of reciprocal guarantees in the event of aggression against vital British interests in Western Europe.

Comment in Polish newspapers emphasises the need for national unity. Newspapers feature on their front pages a speech of the Nationalist Party leader (M. Kowalski), declaring that if war comes it will be the result of German

"If Germany takes another step eastward she must be stopped by the sword."

A British Official Wireless message weight of Britain's pledge to Poland. says that formal conversations will begin to-morrow between Colonel Beck and the Foreign Secretary (Viscount Halifax) at the Foreign Office. Colonel Beck will afterwards be the guest of Lord and Lady Halifax at luncheon, and will later be received by Mr. Chamberlain.

In view of the discussions with

In view of the discussions with Colonel Beck, the Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs (Mr. R. A. Butler) declined when asked in the House of Commons to make a state-thouse of C

RUMANIA

INVESTIGATED

NAVAL STRENGTH

Soviet Included In

Guarantee?

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yould also receive unlimited sup-lies of munitions and warplanes from the Soviet in the event of ag-

gression.

England and Rumania are now negotiating with Turkey and Greece with a view to completing the defensive system.

A Moscow message, however, says it is officially denied that the Soviet has undertaken to supply Poland with war materials.

Strikers Held

Responsible

DAMAGE TO WORKS

Court Sets Important

Precedent

UNITED STATES CASE

LONDON, April 4.

"I believe we can go forward with confidence not only because of our rising strength, the unity of our people and the response by other nations, but also because all these

House of Commons to make a statement on the present position at Danzig.

An earlier London report states that, speaking at Liverpool, the Air Minister (Sir Kingsley Wood), said:
"Let none mistake the meaning and "Lithuanian public greatly favours solidarity with Poland.

A ROYAL WELCOME.—Scenes reminiscent of the Coronation marked the entry of the French President (M. Lebrun) into London. The procession is seen on the Mall on its way to Buckingham Palace.

BRITISH AID FOR More Islands To Be Seized?

JAPAN'S INTENTIONS POTENTIAL NEEDS ARE

> Potential Menaces To Shipping Route

> SOUTH CHINA SEA

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HONG KONG, April 4.

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The inquiry, which involved chiefly air and naval strength, greatly gratified official circles.

According to a Paris report it is authoritatively stated that Rumania has agreed to accept a British guarantee, which might take the form of a military agreement under which Poland and Rumania rould also receive unlimited supwhich are regarded as potential paign will get properly going.

TO CANADA

DEFENCE ALLIANCES **NECESSARY**

PACIFIC PROBLEMS

Partial Dependence On Sister Dominions

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(Received April 5, 1.5 a.m.) OTTAWA, April 4. Mr Howard Green, a Vancouver Conservative, urged the Canadian Government to seek immediately de-

fence alliances with the United States, Britain and British possessions in the Pacific.

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PHILADELPHIA, April 3.

A Federal District Court jury of eight women and four men set an important precedent in labour history by finding a union responsible for damages incurred during a sitdown strike.

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Recently outlawed by the United States Supreme Court, a branch of an American federation of hosiery workers was ordered to pay the Apex Hosiery Mill 237,310 dollars damages, to be tripled under the Sherman anti-trust law.

Mr Green expressed the opinion that Canada should participate in the Pacific Defence Conference in New Zealand because Canada was dependent to some extent on Britain's Singapore base and the fleets of her sister dominions in the Pacific for protection.

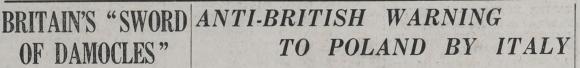
Panama Canal. He also felt that Canada should take a greater interest in the protection of the Panama Canal and the Hawaiian Islands, which he termed the frontiers of both the United

he urged the prohibition of Japanese immigration to Canada as a defence measure, contending that the number of Japanese living on the west coast was steadily increasing and becoming a threat to the safety of the Pacific Coast.

By Telegraph—Press Association.

DUNEDIN, April 4.

The gross receipts from the third wool sale in Dunedin, on March 16, were £351,297/12/5.



Pointed Allusions Made To Fate Of Other

Nations

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ROME, April 4. The Italian Press warns States approached by Britain to take care.

Mussolini's mouthpiece, in the "Giornale signor Gayda d'Italia," says: "Let Poland remember what happened to the Franco-Russian guarantee to Czechoslovakia. Remember the fate of others who felt honoured by British and French friendship-Haile Selassie, Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, Dr.

"England's policy of the encirclement of Germany involves the simultaneous blockade of Italy."

Show

"The Times" says that the statements on Britain's foreign policy by Mr Chamberlain and Lord Halifax were not designed to add anything to Friday's declaration, but were valuable because they defined the origin and purpose of the pledge to Poland beyond all risk of misconception, at home or abroad. N.Z. HORSES' SUCCESS

Clydesdale Section Judged

MARRED BY RAIN

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SYDNEY, April 4. Soaking rain has so far marred Sydney's Royal Show, which opened last Saturday. It interfered with the judging of cattle yesterday, and the judging of horses to-day. The New Zealand-bred Clydesdale stallions again showed to adventors, in lions again showed to advantage in the Clydesdale sections, E. Hodges's New Zealand-bred Norwood winning four chief awards and defeating the imported Scottish horse Silver imported Scottish horse Silver Lining, also gaining the Kilpatrick Cup for the best Australian or New Zealand-bred stallion or colt.

An interesting feature of the thoroughbred competition was that the £19,000 horse Talong gained only the third prize of £5, the winner being the V.R.C. Derby winner Hua, with Breakup second.

KING GHAZI OF IRAQ DEAD

CAR HITS PYLON

Three-Year-Old Emir Feisal Is Heir

LONDON, April 4. Havas News Agency reports that King Ghazi of Iraq was killed in a motor accident, colliding with an electric pylon at midnight while

Sydney Royal TRADING METHODS

GERMANY ASSAILED BY MR HULL

NEW PACT SIGNED

United States Agreement With Turkey

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(Received April 4, 7 p.m.) WASHINGTON, April 3.

The United States Secretary of

State (Mr Cordell Hull) to-day assailed German trading methods as destructive to world commerce.

Answering the attack made by the German Economics Minister (Dr. Funk) he said that Germany could trade with the United States under the same conditions as other countries. The German authorities, however, seemed to be able to trade only on their own terms.

Mr Hull added that Germany was diverting trade from the United States solely to serve German pur-

"American trade cannot satisfactorily fit itself into crevices of German needs left by barter agreements already executed with other countries, nor does it have to." A reciprocal trade agreement with Turkey, signed at Ankara yester-day, is expected to make heavy in-roads into Germany's trade position with Turkey.

U.S. WARSHIPS TO BE BUILT PRIVATELY

Unprecedented Step By Navy Department

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The United States Navy Depart ment to day took the unprecedented step of calling for tenders from private shipbuilders for four destroy ers and four submarines, for which

VIRTUAL POSSESSION OF ALBANIA?

Italian Intentions Revealed By Troop Concentrations

PROTECTORATE LIKELY

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LONDON, April 4.

"The Times" correspondent at Rome expresses the opinion that Italy may possibly be contemplating some form of protectorate in Albania, even the taking of virtual possession, which for a long time has appeared to be her ultimate

Albania's economic position has lately become worse. Her people are discontented. King Zog may have agreed to accept a protectorate in the country's own interests.

An earlier message states that, despite an Albanian denial, it is reported that 20,000 Italian troops are standing by at Brindisi and Bari with transports to sail for Albania. Well-informed circles in Rome declare that any action taken will be with the consent of King Zog of Albania.

Outlined

Removing Causes Of Grievances

PREMIER'S MESSAGE

British Official Wireless. (Received April 4, 7 p.m.) RUGBY, April 3.

Ceremonial Taking Over Chamberlain) sent the following the following letter to the annual meet-ing of the Edgharden division of the

Britain's Aims U.S. "VOLKSBUND"

DOMINATION CHECK

AIMS

LOVE FOR GERMANY MAIN OBJECT

ARMED TROOPERS?

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After investigating the German-american "Volksbund," the Bureau RUGBY, April 3.
The Prime Minister (Mr Neville of Justice announced that its mem-

Ceremonial laking Over Of Position

following letter to the annual meeting of the Edgbaston division of the Unionist Association: "We are passing through difficult times, but I am greatly encouraged by the knowledge that I have the support of my friends at Edgbaston, and I trust that we shall presently see an improvement in the situation.

Baron von Neurath is ceremoniously taking over the position of protector of Bohemia and Moravia on Wednesday. A communique declares that order and security have been restored.

A section of the German troops occupying Bohemia and Moravia has been ordered to return to Germany.

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"Our desire is still to remove any legitimate causes of grievances wherever they may exist, but any attempt at world domination would have to be resisted in this country, along with others, as it has always been in the past."

The Department found no evidence that the Bund was controlled from Germany or whether its storm troopers drilled with firearms.

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The Man's Shop

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Comparison Made With He urged the prohibition of Japan

Mr Green suggested that Canada should ask Japan to terminate the gentleman's agreement under which several hundred Japanese enter annually. If Japan refused Canada should terminate the agreement herself.

Were £351,297/12/5.

With one more major auction to be held in this centre, the total wool cheque for Otago amounts to £1,012,871, compared with £1,364,659, which included proceeds from the four main Dunedin sales in the 1937-38 season.

turning back. ENSURING SUPPLIES OF FOOD

The London "Daily Telegraph" says that the Premier's speech was that of a man who has set his course and knows that there is no

PRESS HOSTILITY IN

GERMANY

RUMANIA SAFE?

"Gott Strafe England"

Campaign

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like the Sword of Damocles.

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With Hitler's return to Hamburg

German circles believe that Rumania is safely in Germany's pocket, while Yugoslavia's geographical position makes impossible her adherence to the British line-up.

British Press Comment.

LONDON, April 4.

The British Policy REGULATION OF

National Organisation

IMPORTS

United Press Association-Copyright. LONDON, April 3. The Minister of Agriculture (Sir Reginald Dorman Smith) in a public speech foreshadowed a national organisation for regulating food imports from which an Empire, and eventually a world, organisation might grow up night grow up. He said that British policy should

be directed at ensuring an ample food supply to Britain, with the rea-lisation that the interests of pro-

ducers and consumers were identi-

THIS YEAR'S OTAGO WOOL CHEQUE

Last Season

KILLED IN MOTOR ACCIDENT

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driving a car at high speed. The Emir Feisal, aged three, is the heir.

Congress has not yet provided funds, thus emphasising the speeding-up of the defence programme.

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22YA Wellington.—1.20: Lunch music.
2.0: Classical hour. 3.0: Sports results. 5.0: Children's session.

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HORSES

1—Pony Jumping: 1st, Silver Challenge Cup with miniature and Handmade Bridle valued at £1 1/-; 2nd Trophy valued 10/6.

2—Draught Horse Race: 1st, Trophy valued 21 1/-; 2nd, Trophy valued 10/6.

3rd, f1 1/-.
7—Young Farmers' Hack Race, 4 furlongs: 1st. Challenge Rose Bowl, valued f10 10/- with miniature; 2nd, Bridle valued f1 5/-; 3rd, Trophy valued 10/6; 8—Hack Race, 4 furlongs: 1st, Silver Cup valued f2 2/-; 2nd, Trophy valued f1 1/-; 3rd, Trophy valued Hack races open to horses owned

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PROGRAMMES ON THE AIR

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"Round the Piano," a concert of songs and choruses of the early days will be presented by the Old-Time Concert Party from 2YA Wellington, at 8.12 p.m.

There will be another saxophone recital by Josef Kaartinen, from 3YA Christchurch at 9.5 p.m.

12YA Wellington.—6.0: Dinner music

7.0: Government and overseas news. 7.10: News and reports.

news. 7.10: News and reports. 7.30: Talk by gardening experts. 8.0: The 2YA String Orchestra: "Herr and Madame Dennis" Over-

ture (Offenbach), "Pour Une Prin-cess," (Ferrier). 8.12: "Round the

Piano".—Songs and choruses of the early days. 8.28: The 2YA String Orchestra, Suite, "Goliardica" (Amedei). 8.40: Talk, Dr. Guy H. Scholefield, "World Affairs." 9.0:

Weather report and station notices. 9.5: "Into the Light"—a serial romance of the Middle Ages. 9.35: "Soldier of Fortune." 10.0: Dance music by Sammy Lee and his Americanadians. 11.0: Close down

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cordings. 12.0: Lunch music.

2YA Wellington.—7.0: Sessions of physical exercises. 7.10: Breakfast session. 10.10: Devotional service. 10.25: Recording. 10.28: Time signals. 10.45: Talk to women by Margaret.

3YA Christchurch.—7.0 Physical exercises session. 7.10: Breakfast session. 10.0: Recordings. 10.30: Devotional service. 11.0: Talk to Women by Margaret. 11.10: Women's session. 11.30: Recordings. 12.0: Lunch music. 4YA Dunedin .- 7.0: Session of physical

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hour.

4YA Dunedin.—1.0: Weather report.
2.0: Recordings. 3.15: Talk by the
A.C.E., "Who's Who in the Nutritional World — At Home and
Abroad." 3.30: Sports results.
Classical music. 4.0: Weather and
frost forecast. 4.30: Light music.
4.45: Sports results. 5.0: Children's session.

EVENING SESSION

1YA Auckland.—8.0: Dinner music.
7.0: Government and overseas news. 7.10: News and reports.

news. 7.10: News and reports. 8.0: (R) Foveau (trumpet), Cantrell (first violin), Bellanger (second violin), Vieux (viola), Marneff (cello), Nanny (double bass) and Faure (piano), Septet, (Saint-Saens). 8.18: Tony Rex, "My Heart is Like the Sombre Night" (Mendelssohn); "Devonight" (Mendelssohn); "Devonight" (Saint-Saens). Night? (Mendelssohn); "Devotion" "Thou'rt Lovely As a Flower," "Row Gently Here, My Gondolier" (Schumann). 8.30: (R) Virtuoso String Quartet, Quartet in B Flat Major (Beethoven). 9.5: (R) "Coronets of England." 9.33: (R) Minrespolis Symphony Or-(R) "Coronets of England." 9.33:
(R) Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra, "Funeral March of a Marionette" (Gounod); "Moto Perpetuo" (Paganini), 9.41: (R) Emilio Livi (tenor): "Ninna-Nanna," "Ti Voglio Tanto Bene." 9.47: (R) Adolf Wolff at the wurlitzer organ, "When All is Green and Blossoming," "To the Spring" (Greig), 9.53: (R): The Kardosch Singers: "The Song You Alone 12: Light music. 12—2 p.m.: Luncheon music. 5 p.m.: Light music. 5.30 p.m.: For the Children. 6 p.m. "The Japanese Houseboy." 6.12: Light music. 6.25: 'Singapore Spy." 6.50: Stortford Lodge Market Report. 7.0: After-dinner music. 8.0: Concert ses-Singers: "The Song You Alone Can Sing," "In Turkestan." 10.0: Music, mirth and melody. 11.0:

Close down.

matters of topical interest. 8.30: "The Song Reporter"—Ian Stewart. 8.45: To close down. Sports news and mar-To be held on Grounds kindly lent by H. E. CROSSE, Esq.,

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAY APRIL 12, 13 and 14, 1939.

Judge: A. Stead, Esq.

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10/6.
10/7 Miles Handicap: 1st, Meikle
10/8 Miles Handi

Class IIA.—For Maiden Dogs. (To be run in conjunction with Class II.) The Wairoa Young Farmers' Club is still the largest club of its kind in New Zealand, states the annual report of the club to be presented at the annual meeting on April 12.

The membership has increased from 98 in 1938 to 121 at present and the average attendance has been been considered. Class IIB.—For Local Men with Maiden Dogs. (To be run in conjunction with Class II.)

and the average attendance has been 41. 41.
The club, as these figures reveal, has grown throughout the year in step with the advancement of the movement in New Zealand, and a great deal of good work has been accomplished in the direction of lectures on scientific aspects of farming

ing.
Mr R. J. Powdrell, chairman of the club, points out that the suc-cess of the club is due in no small measure to Mr W. G. Brownlie, the secretary who has not missed a meeting since the club was inaug-

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3YA Christchurch.—6.0: Dinner music.
7.0: Government and overseas news. 7.10: News and reports.
7.20: Addington Stock Market report. 7.30: Winter course talk.
8.0: Readings by Mr. O. L. Simmance with music: (a) "Pickwick Papers" by Chaples Diskares (b). MADE

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mance with music: (a) "Pickwick Papers," by Charles Dickens; (b) "The Dream," by W. W. Jacobs. Music: Lener String Quartet, Trio—Minuett from Quartet in A. Major (Haydn); Halle Orchestra, Symphony No. 4 in A Major (Mendelssohn). 8.35: (R) Sir Thomas Beecham conducting the London Philharmonic Orchestra, "Rossiniana" Selection. 8.52: (R) Heinrich Schlusnuss: "Sleep, Beloved," "Wondrous and Kind Art Thou" (Brahms). 9.0: Weather forecast and station notices. 9.5: Josef Kaartinen (Finnish saxophonist): Selections from Danish melodies. "Daily Mail" Special Service WAIPUKURAU. The urgent need for stimulating interest in the requirements of home defence was stressed at a meeting on Monday night of the Waipukurau branch of the New Zealand Defence League and the committee is endeavouring to make a fortherning moeting represents a forthcoming meeting representa-tive of Central Hawke's Bay. Help from supporters in Waipawa, Pora-ngahau, Takapau and Ongaonga is Selections from Danish melodies.
9.25: (R) Felice Huni-Mihacsek
"Slumber Song" (Mozart), "Song
of Spring" (Gounod). 9.34: (R)
Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra,
conducted by Bruno Walter, Symphony in G Major (Haydn). 10.0:
Music, mirth and melody.

being secured.

Twelve members of the Waipukurau committee were present at the meeting over which Mr R. W. Carpenter presided.

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Music, mirth and melody.

4YA Dunedin.—6.0: Dinner music. 7.0:

Government and overseas news.
7.10: News and reports. 7.30: Talk by motoring expert. 8.0: (R) "Mittens"—an epic of the Turf. 8.15: "The Bold, Bad Buccaneers" in humour and harmony. 8.28: "The Fourth Form at St. Percy's." 8.40: Sandor Horvath and his Orchestra, "Songs of Vienna." 8.46: (R) Talk by Professor Arnold Wall, "Life and Language" (1). 9.0: Weather report and station notices. 9.5: 'Westward Hol'" 9.18: "The Strange Adventures of Mr. Penny—Mr. Penny's Christmas Box." 9.33: "The Life of Emile Zola." 10.0: An hour of dance music by the bands of Horace Heidt and his Brigadiers, Hal Kemp and Ozzie Nelson, with interludes by Ivor Moreton and Dave Kaye, and Charles Magnante. 11.0: Close down.

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Haumoana Card Party.—The winners at the Five Hundred tourney at Haumoana on Monday night were: Women, Mrs McGregor 1, Mrs Grant 2; men, Mr H. Hill 1, Mr J. McCarthy 2. No card party will be held Haumoana Card Party.—Ine winners at the Five Hundred tourney at Haumoana on Monday night were: Women, Mrs McGregor 1, Mrs Grant 2; men, Mr H. Hill 1, Mr J. McCarthy 2. No card party will be held on Easter Monday, but one will be held the following week.

Croquet at Waipawa.—The third and final of a series of three croquet matches was played yesterday on the Waipawa green between Waipukurau and Waipawa. The result was a win for the visitors by 88 points to 66. Waipukurau thus restricted to the company of the com Lordship's 88 points to 66. Waipukurau thus retain the B grade vase. The teams were as follows — Waipukurau: Mesdames Chambers, Hopkins, McLean and Staples. Waipukurau: Mesdames Chambers, Hopkins, McLean and Staples. Waipukurau: Mesdames Fleming, King, Parkin, and Miss B. Dailey.

B Winterbottom (Two Minds with Not a Single Thought). Orchestra conducted by Charles Shadwell. Presented by John Sharman. 8.0: The programme of light was a win for the visitors by 88 points to 66. Waipukurau thus retain the B grade vase. The teams were as follows — Waipukurau: Mesdames Fleming, King, Parkin, and Miss B. Dailey.

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secondary to Miss Shearer's absorbingly human interpretation of a
woman sometimes carefree, oftimes
desperate, seeking for happiness. woman sometimes carefree, oftimes desperate, seeking for happiness. The story has gripping power on the screen because it is simply told. Miss Shearer's "Antoinette" is a girl eager to be in love and to be loved, who finds herself married to a moronic husband, a role superbly played by Robert Morley. When he fails her, and his country, through weakness of mind and spirit, she seeks escape in mad pleasures and dangerous flirtations. But in the end, she cannot escape her sures and dangerous flirtations. But in the end, she cannot escape her destiny as the last Queen of France. Director W. S. Van Dyke II., not content with merely scratching the surface of history, has probed deeply into the hearts of his fascinating characters, and gives them vitality and realism as people motivated by desires, hates, loves and ambitions, no different from those of to-day. "Marie Antoinette" is thoroughly entertaining. Power is a handsome gallant and convincing Count Axel } allant and convincing Count Axe e Fersen, the man who dared t ove a Queen. There are moments f great drama and poignant trag-dy, but also delightful comedy. Much of the humour is provided by Barrymore, whose performance as

Barrymore, whose performance as the cynical, world-weary King Louis XV., is among his finest. Miss George's du Barry is lusty and amusing, while Schildkraut is a thoroughly villainous Duke d'Or-Current Attraction. There they go! The turf cham-ions of America have been gathered together for the greatest race ever presented on a motion picture screen. Seabiscuit, Dauber, Specify screen. Seadiscult, Dather, Specify, Indian Broom, Lloyd Pan and other champions turn actor with Wallace Beery and Mickey Rooney in "Stablemates," which is now show. ing at the Regent Theatre. This is the greatest human-interest story since the immortal "Champ," and is destined to make the screen's greatest dramatic team, Beery and

A superb array of Metro featurettes include a Pete Smith novelty on diving, Our Gang comedy and an attractive musical in addition to the atest gazette of world events.

State

WESTERN DRAMA AND COMEDY

"Arizona Legion" With "Affairs Of Annabel"

George O'Brien plays a new kind f role in his latest action-packed utdoor drama, "Arizona Legion," opens to-day at the State

Theatre, Hastings.

He is cast as a patriotic Arizonian who organises a secret group of rangers under secret state authority to combat the rising tide of ban-ditry. When he allies himself with the outlaw group to learn the iden-ity of their chief, his sweetheart, played by Laraine Johnson, and other members of the community, believe he is one of the gang and ostracise him from their society.

ostracise him from their society.
Sworn to secrecy, O'Brien is unable to defend himself against the insinuations of his sweetheart and a lieutenant, and even when he leads the bandit group into an ambush so that they are captured by the same lieutenant, O'Brien is not believed. Instead he is sent to gaol. From here excitement increases, O'Brien escaping from gaol to prove O'Brien escaping from gaol to prove the U.S. Commissioner, appointed to investigate his conduct, to be the eader of the bandit gang.
Flavoured with high-speed hum-

Flavoured with high-speed humour and side-splitting situations, "The Affairs of Annabel," co-starring Jack Oakie and Lucille Ball, is the second attraction.

"The Affairs of Annabel" revolves around the unexpected results of a series of imaginative exploits contrived by Oakie in his role of a rash press agent to publicise the studio's foremost star, played by Miss Ball. Unfortunately these stunts have a habit of backfiring. To attract attention to a prison picture, Oakie has Lucille gaoled under an alias, promising reams of publicity upon her release a few days later. But real prison terms loom for the pair if the scheme is learned; and Lucille has to serve out her time for fear

The draw has been arranged as follows, play to commence at 1.15 Collision With A

NAPIER THEATRES

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2.15 P.M. —

- TO-DAY of the Most Thrilling GRAND RETURN — Espionage Drama the Screen has Known.

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her release a few days later. But real prison terms loom for the pair if the scheme is learned; and Lucille has to serve out her time for fear of exposure.

Although enraged, Lucille again falls for Oakie's persuasive tongue and goes to work as a housemaid, as a publicity huildun for her new author's gavest and grandest story. and goes to work as a housemand, as a publicity build-up for her new picture, "A Maid and a Man." However, two kidnappers fleeing the General Mander of the principals in a fast Kelly and Judith Allen, which is now showing at the Municipal Hastings.

Theatre, Hastings. Theatre, Hastings.

Becausing she is squandering her legacy in an ifl-advised attempt to turn her ranch into a dairy farm, the trust company guarding Judith Allen's inheritance sends Paul Kelly, tits special trouble-shooter, to dissuade her. Posing as a milk expert, he gets a job on her, ranch, with his partner, Johnny Arthur.

Payments: Grants to soldiers (21), 438 10s 4d; grants to dependants (2), f20; Napier Soldiers' Club (1), f14; loans to soldiers (7), f62 17s 6d; payments on account of other societies (3), £16 0s 9d—total £151 8s suade her. Posing as a milk expert, he gets a job on her, ranch, with his partner, Johnny Arthur.

HAWKE'S BAY WAR RELIEF

Napier Finances

PAYMENTS AND RECEIPTS

The March Figures

A statement of payments and re-ceipts for the month of March, 1939, was placed before a meeting of the Napier branch committee Hawke's Bay War Relief Association on Monday.

Receipts totalled £66 7s, and payments £151 8s 7d, details being as follows:

Plaza

WAR FILM AND VARIETY

George Sanders In "Lancer Spy"

If he lived, this daring British sec et agent sitting with the German igh command in the uniform of a Prussian Lancer could strike a deadlier blow than a million march-ing men! If he succeeded, it meant ing men! If he succeeded, it meant heartbreak; if he failed, the firing squad. Characterised by jolting realism that makes it the most suspenseful spy story ever screened, "Lancer Spy," Twentieth Century. Fox picture, commenced a return season at the Plaza to-day, with Dolores Del Rio, George Sanders and Peter Lorre featured. The most extraordinary venture a courageous traordinary venture a courageous man ever faced, with one chance in a thousand that he would ever re a thousand that he would ever re-turn, this untold spy story of the great war is brought to vivid life by the sensational performance of George Sanders, destined to skyrocket him to screen fame. In addition "Variety Parade," sparkling riot of fun embracing all the great favourites of Vaudeville and Radio, will be screened.

Easter Attraction.

Recognised to be greater than even the Pulitzer Prize play by George S. Kaufman and Moss Hart the Columbia screen version "You Can't Take It With You," acted by a distinguished cast which includes Jean Arthur, Lionel Barry more, James Stewart, Edward Arnold, Mischa Auer, Ann Miller and Spring Byington, will open at Easter at the Plaza Theatre, Napier. Others in the cast include Donald Meek, Halliwell Hobbes, H. B. Warner, Dub Taylor, Eddie Anderson and Lillian

presses the philosophy of Grandpa Vanderhof (Lionel Barrymore) and Vandernof (Lionel Barrymore) and his lovable family group. Grandpa has long believed that too much money is a liability and that the major motif of life should be good clean fun. His entire family, as a consequence, has become imbued with this unconventional theory of living. Everybody who lives in the Vanderhof home does just what he or she wants to do and nothing else.
The story is packed with delightful comedy and delightfully astonising incident. The plans are now open at Lockyer's ('phone 526) and early booking is advised.

Mayfair

MYSTERY FILM AND MUSIC-COMEDY

'The Girl From Scotland Yard," "Mountain Music"

An attractive Guest Night programme is being presented at the Mayfair Theatre, Napier, today. Action, international intrigue and romance in generous portions keep Paramount's "The Girl From Scotland Yard" moving at a swift pace. The picture has plenty of thrills and chills, some excellent comedy and a flavouring of music. comedy and a flavouring of music.
The story presents Karen Morley in
the title role as, an agent who uses
her beauty and wit to trap the inentor of a death ray who threatens o destroy England's air force with nis invention. Since the ray is operated at a distance and is invisible, it is not an easy job that confronts her Miss Morley is assisted in tracking down the inventor by Robert Baldwin, an American newspaper man who gets involved in the intrigue when he falls in love with the beau-tiful secret agent. He and Miss Morley succeed in trapping the inventor, but not before the latter wrecks several bombing 'planes in a thrilling aerial battle high over

"Mountain Music," a riotous comedy, set against a background of mountain, hill-billy music is the second attraction of the evening. It is the story of Bob Burns, who meets Martha in a strange city. Both Bob and Martha think he is rich, and it is a sheek for both of them and it is a shock for both of them to discover that he is only a hill-billy who ran away from marriage to a girl he did not love. to a girl he did not love.

Terry Walker is the girl Bob left
behind him. She is looking for him
to take him home, so that his
brother, John Howard, whom she leves, may be freed from a charge of having murdered Bob.

there is a happy ending in spite of all, and the two couples, Bob and Martha, Howard and Terry, go down the road, singing a mountain ballad.

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Tyrone Power In

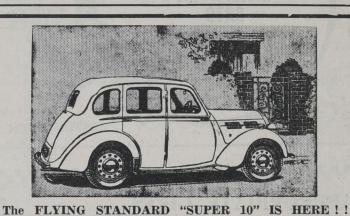
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Of the 24 birds liberated only nine arrived on the day of the toss. The winning birds made good time, doing 1100 yards per minute for the fly. The results of the race were as be-

Mr R. Johnson's Rebel Queen, 5 hrs. 32min. 35sec. Mr W. Strother's Lady Renown,

WOMEN'S RIGHTS IN RUSSIA

The Working Conditions

TALK GIVEN BY COL. F. J. MILES

Bible Banned In Russia

Yesterday afternoon the Rev. C. B. Boggis presided over a representative gathering of Hastings women at a meeting of the Baptist Missionary Society, when Col. the Rev. F. J. Miles, D.S.O., O.B.E., V.D., gave an address on the conditions of women in Pussia

men in Russia. During the war Col. Miles was a chaplain in the Australian Imperial Army and was twice decorated for gallantry. He is general secretary for the Russian Missionary Society whose headquarters are in London. Col. Miles said that women in Russia were ranked equal with men

The three of them reach home as Howard is about to be convicted. The judge, though recognising Bob, refuses to see the argument. But there is a heavy and is a before the result of the recognising between the result of the resu mining, tractor driving, drain dig-ging, and a great deal of the navvy-ing work was done by the Russian women. Col. Miles said that the Bible was still banned in Russian and that the workers in the Russian and that the workers in the Russian Missionary Society had to work from outside its borders. He also said that it was a fact that many Christians in Russia would starve if it were not for the food which is sent to them from the missionary society. ary society.

The meeting closed with a vote of thanks to Col. Miles for his most interesting address.

Tyrone Power In

"Suez"

The Napier Competitions Society's Easter Festival commences on Thursday evening next at 7.30 p.m. in the Municipal Theatre, when a splendid programme will be presented, including junior choirs, the story of Ferdinand de Lesseps, the sto

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To-day, rises 6.43 a.m.; sets 6.12 p.m. PHASES OF THE MOON Full moon, 3.58 p.m. yesterday, Last quarter, 8.51 a.m., April 12. New moon, 4.15 a.m., April 20. First quarter, 6.05 a.m., April 27.

TIDES. H.W. R.W. L.N. L.N. A.M. P.M. a.m. p.m. a.m. Wed, 5.52 6.28 12.15 Thur. 6.57 7.32 0.53 Fri. 8.00 8.32 1.53 Sat. 8.57 9.28 2.51

VESSELS AT INNER HARBOUR. EXPECTED ARRIVALS. Boadstead.
Port Gisborne, ex London, to-morrow

morning. Port Wyndham, ex Waikokopu, April Port Halifax, ex Wellington, April 13. Dominion Monarch, ex Auckland, Dominion Monarch, ex Auckland, April 17. Frankfurt, ex Wellington, April 17. Imperial Star, ex Gisborne, April 19. Mahana, ex Auckland, April 21. Otalo, ex Gisborne, April 22. California Star, ex Auckland, May 17.

Tekoa, ex Liverpool, May 24.
Feakwater.
Pukeko, ex Portland, to-morrow.
Kopara, ex Auckland, April 7.
Kaimiro, ex Westport, April 7. Wainui, ex westport, April 7.
Wainui, ex southern ports, April 9.
Pakura, ex Wellington, April 11.
Kakapo, ex Greymouth, April 14.
Paua, ex Wellington, April 22.
nner Harbour.
Koau, ex Waikokopu, April 8.
Koutunui, ex Waikokopu, April 8.

PROJECTEL DEPARTURES.

Gisborne, for New Plymouth Halifax, for Auckland, April 13. Wyndham, for Auckland, April Dominion Monarch, for Wellington, Frankfurt, for GERMANY, April 19. Imperial Star, for Wellington, April

Mahana, for Nelson, April 22. Otaio, for Wanganui, April 28. California Star, for Wellington, May Tekoa, for Wellington, May 25. Korowai, for Auckland, 2 p.m. yester-

Korowai, for Auckland, 2 p.m. yesteday.
Pukeko, for Auckland, to-morrow,
Kopara, for Auckland, April 8.
Kaimiro, for Wellington, April 10.
Wainui, for Wellington, April 11.
Pakura, for Gisborne, April 11.
Kakapo, April 15.
Paua, for Wellington, April 22.

VESSELS FOR PORT OF NAPIER. Awahou, 410 tons (Richardson and Awanou, 410 tons (Richardson and Co.), at Wellington for instructions.
California Star (Blue Star Line Ltd.), lue at Auckland on May 11 to comence homeward loading, thence on May 5 for NAPIER (due May 17), thence in May 19 for Wellington, May 20-25. Expected to clear Wellingon on May 25 or London.

Dominion Monarch, 27,155 tons, Capt.

W. H. Hartman (Shaw Savill), arrived Auckland at 7.55 a.m. on April 3 from March 12. Due Auckland April 20, thence on April 25 for Wellington to complete discharge of London (to discharge).

Mariposa (Pacific Mail) (Murray Pacific Mariposa) (Pacific Mail) (Murray Pacific Mariposa) (Pacific Mail) (Murray Pacific Mariposa) (Pacific Mariposa) (Pacific Mail) (Murray Pacific Mariposa) (Pacific Mail) (Murray Pacific Mariposa) (Pacific Mail) (Murray Pacific Mariposa) (Pacific Mariposa) (Pacific Mail) (Murray Pacific Mariposa) (Pacific Dominion Monarch, 27,155 tons, Capt.

tralia and South Africa.

Imperial Star, 10,733 tons (Blue Star Line), left Liverpool on February 18 to discharge in Australia, thence Auckland (due April 8) to commence homeward clouding, thence on April 14 for Gisborne April 16-18, NAPIER April 19-22, Wellington April 29-28 and Lyttelton April 29-29. Expected to clear Lyttelton on April 29-29. Expected to clear Lyttelton on April 29-20, Expected to clear Lyttelton on April 20-20, Expected to clear Lyttelton on April 29-20, Expected to clear Lyttelto

of Good Hope. Due at Camaru on April 11 to commence homeward loading, thence on April 15 for Timaru April 17-18, Gisborne April 20-21, NAPIER April 22-28, Wanganui April 29-May 6, and Lyttelton May 8-11. Expected to clear Lyttelton on May 11 for London, Avonmouth, Liverpool and Glasgow.

Pakura, 719 tons, Capt. C. S. Caldicutt (Richardson and Co.), en route to Wellington to load to-inorrow and Saturday for Napier, Gisborne and Waikokopu, due to the comment of the com

day for Napier, Gisborne and Waikokopu; due here on Tu.sday, April 11, and
leaves the same night for Gisborne.
Paua, 1092 tons, Capt. D. R. Paterson
(Shell Oil Co.), due NAPIER on Apr. 22
from Wellington to pump bulk benzine.
Port Gisborne, 11,060 tons, Capt. Kippens (Port Line, Ltd.) (Williams and
Kettle, Ltd., Napier agents), arrivede
Dunedin at 1.30 p.m. on March 31 from
Lyttelton and was due to leave yesterday for NAPIER (due to-morrow),

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Letters to the Editor

Letters to the Editor must be Letters to the Eastor must be written on one side of the paper only, and in ink. The correspondent's name and residential address must be given even if the letter is to be published anonymously.

April 35 and Auckland April 15-18. Expected to clear Auckland on April 18 for New York, Boston and Montreal.

Port Wyndham, 11,400 tons d.w. (Port Line Ltd.) (Hawke's Bay Farmers, Napier agents), left Brisbane on March 31. Due at Waikokopu at 7 p.m. yesterday to commence homeward loading, thence on April 8 for NAPIER (due of April 9, thence on April 37 for Auckland on May 13, thence on April 37 for Auckland on May 27-5. Expected to clear Dunedin May 2-5. Expected to clear Dune edin on May 2-5. Expected to Clear Dune edin May 2-5. Expected to Clear Dune edin on May 2-5. Expected to Clear Dune edin on May 2-5. Expected to Clear Dune edin May 2-5. Expected to Clear Dune edin on May 2-5

(Richardsop and Co.), at inner harbour GENERAL SHIPPING NEWS.

Aorangi, m.v., 17-451 tons, Capt. T. V. Hilli (C.A. Line, Ltd.), arrived Auckland at 1.35 p.m. on April 3 and was due to leave there at 3 p.m. yesterday, arrives Sydney April 7.

Akaros Co.), left Southampton on the afternoon of March 17. Due Auckland April 20, thence on April 26 for Wellington to discharge. Tentative loading as follows: Wellington May 1-6, Lyttellinon May 1-13, and Auckland on May 18 for Southampton and London, taken and the state of the st

Pago and Suva; due Auckland April 17, April 16-18, NAPIER April 19-2, Wellington April 23-26 and Lyttelton April 27-29. Expected to clear Lyttelton on April 29 for London.

Kaimiro, 2526 tons (Union S.S. Co.), is expected to leave Westport to-day for Napier and Wellington. Due here on Friday, April 7.

Kakapo, 2498 tons (Union S.S. Co.), is expected to leave Greymouth on Saturday, April 8, for Wellington and Napier. Due here on April 14.

Kirtona, 136 tons (Richardson and Co.), at moorings.

Koau, 144 tons (Richardson and Co.), leaded at Auckland April 24-May 2, Wanganut for Walkokopu to lighter to the Port Wyndham.

Kopara, 850 tons, Capt. F. S. Bates (Richardson and Napier. Due here on Friday, April 7, and leaves the following night for Auckland.

Korowa, 1940 to Leave the Glasgow of the Napier of Walkokopu and Napier. Due here on April 18 for Wellington on April 16-13. Expected to clear Wellington on April 7, and leaves the following night for Auckland.

Korowa, 1941 R. Robert of Glasgow wharf at 2 p.m. Posterday for Auckland.

Korowa, 2525 tons, Capt. S. W. Collins, Korowa, 1952 tons, Capt. S. Wholling to a proper part of the prope

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POOR DEMAND AT WAIPUKURAU

PRICES FOR STOCK

LIGHT YARDING

Cattle And Sheep At

"Daily Mail" Special Service. WAIPUKURAU.

Prices at yesterday's Waipukurau tock sale were, on the average, rather lower than recent ruling rates. The continued dry weather is perhaps responsible for this, and although a light fall of rain gave promise of a break, only the best lines of sheep and cattle sold well.

A light yarding in both sections was offered to buyers. Many of the

Kingston.

Taranaki (Shaw Savill), left Liverpool on March 26. Due Auckland April 29, thence on May 5 for Wellington, Lytte.ton, Dunedin, Timaru and Oamaru (to discharge).

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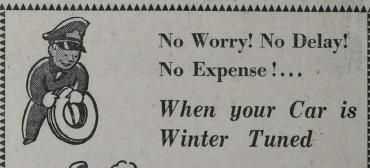
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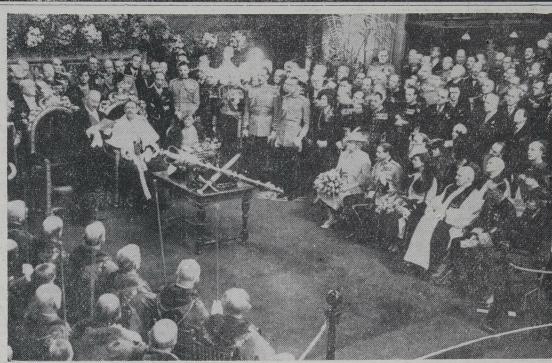
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SURROUNDED BY HIS FRIENDS.—The Minister of Education (the Hon. P. Fraser) in a typical setting. Snapped in Napier yesterday.



CHANGED DAYS.—German House in Bratislava, capital of Slovakia, is now decorated with the flags of both countries.



A HAPPY ROLL-CALL.—There were 1ew absentees from Hastings Street School, Napier, when the Minister of Education (the Hon. P. Fraser) paid his official visit yesterday. Mr. Fraser is in the centre of the back row.



ON THE POLISH FRONTIER.—Hungarian and Polish officers salute each other after the Hungarian troops had occupied Ruthenia.



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MONDAY, APRIL 10. Great Britain, Ireland, Canada (Eastern States), and Newfoundland, letters only, due London April 24. Australian States, South Africa and the East per Awatea from Auckland.

—Mails close 8.5 p.m.
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"THE POLICEMAN OF EUROPE"

The German gibe that "Britain now intends to become the policeman of Europe, while she is struggling to keep a wobbly Empire together," lacks the conviction wherein should lie the sting. The "wobbly Empire" has, through the voice of Mr Chamberlain, announced in no uncertain manner its unity against the forces of unprovoked aggression, and already it is not difficult to detect its deterrent action upon

It was reported that Herr Hitler flew into a rage when Britain pledged its support to Poland. But it was noticeable that the Fuhrer tempered his anger with an unwonted cautiousness when referring to the situation in his speech at Wilhelmshaven. Since then, Germany's chagrin has been expressed rather by the devious means of "well-informed circles" and official news agencies, than by the head of the Reich, which would indicate that Herr Hitler is, at the moment, choosing to be virtuous rather than vehement.

It will not be surprising to see a somewhat novel attitude arise in Germany. It will be remembered that before the days of Herr Hitler, Germany's cry was for justice-nothing more. She held herself up before the world as an injured nation enduring fearful suffering because she was paying an unjust price for the sins of those who drove her into war. Imperceptibly, this was changed when the Nazis came on the scene. The "wrongs" enlarged in scope until they passed beyond the stage of war reparations and the plea for world markets. Nazi Germany discovered (and claimed) rightssuch as the right to rearm, the right to take the Sudetenland, Bohemia, and Moravia. She discovered the right to rule Europe, and the right to impose the law of might.

It is true that Europe, and Britain and France in particular, endured this second phase beyond all reasonable lengths. Herr Hitler was encouraged to think that Germany did, in fact, rule Europe, and in the last few months he has rather adopted the attitude that his will in itself constituted a law unto itself.

The abrupt change in the situation ushered in by Mr Chamberlain's dramatic statements in the House of Commons will, no doubt, be reflected in Germany. Unless Herr Hitler is rash enough to persist in the belief in the right of the Reich to do what he likes, it is probable that he will adopt new (or revert to old) tactics. Once again we are likely to see Germany held up as a martyr. Britain's move towards the formation of an anti-aggression bloc will be construedand denounced—as a sinister encircling of Germany with the ultimate objective of crushing her. Herr Hitler will proclaim to the world Germany's innocence, her wish to harm no nation, and her desire merely to preserve her "just rights."

This may be confidently predicted. By skilful propaganda the all-powerful, all-conquering, truculent, and audacious Germany will be transformed into the injured innocent, begging for the understanding and sympathy of the world. In other words, Herr Hitler must realise that the game of military bluff has outlived its usefulness, and that now he must fall back on the game of diplomacy.

Britain, as the "policeman of Europe," might be an object of derision in the eyes of Nazi propagandists, but it is at least sufficiently impressive to have halted—for the time being at least—the projected thrusts against Poland and Rumania.

It must not be supposed that all danger is ended. It must be remembered that Herr Hitler still has a "mana" to maintain in the Fatherland, and he cannot desert his pedestal as the Nazi God of War and Conquest with impunity. And it would appear that the real struggle will be between discretion internationally and discretion at home.

The raising of the cry "encirclement" is primarily intended for home consumption. No one but a Hitler could fail to distinguish between a wall intended to keep a would-be aggressor out, and a wall intended to incarcerate an innocent nation. Great Britain's objective is the former, but Herr Hitler's interpretation is the latter.

In view of these general circumstances, the value of Mr Chamberlain's new attitude towards Germany may be assessed by Herr Hitler's immediate reactions. The sword of peace has been drawn by the "policeman of Europe." Now the sword of Mars may be sheathed.

LETTERS to the EDITOR

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The British Empire

ship. In the welter of the muddled, contradictory, evasive statements that we are getting from day to day from Downing Street, here at least is something plain, solid, and with reason behind it. Canada, at any rate, is not going to be dragged into any European war without very good and sufficient reason, even at the "say-so" of No. 10!

It is to be devoutly hoped that Lord Baldwin's forthcoming visit does not cause the Prime Minister to change his mind (it is probably intended for the purpose of bringing Canada into line). "Canada had intended for the purpose of bringing Canada into line). "Canada had enough difficulties in keeping her own house in order"—the idea "that Canada should risk the lives of her citizens every twenty years to protect small nations is a night-

mare." And "Canada is not going to risk bankruptcy to help to run the Continent." other words, if the miscalled states-men who preside over the destinies of the Empire are content to go on to the end of time, making a holy mess of things, and just "muddling through," as they proudly call it, then they cannot expect the self-governing Dominions to keep help-

governing Dominions to keep helping them out and wasting their resources and man-power.

These young countries are busy building up their own nations, and they simply cannot be bothered to have all these breaks and setbacks every few years.

First the Boer War—totally unnecessary. Then the Great War—also unnecessary, as we own now; also unnecessary, as we own now; and now this threat of a still greater unnecessary halocaust.

Mr. Woodworth, Leader of the Commonwealth Party in the Can-Further Letters appear on

Page 4. adian House, went further than either the Prime Minister or the Leader of the Opposition, by declaring that "Canada should declare her neutrality immediately."

And sooner or later it is just here that the cleavage is coming. It must always be remembered (though often forgotten) that Canada is not "All British," as some of us fondly imagine. The French element is not particularly "for" either France or England. It is just plain "Canadian" with no frills! Canada is the Fatherland, and Motherland—not France, nor yet England.

The attitude of the general public is usually that of the schoolboy who braggingly asked me "Doesn't Canada belong to us anyhow?" I had gently to remind him that though we were "bossing" it at present, there were other people besides us in Canada, and that they counted something.

Just after the war was supposed.

sides us in Canada, and that they counted something.

Just after the war was supposedly over a friend of mine, a prominent business man in the capital city, was discussing this subject of cutting the painter. He thought it would never be done, not in our time at any rate. I, on the contrary, figured out the "Our Time" limit as 25 years at the utmost. And the order of the going thus: Canada, South Africa, Australia, New Zealand.

mand split into its component parts, it will be the fault alone of the Great Imperialists and their insane policy of provoking wars—for their own ends and interests.—I am, etc., L.L.

Wasier

Would not be allowed on the lifts, so why allow it on the air?

In my opinion, 2YH announcing could still be improved. I think we should have more "Houseboy" and "Dad" plays.—I am, etc., GANGSTER RADIO.

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He asks how big a change do I require? The complete reorganisation of society, based upon lines of moral manhood, and not on sectional interests. It is not for me to build up in detail the social system that will arise from the social ownership and democratic control of the instruments of labour. But I may state the broad changes that must arise from the change in the social base. the change in the social base.

to risk bankruptcy to help to run
the Continent."

And why should she?

This is the kernel of the whole
business of "war to order." In
other words, if the miscalled states,

men who preside over the destinies

He asks, will there be some who will need to be roused to pull in with the community? Certainly, while the first to be roused will be "Constant Reader."

Once again, Marx never supported the private ownership of the means of living, either land, factories or machinery, neither did he support their control under the co-operative movement. We all agree that the present social system does not fail in the matter of production of in the matter of production of wealth, as there is sufficient wealth wealth, as there is sufficient wealth produced to maintain every social unit in a considerable degree of comfort. But it has failed in the distribution of the wealth that is produced. One very great reason for its failure is because the chief consumers' (i.e., the workers) demand upon the wealth they produce is limited to the wages they receive, or the amount of purchasing power left after rent day. And, while it has been shown in mass production that each unit produces \$800 worth of wealth per annum, it is evident that should each worker receive £4 per week (£208 per annum) his purchasing power will be approximately one

ing power will be approximately one quarter of his productive power.

So I can assure my friends that there is some levelling to be accomplished, that private ownership and the private ownership. plished, that private ownership could not be expected to subscribe to. Therefore, it must be obvious that class ownership being the cause of our economic trouble and being responsible for the maldistribution of the necessities of life, must make way for a system of society, based way the company ownership, and deway for a system of society, based upon the common ownership and democratic control of the means and instruments for producing and distributing wealth by and in the interests of the whole community.

In this, there are no side issues to cause dissension and to sap the movement of its vitality while the

movement of its vitality, while the vote and ballot box will be the weapon to be used when the time arrives for the change to be made. I am, etc.,

E. H. DALLEY. Hastings.

Radio Plays

land.

We made it the subject of a bet —and the bet still stands. I think I have a fairly good chance of collecting it. One thing is perfectly plain: If the Empire is broken up and split into its component parts.

Post Office Hours

LOCAL AND GENERAL

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settle in the country.

Rotorua Sails

The New Zealand Shipping Co., Ltd., arvise that their r.m.s. Rotorua sailed from London on March 30 for Wellington, where she is due on May 10. Captain G. Kinnell is Kareti Club Address

Rangitane's Arrival

"Racial Prejudices" formed the subject of an address given by Mr. C. F. H. Pollock to the Kareti Club, Napier on Monday. The speaker drew many interesting comparisons, and the subject was held open for discussion after the conclusion of The New Zealand Shipping Co., Ltd., advise that their r.m.m.v. Rangitane, en route from London to New Zealand, expects to arrive in New Zealand, expects to arrive in Wellington at 7 a.m. on April 7.

Kennedy Road Culvert

Plans and specifications have been completed and tenders will shortly be called for the erection of the concrete culvert on the Kennedy Road extension, Napier, crossing the county drain which bisects the route, according to a statement issued by the county clerk, Mr W. JO'Connell. yesterday.

European Immigrants

One of the largest parties of Yugoslavs to come to Auckland for a considerable time arrived by the Wangancha from Sydney. There were whom one was a naturalised New Zealander, and another had previously lived in the Dominion. It was stated that the remainder hoped to settle in the country.

'Penny Horribles"

"In my early days of teaching I used to go around among the pupils and destroy all 'penny horribles'—I would not do that to-day," stated the chief inspector for Taranaki, Mr. R. Hunter, in addressing the executive of the North Taranaki School Committees' Association recently. He pointed out that it did not matter whether the children read "Deadwood Dicks" as long as they were beginning to read something, for under guidance their reading could be gradually led to-

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Personal

Sir Lionel Fletcher, London, a director of Dalgety and Co., Ltd., and Lady Fletcher, who have been visiting New Zealand, sailed by the Aorangi yesterday for Sydney.

Mr. B. Revell, of the Transport Department, Wellington, who is a son of Detective Sergeant L. B. Revell, of the Hastings police force, is on a brief visit to Hastings.

Mr. C. Lee, Napier, left by the express train yesterday on a holiday visit to Dunedin.

Mr. J. Lamb, previously of Na-pier, but now a resident of Welling-ton, is spending a holiday in Napier.

Mr. Edward Baucke, Taupiri, is visiting his nephew, Mr. H. Baucke, Te Kura.

Dr. R. A. Shore, Acting-Director of Health, paid a short visit to the Wairoa Hospital yesterday morning when en route to Te Puia.

Mrs. A. Acott, Kaiwaka, Auckland, is spending a holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mudgway, Otane.

Mr. H. Owen, of the Vacuum Oil Company, Wellington, accompanied by Mrs. Owen and family, is on a holiday visit to Napier and intends to return to Wellington on Tuesday next. Mr. Owen is a former resident of Napier, having been stationed at Napier some years ago, during which time he represented Hawke's Bay at cricket.

Hotel, Hastings.

Mr G. Williamson (Auckland),
Mr H. Gunn (Wellington), Mr T.
Pettit (Gisborne), Mr A. Donald
(Auckland), Mr Dan Gillespie, Mr.
J. McKeown (Tokomaru Bay), Mr.
Rod McKenzie (Palmerston North),
Mr N. Kerr (Wairoa), Mr H. Findlay (Hamilton), Mr T. Manners
(Nelson), Mr A. Kennedy (Palmerston North), Mr Graham Parker
(Feilding) are at the Carlton Club
Hotel, Hastings. Hotel, Hastings.

Mr and Mrs B. A. Ferrier, Mr E. A. McKee, Mr B. Thomson, Mr B. T. Coburn, Mr R. Drake, Mr W. Whittaker (Wellington), Mr J. Curd (Palmerston North), Mr F. Herbert, Mr G. W. Todd (Wellington), Mr D. Gilightly (Dunedin) are at the Pacific Hotel Hastings cific Hotel, Hastings.

Miss H. Culvert, Mr P. J. G. Smith, the Hon. Peter Fraser (Wellington), Mr and Mrs J. Barnhill (Auckland), Miss Harver, Miss McKenzie (Wairoa), Mr Shaw (Masterton) are at the Criterion Hotel, Napier

Mr J. B. Robinson, Mr J. B. Maunder, Mr E. A. Herron, Mr L. A. Hill, Mr L. R. Pointon, Miss J. Ryan, Mr and Mrs R. Arthur Glen, Mr C. V. Fordham, Mr D. A. Fordham, Mr and Mrs H. M. Herman, Mr M. A. Herman (Wellington), Mr and Mrs L. Corner (Christchurch), Mr B. Trehey (Palmerston North), Mr D. V. Hare (Melbourne), Mr E. G. Horton (London), Mr and Mrs Arnold H. Lawton (England), Col. R. A. Voruz (France), Mr and Mrs N. Burford, Miss Burford, Mrs Seals Wood (South Africa) are at the Masonic Hotel, Napier.

SCOUTS AT WORK

Governor-General Visits The Site

FINE TEAM SPIRIT

A visit to the site of the Boy Scout Jamboree, to be held at Heretaunga, Wellington, during the Centennial celebrations, was paid by the Governor-General (Lord Galway) on Saturday afternoon. When his Excellency arrived between 70 and 80 Scouts and Rovers, some of them stripped to the waist, were clearing undergrowth, digging drains and laying water mains.

The official party was shown over the site by Commissioner J. E. F. Vogel, accompanied by Rover Leader W. Bridge, Rover Leader K. Peterson, Rover Scout E. Reid and Group Scoutmaster F. L. McKenzie.

His Excellency congratulated the Scouts upon the beautiful site chosen for their Jamboree, expressed pleasure at the fine team spirit behind the work of preparing for the big event and wished all concerned every success.

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The Jamboree will be held from December 27 to January 11 and will be attended by about 6000 Scouts. The site embraces approximately 100 acres. A canteen has already been erected, and soon other buildings will be going up, including a market place which will have 12 shops, and a hospital, which will be staffed by fully-qualified medical men and by Girl Guides.

Rovers' Moof.

Rovers' Moot.

HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

'DAILY MAIL'S" SPECIAL FORECAST IS FOR COOL, FINE WEATHER

Following is the "Daily Mail's" special forecast for Hawke's Bay:— Winds: Moderate to fresh, but decreasing, southerly winds.

Weather: Fine, with mild day but cool night temperatures. Seas: Rather rough, but decreas-

Hastings Weather

Meteorological readings taken yesterday at 5 p.m. at the Hastings Magnetic Observatory, Cornwall Park, were as follows:— Dry bulb temp.
Wet bulb temp.
Maximum temp. Minimum temp. mum temp. 55.0deg. underground 65.6deg. Cloud

Napier Weather

Meteorological readings taken yesterday at 5.30 p.m. by the Government recorder at Napier (Mr R. T. Hutton) are as follows:—

Dominion Forecast

General situation: An extensive and rather intense anti-cyclone cov-ers the Tasman and extends on to the Dominion.

Forecast.—Winds: South-west to south-east, strong at first in some exposed positions, but soon decreasing and otherwise light to moderate, a change to northerlies probable later over the southern half of the South Island.

Seas (N.Z. waters): Rather rough at first on parts of the east coast south of the East Cape and about Cook and Foveaux Straits, but decreasing elsewhere. Eastern Tasman: Light to moderate southerly to south-easterly winds, turning west and north-west

later in the southern portion Seas: Slight to moderate. Weather: Fair to fine, cold night

temperatures with some frosts, but milder later. To-Day's Diary

Napier.

The Theatres: "The Girl From Scotland Yard" and "Mountain Music," Mayfair, 2.15 and 8 p.m.
"Suez," State, 2.15 & 8 p.m.
"Lancer Spy," Plaza, 2.15 and 8

Hastings.

General Gardening Talk by Mr Da Webb, Band Room, Warren Street, 8 p.m.

The Theatres: "Stablemates," Regent, 2.15 and 8

p.m.

"Arizona Legion" and "The Affairs of Annabel," State, 2.15 and 8 p.m.

"Exposed," and "23½ Hours' Leave," Cosy 8 p.m.

"It Happened Out West" and "Girls' Dormitory," Municipal 8 p.m. 8 p.m.

Breakfast

"You must have plenty of fresh ir. What is your occupation?" "Parachutist."

"I hear there are twins at the Bates house—boys or girls?"

"I think one's a boy and the other a girl—but it may be the other way 'round." * Service station man: Where's

your radiator cap?
Motorist: On the front end of my car, but don't call me Cap. "Another cyclist before the Bench," grumbled the local J.P. "These fellows ought to be kept off the road. What's the charge this

"CONFIDENCE IS DESTROYED"

CHANGE IN BRITISH **ATTITUDE**

Hitler Breaks Assurance

POSITION MUST BE MADE CLEAR

Combating Aggression in Europe The Chancellor of the Exchequer (Sir John Simon), winding up the debate on foreign policy, said that the unanimity with which the House

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MR. CHAMBERLAIN.

tries felt compelled to take in self-

Efforts For Peace.

Lord Halifax's Statement.

RELATIONS WITH

TURKEY

Mr Eden's Comment

CONFIDENCE IN

GOVERNMENT

Motion Withdrawn

British Official Wireless.

Mr Anthony Eden, in the course of the foreign policy debate in the House of Commons, commented on the importance, in the present circumstances, of the close and friendly relations which now existed with Turkey.

RUGBY, April 3.

The Premier concluded:

The breach of assurances given to him personally by Herr Hitler had completely destroyed confidence and compelled a revision of the British attitude, said the British Prime Minister (Mr Neville Chamberlain) in the House of Commons in the course of a speech in which he reviewed the recent pledge to Poland and the reasons for the negotiations with other European Governments for the purpose of safeguarding Germany's neighbours from aggression.

Recent events, he said, had profoundly shocked and alarmed the whole world and had united Britain from end to end in a conviction that it was necessary now to make the British position clear and unmistakeable, whatever might be

"No one can regret more than I do the necessity to have to speak such words," Mr Chamberlain said. "I am no more a man of war to-day than I was in September. I have no intention and no desire to treat the great German people otherwise than I would have our own people treated. I was looking forward with strong hopes to the result of those trade discussions which had already begun in Germany and which might have benefited both our countries and many

"But confidence has been shaken and is not easily repaired.

If Germany really were engaged in an attempt to dominate the world by force, the matter could not rest, as Mr. Arthur Greenwood had rightly said, where it stood today. The recent happenings had made every State adjacent to Germany unhappy, anxious and uncertain.

He did not wish to specify now what other Governments the British Government might now, or in the near future, desire to consult, but, in reference to the Soviet Government, he desired to make it clear that Britain would welcome the cooperation of any country, whatever its internal system of government, in resisting aggression.

"I believe that this nation is now united not only in approval of what we have said, but in approval of the aim and purpose which lie behind it. I believe that the whole Empire shares in that approval," declared Mr. Chamberlain amid cheers.

Mr. Chamberlain expressed the view that the result of the debate would be to show the world that the whole House was fundamentally and generally unanimous in its approval of the declaration he made with regard to Poland on Friday, and that the House was united and determined to take whatever measures might be necessary to render the declaration effective.

Claim Justified.

The opening speech of the deputy-leader of the Labour Opposition (Mr. A. Greenwood), and the sub-sequent course of the debate fully interfect the property of the debate fully

justified the Premier's claim.

Mr. Chamberlain went on to approve the description which had been applied to his statement of Friday as a "cover note issued in advance of a complete insurance policy."

That statement he advance of a complete insurance policy." That statement, he agreed, constituted a new and tremendous departure in British foreign policy—an addition to those carefully-limited and defined commitments which were publicly formulated for Britain by Mr. Anthony Eden, the former Foreign Minister, in his famous Leamington speech. Friday's statement should have been clear beyond misunderstanding, Mr. Chamberlain proceeded. It was not concerned with minor little frontier incidents; it was concerned with the big things that lay behind

with the big things that lay behind
—with the independence of Poland,
which, if it were threatened, the
Polish people would defend.

Assistance to Poland. In that case his statement meant that Britain and France would im-mediately come to Poland's assist-

Mr. Chamberlain recalled how, in a broadcast to the nation in the anxious hours of the evening of September 27, he said: "I am myself a man of peace to the depth of my soul. Armed conflict between nations is a nightmare to me, but, if I were convinced that any nation had made up its mind to dominate the world by fear of its force, I should feel that it must be resisted. Under such domination life, for people who believed in liberty, would not be worth living."

But at that time he did not feel that the claims on Czechoslovakia necessarily involved the assumption, of Germany's intention to dominate Mr. Chamberlain recalled how, in

of Germany's intention to dominate the world, and he felt that he could not ask the country to accept new commitments for anything less.

Again, at the time of President Roosevelt's New Year message, he had said that a challenge of the kind mentioned by Mr. Roosevelt—a demand to dominate one by one other nations—must, if it were made, he resisted. made, be resisted.

Encirclement Idea.

In another passage the Premier repudiated the suggestion that they wished to encircle Germany. In no official German statement, so far as

repudiated the suggestion that they wished to encircle Germany. In no official German statement, so far as a determent, so far as into the world by force even been formulated, though there had been formulated, though there had been formulated, though the said, was that it was all a misunderstand ing.

If the German Government had never had a thought of hegemony so much the better. In that case any agreement made to safeguate the sapeared to be threatened would never need to come into operation. Whatever the outcome of the come into operation. Whatever the outcome of the count give an assurance that the decisions reached would contain not whatever the outcome of the count give an assurance that the decisions reached would contain not fit was fantastic to suggest that the regulations which now existed with Turkey.

Like Mr Lloyd George, he stressed the importance of collaborating with Russia. The essential value of the importance of collaborating with Russia and the more plenty of unofficial talk and writing in that sense. It was a difficult the place, and the world a thought of the genome that the sage and the previous, and the more of the order of the opposition of the Government's foreign to impose their will by means of the malled fist. There was no real world when the place is the more plenty formulated Britain in the sage during the debate that Mr support of the Government's foreign to impose their will by means or a determination, with the support of the Government's foreign to impose their will by means or a determination, with the support of the Government's foreign to impose their will by means or a determination, with the support of the Government's foreign to impose their will by means or a determination of the Government's foreign to impose their will by means or a determination, with the support of the Government's foreign to impose their will by means or a determination of the Government's foreign to impose their will by means or a determination, with the support of the Government's foreign to impo

BRITAIN'S UNITY **OUTSTANDING**

COURSE OF ACTION **PROCLAIMED**

NO LOOKING BACK

Basis Of Peace Must Now Be Sought

(Received April 4, 10 p.m.) LONDON, April 4.

of Commons accepted and approved Mr Chamberlain's statement was outstanding. The country was more united in taking this stand than on any other contemporary agestic of any other contemporary question of policy. It was a tremendous fact that there would be occasion to re-

that there would be occasion to remember hereafter.

It proclaimed a definite course of action if the need arose. There could be no looking back from the decision. It was a most serious commitment, because it did not merely threaten the possibility of war, but bound Britain in certain events to undertake a war.

The Government was aware that more than an interim declaration was required. Whatever commitments were undertaken must not be vague and unspecified but must be precise and defined. Convenience, comfort, money, wealth, insular tradition and practice could not be put in the scales against what was necessary.

necessary.

Now Britain's whole potential strength must be thrown into essential work. Strength must be used if the occasion arose, but above all every effort conceivable must be made in the way of organisation to broaden and make surer a basis of peace.

Import of Words

Taking up references in the course of the debate to a leading article in "The Times" on Saturday and a message circulated by a news agency from London, which were alleged to have had the effect of minimising the import of the Prime Minister's words Sir John Simon said that the statement was perfectly clear and could hardly be misinterpreted.

In the House of Commons debate on foreign policy Mr Winston Churchill stated that other countries were seeking no security for themselves which they did not desire Germany to enjoy as well.

He presumed that all engagements into which they were entering or would enter would be in harmony in letter and spirit with the Covenant of the League of Nations, terpreted.

"It is to be understood in the fullest sense it bears, and it is hardly necessary to add that I myself and the whole Government associates it. the whole Government associates itself with the assurance as expoundated by Mr Chamberlain. No one, either at the Foreign Office or on behalf of the Government, authorised the comment qualifying the effect of the statement, and such comment was made entirely on the responsibility of the newspaper and agency concerned, and was absolutely unofficial."

Prevention Of War

GOVERNMENT OBJECT

watched our efforts for peace with the fervent hope that they might be successful. All of them have had a growing consciousness that we a growing consciousness that we cannot live for ever in the atmosphere of surprise and alarm from which Europe suffered in recent months. The common business of life cannot be carried on in a state of uncertainty.

Prompt Action Demanded

By House

UNITY DEMONSTRATED Prompt Action Demanded

life cannot be carried on in a state of uncertainty.

"So far as it has been possible for his Majesty's Government to help to restore confidence by plain words, we have done our part, and in doing so I am certain we have expressed the will of this people."

British Official Wireless.

RUGBY, April 3. RUGBY, April 3.

The Liberal leader (Sir Archibald Sinclair), following Mr Chamberlain in the House of Commons debate on foreign policy, said that the debate would not be in vain if it made it clear to the world that, with the exception of a few individuals, the House was solidly united behind the policy and required the Government to act with the utmost promptness and vigour.

Sir Archibald said that the interim guarantee to Poland was an indis-A statement on the international situation was made in the House of

situation was made in the House of Lords by the Foreign Secretary (Viscount Halifax), who, after recalling the terms of the Premier's declaration in the House of Commons on Friday, explained the circumstances in which the decision to make it had been reached.

He added: "Our pledge to Poland marks a new and momentous departure in British policy. We have make it had been reached.

He added: "Our pledge to Poland marks a new and momentous departure in British policy. We have undertaken this commitment, not in any spirit of hostility to any country, but in the hope and belief that by doing so we might strengthen the cause of European stability and peace."

Sir Archibald said that the interim guarantee to Poland was an indispensable instalment of the Government's object, which was less to ensure victory than to prevent war.

This was possible only by building up an invincible resistance to aggression and making it clear that Herr Hitler would face war on two fronts if he attacked his neighbours.

Undoubted Sincerity

Anyone hearing Mr Chamberlain to-day would not doubt the sincerity of the new policy.

Sir Archibald criticised Mr Chamberlain's reference last Friday to the negotiations, declaring that it was calculated to revive suspicious memories of the Runciman mission. He added that the concession of Danzig and the Polish Corridor without a guarantee would give Germany a a guarantee would give Germany a stranglehold on Poland, with her political and economic independence, just as had happened with Czecho-

BROAD BASIS SOUGHT BY LABOUR LEADER

A Wider Understanding Among Powers



"MIGHT IS RIGHT."—German troops goose-stepping into the castle at Prague, the capital of a once free Czechoslovakia.

Ideals

MR. CHURCHILL'S VIEW

Security For Germany Also Desirable

BRITAIN'S STEP

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In the House of Commons debate

"BRITISH MIGHT WILL RETURN"

RENEWAL OF POWER LOOKED FOR

MR LLOYD GEORGE

Adherence Of Soviet Desirable

British Official Wireless. (Received April 4, 7 p.m.)

RUGBY, April 3.

After examining practical implications of Britain's new policy and urging the necessity, on strategic grounds, of securing the firm adherence of the Soviet Union Mr David Lloyd George, in the Commons debate on foreign policy, said that the Prime Minister had said that the freedom of the world was at stake.

There was no country which had made greater sacrifices or display-ed greater heroism in the fight for human freedom and international right than Britain.

right than Britain.

"I am convinced that when the Prime Minister makes a call, as he has done, for Britain to renew its old achievements, Britain and her Empire will display such power, such valour and such irresistible might that no enemy can stand in her way." er way."
Mr Lloyd George also congratu-

n which it had won the last general

"Dubious Assumptions"

League Covenant A NEW SYSTEM FOR ALL LAWS AFFECTING LABOUR

Striking Statement Made By The Hon. P. C. Webb At Christchurch

By Telegraph-Press Association. CHRISTCHURCH, April 4.

Before legislation affecting labour laws in New Zealand is introduced, Bills will be referred first to Cabinet, then to the caucus of the Labour Party, and then to advisory councils of the industry for their consideration.

This new policy was disclosed by the Minister of Labour (the Hon. P. C. Webb) this evening, when he said that a number of Bills were now ready for consideration through these various channels. The Minister made this announcement when he was questioned on the possibility of the ment when he was questioned on the possibility of the Government introducing legislation making the five-day week

ments into which they were entering or would enter would be in harmony in letter and spirit with the Covenant of the League of Nations, because the Covenant contemplated not only mutual protection but the settlement of legitimate grievances by sincere negotiations. In accordance with the principle enshrined in the Covenant he had always advocated and still advocated that the same guarantees should be open to Germany, on the same conditions of observing the law of nations, as were offered to other states.

According to an earlier United Press Association message Mr Churchill said that it was wonderful that Britain had finally declared most clearly that the defence of European freedom and the reign of law were causes for which Britain would dare all.

ment when he was questione Government introducing legisla for shops compulsory.

It was pointed out to the Minister by a representative of "The Press" that the official journal of the Federated Shop Assistants' Association had published his photograph with the caption, "Our hope for a 40-hour five-day week," and that a report had been made that his predecessor, Mr. Armstrong, had promised favourable legislation.

New Policy.

In reply, the Minister outlined his new policy of dealing with industrial violations. Press" that the official journal of

lutely unofficial."

Sir John claimed that the known devotion of the Premier to peace invested Friday's declaration with peculiar force. The man who had been prepared to go furthest in giving credit to Hitler's intention was the man who, compelled by events, was giving a lead in the country's stand against aggression.

"If peace is secured it will be by the action of the united House of Commons."

Churchin said that finally declared most clearly that the defence of European freedom and the reign of law were causes for which Britain would dare all.

Must Carry On.

Having begun to create an alliance against aggression, she must carry on that policy for the success of it. Mr Churchill welcomed the repudiation of attempts that had finally declared most clearly that the defence of European freedom and the reign of law were causes for which Britain new policy of dealing with industrial legislation. The contemplated measures, he said, involved amendments, mostly to the Shops and Offices Act and the Factories Act, while a consolidation was proposed of the Industrial, Conciliation and Arbitration Act. No changes in the constitution of the Arbitration Court were proposed. He said that guarantee to Poland.

Referring to British defence, he said: "If Britain wishes for success in her voluntary effort, it should be made clear that universal service would be proclaimed immediately war broke out."

of the Industrial, Conciliation and Arbitration Act. No changes in the constitution of the Arbitration Court were proposed. He said that the present court was working quite to catch up with the major work. The policy of the court in fixing longer terms for awards made by longer terms for awards made by it was approved by the Minister of Housing ister, who said that it would bring (the Hon. H. T. Armstrong) adabout greater stabilisation in in-

NO ACTION TO BE TAKEN

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S DECISION

RECENT PETITION

The Import Control

Regulations

B" Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, April 4. No action is to be taken by his Excellency the Governor-General in connection with the petition which the bureaus of importers forwarded to him asking him to suspend operation of the import control regula-

tions for 1938 pending their validity being determined by a court of law. The following letter has now been received from the official secretary to the Governor-General:

"I am now directed by the Governor-General to inform you lated the Government on what he claimed as a reversion to the policy the Prime Minister in regard to the the Prime Minister in regard to the suggestion made in the petition that election.

The Prime Minister's declaration, he said, opened a new chapter in history, not merely for Britain but for the nations of the world. It was a startling commitment the consequences of which could not be foreseen. ter before the regulations were sub-The Government was proceeding on four dubious assumptions:

First, that Signor Mussolini would seer the Rome-Berlin axis. But Signor Mussolini would not be unfaithful and would act when Frence ("His Evenlergy directs may be a signor as a referred to the Governor-General in Executive Council, adheres to the ovinion which he previously expressed that the regulations are intra vires.

The day's proceedings were devoted to the consideration of the annual report. The conference adopted the recommendation of the executive that where disputes between unions are referred to the consideration. mitted to the Governor-General in

N.Z. FEDERATION OF LABOUR

THIRD ANNUAL CONFERENCE

MINISTER'S VIEWS Aims Of The Movement

Outlined

with the Federation were present. or death to my country. The conference was presided over by Mr A. McLagan, who has been president since the formation of the federation three years ago and who is unopposed for this office for the interval of the federation which is so persistently pursued against Japan by various countries who have done

The vice-president, Mr R. Eddy, and the national secretary, Mr F. Cornwall, are also unopposed.

Mr Armstrong was accompanied by the Minister of Internal Affairs (the Hon. W. E. Parry), both Ministers being accorded an enthusiastic welcome. It is expected that the Prime Minister and the Minister of Labour will attend to-morrow's sestions. Labour will attend to-morrow's ses- resulted."

Good Organisation.

Mr Armstrong congratulated the federation on the excellence of its organisation and stressed the need for unity among workers, both industrial and political, particularly as there were forces at work endeavouring to bring about the destruction of the Labour Government.

The Government had little to complain of concerning the co-operation it had received from the workers, and looked to a continuance of that co-operation.

Referring to his term of office as Minister of Labour, Mr Armstrong said that he had done what he honestly and conscientiously believed was in the best interests of the

workers and the Labour movement

generally.

Mr Parry referred to the changing times. What yesterday they had preached to the people from the public platform was now legislation. The struggle to attain the position they occupied to-day had been long and arduous.

He stressed the importance of

He stressed the importance of co-operation and solidarity to ensure the principles for which the Labour Disputes.

adopted the recommendation of the executive that where disputes between unions are referred to the national executive, the unions must accept its decision, subject to the right to appeal to the Trades Council or to the annual conference.

The question of immigrants and refugees was also discussed. It was decided to urge the Government to give preference to the admission of workers provided they were suitable to the needs of the country.

Australian visitors present included Mr R. A. King, vice-president and secretary of the Labour Council of New South Wales (fraternal delegate to the conference), Mr T.

the Miners' Federation.

"We have every reason to believe that Poland is not willing to forfeit her power of independent decision or to be drawn into an anti-German bloc," it is stated. "Rumania is even less likely to be so influenced."

TO CRITICISM JAPANESE CONSUL'S

unbreakable.

"GERMANY WILL

Vigorous Protest At British

"Encirclement Net"

HITLER NOT UNDERSTOOD

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The official German news agency says that Germany can draw only one conclusion from Mr Chamberlain's statement, namely, that England is throwing all her resources into the policy of encirclement, against Germany's vital Continental

It adds that the Fuhrer's speech has apparently not been understood by the British Government. "Therefore we must

vigorously re-emphasise that Germany has no intention of

waiting until the encirclement net is closed and becomes

now waiting to see whether the countries that Britain has

unilaterally guaranteed are willing to make arrangements

STRONG REPLY UNCERTAINTY OF

It is authoritatively stated in Berlin that Germany is

CHINA CONDEMNED

RESENTMENT

"Superficial" Talk By An American

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, April 4.

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Resentment at the remarks about Japan made by Dr. Tyler Dennett, a Carnegie Corporation visitor, in an interview on Monday, was expressed by the Consul-General for Japan, Mr. K. Gunji.

"Dr. Dennett is reported as having expressed various views regarding the ambitions of Japan and her intentions in the event of war. These are purely opinions unsupported by evidence, but as such he is entitled to voice them," said Mr. Gunji.

"Future events, however, I am sure, will severely shatter his reputation, either as an expert or a prophet. But when Dr. Dennett criticised Japan's actions in China he dealt most superficially with an extremely complex situation, which, I consider, does not enhance his standing as an expert on Pacific affairs.

ing as an expert on Pacific affairs American Attitude. "One is bound to wonder what would be the attitude in Dr. Dennet's own country if eighty per cent. of her foreign investments were jeonalised some hundreds of her per

By Telegraph—Press Association.

WELLINGTON, April 4.

The opinion that there were few other countries in the world to-day where annual conferences were held attended by workers from practically every section of industry, was existing the second of the foreign investments were jeopardised, some hundreds of her nationals massacred, and her own national integrity endangered by a wave of aggressive Communism territory, ignoring treaties and carrying out wholesale destruction of United States property.

"It seems to me an unfortunate

Minbring (the Hon. H. T. Armstrong) adn indressing delegates at the third annual conference of the New Zealand
Federation of Labour, which began
at Wellington to-day.

Upward of 300 delegates representing 178,722 workers affiliated
with the Federation were present.

"It seems to me an unfortunate tendency on the part of presentday international experts to castigate Japan for taking up arms to
combat a grave crisis which had been forced upon her. It would be
more in keeping if the critics, instead of declaiming against Japan,
would give due consideration to the
fundamental causes which rendered the
China incident a matter of life or death to my country.

POPULACE

Nazis In Denmark

PRIME MINISTER'S

WARNING

Libellous Attacks

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COPENHAGEN, April 3.
The Prime Minister (M. Stauning)

The Prime Minister (M. Stauning) in addressing a Social Democratic election meeting, declared that he was aware of Nazi attempts to provoke incidents on election day in South Jutland and Copenhagen.

He said that the Nazis planned a big demonstration to stir up street disturbances, accompanied by the distribution of leaflets containing faked photographs and libellous attacks

photographs and libellous attacks against prominent persons.

LORD RUNCIMAN ENTERTAINED

In Wellington

"Sheer Hypocrisy." United Press Association-Copyright. their utmost to strangle my country commercially and economically, is nothing less than sheer hypocrisy, actuated by jealousy. It would be quite a mistake to assume that this

ATTEMPTS TO INCITE

Belfast. The Duke of Lancaster picked up the message and relayed it to Belfast.

Meanwhile, participants in the Irish Republican Army terrorist plot were sentenced in London. Gerald Francis Wharton was sentenced to ten years' penal servitude, Daniel Fitzpatrick, to eight years, John Mitchell to five years, and Daniel McCarthy to four years; Jack Logue and Francis John Burns to three years' apiece in Borstal; and John Ryan to 18 months' imprisonment.

A Dangerous Man.

The judge said that Wharton was a member of a gang who murdered British officers and others up to 1922. He was the worst and the most dangerous of the accused. He had fought against two Irish Governments. He had vainly tried to tunnel his way from prison. He was finally released in 1924 with a pension from the Irish Government.

At Belfast, Michael Walsh and Arthur Joseph McGovern were each sentenced to ten years' imprisonment for being in possession of potassium chlorate and 260 rounds of ammunition.

FRENCH PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

Informal Gathering

By Telegraph-Press Association. WELLINGTON, April 4.

Lord Runciman was entertained to morning tea to-day by the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. M. J. Savage) and all the Ministers of the Crown in Wellington.

M. Fernand Bouisson, and a former Minister, M. Justin Godart have not withdrawn from the Presidential campaign.

M. Lebrun's chances are the

THE TURF SOGGY CONDITIONS FOR RANDWICK

DEFAULTER WELL

Revelled In The Hard Going

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the next day or two, there will likely be some worried owners and trainers of horses engaged at Randwick on Saturday. Nearly five inches of rain have fallen in the metropolitan area since last Saturday, and prospects at present are not hopeful

day, and prospects at present hopeful.

Training operations in the meantime are disorganised. Few trainers to-day attempted to send their horses at top speed.

Defaulter, Hamurah and Mosaic revelled in the conditions. Defaulter covered a solid nine furlongs and finished strongly. He appears and finished strongly. He appears to be exceedingly fit. High Caste went an easy five fur-

Neither Malagigi nor Laiglon were extended over a mile.
Gold Rod, Spear Chief, The Trump, and Sal Volatile did steady

work.
Feminist, who is a Sydney Cup candidate, recorded the first-rate time of 2.13 for a mile and a quar-Respirator and Marauder worked usefully over the same distance.

Mysterious Fire At Sea

IRISH TERRORISTS? Radio Message For

Assistance

LONDON, April 3. Police and detectives boarded the passenger steamer Duke of Lancaster and the freighter Slievebernagh, both from Heysham, when they berthed at Belfast early today. It is revealed that a mysterious fire broke out on the freighter near the Isle of Man. The fire is attributed to the Irish Republican Army.

Army,
The freighter radioed the police asking them to meet the ship at Belfast. The Duke of Lancaster

A Dangerous Man.

(Received April 4, 6 p.m.)

The Paris correspondent of "The Times" says that a former President of the Chamber of Deputies, M. Fernand Bouisson, and a former

and secretary of the Labour Council of New South Wales (fraternal delegate to the conference), Mr T. Wright, a member of the executive of the Australian Council of Trade Unions, and Mr W. Riddiford, a member of the Central Council of the Miners' Federation.

Wellington.

The reception was private and instruction of the Australian Council of Trade Indicates with the Miners' Federation.

Mr. Lebrum's changes are the strongest, but it remains to be seen whether other prospective candidates do not change their minds. The multiplicity of candidates will loose party feeling to an unpredictable extent and it would be unsafe to count M. Lebrum's victory as assured.

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ammunition.

EDUCATIONAL PROBLEM NEW BRIDGE IN ESK VALLEY

Minister's Compliment To The WESTSHORE RESIDENTS WAIT ON MINISTER Plucky Settlers

CONVEYANCE OF CHILDREN

"If there are any people in New Zealand who deserve the Government's consideration, they are the settlers of Esk Valley, who have set an impressive example of courage and determination in the face of tremendous difficulties. Neither the disastrous earthquake in 1931, nor the extensive floods of 12 months ago have deterred these plucky farmers," said the Minister of Education (the Hon. P. Fraser), when addressing a deputation from Eskdale and Bay View at Eskview Primary School yesterday afternoon.

Representations were made to the Minister concerning the future of the Eskview School, the continued existence of which has been uncertain since the 1938 floods, when it was found necessary to convey Bay View pupils to the Westshore

The deputation comprised representatives of Eskdale and Bayview, and the Minister was asked to settle a very vexed question which has been engaging the attention of the residents of both districts for some months. The Eskview School has in the past drawn its pupils from both territories, but since necessity compelled Bay View children to be conveyed to Westshore, the majority of parents wanted the present arrangements to continue.

Eskdale Valley people did not object to Bay View children going to Westshore provided the Eskview School was not closed down. The school has been in existence since 1860, and the residents of the district would be served beet by the school was not closed of the district would be served beet by the school.

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After assuring the meeting that the board had taken the vote in the best of faith, the Minister pointed out that there were several problems associated with the case under review that would have to be considered.

"In the meantime, the Bay View children will be conveyed to the Westshore School and the Eskview School will remain open," concluded the Minister.

Necessity For

Caution

BIG SPENDING

School Building May

Be Curtailed

MR. FRASER'S ADVICE

appealing to the educational authorities not to exaggerate the urgency

of problems. He was pleased to say that the Hawke's Bay Education Board had been exceptionally rea-

Experience in the South.

The Minister's remarks arose out

out a discussion on the question of the advisability of installing a more

ate and unhealthy.

That the provision of an up-to-date raffic bridge, connecting Port Ahuriri and Napier with Westshore, had become an absolute necessity, was the opinion expressed by a joint deputation representing the residents and ratepayers of Westshore, the Napier Borough Council and the Hawke's Bay County Council, which waited upon the Minister of Marine (the Hon. P. Fraser) in Na-

pier last night. The deputation consisted of the Mayor of Napier (Mr T. W. Hercock) and Cr. J. H. Fieldhouse (Na-

WANTED

LENGTH IN DISPUTE

Growth Of District

Stressed

"We can only go as fast as the economical condition of the country will permit," said the Minister of Education (the Hon. P. Fraser), when informing the Hawke's Bay Education Board at a meeting in Napier yesterday that there was a possibility that the schools building programme might have to be slightly curtailed in the future.

quet Association was continued in Napier yesterday, when the finals of the A and C grades were decided.

Mrs Stratton, Hastings, was successful in winning the former grade, while Mrs Horton, Kia Toa, won the latter.

The final of the B grade will be played on the United lawn this morning.

Results of the day's play are as Results of the day's play are as all traffic to and from Napier.

A Grade. Final: Mrs Stratton (Hastings) beat Mrs Mitchell (United), 26—20, 4—26, 26—24.

FINALS FOR SILVER

BUTTONS

Croquet At Napier

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"At present there is a building programme involving millions to be faced—this in spite of what has already been spent. Millions, you know, cannot be conjured out of thin air. Patience is absolutely imperative," said the Minister, when appealing to the educational authoric Mrs Flanders (Kia Toa) beat Mrs Elms (Wairere), 26—18, 26—23.
Mrs Kennedy (Port) won by default from Mrs Duff (Central).
Mrs Palmer (Pioneer) beat Mrs Deakin (United), 26—19, 26—24.

Work. They also detailed observations kept on the waterway during flood and spring tides. In their opinion a 200ft, bridge would be perfectly safe.

Strict Regulations.

The Public Works Department C Grade.

Mrs Pirie (Napier) beat Mrs Douglas (Pioneer), 26—17. Mrs Horton (Kia Toa) beat Mrs Kissock (Havelock North), 26—21. Mrs Duck (Hastings) beat Mrs the advisability of installing a more up-to-date heating system at the Napier Intermediate School.

There were many schools further south where the teachers deemed it advisable to send the pupils home on exceptionally cold days. This was also the practice in many schools in some overseas countries, where they had evolved the maxim that it was better for the children to be illiterate and healthy than literate and unhealthy. Pirie (Napier), 26—20. Final: Mrs Horton (Kia Toa) beat Mrs Duck (Hastings), 26—24.

POTATO SHORTAGE NOT ACUTE

SOCIAL SECURITY AND DOCTORS

SOME HAWKE'S BAY

OPINIONS

MANY OBJECTIONS

"Do Not Know Where

We Stand"

Opposition to the Government's

ever the scheme may be, a great responsibility is laid on the medical profession, and we must be sure that it is within our powers to ful-

this meeting, and it is believed that whatever decision is arrived at will

If objections are raised and if the council refuses to act under the

proposals put forward by the Gov ernment, it is possible that further

Government action will be taken This may be in the form of a con

ference to effect a compromise, but, as one medical practitioner said: "What will happen next can only be

BUSHMAN INJURED

BY SLASHER

Accident When Working

At Puketitiri

the Government."

surmised.

The advantages of such a bridge to the district as a whole, were stressed by the chairman of the County Council. Preliminary investigations had been carried out by an engineer and it was considered that a 200 foot bridge would leave no element of danger. The rapid growth of Westshore and Port Aburin made a traffic bridge an abthat a 200 foot bridge would leave no element of danger. The rapid growth of Westshore and Port Ahuriri made a traffic bridge an absolute necessity.

The Mayor of Napier said that the Napier Borough Council was definitely interested in the bridge proposals, although at the present

A AND C GRADES

DECIDED

A litely interested in the bridge proposals, although at the present time it would be impossible to find the money necessary to construct a 400 foot bridge. Considering the fact that a traffic bridge at that point would provide an alternative highway in and out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in an out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in an out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in an out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in an out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in an out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in an out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in an out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in an out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in an out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in and out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in and out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in and out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in and out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in and out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in and out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in and out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in and out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in and out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in and out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in an out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in an out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in an out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in an out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in an out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in an out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in an out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in an out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in an out of Napier, the council had approached the Highway in an out of Napier

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"Which, of course, is quite correct," remarked Mr Fraser. Representatives of the Westshore be fully supported throughout New

residents referred to the ever-increasing number of persons from Westshore going to Port Ahuriri to work. They also detailed observa-

The Public Works Department engineer reported on investigations carried out at the site of the proposed access bridge. He was of the opinion that a 400ft. bridge would be necessary to eliminate any possibility of dayout of the proposition of bility of danger during abnormal weather or tides. The Marine Department regulations were strict on the point that bridges over waterways should provide generous room for the passage of water at all

Summing the position up, Mr Fraser said that he was deeply appreciative of the need for a bridge between the port and Westshore, between the port and westshore, aged 24, while engaged in cutting the campb vesterday morning. ate and unhealthy.

Sorethroat cold needs instant relief, Promptly treated its term is brief; But delay of even one day Gives it time to assert a sway. Sorethroat cold may be septic, too; Much more deadly than dreary "flu". A dose each hour will ease assure—Soothing Woods' Great Peppermint Cure.

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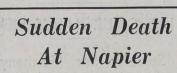
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Pukletitiri bushman, Arthur Bevan, aged 24, while engaged in cutting between the port and Westshore, but it must be so constructed that there would not be the slightest element of danger. If a 200ft. bridge was authorised and anything occurred, the department and the local bodies concerned would naturally feel guilty. However, the question would be the subject of further investigations in the future.



MR. R. BESTALL Prominent Businessman

A POPULAR FIGURE

opposition to the Government's proposals concerning the operation of the medical section of the Social Security Act has been voiced by the British Medical Association Divisions in various parts of New Zealand, and it is learned that in Hawke's Bay equally strong opinions are held.

Well-known in Napier through the

"It is impossible to learn where we stand," said one doctor to the "Daily Mail." "The procedure as suggested would lead to hopeless confusion, when it is absolutely essential that the whole thing should be simplified and clear-cut. What buyer, where

difficult to see how they can fall in with the present suggestions of

the Government."

The central council of the New Zealand branch of the British Medical Association is to meet in Wellington to-day, and it is anticipated that objections will be placed before the Government. The various divisions throughout New Zealand will submit their views to the council at this meeting and it is believed that poration in recognition of his valuable contributions towards art gallery and museum work in Napier.

JUDGES

April 15

At the request of the Waipawa business girls inter-house carnival committee, the Napier committee has selected judges for the various events to be held at the Waipawa Carnival on Saturday week, April

This carnival promises to be one of outstanding interest, nine teams, representing 117 girls, having entered in the competition for the valu-

able trophies offered.

The teams include competitors from Waipukurau and Otane, and the carnival will be run on the same lines as those of the Napier carnival last year.
The judges appointed are as fol

Miss K. Armer: Sports utility.
Military events: Mr H. Codding

ton; marching. F. Thorpe: Physical drill. Games section: Waipawa commit

COSMOPOLITAN NAPIER.—An Eastern touch in the streets of the capital of Hawke's Bay yesterday.

In The Town

The death occurred yesterday at his home in Priestley Road, Napier, of Mr. R. Bestall, one of the town's best-known business men.

Mr. Bestall had complained of feeling unwell during the week-end, and had retired to bed, where he receivand retired to bed, where he received medical attention, but no one had considered him to be seriously ill, and he was expected to be about again within a few days.

old-established firm which bears his name, Mr. Bestall was a popular figure in the town, and prominent in all movements for the common One of the chief points at issue is the condition of service, in which the Government has proposed the machinery and the methods by which medical practitioners are to be guided. Many doctors express dissatisfaction with the whole scheme.

enjoyed a game as late as last Saturday afternoon.

He is survived by his widow and one son, Mr. L. D. Bestall, who is at present in America travelling as the holder of a travelling scholarship granted by the Carnegie Cor-

WAIPAWA CARNIVAL

Appointments For

Costumes—Miss Betty Prebble colour and general effect.

CHILLED BEEF

ENTRIES JUDGED ON THE HOOK

SECOND STAGE

Aberdeen Angus Wins **Both Sections**

Judging on the hooks of the en-ries in the Hawke's Bay chilled beef championship, begun on Sat-urday by Mr J. Barr, district grader of the Hawke's Bay-Poverty Bay Meat Board, was completed at To-moana works yesterday. Results

Section I (680lbs and Under). C. T. Keeble's two and a-half year Aberdeen Angus 1. R. F. Rogers's Aberdeen Angus-Hereford Cross 2. E. A. Barker's Aberdeen Angus-Hereford Cross 3.

Section II (681lb to 800lb).

judged on the hoof by Mr S. S. Fimbs, Wanganui, who awarded first place to a three-year Aberdeen Angus entered by the Matapiro Station.

SENTENCED TO A YEAR'S GAOL

LONG LIST OF PREVIOUS **OFFENCES**

AN INDECENT ACT

Case Heard At Hastings

in all movements for the common weal.

He was 78 years of age.

Born in England, at Byards Leap, Lincolnshire, he came to New Zealand about 52 years ago, settling in Christchurch, where he joined the D.I.C.

In the course of a varied career, Mr. Bestall held other important positions with drapery firms as a buyer, later coming to Napier, where he was associated with Mr.

F. J. Griffin.

"In this case I can only gather what was in the mind of the man by his actions," said Mr J. Miller, S.M., when Bertie Starkey, alias Starkie, aged 52, appeared at the Hastings Magistrate's Court yesterday morning on a charge of committing an indecent act with the intention of offending a boy. "On his list he is apparently a person given to this class of offence, and is a menace about this town," said the magistrate.

Starkey was sentenced to one

F. J. Griffin.

This association eventually merged into a partnership, a business being promoted under the name of Bestall and Griffin in Hastings Street.

Following the death of his partner, Mr. Bestall took over the business, which was later formed into a private limited company, with Mr. Bestall as managing director.

Business A

Bestall as managing director.

Business Acumen.

Until his illness Mr. Bestall took an active interest in the company, which owed much of its success to his popularity and keen business acumen.

Bowling took a prominent part in his recreations. Mr. Bestall was a keen player and a well-known member of the Bluff Hill club, where he enjoyed a game as late as last

An application for the clearing of the court during the hearing was made by the senior-sergeant (Mr G. Sivyer), who stated that the case was of a disagreeable nature, and there was a boy of seven years in volved. This was granted.

In evidence the boy concerned told the Court that when on his way to school one day he was met by a man near the racecourse. On his bicycle the man double-banked him to a vacture was no doubt, he added, that the excellent administration of the game was reflected on the field.

Maddison last night in opening the annual smoke concert of the Hastings Cricket Sub-association. It was pleasing to see the number of cricketers that had taken part. There was no doubt, he added, that the case was of a disagreeable nature, and was grained.

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ner.

It was alleged by the police that certain acts committed by the defendant were indecent and were done with the intention of offending.

Mr Maddison called on cricketers to give their co-operation in helping as a deputation in the board Napier, yesterday afternoon.

Discussing the

been charged with indecent assault in 1931, and at the time of this appearance he had been released only 15 months. Between 1920 and 1931 there was a long list of charges against him.

HAWKE'S BAY FRUIT AT WELLINGTON

Yesterday's Market Realisations

The following prices were obtained on the Wellington fruit market yesterday for Hawke's Bay produce:

Apples.—Delicious 4/- to 6/-; Jonathan 4/- to 6/-; cookers, 5/- to 7/9; Coxes 5/- to 9/-.

Pears.—Winter Cole 4/- to 6/-; L.B.J. 8/- to 11/6.

Peaches.—4/- to 5/-.

Plums—4/- to 6/-.

Quinces.—6/- to 7/6.

Tomatoes.—3/- to 4/6.

Passion fruit.—6/- to 8/-.

Lemons.—15/- to 25/-. Lemons.—15/- to 25/-.

SENIOR AND JUNIOR CRICKETERS

Matches Arranged For Easter

The following teams have been selected by the senior and junior selectors for a match at 2 o'clock on Easter Saturday afternoon and Easter Monday on No. 1 wicket at Nelson Park, Napier:

Seniors: R. Conole, E. Robinson, (United), R. G. Burns, H. E. Ellis, J. E. Armitage, S. T. Mahony, B. A. Adams, E. Robinson (N.H.S.O.B.), F.

before to-morrow.

THE EDUCATION MINISTER PUTS IN A BUSY DAY

A Comprehensive Tour Of Napier And Surrounding Districts Carried Out

Continuing his three-day tour of inspection of educational institutions in Hawke's Bay, the Minister of Education (the Hon. Peter Fraser) was fully occupied in Napier yesterday with visits to the Napier Intermediate School, the Central and Hastings Street Primary Schools, and the Port Ahuriri, Eskview, and Westshore Schools.

The Minister also carried out a cursory examination of Esk Valley, where he displayed keen interest in the efforts of the settlers to restore the fertile area to its former rich productiveness before the disastrous floods of last winter.

Five deputations waited upon the Minister during the course of the day, four concerning educational matters and the other in regard to proposals to construct an up-to-date traffic bridge across the waterway which separates Port Ahuriri and Westshore

Section II (681lb to 800lb).

Matapiro Station's three-year Aberdeen Angus 1.

Tony White's two and a half year Hereford 2.

E. Gordon Williams's Aberdeen Angus-Hereford Cross 3.

Commenting on the entries the judge (Mr Barr) said that the general standard was high, and he considered that the great proportion of the cattle would compare very favourably with chilled beef from any other part of the world.

The "chillers" to-day will be railed to Wellington where they will be loaded on to the Arawa to be taken to London. At Smithfield Market they will be judged for the last time.

On March 24 the cattle was judged on the hoof by Mr S. S. Timbs Wanganui who awarded.

Mestshore.

The first school to be visited was the Napier Central School, the Ministerial party comprising, in addition to Mr Fraser, the Director of Education (Mr N. T. Lambourne), the Minister's private secretary (Mr P. J. G. Smith), the Chairman of the Hawke's Bay Education Board (Mr G. A. Maddison), the member for Napier (the Hon. W. E. Barnard), the senior school inspector (Mr J. A. Henry), the board's architect (Mr L. B. Fleming), the board's secretary (Mr W. L. Dunn), and Messrs (G. H. Cooke and W. Cuthbertson, members of the board.

Manual Training.

Considerable interest in the manual training centre and dental clinic at Clive Square was shown by Mr Fraser, who was visibly impressed.

Considerable interest in the man-ual training centre and dental clinic at Clive Square was shown by Mr Fraser, who was visibly impressed the high standard and wide scope of the work undertaken there.

Reference to the importance of the intermediate school system in New Zealand was made by the Minister when addressing pupils at the Napier Intermediate School. The valuable influence of these schools had been realised overseas and the Government appreciated their

Hastings Street School. Following an inspection of the Hastings Street Primary School, the Minister conferred with a deputation from the school committee, headed by the chairman (Mr H. Bridges)

Bridges).

"We have received many bewildering reports regarding the future of this school, and as we see it, the

Cricket Trophies | REQUESTS MADE

HASTINGS GATHERING

Presented

End Of A Successful Season

THE MAYOR PRESIDES

fendant were indecent and were done with the intention of offending the boy.

Mr Bannister submitted that there was no clear evidence of intent to commit an indecent act.

A long list of previous convictions entered against the defendant, was presented by the senior-sergeant. In evidence defendant admitted having been charged with indecent assault

In replying to a toast to himself later in the evening Mr Maddison said that one of the elements of town-planning was to provide grounds in the heart of the town. It had been suggested to him that the Borough Council should buy 15 to 20 acres of land at Frimley. He considered this wrong as a sports to 20 acres of land at Frimley. He considered this wrong, as a sports ground should be in the centre of the town to accommodate all types of sport. A ground such as that at Nelson Park would go a long way towards building up the prestige of the town.

A lengthy toast list was honoured.

Trophies Presented. Mr Maddison presented the folowing trophies:-

Hasting: Senior Championship, Napier H.S.O.B.; Orkney Cup, Rugby; Hastings Jun. A Championship Cup, Havelock North; best allround senior fieldsman, J. W. Martin (Hastings H.S.O.B.); Rausford Bat for best batsman in junior inter-town competition, R. Puttullo (Rugby): most improved player Rugby); most improved player Braben Cup), B. Begley (Hast-ngs); N.Z. Bat Co.'s bat for highings); N.Z. Bat Co.'s bat for highest aggregate runs up to December 17, K. Dwyer (Hastings High School); junior inter-town cup (donated by Mr Geo. Deakin, Hastings), Scinde, Napier.

The presentation of the Garland Cup, for the Hastings Junior B championship, was held over.

STRAY SHEEP CAUSES

MISHAP

Two Motor Cyclists

Injured

Mr Fraser suggested that the committee should prepare its evidence supporting the retention of the school on its present site and discuss the whole position with the Hawke's Bay Education Board at a round-table conference.

round-table conference.

"The Department will not do anything that will be against the interests of the children," the Minister said. "In some places there are prejudices against school reform, but I do not think that is the case here. You have been most reasonable and there appears to me to be no reason why the problem should not be satisfactorily settled at an early date."

The question of erecting additions to the school or possibly constructing a new building was one that required to be fully explored, said Mr Maddison. The present site was inadequate

inadequate. The opinion that the present buildings were quite substantial and could be satisfactorily remodelled to bring them into line with the district's requirements, was expressed by Mr Bridges, who added that the Minister's suggestion of a conference would be accepted by the committee

The Ministerial party then proceeded to the Port Ahuriri School, whence they travelled to the new suburb of Marewa, where Mr Fraser inspected the five-acre site for the proposed Marewa School.

In the afternoon the Minister visited Eskdale, Bay View and Westshore, returning to Napier at 4.45 p.m., when he received deputaof this school, and as we see it, the school's very existence is in jeopardy," said Mr Bridges, who indicated that his committee would appreciate some direction from Mr Fraser as to what the department's intentions were.

After referring to various communications between the board and the Hawke's Bay County Council, and the Hawke's Bay County Council concerning the Westshore access bridge proposals, waited on the Minister in the evening.

TO MINISTER

NAPIER'S NEEDS ARE **EMPHASISED**

SCHOOL PROBLEMS Intermediate Building

Inadequate Further requests to the Government for assistance in expanding and improving educational facilities in the Napier district were made to the Minister of Education (the Hon. P. Fraser) when the Hawke's Bay Education Board waited upon him as a deputation in the board room,

Discussing the question of the proposed completion of the Napier Intermediate School, the Minister said that if the present site of the school was inadequate, it was no winners. He referred briefly to the loss sustained to sportsmen, and to cricketers in particular, by the recent death of Mr R. M. Chadwick. Mr V. Hawke, in his reply to Mr Maddison, said that there was no doubt that the inter-town competitions had been an unqualified success. board was satisfied that the exist-

> facilities at the school are inade-quate and we must explore means of expanding," stated the Minister. "Perhaps the board could investigate the practicability of constructing a second storey. In such an essential school, it is indeed a pity that the work should be hampered through congestion."

Agricultural Clubs.

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A request for Government assistance in keeping alive the boys' and girls' agricultural clubs in the district received the sympathetic attention of the Minister, who, however, expressed his disappointment that the contributions from the public had fallen away in recent years. These clubs were pre-eminently something which the people of Hawke's Bay should support and encourage, since the wealth of the district depended so largely on the farming community.

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Mr Fraser said that he did not think the Government could give any further financial assistance at the moment, but he would give the request the full consideration it deserved. In the meantime, efforts might be made to provide certain sums for the clubs from the Education Board's funds.

Domestic Science.

Mention was made of the serious shortage of trained domestic science teachers. The secretary of the board (Mr. W. L. Dunn) said that unless the services of an instructor were quickly obtained, this side of school training in Hawke's Bay would have to be closed down after Faster "We have increased domestic

J. E. Armitage, S. T. Mahony, B. A. Adams, E. Robinson (N.H.S.O.B.), F. F. Cane, F. Fox, I. Proctor.
Juniors.—D. Galbraith, B. Temperton, G. Stanford, C. Jeffery, J. Franklin, Colbert, N. Ireland, G. Steele, W. Campbell, V. Josephs, J. Hatch, G. Stevens, J. Stevens, H. Seed, A. Dean, J. Cummins.

Any players unavailable or other players desiring a game are requested to ring the secretary, 'phone 743, before to-morrow,

"We have increased domestic science centres to such an extent throughout New Zealand that there is conceivably a shortage of trained instructors, although I was unaware that the position had become so acute," said the Minister, in replying to the representation. "We have road at 11 o'clock last night.

They were able to resume their journey and reported to the Napier Public Hospital, where their injuries were treated by Dr. Archer, in the larger technical colleges,"











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NAPIER.

SCHOOL'S DIAMOND A Former Napier RUSSIA AS IT IS JUBILEE

TARADALE MAKES PLANS

PROBABLE EVENTS

A Date In August Likely

"Daily Mail" Special Service.

TARADALE. Though it was decided to carry on and celebrate the diamond jubilee of the Taradale School, there was a disappointing attendance of parents and old pupils on Monday even ing in the Town Hall to decide the

A Date in August.

The jubilee will be held during August, probably from the 15th to the 18th, dates which coincide with the end of the second term.

During the evening Mr J. M. Grant, representing the Taradale-Greenmeadows Centennial and Memorial Committee, outlined the scheme for a swimming pool as a memorial, and enlisted aid from the meeting. It was decided that the school jubilee committee would supschool jubilee committee would supschool jubilee committee would supschool jubilee. school jubilee committee would support the cause after August.

Officers Elected.

The following officers and committee were appointed to form the Taradale School Jubilee Committee: Chairman, Mr E. V. Howard; hon. secretary (pro tem), Mr J. M. Grant; hon. treasurer, Mr W. Pollock; general committee, Mesdames R. Brown, Bradley, W. Pollock, P. Dolbel, R. Scullin, W. Larsen, Pain, Strom, and Oliver, Misses Tareha (2), N. Burt, N. Colwill, and Pain, Messrs R. Brown, F. O. Anderson, W. Pollock, J. Williamson, Harker, P. Dolbel, Pain, Yeo, A. P. Atkins, H. E. Alderton, Wiseman, Clayton, Gallagher, Downes.

The following sub-committees were formed, with power to add:—School gatherings: Teachers, with Mr R. J. Pattison (secretary).
Religious services: Mr J. Williamson (convener).
Roll call: Mr J. Williamson (convener) and Messrs W. G. Jarvis, and Williams.

Jubilee ball and dinner: Mrs W.

Reference was also made to the new clause in the regulations, governing the approaching season's game-shooting, appears on the licence.
Reference was also made to the new clause in the regulations affecting mai-mais in the Hawke's Bay district. These may be claimed any time after noon on April 22.

The meeting, which was well attended, was held in the offices of the The following officers and com-

SCHOOL CHILDREN'S SWEET TOOTHS

Takapau Headmaster's Complaint

> "Daily Mail" Special Service. TAKAPAU.

Identity

DEATH IN LONDON Mr. George Morley's

REQUEST MADE TO

Williams.

Jubilee ball and dinner: Mrs W.
Larsen and Mrs W. Pollock (joint conveners), with all ladies of committee, and Messrs Wainscott and T. B. McDonald.

Sports committee: Mr H. E. Alderton (convener), with the men of the committee.

CATHOLIC CLUB CONFERENCE

A Big Programme

There will be 51 competitors and delegates at the annual Easter conference and competitions of the donated by Mr H. R. Grant, and The mer



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TO-DAY

MISSIONARIES' HARD TASK

STRICT CENSORS

ents and old pupils on Monoay eventing in the Town Hall to decide the question.

Mr F O. Anderson presided over an attendance of about 30, and, as several speakers emphasised, this was a poor result for a school that has completed almost 60 years of valuable service.

At present, the main parts of the celebrations will consist of a roll call of old pupils, religious services, a children's balla, a jubilee danner.

It is hoped that the gatherings will show a profit, which will be used to purchase for the Taradale School radio and Greenmeadows Sides School radio and film equipment.

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No papers or periodicals were allowed to enter the country, and by this means the truth was excluded. The news was brought to the people by Government-controlled papers, and through this means they were told that the rest of the world was in a parlous state and its people were starving. were starving.

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The colonel produced a letter written to him by a friend in Russia, containing, he said, only religious matter. The censor had blacked out the great part, so that this was indecipherable.

In Russia women were placed on equality with men, and were to be found in the militia on the streets of Moscow and in the mercantile marine. He knew of at least one woman who had risen to the rank of captain.

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In the huge assembly hall of a large factory 48 per cent. of the employees were women. "Is it any wonder that more tractors are under repair than are in use?", asked the speaker

RIFLE SHOOTING AT **TARADALE**

Final Of Season

COMPETITION FOR CUP

B. Franklin Wins

"Daily Mail" Special Service. TARADALE,

had their final shoot of the season

A SUCCESSFUL PADDY'S MARKET

Waipatu Pastorate Funds To Benefit

HAVELOCK NORTH.

The Waipatu Pastorate recently held a successful Paddy's Market in aid of the funds of the Maori Anglican Church. The organisation was in the hands of Mrs. Toko Franklin, who was helped by the Waipatu women's committee.

Mrs. Franklin thanks Mrs. B. Otene, Ruahapia Road, for her untiring efforts to make the market

tiring efforts to make the market the great success it was, also the members of Te Waimarama Ratana Church for their many donations; in assisting they showed a true spirit of Christianity and co-opera-

tion.
Others who lent assistance and to whom thanks are extended are Mr. Nelson Lane, Havelock North, Mrs. G. T. Taylor, Frimley, and Mrs Elizabeth Mohi, Mr Miki Thomas, Mrs. T. Karetu, Mrs. Ripeka Inia and Mrs. Kiri Gillies, all of Waimarama.

Formed

"Daily Mail" Special Service TE HAROTO. Te Haroto Rugby enthusiasts have decided to form a football club application has been made to play in the junior competition, and the first practice will be held to-day (Wednesday)

The club—to be known as Te Haroto Football Club—elected the folroto Football Club—elected the following officers for the year:—Patron, Mr D. Gardner; president, Mr W. White; vice-presidents, Messrs F. Wilson, W. Hagen, W. Gardner, J. Clune, A. Lee, D. Bailey, J. Bush, E. Nepia, H. Gardner, and R. Sutherland; secretary-treasurer, Mr R. L. Cassin: accounting committee. J. Cassin; executive committee, Messrs R. J. Cassin, D. Gardner, J. Stevens, J. Walton, and D. Miini; selection committee, the captain and executive members.

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be a short competition played over nine holes. Afternoon tea will be provided by club members,

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STATEMENT PREPARED

Waipukurau Borough Council

VARIED SUBJECTS DISCUSSED

HATUMA BRANCH

Report And Balance Sheet Read

"Daily Mail" Special Service. WAIPUKURAU.

A satisfactory credit balance and a lavourable report were presented to the annual meeting of the Hatuto the annual meeting of the Hatuma branch of the Farmers' Union.
There were present Messrs. C. R. and R. E. Edgecombe, R. and V. Stratford, A. Wilson, G. Kennedy, B. Lowes, C. Schrouder, V. Knight, J. A. Grant and —, Grant, W. Hamilton and W. Matthews.
The election of officers resulted as follows: Chairman, Mr. V. Stratford; vice-chairmen, Mr. M. Kennedy

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and C. R. Edgecombe; secretary-treasurer, Mr. W. I. Matthews; delegate, Mr. R. E. Stratford; committee, Messrs. J. A. Grant, R. E. Edgecombe, A. Wilson, C. Schrouder; auditor, G. F. Kennedy.

A motion by Mr. C. R. Edgecombe that the chairman and treasurer be authorised to operate the post-office account of the branch was carried.

TARADALE,
On Saturday afternoon members of the Taradale Defence Rifle Club had their final shoot of the season under fair conditions.

The competition was for a cup donated by Mr H. R. Grant, and

PERSONAL

Mrs. A. Bull has gone to Ngarua-wahia to attend the Easter camp held by members of the denominational Bible Class.

Mrs. A. Mason has gone to stay with her son-in-law and daugliter, Mr and Mrs A. Sudfelt, Waipoapoa.

Combined Bible Class Camp

To Be Held At Taradale

A RUGBY CLUB AT
TE HAROTO

A Junior Team To Be

One hundred and 10 girls from Wellington, Wanganui, Palmerston North, New Plymouth and Hastings will attend the camp organised by the Wellington District of the Baptist Bible Class Union, which will be held in the Hastings West School from Easter Friday to Monday.

PRESBYTERIAN BIBLE CLASSES

To Attend Week-end Camp

Girls from St. John's and St. Andrew's Presbyterian Bible Classes, Hastings, will attend a Bible Class camp at Taradale this week-end and will also attend study circles with girls from all parts of the province.

ATHLETIC RECORDS RECOGNISED

Sharpley's Times

COUNCIL MEETS AT WELLINGTON

Two Claims Declined

The death occurred on Monday at the London County C

13 Men

PROVISION MADE Employment Fund Now

Taken Over By Telegraph—Press Association.

CHRISTCHURCH, April 4. The retention in work of Scheme 13 men who cannot be absorbed into private and State Department employment was announced to-night by the Minister of Labour (the Hon. 2.30—

by the Minister of Labour (the Hon. P. C. Webb).

"An effort is being made to absorb as many Scheme 13 men as possible into different State departments and in secondary industries," said the Minister when questioned as to the future of the men after April 15.

"Those for whom work cannot be provided in that way will continue on Scheme 13 under the different employing authorities, and additional work will be provided."

An endeavour would also be made to provide additional work to meet

to provide additional work to meet the needs of seasonal workers. The employment fund had been taken over as from April 1 by the Social Security Fund.

The question of promoting employment would still rest with the employment division of the Department of Laboratory ment of Labour. JUDGMENT GIVEN BY

Hastings Debt Cases Heard

DEFAULT

Takapau.

The amount of money that the school children were spending on sweets was commented upon by the headmaster of the Takapau School in his report to the School Committee on Monday. He considered that the matter should be pointed out to the parents and said that the mosty could well be deposited in the school savings bank.

He also proposed that, as it was Centennial year, the area set aside as a native shrubbery be completed and a board erected to show the area's connection with the Centennist ournaments.

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Mr. C. R. Edgecombe proposed the branch should write to the Waipukurau County Council asking the council to do all in its power to enforce treatment of dogs, owing to the incidence of hydatids.

Others subjects under discussion included the incidence of stock disease and the prevalence of barley grass and other weeds in the bedding of rams at the ram fair. Commendation was expressed for the action of the Waipukurau Young Farmers' Club in forming a branch.

Treatment of Dogs.

Mr. C. R. Edgecombe proposed to Diamond £2 5/6, costs £1 4/6; P. Gibson and Sons, Ltd. v. H. G. Diamond £2 5/6, costs £1 16/11, costs £2 18/-; T. H. Roach, Ltd. v. H. W. Jones £9 18/3, costs £1 14/6; Bertha French v. E. Lowry Wilson and Kathleen L. Wilson £1 15/4, costs 13/-; C. L. Golding v. S. Devenie £1 15/9 costs 12/-; May and Adams v. B. Harden £1 5/-, costs \$/-; A. J. Vidal and Sons v. R. Hayston £2 10/-, costs £1 3/6; E. Wall v. Lydia Orbell £5 5/-, costs £1 10/6; H. C. McKain v. M. Pritchard £2 8/9, costs £1 3/6.

AIP MIGG.

BEGIN

Dominion Experts

THREE DAYS SET ASIDE

A Tour Later?

By Telegraph-Press Association. WELLINGTON, April 4. The British Air Mission made a start with its deliberations this morning, in consultation with Govremment experts.

It will be occupied with its task for the next three days, after which its members hope to visit Rotorua and other places of interest.

GIFTS FOR A NAPIER BRIDE-TO-BE

Two Hostesses At Party For Miss Ethel Pidd

The Misses Monica Pratt and Lola Sporle were the hostesses at a pantry sporte were the hostesses at a pantry tea given at the latter's home, Carlyle Street, Napier, on Monday night in honour of Miss Ethel Pidd, Napier, whose marriage to Mr. F. J. Mansfield will take place to-

day.

In the drawing room, which was gay with bright autumn flowers, Miss Pratt, wearing a bottle green and beige suit, received the guests, assisted by Miss Sporle, who wore a deinty suit of red and white spotted

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(Bracket: Flying Acre-Miss Waiterere.) RAUTANIWHA HACK HANDICAP. Of £110; one mile.

2 Laughing 7 9 Song 7 8 Doctor Defoe 7 8 Little Dorrit 7 7 Jacynth Classical Elettra WAIPUKURAU CUP. Of £170; 11 miles. Hunting Cat 9 0 Granvale
Big Dook 8 13 Fossicker
Tiger Gain 8 11 Cay Mimic
Fellcitation 8 6 Minnow
Buster Brown 7 11 Otakl
Small Boy 7 10 Sir Nigel
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(Bracket: Kobi-Tashi Lama.) LADIES' HANDICAP. Of £100; 1 mile 3 furlongs. Gay Mimic 11 7 Kohika 10
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Bumble 11 1 Ebb and Flow 10
Hatuma 11 0 Prince Mulla 10
Royal Ceres 11 0 Doctor Defoe 10
Otakl 10 11 (Bracket: Otaki-Dr. Defoe.)

PURIMU HACK HANDICAP. Of £100; 6 furlongs.

(Bracket: Flying Acre-Miss Waiterere.)

FLYING HANDICAP. Of £120; 6 furlongs. Brunhild Peter Brunhild
Beckford 9 0 Solaria
Flammarion 8 4 Gay Mimic
Golden Blonde 8 0 Omarere
Buster Brown 7 13 Otaki

RETAILERS DEBATE **PROBLEMS**

MATTERS AFFECTING WAIPAWA

THE HALF-HOLIDAY

"Daily Mail" Special Service. WAIPAWA.

A large and representative meeting of retailers was held last night to discuss the half-holiday question in Waipawa.

in Waipawa.

The chairman (Mr F. M. Tickner) stated that about six months ago a vote was taken with the proviso that the position be reviewed in six months. That had resulted in the Saturday half-holiday being carried. The retailers had now had time to decide on its merits or otherwise. Mr Tickner said that although any decision which was reached was not binding, it was essential that the retailers be united on the matter. A list tailers be united on the matter. A list had therefore been circulated to get a true expression of retailers' opinions. The result was that, of the 42 retailers who voted, 29 were for Saturday half-holiday and 13 for reverting to Wednesday.

It was for the meeting to confirm this or otherwise.

Mr. Ticknow formally, moved that

Mr Tickner formally moved that confirmation be given to the vote and that the Saturday half-holiday

Mr King, in seconding this pro-posal, said that, from a business point of view, he was satisfied with The motion was carried on the A discussion was continued by re railers on matters affecting the progress of the town. Messrs A. E. King and F. Eagle advocated subsidising buses to transport country visitors to Waipawa on Friday even-

Mr F. S. Jull supported the Power Board Office. Mr F. Eagle raised the matter of the proposed closing of the Central Hawke's Bay Power Board receiv-

ing office..

Mr F. M. Tickner moved that a protest be sent to the Power Board, urging that the matter be reconsid-Mr W. H. Rathbone, Waipawa, re-presentative on the Central Hawke's

Bay Power Board, said that the mat ter of the board's receiving agencies drew's Presbyterian Bible Classes, Hastings, will attend a Bible Classes, Hastings, will attend a Bible Classes, Hastings, will also attend study circles with girls from all parts of the province.

Wairoa Women's Golf.—To-day is to be a first afternoon at the Wairoa Women's Golf Club, when members may invite their friends, who will be the guests of the club. It is expected there will be a full attendance of members. There will be a short competition played over saisted by Miss Sporle, who wore a dainty suit of red and white sported there of the board's receiving agencies had to be reviewed on account of the death of an agent and the suggestion was raised to close all agencies had been carried by a small majority. He was opposed to the death of an agent and the suggestion was raised to close all agencies had to be reviewed on account of the death of an agent and the suggestion was raised to close all agencies had to be reviewed on account of the death of an agent and the suggestion was raised to close all agencies had to be reviewed on account of the death of an agent and the suggestion was raised to close all agencies had to be reviewed on account of the death of an agent and the suggestion was raised to close all agencies had to be reviewed on account of the death of an agent and the suggestion was raised to close all agencies had to be reviewed on account of the death of an agent and the suggestion was raised to close all agencies had to be reviewed on account of the death of an agent and the suggestion was raised to close all agencies had to be reviewed on account of the death of an agent and the suggestion was raised to close all agencies had to be reviewed on account of the death of an agent and the suggestion was raised to close all agencies had to every a small majority. He was opposed to the proposal and had forward a notice of motion to have the decision and the death of an a

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HOT CROSS BUNS

Put 1lb of flour in a basin, add a pinch of salt and teaspoonful of mixed spices and a little nutmeg. Then put 4 tablespoonful of sugar and loz yeast into a bowl and beat until a liquid. Melt 4 tablespoonfuls of butter and make } pint milk tepid among it. Pour all this among the yeast. Drop an egg into the middle of the flour and mix a little, then pour in all the milk, butter, yeast and mix. It should be a soft dough. Cover the basin and set to rise in a warm place for an hour, then mould into small round buns. Set to rise again for 10 minutes, then brush over with egg and put a cross on the top of each bun. Then bake for 10 minutes in peel, 1 teaspoonful baking power,

per, I small teaspoonful soda, I teaspoonful cream of tartar, I cup milk, or just enough to moisten the mixture. Mix all thoroughly with the hands and put into a lined tin; flatten it on the top, wet the edges and put on the lid of paste. Prick over with a fork, brush with a little egg and bake in an even oven 21 hours.

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After the business had been dealt with, Mrs H. Lovell-Smith, leader of the circle, introduced Mrs Robson to the members. Before giving her main address, Mrs Robson spoke for a short while on the subject, "How to Conduct a Meeting." She outlined the correct method of moving a resolution and an amendment, the small courtesies due to the chairman, and the loyalty expected of a guild committee. She answered many questions on small points which had previously been rather vaguely understood, among them being the fact that

the person in the chair was addressed "Chairman" or "Madam Chairman," there being no such title as "Chairwoman."

After tea Mrs Robson spoke again to the members, her subject being "Sunday Island 50 Years Ago." She explained how Sunday Island, one of the Kermadec group, 650 miles to the north-west of New Zealand, had become a New Zealand controlled food depot for shipwrecked mariners and was supplied with sealed tins of food and other necessary equip
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The hostess wore a frock of navy blue matelasse with silver filigree belt buckle and tiny buttons down the front. and was supplied with sealed tins of food and other necessary equipment. The speaker then told how in 1889, an association was formed in Napier, which sent Mr Percy Smith out to annex the island for New Zealand, and how the Government cut the land into runs to grow tomatoes and potatoes for the early Auckland the beach which we collected in bucand potatoes for the early Auckland the beach which we collected in buckets and preserved in the lime obtained failure the runs were offered to the public for settlers to cultivate and make their homes. The idea of settlers are considered to the public for settlers to cultivate and make their homes. The idea of settlers are considered to the public for settlers to cultivate and the control of the island Mrs. Robson said they found a crater of make their homes.

Sunday Island

Mrs Robson told how she and her husband, with her mother and father, sister and brother and others made a party of nineteen which set sail in a 90-ton sailing vessel for the island. Great amusement was caused when it was revealed that it took the party 19 days to sail from Napier to Auckland, great difficulty being experienced in getting past the East Cape. At Auckland they took in a six months' food supply and left Auckland shrouded in mist which seemed to last all the way.

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The speaker described many details of the landing, the pitching of tents and the ultimate building of shacks. She said that the extremely hilly nature of the country and absence of flats made planting and cultivating very difficult. Nevertheless, maize, the chief cereal, which grew best in the sub-tropical climate, beans, tomatoes, peanuts, grapes and bananas were grown. The settlers built their homes round a large fresh water lagoon and when, six months later, the boat returned, all the other settlers save the Robson returned to New Zeal and after two years, but her mother is a special little lounge section where clients may smoke and relax to their heart's content.

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Car the other settlers save the Robson family, decided that the life was not

With cheerful pluck and perseverance the family planted, hunted wild goats for meat and milk, tamed them, and even hunted bees for wild honey, which served as the chief sweetener in the island diet. They found that there was another family on the other side of the island, who, having lived there for some years, gave them much valuable ad-

As the island was roughly 7500

As Easter approaches every housewife will be considering serving for her family the traditional Easter fare, foremost amongst which come the fav-

Melt the lard in the boiling water and mix it into the oatmeal and salt. Make it into a stiff dough. Roll out on a floured board very thinly and bake in a cool oven. Eat the ourite hot cross buns.
Simnel cake and haver bread simmel cake and haver bread are also favourites with many folk, but Easter seems to bring to mind buns. Home-made buns may be varied in many ways, and are cheap and easy to make, besides being greatly appreciated by all the family. and bake in a cool oven. Eabread with butter and cheese. SUGAR BUNS Housewives, be busy and test these recipes!

SIMNEL CAKE

bun. Then bake for 10 minutes in a moderate oven.

SCOTCH CURRANT BUN

Rub \(^1\) butter and \(^1\) teaspoonful ground ginger and spice. 6 eggs.

For the paste take 1lb crushed almonds, 1lb icing sugar, 2 eggs.

Cream together the sugar and butter, stir in the flour, add the fruits, baking powder and spices, mix to a light paste with cold water. Roll out to a light paste with well-beaten eggs.

Butter a cake tin liberally and fill with alternate layers of cake mix.

with a wooden spoon and after with the hands, kneading it till perfectly smooth. The more it is kneaded, the smoother and better it will be. Dust pastry board with icing sugar and roll paste out to shape and size re-

BUTTERMILK ROLLS

Grease the tin and see to the oven. Mix the sugar with the cream of tartar, mix flour, salt and soda well and rub in the fat; add the sugar and mix all to a very stiff dough with the beaten egg and milk.

Make into buns with 2 forks, make a small hole in the top of each, fill in vith a little raspberry jam and cover with the dough. Bake in a hot oven for about 15 minutes.

Salt.

Cream butter and sugar, add well-beaten egg and the buttermilk with the soda dissolved in it. Stir in the sifted flour, cream of tartar and salt, turn on a floured board, knead light into rounds, glaze with egg, and fold over to half, glaze over tops again and bake about 10 minutes in moderate oven. Serve with butter.

One lb fine oatmeal, little salt, 1 tablespoonful lard, 1 pint boiling

Boil together 1 cup sugar, 1 cup butter or dripping and 1 cup water. Set aside to cool. Sift into a basin 2 cups flour with 2 teaspoonfuls baking powder; add ½ cup currants or dates. Mix all to a soft dough with dates. Mix all to a soft dough with the liquid. Lastly, add 1 well beaten egg with a few drops of lemon. Put a dessertspoonful on a greased tray; sprinkle tops with sugar and bake 10 minutes. The dough must be very soft. The buns are lovely and light.

Grate the rind of a lemon into ½lb flour. Melt ½lb butter with ½ teacupful of cream and add the teaspoonful of yeast and an egg. Mix with the flour, adding ½lb castor sugar and 20z prepared sultanas. Set paste with cold water. Roll out to a thin sheet, grease a bread tin and line it with the paste, keeping a piece for the top.

Now mix in a basin 11b. flour, 1½1b sugar, 2lb raisins, 2lb currants, ½1b chopped peel, ½1b almonds, ½oz ginger (ground), ½oz cinnamon, ½ teaspoonful black pepper, 1 small teaspoonful soda, 1 teaspoonful cream of tartar, 1 cup milk, or just enough to moisten the mix.

Butter a cake tin liberally and fill with alternate layers of cake mix ture and almond paste, reserving one portion of the latter for decorating the top of the cake. Bake in a slow sugar and 2oz prepared sultanas. Set the dough to rise; make into about 20 rough-looking buns, strew with crystallised sugar and bake in a spoonful cream of tartar, 1 cup milk, or just enough to moisten the mix.

EASTER EGGS (CAKES)

Sift together 4oz flour, 4oz ground Sift together 402 hour, 402 ground rice, 1 teaspoonful baking powder, and a pinch of salt, rub in 40z butter, add 20z sugar, flavour to taste. Beat an egg well, add, and mix to a stiff paste, using a very little milk if too dry. Grease a dessertspoon, scoop up some of the mixture and shape with a greased knife to resemble ½ an egg. Place carefully on a greased baking sheet lined with Ten ozs flour, pinch salt, 1 teaspoonful cream of tartar, ½ teaspoonful bicarbonate soda, 2oz fat, 2oz sugar, 1 egg, 1 tablespoon raspberry jam, 1 gill milk.

Grease the tin and see to the oven.

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Cream butter and sugar, add well.

ON SUNDAY ISLAND LIFE 50 YEARS AGO

Pioneering Talk Given At Hastings Townswomen's Guild Civic Circle

A tale of pioneering, undertaken through love of adventure and desire for experience, by a New Zealand family some 50 years ago, was told yesterday afternoon at a meeting of the Civic Circle of the Hastings Townswomen's Guild which was held in the guild room. The speaker was Mrs Robson, president of the Waikato Women's Institutes' Federa-

failure the runs were offered to the public for settlers to cultivate and make their homes. The idea of settling this fertile island appealed strongly to many people, the only drawback being the lack of regular contact with New Zealand.

Sailing for

In the centre of the island Mrs Robson said they found a crater of an extinct volcano, and this, with a dried lake-bed, provided unusually fertile soil for the crops. She lamented the fact that New Zealand could not find the means of making Sunday Island a tourist resort, as it had all the wonders of the Rotorua district. including a green and a district, including a green and a lake and hot springs.

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Mr and Mrs R. V. McDowell returned to Wellington yesterday from a short visit to Napier.

Mrs J. S. McAven, Napier, has left to spend two months in Auckland. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Barbara McAven, who will continue her art studies in Auckland.

Mrs Young and Miss Hewitt have left Hastings to attend the marriage of Mrs Young's sister, Miss Doris Shapleski, former dancing teacher at Hastings, to Mr Alexander Walters, of Canada, which will take place at St. Joseph's Buckle Street Church, Wellington, on Easter Monday

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MORNING TEA PARTY HELD IN NAPIER

Miss Mary Rainbow The Guest Of Honour

Young folk gathered at the home of Mrs Noel Triggs, Convent Road, Napier, yesterday morning, when she was the hostess at a party given

belt buckle and tiny buttons down the front.

The guest of honour chose a stone grey pin-striped costume with a blue blouse and grey hat.

After morning tea Miss Rainbow opened the parcels which had been brought for her by the guests and each contained a pink coathanger or pink shoe trees. She thanked them all for their gifts.

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Those present were Mrs Noel Triggs, Miss Mary Rainbow, Mrs I. MacKinnon, Mrs R. Douglas, Misses Mary and Diana Wilson, Nancy van Asch, Ruth Small, Lyndall Candy, Barbara Landels, Nancy Logan, Yolande Pettit.

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Carpeted floors in brown floral

On behalf of all present Mrs H M. Buck accorded Mrs Robson a very hearty vote of thanks for her excellent talk.

Before the meeting closed Mrs Lovell-Smith reminded members that Mrs Denniston, of the Wanganui Townswomen's Guild, would address the circle at the June meeting and also that all business had to be done at the June meeting so that the June meeting so that the June meeting so hat the July meeting could be solely a birthday party.

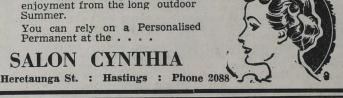
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PULLS UP WELL

Little Fast Galloping

At Hastings

(By MOTUROA.)

Conditions were unpleasant for work at Awapuni this morning, but there were several useful gallops on the plough to hold interest.

Felicitation, who went amiss on the eve of the Hawke's Bay Cup, was given a solid work-out to see if she would stand a preparation for the Waipukurau Cup and she appeared to pull up quite well. Provided she goes on the right way, Felicitation will gallop on Saturday morning.

Boatsong, who bled twice last week, was worked out, but showed no signs of a recurrence of the trouble and it is to be hoped that this good gelding will come right

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CHARING CROSS impressed in running second to Lutanist at Hastings and will not be neg-lected among the two-year-olds at Ellerslie on Saturday.

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Quilp (Forsyth) ran along well over half a mile in 51 45sec, the first furlong in 12 4·5.

After the Waipukurau meeting he is to race at Stratford and Waverley. He looks none the worst for his races last week and it may not be long before he is found among the winners again.

Left for Auckland.

IVAR, Nora Gregor, Kathbella and Endorsement left this morning for Auckland, where they are engaged this week-end. Gay Son, Charing Cross and Gayest Son went through during the week-end.

The local contingent for Feilding will probably leave on Thursday. Hatuma (Mudford) and Tiger Gain (Treacy) bowled along well over a round in 1.423, the last six furlongs in 1.19. Both look well.

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LADY INA RETIRED TO THE STUD

Well-Performed Cape Horn Mare

(BY MOTUROA) The report that Lady Ina has been retired from racing comes as no sur-prise, for the gallant Cape Horn mare appeared to break down when she looked to have the Longburn Handicap in safe keeping at Awa-puni last month, and had to give way to Race Call and Big Dook in the last half furlong.

Omarere (Forsyth) ran his five furlongs in 1.4½, the last half mile in 52sec.

Soho, who looks as if he has done a fair amount of road work prior to returning to the tracks last week, was let off with a light task, while Sternchase worked leisurely.

City Song (Cullen) was too good for Hinerangi (Mudford) over half a mile in 51½sec, the last three in 39sec.

Lady Ina has been a very solid performer for several seasons, winning a good share of races around the country meetings, as well as several good sprint events at Trentham. She had a penchant for that track and performed the remarkable feat of running second in the Telegraph Handicap, winning the Metropolitan Handicap and running third in the City Handicap in the 1938 and 1939 summer meetings at Trentham.

The Awapuni mare comes from

FIRST GLANCE AT THE Gay Son Pleases At Ellerslie BIG EASTER EVENTS

Suleiman's Big Following Chandlery Runs A Fast

DAINTY SUE AND PLAY ON FOR FEILDING

Yours Truly At Tauherenikau

(By MOTUROA).

Form followers and racegoers throughout New Zealand will have much to ponder over in the course of the next few days, for Easter racing embraces all districts, and the major meetings hold interest for all.

Hawke's Bay horses will be wide spread over the weekend. The stars will race at Ellerslie and do battle for rich prizes. The Feilding meeting will claim more of the district's representatives, while a few more will be found in action at the Wairarapa meeting at Tauherenikau. On Monday there will be racing at Waipukurau to absorb the balance of the

horses in the province. However, it is natural that the fortunes of the contingent for Ellerslie will be followed with closest interest, for Hawke's Bay will field a strong team. Gay Son and Ivar are expected to keep the Aucklanders fully engaged in the £1000 Easter Handicap; Endorsement, Charing Cross and Pern are engaged in the minor two-year-old races, and Kathbella in the Oaks, while, with Baran, Gayest Son, Silver Stick, and Nora Gregor engaged in the G.N. Champagne Stakes, Hawke's Bay's prospects of success are very bright.

There will also be interest in the running of Beaupartir n the Easter Handicap and St. Leger, Sudan in the Oaks, and Millament in the Onslow Stakes, for they were bred and are owned in Hawke's Bay.

SULEIMAN has ruled favourite for the Easter Handicap since the appearance of the entries, and, though Beaupartir, Gay Son, Ivar, Llangollen and Laughing Lass are finding their quota of admirers, it is probable that he will remain favourite to the last

ourite to the last.

Suleiman has the credentials for an A.R.C. Handicap, and there is little doubt that he is one of the smartest gallopers seen in the Auckland province for many years, as well as being one of the most consistent.

Always a Possibility.

HUNTING CAT may not be as good as he was formerly, but he is always a possibility, and a repetition of his effort at Hastings on Saturday would give him an undeniable chance of success.

This remarkable Acre gelding has This remarkable Acre gelding has the pace to go all the way, and, though he has yet to win past seven furlongs, the stoutness of his finishing efforts on numerous occasions encourages the belief that the mile will no trouble him on Saturday. The distance is rather short for the toweight, Round Up, but Llangollen can both sprint and stay, and the Herries Memorial Cup winner can never be lightly passed by.

A Good Colt. BEAUPARTIR, with Defaulter out of the way, is the best colt in the Dominion to-day, and the St. Leger looks likely to be an easy race for him. But he cannot be left out of calculations in the Easter

"Te Huia has had a lot of hard racing recently, and may be going off, but Old Bill is a distinct possibility on the minimum on his form in the N.Z. St. Leger. He has been working well, and will strip a very fit colt. However, it may be against him that it will be hard to secure a strong horseman for him.

strong horseman for him.

Nereus has been racing solidly, but minor placings alone seem to be his lot, and he does not appear likely to measure up to the class above him.

However, taking a line through recent form, the fav-ourites on Easter Saturday should be Dainty Sue, Play On and Hunting Cat.



SULEIMAN is the ruling favourite for the A.R.C. Easter Handicap on Easter Saturday, but he will not have things all his own way with such a smart field of milers engaged.

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"N.Z. Standard," who acted as observer, and all petrol used was measured and checked by him.

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> Gay Sor was third in the King's Plate, and that in itself is a good recommendation for the Easter Handicap. If this race was run on the second day his scrip would rise even higher, but he leaves the impression that his recent racing has improved him and he should be well attuned. HOT BOX, who was awarded the G.N. Guineas when Gay Son vas relegated into third place for

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At this stage the issue appears to lie between Suleiman, Beaupartir, Ivar and Laughing

ORATORY, who tops the list in the Feilding Cup, will be making her final bow to the public, and, naturally, she will claim considerable sentimental interest for raceable sentimental interest for raceable would need to

Handicap either, for he has only 2lb. | Chance for Yours Truly.

Beaupartir has won at a mile at OPPOSED by only a small field, Beaupartir has won at a mile at Ellerslie, and, as well, he was right up in line with Smoke Screen and Co. when the new mile record was registered in the King's Plate. He ian a great six furlongs at Awapuni on Saturday morning in 1.15, and, on his Awapuni Gold Cup form, he looks like being right in the picture.

Gay Sor was third in the King's in with 6lb, more than he carried in with 6lb, more than he carried at Hastings.

Friesland, winner of the Thompson Handicap and other good races a couple of seasons back, has improved since he raced at New Plymouth, but he can scarce be as forward as his rivals here.

Siegmund, with 8.10, cannot be denied a really good chance on his winning effort on Saturday last, while the "cast-iron mare," Lady Montana, will score a popular victory if she wins this event. And she always races solidly.

Hurlongs and is in great order for Feilding.

Royal Choice (Tattersall) comfortably covered his six furlongs in 1.27.

Beaupartir, Sudan, Millament, Laughing Lass, Hanover, and Riotous, who were accompanied by

tory if she wins this event. And interference, has been racing patchily and he should be held safe by Laughing Lass, who looked unlucky to lose the Thompson Handicap.

This mare is brilliant, and this seating Haughty Winner and a heating Haughty Winner and a This mare is brilliant, and this season she is showing greater stamina. Race Call does not seem to be out of it in any company. He has won at Ellerslie before, and was an impressive double winner at the Manawatu meeting.

Golden Sheila would have to be respected in a race like this, while Rulette is back to form again.

Royevrus and Pirate King are a pair of recently promoted hacks who will not be neglected, and Galilee, also on the 7.3 mark, is smart.

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interesting races of the big Easter Saturday handicaps, but one is forced by form to regard Yours Truly, Lady Montana and Galteemore as the logical favourites.

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goers. However, she would need to improve on her recent form to win on Saturday.

Play On failed in the Hawke's Bay Cup, but there has been rain in the Manawatu district, and any easing of the tracks will enhance his prospects on Saturday. He now meets Dainty Sue on 24lb. better terms.

Remaintags.

For his win in the Hastings Handicap on Saturday Siegmund Paster. He will ride Yours Truly, Prediction, Silver River, and Dissipation at Tauherenikau on Saturday and then go across to Christophandicapped 6lbs. to 7.12 in the Autumn Plate at Riccarton, Kalika,

able.
On the course proper Huntingmore ran six furlongs in 1.19—a useful effort.
The G.N. Oaks candidates, Silver-Quex and First Gold Money, did a mile in 1.50 3-5, after taking 55sec. for the first half-mile. Silver Quex finished full of running, and was several lengths in front of her companion.

MILE WITH TYBALT

Half-Mile

By Telegraph—Press Association.
AUCKLAND, April 4.

AUCKLAND, April 4.

The chief features of the semifinal gallops at Ellerslie for the
Auckland Easter meeting were a
mile by Gay Son and Tybalt, half
a mile by Chandlery, and five furlongs by La Vie and Bide-a-Wee.

The course proper, on which the
poles were out 40 feet, and the tan
track were in most demand, and the
No. 3 grass track was also available.

On the course proper, Hunting

panion.

The best figures over a mile were credited to Gay Son and Tybalt. They ran the distance in 1.444-5, the last six furlongs in 1.19. Gay Son had a slight advantage at the finish, and the gallop will bring him into favour for his Easter Handicap en-

Chandlery reeled off a half-mile in 502-5. It was the best of the

Smart Two-Year-Olds.

The two-year-olds, La Vie and Bide-a-Wee, came home from the five-furlongs post in 1.4 3-5. They covered the last half-mile in 52, and La Vie was in front at the finish.

Hot Box did a similar distance in 1.6. He had something in reserve at the finish.

at the finish.

Gayest Son and Charing Cross Gayest Son and Charing Cross were given an easy six furlongs, taking 1.24, the last half-mile in 56.

On the tan, Konneta did half a mile in 52 4-5, being accompanied over the last part of the gallop by El Meynell.

Knight of Australia did a round in 1.57, taking 1.21 2-5 for the last six furlongs.

in 1.57, taking 1.212.5 for the last six furlongs.
Tooley Street was being held back to Wild Acre throughout five furlongs, which occupied 1.73.5.
Tooley Street could have bettered the time by a good margin.
Mintlaw ran the last half-mile of his work in 53.

Pasture came home from the half-mile in 562.5.

mile in 562.5.
On the No. 3 grass, Full of Scotch worked over a couple of rounds, being timed to run his last halfmile in 511.5. It was a good effort, and he hit out with more freedom than usual than usual.

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Bumble (Broughton) ran an easy mile in 1.49. He has been schooled recently and shows promise. Cuisinier (Temperton) Aurora's Star (Kanake) over five furlongs in 1.8 and appeared to have something in hand. Gold Garter and Israel came home from the three furlongs in 42, this gallop being done on the course

proper, where the flags were out Thrasos (Broughton) impressed more than Brazil (Williamson) in running seven furlongs in 1.35 4-5.

Cup Candidate. Old Bill (Tattersall) and Corroboree (Stewart) were companions in a working gallop over a mile and were not bustled to come home the last six furlongs in 1.24.

I. Rohloff schooled Strolling and Warehi separately, both giving satisfactory exhibitions. Newbury Queen (Broughton) ran her three furlongs on the course

*************** Additional racing appears on Page 9.

proper in 42.

***** Guiding Light (Tattersall) covered her five furlongs in 1.8 1.5, while Tom Tom (Tattersall), who is to race at Feilding on Monday, easily ran her half-mile in 55. Ecstatic (Tattersall) could have improved a lot on her 1.84 for five

mproved a lot on her 1.83 for five furlongs and is in great order for

ous, who were accompanied by Baran, left on Monday night for Auckland.

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pographical error, Annabelle was recorded as having won two Auckland Cubs. This should have read two Avondale Cups, races she won in 1894 and 1895. 'Short," Hastings: £2 and £1/4/6; £3/2/- and £1/11/-.

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No stock to be yarded before 6 a.m. until further notice.

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