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VAST BARTER DEAL TO CURB WAR THREAT

U.S. Plan To Regain Markets: Raw Materials Wanted

AN ECONOMIC AXIS?

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WASHINGTON, April 10. Making a statement after conferring with President Roosevelt and the United States Secretary of State (Mr Cordell Hull), the Secretary of the Treasury (Mr Henry Morgenthau) lent emphasis to the belief held in other official circles that unless an effective means is devised soon to curb the Nazi and Fascist threats to the world economic structure,

a European war is likely to result shortly.

Simultaneously Senator Byrnes, the President's confidante, revealed a bold plan, believed to have been inspired by the Administration, to dispose of surplus farm stocks abroad through a barter system designed to give the United States a huge stock of war materials and at the same time to curb Germany's disruptive trade policies.

Indicating concern over the European situation, President Roosevelt conferred with Mr. Hull and Mr. Morgenthau aboard the train immediately he arrived back from his holiday at Warm Springs.

Mr. Hull's anxiety and preoccupation were obvious. He told Press representatives that war threats were keeping business interests hopelessly alarmed. He pointed out that European capital had fled to America in hundreds of millions, curtailing purchasing power abroad and dislocating trade, with injurious results for everybody.

confirm the impression that the proposal has far greater implications of wheat and cotton for the benefit of American farmers. It is now regarded as President Roosevelt's first step in accordance with his policy of adopting "methods short of war, but stronger and more effective than mere words as a warning to aggreshops and dislocating trade, with injurious results for everybody.

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Mr. Morgenthau commented similarly, and expressed the opinion that the outlook was gloomy. He announced that the Treasury's present working balance was 2,600,000,000 dollars, which was large enough to meet all possible contingencies arising from the present international situation.

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Senator Byrnes revealed the plan after conferring with Mr. Hull and the Secretary of Agriculture (Mr. Henry A. Wallace), who endorsed it.

Tin and Rubber.

Senator Byrnes said that its primary purpose was the exchange of surplus wheat and cotton for raw materials, such as tin and rubber, which the United States did not possess.

Observers quickly noted that under such an arrangement the United States would be in a position to aid the "Stop Hitler bloc" by sending foodstuffs needed badly in the event of war. Thus the programme would accomplish many objectives of the controversial Pittman resolution to amend the Neutrality Act, giving the nations which have control of the seas, meaning Britain and France, ready access to American supplies on a cash and carry basis.

Full Authority.

under treaties which would be rati-

fied by the Senate.

Each foreign Government would impound the bartered cotton and wheat for five years to prevent the price collapsing through dumping.

Maintenance of Reserves.

The United States would reciprocate by maintaining reserves of rubber and tin in warehouses, for use should war cut off supplies.

Two prices would be negotiated, one for the exchange, the other being the price at which the nation could release its stocks. American observers said that the scheme would strengthen the hands of England and France in the event of war, because the totalitarians lacked wheat and cotton.

Revealing that the arch-isolation-ists, Senators la Follette, Bennett and Clark, had already given their approval, Senator Byrnes said that the plan should earn the support of the strict neutrality bloc, because an adequate stock of strategic ma-terials would preclude the necessity for American ships entering war zones. He added that the British for American ships entermore for American ships entermore. He added that the British and Dutch were at present restricting the production of rubber by 50 per cent., and tin by 40 per cent. He believed that an opportunity to supplement production would appeal ing from the Australian and Canadian supplies of wheat to Britain. The introduction by the Administration of a resolution authorising that impose embargoer actions.

The United States War and Navy Departments recommend a minimum reserve of rubber of 266,000 tons, worth 85,000,000 dollars, but Senator Byrnes is urging a very state of the Introduction by the Administ tration of a resolution authorising the President to impose embargoes and perhaps take retaliatory action against Japan was discussed to-day. Senator Byrnes is urging a year's supply. plus tin worth 65,000,000

The United States present surpluses are 275,000,000 bushels of wheat and 14,500,000 bales of cotton.

The plan may be expanded to include manganese, phosphates and aluminium.

and answer those critics of the Pittman plan, who say that its operation would be to Japan's benefit and China's detriment.

Another step contemplated is the introduction of a resolution extending the cash and carry provision for a further year.

Plan Endorsed.

A later message says that a statement issued by Mr. Cordell Hull tonight endorses Senator Bryne's barter plan. It makes clear that the scheme has the administration's backing.

The statement also appeared to a possibility." She found no hatred

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Full Authority.

The step would be part of a campaign to revise the Neutrality Act and answer those critics of the Pitt

She encountered much less isolationist sentiment than formerly.

Proximity To British

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HONG KONG, April 11.

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RUMANIA WOULD JOIN DEFENCE PACT

New Overtures To Bulgaria To Fall In With Entente

CESSION OF TERRITORY?

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LONDON, April 11.

It is understood that the Rumanian Minister in London (M. Tilea) informed the British Foreign Secretary (Viscount Halifax) that Rumania was willing to join a pact similar to that with Poland.

King Carol of Rumania will confer with his Ministers to-day. Rumania is reported to be making an effort to persuade Bulgaria to join the Balkan Entente, even offering to cede the Dobruja territory, which Rumania won in the Balkan

Hitherto Rumania has declared that she would not cede a foot of this territory, the dispute over which kept Bulgaria out of the Balkan Entente, but the Italian invasion of Albania has caused a change of outlook in both Rumania and Bulgaria.

"Greek Integrity Assured"

GOVERNMENT ALERT

Italian Troops Near Frontier

ROME STATEMENT

United Press Association-Copyright ATHENS, April 10. The British Minister to Athens (Sir Sydney Waterlow), interviewed the Greek Premier (General

Metaxas).

General Metaxas later issued a in

General Metaxas later issued a statement declaring: "Greece's in tegrity is absolutely assured, and the Government is ceaselessly watchful to preserve her security and honour."

Meanwhile, Italian troops have occupied Koritza, Albania, which is adjacent to the Greek frontier. Work has been resumed in the Albanian oilfields, with soldiers standing by.

It is reported from Paris that in Passengers returning to England from Holland report that the river Maas was closed to all shipping for 12 hours yesterday while Dutch warships patrolled the sea approaches to Rotterdam. Officers of freighters declare that mines were laid.

Dutch warships moored at the quays of the Hook of Holland played ed searchlights on all incoming ships.

TROOPS CALLED UP IN HOLLAND

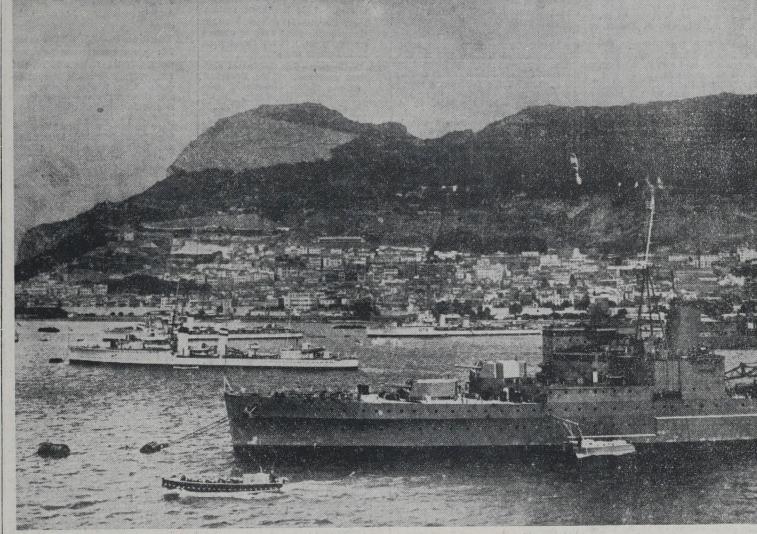
"Precautionary Measure"

SHIPPING

Warships On Patrol

(Received April 11, 7 p.m.)

Frontier battalions are being called up, but it is emphasised that this is a purely precautionary measure and does not mean that anything extraordinary is happen-



BRITAIN'S ROCK OF DEFENCE.—Mighty Gibraltar towers in the background as a typical setting for H.M.S. Sheffield (nearest the camera) and other warships. Yesterday all British ships of the Mediterranean Fleet left Italian ports, presumably for Gibraltar and Malta, while shore leave at Gibraltar has been stopped. It is also reported that General Franco is claiming Gibraltar for Spain.

AT SEA

OFFICERS RECALLED AT GIBRALTAR

FRANCE ACTIVE

Defences Manned At

However, a high administration official stated that it was the beginning of an economic axis aimed at regaining the markets of Central Europe and South America lost through Germany's barter programme.

Senator Byrnes announced that the State Department within a few days was opening negotiations for barter treaties with Britain, Holland and Belgium, which dominated the world's rubber and tin supplies, under treaties which would be rational process.

Full Authority.

Further, Senator Byrne's proposal was to give the Secretary of State full authority to negotiate such treaties with whatever nations he selected, since the plan's purpose is to acquire non-competitive strategic materials, neither of which Germany or Italy possess.

The Fascist Powers would be excluded from the programme.

It was impossible to ascertain to night whether, in approaching Britanies, and numerous auxiliary vessels at present scattered between marines, and numerous auxiliary vessels at present scattered between Gibraltar and Malta, in addition to units based at Gibraltar, Malta and Alexandria.

British naval officers were recalled from week-end leave to Gibraltar,

reports a Tangier message.
France, too, is taking precautions in the Mediterranean, her action coinciding with the British measures. It is believed that France is reinforcing her Syria and North Africa garrisons.

Anti-aircraft and coastal defences at Malta were manned, this being officially described as a precaution-

Unconfirmed reports state that further French reserves are being called up as a precautionary Italian reservists numbering 330,000 were called up to-day. At present 900,000, excluding native troops,

are under arms.

It is understood that Signor Mussolini is postponing his visit to Tirana to await the result of the British and French Cabinet meetings.

Peace At Almost Any Price

BRITAIN'S AIMS

Surrender To Force Is Barred

MINISTER'S CLAIM

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Mrs Roosevelt stated to-day that her transcontinental lecture tour convinced her that the people were beginning to doubt whether the United States could isolate itself. MONTREAL, April 10. "The British leaders want peace almost at any price, but not by sur-render to force,' Sir Gerald Camp-bell, British Minister to Canada, told a meeting of Canadian war veterans.

"There is not a single leader in
the British commonwealth," he
added, "who does not favour peace

by negotiation, conciliation and econ-

JAPANESE LAND ON YANKEE CLIPPER'S CHINESE COAST **FLIGHT**

> Survey Work To Be Undertaken

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BRITISH WARSHIPS BRITISH PARLIAMENT TO MEET TO-MORROW

Interest Centres On Balkans: New Pacts To Resist Aggressors?

British Official Wireless.

Following this morning's Cabinet meeting, it was announced this afternoon that both Houses of Parliament had been summoned to meet on Thursday afternoon, when statements would be made by the Prime Minister (Mr Neville Chamberlain) in the House of Commons, and by the Foreign Secretary (Viscount Halifax) in the House of Lords.

The meeting of Cabinet lasted for two and a quarter hours and was attended by all members except Lord Runciman, who is on a health sea voyage, and Mr Malcolm Mac-Donald, who is on a health trip in the south of France. The meeting of Cabinet was followed by a meeting of Ministers, which lasted for one and a half hours.

It is understood that the full Cabinet will meet again on Thursday before the reassembly of Parliament, which, it is assumed, will adjourn after discussing the Ministers' statements until April 18, the date previ-

ments until April 18, the date previously fixed.

The Labour leader (Mr. C. R. Atlee) called on Mr. Chamberlain.
Lord Halifax received the Rumanian Minister (M. Tilea) and the Italian Charge d'Affaires (Signor Crolla) while the Greek Minister also called at the Exercise Office.

at the Foreign Office.

There has been no significant change in the last 24 hours in the situation created by the Italian action in Albania.

Diplomatic correspondents of newspapers assume that the natural result of the events of the last few days will be the reanimation of the tendency, which has been manifest in all peace-loving States since the German occupation of Czechoslova-kia, to seek reinforcement of their security in a mutual understanding.

Greece and Turkey.

As seen from London, the centre of international interest has graviated to South-eastern Europe. The position of Greece and Turkey in the Mediterranean is much discussed. Comment in the newspapers makes it clear that there is little readiness to accept the Italian explanations of the occupation of albania, which are generally regarded as imitating too slavishly the now well-known technique of agreesing to decide a number of agreesing to decide a number of the comments gression to deceive anyone.

The London "Daily Telegraph" suggests that between Berlin and Rome there seems to be keen rivalry in bad faith.

Urgent Needs.

It thinks that two things are urgent, "The first of them," it says, "is accelerate with all possible urgency the fulfilment of the nation's defensive organisation. The second

"The agreement with Poland is good beginning, but only if it is followed up with parallel agreements on a wider scale, so that an obstacle too formidable not to give pause to the strongest aggressor may be raised before new preparatory designs, no doubt now in incubation, are car-

"The Times" says that it is clear that Britain would regard as an unfriend ly act any Italian or German move against Turkey or Greece. Such a warning will probably be given on Thursday, but whether in specific terms or as a formal unilateral assurance depends on previous diplomatic exchanges. matic exchanges.
Signor Mussolini's contravention

of the Anglo-Italian agreement and of his personal assurances to Mr.

The resignation of the Chambalain. The Yankee Clipper left Southampton at 7.13 a.m. for Fornes on a survey flight, returning probably on April 13.

Of the Anglo-Italian agreement and of his personal assurances to Mr. Chamberlain have aroused very strong feeling among members of the British Cabinet.

RUGBY, April 10.

FOR ITALY WEALTH WAITING FOR

> **VICTORS** PROBLEM EASIER

ALBANIAN OIL

Coal And Minerals To Be Exploited

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Italy's oil problem will be aided by the acquisition of a reservoir in Albania, which, with development, is expected to produce 600,000 barrels this year.

In addition there are coal, lignite, copper, pyrites, iron ore and valu-

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH **AFFAIRS**

Death Of Well-Known Missionary

WELLINGTON, April 12. News of the death of Dr. O. L is to spare no effort in extending and consolidating the anti-aggression Mission was received with regret at a meeting of the Presbytery of Wel-The Moderator, Dr. Ian Fraser,

with Dr. Eaton's wife and relatives was passed. It was announced that a call has been given from St. Giles Church, The diplomatic correspondent of The Times" says that it is clear that

presided and a minute of sympathy

Plenty. He will be inducted into The resignation of the Rev. D. F. Hercus, Brooklyn, was received. He has accepted an invitation from the Seddon charge, Marlborough.

AFRAID CONFIDENCE IN THE

TURKEY IS NOT

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GOVERNMENT

ANKARA, April 11. expressed their confidence in the Government, and the Turkish Prime Minister declared: "We have a powerful army capable of warding off Greece's absolute territorial integrations of aggression."

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Soldiers on all incoming ships.

Soldiers on duty sandbagged a machine-gun emplacement at the quayside. Only those authorised were allowed to approach the quays. The deputies have unanimously

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The bride made a charming picture when she entered the church with she early soprano solo, "Where 'ere You walk," was sung by Mrs. P. A. Townley, Wellington.

The wedding gown was a simply fashioned one with an Empire bodice a having a heart-shaped neckline, shirring providing fullness in the front, the long sleeves that with gold buckles. The long sults was caught at the back with gold buckles. The long full skirt fell into a gracefully pointed the was caught at the back with gold buckles. The long full skirt fell into a gracefully pointed the was held in place with a halo of gold gilder lilies. She carried a sheaf of old with seventhany was performed by the ceremony, and Mr. P. W. Tombs presided at the organ.

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CLASS III.—Huntaway (Open). About a quarter of a mile, through three sets of flags to the satisfaction of the Judge. Time: 12 minutes. First Prize, Jubilee Cup, presented by T. P. Hunter, Esq., value f12/12/-, and f15; Second Prize f8; Third Prize f1. Entry Fee: 15/-.

CLASS III.—Huntaway (Open). About a quarter of a mile, through three said carried a sheaf of cream lilies and dahlias.

The bridesmaids were the Misses Audrey Bussell, chief, (the bride's cousin), Beverly McCleery, Welling. The wearing a navy tailored costume and ton, and Mavis Atkinson, Palmerston North (cousin of the bride). The Misses Audrey Bussell and Beverly Her navy peach bloom hat had a stiffened veil under the halo brim

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Friends of the bride had enhanced the beauty of the church with beau-

lilies. She carried a sheaf of old Misses Kathleen, Betty and Vivenne gold chrysanthemums. Cray (sisters of the bride), and Miss

ers. Mr. Hector McFarlane, Hamilton

a reception was held at the Silver Slipper Cabaret. The decorations were carried out with masses of lovely roses, hydrangeas and zinnias, making a colourful background.

Mr. and Mrs. Cray stood at the entrance of the cabaret to receive

The steps leading on to the verandah were banked with beautiful begonias in every shade, and pots of maidenhair fern and palms.

The dining-room was gay with bowls of dahlias in shades of pink. The decorations were done by Miss J. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan received the guests in the hall, Mrs. Logan wearing a handsome gown of grape wine sating a handsome gown of grape wine sating a handsome gown of grape with parma shaded ostrich feathers. Her bouquet was of cyclamen shaded flowers.

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When the bride and bridegroom left on their honeymoon tour of the north, the bride was wearing a smart suit of navy Angora tweed, with a scarlet and black motif. A cravat of teal blue, and hat of navy blue wool georgette, worn over a previous from the roman domain flowers.

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Numerous Special Prizes to be allotted, including Silver Tea Service, donated by Miss J. McKenzie, for old-time competitor up till 1911, in short head and yard; Silver Cup, value £7/7/-, presented by J. Turley, Esq., for Maori competitor securing most points at meeting. Jubilce Cups for each event to be won outright.

Members' Applied Extra.)

were gathered into a yoke while a bow and streamers of velvet ribbon fell from the back of the heack to the hem line. Their sashes were of pleated tulle, trimmed with three forget-me-not blue velvet bows. Daintily pleated apricot tulle halo caps, trimmed with sequins and rows of tiny pink and blue forget-me-nots, were worn on the back of the head and held in place with a double band of narrow forget.

> halo cap. Dainty forget-me-not blue velvet shoes were worn. The bridesmaids carried sheaves of apricot shaded dahlias and blue delphiniums The best man was Mr Ralph Chap- Woods' Great Peppermint Cure.

PROGRAMMES ON THE AIR

The Christchurch Dulcet Junior Choir By 3YA

Between 8 p.m. and 9 p.m. 3YA will broadcast a concert by the Christchurch Dulcet Junior Choir, conducted by A. G. Thompson.

"Round the Piano-Songs and Choruses of Early Days," will be presented by the Old-time Concert Party from 2YA Wellington at 8.8 p.m.

down.

Light"-"Westward Ho!" 9.35:

"Soldier of Fortune." 10.0: Dance

music by Sammy Lee and his

Americanadians. 11.0: Close

7.0: Government and overseas

news. 7.10: News and reports 7.20: Addington stock market reports. 7.32: Winter course talk 8.0: Concert by the Christchurch

Dulcet Junior Choir. Unison song: "Creation's Hymn" (Beethoven)

Part song: "I Would That My Love" (Mendelssohn); Litster Bur-

Rounthwaite (mezzo - soprano):
"My Mother Bids Me" (Haydn);
part song: "Greeting" (Mendelssohn); Clifton Cook (violin solo):
Andante from Concerto (Mendel-

ssohn). "A Mozart Festival" (Michael Diack); Piano solo: March from "Marriage of Figaro"; "Let Us Make the Best Use

of Our Leisure" ("Don Giovannni"); Margot Dallison, "The Dawn" ("The Marriage of Figaro"); two-part chorus: "The

Highway for Horses"; ("The Mar-riage of Figaro"); Geoffrey Hill, "The Violet"; two-part chorus: "The Blacksmith"; solo, with humming chorus (soloist, Margot

Dallison); "Cradle Song"; sold and chorus (soloist, Daphne Judson): "Long, Long Ago." Finale: "Now Our Cantata is Ended"

("The Marriage of Figaro" Pianist: Suzanne Dallison. 9.0

Weather forecast and station notices. 9.5: Readings by Mr O. L

Simmance, with music: (a) "Pickwick Papers," by Charles Dickens; (b) "On Dogs," by John Brown. Music: Vienna Philharmonic Or-

chestra, conducted by Felix Wein-

gartner, Presto, from Symphony No. 7, in A Major (Beethoven)

Busch Quartet, Quartet in (Minor (Brahms). 9.35: (R) Wil

belm Backhaus (piano), and the

Music, mirth and melody. 11.0:

7.0: Government and overseas news, 7.10: News and reports, 7.30: Book talk, 8.0: (R) "Mit-

tens"-an epic of the Turf. 8.15

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net (pianoforte solo): Favouri" (Hummell); Dorothy

3YA Christchurch .- 6.0: Dinner music

MORNING SESSION

1YA Auckland-7.0: Physical exercises session. 7.10: Breakfast session. 10.0: Devotional service. 10.15: Recordings. 11.0: Talk to women by Margaret. 11.10: Recordings. 12.0: Lunche music.

2YA Wellington.—7.0: Session of physical exercises. 7.10: Breakfast session. 10.10: Devotional service. 10.25: Recording. 10.45: Talk to women by Margaret. 12.0: 12.0: Lunch music.

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4VA Dunedin .- 7.0: Session of physical exercises. 7.10: Breakfast session. 10.0: Recordings. 10.15:
Devotional service. 10.50: Talk to women by Margaret. 11.0:
Talk: "Cooking by Electricity." 12.0: Lunch music. 1.0: Weather

AFTERNOON SESSION

1YA Auckland.—2.0: Recordings. 2.30: Classical hour. 3.15: Sports re-sults. 3.30: Light music. 4.0: Weather report for farmers. 4.30: Sports results. 5.0: Children's ses-

Wellington .- 2.0: Classical hour. 3.0: Sports results. 3.30: Weather forecast for farmers. 4.0: Sports results. 5.0: Children's

3VA Christchurch.-1.30: Educational session. 2.40: Recordings. Classical music. 4.0: Frost and weather forecast. Light musical programme. 4.30: Sports results. 5.0: Children's hour (Children's

A Dunedin .- 1.0: Weather forecast 2.0: Recordings. 3.15: A talk by the A.C.E.: "Menus for Autumn." 3.30: Sports results. Classical music. 4.0: Weather and frost forecast. 4.30: Light musical programme. 4.45: Sports results. 5.0: Children's hour.

EVENING SESSION

Auckland.-6.0: Dinner music 7.0: Government and overseas news. 7.10: News and reports 7.30: Book review. 8.0: (R) Ecole Normale Chamber Orchestra, "Brandenburg" Concerto, No. 4, in ; (Bach). 8.20; Gwenda Weir "Gentle Shepherd" (Pergolesi), O Sleep, Why Dost Thou Leave Me," (Handel), "Author of All My Joys" (Gluck). 8.32: (R) The Budapest String Quartet, Quartet in F Major (Mozart). 9.0: Weather report and station no-tices. 9.5: (R) "Coronets of Eng-land." 9.35: (R) Horst Schim-9.35: (R) Horst Schimmelpfennig (organ), Dance Improvisations. 9.41: (R) Mills Brothers, "The Yam," "Julius Caesar." 9.47: (R) The Blue Hungarian Band, "I Heart" selection. 9.35: (R) Gracie Fields, "I Can't Remember,"
There's a Cabin in the Pines." 10.0: Music, mirth and melody.

11.0: Close down. 2YA Wellington .- 6.0: Dinner music. 7.0: Government and overseas news. 7.10: News and reports. 7.30: Talk, by Gardening Expert, "For the Home Gardener." 8.0: Chimes. (R) Otto Kermbach Dance Orchestra, "Berliner Luft" Overture (Lincke), 8.8: "Round the Piano"—songs and choruses of the early days—by the Old-Time Concert Party. 8.28: (R)
Adalbert Lutter and his Orchestra, Ballet Suite. 8.40: Talk: Dr Guy H. Scholefield, "World Affairs." 9.0: Weather report and station notices. 9.5: "Into the

lin, Hastings, and the groomsman

Paten. T. P. Hunter, Esq. President
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£8; Third Prize £4; Fourth Prize £1.
Entry Fee: 5/-.
CLASS 1.—Heading. Bring Back and
Hold in Ring. About half a mile.
Time: 12 minutes. First Prize £1.
Entry Fee: 5/-.
CLASS II.—Hading Man and Dog soften Prize £3; Third Prize £2; Fourth Prize £1. Entry Fee: 5/-.
CLASS II.—Hadiden Man and Dog soften Prize £3; Third Prize £4; Prize £4

Daintily pleated apricot tulle halo caps, trimmed with sequins and rows of tiny pink and blue forgetmenots, were worn on the back of the head and held in place with a double band of narrow forgetmenot blue velvet.

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8.28: (R) "The Fourth Form at St. Percy's." 8.40: Primo Scala's St. Percy's." 8.40: Primo Scala's Accordion Band, Six Hits of the Day. 8.46: (R) Talk, by Professor Arnold Wall, "Life and Language." 9.0: Weather report and station notices. 9.5: "Westward Ho!" 9.18: "The Strange Adventure's of Mr Penny—Mr Penny is Shot." 9.32: "The Life of Emile Zola." 10.0: "Artie Shaw Entersing."—an hour of dance music by zoia. 10.0: Artie Shaw Enter-tains"—an hour of dance music by Artie Shaw and his New Music, with vocal interludes by Maxine Sullivan. 11.0: Close down.

2YH. NAPIER.

7 a.m. to 9 a.m.: Breakfast session. 11 to 12: Light music. 12 to 2 p.m.: Luncheon music. 5.0: Light musical programme. 5.30: For the children, conducted by Uncle Charlie and Aunt Nin. 6.0: "The Japanese Houseboy." 6.12: Light music. 6.25: "Singapore Light music. 6.25: "Singapore Spy." 6.50: Stortford Lodge Market report. 7.0: After-dinner session. 8.0: Concert session—an hour of operatic and symphonic music. 9.0: "His Lordship's Memoirs." 9.25: Programme of light recitals. 10.0: Close down.

Darts: Team championship of the Air—North v. South. 8.0: News. Alf—North V. South. 8.0: News. 8.15: "Food for Thought"—short talks on matters of topical inter-est. 8.30: Gerald Shaw at the Piano. 8.45: to close down—Sports news and market notes. DOBSON & MCAUSLIN, LTD.

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

the film moving at a swift pace in Paramount's "The Girl From Scotland Yard," which is now showing at the Municipal Theatre, Hastings.

The picture has plenty of 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 inventor of a death ray who threatens to destroy England's air force with his 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 beautiful 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 London.

"Mountain Music," a riotous com:

Milland and Olympe Bradna, opens at the Cosy Theatre, Hastings, to night. Cosy Theatre, Hastings, to hight.

The story centres round Richard Carrington junior, a Park Avenue playboy and golfing champion, who returns to New York from a European tournament with a pretty French bride as his trophy.

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The story centres round Richard Carrington, who set the rest and the costumes are by Omar Kiam, Lansing Holden is credited as colour designer. The photography is the work of W. Howard Greene and the music is by Max Steiner.

"Mastar is Born" is released through United Artists.

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DEVIL WIND BATTLES WITH MAN

> Tyrone Power In "Suez"

"Suez," which is now showing at the State Theatre, Hastings, is a film of magnificent impressions.

There is the amazing Ferdinand de Lesseps himself, who dreamed the standard continents apart to join of tearing continents apart to join the Mediterranean with the Red Sea that ships might sail the desert in a short route to the East, sought vainly by such heroes as Columbus and Magellan. Driven by the love of two women, de Lesseps strove mightily against the choking sand of the Sahara, crushed the wild Bedouin, and faced the fury of the devil-wind—to wrest from the desert

the water-way that to-day is the jugular vein of the world.

There are the performances of Tyrone Power, as de Lesseps, who overcame landslides, tropical heat, and a desperate shortage of water, as he overcame financial and politic. and a desperate shortage of water, as he overcame financial and political discouragement; of Loretta Young, as Eugenie; Annabella as a waif of the desert; and a host of stellar players, including J. Edward Bromberg, Joseph Schildkraut, Henry Stephenson, and others. Greatest impression of all perhaps is the terrifying simoon. Twisting, torturing, all-destroying—the devil-wind of the desert roars across the screen with a savage fury that

the screen with a savage fury that makes it one of the most unforgettable spectacles ever seen on film. Levelling everything in its merciless

Levelling everything in its merciless path, the storm is Nature's last mighty effort to stop de Lesseps's great work—and Nature loses.

For sheer spectacle "Suez" is unsurpassed. The Suez Canal was reproduced—a Hollywood miracle, the fabulous palaces of desert princes, gay with the swirling skirts of Egyptian dancing girls, the devastating Bedouin raid and the sight of a dynamited wall thundering down on hundreds below. There is Dison hundreds below. There is Disraeli's historic plea before England's House of Commons and the rejoicing in the ceremonious opening of the canal, when an Empress bestows the Legion of Honour on the man she loves

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Darryl F. Zanuck was in charge of the production. He was faced with the difficult problem of fitting intimate love scenes into thousands of feet of lavish, natural spectacle. The difficulty has been mastered and less was have been woren into the close ups have been woven into the general background of terror without slacking of speed or of tension.
The atmosphere is livid yet the warmth of personal contacts has never been lost. The film is magnificent.

Regent

HOLLYWOOD BEHIND THE SCENES

March And Gaynor In "A Star Is Born"

Janet Gaynor and Fredric March come to the Regent Theatre, Hastings, to-morrow in David O. Selznick's technicolour production "A Star is Born". This glamorous story of a little country girl who came to Hollywood, faced the odds of 100,000 to one and scaled the heights of stardom, marks the first up-to-the-minute story to be filmed

It tells of the fierce ambition of Hollywood with all its bitterness and jealousy, of its hilarious comedy and mad talent. It tells of what a girl must pay for "a chance" in terms of struggle, despair, of heartbreak and tears. It is a powerful, poig-nant tale of Hollywood love and marriage hat dramatises the secret

Andy Devine and Lionel Stander are featured in the supporting cast, which also includes Owen Moore, Peggy Wood, Elizabeth Jenns, Edgar Kennedy, J. C. Nugent, Guinn Williams and others. William A. Wellman directed "A Star is Born" from a screenplay by Dorothy Parker, Alan Campbell and Robert Carson

The film shows many famous Hollywood landmarks in their natural colours for the first time. Among these are the Trocadero, Among these are the Trocadero, world-famous night club, Grauman's Chinese Theatre, the Santa Anita racetrack, the Biltmore Bowl as it looks during the annual banquet of the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences, the Hollywood Legion Stadium, where the stars see their prize fights, the Hollywood Bowl Action, international intrigue and romance in generous portions keep the film moving at a swift pace in Paramount's "The Girl From Scotland Yard," which is now showing at the Municipal Theatre, Hastings.

The picture has planty of comody.

"Say it in French," starring Ray and the Brown Derby, celebrated eating place, and the famous intersection of Hollywood Bowl, and the Brown Derby, celebrated eating place, and the Gostleward and Vine Street, the centre of movieland. The settings were designed by Lyle Wheeler and the costumes are by Omar Kiam, Lansing Holden is

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Death Follows A IN AID OF THE Fall

Inquest Held At Hastings

Following a fall at Tomoana works about six weeks ago the death occur-red in the Memorial Hospital, Hast-

tings, on Sunday of Henry Angell Money, single, aged 46. A verdict that death was due to "Marie Antoinette," starring Norma Shearer, concludes at the Regent Theatre, to-night.

NAPIER FESTIVAL'S

GRAND FINALE

A verdict that death was due to plastic peritonitis according to medical evidence was given at an inquest into Money's death at Hastings yesterday morning. The acting-coroner was Mr. F. J. Hull, J.P., and the jury empanelled comprised Messrs. F. Pigeon (foreman), R. Horsfield, A. D. Thomas and N. Macfarlane.

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TRIUMPH "It Happened Out West"

And "Girls' Dormitory"

Harold Bell Wright's latest and greatest thrill-teeming story, of an easy-going Easterner who makes the wild West wilder by out-bluffing and out-roughing the tough hombres who out-roughing the tough nombres who menace his romance, means exciting screen fare at the Mayfair Theatre, where "It Happened Out West," Twentieth Century-Fox release, is the main guest night attraction, with Paul Kelly and Judith Allen in the featured roles featured roles.

Directed by Howard Bretherton, the story centres around Paul Kelly, as the two-fisted trouble shooter for an Eastern trust company, and love ly Judith Allen, young heiress who is endangering her legacy by experimenting with dairy farming on her ranch. The plot at once brings the romantic leads together by sending Paul to the ranch to attempt to dissuade Judith from her plan.

The growing love is brusquely in terrupted by the evil activities of the terrupted by the evil activities of the ranch foreman, Leroy Mason, who is determined to seize control of the ranch for its silver deposits, about which only he knows. When a ranch hand accidentally discovers some of the ore, Mason murders him.

The foreman succeeds in turning Judith against Paul, and she sends him from the ranch. Ready to leave, the Easterner learns from his partner Johnny Arthur, about the valu-

ner, Johnny Arthur, about the valuable ore and of Mason's nefarious schemes, so he quickly returns to the ranch to find Judith gone.

ranch to find Judith gone.

In a thrilling chase and pounding, fighting climax, the dude saves the ranch, delivers the criminals into the arms of the law, and finds himself in the arms of his love.

"Girls' Dormitory," starring Simone Simon and Herbert Marshall is the second attraction of the evening. The story tells of the Cramatic revelation of ecstatic first love when

ing. The story tells of the Cramatic revelation of ecstatic first love when Simone falls in love with the director of the finishing school at which she is a student. The director is Herbert Marshall. A teacher at the school is also in love with him and it is only after Simone has confessed her love for Marshall that she realises this. In a brilliant scene Simone brings the tangled affairs to a climax—a climax—which shows a climax—a climax which shows Simone Simon to be the accomplish ed brilliant actress that she is Marshall is at his best.

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HEROIC SACRIFICE OF COUNTRY DOCTOR

Edward Ellis In "A Man To Remember"

A powerful, human document A powerrul, numan occument tracing the joys and sorrows in the life of a rural doctor, "A Man To Remember" brings to the State Theatre, Napier, to-day a notable cast headed by Anne Shirley, and including Edward Ellis, Lee Bowman and William Henry.

Ellis is cast as the small town physician, Miss Shirley as his ward and Bowman as his son. Impo ant supporting roles are filled

John Wray, Granville Bates, Harlan Briggs and Frank M. Thomas.

The story, covering a period of twenty years, starts with the return of the doctor to his native town to begin life anony with his small son. begin life anew with his small so after the death of his wife. In vivid fashion his career of personal sacrifice is unfolded, while his effect on the little community that looks upon nim as a failure is dramatically de-

on the doctor's doorstep as an ir fant, grows into womanhood, while Bowman, the son, returns from medical school. Bowman is ambi-tious to make a name for himself

tious to make a name for himself and joins a more successful and wealthier physician. which nearly breaks his father's heart. Ellis discovers cases of infantile paralysis and takes steps to avert an epidemic. Leading merchants fear that publicising the discovery will ruin a forthcoming fair. They refuse to warn the citizens through the press. Ellis, however, prints nandbills warning of the impending halt its spread by treating all ildren gratis.

How the obscure old practitioner finally emerges as the hero of the thour for his valiant struggle to stamp out the epidemic and save the children; how his son returns home to share his father's practice; and how the romance between Miss Shirley and Bowman culminates in marriage, are highlights in the dramatic climax.

dramatic climax.

"A Man to Remember" is a production by Robert Sisk and an RKO Radio picture scenarised by Dalton Trumbo from Katharine Haviland. Taylor's story for Garson Kanin's direction.

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Since its brilliant New Zealand premiere at the Plaza Theatre, Na-pier, on Good Friday night, Frank pier, on Good Friday night, Frank Capra's master comedy, "You Can" Take It With You," has been screening to capacity houses, and those scores of people who have been unable to gain admission are strongly

advised of the necessity for advance booking.

Napier was indeed fortunate in securing the initial showing of this outstanding picture which has been hailed by critics the world over as Frank Capra's greatest production. The queues to be seen outside the Plaza for matinee and evening screenings, are evidence of the widespread interest being taken in "You Can't Take It With You."

As a play, "You Can't Take It With You," annexed the Pulitzer Prize, and immediately after its American debut, the film was awarded the coveted Academy trophy. In

ed the coveted Academy trophy. In addition to a most entertaining and absorbing story, the film version boasts a cast of all-star players, including those top ranking artists, Jean Arthur, James Stewart, Lionel Barrymore and Edward Arnold. Heading the list of prominent feature players are such well-known Hollywood personalities as Mischa Quer and Ann Miller. addition to a most entertaining and

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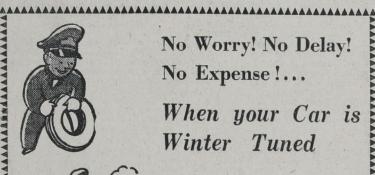
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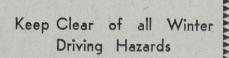
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One of the highlights of the meet-

ing was the jigger-chop, which was followed with keen interest by the

incllowed with keen interest public.

The horse events were also well patronised and some good jumping was witnessed.

Port Hallfax, ex Wellington, April 14.

Tairoa, ex Auckland, April 14.*

Dominion Monarch, ex Auckland, April 14.*

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Turning Competition: H. Thompson's Rajah 1, Wally Lewis's Lucky Shot 2, S. Crawston's Pick Pocket

Maiden Jumping: Miss M. Whittle's Blue Mist 1, G. W. Klinginder's Home Fell 2, T. Lincoln's Chas 3. Open Jumping: Miss J. Patterson's Kallu 1, V. Vernon's Toitoi 2, R. Wade's Buddy 3.

Young Farmers' Hack Race: J. L. Parson's Cingon San (14st) 1, R.

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Tilting: W. Lewis 1, G. Rowlands 2, C. Cawston 3.
Bending: S. Cawston 1, C. Caw-

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Medley: Miss N. Whittle 1, Miss J. Bennet 2, Miss Williams 3.

Athletics.

Boys' Half-mile Cycle: C. Hunt 1.
One-mile Cycle Handicap: R. C.
Attwood 1, W. Williams 2, S. M.

Half-mile Cycle Handicap: R. C. Attwood 1, W. Williams 2, S. M.

Two Miles Cycle Handicap: W. Williams 1, R. C. Attwood 2, D. Colello 3. 100 Yards: R. Gollop 1. E. Grea-E. Shuker 3. Yards: E. Greaney 1, J.

Thorpe 2.
440 Yards: R. Gollop 1. E. Shuker
2, E. Greaney 3.
One Mile: P. Groves 1, B. W. Tully

Ladies' 100 Yards: Miss I. Stevens Ladies' 100 Yards: Miss I. Stevens 1, C. Greaney 2. Ladies' 75 Yards: Miss P. Jones 1, Miss I. Stevens 2. Married Ladies' Race: Mrs. Bill Brown 1, Mrs. L. Kane 2. Married Men's Race: J. Bulled 1, A. Cleugh 2. A. Clough 2. Taradale R.S.A. 100 Yards: L.

Bulled 1, P. Ensor 2.

Axemen's Events. 12-inch Standing Chop (open han-licap): R. L. Ward 1, A. Curtin 2, 12 inch Underhand Chop (second class): W. Turner 1, V. Ward 2, T.

Hence 3.

14-inch Open Handicap: R. L.
Ward 1, A. Curtin 2. L. Brownley 3.
Jigger Chop: A. Curtin 1, M. Robson 2, F. Robson 3. Young Farmers' 10-inch Standing Chop: E. Fairey 1, J. Dumble 2, S. Robson 3.

10-inch Standing Chop (Taradale Axemen's Club): F. Robson 1, T. Brice 2, D. Robson 3.

Clay Bird Shooting. Young Farmers' Eye-opener: W. King 1, H. Wheatley 2. Six-Bird Handicap: S. Morrin 1, C.

Nine-Bird Sweepstake: S. Morrin Six-Bird Quall Drive: S. Parsons, S. Morrin, R. Gunn, T. Robson, equal 1.

Six-Bird Handicap: W. King, F. R. Chapman, T. Small, A. Anderson, Six-Bird Consolation: H. Barker 1, E. Fairey, T. Robinson, L. Mac-Donald, equal 2.
Tug-of-War: Taradale team 1.
Kiwi Competitions: W. T. Lead-

Cushion: Mrs. J. Burgess. Car trophy: Mrs. King.

TOURISTS FROM LOS **ANGELES**

Tour Of New Zealand

A LARGER PARTY NEXT YEAR?

By Telegraph-Press Association. AUCKLAND, April 11. Thirteen members of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce after a tour of Australia, arrived by the Awatea for a three weeks' tour of the North and South Island.

Their spokesman (Mr. A. T. Case) said that the party were greatly impressed by what they saw of Australia.

There was much less contrast between wealth and poverty

trant between wealth and poverty than in their own country.

They thought that next year a much larger party would come to New Zealand and Australia. To-day's arrivals are keenly looking forward to their New Zealand

tour, which they expect will be a high spot of their trip. The party will leave from Auckland on May

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To-day, rises 6.50 a.m.; sets 6.00 p.m. PHASES OF THE MOON Last quarter, 8.51 a.m. to-day. New moon, 4.15 a.m., April 20, First quarter, 6.05 a.m., April 27. Full moon, 2.55 a.m., May 4.

H.W. L.W. a.m. p.m. a.m. p.m. r. 12, Wed. 0.13 0.00 6.12 6.32 r. 13, Thur. 0.36 0.54 7.02 7.14 r. 14, Fri. 1.20 1.37 7.44 7.55 r. 15, Sat. 1.57 2.16 8.24 8.37 r. 16, Mon. 2.37 2.54 9.01 9.17 All times N.Z. Summer time.

VESSELS IN ROADSTEAD. Port Wyndham, April 9, loading for London and Continent. VESSELS AT BREAKWATER.

Wainui, ex southern ports. Pakura, ex Wellington. VESSELS AT INNER HARBOUR. Kiritona, lightering in roadstead. Goau, lightering in roadstead. Koutunui, at moorings. Tu Atu, at moorings.

was exciting, and the ultimate winners had to ride hard right to the finish.

The full results are as follows:

Horse Events.

Pony Jump: Miss Pam Wills's Jumy 1, Master L. Lewis's Lucky Shot 2.

Draught Horse Race: K. Semmens's Darky 1, E. H. English's Princ 2.

Turning Competition: H. Thompson's Rajah 1, Wally Lewis's Lucky Shot 2.

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Was Auckland, April 12.

Dominion Monarch, ex Auckland, April 18.

Mahana, ex Auckland, April 18.

Mahana, ex Gisborne, April 22.

Dortmund, ex Wellington, April 18.

California Star, ex Auckland, May 14.

Tekoa, ex Liverpool, May 24.

Malmoa, ex Liverpool, May 24.

Kopara, ex Auckland, April 14.

Kakapo, ex Greymouth, April 16.

Paua, ex Wellington, April 16.

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PROJECTEL DEPARTURES.

row night.
Port Halifax, for Auckland, April 14.
Tairoa, for Wellington, April 15.
Dominion Monarch, for Wellington, April 19.
Frankfurt, for GERMANY, April 19.
imperial Star, for Wellington, April

20.
Mahana, for Nelson, April 22.
Otaio, for Wanganui, April 28.
Dortmund, May 12.
Empire Star, for Dunedin, May 17.
California Star, for Wellington, May

Tekoa, for Wellington, May 25. Maimoa, for Wellington, August 2.

Mainua, to Mainua, to Mainua, to Mainua, for Wellington, to-night. Pakura, for Lyttelton, to-night. Kopara, for Auckland, April 14. Kakapo, April 18. Paua, for Wellington, April 22. VESSELS FOR PORT OF NAPIER.

Awahou, 410 tons (Richardson and to.), at Wellington for instructions.

California Star (Blue Star Line Ltd.), as due to leave London on April 6 maiden voyage), due at Auckland on lay 9 to commence homeward loading, was due to leave London on April of (maiden voyage), due at Auckland on May 9 to commence homeward loading, thence on May 12 for NAPIER (due May 14), thence on May 16 for Wellington May 17-20. Expected to clear Wellington on May 20 for London.

Dominion Monarch, 27,155 tons, Capt. W. H. Hartman (Shaw Savill), arrived Auckland at 7,55 a.m. on April 3 from Wellington to complete discharge of London cargo and to commence homeward loading, thence on April 15 for NAPIER April 17-19, Wellington April 20-26. Expected to clear Wellington on April 26 for Southampton and London, via Australia and South Africa.

Empire Star, m.v., Capt. G. N. Capon (Blue Star Line), is expected to leave London on May 11. Due Auckland June 11, thence NAPIER and Dunedin (to discharge).

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Ker Line), left Liverpool on February 18 lvia Australla, arrived Auckland at 12.20 p.m. on April 8 to commence homeward loading, thence to-day for Gisborne, April 14-17, NAPIER April 18-20, Wellington April 21-26 and Lyttelton April 27-29. Expected to clear Lyttelton on April 29 for London.

Kamiro, 2562 tons (Union S.S. Co.), was expected to leave at 10 p.m. yesterday for Wellington and Napier. Due here on April 16.

Kiritona, 136 tons (Richardson 2016)

Wellington and Napier. Due here on April 16.
Kiritona, 136 tons (Richardson and Co.), lightering in roadstead.
Koau, 144 tons (Richardson and Co.), lightering in roadstead.
Kopara, S50 tons, Capt. 2. S. Bates (Richardson and Co.), loaded at Auckland yesterday for East Coast bays, Gisborne and Napier. Due here on Friday, April 14.
Koutunui, 173 tons (Richardson and Co.), at moorings.

Kottunul, 173 tons (Richardson and Co.), at moorings.
Malmoa, Capt. C. Cox (Shaw Savill), is expected to leave Liverpool on June 17. Due Auckland July 26, thence NA-PIER, Wellington, Lyttetton and Dunedin (to discharge).

Mahana, 8739 tons (Shaw Savill) (Murray Roberts, Napier agents). Due at Auckland on April 17 from Gladstone to commence homeward loading, thence on April 19 for NAPIER (due April 21), thence on April 22 for Nelson April 24-27, Wellington April 28-29, Lyttetton April 30-May 3, and Bluff May 5-10. Expected to clear Bluff on May 10 for Halifax, London and Newcastle, via Panama.

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Otalo, t.s.m.s., 10,298 tons, Capt. H. J. Wilde (N.Z. Shipping Co.), loading at Oamaru, thence on Apr. 15 for Timaru Apr. 16-18, Gisborne Apr. 20-21, NAPIER April 22-28, Wanganul 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.), due here this morning with general cargo from Wellington. Leaves to-night for Lyttelton and Wellington. Capt. D. R. Paterson (Shell Oil Co.), due NAPIER on Apr. 26 from Wellington to pump bulk benzine. Port Halifax, 5800 tons, Capt. A. A. Cooper (Williams and Kettle, Napier agents), (Port Line, Ltd.), arrived Wellington at 3:20 p.m. on April 6 from Timaru, thence to-morrow for NAPIER April 14 and Auckland April 16-18. Expected to clear Auckland on April 18 for New York, Boston and Montreal.

Port Wyndham, 11,400 tons d.w., Capt. W. J. Enright (Port Line, Ltd.) (Hawke's Bay Farmers, Napier agents), arrived Napier at 6 p.m. on Sunday from Walkokopu, thence to-morrow for Auckland April 15-19, Timaru April 22-26, Wellington April 27-May, 1 and Dunedin May 2-5. Expected to clear Dunedin May 2-6. A. A. Pettey (Richardson and Co.), at Auckland for overhaul.

overhaul,

Tairoa, Capt. J. V. Jinks (Shaw Savill).
(Murray Roberts, Napler agents), due
to leave Auckland to-day for NAPIER
April 14-15 and Wellington April
16-19. Expected to clear Wellington on
April 19 for London, Avonmouth, Liverpool and Glasgow, via Panama and
Kingston.

Kingston.

Tekoa, 8689 tons, Capt. H. E. Reilly (N.Z. Shipping Co.), was expected to leave Liverpool last Saturday. Due Auckland May 18, thence NAPIER (due May 24), thence Wellington, Lyttelton and Dunedin (to discharge).

Wainui, 1633 tons, Capt. H. L. P. Brown (Union S.S. Co.), arrived Napler at 7 a.m. on Sunday from Dunedin, via the usual ports, leaves to-night for Wellington, thence Bluff to load on April 17 for Gisborne and Napler.

Tu Atu, 42 tons, Capt. W. J. Martin (Richardson and Co.), at inner harbour.

GENERAL SHIPPING NEWS. GENERAL SHIPFING NEWS.
Aorangi, m.v., 17,451 tons, Capt. T. V.
Hill (C.A. Line, Ltd.), leaves Sydney
to-morrow, arrives Auckland April 17,
leaves there April 18 and Suva on April
21, Honolulu April 28, arrives Vancouver
May 5

Akaroa, Commodore W. G. Summers Akaroa, Commodore W. G. Suminers L. (Shaw Savill), left Southampton on the afternoon of March 17. Due Auckland April 21, thence on April 25 for Wellington to discharge. Tentative loading as as follows: Wellington May 1-6, Lyttelton May 7.11, Dunedin May 12-13, and Auckland May 16-19. Expected to clear

New Plymouth (to discharge).

Mariposa (Pacific Mail) (Murray
Roberts, Napier agents), left Auckland
at 6:20 p.m. on April 3 for San Francisco, where she is due on April 18.

leaves Auckland May 2, arrives Sydney

Pilot's Fortunate Escape From Injury

By Telegraph—Press Association. NEW PLYMOUTH, April 11.

mouth, Liverpool, Manchester and Glasgow.

Fordsdale, 9948 tons, Capt. D. Christie (Shaw Savill), arrived Bluff on April 7 from Dunedin to complete discharge of Liverpool cargo and to commence homeward loading, thence to-morrow for Wellington April 15-17, Wanganui April 18-19 and Auckland April 21-24. Expected to clear Auckland on April 24 for London, Avonmouth, Cardiff, Liverpool and Glasgow, via Panama.

Hertford, t.s., 10,823 tons, Capt. J. C. Tuckett (Federal Co.), left Liverpool on March 12. Due Auckland April 20, thence on April 25 for Wellington, Lyttelton and Dunedin (to discharge).

Karamae, 8281 tons, Capt. E. T. Grayston (Shaw Savill), is expected to leave London on June 2. Due Lyttelton via Suva July 14, thence Dunedin, Bluff and New Plymouth (to discharge). (N.Z. Shipping Co.), left London on Mar. 3, arrived Wellington at 10 a.m. on Friday, April 7, thence to-morrow for Auckland (discharging). Tentative loading as follows: Auckland April 19-22, Tokomaru Bay April 24-26 and Welling-ton April 27-May 4. Expected to clear Wellington on May 4 for London, via Panama.

Wellington on May 4 for London, via Panama.

Rangitata, r.m.m.v., 16,737 tons, Capt. E. Holland (N.Z. Shipping Co.), arrived Wellington at 9.25 a.m. on April 5 from Auckland for final loading and dispatch. Expected to clear Wellington to-morrow at daybreak for London, via Panama. (Hawke's Bay produce aboard.)

Rangitiki, m.v., 16,698 tons, Capt. H. Barnett (N.Z. Shipping Co.), is expected to leave London on May 25. Due Wellington June 28, thence Auckland (to discharge).

Remuera, t.s., 11,383 tons, Capt. F. W. Robinson (N.Z. Shipping Co.), Left London on March 9; due Wellington, via Suva, April 22, thence Lyttelton and Dunedin to discharge. Tentative loading as follows: Bluff May 4-10, Timaru May 11-13, New Plymouth May 15-19 and Wellington May 20-23. Expected to clear Wellington on May 23 for London, via Panama and Curacao.

Rotorua, t.s., 10.890 tons, Capt. A. E. Lettington, D.F.C. (N.Z Shipping. Co.), left London on March 30, due Wellington May 10, thence Lyttelton and Bluff (to discharge).

Rimutaka, 1700 tons, Capt. C. B. Lamb (N.Z. Shipping Co.), is expected to leave London on April 27. Due Auckland June 1, thence Wellington (to discharge).

Sussex, Capt. R. L. Williams (Federal Leaves there on April 25, due Auckland May 12, Mataroa, Capt. J. H. Gaskell (Shaw Savill), is expected to leave London on June 8. Due Auckland July 13, thence June 8. Due Auckland July 13, thence Wellington (to discharge).

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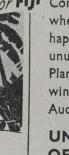




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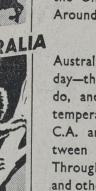
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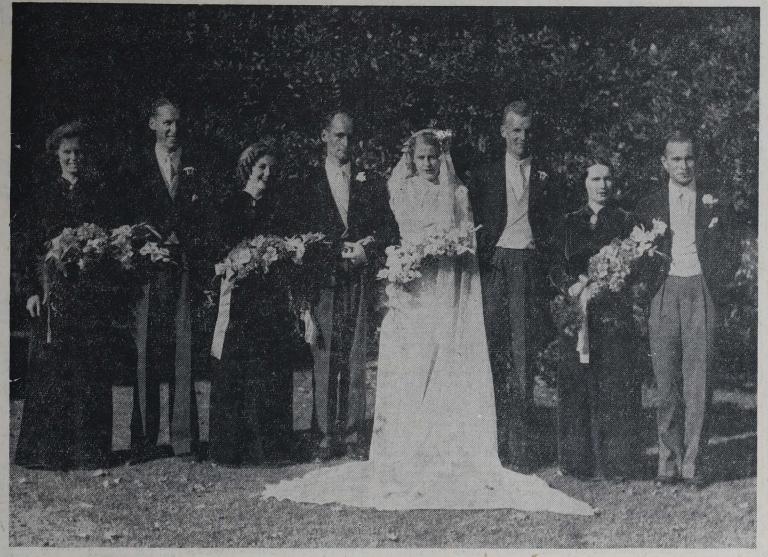




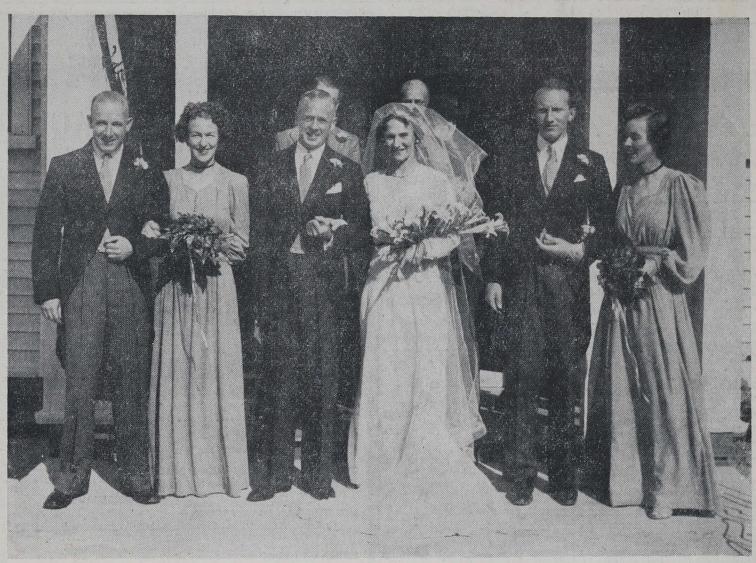




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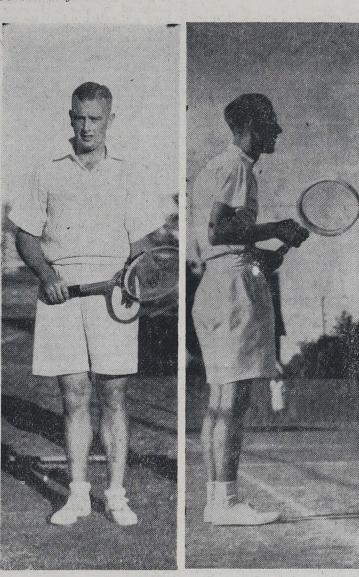
THE NELSON-SMITH WEDDING GROUP.—Against a beautiful setting in the grounds of Waikoko at Tomoana. Left to right, Miss Ruth Smith, Mr R. S. V. Simpson, Miss Mary Smith, the bridegroom and bride, Mr J. P. Dillon, Miss K. Nelson and Mr Grey Smith.



THE FISHER-LOGAN WEDDING.—A happy group snapped in the sunshine which greeted the bride as she emerged on the arm of her husband from St. John's Cathedral, Navier, yesterday.



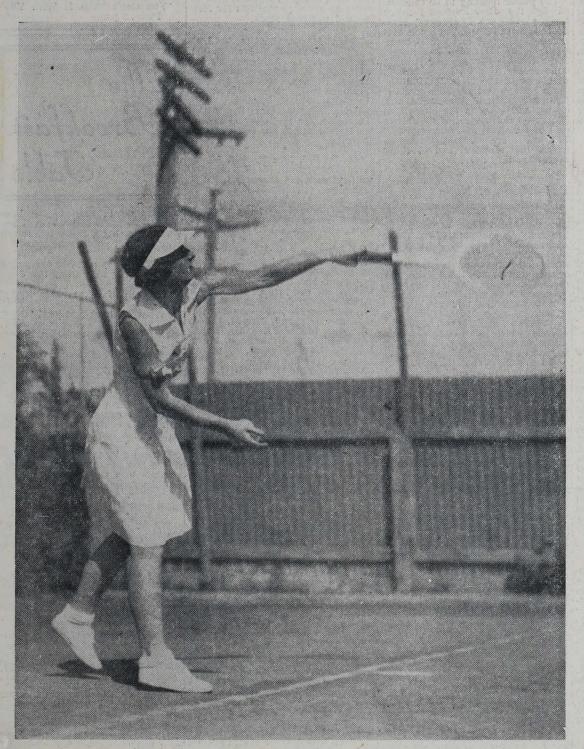
THE HAPPY DAY.—Mr Hugh Nelson is here seen with his bride, who was formerly Miss Cynthia Smith. The ceremony took place at St. Luke's Church, Havelock North, yesterday.



READY FOR ACTION.—The two finalists in the Hastings Tennis Club's Easter tournament. P. Hawksworth, left, defeated K. Dyer, right.



ALL SMILES.—Mr L. A. Fisher with his bride, formerly Miss N. M. Logan, at St. John's Cathedral, Napier, yesterday.



ON THE WAY TO VICTORY.—Miss M. Budd, who was successful in defeating Miss M. Evans in the final of the Hastings Club's Easter tennis tournament, is here seen in a characteristic pose.



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TEETH" FOR THE ANTI-COMINTERN PACT

In its original form, the Anti-Comintern Pact between Germany, Italy, and Japan was based on the idea of a mutual defensive ideological front against the infiltrations of Communism. Generally speaking, it did not involve military obligations or responsibilities. The pact was merely an agreement "to preserve the anti-Communist cultural and political associations and forms of government against internal or external attacks by means of subversive propaganda designed

to create divisions within the totalitarian States.' As such, the Anti-Comintern Pact did not have great significance for the democratic Powers. There was nothing against the formation of an association of States to preserve their own particular economic and political regimes against economic or political attacks, and although it implied hostility to Russia, it was a resistive rather than an aggressive

During the last few months, however, it has been apparent that the anti-Comintern bloc has been engaged in extending the original basis upon which it was formed. In oft-repeated declarations, Herr Hitler, as spokesman for the Axis, has chosen to view the democracies as siding with the Communists, and he has frequently (if somewhat paradoxically) spoken of the "democratic-Communist forces opposed The view of the Axis Powers has become somewhat warped—possibly they have been frightened by their own internal propaganda—and it appears that to-day they view the world as being split up into two camps, the noble and enlightened totalitarian States defending the bulwarks of civilisation against the depredations of the Jewish-controlled, Marxist-influenced democracies, including, of course, Russia.

The result has been a drastic departure from the original conception of the anti-Comintern agreement. More and more it has become militant and aggressive. Germany, Italy, and Japan now see the policy of expansionism as a sort of holy crusade against the infidel nations, and there is little doubt that recent events have been inspired by this viewpoint. And it must be remembered that at the helm of these nations are men who can be described only as fanatics.

In this connection, it is interesting to note that Madame Tabouis, the well-known (and usually well-informed) commentator on international affairs, reports that a protocol was signed between Germany, Italy, Spain, and Japan on April 7, which gave to the Anti-Comintern Pact the more definite form of a military alliance. It provides for the fortification of Spain and the Spanish frontier near France, the formation of air and sea bases for the joint use of the Axis Powers, support for General Franco's territorial claims (including French Morocco and Gibraltar), and probably a pledge of mutual assistance in the event of a war involving one or all of the Powers concerned.

This, no doubt, is a retort to the British plan of forming an anti-aggression bloc. But it emphasises the fact that Europe is divided into two armed camps, between which hostility is growing from day to day. And in view of the persistent breaches of the peace committed by the Axis Powers, it is difficult to see how a conflict can be avoided for any length of time.

Possibly this may be a gloomy view, but there is nothing on the horizon at the moment to inspire optimism. The seizure of Albania may be regarded as the last straw. Britain, France, Poland, and other allied nations have indicated clearly that they no longer respect the word of the Axis Powers, and that, although they have succeeded in the first stages of their quest for world domination, there will be stern and determined resistance to any attempt at further territory-grabbing.

Nevertheless, none of the Axis Powers have shown signs of abandoning their campaigns. Indeed, quite the reverse seems to be the case, as it would appear that Spain intends to add to the list of "claims" by demanding Gibraltar and French Morocco. Meanwhile, Italy still has before her her objectives in the Mediterranean and northern Africa, and Germany may soon be expected to move in Danzig, and possibly in the Polish Corridor and Polish Silesia. In addition, there are indications that we have not seen the end of attempts at aggression and coercion in the Balkan States.

It should by now be realised that the anti-Comintern bloc-the Axis Powers-have abandoned the original conception of ideological defence, and are now embarked upon an active campaign of aggression. The anti-aggression Powers must now show that they, too, have teeth.

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Property for the People

Sir,-I take it as a compliment thought it necessary to enter the ialism, the Quixotic Mr Dalley.

in a social democratic state" exists the present-day farmers.

In reply, may I ask II a worker in a social democratic state" exists anywhere to-day, and if he is ever likely to be more than a figment of the imagination, unless, of course, Mr Dalley's supermen are finally bred on these shores? Numerous revolutions from 1789 to 1917 have aimed at social democracy in the sense of socialism, and, from Napoleon to Stalin, have only ended in dictatorships, with the people (who survived) much as they were. No, that's not the way out.

"Hastings Resident" wants us to put all our eggs in the one basket and trust the politicians (is he connected with politics?). I prefer to trust the ordinary person and give him a chance to own. He doesn't get it now. Under socialism, everyone will be dependent on the rulers for his job and his livelihood, which is the exact opposite of democracy. The essence of democracy is that the politicians. It may be the most difficult thing in the world to restore property and freedom to the people, but that is no reason to refuse to try. To destroy it is easier, and both capitalist and socialist are united to destroy it.

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reparts taken away, the costs would not destroy it.

"Hastings Resident" waxes lyrical in praise of vested interests. Is he interested in some chain store or trust that exists to suck the profits of trade and industry into as few pockets as possible? Or is he simply an armchair theorist to whom it means nothing that honest and capable New Zealanders have to go out of business, and penhaps on relief, to make way for combines whose profits are spent outside of the country? Does he support the Marxian idea that monopolies are to be encouraged, so that the government can eventually take them rover, while the people still remain the dubes and the wage-slaves? He drags in politics. Does he mean us to infer that the Labour Party is mot for the working man and the small owner, but exists primarily to protect and advance vested interests?

Further, "Hastings Resident" in quires how big business is to boroken up. It can be done by the Government and the trade organisations penalising amalgamation, and at the same time supporting the division of units, or where the unit is large and not divisible, its cooperative ownership. He will find many means to do this set out even in the works of reactionary economists, as well as on the Statute Books of many countries, including New Zealand. And there are other

Status of the Farmer

Sir,-Your correspondent, that "Hastings Resident" has thought it necessary to enter the foundation regarding the subsidies, thought it necessary to enter the lists as a Sancho Panza in support farmers, but if he studies the New of that erstwhile champion of socialism, the Quixotic Mr Dalley.

Zealand Year Book he may change in the may change his mind. His reference to the In reply, may I ask if a "worker as it truly depicts the majority of

was published a picture of an Auck-lander Short-top potato weighing 3lb, but this tuber's claim for bulk and but this tuber's claim for bulk and weight is easily ousted by the 33lb ever been found.

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as a table pear on the Home market.

Shortage of Feed their worst season in recent times, states a Gisborne correspondent. Dry conditions have prevailed for six months and production throughout the district is 30 per cent. lower than last season, which was not a good one. The decline in output,

proximately 53lb. It is a male fish, 41 inches long and 11 inches deep. Salmon of approximately weight have been caught but these are exceptional. Mr. A. E. Hefford, Chief Inspector of Fisheries, states in an article in this year's "New Zealand Year Book"

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Later in the year, our amateurs Black, 5 and 4, in the final of the Wellington Provincial Amateur Golf Championship.

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We are now in practice in Napier, Hastings, Gisborne and Palmerston North. Consult Azzopardi and Hol-land, Opticians.*

Defence League Meeting

A further excellent programme will be presented to night at the Municipal Theatre, Napier, by the New Zealand Defence League at the Foresters' Hall, Napier Competitions Festival So-Dickens Street, Napier, at 8 p.m. this Napier Competitions Festival Solicity, commencing at 7.30 p.m. Piano duets, songs in costume, vocal solos, skipping dances, dance duos, and even mouth organ band performances will be given—a feast of superb entertainment which can be enjoyed for the modest sum of 2/-, or 1/-, with the children being admitted at half prices to all parts of the house. owe to ourselves and our country."
The public are cordially invited to attend this meeting, and to thinl over what they hear.

Lord Horder, the eminent medical specialist, has been going closely into the bad effects of noise on hearing. As president of the Noise Abatement League he recently announced that that body had already embarked on a campaign against the unduly loud radio set, especially in residential quarters. "We hope," he said, "to get a Bill introduced which will make it an offence to use a loudspeaker so as to disturb one's neighbours—an offence which will enable Magistrates on conviction to suspend or Dairy farmers are experiencing take away a licence altogether. We heir worst season in recent times, tates a Gisborne correspondent. of limiting the output of sets with

er than last season, which was not a good one. The decline in output, as compared with two years ago, is substantially more than 30 per cent. The worst, however, may be ahead. Farmers are faced with the prospect of an acute shortage of winter feed. If rain comes during the next week or so the position will be much relieved, but if the dry spell continues much beyond Easter and if the weather is cold, prospects for the winter will be uncertain.

Large Salmon

A quinnat salmon of extraordinary size, possibly a record for New Zealand rivers, has been taken to the Canterbury Museum for mounting. Caught in the Rakaia River by Mr. W. Cromie, it weighed approximately 53lb. It is a male fish, 41 inches long and 11 inches deep. Salmon of approximately equal

rices, states in an article in this year's "New Zealand Year Book" that several quinnat salmon of more than 40lb. have been caught with rod and line, and one weighing 52lb.

The usual feminine curiosity is directed at this time of the year toward the new season's wearing apparel; and the autumn and winter footwear now opening up at F. Thorpe and Co. Ltd., will be found very satisfying. The keynote is rugged smartness. For evening wear Silver and Gold in plaited fronts are showing from 16/6. A full range of slippers also has just arrived from England.*

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Personal

Mr. J. J. Sullivan, Wanganui, is visiting Napier and Hastings.

Mr. I. W. N. Mackie, Waipukurau, s on a visit to Palmerston North and Wanganui.

Mr. R. B. Curtis, Wanganui, is on visit to Hastings.

Mr. C. Till was a Wanganui visitor to Hastings during the holidays.

Mr. E. Hanson, Wanganui, is visit-

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Tinker, who have been visiting Napier for Easter, will leave to-day on their return to Whatatutu, Gisborne.

Mr and Mrs John Russell, of "Gola", Hastings, are the guests of Mr and Mrs Rollestone, Timaru.

Dr. Winstone Charters, M.D., of Wellington Public Hospital, and Mrs Winstone Charters, were entertained at the home of Mrs Charters's aunt, Mrs Poki Mohi, St. George's Road, Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Pettit, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Donovan, Seapoint Road, Napier, are leaving to-day on their return to Gisborne. Dr. and Mrs Crawford, Eltham, who have been spending Easter with Mrs Crawford's parents, Mr and Mrs H. Fannin, Nelson Street, Hastings, returned home yesterday.

The Rev. J. McKenzie, assistant director of missions for the Presby-terian Church of New Zealand, who has been attending the Easter Camp of the Presbyterian Bible Classes of Hawke's Bay at Taradale, left by the express train yesterday for Wel-

Mr H. Atmore, M.P., for Nelson, and Mrs Atmore, who have been visiting Hawke's Bay during Easter, have returned to Nelson. While in the district, Mrs Atmore addressed the Presbyterian Bible Class camp at Taradale

Mr E. J. Riches, New Zealand economist on the staff of the International Labour Office of the League of Nations, left Auckland by the Awatea yesterday on his return to Geneva. He has been on a holiday wist to New Zealand visit to New Zealand. Mr G. Birnie, postmaster at Helensville, has been appointed to a similar position at Morrinsville. He succeeds Mr R. E. Williams, who

transferred on pro-Flight-Lieutenant John Selby, the elder son of Mr and Mrs J. H. Selby, Aylesbury, who has just completed six years' service in the Royal Air Force has been promoted to the rank of squadron leader. He is now stationed in St. Andrews. Scattland

stationed in St. Andrews, Scotland.

many means to do this set out even in the works of reactionary economists, as well as on the Statute Books of many countries, including New Zealand. And there are other

This One!

Onstant Reader.

Moa's Egg Found

**Allan Tregonning, of Invercargill, has been awarded the Empire (Overseas) Scholarship for 1939, entitling him to free tuition at the college in London, according to advice received from the Trinity College of Music, London. The scholarship is open to candidates up to 18 years of age, one award in New Zealand being made each year to a student of elocution, singing or instrumental music. Mr Tregonning, of Balfour, Southland.*

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**Absolutely perfect, with the exception of a small hole about half an inch in diameter at the base, a moa egg shell was found at Pounawa, in the Catlins district, Otago. It is not one of the largest of shells, being about seven inches long, and it must have been laid by one of the stud stock department of the smaller species of birds. The shell is deep ream in colour, and is shell is deep ream in colour,

leaves this month for England, via North America, visiting South Africa and Australia on the return journey. Mr Robertson, who is widely known both in New Zealand and abroad as a judge of livestock, will represent the Dominion at the Centenary Royal Show at Windsor. During his tour he will select stock for Dominion by South Will also in Dominion breeders and will also investigate overseas markets for New

Zealand pedigree stock. Mr and Mrs F. M. Allen, Mr J. G. Mr and Mrs F. M. Allen, Mr J. G. Clark (Auckland), Mr R. D. Hawkins, Mr G. Cuthbert, Mr F. Hodder, Mr R. Edgley (Wellington), Miss E. Hobson, Mr R. Haldane (Waipukurau), Miss Robertson (Scotland), Mr F. Parnell (Christchurch), Mr and Mrs R. McGill (Dunedin), Mr H. Tolley (Palmerston Marth), and at the Crand Hotel on North) are at the Grand Hotel, Hastings.

Mrs R. Dill, Mrs R. Self, Mr E. Beck (Wellington), Mr D. Golightly, Mr G. Brown-Hill (Dunedin), Mr B. I. Coburn (Christchurch), Mr S. I. Coburn (Christchurch), Mr S. Perkinson (Auckland), Mr R. Thom (Martinborough), Mr D. A. Black (South Australia) are at the Pacific Hotel, Hastings.

Sergeant Bonish and Mrs Bonish (Pahiatua), Mr and Mrs T. Morton, Mr M. Maismore (Masterton), Mr T. Anderson, Mr J. Kerr (Palmerston North), Mr and Mrs H. Hansen, Mr T. Walker, Mr A. Dalton and Sons, Mr A. Brown (New Plymouth), Miss K. Gillies (Nelson), Mrs M. Dalton (Wairoa), Mr and Mrs J. Donne (Auckland), Mr N. Johnson, Mr A. Croncher (Wellington), Mr M. Douglas (Petone), Mr T. Close (Woodville), Mr H. Morris (Levin), Mr L. McKean (Gisborne), Mr L. McGuigan (Tokomaru Bay), Mr McGuigan (Tokomaru Bay), Mr Rod McKenzie (Feilding) are at the Carlton Club Hotel, Hastings.

HORNABROOK WINS **CHAMPIONSHIP**

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WELLINGTON GOLF TOURNEY

Amazing Putting By Telegraph-Press Association.

WELLINGTON, April 11.

HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

"DAILY MAIL'S" SPECIAL FORECAST IS FOR FURTHER

FINE WEATHER. Following is the "Daily Mail's" special forecast for Hawke's Bay:— Winds: Light to moderate and variable, with south-westerlies pre-

Weather: Fine. Temperatures: Mild. Seas: Slight.

Hastings Weather

Meteorological readings yesterday at 5 p.m. at the 1 Magnetic Observatory, O Park, were as follows:—	Hastings
Dry bulb temp. Wet bulb temp. Maximum temp. Minimum temp. Ift. underground Wind Cloud Rain	

Napier Weather

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

Dominion Forecast

A very shallow depression crossed the South Island last night and pressure is again high over New Zealand. It is beginning to fall, however, over Tasmania.

Forecast.—Winds: Light to moderate and rather variable, with west to south predominating. Seas (New Zealand waters): Slight to moderate,

Eastern Tasman Sea: Light to moderate south-westerly winds, turning later to north-west in the southern portion. Seas: Slight to moderate. Weather: A few scattered light

rains in western and southern parts of the South Island, but weather for the most part fair to fine. Temperatures: Moderate to mild.

To-Day's Diary

The Theatres: "Marie Antoinette," Regent, 2.15 and 8 p.m.

"Suez", State, 2.15 and 8 p.m.

"The Girl from Scotland Yard"
and "Mountain Music," Muni-

cipal, 8 p.m.
"Say it in French," Cosy, 8 p.m. Napier. League, Foresters' Hall, Napier,

8 p.m. (all invited).

Plaza, 8 p.m.

The Theatres: "A Man to Remember," State, 2.15 and 8 p.m.
It Happened Out West," and "Girls Dormitory," Mayfair, 2.15 and 8 p.m. "You Can't Take It With You,"

Breakfast

Modelling in soap is the latest craze. We know several small boys who agree that a better use for the stuff couldn't possibly be found.

Judge: What possible excuse can you give for acquitting the defendant? Foreman of Jury: Insanity, y'r

"What, all twelve of you?"

Even a severe frost is a blessing to some people, a weather expert reminds us. That strange sound you often hear in cold weather is made by a plumber crooning to his mate. While digging in the garden a North London man found several

silver and copper coins of various dates. It was not until the next day he found a hole in his pocket. When an income-tax office caught fire, a Boy Scout climbed through a window into the building and put out the flames with a chemical extinguisher. We trust he also did his good deed for the day.

"Green is a soothing colour," states an eye specialist. Particularly on a nice piece of crisp paper issued on behalf of the Treasury.

Last week a cat belonging to a Leeds resident swallowed a doll's handbag. We understand that a vet. was sent for to let the bag out of

the cat.

Teacher: "Smith Minor, tell me where the elephant is found."
Smith Minor: "The elephant is such a large animal that he neveragets lost."

See Parkers first! You must see Parkers autumn range of suitings first! Up to the minute in style. Al-ways something new at Parkers.*

THE "BIG BLACK WOLF" AND THE PRIME MINISTER

"IT'S ONLY HMAGINATION," SAYS MR SAVAGE: CONFIDENCE IS NEEDED

BRIGHT THOUGHTS AT LABOUR PARTY DANCE IN WELLINGTON

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, April 11.

The declaration that there was no "big black wolf" around the corner in New Zealand, and that if he did appear at the corner he would come from the imagination of the people, and from the fact that the people had lost hope and did not trust themselves, was made by the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. M. J. Savage) in a brief address at a dance tendered to the delegates to the conference of the New Zealand Labour Party and visitors in the Town Hall, Wellington, this evening.

Mr Savage arrived at the dance shortly before 9 p.m., and was welcomed by the President of the Wellington Labour Representation Committee (Mr J. O. Johnson). The Prime Minister was accorded musical honours.

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REPORT TO LABOUR

CONFERENCE

By Telegraph-Press Association.

The thanks of the Maori people to

WELLINGTON, April 11.

MAN'S TRAGIC

DEATH IN HASTINGS STREET

SUICIDE VERDICT

Evidence Of Queerness

The circumstances which led up to the death of Robert Alexander Kerr, who was found lying dead beside a discharged shotgun in Gordon Road, Hastings, on Monday afternoon, were described to the district coroner (Mr G. Ebbett, J.P.) at an inquest at Hastings yesterday afternoon

A verdict that death was due to a gun-shot wound, self-inflicted while in an unsound state of mind, was given by the coroner.

The inquest was conducted by Senior-Sergeant G. Sivyer. previous to his death was given by his brother, John Kerr. Robert Kerr had told members of his family that he had intended taking his life. He had been very moody and

life. He had been very moody and would not enter into conversation

Married Woman's Friendship.

Mrs Mary Ann McConnell, on the staff of the Waipukurau Sanatorium, stated that she had known Kerr for the past two years and had been on fairly friendly terms with him. She had always given Kerr to understand that she was married, and that accordingly they could not be anything else than friends. When, three weeks ago, she told Kerr that she was rejoining her husband, he expressed resentment, and on at least three occasions told her that if she went back to her husband he if she went back to her husband he if she went back to her husband he were crowded long before the hour were crowded long before the husband her were crowded long before the hour were crowded long before the husband her were crowded long before the long the husband her were crowded long before the husband her we if she went back to her husband he would commit suicide.

She had been absent from Hast-

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS
OF DOMINION

Statement By National Secretary

A CONFERENCE

Two National Officers
Re-elected

NO DISSENSIONS

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, April 11.

A review of the work of his departments by the Minister of Finance (the Hon. W. Nash) was the principal business at the afternoon session of the annual conference of the New Zealand Labour Party to day.

Mr Nash spoke for over an hour, and at the conclusion of his address the national secretary of the New Zealand Labour Party to day.

Mr Nash spoke for over an hour, and at the conclusion of his address the following motion was carried unanimously:—"That this conference thanks Mr Nash for his address thanks Mr Nash for his ad

Mr Wilson said that right through the conference to date the Prime Minister had received the unanimous endorsement of the delegates to the

Airport Inspected

FUTURE OF EMPIRE **SERVICES**

Land Or Sea Craft

By Telegraph-Press Association. Roberts that though might be differences of opinion at to New Plymouth, where they inspected the municipal airport. They were en route from Auckland to Wellington in a Vega Gull piloted by the conference, there would be no difference whatever when it came to standing behind Mr Savage and his Government.

> that flying-boats were likely to be used for some years on the Empire services they remarked that the fast long-range land 'planes now being built opened up possibilities which would have to be considered, perhaps in the way of supplementary express services, if the expense were warranted.

CARPENTERS FROM AUSTRALIA

Many Come On Own Initiative

Chinese Launch Attack

ALTERING THE FACE OF NATURE.—Workmen engaged on a cliff face at Port Ahuriri from which spoil is being taken for reclamation purposes.

Guerilla Activities Intensified

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COUNTER-ATTACK IS CONFIRMED

Casualties

By Telegraph-Press Association. WELLINGTON, April 11. Cabled advice received by the Chinese Consulate states: "In Central Kwangtung the Chinese coun ter-attacked the Japanese and I captured a number of strategic points on the Canton-Kankow rail way, including Sinkai and Kong-chuen, which is only 11 miles from into Hyde Park, opposite the Cathedral, and listened in respectful silence to the amplified service.

the city of Canton.
"Several squadrons of the Chin ese air forces heavily bombed the Japanese line at Samshui and in-

an hour. Nine cars were piled high with flowers.

A guard of honour from the Royal Australian Air Force had officiated at the Basilica, while mounted police and the band of the Australian Artillory, headed the funeral process.

AUCKLAND WOOL SALE PROCEEDS

Distribution To Be

Made To-day

Muffled bells at St. Mary's pealed for an hour. Ten air force 'planes, in Southern Cross formation, flew overhead and dipped in salute when the casket was taken aboard the Vendetta, which cleared the heads for Devon-Cheques for the third and final sale, held on March 27 and 28, will The whole ceremony, which was deeply impressive, was broadcast throughout Australia. sale, held on March 27 and 28, will be distributed to-morrow, the prompt date, and although brokers have not yet completed their returns it is estimated that the amount realised will be in the vicinity of £417,000. On these figures the return for the three sales of the season will be about £500,000 less than the record cheque for Auckland in 1936-37, but with this exception will probably be the largest return for at least 11 years.

AXIS POWERS NEW PACT

MILITARY AGREEMENT SIGNED?

BASES IN SPAIN

Gibraltar And Morocco Claimed By Franco

PARIS, April 10.

Madame Tabouis, the well-known ommentator on international affairs, writing in the French newspaper, "L'Oeuvre," states that a military pact was concluded on April 7 between General Franco, Germany, Italy and Japan.

The pact, she says, was drafted in the form of a protocol, which is being interpreted as an Anti-Comin-

tern Pact. It provides:-1. All Spanish sea and air bases shall be at the disposal of the Rome Berlin Axis for 18 months. 2. Spanish territory will be guar

anteed by the other signatories against outside attack. 3. The Spanish Army is to be placed under the control of a "commission of co-ordination," on which

all the signatories are equally re presented. 4. The Axis will bear the cost of constructing a Spanish "Maginot Line" 50 miles behind the French-Spanish frontier, plus a number of control bases.

strategic bases.
5. The other signatories will support General Franco's territorial claims, including Gibraltar and French Morocco.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES SAFE

OFFICIAL VIEW

Grand Master's Confidence

By Telegraph—Press Association. WANGANUI, April 11.

WAINGAROUI, April 11.

The opinion that by altering their organisations to meet changing social conditions, the friendly societies of New Zealand had nothing to fear from the Social Security scheme was expressed by Bro. George F. Rudkin, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of New Zealand, Independent Order of Oddfellows, at Aramoho to-night.

to-night.
"I wish to emphasise that as far as I have seen during my tour of the South Island, and from what I have seen in the North Island, the I.O.O.F. does not admit that the day of friendly societies has passed," said Mr. Rudkin. "During the past three years a lot has been said about the doom of friendly societies, and a number of lodges have developed a fear complex. veloped a fear complex.

A Long History. "Our order, however, does not take that attitude, and I personally do not believe that there is any truth in it. Records of the friendly so-

Transport Minister Discusses Control Problems: Many

DURING EASTER PERIOD

RECORD ROAD TRAFFIC

Accidents By Telegraph—Press Association.

WELLINGTON, April 11. "Between 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. on Easter Monday, New Zealand roads carried the heaviest traffic ever recorded," said the Minister of Transport (the Hon. R. Semple) in a preliminary survey of traffic and accidents during the week-end.

Easter Thursday evening established a traffic record for the commencement of the holiday season, but it was far sur-passed by Easter Monday, when an exceptionally heavy traffic flow during the day culminated in an unprecedented rush in the evening.

During this period most of the main highways were carrying far more than their capacity load at normal speeds, and the traffic flow in places was substantially retarded.

"Even the so-called 'luxury' roads, have been terrible tragedies, taking which I have been blamed for build-between them a toll of seven killed ing, were overloaded during the late afternoon and early evening," said Mr Semple. "The main highway traffic slackened off appreciably only traffic slackened off appreciably only on the state of the s

"Several factors are responsible for the new traffic record," he added. "For the first time in our history motor vehicle registrations have exceeded 300,000; 50,000 more vehicles were registered this Easter than in Easter, 1937, and 27,000 more than at last Easter.

Effect of Weather.

"The weather during the weekend was fine and warm, attracting big crowds on holiday tours and to sports and race meetings. Vehicles returning home from long tours, and traffic from special functions and from beaches and picnics, met on the roads in the late afternoon.

"Traffic was much more congested than during the Christmas holidays, and the high figure established last New Year's Day was easily surpassed."

"Our experience this Easter clearly indicates the need for adequate traffic control—if for no other reason than to facilitate the free flow

Accident Figures.

"Although the weather was finer and the traffic heavier this Easter than last, the number of fatal accidents, from the figures so far available, has shown no increase. The number of killed, however, has not shown any improvement.
"In Easter, 1937, 11 people were

"In Easter, 1938, eight were killed,

"For the first time there have been no Easter collisions with trains

raffic slackened off appreciably only during the early hours of Tuesday morning.

"Several factors are responsible two were killed and 43 injured in accidents of this type last year.

Motorists Suffer. "Motorists and passengers were practically the only sufferers this Easter," continued Mr Semple. "Half of the fatalities occurred at

"Half of the fatalities occurred at night time, and half were caused through cars running off the road. No matter what we say, there is nothing to be proud of in our Easter record. But, nevertheless, I want to express my sincere sympathy with all those who have suffered through road accidents.
"Although the reports of inspec-

"Although the reports of inspec-tors indicate that the general stan-dard of driving and road courtesy has shown a further improvement, I feel that we can and must do

Risks Taken.

"This Easter there were some drivers who became impatient in the heavy traffic and took unnecesthe heavy traffic and took unnecessary risks, and there were a few who were absolutely irresponsible when traffic slowed up—cutting in and out of line and imperilling not only their own lives, but the lives of everyone in their vicinity.

"These drivers were responsible for no little bad feeling during the recent congested traffic conditions.

Remedial Measures? "When all the facts are available

I shall be in a position to discuss remedial measures with the respon-sible authorities, and I feel sure and 178 other persons injured. that public opinion is behind me in "This Easter, 12 people were killed in seven accidents, but two of these prove the present serious position."

Maori Gaoled For Assaulting The Police

Threw Bottle And Stone While Galloping

Ruatoria Charge

Offences "Frequent And Difficult To Detect"

By Telegraph-Press Association.

GISBORNE, April 11.
"I threw a bottle and a stone at the police to frighten them off the streets on picture nights," was the explanation of a Maori, Tuakana Te Purei, aged 18, who was charged Owing to the shortage of time, the original programme for the competition was altered to twelve counting shots a man at 300 yards. at Ruatoria with assaulting the

police. It was stated that accused galloped past on a horse, and as he passed the police he threw a bottle with L. such force that it broke against a building. Accused returned almost immediately and threw a stone, the possible. which missed its target and made a

big dent in an iron wall. The police added that occurrences of this sort were frequent in Ruatoria, and that it was difficult to detect offenders who galloped past. Accused was sentenced to two months' gaol on each of two charges of assault, sentences to be cumula-

SYDNEY EASTER SALES

HALF-BROTHER TO ROYAL CHIEF

BRINGS 1300GNS.

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RIFLE SHOOTING **CHAMPIONSHIP**

TEAMS' MATCH AT ROY'S HILL

WIN FOR GISBORNE

Excellent Performances By Visitors

The Hawke's Bay Rifle Associa-tion's championship teams' match, which was held at Roy's Hill during Easter, resulted in one of the keen-

est and most exciting team contests ever staged in the district. Ten teams participated in the match for the Collins Shield, which is regarded as the most valuable

teams' trophy in the Dominion. Owing to the shortage of time,

Although the shooting conditions were a little difficult during the early stages of the contest, high scores were frequent. W. Dornan (Masterton-Opaki), S. L. Luxford (Okawa), W. G. Bryce (Waipukurau) and D. G. Wilson (Wairoa) all registered brilliant scores of 59, only one point under the possible

With a splendid total of 282 points, Gisborne succeeded in heading the list, while Masterton-Opaki (281) and Okawa No. 1 (280) filled

the second and third placings. Following are the particulars in

GISBORNE. First Place.

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Second Place.

W. Dornan . (54) 555555554555—59
D. P. Donald (4) 554554555555—58
V. E. Donald (54) 455435555555—56
J. W. Curtin (4) 554544544555—55
H. H. Mawley (24) 545455345454—53
Grand total:——281

OKAWA No. 1. Third Place. S. L. Luxford (44) 5555555555455—59
A. Neilson . . (4) 555545554545—59
H. Brehaut . (—) 554445545555—56
W. J. Burton (44) 544544545545—54
B. Patmore . (3) 554554445445—54
Grand total:——280

Other scores were as follows:-Waipukurau: W. G. Bryce 59, F. McVicar 57, R. N. McVicar 56, T. Haldane 55, F. Fryer 52.

Grand total: 279.

Okawa No. 2: J. Kitching 58, L. E. Brathwaite 56, J. Hallagan 56, D. Dunn 54, B. Denson 54. Grand total: 278.

Wairoa: D. G. Wilson 59, S. Clark 58, C. Stone 54, W. Sandford 54, J. Foster 53. Grand total: 278, Craggy Range: G. S. Campbell 56, I. van Asch 56, H. Campbell 55, S. Small 52, R. K. Campbell 52. Grand total: 271.

Greytown: H. R. Feast 56, G. Te Whaite 54, D. J. Flynn 54, G. Rhodes 53, A. G. Rhodes 53. Grand total:

Waikopiro: R. Chadwick 57, E. Castles 55, M. Barker 54, G. Clegg 52, E. McLean 52. Grand total: 270.

Peporangi: W. Simmons 56, W. A. Whyte 56, J. Sorensen 55, J. Hastin Ed. Castle Castle Castle Castle Castle Castle Castle tie 51, R. Sorensen 51, Grand total;

Labour's Solid Front

RUMOURS DENIED

ence thanks Mr Nash for his address and expresses its confidence in him as Minister of Finance and in the financial policy of the Government, so ably administered by him, and places on record its full trust in the Government's ability to administered by him. These reports stated that the conference on Monday settled overwhelmingly in the Prime Minister's favour the issues resulting from dif- his life. in the Government's ability to administer the affairs of this country

ountry."

Mr J. G. Barclay, M.P., was reelected National vice-president of the party. There were 21 candidates.

The Hon. D. Wilson, M.L.C., was reelected national secretary and Mr J. A. Legan was researched. No Disputes. treasurer. There were two candidates. are the rule at all conferences." M

Labour Popular In Australia

The thanks of the Maori people to the Government for having given them the right of voting by secret ballot was expressed in an annual report to the Labour Party Conference on behalf of the Maori Advisory Council by its president, the Hon. Rangi Mawhete, M.L.C.

The report states: "The small number of invalid votes proved that the Maori is quite capable of voting in the same manner as the pakeha. "The Maori people confidently looked forward to the fulfilment of the Prime Minister's promise to institute a printed Maori electoral roll."

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The report added that the results of the General Election had proved very satisfactory, and that if there had not been a split in the Labour vote in the Eastern Maori seats the four seats would have been won by Labour By Telegraph—Press Association.

ACUCKLAND, April 11.

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"There are no disputes between Mr J. A. Lee and the Prime Minister or between anybody else and the Prime Minister," said Mr Wilson. "The conference has been one of the best and most united that has ever been held by the party. Although been held by the party. Although differences of opinion rise from time to time at conferences, nothing has happened at this conference that is in any way unusual. Free and frank discussions on the party's policy are the rule at all conferences." Mr Wilson repeated the statement in the presidential address of Mr James Roberts that though there

AN INSIDE COMMENT

Party Split, However, In New South Wales

TRIBUTE TO MR LYONS

LAST TRIBUTES TO MR LYONS MASS CELEBRATED AT

SYDNEY

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were crowded long before the hour for the commencement of Mass ar-rived. The route for the funeral pro-cession was thickly lined with sor-

Celebrant of Mass.

Many Faiths Pay Homage.

tillery headed the funeral proces-

sion.

The coffin, draped with the Aus

tralian flag, was borne on a gun-

Muffled Bells.

INJURED MAN DIES

AT CROMWELL

Sequel To Collision

carriage.

rowing crowds.

N.Z. WREATH

The Prime Minister was accorded musical honours.

He entered thoroughly into the spirit of the evening, and immediately assured his hearers that he was not going to talk about politics. "I am not going to make a political speech," Mr Savage said. "If think that is hardly necessary. Mr Hamilton is doing that at present. It is delightful to be able to turn aside from politics for at least one evening, and to speak about the lighter side of our existence.

"I want to assure you that we are not nearly so black as we are painted. We are just people who have had a lot of experience of the rough and tumble side of life. Most of us received our education along the highways and byways, in factories and in mines, and that developed our reasoning capacity.

"I once heard a well-known educationalist say that education was the power to use one's reasoning under any set of conditions. Labourites have been trained to use

She had been absent from Hastings since February 25, and Kerr knew that she was to return on Thursday, April 6, and would be staying with a friend in Gordon Road. During conversation which she had with Kerr on Saturday last she told him that it was best that their friendship should cease, as she was rejoining her husband.

opinion that Kerr had always appeared to be very peculiar in his manner, and she was not greatly surprised to hear that he had taken surprised to hear that he had taken

NEW PLYMOUTH, April 11. Two members of the British Air Mission that is in New Zealand, Sir Donald Banks and Sir Arthur Long-more, paid an unofficial visit to-day to New Plymouth, where they in-

Squadron-Leader Grundy.
Though they expressed the view

INITIATIVE TAKEN

BOMBER SHOT DOWN

LONDON, April 10. The Shanghai correspondent of "The Times" says that it is officially announced that Marshal Chiang

ly announced that Marshal Chiang
Rai-shek's long-prepared offensive
has been launched on all fronts in
the hope of wresting the initiative
from the Japanese. Guerilla activities are being intensified behind the
Japanese lines.
The Japanese carried out air-raids
over a wide area, and shot down
a heavy Chinese bomber which
had reached a point of 150 miles
northwards of Shanghai.
The Tientsin correspondent of
"The Times" says that an unknown
Chinese dressed in foreign clothes
shot dead Chen Lien-shih, Superintendent of Customs.
A stray bullet killed Charles
Glauser, a Swiss engineer, and the
Tartar athlete, Talaat Mansoureff,
was seriously wounded when he
tackled an assailant before he escaped.

caped.

A later message from Hong Kong says that Japanese troops landed at Deep Bay and are advancing to the Hong Kong frontier.

Bombers Inflict Heavy

Many Faiths Pay Homage. In addition to the Governor-General, the Governors of other States, representatives of the Protestant churches, the Salvation Army, the Jewish and Greek churches joined within the Basilica with members of Mr Lyons's own faith in the last rites, paying homage to a great and revered Australian. While the cortege, consisting of 136 cars, carrying Mr Lyons's widow and family, Vice-Regal representatives, Ministers and other distinguished people, was passing through the city all work and traffic was entirely suspended for over an hour. Nine cars were piled high

By Telegraph-Press Association. AUCKLAND, April 11. For the third season in succession the proceeds from the three Auckland wool sales this season are expected to exceed the £1,000,000 mark.

Brilliant Play Seen In Men's Singles Games

HAWKSWORTH BEATS DYER

Hard-fought struggles were the order of the day in the finals of the various events played yesterday in the Hastings Tennis Club's Easter tournament. The weather has improved as the tournament has proceeded, and yesterday, for the closing matches, the heat was sweltering, making struggles

The tournament has been well organised, and games were played off without undue waste of time. Only one final remains to be decided. This, the mixed doubles match between R. J. D. Sharpe and Miss M. Glenny, and H. Elliot and Mrs R. Milburn, will be played this morning at 9.30

Play yesterday was good and keen throughout. It was especially pleasing for spectators to feel that not until the last point had been scored was a match well and truly won.

P. Hawksworth beat K. Dyer, 6-3,

MEN'S DOUBLES

H. Elliott and E. Dickie beat R. J D. Sharpe and K. Dyer, 6-3, 6-1. WOMEN'S SINGLES

Miss M. Budd beat Miss M. Evans,

WOMEN'S DOUBLES

Misses M. Evans and M. Glenny

beat Mrs G. Cotterill and Mrs Milburn 6-3, 6-5.
Misses M. Macfarlane and M. Budd beat Misses M. Dickie and J. St. George 6-3, 6-3.

Final Misses M. Macfarlane and M. Budd beat Misses M. Glenny and M. Evans, 3-6, 6-5, 6-4.

HANDICAPS

MEN'S SINGLES

Hawksworth was in brilliant form for his match with Dyer yesterday afternoon. The tennis seen in this match, which Hawksworth won 6-3, 6-4, was the best of the day. The mere result was unimportant by comparison with the tennis seen. Dyer was perhaps below his best, but whether playing well or ill he is an elegant figure. He showed poise and rhythm in his shots and smoothness in his running. His temperament would seem as balanced as his tennis. It was good, after arduous rallies, to see his appreciative smile as a drive from Hawksworth passed his forehand.

Hawksworth in Form.

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Hawksworth was the surer player. He scored chiefly from volleys and forehand drives which were as accurate as they were powerful. Dyer was inaccurate at first, and Hawksworth took the first four games with ease. Dyer was always showing brilliant shots, anticipating drives and achieving the seemingly impossible return, but it was Hawksworth who would get Dyer on the wrong foot with a final drive or volley to the corner court.

Hawksworth took the fifth game. Then it was that Dyer found his length. He took the next game, and in the seventh drove Hawksworth back to the backhand corner of the court. Nearer and nearer to the baseline did Dyer's drive reach, until Hawksworth was forced to scoop a return. In a flash Dyer was at the net and had volleyed away to the empty forehand court. But Hawksworth was playing too well to be put out of his stride at once. He won the ninth game and the set.

Dyer's Hard Fight.

The second set saw Dyer attempting in vain to regain lost ground. Hawksworth's attack was ruthless. In long rallies he would slowly outmanoeuvre Dyer, tempt him to run to the net, then volley and pass him with an angled skimming drive. Dyer drew level at four games all in the second set. It was with one of these passing shots, which left Dyer standing, that Hawksworth broke the attempts of Dyer to take the set.

Evans, 3-6, 6-5, 6-4.

MIXED DOUBLES

R. Sharpe and Miss M. Glenny beat J. N. Lowry and Mrs H. Hassall, 6-0, 6-4.

H. Elliott and Mrs R. Milburn beat E. G. Nevitt and Miss R. White, 6-3, 6-5.

the set.

Hawksworth provided the strength and control, Dyer the refinement of style. The match would have been as satisfying without a knowledge of the score.

WOMEN'S SINGLES.

The final of the women's singles was a little disappointing. The tennis was sound and efficient enough, but there were few imaginative shots. Both Miss Budd and Miss Evans were content to drive amiably to call the content of the

court is faster than would be imagined from its pace through the air.

Miss Evans would have perhaps done better to have hit harder and risked more volleying from the net, in an attempt to make the court is faster than the court is faster than would be imagined. H. Dods and H. Smith beat C. Hobbs and W. Maitland, 9-3.

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in an attempt to make MISS Budd play her on her own terms.

There were few passing shots, as neither player left the base line to put herself into position to be passed. For a final's game the play was somewhat monotonous.

beat W. McKay and R. Bradly (owe 3-6 15), 9-8.

Final

A. Wilkinson and J. Morris (scr) beat H. Dods and H. Smith (rec. 3-6 15), 6-3, 6-4.

WOMEN'S DOUBLES.

Miss Evans seemed much more at home with Miss Glenny in their doubles final, which they lost to Miss Macfarlane and Miss Budd. This Macfarlane and Miss Budd. This was a surprise match, for throughout it appeared that Miss Glenny and Miss Evans would win. The game was characterised by an incredible amount of lobbing from both sides. In the first set both Miss Glenny and Miss Evans in turn volleyed their opponent's returns away to the side line. Always their combination was bet. Always their combination was better, Miss Evans providing the base and sideline drives, and Miss Glenny the cross-court backhands.

Miss Glenny varied the speed of

her cross-court shots imaginatively. In the third set her play, and that of Miss Evans, who began to volley with considerable success that the net. (owe 3.6 15), beat T. Torbett and the properties of the thermal success that the net. (owe 3.6 15), beat T. Torbett and the properties of the thermal success that the net. of Miss Evans, who began to volley with considerable success at the net, made it appear certain that they would take the match.

It was a series of feeble inaccuracies which gave Miss Macfarlane and Miss Budd victory and even they were surprised.

St. George (scr.), 9-5.

E. G. Nevitt and Miss R. White (owe 3-6 15), beat T. Torbett and Miss Hall (rec. 3-6 15), 9-5.

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MIXED DOUBLES.

PRESENTED

TWO STRANGERS IN **NAPIER**

NIGHT MARAUDERS

A Householder Injured

When they appeared in the Napier Police Court yesterday on a charge of breaking and entering a dwelling by night, Roy Nicolas Courlander, aged 24, a clerk, of Wellington, and John Kitching Matterson, aged 30, a labourer, of Petone, were remanded until Monday next, April 17, by Mr J. Miller, S.M., on the request of Detective-Sergeant H. Nuttall

"The matter is rather a serious one," said the detective-sergeant.
"The occupant of the house in question has been injured and is at present under medical attention."

Both men were strangers to the Both men were strangers to the town, he continued, having arrived in Napier on the night on which the alleged crime was committed.

Courlander and Matterson were arrested at a dwelling in Hastings Street, Napier, at 10.20 p.m. on Monday, following an alarm given by the householder, Kathleen Reston, who surprised them.

Painful Injury Suffered

LOSS OF A FINGER

Rivers' Board Employee's Mishap

H. Elliott and E. Dickie beat P. Hawksworth and J. B. Macpherson, 4-6, 6-4, 6-1.
R. J. D. Sharpe and K. Dyer beat R. Fullerton and J. N. Lowry, 11-9, 6-3 ACCIDENT WITH AXE

> It was reported last night that a Rivers' Board employee, Mr E. Eden, Puketapu, aged 27, married, re-ceived painful injuries to his hand yesterday morning.
>
> Mr Eden was cutting wood with

an axe preparatory to boiling the billy for morning tea, when the axe slipped, and he had the misfortune to chop one finger off and severely lacerate another.

The injured man was taken to the Napier Hospital for treatment.

Hastings Rugby Competition

COMPLETE DRAW MADE

Junior Third And Fourth Grades

TEN TEAMS TO PLAY

The following are the complete draws for the junior, third, and fourth grade Hastings Rugby competitions:—

Junior. Old Boys v Pakowhai. Mercantile v Celtic. Haumoana v Havelock North. Hasting a bye.
Old Boys v Celtic. Pakowhai v Havelock North. Mercantile v Hastings.

Fourth Grade.

A. Wilkinson and J. Morris (scr) beat W. McKay and R. Bradly (owe Third Grade.

> WOMEN'S SINGLES Final

Miss J. St. George (owe 30) beat Miss R. White (owe 4-6 15) by default in the third set. 6-2. 3-6, 3-3. WOMEN'S DOUBLES

Misses M. Evans and M. Glenny (owe 30, 3-6), beat Misses Bremner and O'Brien (rec. 2-6 15), 7-0.

Final

Misses M. Evans and M. Glenny (owe 30 3-6), beat Mrs Hassall and Mrs Mawson (owe 15), 6-2, 1-6, 6-3.

MIXED DOUBLES A. Tonkin and Mrs Mawson (rec.

3-6 15), beat H. Fisk and Miss Milne (owe 4-6 15), 9-5.
D. O'Brien and Miss O'Brien beat G. Crosse and Mrs Crosse (scr.),

Large Crowd Watches Final Stages At Hastings: Home Rink

PALMERSTON NORTH WIN IN

EASTER BOWLING TOURNEY

Runner-Up The finals of the Hawke's Bay Bowling Centre's Easter

tournament were played on the Hastings Bowling Club's green yesterday in glorious weather, and resulted in a win for Johnson's rink (Palmerston North). The green rolled out in good playing condition, and the state of the grounds reflected great credit on the care and

attention of the superintendent and greenkeeper.

A large crowd of bowling enthusiasts witnessed some excellent play, the various games being followed with keen

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H. Dods and H. Smith (rec. 3-6 15) beat A. Tonkin and J. N. Wilson (rec. 4-6 15), 9-4.

Havelock North. Mercantile v Hastings. Haumoana a bye.

Old Boys v Hastings. Celtic v Haumoana. Pakowhai a bye.

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Third Grade

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v Havelock North. Celtic a bye.
Replying, Mr. Johnson thanked
the bowlers for the very happy
time they had spent in Hawke's
Bay, and hoped that at some future
date they would have the pleasure
of returning their hospitality.

Mr Bennett, skip of the runners-High School B v Celtic. Old Boys up, also added his congratulations. Details of the games are as fol-

First Round.

High School B v Centic. Old Boys.
High School A. Hastings a bye.
High School B v High School A.
Seltic v Hastings. Old Boys a bye.
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High School A v Celtic. Hastings
v Old Boys. High School B a bye.
High School B v Old Boys. Hastings v High School A. Celtic a bye. Wardell-Johnson (Bluff Hill), 21-19 on the 23rd head. (Hastings), 15-12.

beat G. Goodwin and Miss Cornford (rec. 30), 9-4. A. Ritchie and Mrs Hassall (owe derson (Khandallah). Second Round. 15), beat G. Goodwin and Miss Cornford (rec. 4-6 15), 9-4. Johnson beat Haldane 23-15. Cornford (rec. 4-6 15), 9-4.
E. G. Nevitt and Miss White beat
A. Tonkin and Mrs Mawson, 9-6.
R. Bradly and Mrs Bradly (scr.),
beat J. Macpherson and Miss J.
Betts (owe 30 2-6), 9-3.
D. O'Brien and Miss O'Brien beat
E. G. Nevitt and Miss White, 9-5. Bennett won by default from An-

Final.

W. Douglas, D. Morris, J. Crouch-

Saturday's Rugby

HASTINGS FIXTURES Grounds And Referees

Matches

COMPETITIONS OPEN

Chosen

Following are the Hastings Rugby fixtures, and grounds and referees for Saturday:—

M.B.O.B. v. Celtic, Nelson Park, Hastings, No. 1 ground; referee, D. Graham; touch judges, E. Spooner and W. Scott; 3 p.m.
H.H.S.O.B. v. Pirates, Nelson
Park, Hastings, No. 2 ground; referee, A. Kirkpatrick; touch judges, W. Thurlow and E. Calman; 3 p.m.

Junior. Johnson (Palmerston North) beat Wardell-Johnson (Bluff Hill), 21-19 on the 23rd head.

Haluane (Waipukurau) beat King H.H.S.O.B. v. Pakowhai. Nelson Park, Hastings, No. 1 ground; referee, E. Singleton; 1.30 p.m. Mercantile v. Celtic, School Ground; referee, F. Duigan; 1.30

Byes: Bennett (Hastings) and An-Haumoana v. Havelock North, Havelock North; referee, J. Geenty;

Fourth Grade. School B v. Celtic, School No. 5 ground; referee, G. Bainbridge; 1.30

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B. U. Rickard, H. Claughton, J. H.S.O.B. v. School A, Nelson Park, Hastings, No. 2 ground; referee, H. Swallow; 1.30 p.m.

Large Attendance At Dance

HELD IN HAVELOCK

Combined Sports Clubs

The combined sports clubs held a very successful dance in the Town Board hall, Havelock North, on Easter Monday night there being a large attendance of local dancers and many from Hastings and Na-

large attendance of local dancers and many from Hastings and Napier.

Mr L. Tasker's four-piece orchestra supplied the musical items, among which was the much-talked of "Lambeth Walk." This was danced with the greatest enthusiasm and proved exceedingly popular. Mr P. Buck acted as M.C. and also shared the duties of door-keeper with ed the duties of door-keeper with Mr. P. Small.

A committee of ladies from the different clubs provided a dainty buffet supper which was much en-

Among those present were:-Miss M. Neilson, who wore a frock of floral chiffon with a blue velvet sash. Miss N. Gumbly, frock of tur-quoise blue, with a red carnation at

with sequin trimming.

Miss I. Pell, floral pique frock,
with red spray at neck.
Miss A. Gregory, apple green, silver-spotted taffeta.

Miss G. Cockburn, dainty frock of pink spotted net.
Miss J. Woon, pink floral frock and black velvet coatee.
Miss I. Fenn, handsome royal blue taffeta.

Miss J. Pepper, red satin gown Operatic Dance (8 years and under 11). Miss J. Pepper, red sath gown with full skirt.

Miss I. Williams, black frock with wide red band at the hemline.

Miss I. Bunn, white shimmer satin tunic frock.

Mrs Sparks, navy blue frock, worn with fur coat.

Miss N. Tucker, maroon frock with black velvet coatee.

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Miss Lynley Wainscott, Lower Hutt, 83pts.

Very highly commended: Miss Doreen Swaffield, Lower Hutt; Miss Jean Alexander, Lower Hutt.

with black velvet coatee.

Miss K. Isaacs, white satin and coatee with pink and mauve spray

Miss R. Isaacs, white satin and under 15).

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with a satin slip.

Miss B. McAlister, pink lace with
Miss Barbara Mew, Levin, 87pts . 1
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full skirt.
Miss P. Compton, blue silk velvet with red sash.

Miss P. Buck, pale blue gown of crepe de chine with tucks at bodice. Miss I. Wall, frock of apple green Miss M. Kenny, green taffeta with

Miss M. Kenny, green taffeta with a full skirt.
Messrs B. Robertson, L. Hutton, A. Ross, D. Giffney, V. Calnam, J. Cleaver, R. Fear, C. Beal, C. Kirschberg, A. Walker, C. Stark, Tate, Murphy, R. Tollison, P. Buck, Tunnicliffe, W. Whitehead, Hannah, L. Jones, J. O'Connor, W. Bligh, Lean, Farquahason, Miller, Wilson, Rogers, Russell, L. Meads, Coombes, L. Bligh, Marshall, Moran, P. Small, B. Leicester and many others.

"I'll bet you a fiver," said the old en-old 'buffer',
I've no wish to come to an end, sir.
It makes my hair bristle as I hear my
'tubes' whistle,

I must look for a safe-'guard,' that's sure,
And I'll give you some 'points,' as I
ease my old joints,
Woods' Great Peppermint Cure,'*

Lowry, Napier; Mis
Lyall Bay; Miss
Coombe, Hastings,

A HIGH STANDARD IS WELL MAINTAINED

Great Popularity Of Napier Competitions

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

The fifth day of the Napier Competitions Society's festival concluded yesterday, the performances given maintaining the high standard of artistry which has prevailed since the coming of the factive. since the opening of the festival.

Character and operatic dancing, violin and piano solos, and vocal and humorous recitals were included in a comprehensive and entertaining programme, which was presented to appreciative audiences. to appreciative audiences. The good public support which has been accorded the festivals reflects credit both on the organising ability of the officials and the good taste of the public, who are taking full advantage of this opportunity to enjoy talented presentations

at modest expense. The competitions will finish to-night.

"I would like to advise strongly against encouraging children to recite pieces which imitate one afflicted with a stammer," said Mr J. W. Bailey, judge of the elocution section.

"I know from experience, among my number that stammering is a stammer of the s

picts stammering."

Mr Bailey's judging finished with yesterday's session and in taking leave of the festivals he paid tribute to the secretary of the Napier Society, Mr S. P. Spiller.

"You should be very proud of Napier, one of the finest towns I have ever seen," he said, "but you should also be proud of the fact that you have Mr Percy Spiller. He is a most efficient secretary and a very capable gentleman," he concluded amid applause.

"Ings, "At the Dentists" (81pts) 1 Miss Naida Cameron, Hastings, "Jones Minor's Recitation" (80 pts.)

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Competitions judged yesterday resulted as follows:— Operatic Dance (7 years and under)

Miss Dawn Lucas, Petone, 81pts. 1 Master Arrol Buchan, Brooklyn,

Dance Duo (7 years and under).

Misses Dawn Lucas and Dorothy Jenness, Petone, "Valse Ca-price," 86pts. Misses Jewel Newman and Jean-ette Driver, Napier, "The Man

the Moon Goes Wooing," 71pts.,

Highly commended: Misses Lyn-Miss N. Gumbly, frock of tur-uoise blue, with a red carnation at eckline.

Miss J. Gardner, petrel blue gown
ith sequip trimming.

Highly commended: Misses Lyn-nie and Constance Stinson, Napiera "Princes in the Tower," Miss Norma Rayner and Master Michael Cross, Napier, "An Easter Novelty."

Character Dance (11 years and under 15). Miss Ngaire Bynan, Lower Hutt, "Defender of the Walls," Miss Pamela Trimmer, Petone, "Har-lequin," and Master Ralph Wil-Wellington, "Spanish,"

86pts, equal Miss I. Fenn, handsome royal blue taffeta.

Miss B. Manely, sapphire blue taffeta with pink spray.

Miss N. Walker, green satin frock with silver bodice and white fur cape.

Ground; referee, F. Duigan; 1.30 p.m.

Haumoana v. Havelock North, Havelock North; referee, J. Geenty; 2 p.m.

Third Grade.
School v. Celtic, School No. 2 ground; referee, J. Palmer; 1.30 p.m.
Hastings v. Havelock North, School No. 4 ground; referee, R. Pearson; 1.30 p.m.

Fourth Grade.

School No. 4 ground; referee, R. Pearson; 1.30 p.m.

Fourth Grade.

Noatee with pink and mauve spray at neckline.

Coatee with pink and mauve spray at neckline.

Miss M. Gardner, red net worn with full skirt and caped sleeves.

Miss B. Rapley, sea green frock with sequin straps.

Miss N. Hayes, attractive frock of green shot taffeta.

Miss I. Horton, black satin with full skirt and gold lame coatee.

Miss D. Marven, blue shaded taffeta, with red georgette sash.

Miss I. Smale black 1.

Misses Duo (Classic, 11 years an under 15).

Misses Elvira Courtney and Peggy Pullis, Gisborne, "The Golden Hoop," 84pts.

Misses Jocelyn Gregory and Rita Smith, Napier, "A Pastorale," 73pts.

Violin (under 16).

Master J. Barnao, Napier, 82pts. 1

Master David Briasco, Napier, 80pts.

80pts. 2
Very highly commended: Miss
Dorothy O'Dowd, Takapau.
Vocal Solo and Accompanist (Boys
or Girls, 12 and under 16).

Miss Nira Price, Hastings, and Mrs Sheena Blundell, "The Swallow" (117pts.)

Miss Olive Workman, Greenmeadows, and Miss Nola Briasco, Napier, "Dorothy Perkins", and Misses Ngaire Keen and Betty Smith, Napier, "I Came to Your Garden," (116 pts.) pts.) Equal 2

Contralto Solo

Vocal Solo (Girls under 9). gine driver,
"I've caught that dread plague, in"I've caught that dread plague, in(Sants)

(80pts.) 2
Very Highly Commended: Miss
Fay Dykes, Napier.
Highly Commended: Miss Joy
Lowry, Napier; Miss June Preston,
Lyall Bay; Miss Beverley Mc-

W. Bailey, Judge section.

"I know from experience, among my pupils that stammering is a habit very easy to cultivate and very difficult to stop so I recommend doing away with any piece which depicts stammering."

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musical Monologue (Men).

Mr D. Carlyle, Dannevirke, "The Coward" (98pts.)

Mr Donald Davies, Hastings, "Not Old" (97pts.)

Good Standard.

A feature of the competitions as a whole was the good solid standard of workmanship shown, said Mr Davies.

This was pleasing evidence of hard and careful training on the part of the teachers. who were to

Davies.

This was pleasing evidence of hard and careful training on the part of the teachers, who were to be congratulated on the performance of their pupils.

"I would like to mention also that a very notable feature of the opera section was the delightful playing of the official accompanist," Mr Davies added.

Competitions judged vesterday re.

"Brancher Horris and Miss Lloma Larsen, Lower Hutt, "Procrastination" (78pts.) Equal 3 Highly Commended: Miss Fay Driver, Hastings; Miss Noeline Graham, Masterton; Miss Lynley Wainscott, Lower Hutt, "Parker Highly Commended: Miss Fay Driver, Hastings; Miss Noeline Graham, Masterton; Miss Lynley Wainscott, Lower Hutt, "Parker Highly Commended: Miss Fay Driver, Hastings; Miss Noeline Graham, Masterton; Miss Lynley Wainscott, Lower Hutt, "Procrastination" (78pts.) Equal 3 Highly Commended: Miss Fay Driver, Hastings; Miss Noeline Graham, Masterton; Miss Lynley Wainscott, Lower Hutt, "Procrastination" (78pts.) Equal 3 Highly Commended: Miss Fay Driver, Hastings; Miss Noeline Graham, Masterton; Miss Lynley Wainscott, Lower Hutt, "Rathurth, "Procrastination" (78pts.) Equal 3 Highly Commended: Miss Fay Driver, Hastings; Miss Noeline Graham, Masterton; Miss Lynley Wainscott, Lower Hutt, "Aster Brian Haster, Hastings," Wiss Noeline Graham, Masterton; Miss Lynley Wainscott, Lower Hutt, "Procrastination" (78pts.) Equal 3 Highly Commended: Miss Fay Driver, Hastings, Wainscott, Lower Hutt, "Procrastination" (78pts.) Equal 3 Highly Commended: Miss Fay Driver, Hastings; Wiss Noeline Graham, Masterton; Miss Lynley Wainscott, Lower Hutt, "Procrastination" (78pts.) Equal 3 Highly Commended: Miss Fay Driver, Hastings; Wiss Noeline Graham, Master Brian Haster, Hastings, "Procrastination" (78pts.) Equal 3 Highly Commended: Miss Fay Driver, Hastings; Wiss Noeline Graham, Master Brian Haster, Hastings, "Procrastination" (78pts.) Equal 3 Highly Commended: Miss Fay Driver, Hastings; Wiss Noeline Graham, Master Brian Haster, Hastings, "Procrastination" (78pts.) Equal 3 Highly Commended: Miss Fay

Recitation (Shakesperean-Men).

pts.) Song and Dance (8 years and under 11).

1 Miss Lloma Larsen, Lower Hutt,
"Will You Remember?" (98pts.) 1
Miss Noeline Mardon, Brooklyn,
"Dancing With My Shadow"
(96pts.) 2 Highly commended: Miss Lily, Wainscott, Lower Hutt.

Vocal Solo (Amateur). Classic Dance (15 years and over),

Vocal Solo and Accompanist (Girls 16 and under 20). Miss Rachel Schofield, Hastings, and Miss Doris Horsnell, "Where E're You Walk" (119

Humorous Recital (Men). Mr. Donald Davies, Hastings,
"Wedding Whispers" (79pts.) . 1
Mr. D. Carlyle, Dannevirke, "The
Story of a Tack" (75pts.) 2 Operatic Solo (Amateur-Ladies), Miss Lola Haughton, Napier, "The Bell Song," from "Lakme" (89 pts.) 1
Miss Lea Johnstone, Masterton,
"Quando Rapita" (88pts.) . . . 2
Miss Audrey Lawson, Wellington,
"Flower Song" (87pts.) 3

A SUPPORTER OF

Death Of Mrs A. C.

THE CHURCH

Drummond

The death has occurred after lengthy illness of Mrs Anne Charlotte Drummond, wife of Mr Alexander Drummond, 510 Park Road, Hastings.
Born in Wellington in 1879, Mrs Drummond was a daughter of the late Mr and Mrs Samuel Dawson,

early settlers in the Eketahuna district.
Since she came to Hastings about 30 years ago she took a keen interest in the activities of the Anglican

She is survived by her husband and two daughters, Mrs A. Muir (Rotorua) and Miss Mona Drummond (Hastings), and three so Messrs Bart, Hector and Colin Drummond.

The funeral is to leave St. Mat-thew's Church, Hastings, at 2.45 p.m. to-day for the Hastings Ceme-









"ACTION FRONT!"—Miss M. Evans returns a hot one from Miss M. Budd in the women's final of the Hastings Club's Easter tennis tournament.

SOCIAL CREDIT RALLY

A GATHERING AT **GREENMEADOWS**

This rally was the first of its kind mittee, to be held in Hawke's Bay. The visitors were entertained at were:-

Mr. R. C. Marks (Wanganul) Mr. Hernand—Remanded of and family (Wanganul) Mr. Hernand—Remanded of a C. C. Marks (Wanganul) Mr. Hernand—Remanded of a Wanganul Mr. Hernand—Remanded of a C. Marks (Wanganul) Mr. Hernand—Remanded of a C. Marks (Wanganul) Mr. Hernand—Remanded of the State of the

TENNIS CLUB HOLD A SUCCESSFUL DANCE

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Hawke's Bay

The Social Credit rally which has been held on the racecourse, Greenmeadows, over Easter, concluded on Monday, and the many visitors left for their homes, some at a very early hour.

This relies

Committee members present

an informal welcome on Friday evening last, a children's concert was held on Saturday evening, and on Sunday they were taken by car on a sightseeing trip around the Napier and Hastings districts.

Saturday was devoted chiefly to business and on Sunday evening an address was given by Mr. Burton on "Different Phases of Social Credit."

At the children's concert, items were rendered by the Misses Joan Sparksman, Marie Russell, Alice Price. Lauris and Lindsay Scott, Evelyn Stevens, and Mr. Clive Scott.

A community sing was conducted by Mrs. Were:—

Mrs Lang, wearing a black floral georgette frock with red corsage spray; Miss M. Ashcroft, a navy blue crepe de chene skirt with a dainty floral jumper; Miss M. Griffiths, apple green silk linen frock; Mrs Ashcroft, navy blue suede jumper suit; Miss M. Jeffray, London tan figured sheer silk frock.

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GRASS FIRE

Blaze Near Hatuma

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Outbreak On Farm

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An outbreak of fire on the property of Mr J. A. F. Swinburn, "Tourere," Hatuma, gave three women an unenviable experience on Monday. An area of nearly 150 acres of grassland caught alight shortly after noon, being first noticed by Mrs Swinburn.

Mr Swinburn and the other men were at the races, and Mrs Swin-burn and two friends, the only peo-

ple at the homestead, attempted to extinguish the blaze.

No help was available from neighbours, because of the races, and the fire had soon swept across valuable grassland, and involved a small plantation, despite the effects of

THREE WOMEN FIGHT UNUSUAL SETTING FOR A WEDDING RECEPTION

Beautiful Waikoko Gardens: Well-Known Hawke's Bay Families United

NELSON—SMITH WEDDING

St. Luke's Church, Havelock North, was the scene of an exceptionally beautiful wedding yesterday afternoon, when Cynthia, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs Ernest Smith, Wellington, formerly of Hawke's Bay, was married to Hugh, eldest son of Mr and Mrs Lionel Nelson, Wellington, who is a grandson of the late Mr William Nelson, of Waikoko, Hastings. The Rev. S. F. N. Waymouth officiated. Mrs Lionel Nelson sang a solo and Mr R. Warwick officiated at the organ.

The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a charming gown of cream satin, richly brocaded in gold. The gown, which fell to a long squared train, had long sleeves which came to a point over the hands, and the high neckline

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Mrs. Mason Chambers, grand-mother of the bridegroom, floral gown with furs and a black hat with feather mount.

Mrs. W. Blundell, Wellington, navy

Mrs. W. Blundell, Wellington, havy gown and hat to tone.

Mrs. Jack Lyons, the bride's aunt, paisley patterned wool crepe trimmed with burgundy, and burtain the state.

gundy hat to tone Mrs. Beatty, Eskdale, navy en-Miss Jean Lyons, moonstone blue with natural straw hat swathed in

Miss K. Somerville, Waipukurau, Marina green worn with Marina green felt hat trimmed with feather

F. Clark, brown ensemble Mrs. F. K. Faulkner, air force blu-

Mrs. F. K. Faulkner, air force dides suit worn with squadron blue hat with floral mount.

Mrs. Harding, bride's aunt, smart black ensemble and furs.

Mr. A. Parkinson home in Napier North, to-day after wearing a black costume, prune hat trimmed with floral spray.

Mrs. Turner Williams, navy ensemble

brown hat with blue quill.

Mrs. Selwyn Chambers, floral for a few days' holiday.

return home on Saturday.

brown hat with blue quill.

Mrs. Selwyn Chambers, floral gown worn with furs.

Rev. and Mrs. S. F. N. Waymouth, Mrs. George Nelson, Mrs. Hector Smith, Mrs. Eric McLean, Wellington, Mr. and Mrs. J. Swinburn, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Chambers, Mrs. Eric Nairn, Miss Irene Chambers, Mrs. Matthews. Irene Chambers, Mrs. Matthews, Wellington, Mrs. Peter Mitchell and the Misses Mitchell, Mrs. Self, Welthe Misses Mitchell, Mrs. Self, Wellington, Mrs. Bernard Chambers, and Mr. Ian Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Belcher, Mr. and Mrs. Waldron Harding, Waipukurau, Mrs. Ellison, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Giblin, Mrs. Wilson, Waipawa, Mrs. Harding and Mrs. Mitchell and the Misses Mitchell.

Absence Of Road Accidents

HAWKE'S BAY RECORD?

Favourable Comment By Inspector

CAREFUL MOTORISTS

Favourable comment on the almost entire absence of road accidents during the holiday period was made yesterday by the borough traffic inspector (Mr. H. A. Green) interviewed by the "Daily Mail." No accidents which involved serious injury or loss of life occurred on Hawke's Bay roads during the Easter. This is believed to constitute

record.
"It seems that the strenuous ef forts made by the authorities to promote road safety are bearing fruit," said Mr. Green. "The only accidents said Mr. Green. "The only accidents which occurred during the holidays were minor 'bumps' which would be expected in any normal week-end."

Mr. Green said that while motor ists appeared to be travelling at high speeds, he was sure that they were exercising more care than formerly

Council Vacancy.—An election will be necessary in Waipukurau to fill the vacancy on the Borough Council caused by the resignation of Mr H. A. Martin, who is leaving the district. The election, if more than one nomination is received by noon on April 27, will be held on May 8.

Banish Coughs, Colds. Influenza

BEAUTIFUL WEDDING SOLEMNISED

Goodall--Loach

A GOWN OF IVORY **BROCADED SATIN**

'Maids In Mermaid Blue

Una May, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs P. E. Loach, Hastings, was married in St. Matthew's Church last evening to Reginald Earnest, third son of Mr and Mrs F. Goodalt, Napier. The Rev. W. T. Drake officiated, and Mr R. Warwick was at the organ.

officiated, and Mr R. Warwick was at the organ.

The bride, who entered the church with her father, wore a beautiful gown of ivory embossed satin riche, having a long court train, long sleeves finished with a peak over the hands. A row of buttons trimmed the back of the bodice and shirred front which was finished with a heart shaped neckline. The bride wore a gold cross an heirloom, lent by Miss Simpson. The beautiful embroidered ivory tulle veil which was lent by Mrs T. Heighway was worn with a top-

ings.

Mrs Goodall wore a gown of black, patterned with gold under a wool lace coat. Her posy was in gold tonings and she wore a smart black model hat.

Later, when Mr and Mrs R. E. Goodall left for a tour of the North Island, Mrs Goodall was wearing a black. American model gown of

Island, Mrs Goodall was wearing a black American model gown of wool georgette with high neckline and relieved by a cluster of white embroidered flowers. White embroidered flowers formed the cuffs and she chose a black hat and a blue and black striped coat.

The wedding cake was beautifully iced by Miss I. Horn, a friend of the bride.

PERSONAL

HAVELOCK NORTH. Mrs. A. Parkinson returned to her home in Napier Road, Havelock North, to-day after spending a fort-night with Mrs. Len Payne, Te Aute Road, who has been nursing her

Mrs. M. Turner Williams, brown frock worn with a green hat.

Miss H. Chambers, blue gown, brown hat with blue quill.

Mrs. E. Cook, McLean Street, and her son Trevor, are leaving by car to-day (Wednesday) for Wellington for a few days' holiday. They will

CLIVE.

Mrs S. Leyland has left Clive to reside in Rotorua.

After a fortnight's tour of Auckland and Rotorua Mr and Mrs S. J. Dockary Jun., have returned to

Mr L. Howell, Paraparaumu Beach, is spending the Easter holidays at Clive.

Mr and Mrs C. Raymond and family, Matawai, Gisborne, are visiting Mr Walter Raymond, Te Awanga.

Mr and Mrs F. Merritt, Auckland, are visiting Mr F. Merritt's parents at Clive.

WAIPUKURAU. Miss Cavell and Mr Winter, of Wellington, are the guests of Mrs G. W. Hart, James Street, Waipuku-

Mrs B. E. Murphy, who has been visiting her sister, Miss A. Rood, Waipukurau, returned to Wellington yesterday, accompanied by Miss Rood, who will remain in the city for a short time.

Mr and Mrs H. P. Hole, of Waipukurau, have been the guests of Mr and Mrs L. D. Lovelock, Pahiatua.

Mr and Mrs C. A. Wadman, Waipukurau, have returned from a holiday near Levin.

Mr and Mrs I. W. N. Mackie and Mr John Mackie, Porangahau Road, Waipukurau, visited Wanganui for the collegiate school sports.

Miss Val Renner, Wanganui, has been visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs L. Renner, Hinemoa Terrace, Waipukurau, over Easter.

Miss Jean Marshall left Waipuku-rau yesterday for Gisborne, where she will in future reside.

To mark the breaking off of their engagement a young man and young woman belonging to well-known families of Cagliari, Sardinia, threv the engagement rings each had given the other into the sea rather than return them. The couple per Woods' Great Peppermint Cure gathered at the end of a pier.

AUTUMN LIMING

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Recipes for the Enterprising Housewife

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Forcemeat, one rabbit, 4 table-poonsful breadcrumbs, 2 table-poonsful chopped suet, 2 tablespoonsful chopped ham, ½ teaspoonful mixed herbs, 1 teaspoonful chopped parsley, grated rind of half a lemon, pepper and salt, 1 egg.

Wipe the rabbit and season inside wipe the rabbit and season inside with a little pepper, salt, and powdered clove; prepare the forcemeat of above ingredients and put inside the rabbit. Skewer the head, back, and legs on each side, cover the rabbit well with dripping and a piece of greased paper.

RABBIT AND LEEKS

Two young rabbits, 20z. bacon, 6 leeks, a blade of mace, parsley, 1 pint white sauce, water, seasoning. Cut the rabbits into neat pieces, then select the back joints, hind legs, and fore legs, reserving the other parts for soup. Dip each piece in seasoned flour, and lay them in a stew-pan with the bacon cut small, the mace, parsley, and half a pint of water. Let it come to the boil with the lid off the pan, then cover closely and let it simmer then cover closely and let it simmer for one hour.

STEWED RABBIT (BROWN)

One rabbit, sprig of parsley, 1 teaspoonful mixed herbs, 2 cloves, all tied in piece of muslin, 3oz. fat bacon, 1oz. flour, 1 onion, salt and pepper, 1½ pints of water.

Joint the rabbit neatly. Fry for a few minutes the bacon, cut into squares and then place in the casserole. Quickly fry the rabbit in the bacon fat and transfer it also to the casserole. Then fry the onion a light brown and place in the casserole. Add the flour to the remaining fat and fry until brown. Then stir in some of the water. Mix until smooth. Add the rest of the water, stir and bring to the boil. Pour the liquid over the rabbit and the onion. Then add the salt, pepper, parsley and herbs. Cook in a very slow oven for about 4 hours. until smooth. Add the rest of the water, stir and bring to the boil. Pour the liquid over the rabbit and the onion. Then add the salt, pepper, parsley and herbs. Cook in a very slow oven for about 4 hours. Remove the bag of herbs and dish the rabbit neatly with the strained gravy, to which a little browning can be added.

Then cover with stock and season with salt and pepper. Add a table spoonful of chopped parsley and simmer gently until the rabbit is quite tender. Mix a dessertspoonful of tomato ketchup and stir them into the stew, stirring until it has boiled for five minutes. Then serve.

When mushrooms are dear some tomatoes instead of the serve.

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RABBIT MOULD

plentiful the housewife has a happy substitute for the meat problem. Rabbits lend them-selves so readily to cool tempt-One rabbit, 2 dessertspoons of gelatine, 1 onion, pepper and salt.

Wash a young rabbit in salted water, cut up and put in a saucepan with 2 cups water, pepper, salt and a little sliced onion, \(\frac{1}{2}\)lb. diced bacon. Cook till tender. Remove selves so readily to cool tempting moulds for warm days and hot tasty stews for the colder days that they can become a positive boon for the householders that like fresh rabbits.

There are, of course, people who have a distinct dislike for them, but for the others we suggest a trial of these very good recipes. Most especially would we recommend the filling for sandwiches which can be so quickly made from any rabbit left from the meal to form a change in the kiddies' luncheon basket. bones, cut meat thin, and arrange in a square mould or basin.

Dissolve two dessertspoons of gelatine in the hot stock and pour over the rabbit. Garnish with shredded lettuce and slices of tomato. Slices of hard boiled egg may be placed in the bottom of the mould first.

RABBIT SALAD SANDWICH FILLING

AABBII PUDDING
Joint a young rabbit and lay it in cold water for an hour, then drain, dry and flour each joint. Well grease a large pudding basin and line with suet crust. Cut up about ½lb. pork and slice an onion. First put into the basin a layer of rabbit and then a layer of pork, and then some sliced onion. Continue until all is used.

Season to taste. Portl.

rabbit and then a layer of pork, and then some sliced onion. Continue until all is used.

Season to taste. Partly fill the basin with water—about three quarters full—and cover with more pastry. Cover all with greased paper and then tie on a cloth. Steam for 4 hours.

RABBIT WITH

MUSHROOMS

Takg'a young rabbit. Wash and cut it into neat joints; wash and peel 40z. mushrooms. Melt 20z. butter in

tine may be dissolved in the stock.

GLAZE FOR MEATS

Take a young rabbit. Wash and cut it into neat joints; wash and peel 4oz. mushrooms. Melt 2oz. butter in a stewpan, put in the joints of rabbit and the mushrooms, and fry

ENGAGEMENTS

The engagement is announced of Betty, daughter of Mr and Mrs A. Wright, Napier, to Basil Charles, second son of Mr and Mrs R. H. Florance, Haumoana.

The engagement is announced of Betty Graham, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs E W. Griffiths, Remuera, Auckland, to Eric Claude, second son of Mr and Mrs C. J. Diakie, Wayerlay, Taranaki Dickie, Waverley, Taranaki.

MOTHERS' UNION MEETS

Interesting Talk On Diocesan Van Work

HASTINGS AFTERNOON

Yesterday afternoon the members of the St. Matthew's Mothers Union held their monthly meeting. The short service which precedes the meeting was held in the St. Matthew's Chapel and conducted by Captoric Syteliffs of the Church Army. tain Sutcliffe of the Church Army.

After the service members gathered in the hall where Captain Sut-cliffe gave a most interesting talk cliffe gave a most interesting talk on his experiences of a few years ago, on a Diocesan Van which toured the backblocks of the Rotorua district, conducting services and doing a great deal of work among the people who were too far removed from the church centres to receive the individual attention of the individual attention of the church workers.

The Van, which was brought out from England, was furnished through the gifts of many generous people. Captain Sutcliffe was the first man to use the Van and during his 10 months of occuration he left for Palmerston after spending a ing his 10 months of occupation he travelled 7600 miles, which, as he said, gave indication of the distances covered in this branch of the church's work.

The speaker described the great interest the settlers took in the Van, and said that every service conducted in it was amazingly well attend-

(Other Women's News appears on Pages 2 and 9).

ed, members of all denominations, Roman Catholics, Presbyterian, Bap-tist, Methodist, various Maori religions, and others, flocking to attend the services wherever possible and watching the various lantern slides with which the Van was equipped.

The captain illustrated his talk with vivid little stories, some humorous, some tragic, and said how he would always treasure the experiences he had had in this branch of his work. He said that a large

In conclusion Captain Sutcliffe said that Captain Withers now had the Van, travelling in the Galatea district and asked his listeners to sometimes remember this phase of church work and perhaps lend of church work and perhaps lend

Mrs. Ralph Douglas, president of the union, thanked Captain Sutcliffe for his fine talk and said how much the union, thanked Captain Sutcliffe for his fine talk and said how much the information of the Van's doings would be appreciated. Members were reminded that the next meeting is to be the annual one. A dainty afternoon tea closed a very successful meeting.

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is spending her annual holiday in Hastings as the guest of Mrs. J. Walsh. Mrs George Sproats, accompanied by her daughter Irene, of "Gate

Mr and Mrs Claude Anderson, with their daughter Judith, have left for Palmerston after spending a fewdays with Mrs L. F. Peach, Fitz dis. roy Avenue, Hastings. Mrs New and her daughter Barbara, of Levin, are the guests of Mr and Mrs Perry, Napier. Miss New is a competitor in the Napier

Elocutionary competitions. Miss Patricia Hanley, who has been spending a holiday in Hastings

has returned to her home in Mas-Miss D. Downing, Hastings, is the guest of Mrs Adcock, Lyall Bay,

Wellington.

Miss Shirley Drummond, Dannevirke, who has been spending the Easter holidays in Hastings, has returned home. Mrs E. H. Smith, Wellington, who

is the mother of the bride at the Nelson-Smith wedding which took place vesterday, is the guest of her sister, Mrs John Lyons, Hautapu.

his work. He said that a large amount of Scriptural literature was distributed by the Van, the demand being often larger than the supply, and described the greater attraction the more brightly covered and illustrated books had for the Maori people than the more plainly bound ones.

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Mrs Lionel Nelson, Wellington mother of the bridegroom at the Nelson-Smith wedding yesterday, is staying with Mr and Mrs Mason Chambers, Havelock North.

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ACCEPTANCES for First Day's Races will CLOSE at the Office of the Club on FRIDAY, APRIL 28, at 9 p.m.

For Second Day's Races on FRIDAY, MAY 5, at 12 noon.

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EGMONT RACING CLUB ANOTHER HENNAH COUP AT RICCARTON

Kalika Keeps Up Record

FIRST DAY, THURSDAY, MAY 4. BEAULIVRE AND BEAUPARTIR Beaulivre Again AT THEIR BEST

Notes On Easter Form

(By MOTUROA).

Mr Jack Hennah, the well-known Hastings owner-trainer, has the old "horse-for-courses" rule beaten to a frazzle. His "owners-for-courses" rule is so infallible that certain gentry who deal in doubles and such-like little-known business activities quake at the knees whenever a Hennah-owned horse races at Riccarton. On such days the "limits" on Padishahs and Kalikas are halved.

Twenty-seven years ago the genial Jack was very littleknown in the racing world, but he had a Captain Webb gelding called Captain Jingle and, following a successful winter in the 'Bay, he progressed to Riccarton to pull off the Grand National Steeplechase. Captain Jingle won other races at Riccarton later on.

Padishah was the next big Hennah coup at the Christchurch fixture, winning a double in highweight classes a few seasons back to the good content of his connections. However, it was not until this season that Riccarton racegoers saw Padishah at his best. At the August meeting he won the Grand National Hurdles in brilliant fashion, and three months later, after being an unlucky runner in the New Zealand Cup, he landed the important Metropolitan Handicap at a good

Kalika, who has shown no form at all prior to her fourth at the Hawke's Bay meeting, kept up Hennah's remarkable run of successes when she scored in the Yaldhurst Handicap yesterday. Her price was the smallest yet paid by a horse in the Hennah colours at Riccarton, but she did the job in a manner which left the impression that it will be in a much stronger class that she will be racing next time she and her lucky owner storm Riccarton.

REAULIVRE, by his complete mas-Beaulivre's record to date is:tery of Beau Vite in the C.J.C. At Two Years. Champagne Stakes, has definitely established himself as the best colt

1st Masterton Nursery
1st Wellesley Stakes
2nd C.J.C, Welcome (head)
2nd G.N. Foal Stakes (neck)
3rd Royal Stakes (head, half head) of the year as well as the biggest winner among the two-year-olds. As such, he must now be regarded as No. 1 selection for next year's Der-1st Wellington Stakes (head, har head)
1st W.R.C. Nursery (9.7)
2nd N.I. Challenge Stakes (length)
2nd Stres' Produce Stakes (head)
1st C.J.C. Champagne Stakes
1st C.J.C. Challenge Stakes

For Second Day's Races on FRIDAY, MAY 5, at 12 noon.

Hawera Telegraph Office closes at 8 p.m.

The winner of any race after the declared not clapsed. Rehandicaps to be declared not later than 72 hours after the advertised starting time of the race won. Owners are responsible for all penalties and atlengments are responsible for all penalties. In the spring MINIMUM WEIGHT.—In all Handicap Manawatu Sires Produce Stakes (a head)

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Great Autumn Handicap Victory For Siegmund

Arctic King Second: Dictate A Close Third

By Telegraph-Press Association CHRISTCHURCH, April 11. CHRISTCHURCH, April 11.

The Canterbury Jockey Club's autumn meeting concluded in fine weather with an average attendance. The track was hard and fast. The totalisator receipts were £35, 128, as compared with £36,023 10/last year. The total for the meeting was £93,307 10/- as against £89, 348 10/- last year. ing was £93,307 10/- as agains 348 10/- last year. Results were as follows:—

PEERSWICK HURDLES, Of £300: 13 miles. 1-4-JEWISH LAD, 9.2 (L.

1-1—SILVER SIGHT, 12.7 (R. Register) 5-5—DRACULA, 9.0, car. 9.10½ (A. Stove)

Also started: 2-2 Sunee 10.8, 3-3

Pladie 9.7.

Passing the stands Dracula and Jewish Lad were in charge from Pladie, Sunee and Silver Sight. Going down the back Jewish Lad and Dracula were well clear of Silver Sight, Pladie and Sunee. Jewish and Shanghai Lily Rounding the few Dracula were well clear of Silver Sight, Pladie and Sunee. Jewish Lad drew out from Dracula crossing the top Gay Husar and Lights Out led from Avenal, Shanghai Lily, Swingtime, Mathiola, and Kalika. Gay Husar and Lights Out were still in charge turning for with Dracula six lengths away. Pladies was fourth. Time, 3.13.

CHALLENGE STAKES.

Of £500; 7 furlongs.

Avenal, Mathiola, 114.

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Star Aden Avenal, Silver Gay Husar and Lights Out led from Avenal, Shanghai Lily, Swingtime, Mathiola, 124.

(W. Cosgrove)

8-11—LOYALIST, 36yds (B. Rushton)

Also started: 14-15 Creep, 1

Night Nurse, 5-4 Indianola, 6-6 M rose, 1-1 Royal Chief, 16-17 Fortuking, with The Duel six lengths away. Swingtime was fourth. Time, 15-21 Happy King, 4-3 D

2—BEAU VITE, 7.11 (A. Mes-

servy)4—ARANUI, 7.4 (P. Spratt) ... Also started: 3 Moorsotis 7.6. The order from the start was Aranui, Beaulivre, Moorsotis and Beau Vite. Crossing the top, Ara
Also started: 1-1 Combat 8.13, 2

his colours in his next start to the brilliant Disdain, in the C.J.C. Spring Plate. Then he bumped up against Defaulter in the Derby at Riccarton. Beaupartir was still a maiden until Beaupartir was still a maiden until he won the Queen's Plate at Ellerslie and, after the King's Plate, Defaulter was again his bugbear in the G.N. Derby. Ten weeks later Cheval de Volee nosed him out of first money in the Taranaki Cup.

Beaupartir has improved with every race and there is little doubt that he was the outstanding galloper.

GREAT AUTUMN HANDICAP.

Of £1000; 1½ miles.

SIO, 1-1. Nightdress 8.7, 11-11 Amelita, car. 8.0, 2-2 Mungatoon 7.13, 10-10 Viking car. 7.1½, 5-5 Survoy car. 7.1½, 12-12 Ashaway car. 7.5½.

Two lengths and a half; neck. Thermidor was fourth. Time, 1.42 2-5.

GREAT AUTUMN HANDICAP.

Of £1000; 1½ miles.

Of £150; 6 furlongs.

that he was the outstanding galloper at Ellerslie last week-end, his A.R.C. Easter Handicap win stamping him as a class colt, whose recent successes are but a just recompense for his had luck earlier in the season.

OI 11000, 12 mines.

3.3—SIEGMUND, 8.2 (G. Tattersall)

9.9—ARCTIC KING, 8.11 (W. Doyle)

4.4—DICTATE, 7.7 (H. Wiggins)

bred from a Paper Money mare, has contested 11 races for six wins, four seconds and a third, his greatest losing margin being the length Beau Vite beat him by in the North Island Challenge Stakes, when he was caught short of a race.

A certainty beaten in two races at Trentham in the spring, Beaupar and hour late. As the result, the shades of night were falling fast around the backers of the winning favourite.

In the first place the first race wichman, Argentic, Queen of Song, Haughty Winner, Siegmund, Dictate was timed to start at 11.30 a.m. It was more than a quarter of an hour late and the starting times became late and the starting times became late and later as the afternoon progressed until the last race, timed to start at 4.50 p.m. was more than half an hour late. As the result, the shades of night were falling fast around the backers of the winning favourite.

Time, 1.30 2-5.

AUTUMN STEEPLECHASE.

Of £250; :.bout 2½ miles.

The leaders were the same at the far turn, and with half a mile to cover The Sandwichman was followed by Argentic, Queen of Sing, Siegmund, Rabble, and Dictate. The Sandwichman was followed into the shades of night were falling fast around the backers of the winning favourite.

Also started: 3-2 Pandine, car 9 (fell), (coupled with third horse. 1

around the backers of the winning favourite.

Lack of selling and paying out windows was mainly the cause for this and no doubt the club, after its very successful meeting, will consider extending the totalisator before next Boxing Day. As well, it would be a popular move with the public if the time between the races was curtailed five, or even 10 min. was curtailed five, or even 10 min- 2.2-GLOBE TROTTER, 8.13 (G.

It is superflous to comment on the 5.5—MASTER , HOTSPUR, 8.6 starting save that the acting-stipen-diary steward indicated to the Press 1.1—SERENATA, 7.13 (H. Wigthat it would be a matter for com-ment in his report to the Racing Conference. That, of course, is no fault of the cluster.

with happy results for his connec

tions.
Wildflower, who is a year younger than Siegmund, was at tall odds on Monday, but her win was not entire-

Monday, but her win was not entirely unexpected as she had been racing like an early improver. The Chief Ruler mare seems to be able to handle any sort of going and there will be more for her anon.

Egmont Entries.

THE jumping season is ushered in by the Egmont Racing Club's winter meeting at Hawera on May 4 and 6, and the programme is one which Hawke's Bay owners and trainers can ill afford to overlook. Big prizes are offered totalling f3250, an increase of £500 on last year. Several Hawke's Bay horses were listed among the winners.

The event of prime importance the first data in the Entries of the Ellis) ... 2

44—GIRONDE, 8.5, car 8.0 (R.

Humphries) ... 3

Also started: 3-3 Waka 8.8, 6-6
Lady Middleham 8.5, 8-7 Rebel Queen 7.13, car. 8.0, 11-11 Sky Pilot 7.12, 2-2 Rebellion 7.11, 12-12 Wexford Bridge 7.9, car. 7.2, 7-8 Elegy 7.7, 9-9 Screamer 7.7, 10-10 Bouillon 7.7, car 7.0.

Spartan was followed down the back by Master Dingle, Gironde, Rebellion was in second place to Spartan crossing the top, and they were followed into the straight by Gironde, Master Dingle and Waka. Spartan held his place to win by a

The event of prime importance the first day is the Egmont Steeple-chase, which carries a stake of £400 and is run over two and a half miles. On the second day the Adamson Steeplechase (of £300, two miles) is run.

Gironde, Master Dingle and Waka. Spartan held his place to win by a length from Master Dingle with Gironde half a length away. Elegy was fourth. Time 1.54 1-5.

TEMPLETON HANDICAP.

For the hurdlers there are the Tangahoe and Manawapou Hurdles, each of £175, and run over a mile 3.2—NIGHTCALM, 7.4 (A. Mesand a half.

The McRae Cup (of £400, 1½ miles) and the Davidson Handicap (of £300, nine furlongs) are the main handicaps, while £200 has been allotted the two open sprints, run war and six furlongs on re-

allotted the two open sprints, run over seven and six furlongs on respective days.

Hacks are well catered for, the second day's card including the Champion Hack Plate (nine furlongs), which carries a stake of £300, including a £25 trophy.

Nominations for all events close with the secretary, Mr. A. K. Fyson, Hawera on Friday week.

Wine Card 7.2.

Coming on to the course proper Nightcalm, Cocksure and Density were showing out from a bunched field. The leaders were the same into the straight, with Paper Slipper finished brilliantly to win by two lengths from Nightcalm, with Kilrobe a head away. Cocksure was fourth. Time 1.11 2.5.



BOLDSTEP, unable to cope with hack company at the Hawke's Bay meeting, im-proved remarkably to beat two strong open fields at Tauhereni-

nui and Beaulivre were together, followed by Beau Vite and Moorsotis. The field remained the same to the straight, where Beaulivre drew out to win by three lengths from Beau Vite, with Aranui a similar distance with Time 1.26 llar distance away. Time, 1.26.

YALDHURST HANDICAP. Of £250; 7 furlongs. 1-1—KALIKA, 8.2 (G. Tattersall) 2 2-1—SHANGHAI LILY, 8.5 (P.

servy)

Silver Avenal, Mathiola, The Duel, Jewish and Shanghai Lily. Rounding the far 13-16—SINBAD, ser (L. L. Aber-

away. Swingtime was fourth. Time, 1.27 4-5. GIMCRACK HANDICAP. Of £300, 6 furlongs. 3-3-PLUMAGE, 8.2, car 7.9 (C.

Beau Vite. Crossing the top, AraAlso started: 1-1 Combat 8.13, 2-2
Rex Maitland 8.4 (bracketed with Asset), 4-4 Barabbas 7.10, car. 7.12\frac{3}{4}, tir looked unlucky to have to lower 6-6 Improvident 7.7, 7-7 Papernilla

When the field had settled down Combat, Rex Maitland and Improvi dent were the leaders, and they were

followed on to the course proper by

Of £1000; 1½ miles.

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that it would be a matter for comment in his report to the Racing Conference. That, of course, is no fault of the club.

Relatives Win.

WILDFLOWER, that solid Awapuni mare who had a great record for consistency at two and three years, scored her first win as a four-year-old when she took the Easter Handicap at Feilding on Monday; yesterday her half-brother, Siegmund, won the most important race of his career when he annexed the Great Autumn Handicap from his track mate Arctic King, last year's winner.

Siegmund, who won the Wanganui Cup in February, has done a lot of travelling in the past few weeks. He raced at Catterton, Trentham, Awapuni and Hastings, winning at the latter fixture. On Saturday he was at Tauherenikau where he chased Trebor home, but he was shipped over the week-end to Christchurch with happy results for his connections.

Also started: 2-2 Royal Huntress, 7.0. Overproof, 7.9 Flash Guy, 14-14 Nancy Guy, 2-2 Foremost Junior, 2-2 Foremost Junior, 2-15 Nancy Guy, 2-2 Foremost Juni

5-5—SPARTAN, 8.2 (A. Mes-

Of £500; 6 furlongs.

Also started: 5-4 Top Row 8.3, 2-3 Cocksure 8.1, 1-1 Density 7.8, 6-6 Wine Card 7.2. King's Head 9 1 Ajax 9 0 Gold Rod St. Canstant 9 0 (N.Z.-bred) 9 1 Amiable 8 12 CHAMPAGNE STAKES. Six furlongs. High Caste Majunga (N.Z.-bred) 9 0 Cardinal Puff

Waireke 9 2 Penthides Bonny Loch 8 10 Avantout CUMBERLAND PLATE. One mile and three-quarters.
inga 9 3 Marauder
Constant 9 0 L'Aiglon Allunga St. Constant

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Black Banner Is Again First

OUTSTANDING JUMPER

Wins All Steeplechases At Riverton

By Telegraph-Press Association. INVERCARGILL, April 11. The weather was fine for the hird day of the Riverton Racing Club's meeting. The track was slightly slow after overnight rain and there was a big attendance. The otalisator handled £24,052 10/- as against £21,208 10/- on the third day last year, an increase of £2844. The total for the three days was £86,053 10/-, as compared with £79,083, an increase of £6970 10/-. The results were as follows:—

PRESIDENT'S HANDICAP. Of £150; 6 furlongs.

-FLEET STREET, 9.8, car. 9.1 (E. Baker) 1-1—WAITORU, 8.6 (J. W. Jennings)
7-7—MOONRAIDER, 7.7, car. 7.2
(W. F. Ellis)

Also started 4-3 Kippen, car. 8.5, 6-4 Garonne 8.12, 3-5 Hunting Chorus 7.11, 2-2 Silver Choir 7.9, car 7.121, 9-9 Pink Bond 7.9, 8-8 car 7.12\, 9.9 Pink Bond 7.9, 8.8 Crack o' Dawn, car 7.8, 10.10 Prince Flaneur, car 7.0. Length and a half, length. Hunting Chorus was fourth. Time, 1.17.

WAKATIPU TROT.

Also started: 14-15 Creep, 11-9 Night Nurse, 5-4 Indianola, 6-6 Mel-rose, 1-1 Royal Chief, 16-17 Fortune Fose, 1-1 Royal Chief, 16-17 Fortune King, 13-13 Avel, 12-10 Glenelad, 3-2 Viscosa (coupled with the second horse), 15-21 Happy King, 4-3 Drumoak, 9-14 April Direct, 7-7 Ra, 2-5 Flash Buy, 10-8 Bonnie Brydone, 17-18 Nancy Guy, Neck, neck. Viscosa was fourth. Times, 3.30 1-5, 329 2-5, 327 3-5

FIORD HANDICAP. Of £250, 1 mile.

Also started: 8-7 Wild Career 8.12, 6-3 Galleon car.8.7, 3-4 Thermidon 8.10, 1-1 Nightdress 8.7, 11-11 Ame Thermidor was fourth. Time, 1.42

Of £150; 6 furlongs. 4-3—HUNTING CHORUS, 7.11

8.11 (W. G. Ellis) Also started: 6-8 Silkwood 8.3, 2-Also started: 6-8 Silkwood 8.3, 2-2 Chirp 8.2, 3-4 Green Boa 8.1, 9-11 Vanity Queen 7.12, 7-7 Crack o' Dawn, car. 7.12, 8-6 Doctor Duthic car. 7.2, 10-10 Ramana car. 7.12\frac{1}{2}, 11-12 Airdrie 7.7, 12-9 Prince Flaneur car. 7.12.

Length and a quarter; three-quarters. Crack o' Dawn was fourth. Time. 1.30 2-5.

Γime, 1.30 2-5.

5-7—IRON DUKE, 60yds (E. Mitchell)

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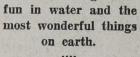
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