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EXTENT OF ONEKAKA IRON ORE DEPOSITS

Early Estimates Excessive: Exhaustive Survey Now Being Undertaken

By Telegraph—Press Association.
 CHRISTCHURCH, August 23.
 "At the moment it looks as if Mr Mackintosh Bell's estimates of the extent of the ore deposits were excessive," said the Minister of Industries and Commerce (the Hon. D. G. Sullivan), when asked to-day to comment on the report indicating that the available ore deposits at Onekaka, where it is proposed to establish State iron and steel works, are well below the original estimates.
 It will be many months, according to the Minister, before any definite estimate can be made of the extent of the ore deposits.

The report referred to the Minister was published in the "Motueka Star-Times" and said: "Although no official announcement can yet be made in respect of the density of Onekaka iron ore deposits, it is understood that tests recently carried out in Wellington disclosed a much more satisfactory position than was anticipated a few weeks ago."
 "It was then reported that tunnelling operations had not brought the results expected and that the Onekaka iron deposits were yet to be proved.
 "From inquiries made, it appears that the ore deposits at Onekaka are of a somewhat scattered nature, but on the Parapara block they are very much better. From what can be learned, it is believed that the rough estimate of 68,000,000 tons of iron ore previously made is very wide of the mark, and even a third of that quantity would perhaps be rather an optimistic estimate."
 "At the moment it looks as if Mr Mackintosh Bell's estimates were excessive, but exploratory work has not been carried sufficiently far to warrant my saying more at this stage."
 Reports of the geological survey made when Mr James Mackintosh Bell was director, were those on which the Government based its estimates in deciding to launch the State iron and steel industry at Onekaka, as outlined in the Iron and Steel Industry Bill passed in the short session of Parliament this year.
 Until the present surveys now being undertaken over the whole area, the details supplied in those reports were the only reliable official data available which could indicate the likely reserve supplies of ore in the three ore-bearing areas.

Comment on Report.
 This report was submitted to Mr Sullivan, who said: "It is as yet too early to draw definite conclusions. The work of investigation is proceeding as rapidly as possible, and it is probable that many months will elapse before anything definite can be said as to the extent of the deposits."



BASKETBALL IN AUSTRALIA.—A vigorous diving catch by Ruby Beattie (Queensland) in the match against New Zealand at Royal Park, Melbourne. The New Zealanders won this game by 13 points to 9.

FOUR MEN DEAD IN AMERICAN PRISON

Hunger-Strike Broken: Coroner Alleges Victims Were Tortured

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 PHILADELPHIA, August 23.
 A five-day hunger strike in the county prison, against what was declared to be "monotonous food," ended when four convicts were found dead in isolation cells.
 The superintendent, William Mills, announced that the men committed suicide, but the coroner said that there were mysterious circumstances surrounding their deaths.
 The bodies were black and blue and the skin was burnt off in places.
 Mills said that these men were the trouble-makers. The hunger-strikers succumbed gradually to the aroma of roast beef which was circulated throughout the prison, but the four men who died hung on doggedly.
 Mills denied that rubber hoses, live steam, and tear gas were used. He added that possibly the men were killed fighting among themselves.
 The coroner declared that the men had been scalded to death. Two State investigations are opening to-day.

MARITIME DISPUTE IN AMERICA

A DRAMATIC NEW DEVELOPMENT
"FIGHT TO FINISH"
Harry Bridges's Control Is Challenged

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 ATLANTIC CITY, August 22.
 The maritime labour dispute threatens to assume greater magnitude. The American Federation of Labour is organising a new department encompassing over 500,000 sailors, longshoremen, teamsters and radio operators, engaged on the Pacific, the Atlantic, the Mexican and the Great Lakes.
 Shipping President William Green declared that the department will fight to a finish against Harry Bridges and all C.I.O. maritime organisations.
 The move is the most ambitious undertaken by the Federation, and is the strongest blow ever launched against Bridges.
 Green anticipates that a number of C.I.O. members will desert to him as soon as the department is formed, thus clapping Bridges into a vice.

Miss Fleming is Eliminated

WOMEN'S GOLF TITLE
Exciting Struggle With Mrs Robinson
PLAY AT SYDNEY

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 SYDNEY, August 23.
 Playing her best golf since she won the championship in 1934, Miss Clive Robinson to-day eliminated Miss Fleming from the Australian Women's Golf Championship.
 The results of the quarter-finals are: Mrs Robinson defeated Miss Fleming, two up; Miss Kernot defeated Miss Lewis, 4 and 2; Miss Crago defeated Miss Sydney Jones, 2 and 1; Miss Ebert defeated Mrs McKay, 4 and 3.
 Play in the Robinson-Fleming match was most exciting. Miss Fleming lost the second hole, but took the fourth and fifth in par figures.
 Mrs Robinson, with a birdie three, won the sixth, only to see Miss Fleming record par figures at the eighth and ninth and turn two up.
 Miss Fleming held this advantage at the 11th, but Mrs Robinson, with another birdie three at the 12th and par four at the 14th, squared the match.
 The 16th and 17th were halved in par figures. Mrs Robinson downed a long putt on the last green for another birdie four. She came home in 36, two under par. Miss Fleming played very well throughout, but was beaten by superior golf.

PASSENGERS BY AIR

The explorer Sir Hubert Wilkins and his wife arrived at Honolulu by the Monterey en route to Australia and thence to Capetown to join Mr Lincoln Elsworth on his Antarctic expedition in November, states a United Press Association message.

PLANE CRASHES IN BERLIN

Pedestrians Killed
FORCED LANDING IN STREET

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 BERLIN, August 22.
 A military plane, in attempting a forced landing, crashed in a street in the centre of Berlin, killing five pedestrians and injuring three passengers.
 The pilot and a passenger were unhurt.

45 Young Lambs Shot

WHANGARA DISTRICT
Investigation Being Made By Police

By Telegraph—Press Association.
 GISBORNE, August 23.
 The police are investigating the shooting of 45 young lambs, some only two days' old, in the Whangara district, on the East Coast, in the past fortnight. A pea rifle was the weapon used.

SLOVAK LEADER'S FUNERAL

IMPRESSIVE SCENES IN PRAGUE
PARTY POLICY
Autonomy Is To Be Sought

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 PRAGUE, August 23.
 Eighty-thousand, including one hundred bishops and priests, attended the funeral of Father Hlinka. M. Tiso, the most prominent of Father Hlinka's supporters, giving an oration, insisted that Slovakian autonomy should be granted.
 The Slovak Radicals are remaining in mourning for six months.
 A triumvirate is directing the party policy.

Agreement Near Completion

AIRCRAFT PRODUCTION
R.A.F. 'Planes To Be Made in Canada
FRENCH RESERVE PLAN

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 (Received August 23, 10 p.m.)
 MONTREAL, August 23.
 An agreement between the British Air Mission and Canadian aircraft manufacturers for the production of R.A.F. planes is reported to be near completion.
 Sir Hardman Lever, head of the mission, promises a decision within a few days.
French Plant in Canada.
 The New York "Herald" states that it has learned from reliable sources that French interests, believed to be sponsored by the French Government, have completed plans for erecting a large aircraft plant near Montreal. The "Herald" comments that this move follows recent French-British general staff conversations.
 The plant is intended primarily as a reserve source of supply for the French Air Force.
 Land has already been purchased.

Devastating Form

FERRIER AT ADELAIDE
Australian Amateur Golf Championship
A ROUND IN 71

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 ADELAIDE, August 23.
 Ferrier again struck devastating form in the quarter-finals of the Australian Amateur Golf Championship. He defeated the veteran Ivo Whitton, 14 and 13. Ferrier had a morning round of 71.
 The South Australian, Winsor, slipped badly against Rymill, who won 12 and 11.
 Barker beat Higgins, 10 and 9; and Payne beat Hornum, one up.
 In the professional championship Von Nida beat Petterson, 7 and 6; Naismith beat Toogood, 7 and 6; Cremin beat Harvey, one up; Booth beat Anderson, 3 and 2.

TRIPLETS BORN ON EAST COAST

CHILDREN MAY HAVE KARITANE CARE
ISOLATED HOME
The Need For Special Treatment

By Telegraph—Press Association.
 GISBORNE, August 23.
 Triplets were born to Mr and Mrs Mohi Gerrard, Maori settlers living in an isolated part of the East Coast. They will have to receive special treatment, preferably at a Karitane Home, to survive, in the opinion of the district nurse.
 The home is so isolated that it is difficult to arrange for proper medical attention and facilities for the rearing of the babies, who are now under the care of the Waipatu Hospital Board.
 The Tairāwhiti Maori Land Board has granted a substantial sum which will be used in outfitting the babies if they are sent to a Karitane home.
 Australia is becoming independent of imported canned vegetables and vegetable seeds. The Commonwealth imported £100,000 worth of vegetable seeds annually some years back. There has been a steady decline in imports since.

American Note to Mexico

EXPROPRIATED LANDS
"Good Neighbour" Policy Affected
MORE CONCILIATORY

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 (Received August 23, 10 p.m.)
 WASHINGTON, August 23.
 The United States has delivered a second Note to Mexico regarding the expropriation of United States owned farmlands. It is understood that the Note merely reaffirms the belief of the United States in international law as a means of settling controversies.
 The tone is more conciliatory than that of the Note delivered by the American Secretary of State (Mr Cordell Hull) on July 21, because President Roosevelt's "good neighbour" policy is affected.

ANGLO-AMERICAN TRADE PACT

REVEALED BEFORE END OF MONTH?
CANADA'S PART
Much Speculation In New York

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 NEW YORK, August 23.
 The Ottawa correspondent of the New York "Gazette" says that it is persistently reported that the Anglo-American trade pact will be revealed before the end of the month.
 The correspondent adds that the new Canadian-American trade pact will be ready for signature in the early autumn.
 He predicts that the pact will reveal that Canada has paid a handsome price to facilitate the Anglo-American treaty.

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ASBESTOS CEMENT MANUFACTURE

A PROBABLE NEW INDUSTRY

S.I. DEPOSITS

By Telegraph—Press Association.
CHRISTCHURCH, August 23.

The development of an important new secondary industry in New Zealand is likely to follow the decision of two private companies to manufacture asbestos cement in the Dominion.

This decision will involve the exploitation of the extensive asbestos deposits in the Takaka Valley, in the mountainous district at the far northern tip of the South Island.

The Minister of Industries and Commerce (the Hon. D. G. Sullivan) stated in an interview that the Bureau of Industry had granted to two companies a licence to manufacture asbestos cement, and it was probable that at least one of them would be in production before very long.

One of the companies has extensive Australian interests, but the other is a purely New Zealand company. Both, it is stated reliably, intend to spend a great deal of money in exploiting the deposits, which for some years now have attracted interest as a likely new industry. There is a big local market alone in the Dominion for the product.

DIPLOMAS FOR NURSES

Post-Graduate Course

STUDENTS RECEIVE AWARD

Wellington Ceremony

By Telegraph—Press Association.
WELLINGTON, August 23.

Diplomas were presented to-day by the Minister of Health (the Hon. F. Fraser) to 18 students who had completed the post-graduate nursing course. The post-graduate course was instituted in 1928 and 133 nurses have now completed it.

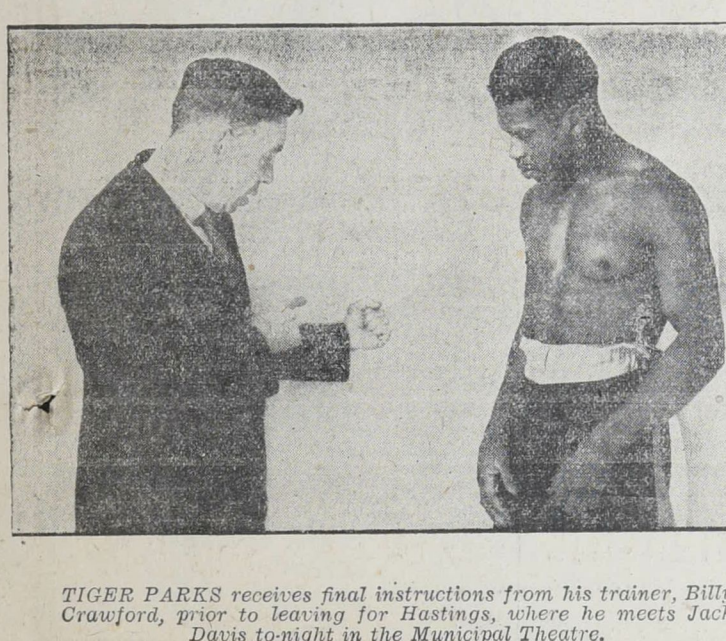
The following received diplomas: Nurse administrators and teachers in school nursing—Misses Muller (Auckland), Harrison (Waikato), Tattersall (Wellington), Retemeyer (Blenheim), K. Miller (Nelson), Irving (Dunedin), Wright (Balclutha), Fringle (Dannevirke), Burdett Brown (independent), Benner (Hamer).

Public health group—Misses E. Miller and McNab (Native Health), Clouston (School Medical Service), Robertson (Kong Chuen Hospital, China), Underwood (Auckland), Tamplin and Barnett (independent).

A film star met a producer on a Hollywood boulevard.

"How's business?" asked the star.

"Why," cried the producer, "it's stupendous, it's colossal, it's dynamic, it's unprecedented. . . it'll be better next week."



TIGER PARKS receives final instructions from his trainer, Billy Crawford, prior to leaving for Hastings, where he meets Jack Davis to tonight in the Municipal Theatre.

Regent

BRILLIANT MUSICAL COMEDY

Gladys Swarthout in Gay Film

Gladys Swarthout, John Boles and John Barrymore head the cast of a witty comedy studded with brilliant songs in "Romance in the Dark," the Paramount picture which will open to-day at the Regent Theatre, Hastings.

Miss Swarthout, in the role of the singer who must first turn housemaid and then princess to get her chance, and Boles, the stage favourite who creates a bewitching Cinderella who later conquers his heart, sing their way to romance while John Barrymore adds his comedy to the piece.

After making a celebrity out of his serving-girl and palming her off on Barrymore, his manager, as a Persian princess in order to take his mind off a countless girl who has been pursuing him, Boles realises that he has been too successful and has fallen in love with the result of his handiwork.

Although Miss Swarthout loves Boles, she turns on him in anger when she learns that she has only been used to further his romance with the countess and accepts Barrymore's offer to appear in his new show. As a "Persian princess" she is a spectacular hit, but when a newspaper exposes her as a fake, the audience denounces her and starts a barrage of carrots.

In a last effort to make her realise that he is sincere in his love for her, Boles rushes onto the stage, just as Miss Swarthout's act is about to be stopped, and with his influence on the audience turns her performance from failure into success.

The supporting cast includes Claire Dodd, as the beautiful countess, Fritz Feld, who won wide-spread attention for his comic performance in "Met Him in Paris," Curt Bois and Carlos de Valdez. H. C. Potter directed.

State

GANGLAND DRAMA TO-DAY

Thrilling Story and the "Jones Family"

An innocent romance that becomes involved in gangland intrigue and vengeance is the basis for "Law of the Underworld," RKO Radio's new thrill picture, which opens to-day at the State Theatre, Hastings.

With Chester Morris as a gang leader, who hides his criminal activities behind a screen of legitimate activities, the story revolves around Morris' struggles with his own subordinates, who are jealous of his prestige, and around the troubles of Anne Shirley and Richard Bond, a young couple who are forced into the gang by Morris and whom he involves in a new peril with the law.

Further complications are provided by the actions of Walter Abel, who as a racket-busting prosecutor, seeks to wipe out the crime ring of which Morris is the unsuspected head.

The Jones Family's newlyweds get off to a flying start, but Dad has to fly to the rescue in the newest of 20th Century-Fox's famous series, "Love on a Budget," which is the second feature to-day. The bride runs home to Mother, and "Get-Rich-Quick" Uncle Charlie moves in for the winter.

It starts out with the new home devoid of furniture. Then comes the perennial argument about whether the furnishings should be bought out of savings or on the instalment plan. There is a session of going home to mother; some bad cooking by the bride, and spattering of reckless talk of divorce.

Jed Froudy, Shirley Deane, Spring Byington, Russell Gleason, Kenneth Howell, George Ernest, June Carlson, Florence Roberts, and Billy Manhan are in their usual family roles, with Alan Dinehart, Dixie Dumber, and Marvin Stephens also featured.

Cosy

NOT A CASE FOR A PENALTY

Magistrate Satisfied with Explanation

In the Magistrate's Court, Hastings, yesterday, William Burfield, Hastings, was charged with having failed to pay standard wages to an employee.

Burfield gave the court an explanation of the circumstances attending the case, and intimated that the wages in question had now been paid in full.

The Magistrate said that he was quite satisfied with the explanation given and considered that this was not a matter for a penalty.

Beautiful Beatrice Roberts, Paul Kelly, William Gargan, Frank Jenks, John Gallaudet, Edward Gargan and Joe Downing have important roles.

"One Mile from Heaven," tells the human, exciting story of two mothers fighting desperately for the same child. Dramatically it presents the question of who has the greater right—the one who brought the little girl into the world, but thought her dead in a fateful car crash; or the one who nursed the child back to health, nurtured and guarded her, and came to love her as her own.

In this entangling situation is a girl reporter, assigned to track down the biggest news scoop of the year, yet to do so would blast the lives of three innocent people.

Claire Trevor is the reporter, with Sally Blane and Fredi Washington the mothers fighting for the same child. Douglas Fowley injects the villainy with his consistent portrayal of the ex-convict extortionist.

Skilfully directed by Allan Dwan, "One Mile from Heaven" is human, vibrant, dramatic, and thoroughly entertaining.

The great majority of headaches are due to uncorrected defects of vision. H. M. Bennett, F.I.O. (Eng.) Optician, Hastings Street, Napier.

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VARIED PROGRAMME NOW SHOWING

City Drama and Exciting Human Story

A really great and varied programme commences at the Plaza Theatre, Napier, to-day. It comprises two main features, together with the thrilling camera record of the epic fight, Louis v. Schmeling, in which each devastating punch is seen in slow motion.

"Universal's" "The Devil's Party" stars Victor McLaglan in one of his famous he-man roles.

Adapted for the screen from a novel by Borden Chase, this picture delineates the enduring friendships and fierce loyalties that develop among kids who grow up together in a great city.

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JACK DAVIS, the well-known Hastings welterweight, who will fight Tiger Parks to-night.

Mayfair

FINE GUEST-SEASON ATTRACTIONS

Ozark Mountain Story and Naval Drama

Every Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday at the Mayfair Theatre, Napier, is a guest season day and admission prices are: All stalls 9d, all circle 1/-.

The first attraction on the programme continuing this afternoon, with two sessions daily, is Virginia Weidler, Elizabeth Russell, and Henrietta Crossman, in "Girl of the Ozarks."

The young star has as her first vehicle a story of the life of a child in an isolated mountain village in the Ozarks, "Mill Stream."

Virginia falls into difficulties because of her high spirits and her free nature. Behind the moving story of the girl's troubles is worked a romance involving Leif Erikson and Elizabeth Russell.

When Virginia goes to the County Home, her pipe-smoking, mountaineer grandmother is sent to gaol. Release of the two and the happy ending of the romance leave all four back in the placid mountain life of Mill Stream.

The second big feature is a dramatic naval story, "Gentlemen of the Navy," starring Sir Guy Standing, Rosalind Keith, Tom Brown, and Richard Cromwell.

Sir Guy Standing, in the role of a retired naval officer who lives in the memories of his days at Manila Bay when he fought under Dewey, gives one of the most superb portrayals in his career. His gallantry, his faith, his utter loyalty, is a living symbol to the teaching and doctrines which Annapolis represents. His supreme moment comes when in the memorable, momentous finale he prefers to go down with his ship, giving orders to phantom fellow officers, rather than witness his sacrifice as a target in gunnery practice.

Gaiety-De-Luxe

BIG DOUBLE-FEATURE PROGRAMME

"She Loved a Fireman" and "Talent Scout"

Some of the most spectacular flame-fighting scenes ever shown upon a movie screen are promised in the Warner Bros. melodrama, "She Loved a Fireman," which opens to-day at the Gaiety, with Dick Foran in the leading role.

Foran plays a nervous fireman who comes under the command of a hard-boiled captain, portrayed by Robert Armstrong. The two become bitter enemies, even though Dick falls in love with Bob's sister, played by vividly good-looking Ann Sheridan.

This feud is ended by Foran's rescue of his superior officer during a gigantic waterfront blaze, in which boats as well as land apparatus combat the conflagration. During the waterfront conflagration, Bob is disabled and apparently doomed to death in the flames, when Dick, by superhuman efforts, rescues him, and peace is restored all round.

Dick Foran sings two excellent numbers in this thrilling story.

Five new songs, all written by the ace composing team of M. K. Jerome and Jack Scholl, are heard in "Warner Bros." Picture National comedy, "Talent Scout," the second feature on the programme.

It is a thrilling, exciting story of a modern Cinderella whose Prince Charming was a Hollywood talent scout, and her passport to fairyland, a one-way ticket to the world's amazing movie capital.

A novelty entitled, "In the Silent Picture Days," is sung by Jeanne Madden, who also sings "Am the Singer, You Are My Song" and "Born To Love." Miss Marquis, the torch singer of "Gold Diggers of 1937," sings a number called "No, No, Senor" and Miss Madden and Fred Lawrence sing in duet a love song entitled "I Was Wrong."

Added topical top off a splendid night of fun and thrills. Reserves at Gaiety Theatre, telephone 1060. No extra charge for booking.

State

THRILLING JUNGLE ROMANCE

"Tarzan's Revenge" and "Fine Comedy"

Two of the world's outstanding athletes, simultaneously making their first screen appearance in the same motion picture, are starred in "Tarzan's Revenge," Twentieth Century-Fox release of the Edgar Rice Burroughs romance, which is now screening at the State Theatre, Napier. They are Eleanor Holm and Glenn Morris, starred in a thrilling story of jungle life.

The jungle roars with new thrills, fierce tribes charge in battle, hundreds of wild animals fight for their king, and a glamorous girl answers the call of love in the exciting new film.

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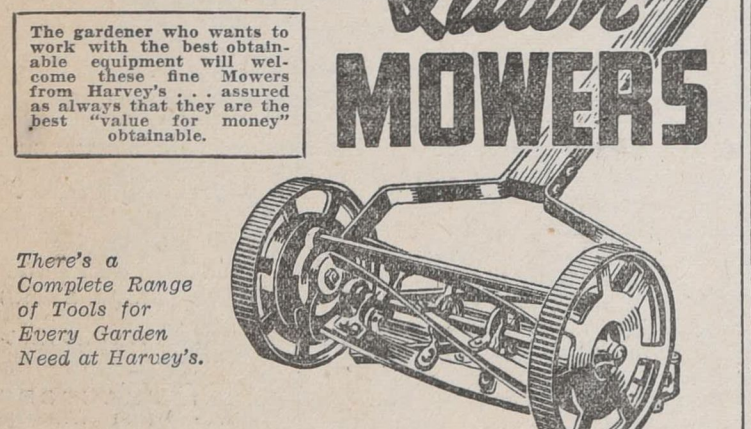


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Five o'Clock Gossip

Mrs I. Galbraith is a Hawke's Bay visitor to Wellington.

Mrs Pallot, of Napier, is spending a holiday in Wellington.

Miss E. McMullan, Hastings, is spending a holiday in New Plymouth.

Miss E. A. Hobson, Hatuma, is attending the Girl Guide camp at Masterton.

Miss Iris Horn, of Hastings, who has been the guest of Mrs Morrison at Taranaki, has returned home.

Mrs W. J. Miller and Miss E. Miller have returned to Waipawa after a short visit to Wellington.

Miss Joan Doughty, of Solway College, is spending the school vacation with her parents at Ormondville.

Mr and Mrs J. G. Stout and Miss Sally Stout of Wellington are visiting Napier.

Mr and Mrs W. M. Anderson, of Napier, are spending a short holiday in Wellington.

Mrs Hugh Rochford, Khandallah, Wellington, is at present on a visit to Napier.

Mrs Cecil Loppell, Puketapu, who has been spending a holiday with her sister, Mrs Murray Gibbs, Wanganui, has returned home.

Miss Olive Dixon, of Wellington, is spending the school term holidays in Napier as the guest of her mother, Mrs E. Dixon.

Mrs W. E. Barnard, accompanied by Mrs Feng Wang, wife of the Consul for China, arrived in Napier from Wellington yesterday. Mrs Feng Wang will give an address in Hastings this morning and will leave later for Palmerston North.

Mr and Mrs R. Sunderland, Undercliffe, Havelock North, were visitors to Christchurch for the inter-college football tournament.

Mrs H. A. Fanning, Nelson Street, Hastings, who has been to Auckland to farewell her daughter, Miss Nancy Fanning, when she sailed for England, later visited her son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs Crawford, Eltham, and has now returned home.

We would like you to know that we are now showing a collection of "Willwest" spring models. Frocks and suits, slick and trim-fitting as only "Willwest" tailoring can make them. Smart for indoors, warm under your spring coat and charming for the first bright sunny days. Obtainable only at "Victor Gowns," Hastings exclusive sale.

HANDBAGS HAVE BECOME GAY AND FANCIFUL

Victorian Reticules — Pigskin And Gilt Canvas and Woven String

During the past months handbags have gone more or less soberly clad in leather and suede, but with the coming of spring, with lighter frocks and flower hats, they have become gay and fanciful. Amongst the many new varieties are some charming handbags made in Ottoman silk in all the latest colours like parma violet, aquamarine, and beet. Their shape resembles miniature luggage, being rather square and solid in outline, while there is actually one design—a like a small round hat-box. In the same thick-ribbed silk, but part-coloured, is a handbag shaped like a round drawstring bag of the past. Yet another kind is made of two contrasting felts with a serrated edge. This pouch-like bag is carried in the hand and contains a smaller one inside.

Handle Bags of String

For some time out of favour, the handle bag is now firmly reinstated. Woven in string, from dazzling white to deep cream, it is particularly well adapted to go with summer clothes. There is another version of it in beads—smooth, glossy beads, scarlet, blue or green or done in dual schemes such as blue-and-white and brown-and-white. A pretty and inexpensive handle-bag seen recently was made in crash linen decorated by a band of flowery Tyrolean ribbon; another with crimson and green hearts in felt. Both bags would take a young girl's fancy.

Note On Sponge Bags

Sponge bags have become so pretty and ornamental that they well deserve a paragraph to themselves. In fact, some of them might now be adapted for ordinary use. The nicest ones are made in plaid silk or American cloth, quilted with contrasting thread. The latter come in lovely shades—jade-green, sky-blue, and shell-pink. One black bolster-shaped bag zipped and braided in yellow and another, green with pink, contained two light-weight composites in a single piece, a piece of soap wrapped in oilskin, and a small face-cloth, all to match. They would be invaluable to possess as a compact and cheap little beauty-bag while travelling at any time in ship or train.

Women's Golf at Dannevirke

PENNANT GAMES Waipukurau Teams' Win 7 MATCHES TO 3

It was a delightful spring day in Dannevirke yesterday for the final of the Pennant matches in which the Waipukurau Ladies' Golf Club defeated the Dannevirke Ladies by seven matches to three.

This brings to a conclusion an enjoyable series of inter-club matches throughout Hawke's Bay. The individual matches yesterday resulted as follows: Dannevirke players are mentioned first: A team: Miss A. Pritchard beat Miss Tareha; Mrs Knight lost to Mrs Hunter; Miss J. Drummond beat Miss J. Speedy.

B team: Mrs C. Hansard lost to Mrs Logan; Miss M. Drummond lost to Mrs Schroder; Miss J. Beedie lost to Miss Rood; Miss B. Riddell halved with Mrs Train.

C team: Mrs H. A. Henderson lost to Mrs Elliott; Miss N. Barker beat Mrs Coates; Miss J. Hansard lost to Miss Wilder; Miss E. Barker lost to Miss Cochran.

At the conclusion of the afternoon after a delightful tea, the donor of the cup, Mrs Jeffery, captain of the Hastings Ladies' Golf Club, presented it to Miss Riddell, captain of the Waipukurau Club.

Mrs Jeffery congratulated Waipukurau on their win and she hoped that other clubs would give them a good go for their next year.

Miss Riddell replied on behalf of the Waipukurau ladies.

Mrs Hulston, captain of the Dannevirke Ladies' Club, extended a welcome to the visitors and congratulated them on their win.

PATANGATA GOLF Bogey Match Is Arranged For Saturday

Following is the draw for the bogey match for Mrs J. Tod's Ladies' Golf Club on Saturday, August 27: Miss B. Tod plays Mrs Arnold; Miss Stephenson plays Mrs Logan; Miss Sutherland plays Mrs Tareha; Miss P. Williams plays Mrs Kenderdine; Miss C. Ryan plays Mrs M. August; Miss Ebbett plays Miss E. White; Mrs Ryan plays Mrs A. Williams; Mrs C. J. August plays Miss A. Collins.

"SLEEP ESSENTIAL FOR FITNESS" Teacher's Views on Healthy Children

"A factor of paramount importance in the race for physical fitness is the necessity for a sufficient quantity of sleep and rest," said Miss L. Lowe, president of the National Association of Head Teachers, in a recent address. "It is self-evident that the children of to-day are not getting enough rest to keep them well and strong. This lack of sleep is not confined to children of any one class or any particular type of school, but is generally widespread. It is responsible for much of the lack of vitality, and is the cause of many nervous affections and of the mental instability with which we are so familiar in our pupils."

"The solution of this problem of insufficient rest is in the hands of the parents—they are the guardians of their children's good, and we believe that as they realise that the health of their children is seriously impaired by loss of sleep and that their educational progress is handicapped, they will take the necessary steps to secure a maximum of sleep and rest for them."

Mrs Feng Wang's Address

GIVEN IN NAPIER Relief For Chinese Orphans PRACTICAL HELP

Speaking in an effort to enlist the sympathy of the residents of Napier, Mrs Feng Wang, wife of the Consul for China, addressed a large and enthusiastic gathering at the Napier Townswomen's Guild meeting yesterday afternoon, when she outlined the needs of needy people in New Zealand who could support or "adopt" a Chinese orphan.

"The scheme is for people in New Zealand to donate money towards a fund which will be sent direct to the Chinese Kaitsehek," said the speaker. "Every £3 of this money will be sufficient to supply food, clothing and education to one Chinese orphan for the period of one year."

Mrs Wang said that there were at present over one and a half million war orphans in China, and 25 schools had been established, with 5,000 children at each school.

"The following committee was appointed to finalise the appeal: Mrs W. E. Barnard, Miss E. M. King, Miss Jerome Spencer, Mrs Lewis, Miss Fanning, and Mrs Bowman."

Street Collection

A telegram was received and read from the Hon. W. E. Barnard, who stated that the Mayor of Napier, Mr T. W. Hercock had agreed to allow a joint street collection to be held for the Chinese Appeal and the Spanish Medical Aid Fund, the takings to be equally divided between the two bodies.

Canadian Art at Napier

GOOD DISPLAY Large Attendance at Gallery

The exhibition of Canadian contemporary paintings was opened at the Napier Art Gallery last evening and attracted a very large attendance.

The exhibition was opened by Mr T. M. Geddis, a vice-president of the society. The collection has been sent out to New Zealand by the National Gallery of Canada, on behalf of the Carnegie Corporation of New York, and has attracted widespread interest throughout New Zealand.

The exhibition was presided over by Mr N. Kettle, president of the Hawke's Bay Art Gallery and Museum.

A short, but interesting, address on pictures was given by Mr R. Hipkins, a former resident of Napier, and now of Wellington.

At the conclusion of the exhibition the visitors were entertained at a delightful supper arranged by the following social committee members: Mr A. Boyd-Turner (secretary), Mesdames F. N. Harvey, S. Scoullar, H. H. Barnett, J. Drummond, I. Logan, L. D. Bestall.

Among those present were: Mr and Mrs L. D. Bestall, Mr and Mrs R. Hipkins (Wellington), Mr and Mrs Ritchie, Mr and Mrs E. A. Williams, Mr and Mrs J. Drummond, Mr and Mrs A. B. Hurst, Mr and Mrs L. Clarke, Mr and Mrs H. W. Dowling, Dr. and Mrs F. N. Fussell, Mr and Mrs Hugh Lynch, Mr and Mrs J. P. Thompson, Mesdames Russell, Duncan, C. Vigor Brown, R. Tattersall, J. Fairclough, Watson, W. J. Geddis, R. Bestall, S. Henderson, J. Cornford, E. C. Inkster (Wellington), Shirley Bicknell, N. Oxford, P. Reaney, F. W. Martin, K. Thompson, C. E. McIntosh, L. W. Bridge, T. Sanderson, F. N. Harvey, Gilray (sen.), J. Clark, A. A. Sinclair, Bruce Bear, D. Milne, Misses C. Fanning, Leithard (2), O. Anderson, Pasley, J. Spencer, O.B.E., S. Fanning, E. Brown, J. Cornford, Neill, M. Spriggs, R. Clark, K. Matthews, H. Hull, L. N. Croft, E. and M. Retemeyer, Haver, E. Harvey, N. Sinclair, E. Ross, Barrow (2), Dr. C. Eichbaum, U. M. Greenwood, R. K. Hughes-Jones, Milne, J. Young, Messrs N. Kettle, C. Bagley, L. Theakstone, T. M. Geddis, C. H. F. Pollock, J. St. J. Hindmarsh, J. A. L. Hay, L. Martin, G. Anderson, A. M. Retemeyer, W. H. Carter, Hayter, S. Hole, O. Thomas.

DISPLAY OF DRILL AND DANCING

Evening At Havelock IONA COLLEGE PUPILS Shakespearean Work

An excellent display of drill and dancing given by the pupils of Iona College, Havelock North, last evening, was thoroughly enjoyed by the parents and friends who were present.

The visitors were received by the principal, Miss C. McNeil, and various members of the staff were also present.

The drill was divided into three groups, junior, intermediate and senior, and in each section the work was splendidly carried out. Exercises, both difficult and attractive, were a pleasure to watch and gave evidence of much careful training from the drill mistress, Miss Betty Griffiths. The keenness of the pupils and their very smart appearance also added to the general effect.

Besides the three groups of drill there was figure marching and balance bench drill by the senior pupils and also several country dances. The junior pupils contributed a marching dance, a country dance "Gathering Peasants," and a dance, "Jack Be Nimble, Jack Be Quick," which was unusual and attractive.

The intermediate pupils gave two country dances, "If All The World Were Paper" and "Swedish Clap Dance," and the senior pupils a country dance, "Picking up Sticks," and also "Dance des Millitons," beautifully carried out, those taking part wearing dainty green Grecian gowns.

After an interval two short scenes from "As You Like It" were excellently given. These were: Act I, Scene 3. A Room in the Duke's Palace. Rosalind's Banishment.

Act III, Scene 2. The Forest of Arden. Rosalind and Celia meet Orlando.

The cast were Rosalind, E. Steele; Celia, Y. Smith; Orlando Duke, L. Stein.

The costumes and setting were most attractive and the acting itself was very good indeed.

The concluding item was "The Scarecrow," a Halloween Fantasy in One Act by J. A. Ferguson. This unusual and clever little play based on the old superstitious beliefs and practices which survived in the remote Northland much later than elsewhere, gave scope for some splendid acting and the performers were heartily applauded. The cast was as follows: An Old Woman, E. Steele; a "corkman," J. Gray; a young woman, Odette.

The whole evening's entertainment was very much enjoyed and the parents, especially, who were present were pleased to have an opportunity to see the progress which their daughters had made.

Among those present were: Mr and Mrs J. B. Campbell, Mr E. C. Clarkson, Rev. and Mrs R. B. Waugh, Mrs H. E. Phillips, Mrs Rosenberg, Mr and Mrs A. Smith, Dr and Mrs K. E. Crompton, Mrs J. Landels, Mrs A. D. Whyte, Miss Marjorie Couper, Mr M. R. G. Matheson and Miss Leslie Matheson, Mr and Mrs Neil Appleby, Mrs J. MacLennan and Miss Fairlie MacLennan, Miss Wacsmann, Mr and Mrs A. F. Glenn, Mrs H. Lovell-Smith, Mrs R. D. Brown, Mrs A. F. Redgrave, Mr and Mrs H. A. Mossman, and Miss Mary Mossman, Miss D. Giles, Mr and Mrs C. G. Wilkinson and Mr Ian Wilkinson, Mr and Mrs Maney and Miss C. Maney, Miss Ailie Baird, Mrs Bruce Williams, Mr and Mrs C. R. Bayly, Misses Kathleen and Jean Frogley, Miss Janet Routledge, Miss Marie Lewis, Miss Alison Bridge, Miss Mary Richmond (Wellington), Mr and Mrs Gordon Campbell, Mrs D. W. Hursthouse, Miss N. Griffiths (New Plymouth), Mrs H. Gill, Mrs Nimon, Miss Helen and Mr Kenneth Cameron; Messrs David Stephenson, Bruce and Jim Baird, Bruce Cumming, Brian Bridge and W. Cook.

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Mrs de Castro feels that at the present time there is a greater need than ever for everyone to join the English Speaking Union and help to bring into reality the ambition of the movement, the peace of the world and the progress of mankind.

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The Suggestion of an Old Sea Captain

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TWENTY-FIRST BIRTHDAY

Jolly Surprise Party

MISS R. SEVERINSEN GUEST OF HONOUR

Makaretu Evening

A very jolly surprise party visited the home of Mr and Mrs Charles Severinsen, "Paratara," Makaretu, one evening recently to do honour to their daughter, Miss Rose Severinsen, on the occasion of her twenty-first birthday. About 45 happy folk attended, and a very jolly time was spent in dancing, games and music.

The waltz had been beautifully decorated with greenery, and a highly polished floor added greatly to the fun and enjoyment of the happy band of dancers.

Supper was served in the dining-room, which looked very bright with beautiful bowls of violets, daphne and japonica. The birthday cake was cut and Mr A. Pedersen proposed a toast to the guest of honour. This being responded to with musical honours.

Miss Severinsen later thanked everyone for their good wishes and beautiful gifts.

After supper everyone joined in singing old and new songs, the accompaniments being played on the accordion.

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Method: Wash the apricots well, cover with water, and soak overnight. Put them into a large pie-dish with 2oz. sugar and sufficient water to come halfway up the fruit. Beat the butter until soft, add 5oz. sugar, and beat again. Add 1 egg and a little flour, beat well. Repeat with the second egg. Stir in the remainder of the flour and baking powder, adding a little milk to bring the mixture to a soft consistency. Spread the mixture on the top of the apricots. Bake in a moderate oven for 1 to 1 1/2 hours. Test with a skewer. Sprinkle with sugar and serve hot.

FIG PUDDING

Ingredients: 1lb. flour, 1lb. white breadcrumbs, 1lb. shredded suet, 6oz. figs, 1 teaspoonful baking powder, 1 teaspoonful grated lemon rind, 3oz. sugar, 1 egg, milk to mix, and custard sauce.

Method: Chop the figs and put all the dry ingredients into a basket mix well, add the beaten egg and sufficient milk to bring to a soft dropping consistency. Beat thoroughly and put the mixture into a prepared basin, cover with greased paper, and steam for 2 hours. Turn out and serve with custard sauce.

DRIED APRICOT JAM

Ingredients: 1lb. dried apricots, 2 1/2 pints cold water, 3lb. sugar, 1oz. almonds.

Method: Thoroughly wash the apricots in several warm waters and cut each into four. Cover with the cold water and soak for 24 hours. Put the apricots and the water into the preserving pan, add the sugar, and boil for about an hour or until thick. Blanch the almonds, split in half and add to the jam about ten minutes before it is finished cooking. Pour into jars and cover.

PRUNE AND RICE MOULD

Ingredients: 1/2 pint prunes, 1 dessert spoonful demerara sugar, 1oz. candied peel, 3oz. rice, 1 1/2 pints milk, 2 dessert-spoonfuls sugar.

Method: Soak the prunes in cold water overnight, and then put them into a stewpan in the water in which they have been soaking. Add the demerara sugar and the candied peel cut into small pieces and cook them until the fruit is soft. Take out the prunes, stone them, and boil the syrup rapidly for about 5 minutes. The candied peel may be left in the syrup or strained out. Wash the rice, put it in a saucepan with the milk and the sugar and cook it slowly until it has absorbed the milk. Then stir the prunes into it, turn the mixture into a wet mould and leave it to set.

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Felt Sports Hats

Sports hats are always made of felt with their brims rolled up on one side or at the side and back, while large quills and wings arranged in pairs to give the impression of birds alighting on the hats are the most popular ornaments. A number of new hats to wear in town are made in two distinct colours; one side may be pink, the other black, and there are mixtures of materials also, such as jersey with velvet. Heavily draped jersey turbans are fashionable again. Agnes, Suzy, and Rebooux are making them in bright, strong colours to wear with black ensembles. Thus a deep, cornflower-blue model goes well with black and a new shade of geranium-red is equally pleasing. While for the afternoon there are stilettoes made of closely curled ostrich-feathers which will take the place of the flower toques shown earlier in the season.

Ostrich Feathers

Large capelines trimmed with ostrich feathers, ribbons, flowers, and long one in the middle of the back will give an invalid comfort. A large blanket, drawn up under the arms and fastened at the back of the chair with a safety-pin will keep an invalid warm.

APRICOT DUMPLINGS

Ingredients: 1lb. dried apricots, 1 pint of water, 8 tablespoonfuls flour, 1 teaspoonful baking powder, 1/2 teaspoonful mixed spice, 1 tablespoonful sugar and 4 tablespoonfuls shredded suet.

Method: Soak the apricots in the water overnight. Sieve together the flour, rising, spice, sugar, and add the suet. Mix to a soft dough with a little water. Mould a piece of dough round each apricot to form a dumpling. Into a saucepan place the water in which the apricots were soaked, add 2 tablespoonfuls demerara sugar and bring to the boil. Put in the dumplings and cook for 1/2 an hour. Serve with the juice as a sauce.

APRICOT MOUSSE

Ingredients: 1/2 pint apricot puree, 1 1/2 tablespoonfuls powdered gelatine, 4oz. castor sugar, juice of a lemon, 1 pint cream, a gill of water, 3 whites of eggs, a few apricots and some angelica.

Method: Soak the apricots overnight in sufficient water to cover them, then cook them in the water in which they were soaked. Put through a fine sieve and measure 1/2 pint. Put the gelatine, water, and sugar into a saucepan and stir till the sugar and gelatine are dissolved when take off the fire and add the strained lemon juice and the apricot puree. Add the whipped cream and then fold in the whites of eggs, beaten to a stiff froth. Turn into a wet mould and leave to set. Turn out and decorate with apricot halves and leaves cut out of angelica.

FIG AND RAISIN PUDDING

Ingredients: 3oz. flour, 3 oz. breadcrumbs, 3oz. sugar, 1lb. dried figs, 1lb. seeded raisins, 1lb. suet, 1oz. candied peel, 1 lemon, 1 egg, pinch of salt, milk and water to mix.

Method: Well wash and dry the fruit. Remove stalks from the figs and cut in small pieces. Chop the suet very finely and mix with the flour, add salt, breadcrumbs, grated lemon rind and sugar. Cut the peel into small pieces and add together with the figs and raisins. Mix all well together. Beat the egg and add a little milk and water. Add this to the dry ingredients making the mixture not too moist. Put into a greased mould or basin, cover with greased paper and steam 2 1/2 hours. Serve with sauce.

DATE CREAM PUDDING

Ingredients: 1 pint milk, 1 1/2 tablespoonfuls fine tapioca, 1 egg, 1 cupful sugar, 1lb. dates, few drops vanilla essence.

Method: Cook the milk and tapioca together about 15 minutes, then add the yolk of egg and sugar beaten together, and the dates, stoned and cut into small pieces. Add flavouring. Cook about 15 minutes longer, remove from fire and fold in beaten white of egg.

PEACH BUTTER

This is a delicious filling for tarts sandwiches, etc. Ingredients: 1lb. dried peaches, 4oz. butter, 1lb. castor sugar, strained juice of 2 lemons, 2 eggs. Method: steep the dried peaches in cold water overnight, then place them in a pan and stew until tender. Strain the puree through a sieve and return to the pan, adding the butter, sugar and lemon juice. Turn into a wet mould and leave to set.

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APRICOT AND PINEAPPLE JAM

Ingredients: 2lb. dried apricots, 10 cups water, 7lb. sugar, 7 bananas, 1 large tin crushed pineapple (fruit and juice).

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COMING-OF-AGE DANCE

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JOLLY PARTY HELD IN NAPIER

Many Young Guests

The home of Mr and Mrs George Stevens, in Wellesley Road, Napier, was ablaze with decorative lights on Saturday evening, the occasion being the coming-of-age of their daughter, Miss Joan Stevens, for whom they gave a delightful dance.

Mr and Mrs Stevens received the young guests in the entrance hall. Miss Stevens was wearing a handsome pale blue georgette gown patterned in shades of gold, pink and darker blue, with a blue velvet coat.

The guest of honour, Miss Joan Stevens, looked very smart in her dainty frock of ivory taffeta, made simply with a very full skirt and large, puffed sleeves, in which were crystal earrings and necklace.

The house was beautifully decorated with masses of flowers and streamers. The large drawing-room had been cleared for dancing and was gaily decorated with red, green and orange streamers, in which were entwined dozens of twinkling lights of various colours and clusters of balloons. Large folding doors separating the lounge rooms were thrown open to make one room and here again streamers, lights and balloons were attractively arranged.

A very happy evening was passed in dancing, games, competitions and streamer dances, and two humorous sketches given by Mr Douglas Storey were greatly appreciated by the guests.

A delicious supper was served, the tables being attractively arranged with Iceland poppies and maiden-hair ferns. The beautiful birthday cake, surmounted with 21 candles, and led in primrose tones, was greatly admired.

The toast to the popular guest of honour was proposed by Mr Douglas Denham and heartily responded to. Mr Stevens replied on behalf of his daughter, and then presented her with the traditional golden key.

Among those present to wish Miss Stevens a very happy birthday were, Mr and Mrs G. Stevens, Mrs L. Lindsay, Misses Ruth Tocker, Joan and Audrey Somerset-Smith, Molly Burge (Hastings), Betty Cray, Margaret Holc, Erica Mason (Hastings), Emmeline Tombs, Connie Smith, Avis Apperley, Norma and Betty Abbott, Leslie Norrie, Muriel Anderson, Messrs. G. Barlow, J. Clark, B. Nichol, D. Denham, J. and N. Stevens, C. Lee, D. Storkley, J. Stevens (Wellington), B. Eckel, F. Masters (Hastings), H. Colmore-Williams, B. Sinclair, I. Apperley, O. Somerset-Smith, F. Corner.

Miss June Barson, the winner of the quest for New Zealand's Deanna Durbin which was conducted by the ZB stations will be appearing at the Municipal Theatre, Napier, on Monday, August 29, and in the Municipal Theatre, Hastings, on Tuesday, August 30, at 8 p.m. Intending patrons are recommended to reserve early as these are Miss Barson's only appearances in Hawke's Bay. Box Plan at Denton Wyatt's Hastings, and at Fairclough's, Napier. Prices of tickets advertised elsewhere in this issue.

Organised by the Commercial Broadcasting Service to encourage and develop New Zealand talent, the quest was conducted in conjunction with New Universal Films, discoverers of the original Deanna Durbin, who, at sixteen years of age, became a radio and screen sensation in America.

From a modest beginning at ZB, interest quickened, the winner being acclaimed with tremendous enthusiasm in crowded streets and theatres. This success was repeated at Auckland, Christchurch and Dunedin, and altogether over 1000 voices were tested. From these the four finalists were flown to Wellington from their respective centres on Sunday, January 16, 1938, the studio being crowded out several hours prior to the final test.

Each finalist sang an "own choice" song before the test number which was heard privately by five judges. Speculation among studio and street crowds and thousands of listeners was keen, and the result, which was obviously anticipated, was acclaimed with prolonged applause.

In an interview, Mr C. G. Scrimgeour, Controller of the National Commercial Broadcasting Service, mentioned that the success of the quest had been a most interesting experience for everybody concerned. "In my long experience of radio," he said, "nothing has given me greater pleasure personally, than the hearing of those fresh young New Zealand voices, many of them of real colouratura type. The quest has also demonstrated that the introduction of radio has not destroyed the desire to excel in the art of singing, at all events. In fact, it has been just the opposite. Commercial radio has actually been able to assist this natural and beautiful impulse."

The public are urged not to miss this chance of hearing New Zealand's talented young performer. Remember, Napier, Monday, August 29; Hastings, Tuesday, August 30.

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The Family And Social Security

Sir,—I was more than a little surprised by the contents of a letter which appeared in your Monday's issue under the heading "Private Enterprise". Will your correspondent please tell why widows, invalids, war and old age pensioners will be called upon to support "aduit dependents" as the existing trend is just the opposite, and without doubt has an adverse effect on our present birth-rate since it is an economic drain on many young married people and a delaying influence on early marriage.

How have the "fathers and mothers of nine" or "nineteen" been "totally disregarded"? If "Private Enterprise" can tell us of any people who will benefit more widely under this scheme's medical, surgical and hospital clauses than the parents of large families I feel we shall all feel enlightened.

Do we evolve or are we static? Cromwell reformed Parliamentary representation, but after his death the old system was silently restored. The Reform Bill was called on in 1830 and the then Prime Minister stated that the system of representation possessed the full confidence of the country and that as long as he held any station in the Government he should always feel it his duty to resist such measures.

On the passing of the Bill (June 7, 1832) this gentleman was in opposition, Jeremiah-biase he said: "We can only hope for the best, but few people will be sanguine enough to imagine that we shall ever be as prosperous as we have been."

One hundred and six years have passed and yet that statement of the Duke of Wellington would stand today for the opinion of at least half of those opposed to the present Government legislation. The restraining influence then is the same today—self-interest. — I am, etc., X.Y.Z.

Tragedy of the Balkans

Let me show you round Bulgaria. It has shared all the tragedy of the Balkans—the powder magazine of Europe. It has felt all the tension of an area where the European and Asiatic minds meet. It keeps its relics of blood feuds and passionate jealousies.

Nor are these dead and done with. We fear for Bulgaria's borders today are not pleasing her—she chafes at restraint.

Leaving all this aside, let us come (preferably in autumn) to this land of the Balkans when the climate is perfect, the days clear, the sunsets over the hills glowing and wonderful.

All there with autumnal glory, all hung with russet, gold, and crimson banners. There are bears and wolves higher up the slopes—and jackals, too, not to mention wild boars, with eagles circling above.

We find farms in the valleys and lowlands—and in the Danube plain, the peasants owning their own little region. Good crops are raised, and these include not only tobacco, but also roses, millions of them being used for distilling into otto of roses.

The rose gardens are found in 148 parishes in an area of 12,600 acres, and the chief roses cultivated here are the red rose and the white rose. A sight indeed is to see them flowering in all their queenly beauty, the scent wafted for miles. The best gardens are at Stara Zagora, Karlovo, Kilsura and Kazanlik.

As for the typical Bulgarian in this land of mountains and roses—he lives a hard life, with little more than bread and cheese to eat, a little meat, and a rare glass of vodka.

He is strong in his open lands, but grows weak in towns. If he is not a gardener or farmer he may be a weaver—making cloths and carpets of Bulgarian wool.

We may be pretty sure of good roads wherever we go, the Bulgarian having a natural instinct for road making; but if we want to explore a little we shall find ourselves tramping lanes where oxen may stick fast in the mud. Some day, may be, the Bulgarian will finish his task.

Retired ICEFLOE DOG

It is quite legal for friends to play poker for money in a private house.—Ed.

Living in Comfort ALL THE MODERN LUXURIES

After all the rough and tumble life Jolly has led on an iceflo in the Far North he is now enjoying a degree of luxury which rarely comes to even the most fortunate in the Empire. Jolly's dog has its day, is the old saying, and jolly days they are for this famous dog, which was with the Russian scientists during their astonishing nine months of drifting in the Arctic.

He is an Eskimo dog, and therefore used to roughing life in the open; but now he is the great attraction of the Moscow Zoo, his master, Ivan Papanov, only allowing him to be exhibited after being assured that Jolly would be treated like a lord.

At his master's request, he has a kennel ventilated by electric fans which switch on automatically as soon as the temperature begins to rise; and he has an artificially cooled swimming-pool in which to exercise.

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FARM LABOUR SCARCE

Placement Officers' Views

In view of the recent reported shortage of farm labour, the "Daily Mail" interviewed the placement officers for Hastings and Napier recently and learned that the shortage was more evident in the former town.

There are several factors contributing to this shortage of labour, said the Placement Officer at the Hastings centre (Mr H. S. Robinson).

It is difficult for farmers to find married men willing to take employment on farms owing to the difficulty of convenient schooling for their children, and of suitable accommodation for their families.

If farmers would trouble to build accommodation for married men this would go far to solve the problem of farm labour in Mr Robinson's opinion.

There is actually no shortage of labour, but the existing conditions are not sufficiently attractive to induce men to take what employment is offering on farms.

It is understood that there is a definite shortage of junior shepherd-facilities, and on this account labour is very difficult to obtain.

The Modern Girl

Sir,—What's wrong with all the girls of today? Are there no old-fashioned girls left? One girl I happen to know invited me to her house one night, and after she had talked about how much she went out, she decided to make some tea. It tasted like dish-water.

What's wrong with the girls of today? Do they spend all their time putting on lipstick, or cosmetics, and in drinking and smoking, which I and lots of other boys hate? Give me the good old fashioned girl who can cook a good feed. — I am, etc., OLD FASHIONED BOY.

Death of a Pioneer

MRS ANNIE WILLIAMS
Link With Early Days at Te Aute

The death occurred at Hastings on Monday of Mrs Annie Williams, widow of Mr William T. Williams, of "Awarua," Te Aute, at the age of 83 years.

Mrs Williams was a daughter of Mr William Puckey, well remembered for his work as lay-missionary on her mother's side Mrs Williams was related to a prominent missioner, her grandfather being the Rev. Richard Davis.

Although she took no part in public life, Mrs Williams had endeared herself to all who knew her by her kindly and cheerful disposition. She devoted much of her time to her home at Te Aute, where she had spent all her married years.

Her husband was a son of Arch-deacon Samuel Williams, and she is survived by two sons, Mr Samuel Williams, of Mangakuri, and Athol Williams, of Te Aute, and two

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Comm. Bank of Aust.	0 16 7
Trade Finance (cont.)	0 4 0
Bank of N.Z.	2 2 0
N.Z. Insurance	2 16 6
South British Insurance	2 6 8
Trusts Finance (cont.)	0 6 8
Northern Steam (paid)	0 3 9
Kalapoi (paid)	0 10 3
Dominion Breweries (rights)	0 4 10
Ditto	0 4 9
Ditto (2)	0 4 8
Dunlop Rubber (ord.)	2 3 0
Ditto (pref.)	2 6 6
Woolworths (N.Z.)	0 19 11
Woolworths (Sd.)	1 0 3
Talismans Dubbo (2/- pd.)	0 4 0
Mt. Morgan (2/- pd.)	0 10 9
Unofficial List.	
Industrial Chemicals (2)	0 19 0
Ditto	0 19 6

WELLINGTON EXCHANGE

Sales Late Monday.
Amalg. Brick (Wgton.) 99 0 0

Sales Yesterday.
Bank of N.Z. ("D" long term) 1 9 8
Union Bank 3 10 8
National Bank A/sia. (£10) 13 15 0
Huddart Parker (ord.) 2 8 0
Kalapoi (ord.) 0 10 3
Auckland Gas 0 10 8

Unofficial List.
Woolworths' Properties (10/- paid) 0 14 0

CHRISTCHURCH EXCHANGE

N.Z. Govt. Inscribed Stock, 4%, 1932-55 101 10 0
Goldsbrough Mort 1 8 3
N.Z. Refrig. (10/- paid) 0 8 2
N.Z. Breweries (cont.) 2 2 0
Booth Macdonald (pref.) 0 2 2
British Tobacco 2 9 3
Broken Hill Pty. (2) 2 18 8
Ditto (cont.) 2 18 8
Colonial Sugar (2) 48 2 6
Dunlop Rubber 1 1 7
Electrolytic Zinc (ord., cum. div.) 2 2 9
Woolworths (Sd., ord.) 1 1 2
Woolworths (S.A.) 0 15 2

Sales Reported.
Auckland Gas (odd received) 1 0 6
Electrolytic Zinc (pref.) 2 6 4
Woolworths (Sd., ord.) 1 1 2
Mt. Morgan 0 10 8
N.Z. Govt. Inscribed Stock, 4%, 1932-55 101 10 0

Unlisted Stocks.
Ballin's Breweries 0 11 6

DUNEDIN EXCHANGE

Dunedin City Debentures, 4%, 1942 102 5 0
N.Z. Govt. Inscribed Stock, 3%, 1939-43 100 2 6
Big River Gold 0 1 3
Aust. Govt. Inscribed Stock, 4%, 1932-55 0 3 3
Waitaki Farmers' Freezing 4 7 6

A LARGE-SCALE EFFORT

REWARDED BY SALES INCREASE
PUBLICITY DRIVE
New Zealand Campaign In Britain

The whole of Great Britain was covered in a large-scale newspaper advertising campaign conducted by the London office of the New Zealand Meat Producers' Board during May and June. To ensure complete coverage of the provincial districts, it was necessary to utilise space in 62 daily newspapers, and five different "display" advertisements were prepared in order to provide variety in the message that New Zealand meat is of high and uniform quality.

The country was also "covered" by the board's advertisements in the greater London newspapers, while the many weeklies in the suburban areas of the metropolis were also used. In the trade journals, the advertisements requested the co-operation of retail butchers by making displays and pushing sales of New Zealand lamb, assistance being offered in the way of attractive display material for shops, and well designed newspaper advertisements.

Local publicity "drives" continue to be actively pursued by the representatives in England of the New Zealand meat producers, Grimsby and Cleethorpes on the East Coast having received recent attention, the competition for window displays of New Zealand lamb, the decorated cycle competition and children's painting competition being all well supported.

New Zealand's High Commissioner (Mr W. J. Jordan) co-operated by taking part in the prize-giving ceremony. Wholesale meat traders in the area reported at the conclusion of the campaign that sales of New Zealand lamb had increased by 30 to 40 per cent, and that the improved business was still keeping up.

BROKERS' REPORT ON NORSEWOOD SALE

All Classes of Stock Sell Well
The Hawke's Bay Farmers' Co-op. Assn., Ltd., report having offered at the Norsewood sale, held on Monday, August 22, to a good attendance of buyers, a full yarding of cattle and a small one of sheep. All classes of stock sold well. Springing Jersey heifers were keenly competed for, realising up to £8 12/6. They quote:—
Fat dairy cows, £4 to £6 5/-; springing Jersey heifers, £7, £7 5/-, £8, £8 7/6 to £8 12/6; springing cows £4 10/- to £8; store cows £1 15/- to £3 5/-; weaner pigs £1, store pigs £1 7/6; wether hoggets 18/- to 21/-.

WHOLESALE SUICIDES IN POLAND

Tragedy of Anti-Semitic Campaign
Ten pairs of lovers killed themselves in Warsaw because they could not marry. Some took arsenic, others jumped into the Vistula together—and the cause of it all was the anti-Semitic campaign in Poland.

In six cases Jewesses fell in love with Christians. The other four were the opposite.

Most tragic of all was the pretty 18-year-old girl who fell in love with a Jew.

"I tried to hate him," she wrote in her diary, "but only succeeded in loving him more."

The couple tied themselves together with rope and jumped into the river.

RIVER CONTROL SCHEME

"MUCKING ABOUT" WITH JOB

OBSOLETE METHOD

Mr Semple Criticises Ngaruroro Work

"The whole work has been mucked about; if I had had my way the job would have been finished now," said the Minister of Public Works (the Hon. R. Semple) when commenting on the Ngaruroro river control scheme yesterday. Mr Semple said that while he did not want to attack the Hawke's Bay Rivers Board, he was not satisfied with the way in which the work had been tackled. Machinery should have been used on the job.

The work should have been undertaken in a comprehensive and scientific way, Mr Semple said. Had he had control of the scheme he would have put great machines to work on it and the work would have been finished by now. At the time of the floods much of it would have been completed and probably there would have been little or no trouble.

Mr Semple said that at present he had a requisition before him asking for machinery for the job.

At the time of the strike by the rivers' board employees, he had offered to take the whole work over from the board and carry it out by the Public Works. The board refused to agree to this.

"If I had had my way we would have had the job finished by now," said Mr Semple. "We would have put modern machinery on the job, instead of employing the obsolete methods used. Now after all these months, when the job should have been completed, there is a request for machinery to do it. I would have been doing it that way all along if I had had my way."

"I have been opposed to the methods adopted all along. I had no legal power to take over the work and do it with machinery, otherwise I would have done so. It has been mucked about."

Mr Semple said it would be the last job that would be mucked about in New Zealand while he had anything to say about it. There was no use mucking about with "gee-gees and scoops."

ATTITUDE OF RIVERS BOARD

Discussion of Matter at Next Meeting

The chairman of the Hawke's Bay Rivers' Board (Mr C. Lassen) said last night that he was unable to make any statement on the Minister's remarks. The whole matter would be discussed at the next meeting of the board.

Wrestling Match Arranged

MEETING AT NAPIER

Blomfield and Meehan To Meet
A meeting of the executive of the Hawke's Bay Wrestling Association was held last night, when arrangements for the contest between Pat Meehan and "Lofty" Blomfield on August 31 were completed.

Gratification was expressed that after endeavouring to obtain Meehan's appearance for the last two months, the committee's efforts had at last proved successful.

The New Zealand amateur championships are to be held in Wellington on September 19, and the Hawke's Bay championships will be given to the Hastings Gymnasium Club to stage, as was the case last season.

Divorces in Napier

TWO DECREES
Custody Orders Made

A decree nisi, to be moved absolute at the expiration of three months, was granted to Peter Christie Holmes, Whakatu (Mr M. R. Grant) against his wife, Nora Holmes (Mr H. B. Lusk) in the Supreme Court, Napier, before Mr Justice Quilliam. The grounds of the action were failure to comply with an order for restitution of conjugal rights. Interim custody of the child of the marriage, was granted to the petitioner.

Margaret Strathearn Tringham (Mr V. J. Langley) was granted a decree nisi, to be moved absolute at the expiration of three months, against Robert Tringham, both parties being of Napier. Interim custody of the children of the marriage was granted to the petitioner, with costs on the lowest scale against the respondent.

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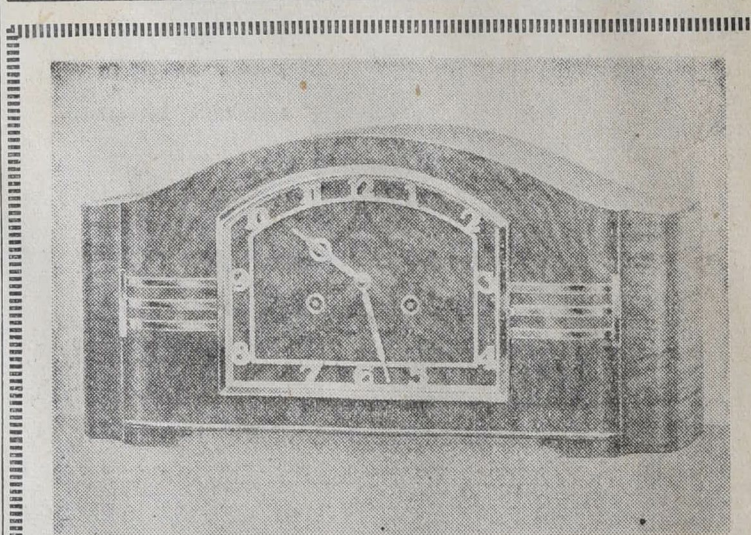
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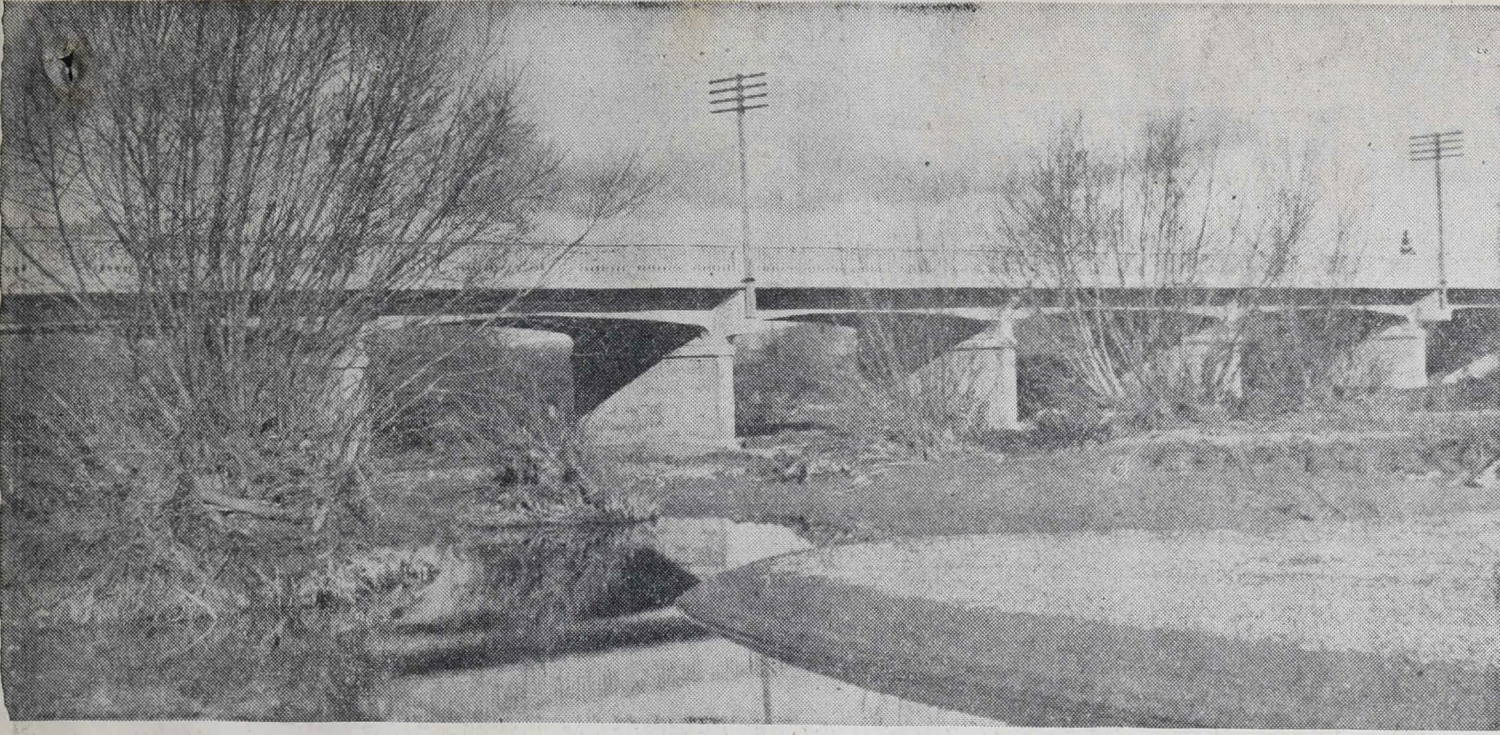
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National Model 4-Door Sedan. Very tidy car £85

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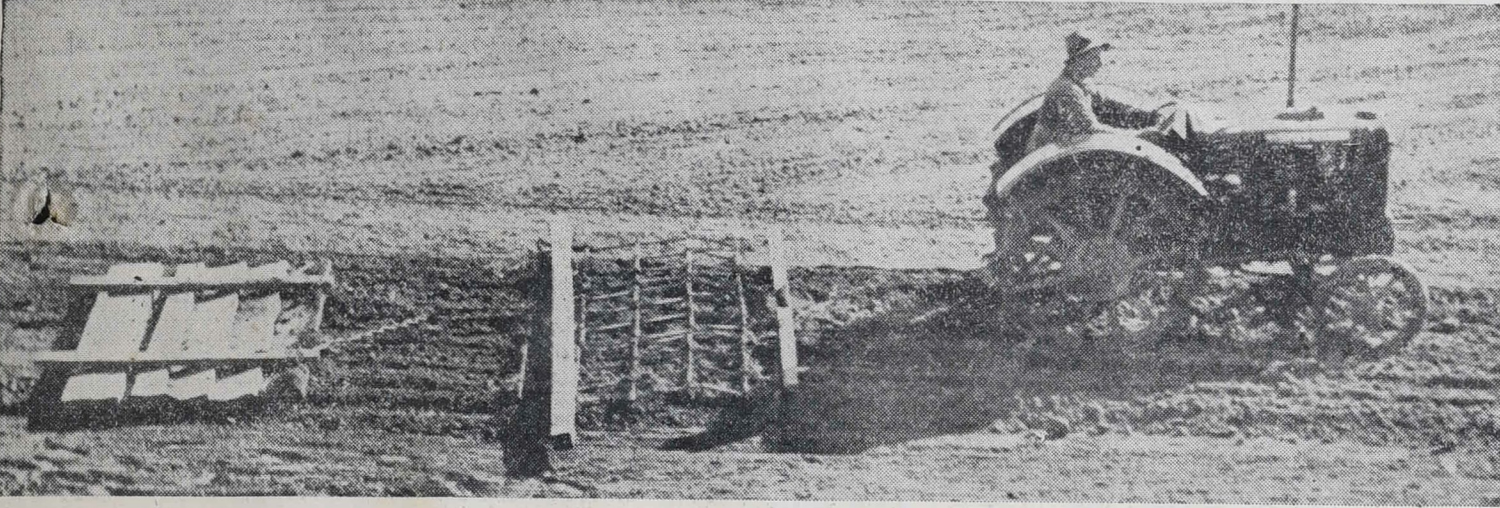
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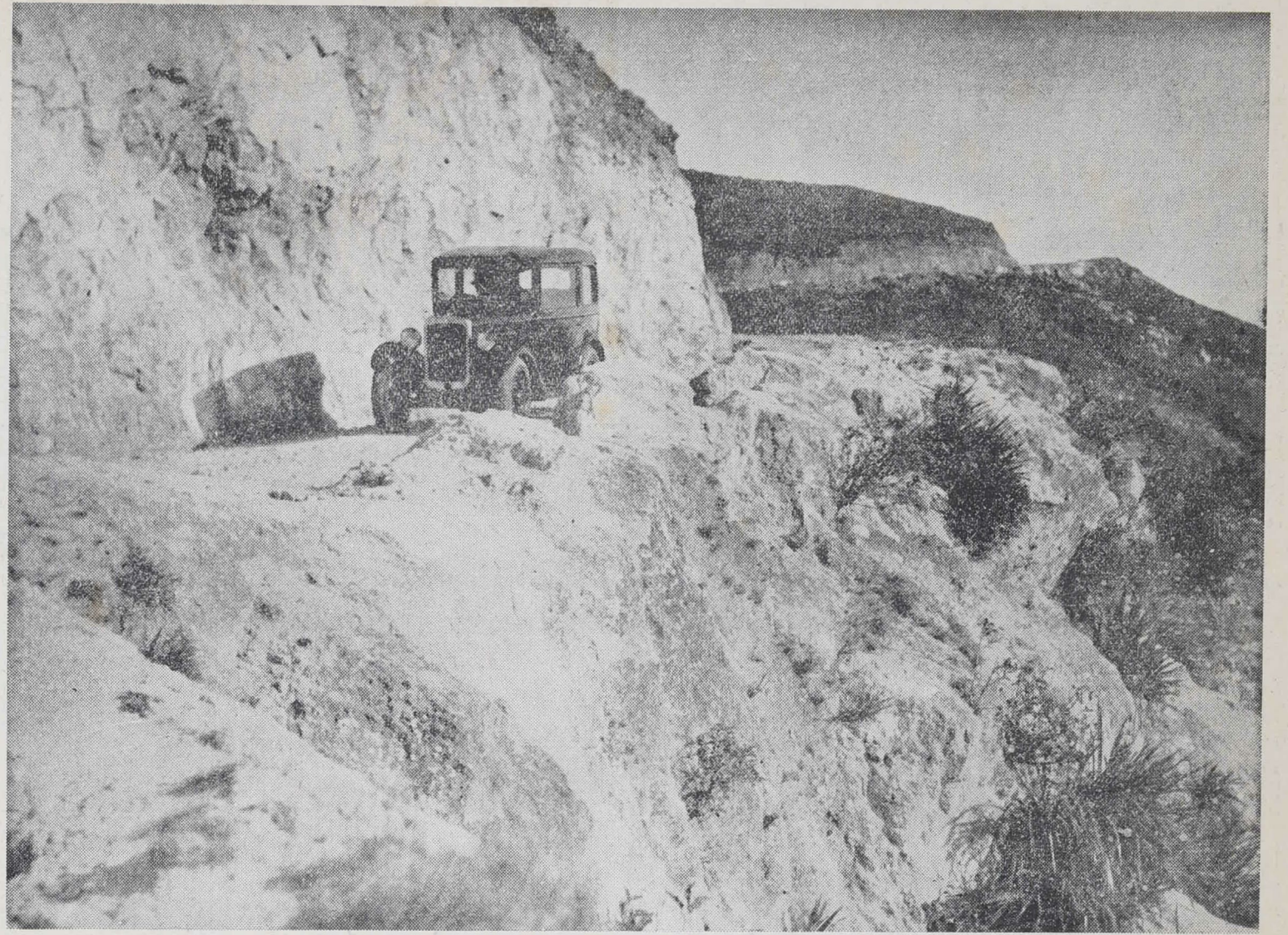
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SPRING SUNSHINE.—A scene near the traffic bridge at Waipukurau.



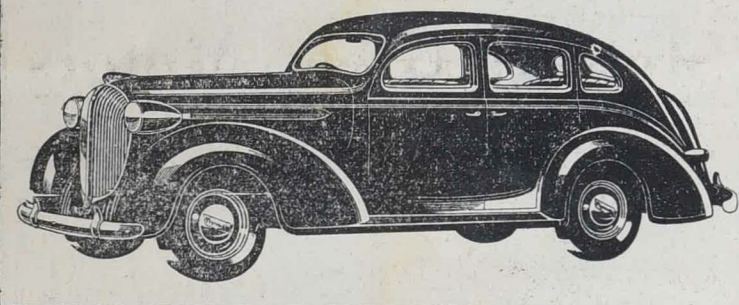
SPRING WORK ON THE FARM.—A scene on Mr J. A. Phillips' property at Haumoana.



NEAR THE SUMMIT.—The Te Mata Peak road, leading to the top of one of Hawke's Bay's most prominent landmarks.

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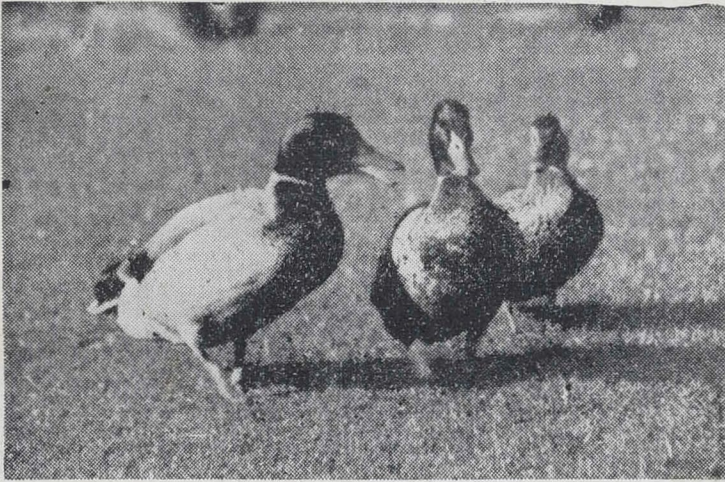
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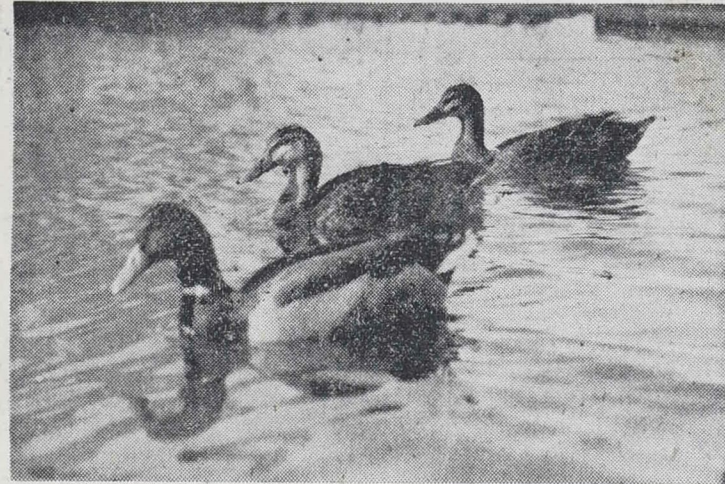
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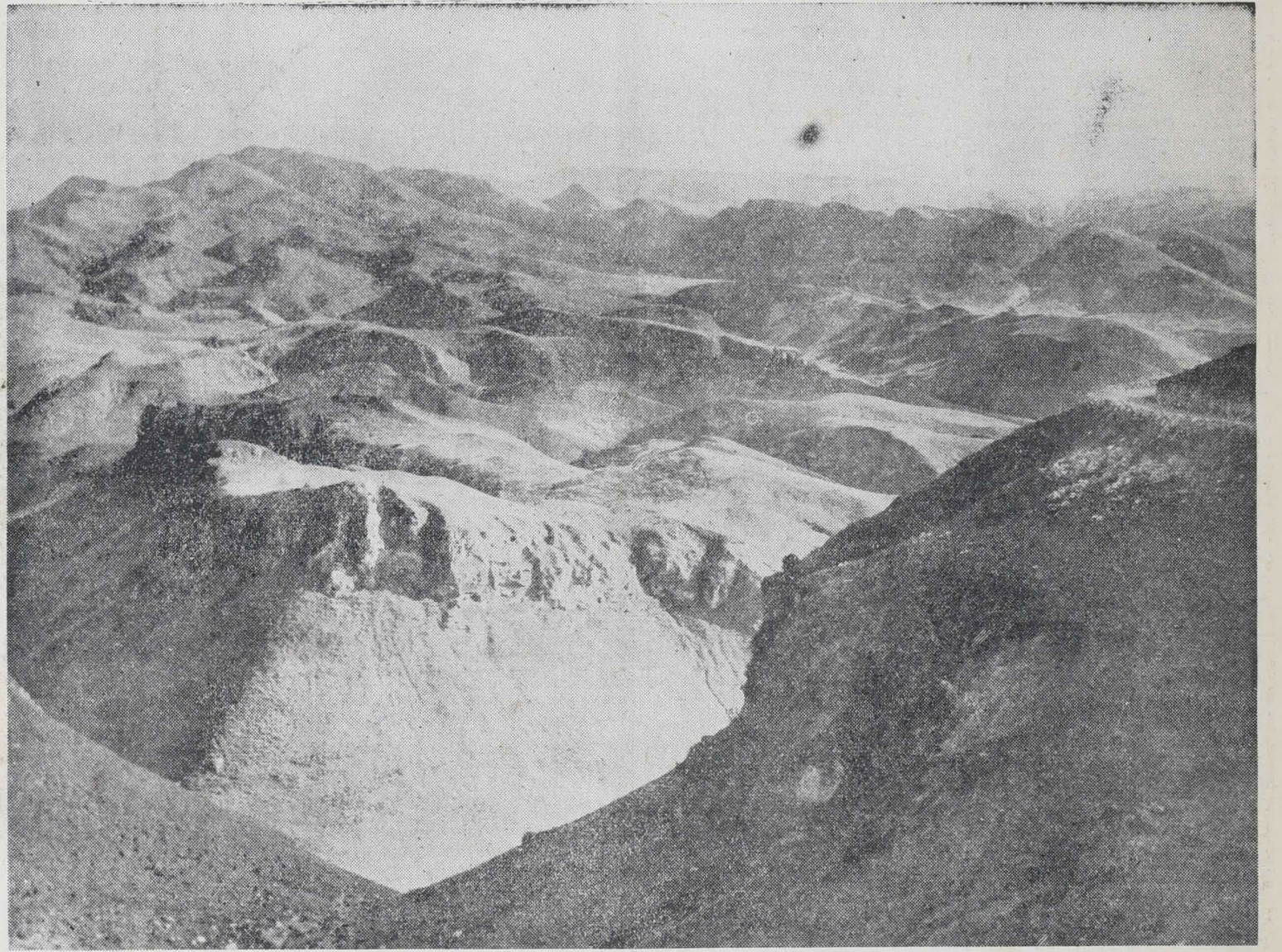
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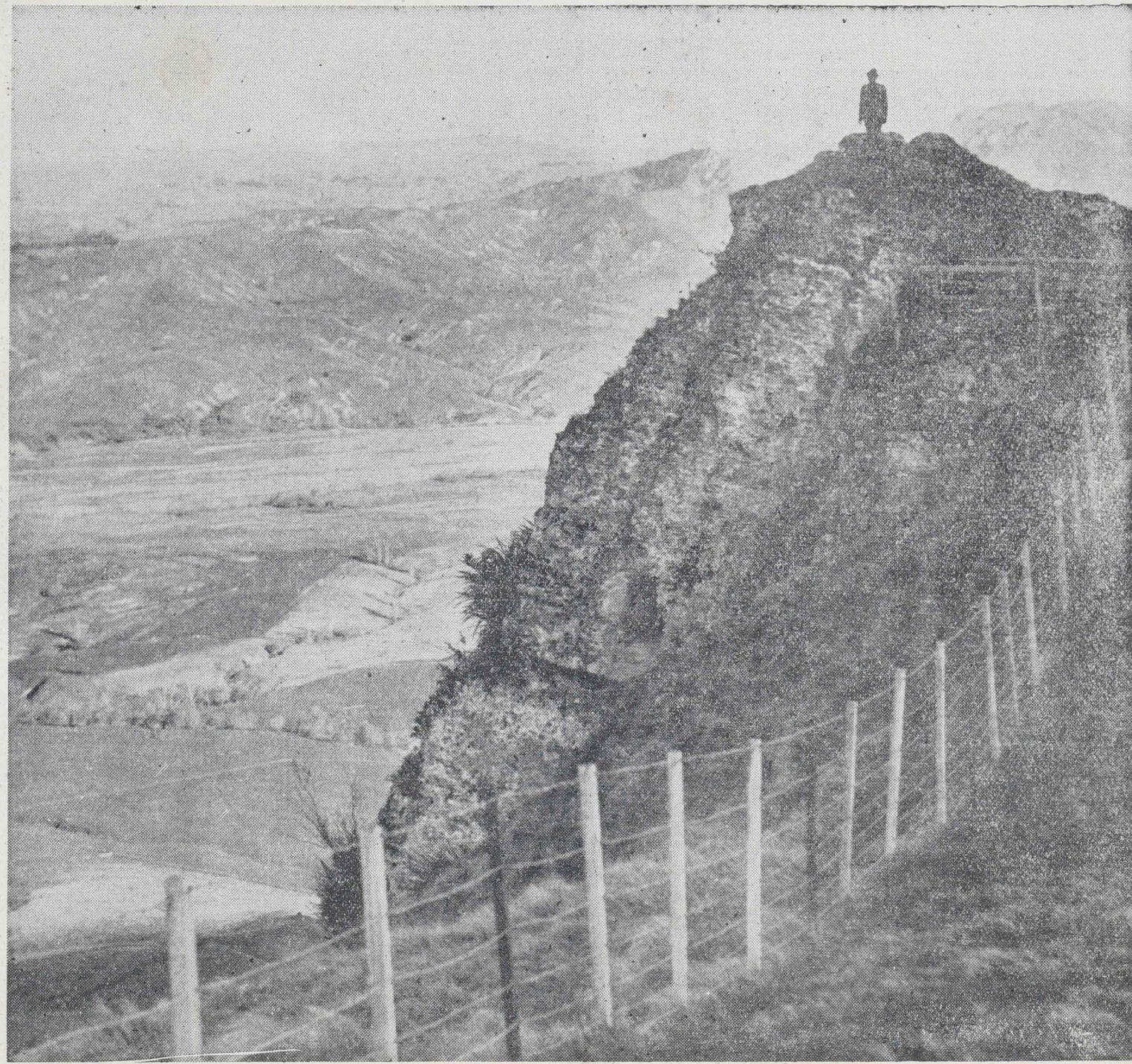
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MORE THAN ENOUGH.—The subjects refuse to sit for a second portrait.



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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24, 1938.

DANGERS OF A FRENCH CRISIS

The economic recession which has been developing in America and Europe during the last few months has now reached the point where its effects on those countries not sufficiently stable to withstand the impact can be plainly seen.

Great Britain was better equipped to ward off the influence of the worst features of the recession, but nevertheless it is generally admitted that there has been a relapse, and that most careful administration and general policy is, and will be, necessary if a major depression is to be avoided.

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MISSIONARY WORK IN THE MELANESIAN ISLANDS

Bishop Baddeley's Address INTERESTING EXPERIENCES DESCRIBED Splendid Results Achieved

A wonderful address given by the Rt. Rev. W. H. Baddeley, Bishop of Melanesia, to the members of St. Matthew's Guild of Fellowship, at their meeting yesterday afternoon.

The speaker then described how the Brothers who had accompanied him, acting as interpreters, His Lordship said how essential it was that the native people should not receive the impression that the visitors had something superior to bestow upon them.

No Wrong Impression The speaker said that after giving the chief a fill of tobacco they sat in silence and smoked, and later he

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Arrival of Rangitane The New Zealand Shipping Co. Ltd., advised that R.M.M.V. Rangitane en route from London to Auckland radios she expects to arrive at 7 p.m. on August 25.

Left Behind A few boarders at the New Plymouth Girls' High School were unable to leave for their homes over the week-end when the school broke up for the holidays as they have not completed the isolation period following attacks of measles.

Tauber to Become British "I want to become British, because British countries have the most justice," said Mr. Richard Tauber, the famous tenor, in Sydney, when questioned concerning the cable report that he had sought British nationality.

Mr Tibbett on Screen and Stage "I think that the films have reached saturation point, and that the stage is regaining some of the ground that it has lost," said Mr. Lawrence Tibbett, the famous singer, in Christchurch.

Sewer Nearing Completion Work on the Hastings sewerage outfall at East Clive is nearing completion, in spite of the many set-backs experienced through adverse weather.

Handicap of Deafness "Public sympathy is easily aroused towards the blind and the cripples, but because the hard of hearing suffer in silence and do not receive the sympathy and consideration that is their due.

"Town Clerk's" Dial The unfortunate effects of a typist's error were related in a story told against himself by the town clerk of Invercargill (Mr. W. F. Sturman) at a luncheon of the Rotary Club.

The Housing Problem No fewer than 149 inquirers descended upon Mr. T. Horton, New Plymouth, when it became known recently that his five-roomed house in Wallace Place was to let.

HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

"DAILY MAIL'S" SPECIAL FORECAST IS FOR FAIR, MILD WEATHER. Following is the "Daily Mail" special forecast for Hawke's Bay:

Hastings Weather The weather in Hastings yesterday was fine and sunny all day, following a frost of three degrees.

Napier Weather Meteorological readings taken yesterday at 5 p.m. at the Hastings Magnetic Observatory, Cornwall Park, were as follows:

Dominion Forecast General situation: An intense anticyclone still extends from Tasmania across the South Tasman and the cyclonic portion of New Zealand.

Personal Mr B. Kieley, of Wellington, is a visitor to Napier. Mrs E. C. Kane is a Wellington visitor to Napier.

Removal Man: Is the furniture insured? Skinner: It is not necessary—it is not paid for.

Breakfast Table Visitor: Excuse me, have you a lodger called Jones? Mrs Subbuts: Pardon me, my means make it unnecessary for me to take lodgers ... besides, none of them is called Jones.

Army Cook: You haven't beaten these eggs enough. Pupil: Why, the book says, "Beat the eggs until stiff!" Army Cook: Well, they're not stiff yet.

There's a rumour that the next issue of Who's Who in Russia will be published in loose-leaf form. A small boy, his head completely enveloped in a saucer, was led on to a tramcar by his mother.

Just takin' 'em to 'orspial." "How did it come ter git that thing on 'is 'ead?" asked the conductor. "Playin' at soldiers. 'E wanted an 'elmet, so 'e took the saucerpan," announced the mother.

Dealer: Yes, madam, this chair is genuine Louis XV. Various passengers expressed sympathy with the lad, whereupon the mother announced, with a certain amount of pride:

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HUTTON BREAKS BRADMAN'S RECORD

Fingleton Injured: Out Of Game

AUSTRALIA FACING ALMOST HOPELESS TASK

England's Huge Total

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LONDON, August 23.

The weather was warm and sunny for the commencement of the third day of the Test.

The Australians, facing defeat, took the field minus Fingleton, who is still unable to walk. His reappearance in the Test is most unlikely, and he may not play for the rest of the tour.

Hutton, whose innings of 11 hours is already believed to be the longest in the history of first-class cricket, came out to face O'Reilly and Fleetwood-Smith, determined to beat Bradman's record Test score of 334, which he eventually did.

Hutton added only three in 20 minutes, but Hardstaff was much brighter, scoring 50 in 90 minutes. When Hutton was 305, Fleetwood-Smith set a leg trap consisting of Bradman and McCabe. Hutton promptly cover-drove for four, making the partnership worth 100 in 100 minutes.

Hardstaff then off-drove O'Reilly for a perfect four, taking England past the previous record of 658 at Nottingham.

Fleetwood-Smith's leg trap was unsuccessful, Hutton slamming another four to square-leg. Waite and McCabe took a new ball when the score was 670. Both batsmen continued to punish the bowling, and the score mounted to 700 in 725 minutes.

Fleetwood-Smith returned, but abandoned the leg trap. Hutton slammed the first ball to the square-leg fence, then missed a no-ball off O'Reilly, attempting to hit a six which would have broken the record.

Square-cutting Fleetwood-Smith for four, Hutton, now 336, broke Bradman's record.

Bradman, fielding at silly mid-off, was the first to congratulate Hutton, whom all the Australians shook warmly by the hand. The crowd sang "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow" to a bugle accompaniment, rounds of cheers following as a butler brought out drinks.

Hutton had hit 32 fours, batting for 740 minutes. Bradman's record took little more than half this time.

The next record to go was Australia's record total of 729 runs.

Table with 2 columns: Player Name and Runs Scored. Includes Hutton (336), O'Reilly (12), Leyland (187), Hammond (59), Smith (59), Paynter (0), Compton (1), Hardstaff (99), Extras (42), Total (733).

GRAVE FRENCH CRISIS

POLITICAL GROUPS IN CONFLICT

CABINET CHANGES

Labour Laws And The Economic Position

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As a result of the broadcast of the Prime Minister (M. Daladier), M. Ramadier, Minister of Labour, and M. Frossard, Minister of Public Works, has resigned.

They complained that they were not consulted about the speech, in which the labour policy was radically altered, and they objected to any modification of the 40-hour week.

They also complained of the calling-out of Senegalese troops to unload ships rendered idle by the Marseilles dockers strike. M. Demonje (Public Works) and M. Pomaret (Labour) have been appointed to the vacancies.

M. Daladier's reference to the stabilisation of the gold coverage of the franc is interpreted as an intention to revalue the Bank of France's gold stocks, which will enrich the country by £110,000,000 apart from the profit arising from the writing-up of the Exchange Equalisation Fund.

Opposing Views. Ring Wing papers welcome the broadcast, but the Popular Front condemns the jettisoning of the 40-hour week, accusing M. Daladier of selling the workers to the moneyed classes, who are the real buyers of the country by currency speculation and the sending of capital out of the country.

Political fires have again flared up as a result of the resignation of MM. Frossard and Ramadier.

Grave Fears Expressed. The gravest fears are expressed that France may be faced with another crisis at the very moment when the European situation demands internal stability.

The Trades Union Council has complicated the situation by passing a resolution emphasising the danger of infractions of the social laws, and requesting organisations to remain calm and vigilant in the face of any action which might be decided in order to protect the social laws and the 40-hour week.

The council also expressed its solidarity with the Marseilles dock strikers and denounced the use of troops.

Demands Gather. It is reported from other parts of France that the workers' demands for higher wages in order to meet the increasing living costs is gathering strength.

The Prime Minister in a statement, said that everyone had the right to his own opinion.

"Mine," he said, "is that France is lost unless she can work normally. At present, as a consequence of the social laws, which we alone are applying, our factories are forced to refuse orders."

"I do not oppose the 40-hour week in principle, but our factories must be able to work overtime."

Tug Slides Off Mud Bank

Te Awahina on Auckland Harbour Bottom

CHANNEL TO BE CUT

JEWISH REFUGEES FOR AUSTRALIA

Party At Auckland

MOST ALREADY HAVE POSITIONS

Financial Troubles

TO OPPOSE PRIME MINISTER

National Nominations

THREE NAMES ARE ANNOUNCED

Selection Ballot

MR SAVAGE'S HEALTH

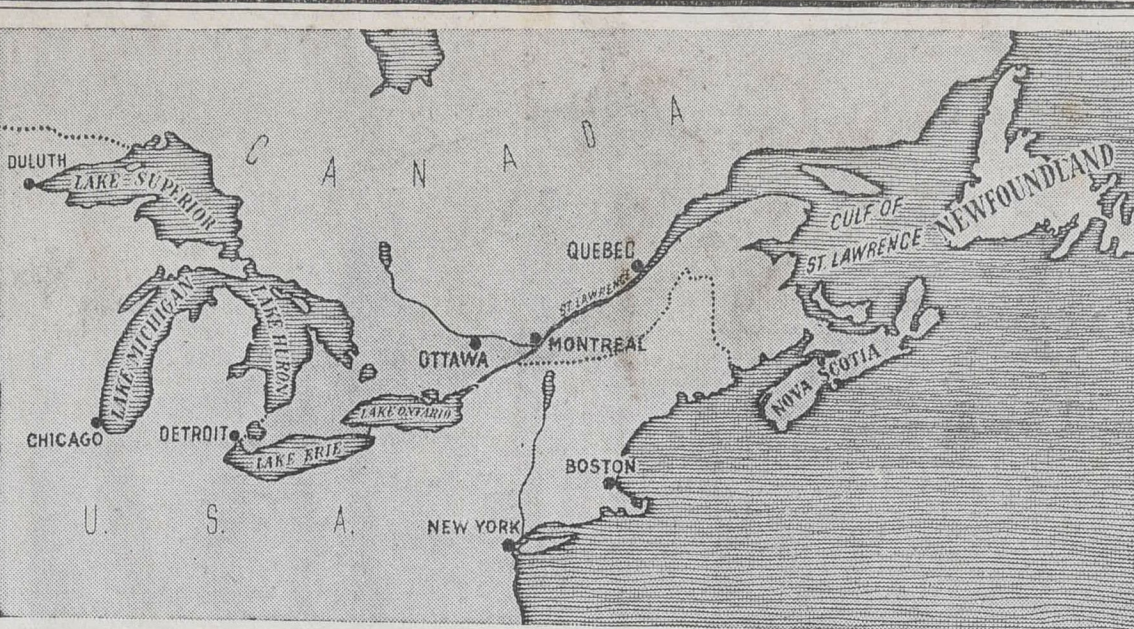
Much Improvement

KINDNESS SHOWN BY MANY PEOPLE

Vice-Regal Concern

TO OPPOSE PRIME MINISTER

National Nominations



LINERS IN THE MIDDLE OF A CONTINENT—A map showing portions of Canada and the United States, including the Great Lakes and the St. Lawrence River. The United States has suggested the deepening of the St. Lawrence to permit great ocean-going liners to reach the lakes, the cost to be apportioned between the two countries.

MANY PASSINGS AT WINTER WOOL SALE

Expectations of Better Market at Christchurch Not Realised

By Telegraph—Press Association.

CHRISTCHURCH, August 23.

As happened at the Auckland sale earlier this month, only about half the catalogue of 1800 bales was sold at the annual winter sale of wool oddments held in the land saleroom of Messrs Pyne, Gould, Guinness, Ltd., this afternoon.

Most of the main buyers except Japan were represented, but competition was not very keen at any stage, and the sale was over in an hour and a half.

Prices were well below those at the corresponding sale last year. The catalogue comprised mostly crutchings, but with a small selection of pieces. There was very little fleece wool, and most of it was of indifferent quality.

The quality of the crutchings was mixed. A good deal of it was showing signs of a very wet season, being of poor colour, dirty and stained, and for this there was practically no demand at all.

Many of the lots were passed without a bid. Prices. The best price at the sale was 12s 6d for an attractive lot of seven bales of half bred scoured pieces.

The best price last year was 24s 6d. Greasy half bred fleece made up to 11s 6d (21d last year), and Merino made up to 11d (19s 6d last year).

Halfbred crutchings made up to 9s 6d (15s) and crossbred crutchings to 7s 6d (15s).

FOUND IN BURNING HOUSE

DEATH OF ELDERLY MAN

LONELY END

Apparently Overcome By Smoke

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, August 23.

Apparently overcome by smoke, James Reginald Gray, aged 80 years, a retired business man, was found lying unconscious in the back room of his home at 72 Kelburn Parade when firemen effected an entrance in response to a call received at 4.51 p.m. yesterday.

Artificial respiration was applied, but without avail.

Mr Gray was a married man with seven daughters and one son. When the three engines which answered the call arrived, the fire had a good hold on the house, a two-storey wooden building of seven rooms. So dense was the smoke that fireman had to use respirators. The heat was terrific.

The origin of the fire was located in the dining-room on the north side of the building, and on going through the house into the kitchenette the firemen discovered Mr Gray. It was thought that Mr Gray had possibly had a mishap while lighting a fire in the dining-room and had been overcome by smoke while attempting to get water from the kitchenette.

Placating Other Countries

JAPAN'S NEW POLICY

War With China Main Consideration

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The Tokyo correspondent of "The Times" says that Japanese newspaper suggestions that it would be unwise to antagonise foreign countries, especially Britain, during the critical stage of the Chinese campaign, can be regarded as the preliminaries of a Government campaign to educate the Japanese to show a more friendly attitude to the outside world.

In view of the violent tendencies young nationalists have displayed, the police guards have been strengthened at the residences of the Foreign Minister (General Ugaki), and others believed to be desiring accommodation with Britain.

SOVIET PLANES CROSS BORDER

Protest By Japan

TOKYO, August 22. It is revealed that Soviet planes flew across the border to drop provisions to troops near Changtingze cut off from their base by floods. This prompted a protest by Japan.

GERMAN ARMS IN PALESTINE

EVIDENCE GIVEN TO COMMISSION

MORE TERRORISM

Casualties Since July 1 Over 1000

United Press Association—Copyright. LONDON, August 22.

The Geneva correspondent of "The Times" says that the minutes of the last meeting of the Mandates Commission state that there is clear evidence that Syrian Arabs are assisting the Palestinian terrorists, but no conclusive proof of help from further afield.

Most of the rifles seized, however, have been German Mausers of the 1937 pattern, while recently small quantities of new German ammunition have been seized in Syria and Palestine.

The entire Arab population of Syria and Lebanon sympathised with the Palestinian Arabs and assisted gangsters and arms smugglers in crossing the frontier.

A Jerusalem message says that three Arabs were murdered on the roadside between Acre and Safad. Fanned on their breasts were notes bearing terrorists' "judgments."

Jewess Arrested. A Jewess, Rachael Koka, aged 12, is being tried by a military court on the capital charge of carrying a bomb.

Further outrages which have occurred throughout Palestine include a post office hold-up, an attempt to blow up the Haifa mail train, and attacks on a bus and cart in which Jewish workers were returning home.

The Palestine "Post" publishes statistics of casualties in August. They are: Killed—Fifteen British people, 41 Jews, 100 Arabs.

Wounded—Twenty-six Britons, 86 Jews, 71 Arabs. The total casualties since July 1 are estimated at over 1000.

Republican Line Broken

NATIONALIST CLAIM

Rapid Surprise Attack Penetrates 11 Miles

CONFLICTING REPORTS

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received August 24, 12.30 a.m.) SARAGOSSA, August 23.

A rapid surprise advance by General Franco's forces broke the Republican line on a 15-mile front at Estremadura, thirty miles southwest of Talavera and Dela Reina, hitherto a tranquil sector, and penetrated 11 miles toward Campillo.

The nationalists claim that they captured important positions on the Ebro front, including the entire Republican regiment and much war material.

A Republican communique, however, records that the Ebro front is unbroken, that General Franco's forces were repulsed with incalculable losses. The Republicans claim that they captured four tanks with their Italian crews.

Slump History Repeating?

ECONOMIST'S VIEWS

British Textile Industry

PRESENT TREND

United Press Association—Copyright. LONDON, August 22.

Sir William Beveridge, the noted economist, told the British Association that the history of the first stages of the last depression was being repeated in textile manufactures leading to a recession.

Examination of the course of unemployment showed that all industries were affected by cyclical fluctuations. A striking measure of agreement between the onset of the 1930 depression and the beginning of the present depression, he said, was subject to minor differences like armaments.

The harvest influence was apparently a factor in the trade cycle. Throughout the world are stocked and sold. At least a thousand cures for cold—A thousand treatments old and new of which the best are far and few. Select "the best" by time's tense test. Noting results in throat and chest—Your choice at last, convinced and sure. Is surely Woods' Great Peppermint Cure.

LOS ANGELES OFFICIALS FACE HUGE DAMAGES SUIT

Victim of Bombing Outrage

Alleges Conspiracy to Murder Him

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received August 23, 10 p.m.)

LOS ANGELES, August 23.

Harry Raymond, a private investigator who was a victim of a bombing outrage on January 14, filed an action for 300,000 dollars against the Mayor of Los Angeles, Frank Shaw, and a score of City officials, including the Chief of Police.

Raymond charges them with conspiring with gambling and vice interests to murder him.

Earle Kynette, a former acting-Captain of the Police Intelligence Squad, now disbanded, has been convicted of the bombing.

The majority of the defendants were members of the Intelligence Squad, which, Raymond asserts, was created to harass and intimidate Shaw's opponents.

Raymond alleges that Shaw directed Kynette.

Otago Boys' High School

JUBILEE CELEBRATED

Success of New Plymouth Rugby Team

LAST DAY'S EVENTS

By Telegraph—Press Association. DUNEDIN, August 23.

The Otago Boys' High School's 75th anniversary celebrations, concluded this evening. The day's programme consisted of golf in the morning, the secondary schools' Rugby tournament in the afternoon and a ball in the evening, the Town Hall being packed for the last-named event.

The senior golf championship was won by J. H. McDougall and the junior by H. J. Wohlstenholme.

A feature of the day was the display of the New Plymouth Boys' High School Rugby team, which defeated the Otago Boys' High School by 41 points to three.

On Saturday New Plymouth beat South Otago Boys' High School by 35 to nil, hence New Plymouth's tally for the two games was 76 points to three.

The game between Christchurch and Southland Boys' High Schools was more closely contested, Southland winning by 17 points to 11.

Wellington and Flying Boats

REPORT COMPLETED

Committee Takes Serious Views of Climate

TRANSTASMAN LINK

"Daily Mail" Special Service. PARLI. BLDGS., August 23.

Although no official statement has been issued on the matter, it is believed that the report of the expert committee, which recently investigated the possibilities of Wellington Harbour as a flying-boat base, does not reveal any great degree of optimism.

The report has been delivered to the Minister of Defence (the Hon. F. Jones), but it has yet to be considered by Cabinet.

The understanding at present is that the committee takes a serious view of the vagaries of climate in Wellington, particularly with regard to wind and fog.

The conclusions reached by the experts may even have a bearing on the proposal to run the Tasman air mail service over a triangular route, embracing Sydney, Auckland and Wellington, and it is fairly safe to assume that if the service is extended in this manner after the Sydney-Auckland link is in operation, extensive protocols will have to be carried out in the vicinity of any proposed flying-boat base in Wellington Harbour.

LANDING GROUNDS IN NORTH

Plans Of Government

PROJECTED SITES REVIEWED

Work At Hobsonville

By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, August 23.

A review of the Government's plans for constructing aerodromes in North Auckland, between the Waitemata Harbour and the Bay of Islands, was issued by the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. M. J. Savage) today.

The Royal New Zealand Air Force station at Hobsonville is being extended as an aircraft base and repair depot, workshops main stores, bomb stores and more living accommodation being provided.

A new operations station is to be constructed at Whenuapai, 10 miles from Auckland. Preliminary clearing work is in hand. After experiencing difficulty, an excellent site for the Whangarei Aerodrome has now been acquired on the Onerahi Peninsula, and clearing and re-reading work is in progress.

An area of Crown land has been made available at Kerikeri. No suitable site has been located at Waitangi, but a survey of possible sites is being made at Kaikohe. The Waipapakauri Aerodrome is being made up for larger aircraft. An area of tidal flats at Rawene is being reclaimed. Preliminary clearing work is in hand. After experiencing difficulty, an excellent site for the Whangarei Aerodrome has now been acquired on the Onerahi Peninsula, and clearing and re-reading work is in progress.

A MATRIMONIAL TANGLE

KNOTTY POINTS OF LAW

NAPIER CASE

Decree Nisi Is Granted

A decree nisi, to be moved absolute at the expiration of three months, was given by Mr Justice Quilliam in the Supreme Court, Napier, yesterday, the petitioner being Montague Matthews, of Palmerston North (Mr V. J. Langley) and the respondent Vida Matthews (Mr J. R. Grant, Palmerston North).

The case proved a very interesting one, including some intricate legal interpretation of what constituted an oral agreement to separate.

This constituted the case for the petitioner while the defence of his wife was a denial of the agreement.

In his evidence, petitioner said that the parties had been married in Sydney on February 14, 1929, there being two children of the marriage. He left for New Zealand in August, 1929, and resided in the Dominion ever since, his wife and child following him later in the year. The parties lived in Palmerston North, and after the earthquake they came to Napier.

His wife went to Sydney in 1932 and was to have returned home before Christmas but did not do so. In January, 1935, after petitioner had frequently written to his wife, she returned home, having been away from home two years without his consent.

When respondent returned she stayed in Palmerston North and agreed to live apart from petitioner, the latter to pay maintenance for the children as the wife did not seek maintenance for herself. In 1936 respondent went back to Sydney and as far as he knew had lived there ever since.

Mrs Matthews had issued maintenance proceedings against him after saying that she did not want it and he had consented to an order.

Separation Question. To Mr Grant, Matthews said that his wife had not opposed the separation.

Mr Grant produced a letter written to petitioner asking him to supply a home for her and the children and had complained about being a burden to her husband's people and asked for maintenance since he had failed to provide it.

Respondent's case, said Mr Grant, was a straight out denial of the agreement to separate, and it would be a case of her word against that of her husband.

In evidence, respondent said that she had written to her husband telling him she was coming home but he had replied telling her that he had no desire to make a home with her.

Wished to Return. Answering his Honour, witness said that she still wished to live with her husband.

His Honour: Are you opposing the divorce because you are afraid you will lose your maintenance?—Yes.

His Honour: I thought that that was the case and I can reassure you on that point.

To Mr Langley, witness said she had served a solicitor's letter on her husband while both were in Palmerston North in an effort to induce him to make a home for her and the children, her desire to do this being a sincere one.

The Judgment. "This is a difficult case, as there is a marked conflict of evidence," said his Honour in giving judgment. He ruled that the petitioner had established that there was a mutual oral agreement to separate entered into by the parties in 1935 and this was still in existence.

A decree nisi, to be moved absolute in three months, was given, the amount to be paid to be settled between the parties.

Conciliation Council

AGREEMENT REACHED

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, August 23.

Complete agreement was reached in the chartered clubs' dispute in Conciliation Council at Wellington today. The major matters under discussion were wages and hours.

The offer of the employers to increase their original wages offer to bring the scale into line with the rates suggested for the private hotel workers' award, also before the council, was accepted.

A 48-hour week with an eight-hour day was agreed upon, the employees to work a straight shift on the half-day and finish at 1.30 p.m. The fortnight's holiday claimed by the workers was accepted by the employers.

DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATES BEFORE HOUSE

Nine Classes Are Passed VALUE OF VOTES PUT THROUGH THIS SESSION £13,317,137

Ministers Answer Questions

By Telegraph—Press Association. PARLT. BLDGS., August 23. Further consideration of departmental estimates occupied the House of Representatives to-day. Altogether nine classes were passed, making the total value of Estimates passed so far this session £13,317,137.

In general, the votes elicited little discussion. The Ministers in charge of the respective departments were called upon to answer various questions from the Opposition benches, including several arising from the Education Department Estimates.

The House met at 2.30 p.m. Before proceeding with the usual business the Leader of the Opposition (the Hon. Adam Hamilton) said that on behalf of the party he wished to express to the Government his genuine regret and sympathy at the illness of the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. M. J. Savage) and to hope that he would soon be back once again in the House.

QUESTION OF ILLEGAL FISHING

Discussing the vote of £177,497 for the Marine Department, Mr. W. P. Eidean (National Party), drew attention to the large amount of illegal fishing which was taking place around the coasts of the Dominion, and said he had seen evidences of it himself in the sheltered waters of the Hauraki Gulf.

Referring to the vote of £621,000 for the Police Department, Mr. Hamilton drew attention to the fact that according to the departmental reports there had been an increase in serious crime in New Zealand by some 10 per cent.

NOT RESPONSIBILITY OF GOVERNMENT

The Rt. Hon. J. G. Coates (National Party) who also stressed the increase in crime, asked why it was that there were so many undetected murders in New Zealand.

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AT DANNEVIRKE.—The Dannevirke War Memorial in its setting of trees and flower-beds.

SUCCESS OF A ROYAL VISITOR'S HIGH PRAISE FOR NAPIER WINS THE KIPLING SCHOLARSHIP

Having won the Rudyard Kipling Scholarship, a Napier youth, John Pallot, will leave for the Imperial Service College, England, per the Rangitoto on Thursday, accompanied by his mother.

FOOTBALL FIXTURES FOR SATURDAY

The following are the Rugby fixtures to be played in Hastings on Saturday: Senior: Second round of the Lane Cup. M.A.C. v. M.B.O.B., Nelson Park, 1.30 p.m. (W. Scott).

KARORI HOCKEY CLUB

There was a spirited meeting of the Karori Hockey Club held in the Sample Rooms, Hastings, last night, when members of the club met to discuss challenge matches and to arrange for a match with teams intended to enlarge that scheme.

The Minister of Defence said that work had been continued on the scheme mentioned by Mr. Coates, and that it was now nearing completion.

The House proceeded with discussion of the Air Department vote of £493,900, which was rapidly put through.

Basketball Draw for Hastings THE PREVENTION OF FLOODING AT CLIVE

SATURDAY'S GAMES Central Hawke's Bay v. Hawke's Bay MANY FIXTURES

Basketball games will be played in Hastings on Saturday as follows: Senior B. Woolworths (B) v. High School Old Girls, at 2 p.m., on West School Court 1. Referee, Miss E. Struthers.

NAPIER TRADE IS SET BACK ACCESS PROBLEM

The dislocation of traffic by the repair work being carried out on the Waitangi Bridge and also the difficulties to be faced by back country settlers in travelling to Napier have resulted in a falling-off in trade returns of business houses dealing in women's requisites, beauty salons being amongst the ranks of the sufferers.

NAPIER COUNCIL'S £600 LOAN APPLICATION FOR SANCTION MEETING CALLED

A special meeting of the Napier Borough Council will be held at 4.30 p.m. on Thursday, the meeting being called to consider the following business: (a) A motion to apply to the Local Government Loans Board for its sanction to the raising of a loan of £6,000 for the following purposes: Napier South stormwater, Kennedy Road extension, Tutakuri River diversion, Parade amusement area, South Pond recreation area, Breakwater Road re-alignment and Breakwater Road watermain.

Hastings Boxing Match

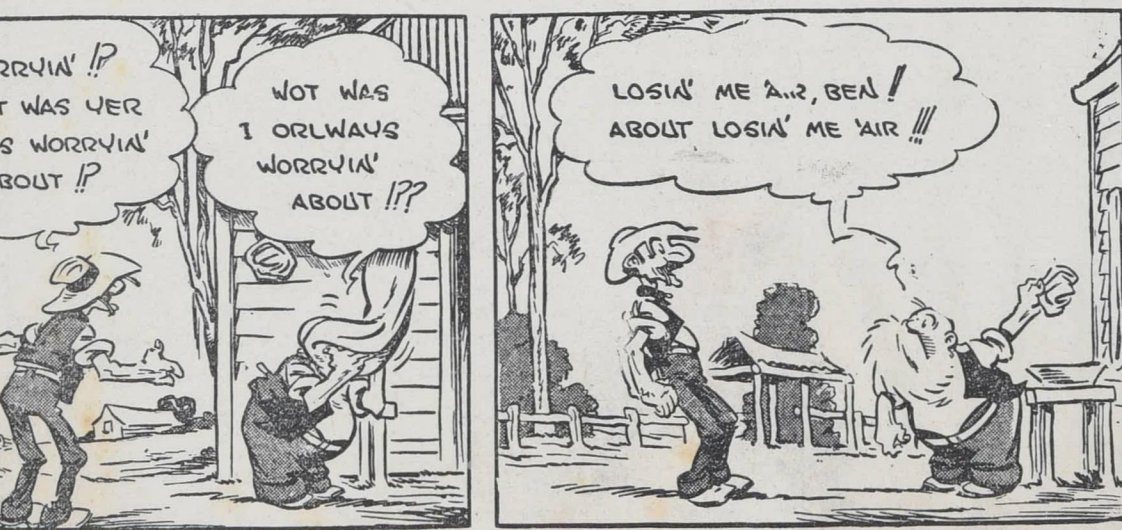
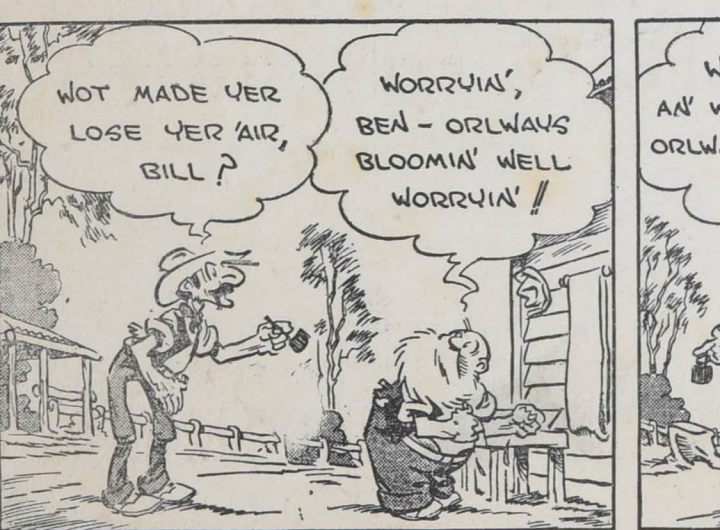
The Parks-Davis boxing match at the Hastings Municipal Theatre tonight should attract a full house, in view of the hard and willing contest which is expected from these two men.

Hastings Magistrate's Court

Judgment for plaintiff was given in the following undefended civil cases by Mr. J. Miller, S.M., at the Magistrate's Court, Hastings, yesterday:—T. J. Thompson and Sons, Ltd. v. J. Timms, 4/-, costs 17/-; D. Brunton v. C. Robertson, £4, costs £1 9/6; Tong and McIvor v. W. Chiffell, costs £1 14/6; A. E. Patrick v. W. H. Corlett, £1 19/6, 2/-, costs £2 14/-; Sutcliffe's Ltd. v. A. Godwin, 15/6, costs 9/-; T. H. Thompson v. C. H. J. Cameron, £1 11/11, costs 9/-; K. S. Williams v. J. J. Collins, £1 14/-, costs 12/-; Hy Albert Mossman v. S. Wehi, £5 16/6, costs £2 3/6; Hy. Albert Mossman v. J. J. Collins, £1 14/-, costs 12/-; J. W. Williams v. C. H. J. Cameron, £2 3/6; E. T. Ingram v. F. Goswami, £10 2/11, costs £2 17/-; Victor Gowns v. E. W. Booth, £1 7/-, costs 10/-; Roachs (1931) Ltd. v. A. C. Ogilvie, £2 5/6, costs £1 3/6; Roachs (1931) Ltd. v. C. H. J. Cameron, £2 14/9, costs £1 3/6; Rourke's Store v. H. R. Painter, £1 4/9, costs £2 16/-; H. B. Weekly v. G. H. Lane, £3 3/-, costs £1 3/6.

Hastings Magistrate's Court

The following are the results of the shoot held by the Pakowhai Rifle Club on Wednesday, August 17. The senior trophy was the Whitcombe and Caldwell Cup, which was won by A. Sykes, with G. Stanford second. W. Low won the junior trophy, with D. Brunton second. Ladder badges were won by R. Sutton in the seniors and A. Russell in the juniors.



WEEK-END GOLF AT PATANGATA

Inter-Team Games
NARROW WIN FOR HOME PLAYERS
Farmers Defeated

PATANGATA.
During the week-end a golf match was played between the Patangata Golf Club and representatives of the Hawke's Bay Farmers' Cooperative Association Ltd., on the Patangata links.

The links were in excellent condition and games were closely contested. The Patangata club won by 123 games to 111. Results were as follows, Patangata players being mentioned first:—

Four-ball: L. Tuki and P. Logan defeated H. C. Barlow and D. H. Phillips, 4 to 3. K. Kelly, H. Beachen and J. Kenderidine defeated G. Canning and H. Galbraith, 4 to 3. D. Dillon and R. Ryan defeated H. Lawlor and C. R. Gardiner, 4 to 3. A. McGaffin and N. Mundell lost to J. Drury and B. Edwards, 3 to 2. Mr. McGaffin and I. White defeated C. Hoadley and T. Smith, 3 to 2.

Singles: L. Tuki lost to H. C. Barlow, P. Logan lost to D. H. Grieve, A. Kittow defeated J. Vesty, C. August lost to S. Canning, J. Evans defeated T. Brennan, E. T. Wilder lost to E. J. Phillips, J. Williams lost to G. Kelly, H. Beachen lost to G. Canning, J. Kenderidine defeated H. N. Galbraith, G. Dillon defeated H. Lawlor, T. Ryan defeated C. R. Gardiner, A. McGaffin defeated J. Drury, N. Mundell halved with B. Edwards, N. McGaffin lost to C. Hoadley, J. White defeated T. Smith.

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ELECTRIC POWER EXTENSION

RISSINGTON TO BE INCLUDED
MEETING HELD
Guarantees Quickly Provided

RISSINGTON.

A representative gathering of residents of the Rissington district attended a meeting of major importance to the district when the officials of the Hawke's Bay Electric Power Board attended to outline the prospects of electric power being supplied to Rissington at an early date.

Mr J. H. Absalom, chairman and convener of the meeting, introduced the Power Board members.

Mr Harvey, chairman of the Power Board, and the secretary (Mr Wylie) both addressed the meeting on the full details of the proposed scheme, including the road routes to be traversed and accompanying costs.

The Board's engineer supplied a plan proposing to carry the power lines from the Dartmoor turn-off via Apley Road to Rissington, with branch lines supplying power to the soldiers' settlement, and to the Rissington-Taupo Road as far as Mr Clark's property.

The capital cost of this scheme being approximately £3500, the local consumers would be required to guarantee the sum of £525 per annum for a period of five years.

Lighting and heating rates are to be the same as town prices.

Work Held Up.
It was stated that owing to the large amount of work in hand due to reconstruction of Hawke's Bay power lines over the last six months on account of the weather conditions, the Board would be unable to commence work on Rissington power supply earlier than 1940, but that it would be placed before the next meeting of the Board and given every favourable consideration possible.

The members of the board were accorded a vote of thanks by all present for their instructive advice and for the bright prospects given to Rissington in the near future.

Guarantees by residents present were rapidly forthcoming and the maximum guarantee required was practically fully subscribed, with absentees yet to be interviewed.

The enthusiasm of the local residents and their desire for maximum power in the minimum time was fully demonstrated to the Power Board officials.

A vote of thanks to the chairman (Mr J. H. Absalom) concluded a very successful meeting which has opened up extensive possibilities in the community.



THE HERETAUNGA MAORI CONCERT PARTY.—A photograph taken at the University of Sydney during the recent tour of the Heretaunga concert party. A performance will be given at the Municipal Theatre, Hastings, to-morrow. An additional attraction will be an account of the tour, which will be given by the Bishop of Aotearoa (the Rt. Rev. F. A. Bennett.)

DAIRY SUPPLIERS MEET AT WAIPUKURAU

Past Year Reported to Have Been Difficult for Farmers

WAIPUKURAU.
There was only a small attendance of suppliers of the Heretaunga Co-operative Dairy Company at a meeting held yesterday as a preliminary to the annual general meeting in Hastings on Saturday next, and it was accordingly decided to recommend that the directors discontinue holding the gatherings.

The directors present were Messrs D. G. Begley (chairman), R. S. Allan and A. L. Malcolm. Messrs W. A. Tims (factory manager) and H. R. von Dadelzen (secretary) also attended.

The past year had been a difficult one for dairy farming, stated the annual report. Owing to the autumn drought of 1937 there was a shortage of supplementary fodder for winter and early spring feeding with the result that cows came in in a generally poor condition. The spring conditions were also very unsatisfactory, and the first half of the season to December showed a drop in the company output of 253 tons. With the early autumn rains it seemed that this drop would be picked up, but largely owing to the flood damage, the year closed with a decrease in output of 298 tons; the make being 1964 tons against 2262 tons for the previous year.

From August 1, 1937, the guaranteed price of 13.25d had been paid by the Government, the Primary Products Marketing Department paying this price for all butter grading 93 to 93½ points, with variations in payments above and below this grading and for unsalted butter. This price had since been increased by a further payment of .41d, making the Government purchase price 13.66d, and it was on this price for butter that the balance sheet figures had been calculated.

Appropriation Account.
The Appropriation Account showed a surplus of £44,718 19/9, which the directors recommended for distribution as follows:—Deferred payments of 2 15-16d to shareholders who had supplied over 300 lbs of butter fat; 2 to shareholders who had supplied under 300 lbs of butter fat; 2 7-16d to non-shareholders who had supplied over 300 lbs of butter fat; dividend on shares of 5d per cent. on the paid up value; £300 to the Reserve Account.

For the year to June 30, 1937, the estimated payment to shareholders over all grades of cream was 13.291d per lb butter fat and on payments made on realisations this was sustained.

For the current season the average payment for butter fat over all grades of cream has been 11.711d per lb and with the deferred payments recommended above the payment for the season will be 14.549d over all grades of cream. The average payment to shareholders on the same basis will be 14.648d and finest grade cream 14.937d. These prices are at farm gate.

Decrease of Suppliers.
The annual statement showed the number of suppliers had decreased from 2010 to 1969, the cream received from 10,550,930 lbs to 9,523,021 lbs, and the average test from 39.21 to 37.82.

Total charges, including repairs and depreciation, up to f.o.b. were 2.511d per lb butterfat, against 2.311d. Cream grade percentages were 48.4; manufacturing charges 1.018d; depreciation .136d; repairs and maintenance .048d; charges, factory to f.o.b., .527d; overhead charges, .296d.

The company was in a very sound financial position, being free from debt of any kind, the chairman remarked. Referring to a suggestion that the Waipukurau factory should be closed down and cream transported to Hastings, he said that this would be unwilling to take this step if it could be avoided.

Mr B. Carver asked why so much cash had been held until the end of the year, instead of making larger pay-outs from time to time.

The chairman replied that the directors did not know that the Government intended to increase the guaranteed price until well into the season. It was usual to keep a good margin, as many farmers appreciated the payment of a bonus at the end of the year.

On the motion of Mr A. Edgar the meeting recommended that the directors make a slightly larger pay-out in the course of the season.

There was a short discussion on the respective merits of the guaranteed and compensated prices.

Mr B. Carver asked why so much cash had been held until the end of the year, instead of making larger pay-outs from time to time.

Miniature Rifle Shooting

RISSINGTON CLUB
Some Outstanding Scores
TROPHY RESULTS

RISSINGTON.

A good attendance of members of the Rissington Miniature Rifle Club gathered together on Thursday evening last to contest the second annual round for the trophy donated by Messrs Murray Roberts and Co., Ltd. of Hastings.

D. Engert, a new and greatly improved rifle shot, captured the trophy by a narrow margin of points from H. W. Youren, the Club's president, who was runner-up.

New members' scores were pleasing, especially those of P. Pegram and R. Roberts, who scored 92 and 90 respectively off the rifle, whilst H. W. Youren and D. Cochrane each scored very creditable top scores of 98 off the rifle.

N. Ebbett with 99.30 had the highest aggregate score for the evening, which won the club sweepstake and ladder badge.

Individual results for the second trophy shoot are as follows, indicating both the rifle and handicap scores:—

D. Cochrane 98, 99.14; H. W. Youren 98, 99.00; R. Roberts 90, 99.00; P. Pegram 92, 98.95; D. Engert 88, 98.56; N. Ebbett 93, 98.38; T. Sanders 83, 97.87; R. J. Bull 83, 97.16; S. M. Williams 88, 97.00; F. A. King 84, 97.00; R. H. Absalom 83, 96.81; E. McGregor 86, 96.76; A. R. Mines 84, 96.57; N. Simpson 86, 96.50; W. Simpson 70, 95.55; J. Howell 61, 95.00.

Murray Roberts Trophy.
For Murray Roberts and Co. Ltd.'s trophy the final totals were:—D. Engert 97.00; H. W. Youren 196.50; N. Ebbett 196.30; R. Roberts 196.25; T. Sanders 196.24; P. Pegram 195.82; D. Cochrane 195.71; E. McGregor 194.68; N. Simpson 194.25; W. Puddle 194.25; S. M. Williams 194.00; R. J. Bull 193.96; R. H. Absalom 193.62; King 193.43; A. R. Mines 192.71; W. Simpson 95.55, and J. Howell 95.00.

Club Sweepstake
Results of the club sweepstake are:—N. Ebbett 97, 99.30; H. W. Youren 97, 98.50; E. McGregor 90, 97.69; D. Engert 86, 97.12; W. Puddle 88, 97.00; R. J. Bull 85, 97.00; R. H. Absalom 83, 96.81; D. Cochrane 92, 96.57; T. Sanders 82, 96.36; N. Simpson 85, 96.25.

The first round of two shoots for the New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Co. Ltd.'s trophy will be fired next Thursday evening.

CENTENNIAL PLANS DISCUSSED

Dannevirke Council's Allocation

DANNEVIRKE.

A motion that the council agree to the new allocation of space at the Centennial Exhibition was passed at this week's meeting of the Dannevirke Borough Council.

The Mayor Mr E. Gibbard, mentioned that under the previous allocation the council's allocation was £242, whereas under the new scheme it would be £186 10/.

Mr T. G. Nelson moved a vote of thanks to the Mayor and Town Clerk, Mr G. T. O'Hara-Smith, for their action in the matter.

Mr G. T. O'Hara-Smith, for their action in the matter, Napier and also congratulated Mr Gibbard upon his congratulating one of the two delegates for Hawke's Bay on the exhibition committee.

The Town Clerk stated that Mr Simpson of the Exhibition Company had expressed his willingness to come to Dannevirke to address a meeting in order to stimulate interest in the centennial and exhibition and Monday evening next had been tentatively suggested.

Mr Simpson had some fine coloured sketches of different phases of the exhibition which should be interesting.

WAIMARAMA GOLF DRAW

WAIMARAMA.

The team to represent Waimarama in the inter-club match to be played with Parkvale at Waimarama on August 28 will be selected from the following members:—

LODGE SECRETARY FAREWELLED

LONG SERVICE FOR TOWN
MR P. E. BOLLONS
Many Tributes From Citizens

WAIPUKURAU.

A farewell evening for Mr and Mrs P. E. Bollons, held in the Masonic Hall, Waipukurau, was attended by a large number of friendly society members from all parts of the district.

P. G. Bro. Bollons has been financial secretary of the Loyal Tavistock Lodge, M.O.U., I.O.O.F., for the past 30 years.

Among officers of the Order present were Bros. C. H. White, J. Wharmby, J. P. Williamson, C. H. Laws, P. J. Priest, N. J. McKay and H. Bull.

Bro. H. A. Scherf, Noble Grand of Tavistock Lodge, presided and extended a welcome to the district officers, members of all lodges represented, and friends.

Tributes Paid.
"Having been closely associated with Bro. Bollons for the past 14 or 15 years, I feel in a position to commend his qualities," said P.D.G.M. Bro. G. R. Cook in proposing the toast of the guests of honour.

"Of the 38 years in which Bro. Bollons has been a member of Loyal Tavistock, he has been financial secretary for 30 years, and during that period he has carried out his duties faithfully and well, with credit to himself and to the satisfaction of the lodge.

"As an auditor I can testify to the wonderful work that Bro. Bollons has done. His efforts are appreciated not only by the lodge, but also by the district officers, and it was with deep regret that his resignation was received."

The speaker concluded by wishing Mr and Mrs Bollons a very happy life in Wellington.

Mr G. Winlove paid a tribute to Mr Bollons' work during his long period as manager of Winlove's Ltd. His support during the years following the death of Mr Winlove, sen., was deeply appreciated.

A number of other speakers endorsed these remarks, and a message in similar strain from the Mayor of Waipukurau (Mr R. W. Carpenter) was read.

The chairman then made a presentation of a handsome cheque to the guests of honour.

Acknowledgment.
On rising to reply, Mr Bollons was greeted with prolonged applause. The work he had been able to do for the friendly societies had always afforded him the greatest pleasure, he said. During the years he had been a member he had not missed a lodge night, with the exception of the time when he took a trip to England.

The lodge was to be congratulated on the appointment of Sister Cook as secretary, and he desired to thank Mr and Mrs Cook for their help in social matters during his term. He also thanked the lodge for their valuable gift and the many friends who had attended that evening to say farewell.

The Programme.
During the evening, items were contributed by the following: Miss B. Bryce and Mr C. W. Browne (solos), Miss G. Major, Mr E. C. Hurdfield and Mr P. J. Priest (eloqu coastal), Accompaniments were played by Sister E. Liddington (Dannevirke Lodge) and Mrs W. G. Bryce.

The following toast-list was honoured: "The Order in New Zealand" (P.D.G.M. Bro. W. G. Bryce, replied to by Director Bro. N. J. McKay); "Hawke's Bay District" (P.P.G.M. Bro. A. C. Holms—D.G.M. Bro. C. H. White); "Guests of Honour" (P.D.G.M. Bro. G. R. Cook); "Visitors, Kindred Orders, and Lodges" (P.D.G.M. Bro. E. C. Hurdfield—P.D.G.M. Bro. H. Bull and others); "The Ladies" (I.P.D.G.M. Bro. P. J. Priest—Sisters D. M. Cook, P. C. R. Major and E. Liddington); "Loyal Tavistock Lodge" (P.D.G.M. Bro. A. E. Jull—N.G. Bro. H. A. Scherf).

Fire Alarm at Waipawa.—The violent ringing of the fire alarm bell at a few minutes before 9 o'clock on Monday evening was the signal for a few people to leave the Regent Theatre, to ascertain whether the blaze was. The fire brigade was quickly at the station and proceeded to the origin of the fire, which proved to be a rubbish pile near the railway station. The fire was quickly subdued.

[An organisation has sent the following poem which was found in an old book. They could find no trace of the writer's name, but asked us to publish the verses.]

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Brighter Market Results

WAIPUKURAU SALE
Store Sheep In Good Demand

A brighter tone was evident in the market for sheep at yesterday's stock sale at Waipukurau. Most lines advanced on last week's rates, wethers in particular selling at a much improved figure, in one case reaching 24/2. A comparatively small entry of fat sheep sold at recent rates.

The yarding of cattle was also a small one, and few lines showed quality. Bidding was generally slow and values declined slightly.

Fat Sheep
In from Hatuma 23 medium wethers made 23/10; also from Hatuma 10 Down cross two-tooths 23/19 medium wethers on account of Gray Brothers, 22/10; same vendor, 15 wethers, 23/7; 19 medium grown two-tooths on account of Mr F. A. Cook, 23/5; same vendor, 11 fat wethers, medium grown and in good killable order, 24/5.

Store Sheep
A line of 109 Romney wether hoggets, on account of Mr A. C. Pattison, Waipawa, made a good sale at 22/3; Paul Hunter Estate, Porangahau, 412 Romney cross wether hoggets, on account of Mr F. A. Cook, fat and forward wether hoggets, 24/2; Paul Hunter Estate, 75 wether hoggets, 16/1; 104 fat and forward wether hoggets, 11; 22 wether hoggets, 16/8.

Cattle
On account of Mr Robert Matthews, Tikokino, two Hereford cows, in good order, made 47 5/; Mr A. W. Elliott, five young Aberdeen Angus cows, 18/; Mr R. Matthews, line of young Aberdeen Angus cows, 17; third-calver Jersey cross cow, 16 10/; 11 aged Hereford cows, in store condition, 14 12/; eight similar breed cows, 46.

Euclere at Te Uri.—A euclere tournament was held at Te Uri recently in aid of school funds and was well attended, the winners being: Ladies, Mrs J. Olsen; men, Mr N. B. Berntsen. Both prizes were donated by Mrs J. L. Pedersen. Supper was served at the close of play.

STATIONMASTER LEAVES

FAREWELL GATHERING AT WAIPAWA
MR PEPPERELL
Presentation Made To Popular Official

WAIPAWA.
A very pleasing ceremony took place in the office of the railway station at 5.30 last evening, when representatives of the carriers, service drivers, and wood merchants, combined with the local railway staff gathered to bid farewell to Mr Pepperell, who leaves today to take up his new duties as stationmaster at Port Ahuriri.

Ample evidence of the popularity and excellent qualities of Mr Pepperell was given in the remarks of the acting stationmaster, Mr C. Green, these being heartily endorsed by Messrs R. King and W. Houseman representing Oliver and Company, Messrs S. J. Stephenson, Reid, R. Dunlop, and C. Fargher, representing D. A. Preston Ltd., and members of the local staff, Messrs. Wallis, Stratford, and H. Gill.

Mr Green then asked Mr Pepperell to accept, as a token of the esteem and goodwill of those present, a combined fountain pen and pencil set, and with it the best wishes for his success and well-being in the future.

Mr Pepperell suitably responded, thanking the donors for their useful and handsome gift and assuring them that the complimentary remarks made by them were very much appreciated, but at the same time, the speaker continued, he could not have carried out his duties so efficiently had he not had the cooperation and help of his staff and the members of the carrying firms and wood merchants represented.

The new stationmaster will arrive in Waipawa within the course of a few days.

ORMONVILLE.
Mrs W. Emberson, of Ormondville, is visiting Waipukurau.



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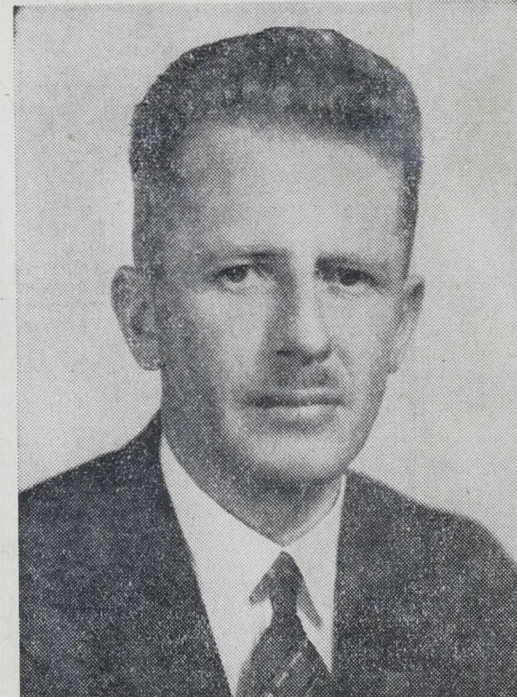
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JOIN THE NATIONAL PARTY TO-DAY

TRACK CONDITIONS GOOD AT HASTINGS

Jazz Boy and Cullus Impress: Hagen Shapes Attractively: Good Schooling Bouts

BY MOTUROA

Ideal conditions obtained at Hastings this morning after the mist lifted and all tracks were in perfect order for the gallops of horses engaged at Taranaki next week, and at the coming spring meetings.

Cullus made all the running for Jazz Boy to come along and just beat him in the fastest five of the morning on the plough, which was very fast. Another to impress on this track was Hagen.

Hunters' Eve, who is fast approaching form, ran a brilliant three furlongs on the No. 1 grass, while the best gallop on the course proper went down to the credit of Pakanui and Master Cykion.

Interest was added to the morning's work by the large amount of schooling over hurdles, while Salon and Nino Martini gave a great display over eight brush fences.

Iddo (B. Stowe), who looks freshened up since he last raced and is in nice order to go to New Plymouth next week, ran an easy six furlongs on the course proper, nearly four lengths in 1.51, the last seven furlongs in 1.36 4.5.

Tres Sec (Deeley), who has never been better than he is just now, impressed by drawing right away from Traller (Forsyth) over the concluding stages of their mile, winning by nearly four lengths in 1.51, the last seven furlongs in 1.36 4.5.

The Beau Pere three-year-old Ivar (Atkins) ran his half-mile on the bit in 56. He is not being bustled, but he is growing into a nice gelding and does his trainer credit. He should be worth watching for the later spring meetings, as there is no doubt about his class.

Hale Selassie (Cameron) ran his six furlongs in 1.20, the last five in 1.6 4.5. This Chief Ruler gelding has a sore mouth and ran right off the course coming into the straight, thus covering much more ground than anything else working on the course proper.

Freshened Up. First Chapter (Sheild) ran home the last three furlongs of his five in 41.25 and appeared to have a lot in hand. This consistent Hunter Song gelding has freshened up nicely on a diet of easy work since he won at the Hawke's Bay Hunt meeting and appears to be in great order for the Combined Hunts' meeting next week.

Fakanui (Atkins), who appears to be on the verge of returning to his best form, had the outside running in his gallop with Master Cykion

(Stowe) and just shaded the chestnut filly was just showing up from Silver Court (a chestnut colt by Gainscourt—Spare Moment) and the bay Lord Quex—Tinoatua filly in a sprint over the last furlong.

All nice movers and the last-mentioned, a half-sister to Hunter's Eve, looks likely for events a little later in the season.

The Lord Quex—Nukeraku colt and the Lord Quex—Rappallo colt hit out boldly up the straight. The former who is an own-brother to Bodyline, but built on more generous lines, was finishing very solidly.

Improving Juveniles. Hagen (Atkins) and Laughing Song (Forsyth), who have improved since the Hawke's Bay Hunt meeting, hit out well all the way over five furlongs on the plough in 1.4, the first two in 2.3 5. Hagen was never off the bit and looked as if he could have cut down on this time considerably. Laughing Song was not disgraced in going with such an improved three-year-old.

Le Touquet (Atkins) ran an easy six furlongs in 1.23, the last three in 41, and should not take much to tune up.

Smart Three Furlongs. The three-year-old Lord Quex—Enchantment (A' Inc.), Centreprise (Murray) and Red Shoes (Cameron) finished practically in line over three furlongs in 38.35, with the first named just poking his head up to the front on the inside. The Lord Quex colt is a half-brother to Red Witch and looks a racy sort.

Refulent (Marsh) ran his five furlongs in 1.7, without being im-

pressive. He may make a jumper later on, however.

Salon (Kerr) pleased in running his half-mile in 52.35. He had just previously schooled over two rounds of steeplechase fences and so the effort was particularly good, indicating the big improvement effected in him since the Hawke's Bay Hunt meeting.

Fast-Run Five. Cullus (Atkins), who is fast coming to hand, attracted attention by making all the running for Jazz Boy (Callahan) from the five furlongs scampering over his first two furlongs in 24.15. It was not until well into the straight that Jazz Boy reached the Lucullus gelding and he just shaded him in the last few strides in 1.3 for the full distance.

It was a fine effort and showed that Jazz Boy was at his best. Cullus performed exceptionally well considering the fact that he has been off the scene for over two years and it should not take much to get him ready to take his place among the country sprinters.

Smart Filly. Hunter's Eve (Stowe) showed that she was in excellent heart by scampering over three furlongs on the No. 1 grass in 36.35 and she was not knocked about in the concluding stages. This Hunting Song filly won two races in dashing style last year and she has not been out of form since she ran her first race in 1937.

Imogen (Kellett) ran an easy three furlongs in 41.25. She has been running an easy time since she ran her first race last month, but is the type that comes to hand quickly and should not be long in losing her maiden status for she has undoubted galloping ability.

Likely Sorts. The Siegfried—Polonaise filly (Fenton) and the Colossus—Te Ngā haranui filly (Stowe) impressed in running their half-mile in 52. Both are well forward for the spring meetings and look likely sorts.

Brunhilde (Forsyth) and Thala (Stowe) hit out well over their five furlongs in 1.5. Brunhilde is not usually a good track worker, but she has never looked brighter than at present and it would not surprise if she returned to her best form this spring.

Happy Landing (Cameron) ran an easy five in 1.12. He is still standing up to his preparation and may be faced at Wanganui.

The Lord Quex—Battle Flag and the Valkyrian—Chivalry youngsters ran up the straight on the trial grass track, both hitting out freely.

Fast, Clean Jumping. Nino Martini (Lord) and Salon (Kerr), who are engaged at New Plymouth next week, and then at Wanganui, gave a fine display of clean, fast jumping over a brush of the steeplechase fences—a brush, the double brush and another brush fence each time—and their performance indicated that both were well attuned for immediate racing.

Nino Martini is usually too smart over the brush obstacles for his opponents, but he met a Tartar in Salon, who outjumped him at every fence except the second of the double the second time round. Salon impressed by a clever recovery and he took the last fence in his stride. It will be disappointing if he fails to win a race or two on the circuit.

Coll and Lovellit. The big Tractor gelding Coll (Rohloff) and Lovellit (Lord) jumped fast and well over four schooling hurdles. The former is improving all the time and is a likely sort for the spring meetings, while Lovellit has thickened out a lot with her jumping and is likely to be heard of again very shortly.

Soho (Rohloff) was not up to his usual standard in a school over three hurdles. He was jumped very high at the first and landed heavily while he blundered into the second. He took the final fence very carefully. Soho appears to need more pace on to show his best over hurdles, while the like company.

Best Effort to Date. Catalogue's full-sister, Hamarin (Kerr) surprised by leading Red Rufus (Lord) over three hurdles. Hamarin, whose earlier displays were not impressive, never put a foot wrong and jumped with great confidence. With her galloping ability she has only to go on the right way from this performance to win her share of jumping events. Red Rufus jumped well and is a very fit horse.

Arthur Lord had a difficult task with Boatson over the first round of hurdles, the Mimetic gelding being disinclined to face the task. However, he was raced into the fences the second time round and not given a chance to run off. Boatson jumped reasonably well and he will no doubt gain confidence from the coming.

Paul Robeson (Lord) gave a very proficient display over three hurdles. He created a good impression at Marton last month and should not be a hard horse to place.

It would be unwise to condemn Hunting Love for his failure at the Manawatu Hunt meeting and he is looking so much improved that it should not be long before he gets another one for the Collinson-Morris combination.

A good impression was created by Eurotas, a good-looking son of Pantheon and Mimic, who made his debut at the Rangitikei Hunt meeting. Eurotas, who is now a three-year-old, has been working well at Wanganui and this gelding is likely to be heard of at New Plymouth next week.



FLORENCE MILLS, the brilliant Nigger Minstrel mare who is to resume racing at Wanganui next month. Florence Mills was too lively on Saturday morning to stand quietly for the "Daily Mail" photographer.

WANGANUI SPRING MEETING Hawke's Bay Entries

The following nominations were received by the Wanganui Jockey Club for the first day of its spring meeting, which is to be held on Thursday, September 8, and Saturday, September 10.

HUNTERS' STEEPLCHASE HANDICAP, of £120. About two miles—Red Mint, Gieve, Kikiroki, Annover, Salon, Lady Callaghan, Ngakarua, Power Chief, Sir Acre, Ika, Hirangi, Nino Martini, Right Roy, Green Timber, Lactose, Rufford, Star View, Ruenzoni, Daniel Boone, Flower Bag, Gay Maid.

MAIDEN RACE, of £130. Six furlongs—Old Bill, St. Cedric, Beau Monde, Night Attack, Pleece, Keen Sight, Yours Truly, Dame Flora, Coronation, Flying Hostess, Carrington Hall, Charmante, Minga, Lord Vegas, Sir Robin, Chere Amie, Lady Melfort, Merry Thought, Drachma, Rolling Home, Imogen, Maiwai, Morning Flight, All Bunsby, Starono, Kakaka, Prime Quality, Lord Cavendish, Misora, Corato, High Peer, Resingard, Ecstacy, Titter, Lady Pouna, March Easy, Eurotas.

KEHEU HACK HURDLE HANDICAP, of £160. One mile and four furlongs and a quarter—Even Money, Begonah, Revival, Aguilie, Lovellit, Paul Robeson, Greekster, Flamingo, Coil, Jewish Lad, Curie, In Command, Aurora's Love, Ngakarua, Ambition, Lustral, Tail Light, Red Rufus, Car Leaf, Student Prince, Don Erna, Talki, Sunder, Mungakaha, Erebus, Uta.

PUTIKI HACK HANDICAP, of £175. One mile and 110 yards—Iddo, Patches, Shangri La, Coloeno, Hunting Mint, Sunbeam, Flamingo, Gold Balad, Disturbed, Greavale, Puroto, Barley, Almond, Wareh, Strolling, Interloctor, Star View, Merryman, Auto Sweep, Red Ra, Happy Landing, Sly Fox, Sunny Blonde, Pekoe, Misurina.

MARANGAI HANDICAP, of £250. One mile and a quarter—Master Cykion, Tres Sec, Passion, Fruit, Brazen King, Pukeko, Liane, Scotland.

SEAFIELD HANDICAP, of £175. Seven furlongs and a quarter—Quadron, First Chapter, Master Cykion, Tracer, Homily, Clessaron, Light Comedy, Silver Fox, Fruite, Motoru, Peerless, Lucullus Lad, Amigo, Friesland, Myriam, Royal Choice.

DURIE HACK HANDICAP, of £150. Six furlongs—Florence Mills, Te Hui, Namara, Red Cat, Wild Talk, Le Toquet, Hunter's Eve, Wild Lady, Sporting Gift, Rhodesian, Rustum, High Rank, Sudan, Lucullus Boy, Rehearsal, Try Luck, Gold Band, Ailyth, Great Legion, Silver Fox, Amatory, Informer, Trebhor, Nereus, Thala, Earl's Court, Proclamation, Jazz Boy, Race Boy, Miss Waitere, Lord Cavendish, Dark Eagle, Amoroso, Deficit, Halle Selassie, Diareus, Gay Hunting, Life-guard.

FLYING HANDICAP, of £200. Six furlongs—Florence Mills, Sudan, Gay Son, Taurangi, Russia Ballet, First Chapter, Francis Drake, Clessaron, Doris, Call, Alby, Peerless, Gay Chou, Pakanui, Jazz Boy, Orate, Laughing Lass.

Wanganui Guineas. The following horses remain in the Wanganui Guineas race on the second day—Wild Talk, Rehearsal, Minga, Homily, Taurangi, Namara, Russian Ballet, Sudan, Night Attack, Peerless, Bullhead—Veronica, C. Lord Cavendish, Yours Truly, Amigo, Bronze Eagle, Lorett, c. Gay Son, Bold Baron—Praeda c.

WANGANUI GUINEAS HOPES Amigo To Be Produced at New Plymouth (By Moturoa.) Amigo is to race in the open sprints at the Combined Hunts' meeting at New Plymouth next week, for owner-trainer Len Paul wants his Beau Pere gelding to be at the top of his form for the Wanganui Guineas in order that he can gauge whether the proposed trip to Victoria is justified.

Amigo has done everything asked of him since he resumed work and his recent gallops at Wanganui indicate that he will be found in tip top order next week and as he usually comes to hand quickly, it looks as if he will give a good account of himself at first time of asking.

The Fordell mentor Dave Marks is very pleased with the progress of Taurangi and Russian Ballet have made in the past few weeks and it is probable that he will race both in the Wanganui Guineas and Russian Ballet showed great brilliance last season, but she should stay, as she is by Night-march from Eulogy's Oaks-winning daughter Praise.

Taurangi is by Beau Pere from Barbacan, the Top Gallant mare John Donald imported from Australia for his Westmere Stud. Taurangi was purchased by Mr W. McCa. Duncan for 525 gns., and won the Taika Handicap at Trentham and the Spring Handicap at Riccarton, beating Peerless, who won the Welcome Stakes in which Taurangi ran third.

Good Jumping In National Week

EIGHT-YEAR RECORD

Conditions Precluded Preparation

"Daily Mail" Special Service. AUCKLAND, August 22.

Although the heavy state of the training tracks affected even the schooling of jumpers immediately prior to the Grand National meeting, the average of performance, judging by the number of casualties in steeplechase events, was better than the mean of the previous decade and a great improvement on the 1937 record, when only two horses completed the course in the Grand National Steeplechase without mishap. The fields generally were larger than in more recent years and the fences were as formidable as on any occasion, but the times were much slower than has been common.

All six steeplechase events produced good contests and accidents were more likely to happen when the horses are running in close formation than when the field is strung out.

The percentage of casualties, which included horses who, for any reason, failed to complete the course, from 1930, is as follows: 1930 46 per cent; 1931, 36; 1932, 36; 1933, 50; 1934, 23; 1935, 33; 1936, 29; 1937, 43; 1938, 29.

Details of each race, giving the number of starters and failures for the last eight years are as under:

Table with columns: Year, Started, G. National, Enfield, Hunt Cup, Beaufort, Aylesbury, Lincoln.

These figures would appear to show that the performances of jumpers from year to year, under the same conditions as regards the obstacles, is quite consistently good. In 1931, there were 58 starters and 37 completed the course and in succeeding seasons, the respective totals were 58 and 37 again, 54 and 27, 42 and 32—the best achievement for many years, that of 1934—42 and 28, 41 and 29, 39 and 22 and this year, 47 and 33.

Auckland Two-Year-Olds. Of the dozen two-year-olds who paraded down the straight with the colours on Saturday, there were perhaps half who were at all forward. They ran about a quarter and generally they comported themselves well, there being less running about than one would expect at this time of a backward season.

Before the start the most pleasing to the writer were Hunto, the colt by Hunting Song—Dodo; La Vie, the filly by Night Raid—Royal Flavour; Noble Fox, the gelding by Oxbridge; and the filly by Dark Legion, the colt by Dark Fox—Our Legion; Gay Movie, the filly by Sarong—Picture, and the filly by Foxbridge—Lady Marie.

Noble Fox First Home. The order of the first six was Noble Fox, Princess Val, by Vaals—Iceball; Hunto, Gay Movie, White Maria, a filly by Vaals—Miss Melva and Anopheles, a filly by Vaals—Marshland.

Noble Fox and Hunto are well-shaped, and short-coupled youngsters, who show plenty of dash and "racing sense," as also did Gay Movie, a well-grown chestnut who pleased very much by her action. She has the appearance of an early winner.

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RACING FIXTURES FOR 1938-39

Start of A New Season

August—27.—Ottago Hunt.

September—1.—Egmont-Wanganui Hunt. 3.—Taranaki Hunt. 8, 10.—Wanganui J.C. 17.—Ashburton C.R.C. 17.—Foxton R.C. 17, 19.—Avondale J.C. 22, 24.—Geraldine R.C. 24.—Morton J.C.

October—1.—Otaki Maori R.C. 1.—Kurow J.C. 1, 3.—Ohinemuri J.C. 6, 8.—Dunedin J.C. 7, 8.—Hawke's Bay J.C. 8, 10.—Auckland R.C. 13, 15.—Masterton R.C. 15, 17.—Avondale J.C. 20, 22, 24.—Wellington R.C. 22, 24.—Otago R.C. 24.—North Canterbury R.C.

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Otago Hunt Weights

SATURDAY'S FIELDS

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, August 23.

Following are the handicaps for the annual meeting of the Otago Hunt Club, to be held on Saturday at Wingatui:

SEAVEW HACK AND HUNTERS' HURDLES, of 145. One mile and a half—Fireguard 11.7, Corban 10.5, McHeath 10.0, Delrain 9.11, Tautau 9.6, Toredor 9.4, Grand Finale 9.3, Moulin Val 9.1, Lycidas 9.0, Night Sail 9.0, Vantoon 9.0, Night Mith gelding 9.0.

BROCKVILLE TROT, of £140; 3.5 class. One mile and a quarter—Black Watch scr, Central Lad scr, Bob Tide scr, Ginger Rey scr, Gold Bank scr, Great Joy scr, Mongolian scr, Parishoner scr, Raven's Wing scr, Ripple Wave scr, Royal Chief scr, Stamboul scr, Star Bond scr, Thy Axworthy scr, Violet Potts scr, West Truman scr, Hytmooski, Hytmooski, MacGregor 24, Master Garry 36, Salalon 36, All Kings 60.

OTAGO HUNT CLUB CUP, of £220 and cup valued at £15. About two miles and a half—Gold Wren 11.7, Quinopal 10.13, Macalpin 10.0, El Catalo 9.12, Tom Cat 9.7, Uncle Jim 9.6, Harkaway 9.3, Lycidas 9.0, Golden Glow 9.0, Joy Boa 9.0, Matchem 9.0, Golden Warbler 9.0, Sporting Lass 9.0, Pallaforn 9.0.

PRESIDENTS HANDICAP, of £130. Five furlongs—Astaire 9.9, Hythia 9.7, Violenta 8.10, Compasate 8.11, Thermidor 8.11, Adina 8.10, Wynwood 8.9, Donadea 8.8, Gipsy Fair 8.6, Auctor 8.5, Remembo 8.3, Maori Maid 8.3, Slayer 8.0, Withdrawal 8.0, Gold Don 8.0, Newsreel 8.0, Attractive Note 8.0, Irish Agnes 8.0, Doubleleak 8.0, Avenal 8.0, Lord Ouyen 8.0, Vallock 8.0.

TALLY-HO HANDICAP, of £165. One mile—Millford 9.3, Trebleback 9.2, Monpere 8.12, Paladino 8.9, Valantua 8.7, Janet Gaynor 8.6, Osculate 8.5, Roseam 7.13, Swordstick 7.12, Mount Val 7.11, Pink Robe 7.7, Delrain 7.7.

WINGATUI TROT, of £140 and cup valued at £5 5/-; 3.45 class. One mile and a half—Grand Finale 11.0, Toredor 10.5, Corban 10.3, Tautau 10.2, Vantoon 9.5, Joy Boa 9.3, El Catalo 9.2, Hostile 9.1, Golden Glow 9.0, Darian 9.0, Panara 9.0.

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VAUXHALL HANDICAP, of £130. Six furlongs—Valantua 10.5, Astaire 9.7, Thermidor 8.12, Wynwood 8.10, Chinkus 8.9, Donadea 8.7, Hunting Chorus 8.3, Maori Maid 8.2, Remembo 8.2, Slayer 8.0, Gay Vixen 8.0, Lord Ouyen 8.0, Newsreel 8.0, Jedburgh 8.0, Vallock 8.0.

SILVER RING ARRIVES IN SYDNEY Hua To Be Sold For Stud Purposes

United Press Association—Copyright. SYDNEY, August 23.

The New Zealand gelding Silver Ring has arrived in Sydney, the place of former triumphs, and he goes into N. Christensen's stable at Kensington.

Silver Ring has been weighted at 9.3 in the Newcastle Cup. The Victorian horse Hua (Herclo-gladioli) who has finished racing as the result of a mishap, is to be sent to Sydney in September to be sold at auction for stud purposes. Hua won over £10,000 in stakes.

Luke Wilson will race both Old Bill and his half-sister Florence Mills at Wanganui, but he will probably reserve Quadron for Trentham. Old Bill continues to please the critics at Awapuni and Florence Mills has never been better than at present. She made a successful debut at Wanganui twelve months ago and that will not be overlooked when she has her first race of the season there next month.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24, 1938

The sale will commence at 10 a.m. with fat cattle.
No stock to be yarded before 6 a.m. until further notice.
The times for commencing selling will be as follows: Best cattle 10 a.m., store sheep 12 noon, fat sheep at 10 minutes after completion of fat cattle or at 12 noon if fat cattle are finished before that hour.

230 Wether Hoggets.
80 Ewe Hoggets.
44 Fat Wethers.
600 Fat Ewes.
40 Breeding Ewes (S.D.) with lambs at foot.
47 Fat and Heifers.
7 Fat Bullocks.
25 Breeding Cows and Heifers (E.A. bull).
40 Ewe Steers and Heifers.
40 Wearer Steers (P.A. bull).

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Karamu Rd. Hastings.
Phone 4162.
After hours: Bert Tong 3665; Geo. Tong 2491.

MEETINGS for the purpose of electing district representatives on the above Committee will be held as follows at 7.30 p.m.:
HAVELOCK: At Mr. W. K. Crombie's shed, WEDNESDAY, August 24.
PAKOHAI: At Mr. A. Bartle's shed, THURSDAY, August 25.
EAST CENTRAL: At Paynters Ltd. shed, MONDAY, August 29.
FRIMLEY: At Mr. G. S. Lowe's residence, TUESDAY, August 30.
Mr. N. J. Adamson will deliver addresses at all meetings on seasonal spraying.
C. G. WILKINSON,
Secretary,
H.B. Fruit Advisory Committee.

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ANDERSON'S GLADIOLI SPECIALS
The following 12 Gladioli Giant flowered best exhibition varieties for 10/-:
Takina Mrs. S. A. Errey
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MISCELLANEOUS
IF you should catch the eye of Auckland, ring 3341 or call at 811 Eaton Road, Hastings.

MRS. JOAN WATSON. New address: 605 Avenue Road West, Hastings. Phone 2832.

THREE Seats Available car going Taihape via Palmerston, Saturday. Write Sunday. Apply "227," Daily Mail, Hastings.

FUR REPAIRS. Workmanship guaranteed. Also new coats. Norman M. Kelly, Expert Furrier, Hereaunga Street W., Hastings.

SPECIALS. Boys' All Wool Good 1/11 pairs at F. Daines, Hereaunga Street, Hastings.

DAINT. English Red Oxide Roof Paint, best value on the market. 13/6 gallon. Bullivant's, King Street, Hastings. Phone 3862.

LOOSE COVERS. Cushions, Bedspreads, Lamp Shades, Elderdown Quilt re-covered and also re-made. Country homes visited. Mrs. Wilmot, home decorator, Russell Street (upstairs, next G.P.O.), Hastings.

SPECIALS. Men's Strong Pyjamas. Worth 5/11. Clearing at 4/11. At F. Daines, Men's Outfitter, Hastings.

UNBLEACHED Single Sheetting, 1/6 yard. E. Power, Municipal Buildings, Hastings.

OFF in the Chilly Night—I have crept out of bed for my Breen's Bronko.

SPECIALS. Men's Leather Mitts to clear at 3/11. Worth double. At F. Daines, Men's Outfitter, Hastings.

SAFETY Glass for your car. Guaranteed. Glass Specialists, Bullivant's, King Street, Hastings. Phone 3862.

MODEL Aeroplane Builders: Obtain your materials and kits from Market Street, Hastings.

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OUT WEST—Broncho Bustin' is done by Cowboys. In N.Z. cold bustin' is done by Bronko.—Breen's Bronko.

FUR COATS. Furs, re-lined, re-solable coat. Norman M. Kelly, Expert Furrier, Hereaunga St. W., Hastings.

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HUGE Purchases of Hardwood, suitable for gates, posts, bridges, etc. 9 x 2 1/2 x 8, 6 x 4, 4 x 1, Cheap for cash. H.B. Demolition Co., Hastings.

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TABLE POULTRY, any quantity. 6/- per pair. H. B. Trubshaw, Phone 11408, Napier.

WANTED: A 6/8 Rotary Hoe. Write giving condition and price to "2736," Daily Mail, Napier.

WANTED TO Buy: A Few Hives of Italian Bees in good condition. Write "158," Daily Mail, Hastings.

WANTED TO Purchase: About Two Acres Land, no buildings or outcrops, preferred. "XYZ," Daily Mail, Hastings.

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HAWKE'S BAY AGRICULTURAL AND PASTORAL SOCIETY.
TENDERS are invited for PRIVILEGES in connection with the Society's fixtures for 1938 and 1939.
Tenders are to close at Noon, WEDNESDAY, August 31.
1—Sole Right Publican's Booth, Spring Show, 1938, and Ram Fair and Autumn Show, 1939.
2—The Right to Sell Soft Drinks, Spring Show, 1938, and Autumn Show, 1939.
3—The Right to Erect Tobacco-ists' Stall or Tent, Spring Show, 1938, and Autumn Show, 1939.
Alternative tenders are invited in each case covering the Spring and Autumn Shows and Ram Fairs of 1939-40 and 1940-41, that is for one, two or three years, instead of one year, as above. It is anticipated that the Royal Show will be held in 1940.
Specifications may be seen at the Society's Office, Tennyson Street, Napier, or Mr. F. C. Wilkinson's Office, Queen Street, Hastings. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
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