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HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER Windy weather, mainly cloudy; misty with some rain.

BRITAIN PREPARED TO ACT WITH FRANCE

Treaty Obligations To Czechs MOMENTOUS DECISION IN FACE OF GROWING TENSION Gravity Of Situation Emphasised

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LONDON, August 25.

It is reported that Britain, within the next few days, will declare afresh her attitude towards the Czech situation, according to the "Daily Mail's" political correspondent. The declaration will take the form of an unmistakable assurance to France that Britain will support her should she become involved in any conflict as a result of fulfilling her treaty obligations to the Czechs.

It is understood that this decision was reached at yesterday's Ministerial conference.

LONDON, August 25.

Agreeing on the importance of the conference between Mr Chamberlain, Lord Halifax, Sir John Simon and Sir Robert Vansittart, diplomatic circles variously interpret the weight that can be given to the admittedly conflicting views regarding the seriousness of the Central European situation.

The "Daily Telegraph's" diplomatic correspondent says: "It is recognised in London, as elsewhere, that the situation calls for vigilance."

He adds that Mr Ashton Watkin had an informal conference with Lord Halifax, although he was on a private visit from Prague to London. The "London News Chronicle's" diplomatic correspondent says that trouble has on several occasions been predicted but that rumour was never more precise than at present.

Incident Feared.

"There is not the slightest doubt," he said, "that those well informed in Germany and elsewhere fear a very grave incident after the

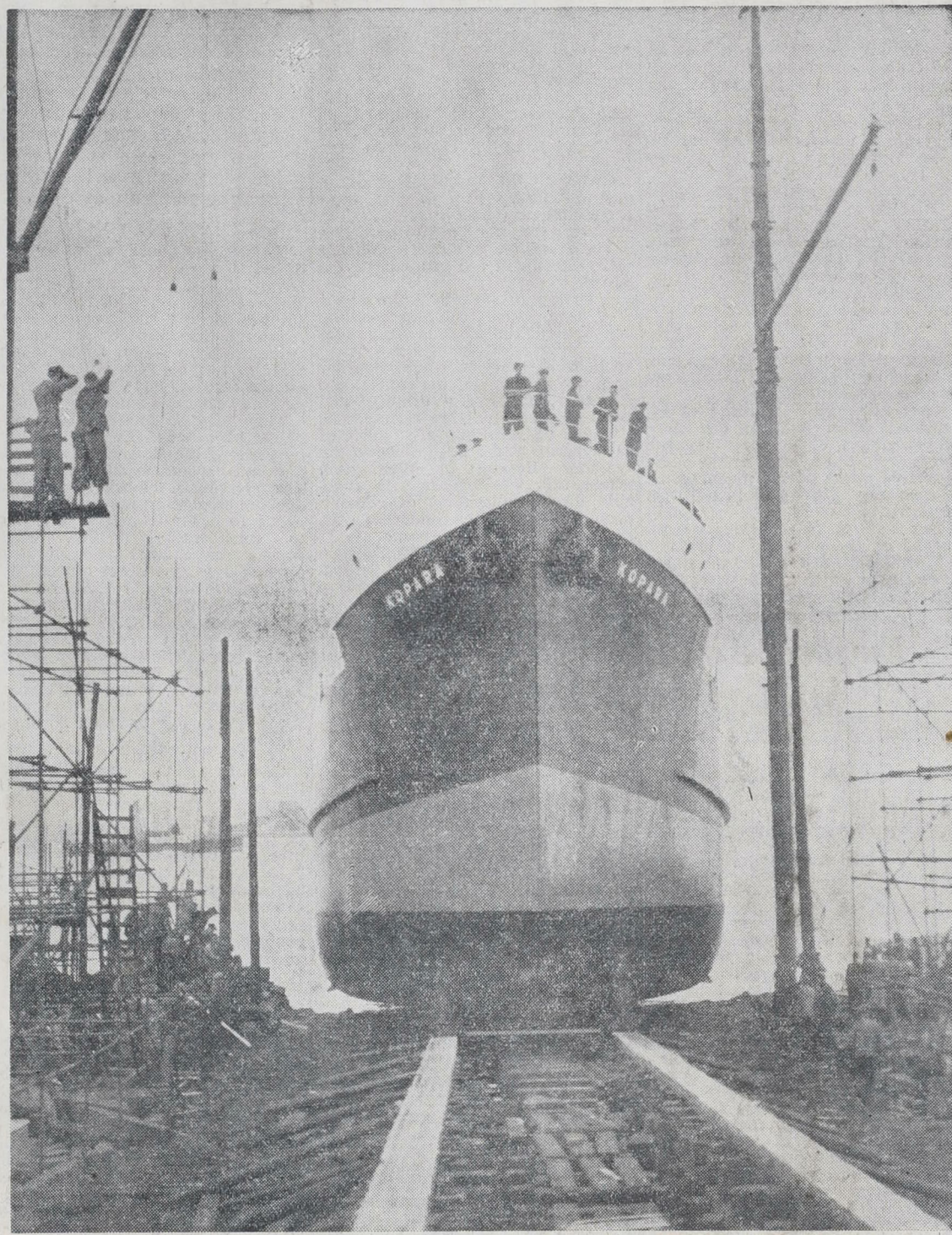
Nuremberg Party Day early in September. It is believed that a plan is being prepared to make the Czechs appear to be responsible."

The "Daily Mail's" diplomatic correspondent says that members of the British Government feel that the time is rapidly approaching when something must be done to arrest the rapidly-growing tension in Central Europe. How this could best be done is understood to have been discussed.

Chief Preoccupation.

The "Manchester Guardian's" diplomatic correspondent says that Czechoslovakia rather than Spain is the chief preoccupation of France and Britain. Signs of impatience in Berlin over the delay in the drafting of a satisfactory minorities statute is evident.

Germany does not wish to appear to be the aggressor, but it is believed in both Paris and Prague that any violence in Sudetenland will be interpreted as aggression and will be followed by armed intervention by Germany.



LAUNCHED BY A NAPIER RESIDENT—The Kopara, built at Leith, to the order of Messrs Richardson and Co., Port Ahuriri, was launched by Mrs L. C. Rolls, of Napier. The vessel, which is intended for the New Zealand coastal trade, is expected to arrive in Dominion waters about the middle of November.

THE HUNGARIAN FRONTIER

"FINAL," SAYS HERR HITLER

HORTHY'S VIEWS

"A Common Friendship With Italy"

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BERLIN, August 25.

Herr Hitler, proposing a toast to Admiral Horthy at the State banquet, described the German-Hungarian frontier as "final."

"Our firm friendship, based on mutual and unshakable confidence, will be particularly valuable to both peoples," added Herr Hitler.

Admiral Horthy, replying, said: "Hungary's relations with Germany were reinforced by the joint desire for a just peace and by a common friendship with Italy."

TWO PRISON GUARDS ARRESTED

Case Of Convicts Who Were Tortured

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PHILADELPHIA, August 25.

Two prison guards have been arrested in connection with the deaths of the prisoners who were reported to have been roasted to death. The guards are charged with homicide.

RUSSIANS CROSS BORDER

Manchukuo Incident Alleged

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LONDON, August 25.

The London "Daily Telegraph's" Tokyo correspondent says that the Japanese allege that Soviet patrols crossed the Russian-Manchukuo border near Saghalien.

The patrols fled when they were detected by Japanese forces.

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Allusion To The Last Election

"RATHER A FREAK"

Mr Hamilton Speaks At Auckland

CONFIDENCE IN PARTY

By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, August 25.

"We are going into the fight to win, and the recent candidates' conference was an inspiration to us," said the Leader of the Opposition (the Hon. Adam Hamilton) at a meeting of National Party supporters at Takapuna.

"The last election was rather a freak, something of an accident," Mr Hamilton said. "Labour had a good win, but I do not think that vote was to confirm State socialism in this country, but one of resentment against the depression Government. This time it will be a straight-out struggle."

"Let us hear the voice of the people of New Zealand, and we will abide by what they say. Anyhow, we cannot do anything else." (Laughter.)

Mr Hamilton said that British democracy had given the Dominion the best form of government in the world. If the country did not preserve it, she would lose it, as others had done.

"Labour learned long ago how to gather its forces into one strong fighting force," he continued. "It was our divided forces that put them in, with 47 per cent. I think, of the total votes cast."

"They won 70 per cent of the seats in the House. That is clever. It is intelligent organisation and ability, gather their strength into one cohesive force."

The Party System

Some people did not like the party system of Government at all, Mr Hamilton added. He, however, believed in the two party system, with a Government and an Opposition. He advised electors always to put in a Government with a strong majority, and with the voice of the people behind it. This was hard to achieve, and did not exist in New Zealand to-day.

"Women have their blood up this election," said Mr Hamilton, "and when women get their blood up we are going to get somewhere. One in Christchurch booked up more than 500 members."

"We have a woman in Auckland who booked up 500," cried a voice. "Good on her," rejoined Mr Hamilton.

The real Government of the country was the citizens, he continued. The Members of Parliament carried out their duties in the House. "Just the housekeepers," said a voice. (Laughter.)

"Yes, and not an easy job," said Mr Hamilton. "The Labour Government, rather than the Socialists, wanted to abolish the present system and establish a Socialist state," he added.

"A word to church people, to whom the Labour Party is appealing, are they the champions of Christianity. Are they? The Master's message was from God to His people. He did not come to establish a new social order. They are trying to shift ground to make the message of the Master a material one."

The meeting passed a vote of thanks to Mr Hamilton and expressed confidence in the success of the party at the election.

FIVE SURVIVE CRASH

AIRLINER THAT WAS FORCED DOWN

WRECK LOCATED

Japanese Explanation Of Affair

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HONG KONG, August 25.

Five survived the crash of the airliner owned by the Sino-American Company, after it had been forced down by Japanese pursuit planes.

Two more reached Macao so seriously injured that they were unable to state their names.

The British gunboat Cicula has located the plane at a depth of 45 feet. It is assumed that it contains the bodies of the victims. A naval salvage tender is going to the spot.

The Chinese newspaper "Takung-pao" says the incident is a direct answer to President Roosevelt's and Mr Cordell Hull's speeches condemning international lawlessness.

A Tokyo message says that a naval spokesman explained that in the absence of identification marks the Japanese were unaware that it was a passenger plane.

EIGHT UP AND SIX

FERRIER'S GREAT WIN

DOUBLE HONOURS

Open And Amateur Championships

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ADELAIDE, August 25.

Jim Ferrier to-day easily won the final of the Australian amateur golf championship, defeating H. R. Payne of Victoria by eight and six in a thirty-six holes final.

Ferrier is the first player to win the open and amateur double since 1907, when the Hon. Michael Scott achieved that distinction. Critics say that Ferrier would have beaten the best overseas players on his present form.

ALMOST £70,000 STOLEN BY BRISBANE BANK CLERK

Vast Sums Wagered On Races: Five Years' Imprisonment Imposed

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BRISBANE, August 25.

Pleading guilty to the theft of £69,105 belonging to the National Bank of Australasia, Cecil Roberts Trotman Foote, a bank clerk, aged 37, was sentenced to five years' imprisonment.

The Crown Prosecutor told the court that Foote once had wagered £9800 in one day on 51 horses all over Australia. His biggest betting loss in one day was £5700.

At the original hearing in the Police Court on June 28, the police said that Foote had admitted that he had paid about £50,000 to one bookmaker, and between £15,000 and £20,000 to another.

Wool Will Hold Its High Place

MR CHRISTIE'S VIEWS

Work Of International Organisation

VISIT TO LONDON

By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, August 25.

"If the present organisation is supported, wool will hold its own high place as a textile fibre, despite the tremendous increase in the output of staple fibre. I am firmly of the opinion, however, that every effort must be made for the proper organisation of the wool industry, and to do away with the considerable waste and loss, especially at the producers' end," said Mr H. M. Christie, M.P. for Wainmavis, and chairman of the New Zealand Wool Publicity and Research Committee, on his return by the Rangitane to-night after attending a conference of the International Wool and Textile Organisation and meetings of its executive committee in London.

The conference, Mr Christie stated, was attended by representatives of practically every European country, and of Australia, New Zealand, and South Africa. It was considered to have been most successful.

The amount of work which members of the International Wool Secretariat had accomplished in the short time since their appointment was surprising.

Australia was ably represented upon it by Dr. Clunies Ross, South Africa by Mr F. Du Plessis, and New Zealand by Mr F. S. Arthur, whose work had already won high praise.

The purpose of the organisation was to further the wool industry in its widest sense.

PRIME MINISTER IMPROVING

MAY ATTEND RACE MEETING

PRESENT PLANS

Will Leave Auckland On Monday

By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, Aug. 25.

Still rapidly improving in health after being indisposed last week end, the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. M. J. Savage) will probably see the principal race at the Auckland Trotting Club's meeting at Alexandra Park on Saturday if the weather is fine.

It has been definitely decided that the Prime Minister and his party will leave for Wellington by the afternoon express on Monday.

Although the fact that he had spent two afternoons out of bed this week caused no ill-effects, Mr Savage's doctor considered it advisable for the Prime Minister to take a complete rest to-day. He was allowed, however, to receive occasional visitors, among them being Archbishop O'Shea, Catholic Metropolitan of New Zealand, and Bishop Liston, Catholic bishop of Auckland.

In accordance with the practice that he has followed during the week, the Mayor of Auckland, Sir Ernest Davis, spent a few minutes with Mr Savage to-day.

There were many other callers to inquire after the Prime Minister.

NAZI NEWSPAPER ATTACKS POPE

"GAINSAING GOD'S TRUTH"

RACIAL EQUALITY

Noted Jew-Baiter Is Bitter

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LONDON, August 25.

The London "Daily Telegraph's" Berlin correspondent says that the Nazi newspaper "Der Stuermer" devotes the entire front page to an article written by Herr Streicher himself and attacking the Pope.

The article declares that the Pope disowns the laws of God. "It is sheer nonsense to say that all races are equal in the sight of God. The Pope is acting against all sense in gainsaying God's truth," it states.

While The Going Is Good

"TURN PROFESSIONAL"

Advice To Champion Tennis Player

HOW TO MAKE MONEY

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NEW YORK, August 25.

George Lott, writing in "Collier's Magazine" advises Donald Budge, the American tennis champion, to turn professional at the end of the current season before his money-making powers dwindle through defeat.

Lott warns Budge that memories are most difficult to live upon. He declares that he heard Dwight Davis say "Tennis has given me a great deal of enjoyment, but sometimes I wonder if the Davis Cup is a good thing. It has become too big and requires too much time from young fellows who ought to be thinking of the serious problems of life. I wonder if it has been an asset or detriment to sport."

SPEED OF 354 MILES AN HOUR IS ATTAINED

Captain Eyston In Thunderbolt Creates New Unofficial Record

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BONNEVILLE FLATS (Utah), August 25.

Captain George Eyston, in the Thunderbolt, beat his own world land speed record of 311.42 miles an hour. Unfortunately, owing to the failure of the electric timing devices on the second run, his speed cannot count as an official record. The first run was covered at 347.15 miles an hour and the second at 346.8.

During the run a speed of 354 miles an hour was attained.

In an article copyright by the North American Newspaper Alliance, Captain Eyston says: "It was a tremendous sensation whistling across the salt flats at 347 miles an hour."

"I never dreamed that there was such acceleration in the Thunderbolt. I want to give my faithful crew a deserved word of praise. The improvements we made last winter have all proved themselves justified. I look forward to my next attempt, but it is unlikely that I will be able to run again this week. Mounting the new tyres will require from two to three days."

"In the meantime I will watch Cobb make his speed record attempt."

The Australian Associated Press quotes Cobb as saying that it was devilish tough luck for Captain Eyston, and lamentable that a man had risked his life for nothing.

Japanese Capture Juichang

POISON GAS USED?

Chinese Embassy Allegation

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SHANGHAI, August 24.

The Japanese claim that they have captured Juichang. The Chinese Embassy in London alleges that the Japanese used toxic gas during the advance.

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SYDNEY, August 25.

The New Zealand Schoolboys' Soccer Team opened their tour with a match against Junior Technical and commercial schools. The New Zealanders won handsomely, by 5 goals to nil.

British Official Wounded

HAIFA OUTRAGE

Fights With Terrorists Continue

BANDITS ATTACKED

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HAIFA, August 24.

Mr W. S. Moffatt, assistant-commissioner at Jenin, was dangerously wounded by a terrorist who entered his office and fired point-blank six bullets, which entered Moffatt's body.

From Palestine it is reported that a military and police force routed a series of armed bands which had been sniping traffic on the Nazareth-Tiberias road. Fourteen bandits were killed. One British soldier was seriously wounded.

SCHOOLBOYS' SOCCER TEAM WINS

New Zealand Side At Sydney

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The 3YA Studio Orchestra will also be heard in a concert from 3YA Christchurch at 8 p.m., with Margherita Zelanda (coloratura soprano) at 8.34 p.m.

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2.05-2YA-Community hour.
3.00-3YA-Recordings.
3.05-1YA-Recordings.
3.10-2YA-Talk prepared by A.C.E.
3.15-3YA-Talk by A.C.E. "Don't Scorn Skim Milk."
3.20-1YA-Sports results.
3.25-2YA-Time signals. Weather for farmers.
3.30-1YA-Light music.
3.35-3YA-Classical music.
4.00-1YA-Weather for farmers.
4.05-2YA-Sports results.
4.10-3YA-Sports results.
4.15-1YA-Sports results.
4.20-2YA-Sports results.
4.25-3YA-Sports results.
4.30-1YA-Sports results.
4.35-2YA-Sports results.
4.40-3YA-Sports results.
4.45-1YA-Sports results.
4.50-Children's session from all stations.

6 P.M. TO 8 P.M.
6.00-Dinner music from all stations.
6.05-Government overseas news from all stations.
7.10-News and reports from all stations.
7.20-2YA-Time signals.
7.25-1YA-Sports talk, Gordon Hunter.
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WHITEBAIT IS SCARCE
WILL THE NEW MOON BRING MORE?
THEORY BELIEVED
Hastings Fishmongers' Experiences

Whitebait has been unusually scarce this season in most parts of the Dominion. But Hastings fishmongers are convinced that it is the worst season they have ever experienced, as far as the shortage of whitebait is concerned.
With the cold frosts and heavy rain at the commencement of the season whitebait appeared in only very small quantities, said one retailer yesterday. Snow was now the trouble.

Supplies had certainly increased a little since the improvement in weather, but snow from the ranges continued to bring down sediment in the rivers, thereby spoiling prospects for fishermen.
The scarcity of the fish was such that it was at present a luxury. Whitebait was being sold—very slowly—at 5/6 a lb.

However, with the new moon now approaching whitebait is expected to be more plentiful.
The new moon, according to experienced fishermen, has the effect of bringing the whitebait up the rivers from out at sea. At the same time this phase of the moon seems to encourage growth as in the case of plants.

But here again conditions largely depend on the weather, for even if the whitebait are in large quantities upstream it will be very difficult to make satisfactory hauls.

Empire Air Mail
A GREAT SUCCESS
Domestic Sphere to be Explored

In eight overseas mail despatches under the 14½ "all-up" Empire Air Mail Service, New Zealanders sent nearly 300,000 letters. The period covered was from August 4 to August 20, and the actual weight carried by air from Australia was over three tons.

The Post Office is now anxious to reach the domestic sphere with the news of the change, because it is from this source that the problem of short-paid letters now presents itself in greatest volume. Private letters rarely show any indication on the envelope of the sender's name, therefore the Post Office staffs are unable to advise senders of the shortage and thus avoid an irritating penalty.

Obviously much of this correspondence is film fan-mail, and the intended recipients are not likely to involve themselves in heavy charges for insufficiently paid correspondence of that character. Italy and the Argentine are other important countries from the mail point of view, and the number of short-paid letters to these points prompts another official reminder that the minimum postage is now 2d.

Commercial research scientists at Chicopee Falls, Massachusetts (U.S.A.), are broadcasting radio thermal waves to hams. The radio heat thoroughly cooks the meat in 20 minutes. The experimenters report, further, that the radio-cooked hams retain all their delicate flavour and lose only 3½ per cent. of their weight during the process. Steam-cooked hams lose 10 per cent. of their weight.

COMBINED COURT AT EXHIBITION
General Approval
SCHEME TO BE DISCUSSED

Approval of the scheme for a combined provincial court, representative of the whole of New Zealand, at the Centennial Exhibition, was communicated to the exhibition secretary by the Canterbury Provincial Committee today.
This leaves only North Auckland to consider the scheme before it comes before the directors for final approval on September 5.

It is understood that the North Auckland Committee proposes to discuss the scheme on September 1. In the event of their approval the scheme will be placed before the directors' meeting, and its adoption will depend on consideration of finance and the amount of support likely to be continued by the provincial committee.

LABOUR CANDIDATE FOR PATEA
Party's List For Election Nearly Completed
By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, Aug. 25.

Mr C. J. Duggan has been endorsed by the national executive of the Labour Party to contest the Patea seat at the coming general election. With the exception of Eastern Maori this completes the Labour Party's list of candidates.

A New Weather Station
FIRST ON MT. EGMONT
Established at the Dawson Falls
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The first climatological station to be established on the slopes of Mt. Egmont is now functioning at Dawson Falls hotel. The station was established last week by Mr. M. S. Butterton, an officer of the Meteorological Office and Weather Bureau in Wellington.
Though the Egmont hotels possess rain gauges, this is the first and only complete station on the mountain.

The Dawson Falls station will take its place in the chain of observing stations throughout New Zealand from Auckland to the Bluff.
Owing to the practically continuous and heavy rain of last week some difficulty was experienced in erecting the equipment outdoors, but the station is now functioning satisfactorily in the grounds of the hotel.

A shelter, technically known as a Stevenson Screen, contains wet and dry bulb thermometers and a minimum thermometer. Readings are taken at 9 o'clock every morning, together with observations of the clouds, and direction and force, visibility and other relevant weather phenomena.

These observations are collected each month at the head office of the Weather Bureau in Wellington, where this valuable data is available for investigations of climatic problems intimately connected with the life of the community.

Having established the Dawson Falls station, Mr. Butterton is continuing an inspection of the aviation weather reporting stations at Stratford, Te Kuiti and Tauramunui before returning to Wellington.

DEFEAT OF TITLE HOLDER
GOLF TOURNAMENT AT ROTORUA
DAY'S SURPRISES

By Telegraph—Press Association. ROTORUA, August 25.
The defeat of the title-holder, H. D. Brinsden, in the second round of the open championship by L. D. Drummond, of Dannevirke, was the surprise of the first day of match play in the Rotorua amateur golf tournament which opened at the Arikipapakapa course on Tuesday.

Another surprise was the defeat of J. P. Mortland by the Manawatu player N. H. Aron in the second round. The results of the first and second rounds are as follows:—
First Round Championship.

B. H. Glading (Hamilton) beat L. R. Curtis (New Plymouth), 4 and 2.
F. Fenwick (Gisborne) beat J. B. Graham (Wellington), 2 up.
A. H. Craig (Napier) beat J. Nicoll (Pukekohe), 2 and 1.
H. G. Graham (Manawatu) beat H. G. Carver (Wanganui), at the 20th.

C. Bayley (Rotorua) beat S. G. Longuet (Wellington), 4 and 3.
C. H. Hoadley (Auckland) beat R. B. Carr (Auckland), 2 and 1.
E. L. Bartlett (Auckland) beat W. Sparks (Te Puke), 5 and 4.
R. D. Johnston (Tauranga) beat L. B. Howarth (Cambridge), 4 and 3.
J. P. Mortland (Taihape) beat W. Kusabs (Rotorua), 2 and 1.
R. H. Craig (Napier) beat H. G. Bateman (Tauranga), 2 up.
M. D. Carr (Rotorua) beat R. Kensington (Te Puke), 2 and 1.
H. B. Lusk (Auckland) beat D. G. Wyte (Wellington), 2 up.
I. D. Drummond (Dannevirke) beat H. P. Cullen (Auckland), 5 and 4.
W. D. Barker beat S. Napier, 6 and 2.
D. Brinsden (Auckland) beat K. G. Salmond (Feilding), 7 and 6.

Second Round.
Glading beat Fenwick, 3 and 2.
D. H. Graham beat Sinclair, at the 19th.
Bartlett beat Hoadley, 3 and 2.
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Aron beat Mortland, 3 and 2.
Craig beat M. D. Carr, 4 and 2.
Lusk beat Barker, at the 19th.
Drummond beat Brinsden, 1 up.

Cancellation Of Licence
AN APPEAL UPHELD
Discussion Of Grounds For Penalty
DRIVER'S CONVICTION

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, Aug. 25.
Stating it as his desire and determination to do everything in his power to make and keep the roads safe for traffic, the Chief Justice (Sir Michael Myers) discussed at length in the Supreme Court yesterday powers of cancellation of driving licences and prohibition from driving. His Honour allowed the appeal of a commercial traveller who had been fined £5 and had had his licence suspended and an order made against him prohibiting him from obtaining another for six months. The appeal was not against the fine.

The appellant was Stanley Frank Cass, commercial traveller, of Wanganui, who had been convicted by Mr. W. F. Sullivan, S.M., of failing to keep as far as practicable to his left on the roadway between Porirua and Titahi Bay.
Stating that he was satisfied that the £5 fine was ample penalty, His Honour quashed the order for suspension of the licence and prohibition from obtaining another. His Honour said he could not interfere with the endorsement of the conviction on the licence.

SOME COMMON DISEASES OF THE PIG
Several Types are Described
Some Known Treatments and Cures
Help to Eliminate Pig Losses

The pig is subject to attack by numerous parasites, both external and internal. The external forms are the pig louse, and two types of mange mite.
The internal parasites of the pig include roundworm, lungworm, whipworm and hydatids. Most of these parasites are of common occurrence and at times lead to considerable financial loss.
This article deals with each of the parasites enumerated. It is hoped that these few paragraphs will be of assistance to pig farmers in general.
By following this article carefully farmers will gain some knowledge of how the different parasites can be fought and thereby eliminate many losses among their pigs.

(Lice)
These parasites are about one-fifth of an inch in length, and are the largest found on domestic animals. They pass the whole of their life on the pig, feeding and breeding there. Although they may, by accident, be transferred to a domestic animal, or to man, they will not breed on such hosts, but may pierce the skin and obtain a meal.
They may be found on any part of the pig's body. Food is obtained by piercing the skin with needle-like mouth-parts and sucking the blood. The piercing of the skin in particular and the scratching movement of the claws to a lesser extent, give rise to considerable itching, which causes the animal to rub itself against any convenient object.
Eggs are laid and attached firmly to the bristles by means of a clear cement. It is usual to find eggs most abundantly on the lower parts of the body. The incubation period for eggs varies from 12 to 14 days. Sexual maturity is reached 18 days after hatching, so that the cycle from egg to egg is about 30 days.

Means of Destroying.
Considering the ease with which lice may be destroyed, there is no excuse for anyone having pigs lice-infested. Lice on pigs are readily destroyed by the application of almost any oily preparation.
If pigs are treated by hand, it is advisable to give two applications, the second one 14 to 16 days after the first, so that any eggs which escaped the first dressing may have had time to hatch out and be destroyed by the second.
The best method is to use a vegetable oil and apply it to all parts of the body with stiff brushes, which are possible to make arrangements for the animals to treat themselves. This can be done by allowing the animals to use a wallow filled with water to a depth of about three inches.

After the pigs have formed the habit of using this wallow, a quantity of linseed oil, ordinary machine oil, or castor oil is poured on top to form a thin film. Waste engine oil may be used in cold weather, as it is liable to cause blistering under a hot sun, consequently during the summer months a vegetable oil is preferable.
When the pigs leave the wallow, a dust of 10 lb. of kerosene and this effectively destroys any parasites on the skin.
In very hot weather such a wallow may require to be shaded to prevent the water from becoming too hot for the animals to use readily.
Another inexpensive and convenient means of applying oil is to wrap sackings around rubbing posts in the pen or paddock. This should be done firmly to the posts and repeated periodically with waste engine oil or whale oil, or a layer of axle grease.

Infested pigs will readily rub themselves against these oiled posts and thus keep a coating of oil on the affected parts. This latter method will not eradicate lice, but should tend to lessen their spread.
Mange Mites.
Two types of mange mite occur on pigs, the sarcoptic and the demodectic or follicular. The latter rarely occurs, and is of no consequence in the pig, as it is not transmitted to man.
Sarcoptic mange is a serious ailment of pigs and during the last few years, has been very prevalent in many parts of New Zealand. The mite which gives rise to this disease is similar to the one that causes scab in sheep, and also to the one that causes mange in horses, but it is a different variety and will affect pigs only.
It is not visible to the naked eye, but scrapings taken from the skins of affected pigs, when examined microscopically, will readily reveal the small, round, white mites. These mites do not live on the surface of the skin, but penetrate the upper layers and excavate burrows, in which they lay their eggs.
The excavation of these burrows sets up a much more serious and severe irritation than that caused by the presence of lice. As the average period of incubation of the mite is about four days and the average period after hatching until egg laying begins is about 11 days, a new generation of mature mites may be produced every 15 days.
Sarcoptic mange may start on any part of the body, but it frequently starts on the head around the nose, eyes or ears. From these parts it spreads over the neck and shoulders and along the back and sides, finally involving the whole body.
The burrowing of numerous mites in the sensitive layer of the skin causes inflammation, and swellings about the size of pinheads coated with yellowish sticky material appear.
The intense itching causes the pig to rub itself until affected areas of ten become raw. Loss of hair occurs, the affected parts appearing dry and scurfy and sometimes covered with brownish scabs.

In neglected cases the skin becomes bare, much thickened and wrinkled. The rubbing of the animal against objects may result in the running together of the small pinhead areas to form large scabs.
Mange in pigs is highly contagious and is spread by contact with affected animals or by rubbing against affected posts or from contaminated litter.
Pigs of all breeds and ages are susceptible but young animals suffer most severely.
Methods of Cure.
Mange should be treated by applying to the skin a preparation which will destroy the mites. Control of the disease is dependent on a second treatment not sooner than seven days and not later than ten days

after the first. This will kill the mites which have hatched out from the eggs not destroyed in the first application.
Hand dressing, which is applicable only in farms where few pigs are kept, is the very thorough and successful. Preliminary treatment consists in washing with a five per cent. solution of liquor potassae, or alternatively soft soap or washing soda. The water may be heated. The following substances are used as hand dressings and are best applied with a stiff brush over the entire surface of the head and body, including the insides of the ears, and between the thighs: (a) crude petroleum (fuel oil) or (b) kerosene and lard (half-pint of kerosene to one pound of lard).
Dipping the animals is a far better method of dealing with mange in pigs. Where large numbers of pigs are kept a special dip is necessary unless a small sheep dip is available.
The most effective materials for dipping are (a) crude oil, or (b) lime-sulphur. The former is regarded as being the most effective and entails at most only two dippings, whereas with lime-sulphur four dippings at intervals of a week are necessary.
If an oil dip is used, there should be 40 inches of water on which oil is poured to a depth of from six to eight inches, the liquid in the dip being 40 to 48 inches deep, which is sufficient to swim the tallest animal.
In going through the dip every part of the pig's body gets a coating of oil. Where mange occurs, it is essential to dip every pig on the farm, and as previously indicated, animals should receive a preliminary washing.
Lime-sulphur may be bought ready for use or prepared as follows: Mix 25 lb. of flowers of sulphur with 12½ lb. of good quicklime. Grind the mixture with water until a cream is formed. Transfer this cream to a boiler and add water until the volume is brought up to 20 gallons.
Boil and stir until the liquid is dark red in colour. This will take about half an hour and water must be added occasionally to keep the volume up to 20 gallons. Cool the liquid and pour it off from any small amount of residue. Water to bring the volume up to 100 gallons should be added, after which the material is ready for use.

To eradicate mange from a farm it is necessary not only to treat the animals, but also to treat the quarters, wash the pens and paint all wood work with waste oil. It is also advisable to move all pigs to fresh quarters and leave pens which have housed diseased pigs unoccupied for six weeks.
Roundworm.
This is one of the most prevalent and widespread internal parasites of the pig. The worm is about the thickness of an ordinary lead pencil, and measures from six inches to over a foot in length. It is pure white in colour, and pointed at both ends.
These worms infest pigs of all ages, but young animals, up to four months old, are much more susceptible to heavy infestation by the parasite than are older animals, which, as they develop, acquire a certain degree of immunity. The adult worms inhabit the small intestine, often in large numbers, so much so that death may result from the bulk of the worms in the tract.
The female worms produce eggs in large numbers, a single individual being capable of laying thousands a day. The eggs are passed out with the droppings, and infect the ground, food and water.
Roundworms have phenomenal powers of resistance, both to climatic conditions and to chemical disinfectant. Eggs reach the infective stage after lying on the ground for a week or two, and they then remain viable for long periods.
The swallowing of "ripe" eggs leads to infection. Before settling in the intestine larval worms travel through various organs of the body, including the lungs, where they are liable to give rise to bronchial troubles. A heavily infested pig usually runs a high temperature, while its breathing is abnormally rapid, and sometimes irregular.
It very quickly becomes unthrifty, pot bellied and a poor doer with a variable appetite. The digestive disturbances set up by the presence of the worms frequently lead to diarrhoea, which may alternate with constipation.
Infested pigs respond to medicinal treatment. This is as a rule only necessary in the case of young pigs, older animals rarely requiring treatment.
Sanonin is the safest and most effective substance to use when pigs are dosed for roundworms. The drug in powder form, is best given in milk, the dose for a pig being from five to ten grains according to the age and size of the animal. It is necessary to treat the animals singly to ensure that each receives the correct dose.

Whipworm.
Whipworm is an extremely common parasite of pigs, and occurs in the large intestine. The length of this worm varies from one to one and three-quarter inches. The front two-thirds is very slender, while the remaining third is considerably larger, and this curious form is responsible for the name "whipworm."
The whipworm attaches itself by the slender end to the lining of the large intestine. When present in large numbers, it is responsible for intestinal catarrh, diarrhoea, and poor bodily development in young pigs, but older animals are apparently not seriously harmed by its presence.
It is difficult to reach the whipworm with drugs owing to its attachment and location. Treatment with tetrachloro-ethylene in milk may give beneficial results. The dose is from one to five cubic centimetres a pig according to age and size.
Lung-worms.
Lung-worms are white, threadlike forms, measuring from one to two inches in length, which inhabit the air tubes of the lungs, where they feed and deposit their eggs. Irritation is set up by the presence of worms in the lungs, and the coughing and frothy discharge from the nostrils and general unthriftiness indicate the presence of lung-worms.
The spasms of coughing are effective in bringing the eggs up into the throat, and these reach the outside in the frothy discharge or are swallowed and passed to the ground in the droppings.
In those species of lung-worms where the life cycle is completely known, the larva hatching from the egg is incapable of infecting a pig directly but requires to pass through an intermediate host first. The earth-worm is known to act as the intermediate host of pig lung-worms.
The pig is liable to become infected through the swallowing of earth-worms, when the larvae are set free in the intestines and migrate by way of the blood stream to the lungs, which they reach in the course of five days.
Maturity is reached in three to four weeks after infection. Treatment of affected animals is not very satisfactory, and preventive measures, including the housing of animals in dry, well-drained quarters, should be aimed at.
Lung-worm is quite common in large herds where many pigs are kept in New Zealand, and has become a more ground year after year, due to the use of manure for sanitation. Where only a few pigs are kept, and those given considerable liberty as to range and grazing quarters, little trouble is experienced.
Hydatids.
The bladder-worm stage of this dog tapeworm sometimes occurs in the liver and other organs of the pig. Pigs are, however, far less frequently infected than sheep. It appears to be more prevalent in wild pigs in New Zealand than among domestic animals. No satisfactory method of treatment is known for hydatids. Since the disease is set up by the ingestion of eggs of one of the dog tapeworms, all practical measures should be taken to prevent the contamination of pigs' food or their grazing paddock by dogs' excreta.
Pig Worms and Human Beings.
It has been definitely shown that both the roundworm and the whipworm of the pig are identical with those which infest man. Human beings of all ages are liable to infestation with roundworms, while children are particularly liable to be attacked by whipworm. Cases are on record where heavy infestations of roundworms in children have caused the death of the children, with these worms were traced to the practice of spreading pig excreta on garden plots where children frequently played. It is highly desirable that people who have occasion to rear pigs should be aware of the danger to their children, and should bear in mind the ease with which eggs may be transferred to the mouth, and regard the pig as a likely source of infection for man.
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Pig pens are thoroughly cleared of all litter and manure and then scrubbed out with boiling water. Roundworm eggs are particularly resistant to disinfectants, so that the addition of these to the water is not very necessary.
The liberal use of boiling water is the best safeguard. Once pens are cleaned, they should be shut up and kept in readiness to receive young uninfected animals. The sow, not later than two weeks before farrowing, may be given medicinal treatment. Some days after dosing wash the sow with soap and water to remove all eggs from the skin, particularly the udder.
The sow is then put into the clean pens in readiness for farrowing. The sow and piglets should not be allowed out until old enough to go to pasture, and when that time arrives care is necessary not to allow them to scud infected land. The paddock for the sow and young pigs should be land that has been cut, mowed or cropped since pigs were last on it.
After the pigs have reached the age of about four months, precautions are necessary and not so necessary and the risk attendant on their being moved to infected land is considerably less.
It is easier to eliminate worms by raising pigs by a system of manuring, than by attempting to eliminate them by medicinal treatment after the worms have gained entrance. Prevention is always a profitable and economic proposition, whereas treating animals is always expensive.

Struck By Two Trams
MAN IS KILLED
Fatal Accident At Auckland
SKULL FRACTURED

By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, August 25.
Struck by an outward bound tram-car and thrown under the platform of another travelling on the inward track, a middle-aged man, Mr. William Muir Carter, of Mount Eden, was fatally injured in the New North Road at six o'clock last evening. Suffering a fracture of the skull, he died on the roadside shortly after the accident.
Leaving the eastern footpath to cross the road, the victim narrowly escaped a collision with a motor-cycle, and almost immediately after, he was knocked down by the tram. The force of the collision flung him across the inward track, where he was struck for the second time by a tram proceeding to the city.

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Handicap down, Pat! Bob's certainly a fine golfing coach. I suspect he'll make you a fine husband, too!
I haven't said 'Yes, uncle dear..... BUT I WILL, NOW THAT HE'S LET LIFEBOUY END HIS HANDICAP OF 'B.O.'
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LABOUR CANDIDATE FOR PATEA
Party's List For Election Nearly Completed
By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, Aug. 25.



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It is Miss Oberon's first appearance in Technicolor. Partnered by handsome and capable Laurence Olivier, the story is a wholly delightful and refreshing performance colour enhancing her already incomparable loveliness.

The story, based on the famous play, "Ourselves," centres on a self-willed young debutante who is stranded at the Royal Parks Hotel owing to fog. No accommodation being available, Leslie sneaks into the room of a young barrister, Logan, and successfully argues him out of his room and bed, and in a pair of her reluctant host's pyjamas settles down comfortably for the night, while he shakes down, very uncomfortably, on the sofa in the next room.

Without disclosing her identity Leslie leaves the hotel early next morning and returns home to receive a warm reception from her peppery grandfather, Judge Steele, a great comedy characterisation by Morton Selten, who demands explanations for her appearance at nine o'clock in the morning dressed in men's pyjamas.

That morning Logan pleads a divorce—Johnson v. Johnson—before the judge. Leslie hears the case and is piqued by the young barrister's heated denunciation of women. She plans to make him eat his words, and in a hilarious series of adventures, succeeds entirely.

Miss Oberon and Olivier make a very attractive team and receive excellent support from Binnie Barnes, in another of her finely played woman-of-the-world parts, Ralph Richardson, in easily his best role, and as mentioned above, the screen's grand old man, Morton Selten.

Cosy  
REAL LIFE STORY IN  
"BLACK LEGION"

Famous Character Filmed  
in "The Go-Getter"

The films write a page of current history in "Black Legion," a thrilling melodrama produced by Warner Bros., which will open at the Cosy Theatre, Hastings, to-day.

The main character in the screenplay is a young working man determined to take the law into his own hands.

By so doing, he spoils a beautiful romance, utterly destroys the happiness of his neighbours, and in the end kills his own best friend. The part is played by Humphrey Bogart who was the outstanding bandit in "Petrified Forest."

Dick Foran, Erin O'Brien-Moore, Helen Flint, Ann Sheridan, Joseph Sawyer and other well-known players are among the principals.

That irascible but lovable old character created by Peter B. Kyne—Cappy Ricks—comes to life on the screen in the Warner Bros.' Cosmopolitan comedy-drama, "The Go-Getter," which will be the second feature.

Charles Winninger, well remembered as Cap'n Andy of both stage and screen versions of "Show Boat," plays Cappy in this delightful movie.

He isn't the "go-getter." That individual is the tall, handsome Irish star George Brent, who is in love with Cappy's daughter, portrayed by the lovely blonde star, Anita Louise.

"The Go-Getter" is put through many tests before he wins over Cappy and the girl—and that is the story of the film.

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TO-DAY

There is a stirring romance between the crack hockey player and a beautiful and wealthy society girl in "King of Hockey," the first feature at the Municipal Theatre, Hastings, to-day. Love is blighted, however when the girl suspects the player of being paid by a set of gamblers to throw games.

Thrown out of hockey league in disgrace and slowly going blind from a crack on the head from a hockey club, the ex-champion player goes to the dogs, but the picture fades out with a glamorous climax.

"That I May Live" is the second feature on the programme. It is a deeply moving story of a young man's endeavours to remain honest after release from prison.

Broke and hungry, he attempts to hold up a small restaurant, but Rochelle Hudson, the waitress-cashier, talks him out of it, gives him a meal, and gets him a job washing dishes. They soon fall in love, and when the jealous proprietor, in a drunken rage, fires them, they start hitch-hiking. J. Edward Bromberg, a travelling trailer peddler, befriends them and helps them to get married.

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"A YANK AT OXFORD" OPENS TO-MORROW

Robert Taylor In His Best Role Yet

When Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer announced its intention of producing in England pictures comparable to any made in Hollywood, and using its top ranking stars, both England and America eagerly looked forward to the result.

"A Yank at Oxford," which opens to-morrow at the Gaiety Theatre, Napier, at a grand matinee, the first of the M-G-M British made productions, more than fulfils the promise. It presents Robert Taylor in his most thoroughly satisfying role to date. It brings to screen audiences an authentic and sympathetic delineation of life at Oxford that could have been obtained only in the actual locale.

A "he-man," athletic characterisation on the part of Taylor, rounded and convincing performances by Lionel Barrymore and Maureen O'Sullivan, and fine contributions by a group of outstanding British players, make the film memorable. Particularly to be noted are Vivien Leigh as the "other girl," Griffith Jones as Taylor's undergraduate enemy, Edmund Gwenn as the Oxford Dean, C. V. France as the tutor, and Edward Rigby as Taylor's "scout."

Five great shorts, including an "Our Gang Comedy," and a Robert Benchley novelty, complete one of the grandest entertainments given to Napier for some considerable time.

Current Programme.  
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This 20th Century-Fox musical of superlative splendour comes from Darryl F. Zanuck and stars Sonja Henie with her "One in a Million" sweetheart, Don Ameche.

It tells the story of a song-writing band leader (Cesar Romero) who flies across the Atlantic for a publicity stunt and comes down in the middle of a folk festival known as a "Bride's Fair." The custom which starts the trouble is a rule that if a young man dances twice with the same girl at the party, he has proposed.

The band leader, a little bit amused because one lovelorn little girl is giving him plenty of his favourite food—hero worship—dances twice with Sonja Henie. That starts the silvery, sumptuous show on its way.

Don Ameche, the flying baton-wielder's companion, knows there is little or no sincere interest in Romero's attentions, inasmuch as he is very much engaged to an American girl played by Ethel Merman. From this point on a whole new world of happiness opens for film fans.

There are the colourful American winter carnivals, the glittering gaieties of Paris and Miami, the breathless ice ballets of New York roof-gardens—and songs, songs, songs.

The songs by Pokrass and Yellen include "Hot and Happy," "A Gypsy Told Me," "You Are the Music to the Words of My Heart," and "Tommy and His Oompah." Walter Bullock and Harold Spina contributed "You Appeal to Me."

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Mr. E. R. Chesterman, who was on the teaching staff of the Southland Boys' High School, has left to take up a position at Nelson College.

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**EXHIBITION OF ANTIQUES  
AT HASTINGS GUILD  
Arts And Crafts Circle  
Celebrates Fifth  
Birthday**

The fifth birthday of the arts and crafts circle of the Hastings Towns-women's Guild was happily celebrated yesterday afternoon with a splendidly arranged party, and many members and guests were present. The room was filled to capacity and all agreed that the afternoon was jolly and successful.

The capable and enthusiastic leader of the circle, Mrs L. W. Goldfinch, was in the chair, and the recipient of a lovely coat spray of double violets and maidenhair fern as an expression of appreciation for all her work from the circle members.

An 1817 newspaper was exhibited by another member, also a pair of China vases dating back to 1719, while an old China plate was over 200 years old.

A Paisley shawl, over 70 years old, homespun, woven and dyed on the island of Tiree, North of Scotland, was shown by Mrs Gardner, and Miss D. McLean showed a miniature coffee set of hand-painted Bristol glass.

A history of England printed in the reign of George III, was of great interest when one considered that seven kings had reigned in England since that time. Mrs J. Maher belonged to the fourth generation to own the silver coffee pot which she exhibited, and Mrs E. Whetstone's antique purse was 166 years old. Numerous other articles were exhibited and were viewed with great interest.

Mr and Mrs E. C. Grayland were guests of the circle, and Mr Grayland spoke about several of the articles shown. He brought with him several very valuable pictures which he described. Some were copper plate engravings, a process by which only about 50 pictures could be made from one plate. More modern were the steel plate engravings from which very many more could be made, and these were consequently of much less value.

At the end of the afternoon Mrs Goldfinch thanked Mr Grayland and all who had helped to make the afternoon so successful, especially the tea conveners. Members were reminded that the Civic Circle would meet on September 9, and of the Country dancing party on September 14.

**Amusing Competition**

A competition, tearing a donkey from a sheet of paper, caused endless amusement, some of the exhibits being very good. Each exhibit was held up and either applause or boobyed by the members who finally chose Mrs L. Jones the winner and Mrs Pitt second, each receiving a prize.

A most beautiful birthday cake, a gift to the circle members from their committee, had been made and iced most perfectly by Mrs L. W. Goldfinch. It represented a golden scene with floral arches and tiny beds of flowers, the flowers having been made with marzipan sweets. The honour of lighting the five candles fell to Mrs Cohen, a former circle leader, who while doing so, wished the circle many more happy birthdays. In the absence of the president, Mrs A. F. Glenny, the Guild secretary, Mrs F. Deans, cut the cake.

Afternoon tea was then enjoyed and everyone tasted the birthday cake which was most delicious. Small pieces of the cake were sent to absent members, and also to the Guild president and the Mayoress. Mrs G. A. Maddison, who could not attend the party. Lovely violet sprays made by a circle member, Mrs R. Campbell, for Mrs Maddison and Mrs Glenny were also sent.

A lucky number competition was won by Mrs J. Maher and Mrs Charles was second, while a memory competition, writing the names of the shops in the correct order from two blocks of Heretaunga Street, was won by Mrs Young and Mrs C. P. Hopkins was second. All the winners received prizes.

**QUEEN MARY'S  
TREASURES**

**Relics Of Her Young Days In The Schoolroom**

By LOUISE  
("Daily Mail" Special London Representative).

The very modern schoolroom on the second floor of Buckingham Palace, equipped by Princess Margaret Rose, and Princess Margaret Rose, has doubtless recalled to Queen Mary interesting memories of her own school days at Kensington Palace. She has taken pleasure in restoring her childhood schoolroom to the bright two window little schoolroom in which she studied and which, in an earlier day, had been Queen Victoria's nursery.

One piece of furniture which Queen Mary has restored to her old schoolroom is her miniature Victorian walnut desk, made in the French style, and formerly the property of her mother, the Duchess of Teck. It is lined with blue velvet, has small drawers and two little ink pots still stained at the bottom with red and black ink. The desk is ornamented with gilt. As she worked at her sums, Princess Mary could look over the park and watch Victorian children at play by the Round Pond.

Of two walnut bookcases Queen Mary has recorded in her own hand that they "stood in her schoolroom, and have now been replaced in this in Kensington Palace." These handsome pieces with glass doors were given to little Princess Mary for her books by her mother, when she had reached the tender age of five. The latest gift from Queen Mary to the collection of Royal mementoes in the State apartments in this Palace consists of models of Queen Victoria and Prince Albert riding together on horseback. These models are covered, like old clocks, in a glass case.

**Rare Exhibits**

The main feature of the afternoon was an exhibition of antiques by the members of the circle, and some rare and beautiful exhibits were very much admired. Mrs J. Rutledge showed several priceless articles, including an antique Min-tou china bread and butter plate.

*Five o'Clock  
Gossip*

Mrs E. E. Milne is a Paeroa visitor to Napier.

Mr and Mrs C. R. Edgcombe are Waipukurau visitors to Wellington.

Mr and Mrs S. E. Gamby, of Auckland, are spending a week in Napier.

Miss J. Watson, of the nursing staff at the Napier Public Hospital, has resumed her duties after a holiday visit to the Islands.

Mr and Mrs H. M. Campbell and Miss Mary Campbell, Horonui, Hastings, who have been spending a week in Christchurch, returned home last evening.

Miss Rosemary Rees, the New Zealand author, has bought a house near Seaford, Sussex, where she is now staying.

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**ACQUIRE THE ABILITY TO BE A GOOD LISTENER**

The first requisite of a good conversationalist is an ability to listen. Listening to another human being is one of the friendliest acts we can perform. It is also one of the most flattering. Listening does not mean merely closing the mouth and letting another talk. Real listening is something more positive. It means using the eyes to regard the speaker, absorbing what he says. Listen to the tones of voice, watch the speaker's eyes, observe how he puts his sentences together, his choice of words, the cogency of his ideas, his sincerity or lack of it, his shrewdness or naivete. You will realise you are having a new experience. And from the face of the person opposite you, you will realise that he is having a new experience, too.

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An appeal by the Havelock North branch of the British and Foreign Bible Society for a 10 per cent increase on last year's collection, met with a good response. This year the sum of £66 5/- was collected, compared with £53 16/6 in 1937. The Rev. E. F. Olds, of the Methodist Church, Hastings, held a short dedication service this afternoon, attended by the collectors, before the cheque was forwarded to headquarters.

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Miss Hales wore a dainty gown of wine satin crepe studded with rhine stones.

Miss Peters's frock was of brown suede satin.

During the evening Miss Hales was presented with a set of silver cake forks.

Among those present were: Mrs. T. G. Nelson and the Misses Gwyn Jones, Betty Dodd, Cora Franklin, Ethel Roberts, Merle Franklin, Thyra Hendy, Lorraine Curtis, Peggy Small, Joyce Peters, Marie Dodd, Pat Allardice, Ngaio Pavior-Smith, Rita Frederickson, Betty France, Aela Wellwood, Amy Roberts, Brenda Stewart and Noeleen Mitchell.

**EFFECTIVE DECORATIONS AT NAPIER BALL**  
Officers And Men Of The Hawke's Bay Regiment Entertain

Always looked upon as one of the social events of the year, the military ball, organised by the officers and men of the Hawke's Bay Regiment, which was held at the Drill Hall, Napier, last evening, again proved most successful.

The hall was completely transformed into a lovely ballroom, and a record number of dancers was present. The whole decorative scheme was very military and most effective. The ceiling was completely hidden by red, white and blue streamers, interspersed with twinkling lights of red and blue, the whole forming an enormous Union Jack. Around the walls at intervals were huge fronds of nikau palms, and between these were streamers of the regimental colours—white, gold, green and black—and the regimental crests adorned with stags' heads and silver fern leaves, under which the words "Kia Toa" were written.

Backed by the Royal Coat of Arms, the dais for the orchestra was decorated in royal blue, with many gay flags, and from here Les Henry's orchestra played all the latest melodies. Extra musical numbers for dancing were played by the regimental band. A very delicious supper was served at the back of the stage, and here, again, the colour scheme was royal blue, with flags, and down the centre of each table were streamers of the regimental colours.

The following committee deserve the utmost credit for the excellent manner in which the arrangements for the ball were carried out: Lieutenant L. W. Dugleby (chairman), Sergeant T. W. Harrison (secretary), Q.M.S. Grouden (designer-decorator); general committee, C.S.M. H. Coddington, Sergeant I. McLennan, Sergeant W. Didcott, Sergeant J. Haynes, Corporals B. Scott, G. Bourgeois, L. Haines, J. Dill, Privates J. Greenfield, J. Newman, S. Parnell, M. Gibson.

Amongst those present were:—

Miss B. Bradley, floral frock in tones of green and scarlet.

Mrs T. Collins, black satin with yoke of pale pink lace; black velvet coat.

Miss Peggy Black, frock of white lace, the sash and flowers of scarlet velvet.

Mrs A. M. Retemeyer, model gown of prune sand crepe, with a spray of velvet flowers across the deep, square neckline, and a gold sequined bolero.

Miss L. Beach, black watered taffeta frock with posy of pink camellias.

Miss G. McDonald, pale blue embossed chiffon, the blue sash lined with pink.

Mrs L. Dadson, pale gold satin, a bunch of coloured flowers being worn at the neck.

Mrs A. S. Alsopp, ivory satin with scarlet belt and bolero jacket.

Miss R. Walker, eau-de-nil lace and georgette gown, and a white fur coat.

Mrs J. A. McGavin, honey-gold satin, with Peter Pan collar and buttons of parma violet.

Miss J. McGavin, maize taffeta, with ruffled bodice, and black shoulder cape.

Miss Vera Murrow, black flat crepe with radium lace sleeves and scarlet posy.

Miss Joan Somerset-Smith, peach floral taffeta, with puffed sleeves and coral velvet sash.

Mrs E. Didcott, blue floral crepe, with orange velvet coat.

Miss M. Greenfield, powder blue floral georgette, with salmon pink velvet evening wrap.

Miss Betty Edwards, ivory taffeta with very full skirt and puffed sleeves.

Miss N. Preston, smart black embossed taffeta, with bands of cyclamen and green at the neckline.

Miss J. Plovmann, floral crinkle crepe in tones of scarlet and green.

Miss J. Johnstone, black watered taffeta, having a diamante clip at the neckline.

Miss V. Plovmann, cerise taffeta frock and a halo of silver flowers.

Miss E. Howard, sea-green taffeta redingote over petunia taffeta.

Miss G. Gerrard, eau-de-nil pheasant-eye taffeta, with posy of violets.

Miss G. Guin, black taffeta, patterned in tones of cyclamen and a black evening wrap.

Miss Justine Nesbitt, lovely frock of white stiffened lace.

Miss A. Gifford, primrose floral taffeta made with very full skirt.

Miss J. Sandilands, orange satin frock with posy of violets.

Miss I. Beasley, floral silk crepe with green velvet flowers at the neckline.

Miss M. James, silver lame redingote over lavender taffeta.

Miss G. McLean, sky-blue satin frock.

Miss P. Spackman, flame crepe with cellophane stripe.

Miss E. Stephenson, floral taffeta frock in autumn tonings.

Miss M. Rowe, peach floral taffeta with pleated skirt.

Miss M. Owen, black panne velvet with insets of pink frilled georgette.

Mrs J. J. McLeary, watered taffeta in cyclamen tones.

Miss S. Cook, black georgette patterned with petunia-coloured roses, petunia taffeta bolero.

Miss G. C. Norton, black satin frock with medici collar edged with silver lame.

Miss S. Perry, primrose net over taffeta with belt of cerise velvet.

Miss A. Hurst, pale pink georgette with sash of cyclamen taffeta.

Miss C. Cray, turquoise embossed georgette frock.

Miss J. Cook, black embossed taffeta with cerise collar and cuffs.

Miss M. Bryant, blue floral georgette made with very full skirt.

Miss C. Waddell, pretty frock of floral georgette.

Miss T. Taylor, blue pin-spot georgette frock with posy of pink flowers.

Mrs B. Mace, cerise flat crepe frock with diamante clips at shoulders.

Miss N. Crompton, trained frock of pale pink floral ninon; white fur coat.

Mrs K. Bourgeois, marina blue taffeta with deep red roses at the neckline.

Miss Luke, ivory satin fashioned with a Peter Pan collar.

Miss M. Wakelin, dainty floral taffeta frock in tones of pink and blue.

Miss M. Barry, ivory georgette, with diamante trimming on the neck and sleeves.

Miss J. Hastie, sky blue lace with a posy of violets.

Miss H. Grant, pale blue stiffened net frock with very full skirt.

Miss C. Maney, blue satin patterned in pink and green.

Miss M. Retemeyer, navy and white checked taffeta with a matching coat.

Miss S. Williams, peach satin model frock with pleated bodice and posy of matching flowers.

Miss Barbara McKinnon, crimson flat crepe frock with sequined belt.

Miss Margery McLeay, tartan taffeta frock in tones of navy and scarlet.

Miss C. O'Reilly, ciel blue taffeta frock with puffed sleeves, and a halo of coloured flowers.

Miss A. McMillan, model gown of black floral georgette; white fur coat.

Miss N. Wynyard, frock of black panne velvet with shoulder straps of silver lame.

Miss A. Newton, pine green organdy with gold lame shoulder straps and a matching coat.

Mrs E. Garner, midnight blue satin with pink spray, and matching velvet coat.

Mrs B. Marson, frock of white taffeta checked in scarlet and black; white evening coat.

Miss J. Mitchell, black suede crepe with shell pink collar and bow of taffeta.

Miss M. Randle (Auckland), pale blue pebble crepe with coat of blue lame.

Miss K. McKenzie, silver lame frock, having a very full skirt and corsage posy of pale pink roses.

Miss D. Davys, shell pink crepe with silver lame stripe and silver belt.

Miss B. North, frock of silk crepe patterned in scarlet and black.

Miss D. Oliver, floral silk crepe frock in petunia tones.

Miss A. Buley, rust taffeta with gold lame flowers.

Miss Lynch, black floral taffeta gown.

Miss Daphne Johnson, parma violet stiffened net mounted on taffeta.

Mrs R. Locke, larkspur blue satin, with panel of petunia taffeta in front.

Miss D. Tyne, ivory taffeta frock worn with a white evening coat.

Miss M. McKendrick, frock of tartan taffeta in tones of scarlet and green.

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Aldous Huxley (novelist): "Words form the thread on which we string our experiences. Without them we should live spasmodically and intermittently."

Stuart Chase (political investigator): "In Germany, Italy, and Russia today the attempt is being made to bind the minds of children as once the feet of Chinese gentlemen were bound. Millions of mental cripples may result."

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The Family and Social Security

Sir,—In replying to "Christian Socialist", I would point out that the gentleman gravely misinterprets me. I assure him I am not in the least led astray by any political party which may require my support. His error, however, is pardonable since my non-deplume may have been partly responsible. It will therefore be surprising for him to learn that all advocates of private enterprise and private ownership are not necessarily to be found in the ranks of the National Party.

In criticising the Social Security Bill I have not in any way inferred that its objectives were unnecessary or unworthy, but I did, and still do, affirm that by the anomalies contained in the various benefits, it will ultimately defeat its own purpose. A careful study of your correspondent's own example are evidence of this as regards the age benefits. It must be perfectly clear that if to quote "Christian Socialist" a single man earning £4 a week is able to save only half of his income, then in the event of his marrying and rearing four children, he would have either to house, feed and clothe his five dependants on £2 8/- a week (family benefit included) or raise this standard of living for them by reducing his own to below that enjoyed by unmarried men earning the same wage.

In addition to the penalty, both mother and father incur by rearing a family, they will have but 10-15 years during which to save a little to supplement the age benefit as against the single person's 40 years. There is nothing in the bill to offset this serious handicap, not even a graduated scale of additional allowable income.

These facts are it is quite evident that what "Christian Socialist" says of present day private enterprise is also applicable to socialism, i.e., that under it, "it is quite out of the question to produce assets free of charge to the state in the form of children while all the assets produced by private enterprise are paid for either by cash, goods or interest.

In stating the case for private enterprise, I do not refer to private enterprise or private ownership at liberty to run riot as a noxious weed, for it can and has grown into a death dealing parasite, and though both are very good servants they become tyrants when in the role of masters. It is not the system itself which is at fault, but the manner in which it is controlled or administered. The substitution of another jockey will not solve the problem of winning the race either literally or metaphorically speaking.

To-day ownership is divorced from its true function. One class of man does not work or works very little simply and solely because it does not own. It was the tyranny of the one over the other which first led to unionism and collective bargaining.

The abolition of private ownership has not improved matters in those countries where it has been tried and it is not likely to do so here. Instead of discarding the greatest incentive to progress and achievement it should be united to its true function—that of enabling men and women to fulfill their natural obligations to God, to themselves and to their country.

A grim jungle existence cloaked in a thin veneer of civilisation is the basis of our social, civil and economic life, and many detestable things come into the category of business acumen. This modern jungle law is more terrible than that which governs the wild beasts. Under it, not the fittest survive, but the greediest, the most cunning and the most persuasive of tongue, who get the best opportunity to exploit their faculties to satisfy these lusts.

Thus we find people who are willing to fulfill all their natural obligations denied access to the means of doing so by others who have refused to accept any duty to justify their existence, but have at their disposal all the bounties of nature.

In a democratic country one cannot order everyone to take up the profession of parenthood, but we can, by legislation, so restrict the acquisitive habits of the over zealous in this direction so that excessive ownership shall not pass into the hands of people who have no legitimate use for it.

Another correspondent "XYZ" has challenged me to a reply dealing with particular measures of the Social Security Bill, but I fully realise that your readers do not want a "daily edition of Hansard" and I should imagine that "XYZ" has all the volume of this publication to date. However, in order to give my earlier statements, I shall as shortly and briefly as possible comply with "XYZ's" request.—I am, etc.

PRIVATE ENTERPRISE.

Electric Power Failures

Sir,—Please allow me per medium of your valued paper, to voice my objections regarding the way the unfortunate public of Hastings have to suffer through power service faults. Everywhere I have been in the last twelve months people have been cropping up the same story: "What's wrong with the wiring of this town? Lights are always going out. What is the £1 we are compelled to put in before any light is served to us used for? If we don't pay in a certain time the light is cut off—£1 to get your £1 returned when you pay for what you have previously used, and no interest whatever. Many people would rather put the £1 in the savings bank and be sure of it.

Why could not the board do this, instead of getting the interest themselves? When the present Government took charge of all boards, I think it will be a boon to everyone in New Zealand.—I am, etc.

FED UP.

Hat Tricks

Sir,—Has anybody got a scooped-out pumpkin? My wife wants a new hat. I've already seen her in an inverted washbasin, decorated waste-paper basket, second engineer's hat, Hindu turban, and navy's handkerchief. I've also seen her in an ordinary hat, but she says that it doesn't suit her.—I am, etc.

PROBLEMS OF THE "OFF SIDE" TRAFFIC RULES

Points for and Against "Right" and "Left" Regulation are Discussed

Reasons why the "off side" traffic rule seems to be "absurd, wrong-sided, a licence to the reckless driver, and a probable contributing factor in intersection accidents and traffic jams," are summarised by a contributor as follows:

(1) This rule is claimed to have been popular in Auckland, where it was introduced from America. But in America there is right-hand traffic, and left-hand car steering and control.

(2) In left-hand road traffic, the visibility on an intersection is about eleven yards greater on the left than on the right.

(3) Traffic approaching on the right cannot be seen by the driver of the left-hand or legally responsible driver, until he is almost, if not actually, on the point or position where a possible impact might occur.

(4) The left-hand or responsible car has then to stop almost, if not actually, in the pathway of the right-hand car. The point of possible impact as distinct from intersection is the part of the road where left-hand tram lines would cross—that is half-way between road intersection centre, and the nearest curb-line corner.

(5) In New Zealand the left side of the road is the driver's main responsibility for gateways, pedestrian traffic, overtaking, etc., until an intersection is reached, when one has to switch over and see that some lunatic is not about to ram him amidships.

In every class of locomotion, nature, eyes, common sense, and law, demand that one looks where one is going. To make an exception to this law, and on a single instance, in all the world's locomotion, and make one legally responsible to find out where the other driver is heading for, is absurd.

The reckless road hog relies on his speed and acceleration to get him past the right-hand vehicle, and the chances are with him as owing to the facts of visibility pointed out in Clause 2—the right-hand driver had plenty of time to see him and slow up or stop.

The reckless driver under the present regulation does not care whether the left-hand car gets out of the road or not; "the other fellow is liable and will get smacked amidships." The road hog will probably only get and then another fellow will have to pay. Why worry?—the road is mine—let all get out of the way.

(6) The regulation is not decisive, and says that right of way must be given to traffic approaching from the right when a collision appears inevitable if the cars continue on their course." The Supreme Court has ruled that this regulation is only a direction and that the driver with the last opportunity to act must avoid the collision. There being no inspector present at most accidents or on most intersections, who is to decide the immediate issue?

(7) In a city street when four cars reach an intersection simultaneously, all must stop until a traffic inspector untangles them, as none has any right to move, unless the drivers toss up, and one backs out, which cannot be done if trams or a traffic line are behind. Correct regulations would not add to traffic tangles.

The extraordinary muddle in a city street caused by traffic desiring to turn to the left and having to stop for all traffic on the right before doing so, is positively weird, especially on a show or race day before a traffic inspector regulates the traffic. And then no attention is paid to the offside rule as it simply will not work. The traffic director follows the natural order of place and directs each car on left to proceed. All cars on the right have to stop.

Traffic On the Left. Now to consider the system of giving way to the traffic on the left. (1) Left-hand traffic is right over on the far side of the street and owing to the fulcrum of the sighting line past the corner buildings, can be seen yards sooner than can cars on the right, as these cars are hidden by the corner, being in on the left-hand side of the road.

(2) The building back of corners even to 6ft. is no help to the visibility of right-hand approach. The cutting back of right-hand corners gives a better view of receding traffic on the far side of the right-hand roadway.

On the other hand, every foot cut from the left-hand buildings gives several yards more visibility of the left-hand approach on the far side of the road.

It is impossible to judge the position or speed of any vehicle approaching directly towards one. Traffic approaching on a driver's

NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH

TWO CLIMBERS ON MT. EGMONT BOTH UNEQUIPPED Saved by Experienced Alpinists

The danger of inexperienced climbers attempting to ascend the upper slopes of Mt. Egmont without equipment or expert advice was stressed in dramatic fashion at the week-end when only the intervention of two experienced alpinists saved two ill-equipped men from possible death.

The climbers were absolutely un-equipped for the treacherous winter climb over the frozen slopes. Their boots were not heavily nailed and they were without even an ice axe to help them in their climb.

According to experienced climbers they must have been in constant peril and were fortunate not to slide to death before assistance came.

Despite Warning. One, the younger of the two, attempted the climb despite being warned not to do so, and at the 6500 level was again advised to turn back by a descending climber who knew how bad conditions were higher up. He ignored this advice and continued his climb.

Two Taranaki Alpine Club members, Messrs. W. Liley and W. Edgecombe, had made the climb to the summit and had descended about 200 feet from the crater when they met the young man climbing on his hands and knees and using the steps they had cut a short time earlier. They had difficulty in persuading him not to climb any further, but eventually he agreed to accept their assistance and turn back.

In case of accidents he was roped between the two experienced climbers, but fortunately the lower slopes were reached in safety. The second climber was 150 feet behind him all the way, and was very glad to retrace his steps when he saw how great the danger was.

Dangerous Slopes. "It is a miracle he reached the height he did without slipping," stated a member of the Alpine Club commenting on their action. "The upper slopes were in a most dangerous condition for a man without proper equipment and if he had slipped he could not have stopped himself as he had no ice axe. In that case he would have gone 3000 feet down the ice slope and crashed over Ambury's Bluff."

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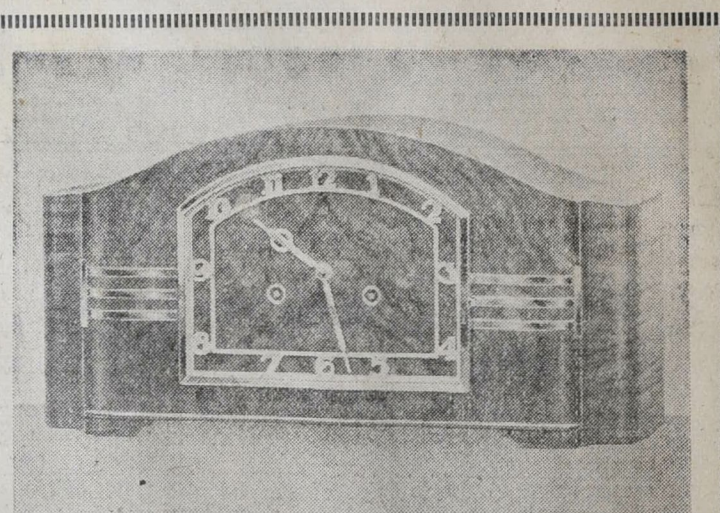
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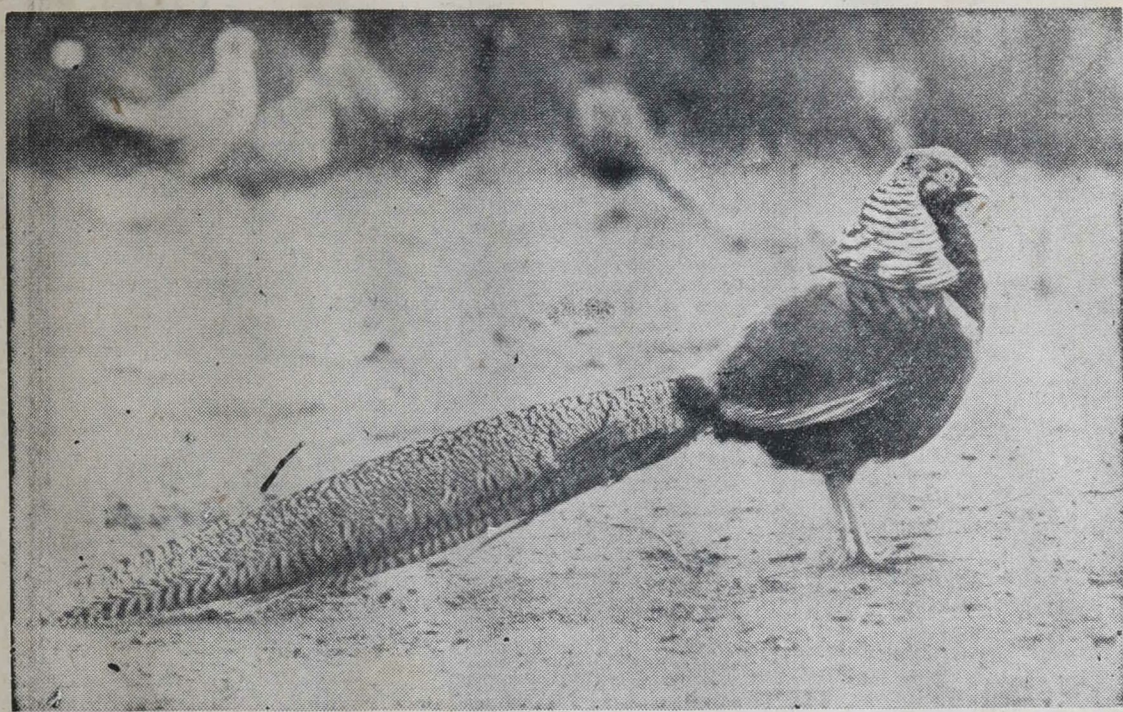


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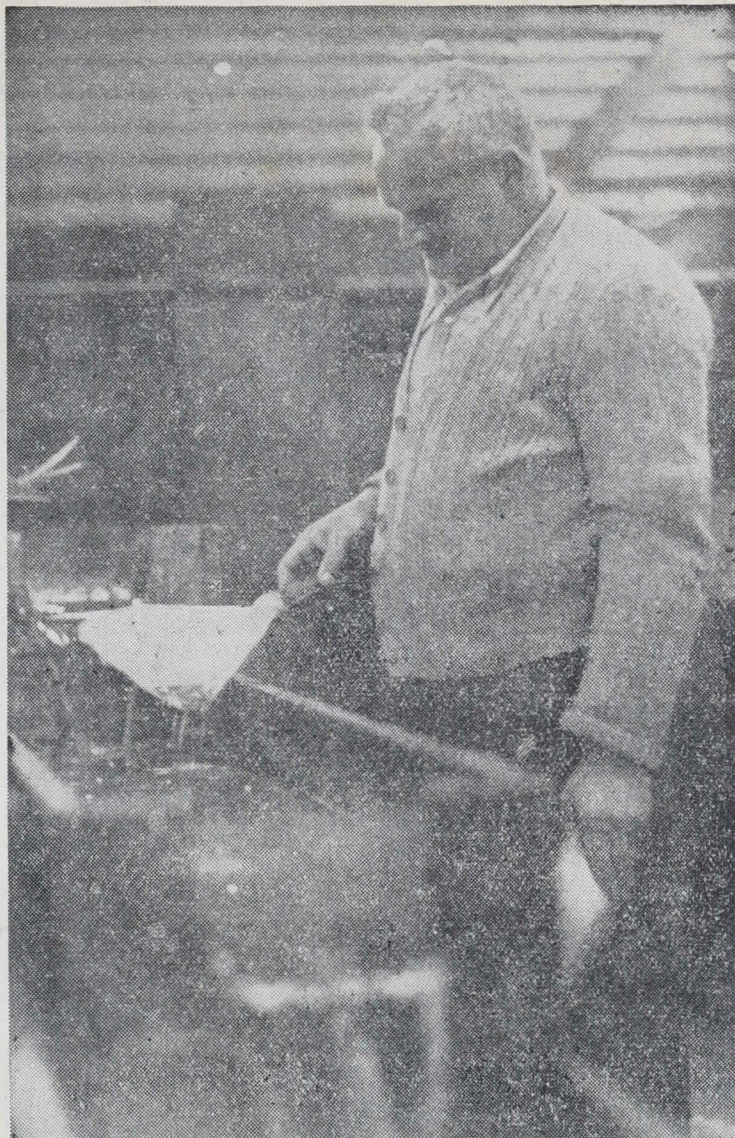
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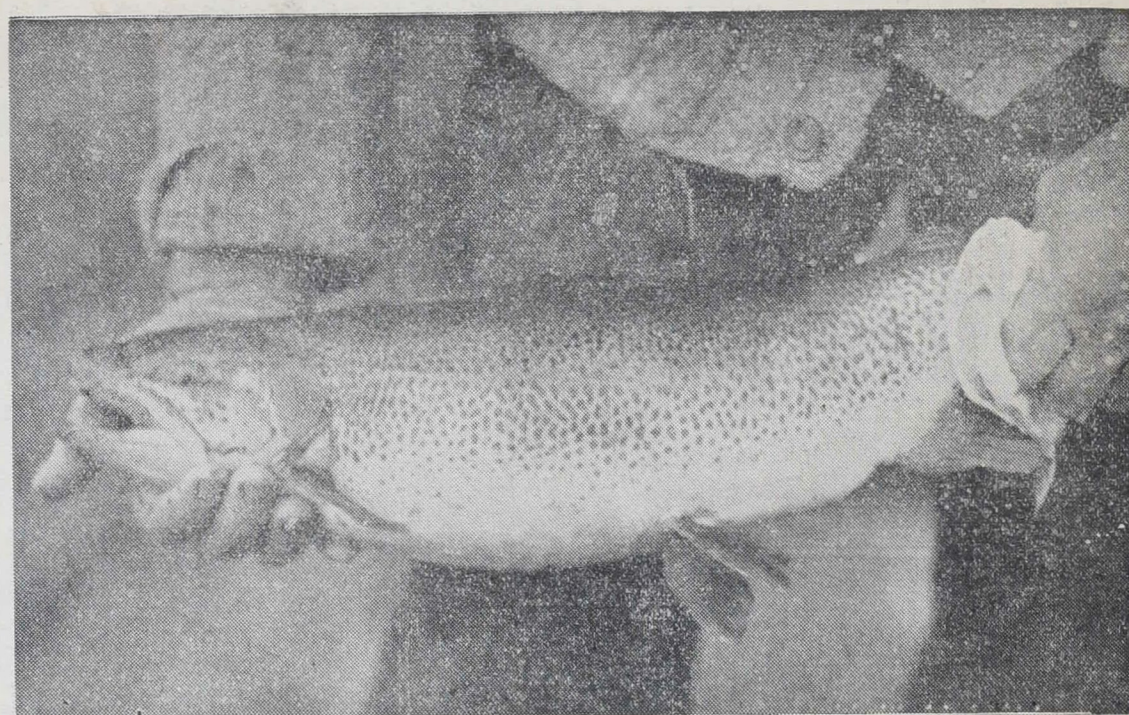
# WORK OF HAWKE'S BAY ACCLIMATISATION SOCIETY: A "DAILY MAIL" REVIEW



FROM THE MOORS OF ENGLAND.—A golden pheasant at the Hawke's Bay Acclimatisation Society's game farm at Taradale.



MR. F. D. ROBSON.—The curator of the Acclimatisation Society's farm at work in the trout hatcheries at Taradale.



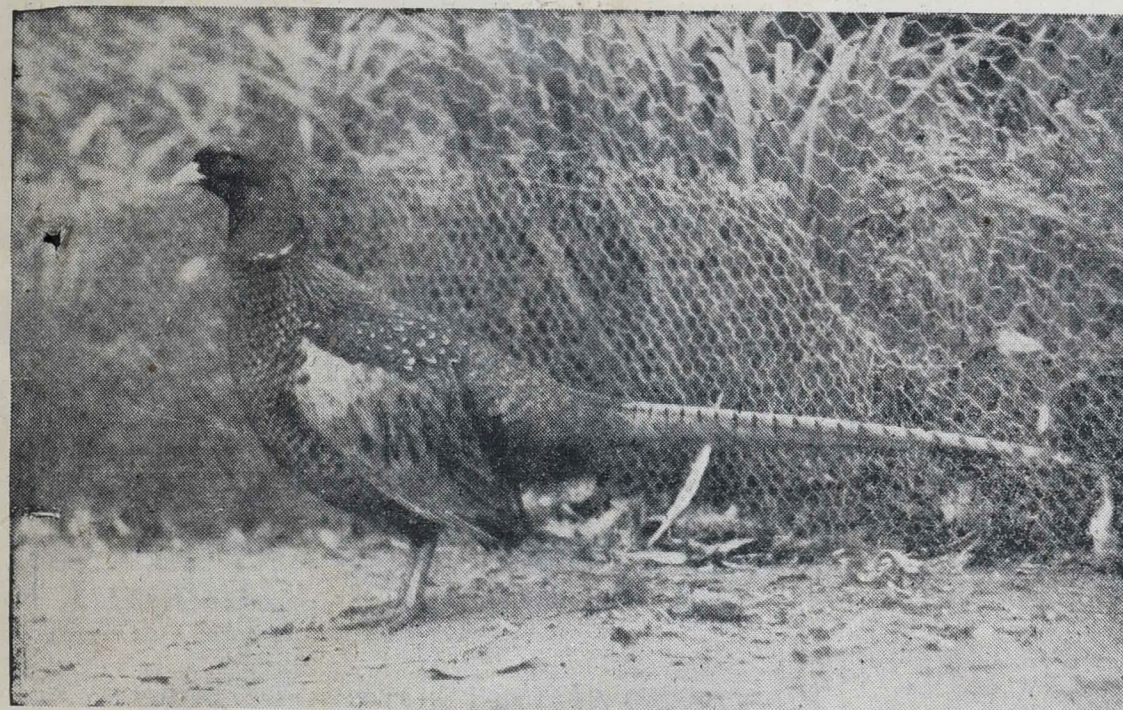
FOUR YEARS OLD.—A trout weighing six pounds.



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Air mail which left Wellington August 4 and 5, via Australia-Singapore-England, arrived at London August 18.

Mails which left Hastings on July 23, via San Pedro, arrived at London, August 18.

INLAND AIR MAELS. For Gisborne 11 a.m. daily. Saturday 6 p.m. Palmerston North 11 a.m. Auckland, New Plymouth and South Island 6 p.m. daily except Sunday.

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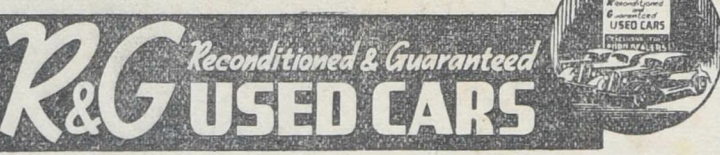
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A "DAILY MAIL" MILESTONE

Newspaper history was made a half year ago when the "Daily Mail" commenced publication on February 26. And probably no newspaper has provoked more comment or aroused more interest in New Zealand than the modern morning "Daily Mail" of Hawke's Bay and the East Coast.

In the first place, the composition and general lay-out of the paper, following an adaptation to local needs of the progressive overseas trends, were entirely new. Both in the display of advertising and the presentation of news, the "Daily Mail" has pioneered in the Dominion methods which are coming into vogue all over the world. As the circulation figures prove, readers were not slow to see the advantages of this type of format for readability and ease of locating news and advertising items.

The installation of a process plant, whereby local news photographs could be reproduced, marked an entirely new development in the history of New Zealand provincial newspapers. This feature, as much as any other, has placed the "Daily Mail" on a footing with the largest metropolitan journals as far as modern facilities are concerned.

The use of colour printing as a normal part of the production of the newspaper is a unique "Daily Mail" feature, and has aroused favourable comment not only in all parts of New Zealand, but also from overseas. It is a tribute to skilled work and the splendid plant and equipment of the "Daily Mail."

Finally, the daily news features represent a distinct departure from the traditional style of country journalism which is as surely doomed to extinction as the moa. Readers to-day demand accuracy, essential facts not "padded out" with mere space-filling trivialities, and a general style in keeping with modern education and progressiveness.

Proof of the appreciation of readers of these features is found in the circulation of the "Daily Mail." An audited net daily circulation of over 9000 places the "Daily Mail" in the forefront of New Zealand provincial newspapers, and this circulation is extending as the field of distribution is developed.

The policy of the "Daily Mail"—frank and fearless independence—has been proved in its constant advocacy of the interests of the people of Hawke's Bay and the East Coast, irrespective of class or sectional viewpoints. It is concerned with the welfare of the people, and where it has felt that their interests are prejudiced, it has not hesitated to take up the cudgels in their behalf.

Naturally there have been critics. There has been malicious gossip and lying rumour. The "Daily Mail's" answer has been a steady and progressive development which has earned the goodwill of tens of thousands of readers, and which has fulfilled a great need in the community it is proud to serve. The "Daily Mail"—to-day is an essential part of the life and affairs of this important section of New Zealand.

Few people realise the ramifications of a newspaper the size of the "Daily Mail." Between £30,000 and £40,000 a year is spent within the province in its production and distribution, directly and indirectly, so that it may truthfully be classed as an important and vital industry. Added to this, one must consider the vitalising effect on business and trade generally of the injection of such expenditure into the everyday channels of life. Those who may be disposed to heed invidious whispers would do well to look at the other side of the picture.

To have passed the milestone of the first half-year is an event in the life of the "Daily Mail," but it is not regarded as a distinct achievement. A newspaper so solidly established in public opinion, so much a part of the everyday life of the community, is inevitably destined to grow from strength to strength in keeping with the progress of the area it serves.

Thus, in acknowledging this first milestone, the "Daily Mail" is conscious of the importance of all those who lie ahead. In giving cordial greeting to its host of friends on this occasion, it is aware of the immense responsibility which their support has laid upon it.

To be faithful to the ideals for which it stands, to hold ever before it the unswerving purpose of service to the community, to live up to the faith of the people of Hawke's Bay and the East Coast—these things form the creed and the inspiration of the "Daily Mail" as it moves on towards the completion of its first year of publication.

MUST WE FEAR THE EAS?

SOME AUTHENTIC FACTS THAT THROW LIGHT ON A VITAL NEW ZEALAND PROBLEM.

In view of the suggestion made recently by Bishop Cherrington at a Waikato Synodical Assembly that Japan should be invited to send 5,000,000 of her surplus population to New Zealand, and that the Government should give them the necessary land on which to maintain themselves, and in view also of the later suggestion by a visiting magnate that the number should be restricted to 200,000, I propose to offer a few further remarks.

I am afraid that the majority of the people of New Zealand have not presented to them, or have failed to grasp, the Japanese viewpoint on such a question, and the fact that the Japanese official spokesman intimated that the Bishop's suggestion has been well received, may do incalculable harm.

Japanese history goes back a long way, and is very involved, so that it is no wonder that the average New Zealander should hold very hazy ideas of the value of the men of Nippon as colonists to live with and work alongside the Westerners.

I am, therefore, fortunate in being able to give readers some first-hand information from a trustworthy source, apart from the unreliable propaganda of to-day.

I am writing you in a very illuminating letter sent by a missionary in Japan to his daughter in England. How he got it through I cannot imagine, for certainly it never went through a Japanese post office, as there is a very drastic censorship on such letters.

A MISSIONARY'S VIEW

"This gentleman says:—'As a missionary, it is not for your father to dabble in politics, so as I attempt to answer these interrogations of yours, I must walk warily. This does not mean that I have no political views.

'Right from the beginning of this "undeclared war," and even earlier, I have tried to understand the Japanese point of view, but only with partial success. I think I can see that one reason why we misunderstand the 'men of Nippon' is that we measure them by our own moral standards, which, after all, fundamentally Christian, judged by such standards, the very presence of their army in China, let alone their actions, is indefensible. Our code of morals is based on the moral law which we find in the Holy Scriptures. And that is summed up in the two commandments quoted by our Lord in His answer to the question of the Pharisee lawyer, 'Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind; and thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself.'

'The Japanese code, though very different, is even simpler. Fundamentally it embraces nothing more than worship of the Emperor as God and the complete dedication of the individual to his glorification. If you were to ask a Japanese the first question in the 'Shorter Catechism,' 'What is the chief end of man?' he would answer it in the very words that you use, but the meaning would be different. His God is the Emperor.

'After all, you have only to know what a people's conception of God is to know what their themselves are. As doubtless you have come to realise, nothing can give meaning to life except God, and some of us venture to think that the world is in its present chaotic state because it is trying to leave God out of its own Japanese have set up a god of their own making.'

THE DIVINITY OF KINGS

How this idea of the "divine right of kings" operates is next touched upon, and the writer says:—'This divinity of the Japanese Emperor is interpreted in such a way that any act committed by a Japanese subject for the glory of the Emperor finds complete justification in the eyes of all his fellow countrymen. Probably it is for this reason that those Japanese who in

"DAILY MAIL" COLOUR WORK PRAISED BY U.S. EXPERTS

The following is an extract from a letter received by the "Daily Mail" from the Duplex Printing Press Co., Battle Creek, Michigan, U.S.A.:—'We have just received copies of your editions of May 31 and June 2, and we hasten to congratulate you on the splendid job which you are doing.'

SHOGUNS AND SAMURAI

'It is interesting to trace the evolution of this Japanese Emperor-God. According to history, a long line of emperors ruled the country for centuries. In the course of time the feudal chieftains became so powerful and the central government so weak that the Emperor was in the position of a useless figurehead, while the strongest of the militarists—called 'shoguns'—held the power. Behind the 'shoguns' were the warlords—known as 'samurai'—who recognised only the authority of the territorial nobes—'daimios.' These warlords were often engaged in civil strife, one fighting for the mastery over the other. When Japan was first opened to foreign trade in the fifties of last century, it was realised that a

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Colder Than Canada?

Cold experienced in homes and buildings in New Zealand is more intense than that felt in Canada, where even the tramcars were heated, according to a party of Canadian, including some school teachers, who left by the Niagara recently after an extended visit to New Zealand. The Canadians, as well as a number of Americans returning by the Niagara, were loud in their praises of the Dominion's scenic beauties, mentioning particularly Waitomo and the Franz Josef Glacier.

Certificates For Motor Cyclists

The possible value of certificates, which could be issued through the cyclists, who have not been involved in accidents on the road from year to year, was referred to at the conference of the New Zealand Auto-Cycle Union at Marton by Mr. A. F. Chorlton, publicity officer for the Transport Department. He stated that if a motor-cyclist could earn three or four of these certificates they would be beneficial to him in the event of committing some breach of regulations and being brought to Court.

"Daily Mail" in Lancashire

A Gisborne reader of the "Daily Mail," Mr. J. V. Scott, writes that he forwards his copies of the paper to the editor of the "Regimental Chronicle," which is issued by the Prince of Wales's Volunteers at Warrington, Lancashire. The 9th Hawke's Bay Regiment is allied to the Prince of Wales's Volunteers. A letter recently received by the Scoutmaster of the Scouts, the headquarters of the regiment at Warrington, expresses the hope that no members of the New Zealand allied regiment suffered loss in the Hawke's Bay floods this year.

Albino Mutton Bird

An albino mutton bird was caught by Master Ramon Skerrett at the allotment of his grandfather, Mr. G. H. Skerrett, J.P., of Awarua Plains, Southland. Mr. Skerrett's allotment is on a mutton bird island named Taukhepa, approximately 60 miles from Bluff. This was the first albino mutton bird that Mr. Skerrett had seen in 57 years of visiting the various mutton bird islands, and is thought to be the only specimen in existence. Mr. Skerrett sent the bird out alive with Captain J. W. Thomson, master of the motor-vehicle Ranui, with the intention of presenting it to the Dominion Museum, Wellington.

Not An Earthquake

What residents thought was an earthquake was felt recently at Oamaru, the result of the firing of a shot at the Harbour Board's quarry. The shot was a blow-out and did considerable damage, rocks flying in all directions. They wrecked three sheds, one being reduced to matchwood. The building used as a quarry office was badly damaged, the rocks, some three feet in diameter, crashing through the roof. One huge rock, five feet long and tons of stone and debris, it is estimated, was brought down by the shot, including much excellent stone for harbour works. Fortunately no one was hurt by the flying rocks.

Mr. W. R. Carey, manager of the Kapanui Woollen Company Ltd., is visiting Wellington.

Mr. C. Baker, Mr. W. Davidson (Wellington); Mr. A. Hall, Mr. W. Corbett, Mr. P. Jones, Mr. C. Beckett, Mr. R. H. Hooper, Mr. R. Thomas (Auckland); Mr. B. Trehey, Mr. T. Ferris (Palmerston North) are at the Carlton Club Hotel, Hastings.

Mr. W. Der, Mr. A. Walker, Mr. W. Taylor, Mr. F. Patrick, Mr. J. Foster (South Westland); Mr. J. Maybey, Mr. I. Berg, Mr. J. McMahon (Palmerston North); Mr. T. Manning (Wellington) are at the Albert Hotel, Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Quinter, Mr. E. Page (Hamilton); Mr. and Mrs. F. Quinter, Mr. I. Quinter (Auckland); Mr. G. E. Hayman, Mr. R. H. Nathan (Wellington); Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Potts (Taupo); Mr. and Mrs. F. G. McCard (Wairoa); Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Burnett (Ruatoria); Mr. A. McDonald (Masterton); Miss Cranford, Wilson, Mr. Robert Wilson, Master Murray Wilson, Miss Hilary Wilson (Bulls); Mrs. Percy Hunter (Porangahau); Mr. H. Young, Miss T. M. Pearce (Wellington); Mr. J. Hasko (Tokyo) are at the Masonic Hotel, Napier.

HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

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

Following is the "Daily Mail's" special forecast for Hawke's Bay:— Winds: Moderate to strong southerly to south-easterly.

Weather: Mainly cloudy to overcast and in places misty with scattered rains.

Temperatures: Cool. Seas: Rather rough to rough.

Hastings Weather

The weather in Hastings yesterday was fine and warm, though rather cloudy all day. Meteorological readings taken yesterday (Aug. 25) at the Hastings Magnetic Observatory, Cornwall Park, were as follows:—

Table with weather data: Dry bulb temp. 51.0deg, Wet bulb temp. 47.0deg, Maximum temp. 56.0deg, Minimum temp. 50.0deg, Grass min temp. 36.0deg, Cloud (0-10) 9, Wind S, 1, Temp. 1ft underground 49.0deg

Napier Weather

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

Table with weather data: Dry bulb temp. 51.0deg, Wet bulb temp. 45.8deg, Maximum temp. 54.8deg, Minimum temp. 44.0deg, Grass temp. 36.8deg, 1ft underground 51.0deg, 3ft underground 52.6deg, Wind S.W., 6 m.p.h., Visibility 1.6hr, Rain Nil, Humidity 68 p.c., Cloud (0-10) 6



POSITION UNDER THE GUARANTEED PRICE

Review Of Industry At Annual Meeting Of New Zealand Dairy Company

By Telegraph-Press Association. HAMILTON, August 25.

"The second year under the guaranteed price scheme has run its course, and owing to good market realisations, and after allowing for the supplementary payment, a fairly substantial credit is assured in the dairy industry account," commented Mr W. Marshall, acting-chairman of directors of the New Zealand Dairy Company, at the annual meeting of the company to-day.

"This will in all probability be carried forward," he continued, "but it is inherent in the scheme that at some date, as values fall, a deficit will be encountered."

"The scheme, as it affects the producer, has been a fertile source of discussion in the industry, and it is exceedingly gratifying to record that at every Dominion gathering of representatives held during the year complete unanimity was reached."

"I think the Dairy Board has proved its value as the executive of the industry. The National Dairy Federation has demonstrated its usefulness and the New Zealand Farmers' Union has shown breadth of vision. The cumulative effect of this has been to obtain an agreement with the Government which was acceptable to the representatives of the industry, as to the procedure to be followed in advising what the price should be."

"A reduction of 6.5 per cent. in general production is recorded over the Dominion as a whole," said Mr Marshall. "It is a serious matter for the industry and the country, and it so happens that we have reached the peak of dairy production in the Auckland province."

It must have far-reaching consequences, for the industrial activity associated with development work, from the point of commencement on the farm to the placing of the produce on the market, has contributed in no small measure to the rapid advancement of the province.

"The reasons for the decline, which, I think, require attention, are the difficulty in obtaining suitable farm labour and a decrease in stock. Undoubtedly the former is the greater contributing factor, and it is imperative that some change should be effected before any further harm is done."

**Type of Butter Box.** In regard to butter boxes, the Government had now decided that the Saranac box, which was introduced originally for the purpose of reducing the quantity of timber used, and thereby prolonging the period for which the white pine supplies would be available, and also for reducing costs to the industry, must not be used for the export of butter after the end of October next, commented Mr C. J. Parlane, general manager of the company.

In view of the fact that millions of Saranac type of container had been used for the shipment of butter to the United Kingdom during the past twelve years, with satisfactory results, it was difficult to understand the decision to revert to the sub-standard box, more particularly when the supplies of white pine timber were becoming increasingly difficult to obtain.

The decision of the Government to change the type of container would involve the industry in very heavy unnecessary expense so far as his company was concerned. In addition to the increased cost of the container it would mean the scrapping of a considerable amount of plant which had been installed for the purpose of manufacturing the Saranac box, and replacing this with machinery suitable for the manufacture of the sub-standard box, while in addition it would be necessary to provide increased storage accommodation at a number of factories.

Figures were being shown just what the actual cost to the company would be, but his directors were of the opinion that if the change in the type of box was for the national good, the national purse should find this extra money, and they had indicated to the Govern-

RECORD WIN AT OVAL ENGLAND'S GREAT VICTORY

FINAL TEST

Innings And 579 Runs Margin

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England won the final cricket Test by an innings and 579 runs.

An anti-climax was inevitable, following on England's huge score and the disabement of Bradman and Fingleton. Realisation of this fact accounted for the smallness of the attendance to-day.

Bowes and Barnes resumed bowling against Brown and Barnes in fine weather. Barnes cut a four through Bowes's hands at second slip off Barnes's first over, an apparent chance. He got two more fours in two consecutive overs. Brown meanwhile played neatly, without forcing the pace. The wicket showed no sign of breaking up. Barnes was out when he played on a Yorker from Bowes. He was confident and crisp throughout and hit five fours.

In the same over Barnett snicked an outswinger, Wood diving for a brilliant low off-side catch. Waite was only eight when he was bowled neck and neck. O'Reilly flicked an outswinger, and was out similarly to Barnett from a low off-side catch by Wood.

**An Unusual Five.** The umpire (Mr Chester) credited Brown with a five in unusual but legitimate circumstances. Hutton chased a cut from Brown toward the boundary, overtook the ball and deliberately kicked it to the boundary with the object of keeping Fleetwood-Smith against the bowling.

Waite was signalled five, representing one for the stroke and four overthrows. As it happened to be the last ball of the over, Brown kept the strike.

Fleetwood-Smith later hit Edrich for two wickets in fours, but just when Brown seemed certain to hit his bat, he was caught at short length in trying to swing Leyland. He played a chanceless and often attractive innings, hitting six fours.

Bowes's feat, following the batting of Leyland and Hutton, made the match thus far essentially a Yorkshire triumph.

Australia followed on. Badcock, after missing and mistiming, had his off stump knocked back and thus lost his wicket in figures in any of his eight Test innings in England.

McCabe opened by nicking the first ball from Bowes for two, but he was out in Barnes's next over. Brown and Hassett stayed until lunch, but the latter was out in Barnes's first over after the adjournment.

Brown and Barnes then batted steadily and attempted to put as brave a face as possible on inevitable defeat. When Brown was caught at square leg the total was four for 41 after 50 minutes.

Barnes, in trying to swing Verity was out leg before after a stay of 70 minutes, having made an encouraging debut in Test cricket.

Waite was out first ball, and when O'Reilly came in, Barnett's off stump was sent somersaulting. Barnett gave an enterprising display lasting 55 minutes. He hit seven fours.

The match came to an end at 3.35 p.m. Fleetwood-Smith being caught at mid-on.

Harns and McCabe, and afterwards Hutton, acknowledged the cheers from the crowd.

The aggregate attendance for the four days, including stand tickets, amounted to 17,433.

**ENGLAND.** First Innings. Total for 7 wickets (declared) . 903 Australia . . . . . 201

**Second Innings.** Badcock, b Bowes . . . . . 9 Brown, c Hutton, b Barnes . . . . . 2 McCabe, c Wood, b Barnes . . . . . 2 Hassett, l.b.w., b Bowes . . . . . 10 Barnes, l.b.w., b Verity . . . . . 33 Barnett, b Barnes . . . . . 46 Waite, c Edrich, b Verity . . . . . 0 O'Reilly, c Hutton, b Verity . . . . . 7 Fleetwood-Smith, c Leyland, b Barnes . . . . . 0 Bradman (hurt) absent . . . . . 0 Fingleton (hurt) absent . . . . . 0 Extras . . . . . 1

Total . . . . . 123

**Bowling.** O. M. R. W. Barnes . . . . . 12 1 63 4 Bowes . . . . . 10 3 25 2 Leyland . . . . . 5 0 19 0 Verity . . . . . 7 3 15 2

Fall of wickets.—One for 15, two for 18, three for 35, four for 41, five for 115, six for 116, seven for 117, eight for 123.

England won by an innings and 579 runs.

**A TRAGEDY AT NOUMEA**

Five Killed By Native Servant

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A message from Noumea says that five members of one family named Anger, including three young children, were murdered by an Indonesian servant with an axe as they sat at a table. The native fled, but was captured.

A hacking cough racks throat and chest, and leaves its victim little rest.—The organs could not long sustain the impact of such stress and strain. A hacking cough grows chronic, too. When needed aid is overdue. Yet, even then it soothes away To Woods' Great Peppermint Cure each day.



RIO DE JANEIRO.—The beautiful capital of Brazil, which, like many other great cities throughout the world, lives in fear of political troubles.

Hard Fighting Reported

THE EBRO FRONT

Nationalists Claim Successes

CRITICAL ISSUE

United Press Association-Copyright. SARAGOSSA, August 24.

The Republicans are reported to be crumbling on the Ebro front under a hurricane of Nationalist bombs and shells. Franco's forces drove down from the heights north-west of Gandesa and claim to have taken the village of Corbera, and also to have shot down 20 planes.

Desperate hand-to-hand fighting is proceeding, as it is realised that the issue on this front will probably decide the war.

A Barcelona message says that the bread ration of six ounces per head thrice weekly has been reduced by one-third owing to the bombing of grain-laden ships.

**Man Shot on Frontier.** A Bayonne cable reports that a Nationalist sentry shot a French holiday swimmer in the Bidassoa river, on the Franco-Spanish frontier, when he was carried by the current to the Spanish bank.

Some Comments on the "Daily Mail"

The "Daily Mail" at the completion of the first half-year of its growth and expansion, takes particular pride in the fact that during the last six months it has been singled out for warm congratulation by members of both political parties in Parliament, and by numerous visitors to the areas served by the paper. Some of the comments made by persons qualified to make such statements are as follows:

**Mr S. G. Holland (National Party M.P. for Christchurch North):**—"Your big new morning paper, the 'Daily Mail' . . . an excellent production."

**The Hon. H. H. Olney, M.L.C. (Victoria):**—"The best paper I have yet seen in New Zealand."

**Mrs H. H. Olney:**—"Hawke's Bay should be very proud of its paper."

**The Minister of Lands (The Hon. F. Langstone):**—"One of the brightest papers to read—nothing but the metropolitan papers, either."

**Mr W. J. Rowlands (National Party M.P. for the Bay of Plenty):**—"It is the closest thing to the best of the smaller American papers I have seen in New Zealand."

**Miss Wilhelmina Hitching (United States):**—"It compares very favourably with any paper I have read, in any part of the world."

**Mr R. Moore (New South Wales):**—"One of the best laid out and most attractive newspapers for its size in the world."

**Mr A. R. Johnston (Leader of the Southern Farmers' touring party):**—"I would like to congratulate the 'Daily Mail' on its bright and modern layout."

**Mr E. MacDonald (Sydney):**—"I think that the 'Daily Mail' is as well produced as any journal I have ever seen."

AMERICAN INQUIRY TO JAPAN

Machine-Gunning Of 'Plane

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The American Secretary of State (Mr Cordell Hull) has announced that he will ask for full information concerning the Japanese machine-gunning of the allegedly partly American-owned aeroplane which was reported to have been forced down and the majority of the occupants shot as they attempted to escape.

"Much is being made of the Government's action in subsidising the Remount Encouragement Fund, but this is little more than a further levy on racing clubs," said Mr G. D. Beatson at last night's annual meeting of the Hawke's Bay Jockey Club. "The clubs have to pay 1/ in the £ on their one per cent. of the totaliser turnover and actually the racing clubs in New Zealand will be paying about £3000 of the £4000 subsidy."

In seconding the adoption of the report and balance-sheet, Mr J. S.

PROGRESS AGAIN RECORDED

HAWKE'S BAY JOCKEY CLUB

CAUTION ADVISED

Next Season May Be More Difficult

United Press Association-Copyright. HAWKE'S BAY, August 24.

Another year of progress, marking the further emergence from the depression years, was recorded at the annual meeting of the Hawke's Bay Jockey Club last night, when the president of the club, Mr G. D. Beatson, presided over an attendance of about 30 members.

Further increases in prize-money during the year had attracted horses, owners and trainers from a wider area than had been the case since the boom years, but it was felt that owing to circumstances peculiar to Hawke's Bay this year, the club would be well advised not to undertake any large stake increases in the coming year.

The balance-sheet disclosed the fact that, during the 1937-38 season, the club had shown a profit of £1319 8/6 on its race meetings, while the farming account showed a profit of £130 3/7. Refund on totalisator duty amounted to £500, members' subscriptions to £532, track fees to £268 and sundry items made up a total of £4759 11/6.

Against this general expenditure amounted to £250 1/2, interest and debentures to £1469 1/4, levies to £176 16/8, and depreciation on buildings and plant to £574 0/7. The net profit amounted to £626 10/11.

**President's Report.** The president's annual report stated:—"After providing for depreciation on buildings of £500 and £71 14/- on plant, the net profit for the year amounted to £10,140. This should be considered very satisfactory considering the increase in stakes given, namely, £7105, against £5396 10/- last year."

In accordance with our arrangements with the Trustees for the Debenture Holders, 25 per cent of the profit, amounting to £131 7/9, will be transferred to the Debenture Reserve Fund, bringing the total to £130. During the year, the totalisator building was painted and the roof was repaired. This cost £133 6/11, and other necessary and urgent renovations at a cost of £68 2/- were made.

"A very interesting season's racing was witnessed and more interest seems to be taken in the affairs of the club. This is borne out by the increased attendance at race meetings and the number of new members who have been enlisted."

"Your committee is pleased to inform members that the one day's racing previously held by the Waipawa County Racing Club has been transferred to this club and will now be held on the 10th, which will be racing in the spring."

"It is with deep regret that we record the death of the following members: Hon. H. A. Russell, Messrs. P. M. Cohn, F. L. Gordon and J. J. Carlin, who received a vote of thanks to the Hon. Veterinary Surgeon, Mr A. M. Brodie, M.R.C.V.S., and to the Hon. Timekeeper, Mr H. Jones for their services during the year."

In moving the adoption of the annual report and balance sheet, the chairman congratulated the club on its balance sheet which showed a useful profit over the year's working. "When the circumstances of an increase of £1700 in stakes was taken into consideration the position was more than satisfactory for the year's profit was naturally decreased by the larger stakes offered. In the past two years the club had increased its stakes by £3000."

**Club's Policy Sounded.** It was gratifying to the committee in general that such an excellent position should be disclosed and the results showed that the club's policy of increasing the stakes had borne excellent fruit.

The club's meetings had been made more interesting by the fact that a larger number of visiting horses than had been the case for many years, had graced the various fixtures and during the season teams of horses from Waikato, Wellington, Manawatu, Wanganui and Taranaki had raced at the meetings. This outside patronage showed that the increased stakes were making the meetings more attractive to outside owners and trainers.

One of the features of the year's racing, he said, was the holding of the Grand National Steeplechase at Napier, enabling a £5000 totalisator increase to be shown.

The district, said the chairman, could be very proud of the fact that Hawke's Bay was keeping up the standard of the thoroughbred horse. Hawke's Bay had the pleasure of breeding and owning the Grand National Hurdle winner; had bred the Winter Cup winner Catalogue; and the Grand National Steeplechase winner Clarion Call had been sired by a Hawke's Bay horse.

The club's buildings had been kept in reasonably good order and, with the grounds at the racecourse, reflected great credit upon the caretaker.

In seconding the adoption of the report and balance-sheet, Mr J. S.

A Rare Ape Species

SCHOOLBOY'S FIND

Prehistoric Skull Examined

VALUABLE HINTS

British Official Wireless. (Received August 25, 5.5 p.m.) RUGBY, August 24.

A paper on "Anthropus Robustus," a hitherto unknown species of ape which lived in the Pleistocene period, was read by Mr. Broom before the British Association. The remains of the skull of this early anthropoid were found by a schoolboy at Kromdrif, South Africa.

The Broom said that he thought there were indications that the ape would be more upright than any living anthropoid and would have a brain cavity of 600 cubic centimetres.

The teeth were arranged more nearly as in man than they were in any living anthropoid.

Sir Arthur Keith agreed that these fossils remain established the existence in South Africa until comparatively recent times of a strange family of anthropoid apes making approach to man.

Had these remains come from strata of an older geological date, experts would have hailed them as the long-sought anthropoid stage in man's ancestry.

They were, in fact, of too late an origin to play that role, for Pleistocene human forms were already in existence.

RETURNED SOLDIERS' RELIEF

39 Cases Assisted At Hastings

United Press Association. HASTINGS, August 25.

A total of 39 returned soldiers' cases were considered at the fortnightly meeting of the Hastings Branch of the Hawke's Bay War Relief Association, held this week. Assistance was granted in various ways, grants amounting to £56 8/6 being authorised.

Those present were Messrs F. J. Hunt in the chair, J. Mackersay, P. J. Priest and A. D. Ross.

ARCHBISHOP LEAVES FOR ROME

Ad Limina Visit To The Pope

United Press Association. AUCKLAND, Aug. 25.

Archbishop O'Shea left by the Rangitata to-day for the Vatican City to pay a *ad limina* visit to the Pope.

During his travels he will seek to interest European churchmen in the New Zealand Catholic Congress, which is being organised with the encouragement of the civic authorities to coincide with the New Zealand centennial celebrations in 1940.

McLeod commented upon the very satisfactory year. The progress of the Hawke's Bay Jockey Club had made in the past few years had been remarkable and he hoped that progress would continue. Increased stakes were always desirable, he said, but he urged that caution be used. The club should go quietly in this direction in the new season as the past year had been a very trying one for the farming community and they should not lose sight of the fact that there would not be as much money about next year.

**Difficult Year for Farmers.** Mr R. B. Bridge supported Mr McLeod's warning for caution and said the club would be well advised to let the stakes stand as they were for the new season, as it had been a difficult year for the farming community.

Referring to the £11 0/1 shown on the balance-sheet in connection with the Remount Encouragement Scheme, the chairman explained that the clubs were required to pay one per cent. of their turnover into the fund. It was really only a further tax imposed on racing clubs, as of the £4000 set aside to subsidise the scheme, the racing clubs would be paying over £3000.

The course committee, stated the chairman, had authority to build a new sand roll at the course. It would be brought into being as soon as possible, as it was realised that both were very much required.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Messrs. G. D. Beatson (president), G. Ebbett and F. P. Kelly (vice-presidents), T. W. Mervin, M. Greenwood, J. W. Wedd, T. S. Roultoun and W. A. Tod (committee), G. A. Maddison and M. Greenwood (trustees for debenture holders), J. S. McLeod (hon. treasurer), H. M. Bishop (clerk of course), H. Jones (hon. timekeeper), A. M. Brodie (hon. veterinary surgeon), Dr. C. G. Romaine-Wright (surgeon), and Messrs. Rainbow and Hobbs (auditors).

Votes of thanks were passed to the officials of the club, the staff and the course staff, and to the Press.

ROMAN CATHOLIC STAND ON A SOCIAL PROBLEM

Church's Views Sympathetically Stated In Manifesto By Four Bishops

By Telegraph-Press Association. AUCKLAND, August 25.

At their meeting in Wellington last week, the Roman Catholic Bishops of New Zealand, Archbishop O'Shea and Bishops Brodie, Whyte and Liston, decided to issue the following statement:

"The attitude recently taken by two societies of the Dominion at their annual conferences in Wellington on matters affecting the Law of God and therefore human dignity and welfare, calls for a statement by us of the position of the Catholic Church."

"One of these societies, the Women's Institute, held fast to Divine Law, and to its honour rejected several objectionable remits."

"The other, alas, the Women's Division of the Farmers' Union, made itself responsible, though not without strong opposition, for the advocacy of many things that we do not hesitate to say are an offence to Christian belief and morality. Its official attitude has seriously alarmed the conscience of its Catholic members, and may easily compel them to leave the society."

"The coming of new life into the world of man is of the first importance. It is the gift of God, Who has made the sacred state of marriage for its proper care. Human instinct finds something wrong in its coming outside the married state. Let husband and wife trust in God's care and be unselfish, generous, and if needs be, heroic."

"Yet, of course, the health of the mother and the circumstances of the home are to be taken into account, and if for good motives, sanctioned by conscience, husband and wife decide that it would not be prudent to have other children, they will not be going against the Law of God and the teaching of the Catholic Church, provided always (a strict proviso) that they do so only by practising abstinence and continence in their married life."

"The artificial prevention of births, whatever method is used, is wrong in itself, a perversion even under the circumstances, immoral and grievously sinful. No motive of love or fears of poverty and ill-health (so often illusions) can make it right, any more than they could make suicide morally right."

"The Church knows the difficulties, problems and hardships full well, and enters into the lives of families with understanding and sympathy, but she also knows that the keeping of God's Law is necessary for the happiness of husband and wife, the safeguarding of their love and loyalty, the home life of the children, and the wellbeing of the nation. When His Law is defied, only misery can come."

**Fate of the Nation** "How, we ask, can New Zealanders hold their country if this evil persists? A nation that puts obstacles in the way of the stream of life coming into its world will go down, not merely because its numbers will decrease, but even more because it will fail in spiritual and moral qualities that are its real strength."

"The Catholic Church holds to the Divine Law, 'Thou shalt not kill,' and therefore condemns all direct and voluntary abortion, even if it be 'therapeutic' in character, that is, performed to safeguard the mother's life or health. Abortion of this kind means the direct taking away of an innocent human life, homicide, murder not justifiable, for the child unborn has not been guilty of any crime."

**Rejected by Doctors.** "It is no more permissible for a medical man than for anyone else, and is indeed rejected by the great men of the profession as an insult to their skill and dignity."

"It would appear that there are several thousand cases of these abortions year by year in our country. They are murders, just that, and nothing else. We may not do evil that good may come."

"The proposals to establish clinics for birth control and to give the protection of the law in any way to the manufacture and sale of contraceptive devices were ever accepted by Parliament, it would be a degradation of family life in New Zealand and the introduction of swift poison into our national life, married and unmarried."

"There are problems indeed for large families, and these abortions can and should meet them with boldness, and ease their burdens by laws that are just and wise. Men and women of goodwill will applaud such measures and religion, desiring to see justice and charity among men, will see in them a powerful means of securing human dignity and a proper measure of happiness on God's earth."

Napier Rates Fixed

10.4d IN THE £

Retailers' Objection Set Aside

MAYOR'S STATEMENT

United Press Association. NAPIER, August 25.

After a lengthy discussion, arising principally out of a letter received from the Napier Retailers' Association, the Napier Borough Council decided at a special meeting yesterday afternoon to strike a consolidated rate of 10.4 pence in the pound.

The letter from the Retailers Association read as follows:—"In view of the increased overhead costs which the retailers are confronted to-day, plus the payment of rehabilitation loans, we view with great apprehension the suggestion of an increase in rates."

"At a meeting of the Retailers' Association it was unanimously agreed that there should be no increase in rates, and that we urge their serious consideration to give this important matter, which vitally affects all property-owners."

"Any increase at this juncture would be an additional burden to all retailers, and would prove a serious handicap."

**Seriously Considered.** "The estimates committee did not increase the rates off-hand," declared the Mayor, "but devoted some very late hours and some serious thought to the matter. It was finally faced with extra expenditure just as were the retailers."

"I resent the suggestion that the rates were raised without thought. The implication was made that the increase could be avoided but this is not so."

Councillor Higgins quoted the essential services provided by the Borough, and said that maintenance costs were rising in every department as a result of the recent legislation. Retrenchment must be carried out, either in labour or in the work carried out. If staff retrenchment were to be avoided, work must be found which would require a minimum of material.

The Mayor: If the matter is forced the onus of having the men dismissed will be on the ratepayers.

Councillor Oldham said that the weekly cheque for subsidised labour per week was £347 7/10, and the majority of this money was spent in the hands of the ratepayers. If the work being carried out by the Council was stopped the retailers would suffer.

**The Decision.** After further discussion, the Mayor moved and Cr. Oldham seconded the following motion:—"That the rates for the current year be as follows:— (1) A consolidated rate of 10.4d, made up of:— (a) General 4.02d. (b) Special 1.31d. (c) Hospital 5.07d. (2) Water rates of 1d in £ and 1d in the s. (3) Rivers Board rate of 5d in £. (4) Harbour Board rates of .53d and .26d in the £."

Messrs Fairclough's Radio Ltd. have been advised that the Napier Borough Council, on the recommendation of the theatre committee, have appointed them as the official box plan office for the Municipal Theatre, Napier. They have also received confirmation from Messrs J. C. Williamson (N.Z.) Ltd., J. and N. Taits Ltd., John Fuller & Sons Ltd., and Stanley McKay & Co. Ltd. that they are to act as box plan office for all their shows visiting Napier in the future.

CONFIDENCE IN M. DALADIER

RADICAL SOCIALIST PARTY

FRENCH DEFENCE

Collective Effort Is Urgently Needed

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The Radical Socialist Party passed a resolution of complete confidence in M. Daladier. The resolution declared that a national collective effort was more than ever necessary in view of the fearful disproportion between the production of France and the dictatorship countries, where everything was subordinated to military preparations.

"The adaptation of the 40-hour week to the exigencies of the national and international situation cannot be regarded as an act of recession," it added.

The Socialist Party executive, in the meantime, decided to demand the immediate summoning of Parliament.

The "Daily Telegraph's" Paris correspondent says that M. Daladier, privately addressing the executive of the Radical Socialists, cited figures showing production in Germany. Modification of the 40-hour week, he argued, was imperative to make up the leeway.

**Germany's Strength.** He emphasised the dangers of sterile discussion, pointing out that Germany had 2,000,000 men under arms and that her war strength would remain at that figure for three months. Though not actually mobilisation, it was a sort of "mobilisation by anticipation," giving Germany a flying start in the event of international complications.

The Government therefore was obliged to make the urgency of the situation clear to the public and to emphasise that the national defence must be placed before every other consideration.

Meanwhile, the Marseilles dock strike has spread to several other ports







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## Spilt Spirit

### A Government Grader Damaged In Resultant Fire

WAIROA.

On a charge of stealing five gallons of benzine from a Government grader near Mahua on August 22, the result of which was the accidental burning of the grader through a lighted match coming in contact with the benzine which had spilt on the ground, Maurice John Gabbott, aged 20, a locomotive fireman, of Raupunga, was admitted to probation for 12 months and ordered not to drive a motor car for a similar period without the consent of the probation officer, before Mr E. L. Walton, S.M., in the Wairoa Police Court yesterday.

Sergeant D. Clark stated that Gabbott had a “mania” for motor car equipment and ran an old car of his own.

On Monday last he drove into Wairoa and, visiting two garages, ordered gear from both of them, for which he could not pay. On the way back it appeared that as his car was leaking he stopped by the grader and with the aid of an old car-horn and bent number plates abstracted the benzine.

Accidentally the benzine was ignited and the grader was damaged to the extent of £100.

In conclusion Sergeant Clark said that Gabbott was a problem.

Mr Walton then sentenced him as above.

## BRIEF NEWS FROM ALL DISTRICTS

**Motorist Fined at Nuhaka.**—Fined £15 on a charge of being intoxicated while in charge of a motor car, Herbert Henry Maxfield, a farmer aged 57, was fined £15 and costs at Nuhaka when he came before Mr E. L. Walton, S.M., in the Wairoa Magistrate's Court yesterday. His licence was cancelled for 12 months.

**Maori Youth Convicted.**—Having contracted to build a fence and cut posts for it, Rangī Heremea, a Maori youth aged 19, was charged before Mr E. L. Walton, S.M., in the Wairoa Magistrate's Court yesterday with the theft of posts from a neighbour. Heremea pleaded guilty and was admitted to probation for 12 months.

**Otane Senior Rugby Team.**—At the Otane recreation ground at 2.45 p.m. sharp, the following Otane team will meet the Te Aute Rugby team on Saturday, August 27:—Mason, Smith, Higgs, A. Williams, Riach, J. Scrimgeour, Phillips, Green, Hislop, Beale, Stephens, Kane, Mundell, Burgess, R. Scrimgeour. Reserves: Forwards, Pearce, T. Williams; backs, Turley, Kaukau.

**Clive Card Evening.**—The usual weekly 500-card tournament run by the main committee was held in the supper room of the Clive Hall. Results were as follows:—Ladies, Miss V. Cushing 1, Mrs Manaena 2; men, Mr H. Richardson 1, Mr M. Naru 2. Special ladies, Mrs Larsen; special men's, Mr Main; ladies aggregate, Mrs S. Leyland; men's aggregate, Mr R. Te Uka.

**A Charge of Book-stealing.**—Henry Cooke, a business man, was fined £25 and costs before Mr E. L. Walton, S.M., in the Wairoa Magistrate's Court yesterday with being charged with carrying on the business of a book-maker.

Cooke was found on the premises of a local hotel with his betting book by Sergeant D. Clark. He admitted the charge.

**Music Society Evening.**—A party from the Napier branch of the British Music Society visited Waipukurau on Wednesday evening, and entertained the Central Hawke's Bay branch. The visitors were Messdames Ulric Williams, E. G. Stevenson, L. H. Elari (Havelock North), and Mr G. Stevenson. A varied programme of vocal and pianoforte numbers was contributed, and at the conclusion Mrs P. A. Riddle (president) expressed the thanks of the local branch for the visit.

## CENTRAL HAWKE'S BAY RUGBY

### Fixtures and Referees For To-morrow

WAIKURAU. Rugby fixtures for to-morrow in Central Hawke's Bay are as follows:—

**Senior (2.45 p.m.)**  
Takapau v. Porangahau, at Takapau (Rev. H. S. Scott).

**Old Boys v. Rangers, at Tikokino (Mr T. Spencer).**  
Te Aute v. Otane, at Otane (Mr G. Voyce).

Waipawa v. Omakere, at Omakere (Mr W. McKennie).

**Junior (2.45 p.m.)**  
Old Boys v. Waipukurau, at Central Park, No. 1 (Mr J. Jeffery).  
Otane v. Takapau, at Central Park No. 2 (Mr A. Smales).  
Te Aute v. Waipawa, at Waipawa (Mr W. Spargo).

**Third Grade.**  
Waipukurau v. Takapau, at Takapau (Mr A. Parker).  
Te Aute v. Old Boys, at Te Aute (Rev. J. D. Hogg).

A Bill throwing open to women all branches of the Government service in Norway, including appointments in the State Church, has become law.

## AN EVENING OF FUN

### ENTERTAINMENT AT TARADALE WOMEN'S GUILD

### An Hilarious Programme

TARADALE.

The Taradale Town Hall was filled to capacity on Wednesday evening when the Taradale Presbyterian Women's Guild and the younger members of the church staged an entertainment.

The first half of the programme was supplied by the junior members and consisted of a pianoforte duet given by the Misses Joyce Paton and Joan Dawe, and a solo was sung by Miss Joyce Goodger (of Napier). Then followed two humorous sketches. The young players entered into their parts most spiritedly.

The first sketch represented a cottage where, during a storm, four women of different types of character and society take shelter. The parts in this play were taken by Misses Joan Hird, Hazel Moir, Edna Pascoe, and Joan Dawe.

The second sketch was also humorous and represented a scene in a hotel corridor outside the bathroom. The cast consisted of Misses Elsie Steven, Lillian Dunn, Gladys Nixon and Messrs. Wally Chambers, Owen Pollock and Russell Finmore.

During the first part of the programme Mrs Kelly contributed two humorous monologues.

**“Wedding Breakfast”**  
The second half was given by some of the ladies of the Guild and took the form of a mock wedding breakfast.

The characters were suitably attired, and the performance was a clever burlesque.

The characters were Maria (Mrs R. Badley), Sandy (Mrs Dine), Parson (Mrs Pollock), Mrs Ramsbotom (Mrs Martin), Mrs McKakiac (Mrs Brown), Mr McKakiac (Mrs Pain), Best Man (Mrs Paton), Bridesmaid (Miss Montgomery), Flower Girl (Mrs Alexander).  
At the conclusion the Rev. J. Cumming of Taradale, thanked all those present for their attendance and the performers for their splendid efforts.

## PERSONAL

**CLIVE.**  
Miss I. Dean, who is a teacher in the Taranaki district, is spending the term holidays with her parents at Clive.

Miss J. Thornton, Solway College, Masterton, is visiting her parents at Clive.

Mrs F. Williams has returned to Clive after spending five weeks in Auckland.

Mrs Colin Dooley, of Auckland, is visiting Clive.

**OTANE.**  
Mrs F. R. O. Hunter, Wanganui, has been spending a few days with her mother, Mrs H. Powell.

Mrs J. Evans, and her two daughters are paying a holiday visit to Napier.

Miss R. Martin, of the school staff, is holidaying in Woodville.

Mr and Mrs Baikie and family are spending the holidays at Woodville and Masterton.

Mrs G. V. Thomas and Miss Merle Thomas are staying with relatives in Woodville.

Miss Noeline Thomas, Te Kura, has joined the nursing staff of Hastings private hospital, as a probationer.

Master Brian Tod has returned to Nelson College after spending the vacation with his parents, Mr and Mrs J. Tod.

Mr and Mrs A. Wright and Mr G. Wright, Dannevirke, are the guests of Mr and Mrs C. Martin.

## INDIAN HOCKEY TEAM

### Side For Last Test

### OVERWHELMING WIN AT ROTORUA

By Telegraph—Press Association.

ROTORUA, August 25.

Before leaving Rotorua to-day for Auckland, the managers of the Indian hockey team announced the following probable team for the final Test against New Zealand on Saturday:—

Goalkeeper, B. Abrahams; backs: Gurnarain Singh and S. M. Hussain; half-backs, Shafat Khan, Shahnoor Khan, Lalpat Rai; forwards, Shahabuddin, Abdul Latif, Feroz Khan, Sultan Khan, P. Fernandez.

Playing on the best ground when they have experienced in the Dominion, the Indians yesterday defeated the Rotorua team by 24 goals to nil.

## PAHIATUA LABOUR CANDIDATE

### Recovered From Attack Of Influenza

DANNEVIRKE.

Mr G. Hansen, Labour candidate for Pahiatua, after a severe attack of influenza, is once more in the field. During the past few days he has visited a number of farmers in the Maharahara and Umutaoroa districts. Mr Hansen, being a politician and successful farmer, besides being one of the biggest suppliers of milk in the Wellington district, understands problems affecting the farmer.

In the near future the Labour Party proposes to bring to the electorate farmer-members of the House to discuss problems affecting farmers generally.

A demand for votes for women has been submitted to the Egyptian Parliament.

## Maltreatment Of Children

### WAIROA CASE

### Maori Woman Charged

### “BLACK AND BLUE”

WAIROA.

“These children appeared at school in such a state that they could not write,” stated Sergeant D. Clark in the Wairoa Magistrate's Court on Thursday before Mr E. L. Walton, S.M., when giving evidence against Fanny Albert, a Maori woman, who was charged with wilfully ill-treating two female children under 16 years, causing unnecessary suffering.

“They were black and blue,” he continued, “and were taken to the doctor by their headmaster. One child had to be X-rayed.”

Ask why she thrashed the children accused said it was because they got their dresses dirty.

She was convicted and ordered to come up for sentence when called upon.

## Maraenui Golf Club

### SATURDAY'S DRAW

### Medal Match Play

A medal round will be played by members of the Maraenui Golf Club to-morrow. The draw is announced as follows:—

C. C. Johansen v. W. T. Dobson, J. D. Quayle v. J. Durie, P. K. Peter v. J. S. Gelling, W. F. Turner v. P. F. Martin, G. Harris v. J. G. Hawke, A. Champion v. H. J. Templeton, F. W. Forbes v. E. M. Reilly, F. D. Logan v. T. J. Simmonds, S. Emerson v. A. W. Gunnson, J. M. Stevens v. A. McLachlan, R. L. Badley v. C. D. Anderson, C. Brew v. J. Broadbelt, H. McEwen v. J. A. McLean, H. L. Goodger v. S. A. Bradshaw, R. P. Northe v. J. Peggam, B. M. Bennett v. K. O'Halloran, J. Ritchie v. M. A. MacKenzie, H. M. Bennett v. W. T. Harvey, J. W. Parker v. R. H. Le Pine, F. R. Ashton v. E. K. Lomas, P. M. Higgins v. R. M. Gerbes, R. K. McGiven v. W. H. Glwick, C. Milne v. A. J. Ellingham, N. G. Krebs v. H. B. Latham, J. F. Bowler v. H. R. Horsnell, J. D. Bull v. W. Taylor, S. Northe v. Hy. Bull, B. Dinnien v. Stokes, J. Commons v. S. Taylor, B. W. Morse v. J. Wray, F. R. Walters v. H. Holt, K. J. White v. H. George, S. O. Sinclair v. D. Irwin, V. F. Webley v. E. Mathewson, C. N. Mitchell v. E. Gordon, A. Haroldson v. W. H. Milne, A. L. Cox v. H. R. Gasson, T. H. Russell v. L. L. Forrest, A. F. Clark v. R. E. Stone, F. McCullough v. T. McLeod, J. Mason v. C. L. Schmolli.

## Medal Match Play

### PARKVALE CLUB GOLF

### Draw For To-morrow's Fixture

### PLAYERS CHOSEN

The following is the draw for the medal match to be played on the Parkvale Golf Links to-morrow:—

C. Watkins v. J. McPherson, A. Lean v. C. Campbell, E. M. Robinson v. W. Grant, J. Stringer v. S. Cummins, R. Murray v. H. Head, F. Crawford v. W. H. Read, R. Attwood v. L. H. Ross, L. J. Wright v. D. MacErlach, V. Blakey v. F. Horton, C. Crighton v. T. Sullivan, T. Simpson v. J. K. Moroney, E. F. Easton v. L. H. H. Cooper v. D. Parkhill, L. Drummond v. J. Campbell, F. Currie v. A. J. Hannan, W. R. Clark v. E. P. Herries, R. Galbraith v. C. D. Clark, R. Walker v. J. P. Johnston, N. A. Owen v. A. Patmore, H. N. Donkin v. R. Davies, D. M. Syme v. B. H. Edwards, L. Simmons v. H. C. Cain.

Play will commence at 1 p.m. Any member not drawn and wishing to play will be allotted a partner at the club-house.

Members who have not yet played the second round in the championship have been drawn together and are requested to play this round to-morrow.

## HAVELOCK NORTH GOLF

### Canadian Foursome To-morrow

HAVELOCK NORTH.

Following is the draw for a Canadian foursome to be played at 1 p.m. to-morrow:—

J. M. Joll and S. Chaplin, K. Joblin and W. H. Maitland, F. J. Hawkey and H. G. Carr, A. G. Crawford and S. Dixon, E. F. Rush and L. R. Hill, H. Norwell and S. Easton, W. W. Rush and F. C. Twigg, E. Riley and F. Hawley, S. D. Agnew and E. Marshall, H. L. Benjamin and M. von Dadelsen, S. Waymouth and R. Keys, J. K. Agnew and J. W. D. Gelszen, N. Cook and H. Tonkinson, H. G. Hay and H. E. Toulmin, F. P. Evans and J. J. Garvey, P. McHardy and M. G. Bell, G. Small and R. H. Inder, L. G. Joll and D. W. Gilbertson, F. W. Plant and W. J. Carberry, J. Hill and F. J. Green, A. Fulford and A. Hawley, H. B. Player and another.

## WOMEN'S GOLF AT WAIKURAU

WAIKURAU.

The following were the best cards returned for the second round of Mrs McCormick's trophies, played on Wednesday by members of the Waipukurau Ladies' Golf Club:—Miss I. Butler, 95—23/72; Miss M. Davey, 105—33, 72; Mrs Tollemache, 88—15, 73; Mrs Stiles, 108—34, 74; Mrs Johanson, 112—36, 76; Mrs Elliott, 104—27, 77; Mrs Bradley, 108—31, 77; Miss E. Hobson, 114—36, 78.



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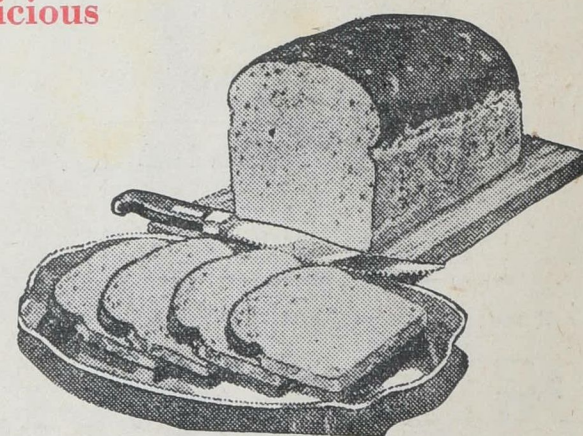


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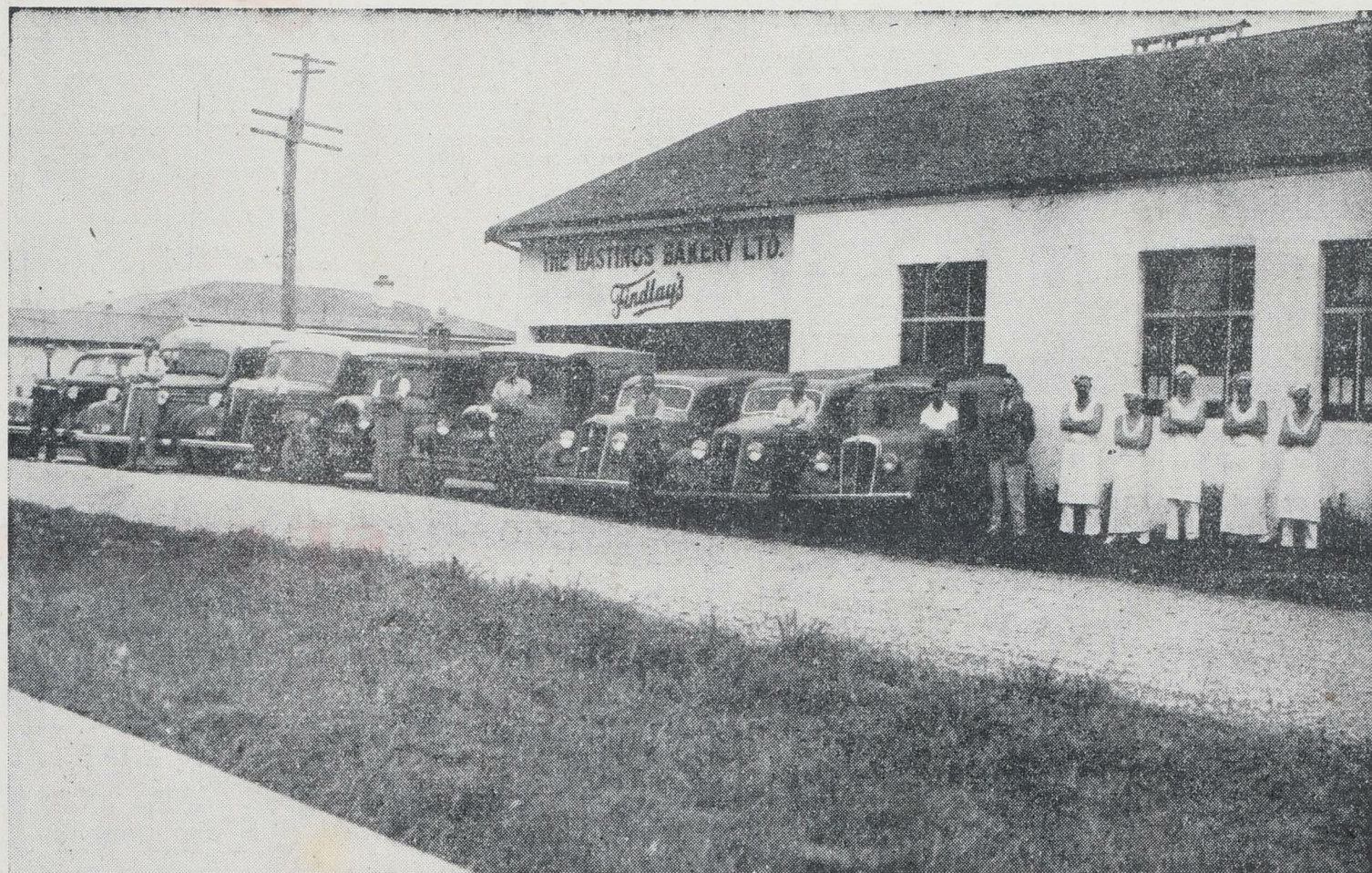
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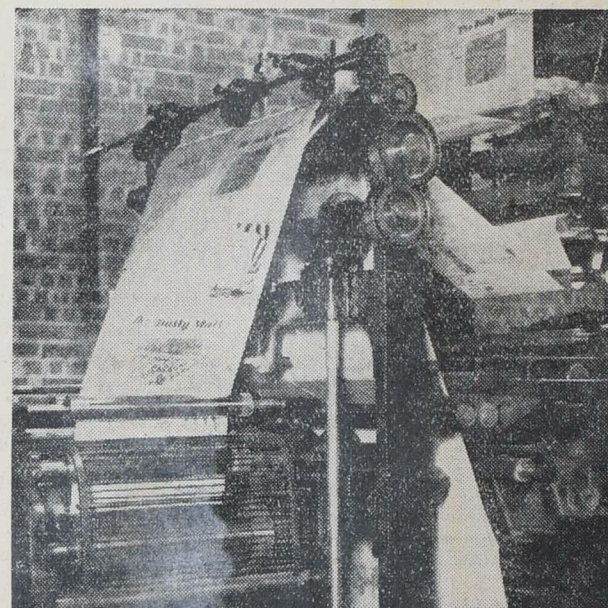
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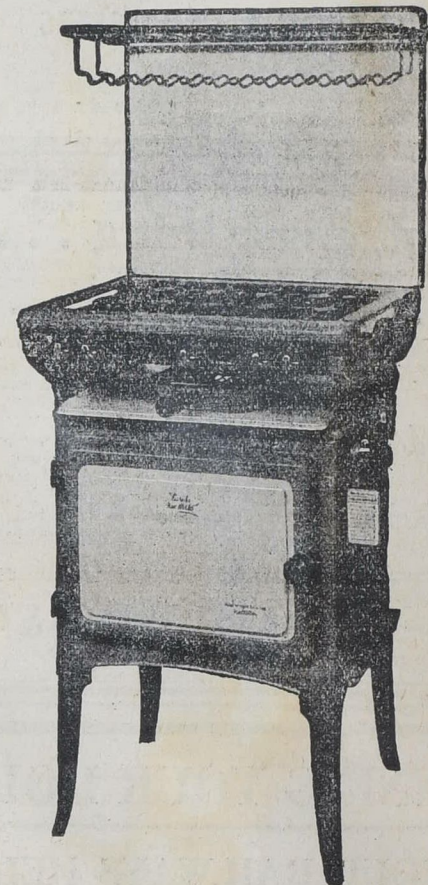


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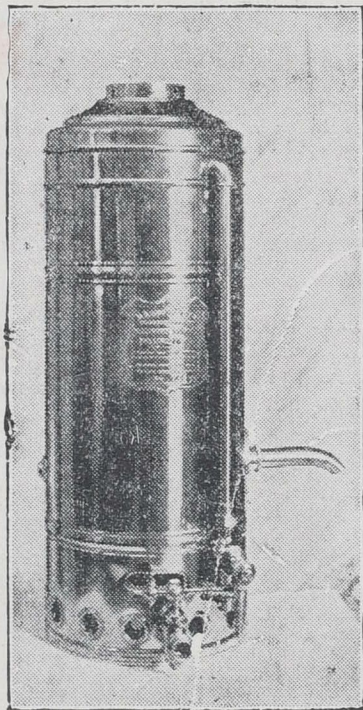
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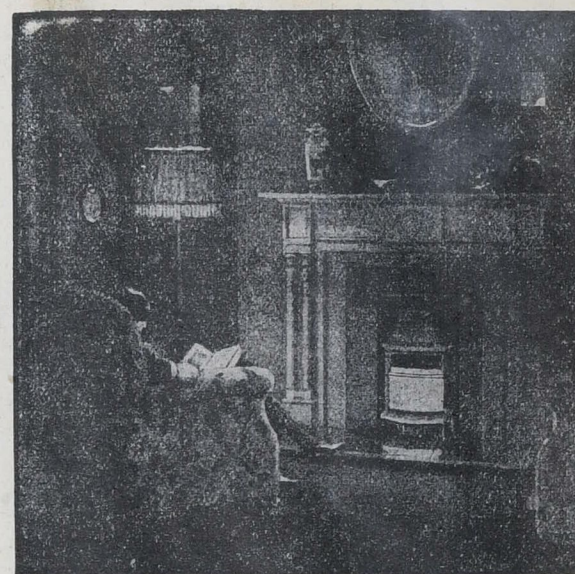
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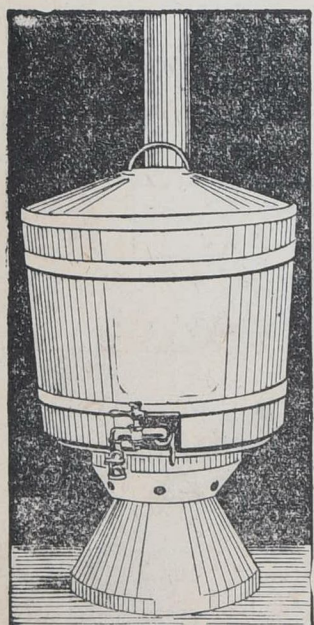
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An interesting talk, illustrated by lantern slides, was given by Mr. A. D. Laing, veterinary officer to the Department of Agriculture, at the monthly meeting of the Dannevirke Young Farmers' Club, on the subject of diseases in sheep.

He described the different internal parasites of sheep, and mentioned the remedies and methods of treatment and prevention that were used.

Slides picturing typical cases of facial eczema were shown. About 90 per cent. of the cases in Hawke's Bay had been on rich pastures, and about 10 per cent. on dantonia.

This was a case where the conditions mentioned were exaggerated by the pasture being surrounded by enclosing hills. It was thought at present that there must be some factor in connection with flush growth.

Prevention therefore should be on the lines of feeding hay and crowding up sheep so as to lessen intake at the dangerous period of the flush.

Bearing Trouble. Typical cases of bearing trouble were shown on slides, and the cause of the disorder was outlined by Mr. Laing.

Ante-partum paralysis or pregnancy toxemia was described. This was caused by a drop in condition through pregnancy (in 95 per cent. of cases twin lambs were being carried).

This resulted in a liver breakdown or poisoning, bringing about parasitic conditions. Treatment as a body was a danger of irritation in placing a material in the vagina.

The allied conditions in which calcium deficiency occurred and caused what was known as lambing sickness, could be treated by the injection of calcium salts into the blood.

Veterinary Work. The final slide shown was one of the Wallaceville Veterinary Laboratory. Mr. Laing described the new additions that were being carried out.

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Danger Of Over-Feeding

SOME GOOD ADVICE

The horse is naturally an animal of action. He cannot bear a spell of idleness, simply standing in the stable, being fed and watered and groomed.

An old nag may stand in a drowsy state for days in the stable, but an active young horse will become restive, fretful and fall into evil habits, and nasty pranks born of tedious idleness and a depressing atmosphere.

Too much food and too little work are bad for the healthy, active horse. Cut down his feed of corn every time he is not at work.

When farm horses go to pasture they are less capable of hard and exhausting work than when fed hay and oats, because at the outset they must be restricted in the matter of time allowed to graze.

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### AMERICAN TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS

#### DOUBLES EVENTS ARE PLAYED

#### DAVIS CUP FORM

United Press Association—Copyright. BOSTON, August 24. Results of the United States doubles tennis championships were:—

##### Men's Doubles.

Allison and van Ryn defeated Riggs and Grant, 6-1, 8-6, 6-2. Budge and Guernsey defeated Bobbit and Guernsey, 6-3, 6-2, 6-3.

##### Women's Doubles

Misses Wynne and Coyne (Australia) defeated Misses Wolfenden and Canning, 10-8, 6-2. Misses Stammers and Lumb defeated Mrs Hopman and Miss Stevenson (Australia), 6-1, 1-6, 11-9. Miss Marble and Mrs Fabyan defeated Mesdames Andrus and Henrottin, 6-4, 5-7, 12-10. Mme. Mathieu and Miss Jedrzewski defeated Misses Bundy and Workman, 6-2, 6-2.

##### Mixed Doubles.

Miss Wynne and Quist (Australia) defeated Miss Winslow and Hughes, 6-1, 6-2. Miss Coyne and Bromwich (Australia) defeated Miss Pat Henry and Owen Anderson, 6-4, 6-3.

Mrs Hopman and Hopman defeated Mrs Andrus and Puncce, 6-2, 6-3. Miss Stevenson and Schwartz defeated Miss Stammers and Pat Hughes (Britain), 8-6, 6-2. Misses Coyne and Wynne played loosely in the first set against Misses Wolfenden and Canning, Miss Wynne particularly being far below top form. The high wind bothered Miss Coyne greatly.

The Californians once had set point but were unable to put over the deciding point. The Australians improved in the second set and won with comparative ease. The match between Misses Stammers and Lumb and Mrs Hopman and Miss Stevenson was easily the most exciting so far in the women's division. The Australians showed great courage and excellent strategy but were just unable to match the power of the Britons' drives.

In the final set the Australians had match point three times in the 14th game, but each time they lost the point. Miss Stammers proved the deciding factor.

##### Press Comment.

The Australian Associated Press correspondent says: "With the Davis Cup challenge round in the immediate offing, the national doubles tournament so far has brought only headaches to American tennis officials, with their biggest headache due to the sorry showing of Budge contrasting sharply with the sparkling performance of Quist and Bromwich."

"There is a growing belief that Budge has had too much tennis and is likely to be much below form in the challenge singles. This possibility is exceedingly upsetting from the American viewpoint, since, in considering their prospects, the Americans had taken it for granted heretofore that Budge would win both singles matches, with the margin of victory probably depending upon whether Riggs would win one of his singles matches."

"Now, when the Americans still feel that Budge will win, they realise that anything might happen if he is really badly over-trained. Although Riggs is admittedly a much better singles than doubles

### COMMENT ON THE TEST

#### CRITICS PRAISE THE ENGLISH TEAM

#### FORTUNE OF TOSS

#### Tributes To Hutton And Leyland

United Press Association—Copyright. LONDON, August 24.

The Australian Associated Press says: "The drawn rubber was an appropriate end to the Test series, which demonstrated little difference in the English and Australian strength."

"The fortune of the toss was the decisive factor at the Oval, where the wicket was so good. Each side was so limited for bowlers that the winning of the toss meant victory."

"England draws in the rubber largely because Yorkshire breeds a distinctive race of cricketers," the agency adds. "The Australians admired the tough fibre Yorkshire demonstrated not only at the Oval but at Sheffield, where the Australians suffered a moral defeat. If any Englishman had to rob Bradman of his most cherished records, it was appropriate that it should be a Yorkshireman."

"The Tests were played in a cheerful and harmonious spirit," R. E. S. Wyatt, writing in the "Daily Mail," says: "The result proves that England is every bit as good as Australia. My opinion is that, taken all round, our cricket is better. Had Hutton and Leyland been available at Leeds, we should probably have won the rubber."

##### "Better Team Won."

Charles Bray, writing in the "Daily Herald," says: "While the end of this timeless Test was disappointing and almost ridiculous, at least it produced a result. The better team won. If the match had been limited it would have petered out in a draw, which would have been even more ridiculous in view of the magnificence of the English batting."

"It would have been a travesty had this Australian team won the rubber," he adds.

"It is questionable whether Bradman's greatness is wholly good for Australian Test cricket. I believe that Australia would have won only one match in which he did not score a century. I have every reason to believe that the Australian supremacy is ended and that the Ashes will return to England for a long period."

Sir P. F. Warner says: "It is certain that the English public will not stand timeless Tests. I consider five days the right length. The Oval wicket was too good. It gave a tremendous advantage to the winner of the toss. But England at full strength would have a better all-round side than Australia."

C. G. Macartney, cabling the Sydney "Morning Herald," says: "Hearty congratulations to England on their overwhelming victory, from which the accidents that befell the Australians cannot detract. England won fairly and squarely."

player, his showing in the doubles was mediocre in the extreme and has not added any cheer to the American frame of mind.

"There is more than a little speculation concerning the semi-final match of the national doubles between Budge and Mako and Allison and van Ryn, since the latter seemed much superior in to-day's matches."

### THE HAWKE'S BAY—WELLINGTON RUGBY

#### The Game in Retrospect: A Lesson Has Been Taught

BY SIDELINE.

Many of those Hawke's Bay Rugby enthusiasts who followed the Hawke's Bay team down to Wellington to see their representatives engage Wellington in the first match of the Southern tour, enjoyed the game, but did not appreciate the narrowness of the margin that separated victory from defeat.

Although the game began promisingly enough, the second spell soon left no doubt in the minds of the Bayites that Hawke's Bay were being hopelessly outclassed in the set scrums.

Wellington were having a surfeit of the ball, and only the magnificent defence of all the Magpies, combined with some good individual back work, gave Hawke's Bay a victory.

Hawke's Bay saw little of the ball from the set scrums as Lambourne consistently outhooked Keeble. Although Lambourne is recognised as a fine hooker, he is not such a hooker as his success last Saturday would tend to make one believe.

Keeble also has a reputation as a hooker, and while he was not such an experienced man as his vis-a-vis, his hooking was obviously suffering from a lack of weight from his pack.

The Wellington men packed well and gave the tourists every chance. He made much of it.

The Wellington backs were given countless opportunities, but failed to use them. Time after time the ball went from Tindill to Griffiths and along the whole back line, only for the movements to break down under a vigorous and deadly defence which completely annulled the penetration of the Wellington men.

##### Hawke's Bay Backs.

With the failure of the Hawke's Bay pack to get the ball from set scrums, the Magpies' back line was seldom in full action. Great credit must be given to the rearguard for the display that it put up with the limited chances they received.

To Phil Reid must go the credit for a magnificent solo try that delighted both Wellington and Hawke's Bay supporters. Safe and elusive at all times, he was the spearhead of the back line, and played fine football.

Le Quesne at centre was safe and solid on defence.

Bradley was sound, as usual, and formed a good link between his club-mate, Clothier, and Reid. Apsey, on the right wing, was starved for opportunity and consequently was the least impressive of the backs.

##### Fox's Try.

Fox played a sound game and scored a spectacular solo try when he got clear away to run nearly three-quarters of the length of the field to score.

His was a clean exhibition of football and on one occasion he brought off a brilliant tackle which was as fine as any the writer has seen. His defence has improved.

For general soundness, and for a fine display of clever play, full marks go to Dyer, full-back. His line-kicking was faultless, his handling brilliant, and he gave a display that delighted the crowd, which showed its appreciation with frequent applause.

Although the forwards disappointed with their failure in the set scrums, their play in the other departments of the game was up to standard, and fast loose play was a feature of their game.

Bowman, fresh from Australia, was the outstanding forward on the field.

It can be assumed that Reid and Dalton would have made a great difference to the Hawke's Bay pack and lent the weight that was necessary for more successful hooking.

##### A Bright Game.

The game was bright and keen from start to finish and from the spectators' view was good football. Hawke's Bay supporters, naturally enough, would have liked to have seen their backs get more of the ball, but on the day Wellington was superior and took scrums on all possible occasions, which further reduced Hawke's Bay's chances of using the backs.

The Hawke's Bay defence was thoroughly tried and was not found lacking. That the defensive play such as the Bay was forced into at one stage of the game still bore no fruit for the Wellington backs, shows how strong the defence was.

The one lesson of the necessity of putting the weight into the scrum emerged from the game.

Wellington taught a lesson last Saturday and it will be a lesson of which full notice will be taken. On his homeward trip Hawke's Bay hopes to bring home the Ranfurly Shield.

### Dissension In Union

#### AFFAIRS BEFORE COURT

#### Action Brought Against Secretary

#### DECISION RESERVED

By Telegraph—Press Association.

AUCKLAND, August 25.

The affairs of the Auckland and Suburban Local Bodies Labourers' and Related Trades' Industrial Union, which have been before both the Magistrate's and the Supreme Court on several occasions during the past 18 months, were again brought before the Supreme Court yesterday.

There has been dissension in the union for some years, and legal complications followed on efforts that were made to oust the old officials of the union and replace them by new ones.

The matter came before Mr Justice Callan by way of an appeal on law and fact from a decision of Mr W. R. McKeen, S.M., on March 10. The claim before the Magistrate was brought by the Local Bodies Labourers' Union (Mr Haigh) against Bernard Clews, Avondale, secretary of the union (Mr Slipper), demanding the return of a motor-car and the bank books of the union, which Clews held by virtue of his office.

Clews's defence was that he was still secretary and treasurer of the union, and so entitled to possession of the property in dispute. The Magistrate had given judgment in favour of Clews on the ground that the last election of officers of the union had not been properly conducted according to the rules, and that Clews had not been properly dismissed from his office. Decision was reserved.



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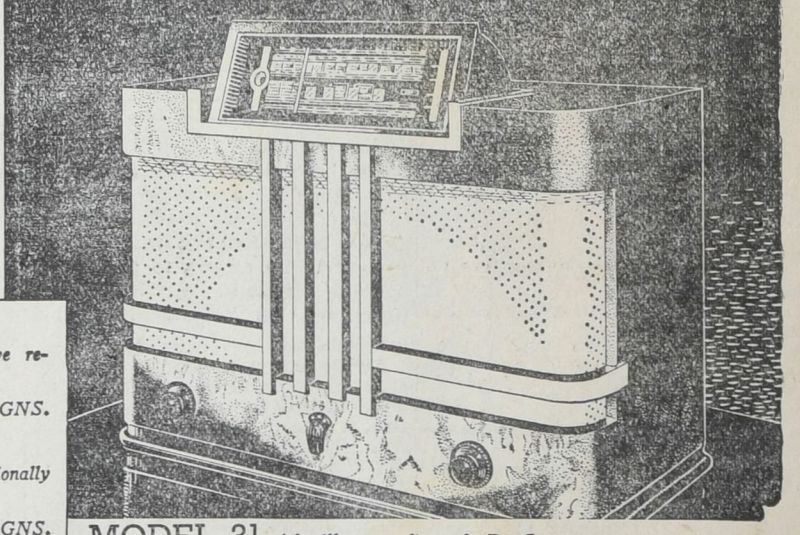
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### Badminton Draw Announced

#### CHAMPIONSHIP PLAY

New Zealand Titles At Hamilton Next Week

#### A GRADE GAMES

By Telegraph—Press Association. HAMILTON, August 25.

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##### Women's Singles.

First round: Miss N. Clough v. Mrs Hawksworth. Second round: Miss M. Kerr v. Miss B. Aiken, Miss B. Babbage v. Miss F. Fernie, Miss M. Edmondson v. Miss J. Inwood, Miss Payton v. winner of first round, Miss N. Fleming v. Miss M. Wade, Miss N. Payton v. Miss T. Greaves, Miss C. F. Wren v. Miss E. Low, Miss D. McCarthy v. Miss J. Ramsey.

##### Men's Doubles.

First round: Hawksworth and Pearce v. Miller and Skeet, Smith and I. Owsley v. Rennie and Dallimore, Low and Fear v. Neale and Johnston, Clough and Low v. Whale and Anderson, Ellett and Hull v. Sherrin and Holroyd, R. Cann and Russell v. Wilson and Weir, R. Lewis and J. Lewis v. Dunn and Payton, Chapman and Dempster v. Read and Vesty.

##### Women's Doubles.

First round: Misses N. Payton and B. Payton v. Mrs Dunn and Miss B. Babbage, Mrs Wren and Miss Edmondson v. Misses Waters and J. Clough. Second round: Mrs Hawksworth and Miss M. Kerr v. Mrs Fow and Miss M. Pilling, Misses Ramsey and Wade v. another pair, Misses McCarthy and Greaves v. another pair, Misses Waters and J. Inwood v. Miss Fleming and Fernie.

##### Mixed Doubles.

First round: A. Weir and Miss Fernie v. Rennie and Miss Waters, Dallimore and Miss Fleming v. A. Dempster and Miss J. Clough, Low and Miss E. Low v. Whale and Miss Babbage, Pearce and Miss Kerr v. Clough and Miss P. Woolford, Fow and Mrs Fow v. Anderson and Miss Inwood, Holroyd and Miss Greaves v. Russell and Miss A. Campbell. Second round: Hawksworth and Mrs Hawksworth v. Bayly and Miss McCarthy, Ellett and Miss Waters v. Chapman and Miss M. Pilling, Hull and Mrs Wren v. another pair, J. Payton and Miss B. Payton v. another pair, R. Lewis and Miss Edmondson v. J. Lewis and Miss Ramsey, Dunn and Mrs Dunn v. Wilson and Miss Wade.

Woods' Great Peppermint Cure For Children's Hacking Cough.

### TABLE TENNIS MATCH

#### COURTHOUSE V. SUNSHINE

#### EVEN GAMES

#### Comment on the Players

The Courthouse Club proved too strong for the Sunshine Club, defeating them by 12 games to 4 at Napier. The games on a whole were fairly evenly contested, but the Courthouse players had a little more experience, which enabled them to pick up the extra few points to win.

R. Bartlett, E. Davy, J. McDonald and F. Foote played for Courthouse and L. Hawke, E. Simpson, A. Angus and F. Burton played for Sunshine. L. Hawke: Uses the "penholder" grip and is somewhat inclined to "lift" the ball when playing defensive shots. Makes the ball spin fairly well and varies his service nicely. Has the makings of a good player but will have to develop an attacking shot.

R. Bartlett: Has a nice forehand drive which he rarely uses. Does not "go" after the ball at all, being somewhat worried by spin, and is inclined to wait too long before playing his shots. Uses the tennis grip and is improving with every game.

E. Simpson: Varies his service well and, like most left-handers, uses the tennis grip. Will improve his game as his forehand drive becomes more accurate with practice.

J. McDonald: Has a useful variation of service, and, unlike most penholders, has a good backhand drive. Is inclined to spin every ball on his forehand. A good, steady player who will improve with more match practice.

A. Angus: A left-hander who has developed the half volley defensive game often used by the tennis grip exponents. Should cultivate a drive, as angle shots are not very effective against a player who can spin the ball.

F. Foote: Uses the tennis grip, but plays "penholder" style; is inclined to play everything on his backhand. Will make a good player when he acquires a forehand drive.

#### SECOND MARRIAGE COSTS FINE

#### Gipsy Says it Was Worth It

First member of his gipsy tribe to be married in a church, Maurice Hughes had to pay a fine of £1 at Cerne Abbas for camping on the highway while preparing for the wedding at Evershot, Dorset.

"It was worth it to be married in church," he commented later.

"This is my second marriage. When I took my first wife we had our wrists cut to mix the blood, but now I am head of our tribe I am stopping all that. It is too barbaric. I am going to see that my children are married in churches."

The bride's father, the best man, and two of the 100 wedding guests entertained by Hughes, were also fined—two 15s, two £1.

### An Open Letter To Picture Theatre Patrons:

No doubt among your most treasured screen memories are prominently placed the JACKIE COOPER vehicles "Skippy," "The Champ," "Peck's Bad Boy," "Treasure Island," and his strong role opposite Freddie Bartholomew in "The Devil Is A Sissy."

And it is now with great pleasure that we bring before your notice JACKIE COOPER'S first grown-up role "BOY OF THE STREETS." This stirring human drama had the proud distinction of winning the "Parents Magazine" medal for the best film of the year, and proof of the justification of this award is the fact that "BOY OF THE STREETS" created new sensation records in its first run on Broadway, New York.

The story deals in a most frank and fearless manner with to-day's great world-wide problem of modern youth, is at all times most entertaining, and centres around a youngster growing up, a great kid with real mettle in his make-up, born in the tenements of a big city and fighting for his rights to decent citizenship.

Cooper's acting is more than just impressive, it is big and sincere throughout, while 14-year-old MISS LAUREN O'CONNOR, brilliant new star, is destined to immediate stardom. Her singing of "Does Your Mother Come From Ireland" and two other numbers is one of the highlights in a grand picture.

I unconditionally and most sincerely recommend to you "BOY OF THE STREETS" as one of the most outstanding human-interest, and all-family pictures it has been my privilege to present in the Regent Theatre, and I am convinced that such a statement must be lived up to in the fullest sense of the term.

"BOY OF THE STREETS" is great entertainment from every point of view.

Yours sincerely,  
For the Regent Theatre,

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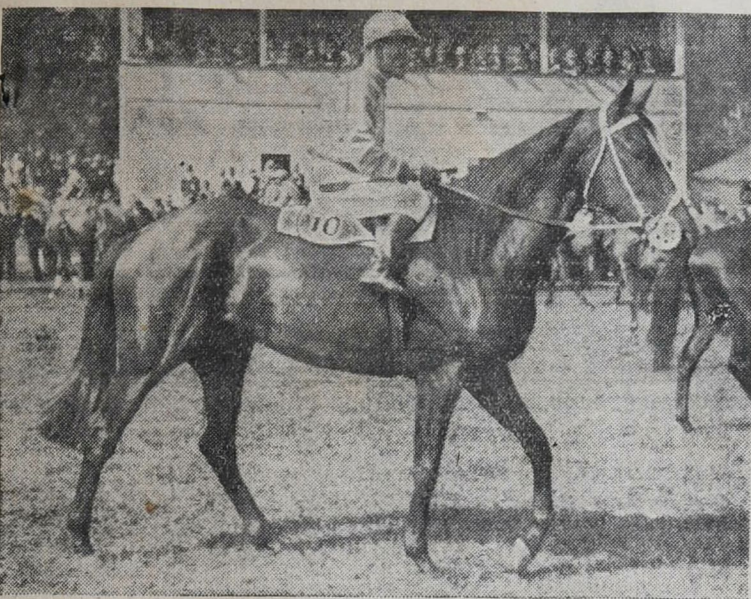
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JACKIE COOPER

in "BOY OF THE STREETS"

Commences REGENT — SATURDAY (Approved for Universal Exhibition.)





STRETTO gave a taste of her quality on Saturday in Australia and is booked to race in the Warwick Farm Stakes to-morrow. One of her opponents may be Royal Chief, while last year's winner Allunga may also be in the field.

WARWICK FARM STAKES RUN TO-MORROW

Stretto Attuned for the Fray LIMERICK WON THREE YEARS IN SUCCESSION

Comment On Manawatu Horses

(By MOTUROA)

The Australian spring round opens to-morrow at Warwick farm and the fixture is one which will be watched throughout Australia and New Zealand, as the Warwick Farm Stakes and the Spring Handicap will see many of the early selections for the spring weight-for-age and handicap events in action.

New Zealand's representatives will be Stretto and Royal Chief, while the form of the New Zealand-bred Gold Rod will add to the interest. Allunga, Mohican, El Senorita, Spear Chief, King's Head, and the imported Genetout will do battle for Australia.

This race was made famous by the deeds of the great Limond gelding Limerick, who carried the late Mr H. H. Knight's colours to victory in 1927-28-29. He holds the race record for successes, but Johnnie Jason won in 1931-32, and Chatham in 1933-34, the last-named establishing the course record of 1.37 1/2 when he scored in 1933.

Many champions have won the race in the past few years, and apart from Limerick and Chatham, Whittier, Windbag, Amounis, Rogilla (who dead-heated with the brilliant Silver King) and Talking are listed among its winners.

Allunga won twelve months ago from Talking, prevailing by half a neck, but he will find the New Zealanders well attuned for the fray and, if the Inchaquire horse is to add a further success in this race to his record he will need to be at his very best.

Fred Jones, who trained Limerick, knows the requirements of the race and is sure to have Royal Chief in good order, but the form shown by Stretto at Victoria Park last Saturday leaves the impression that the five-year-old daughter of Hunting Song and The Begum will be the one that the Australians will have to account to. That race will work wonders with her.

GREAT LEGION had been doing so well since he raced at the Wellington winter meeting that it was generally thought that George New was a good prospect for him in the Wanganui Guineas.

However, that astute mentor has decided against tackling the crack three-year-olds that promise to be in hand for the event and the Australian-bred gelding appears in the list of entries for the hack sprints at Wanganui.

Great Legion has phenomenal early speed and it should take a smart start to lead him off around the Wanganui beds.

Classy Maiden. Coronation, Mr Herbert Galsford's big Limond-Jewel of Asia colt, was too overgrown to do himself justice last season, but he is shaping up all the time and his recent gallops at Woodville with Homily have been very encouraging to the Oringi sportsman, who had the bad luck to lose the services of Courtraft last autumn, when there were several easy races in view.

Coronation is now much more solid than when he last raced and he appeals as being a class performer among the maidens engaged at Wanganui next month. At all events, Coronation's form there may shed some light on his prospects for the classic events later on.

May Take on the Open Class. Florence Mills showed such good form last season that the handicapper now has to make it hard for her to win in hack company, and with so many smart three-year-olds engaged at Wanganui, it is probable that Luke Wilson will decide in favour of the open sprint events there next month.

Florence Mills has developed into a fine mare who may be capable of anything this term and she promises to be ready to reveal her best form at the first time of asking.

Guineas Trial. Homily's progress in the past few weeks at Woodville has surprised Fred Davis that the daughter of Posterity and Homage is ready for the Wanganui Guineas and her form in the Seaford Handicap at Wanganui will show what condition she is in for the first of the season's classics.

Homily gave a competition of her class at the last two meetings in Sydney and, as she probably be tested by Percy Wood to-morrow, it should be possible to gauge her prospects for the classic mile next month.

Favourite Course. Brazen King has never run a bad race at Wanganui and the Wanganui Cup winner will have to be taken into consideration for the Marangai Handicap next month. Brazen King failed in the heavy going at Trentham, but he should not be condemned for that and the better going on the River City track will give him a chance to make amends.

Since Wellington Brazen King has been pottering along quietly under Fred McHugh's care at Marton and a sharp gallop or two should bring the Wanganui Cup winner back to his best.

Still Going Strong. After he raced at the Dannevirke Hunt meeting it looked like "curtains" for Passion Fruit, but Mr L. C. Breakwell has succeeded in patching up the old horse again and it is probable he will take his place in the amateur riders' events at New Plymouth next week. The break in his preparation will not improve Passion Fruit's chances, but he goes quite a good race fresh and he may pay his way on the trip.

Still Improving. Mr George Grace's Intruder gelding, Informer, proved a ton of weight race to score impressively at the Manawatu Hunt meeting and the impression gained was that he was still susceptible to improvement.

Informer possesses a ton of early pace and a smart beginner always has a reasonably good chance at New Plymouth even though his opposition is very much stronger in the hack events there next week.

Off Morning at Hastings

TARANAKI HOPEFULS Ready for Next Week's Meeting

BAMBIAN IMPRESSES

(By MOTUROA)

Most of the fast work of the local contingent engaged at New Plymouth next week was done on Tuesday, and this morning was an "off" morning for most teams. However, the campaigners that were not sent against the watch all did serviceable work, and it looks as if a large percentage of the spoils at the Combined Hunts meeting will come the way of Hawke's Bay horses.

Cullus, Proclamation, Morning Flight, and Halle Sesslie all did good gallops on the plough, which was fast, while the two-year-olds Bambian and the Lord Quex-Fondle colt went well on the course proper where Traller and Iddo ran a good six furlongs.

Cullus Hits Out. The Lucullus-Fairy Mark gelding Cullus (P. Atkins) showed that his recent improvement was being maintained by running his half mile alone on the plough in 51 1/2, the last time 28.2 1/2.

Cullus has been off the scene for a long while, but he was a smart little horse when in form, and his recent displays on the tracks have been very encouraging.

Proclamation (Atkins) created a good impression at Wanganui when he won over ten furlongs in May, has come back into work in nice order, and he hit out well all the way over a round, while the looks a likely sort for jumping races later on.

Morning Flight Well. The grey-flecked Laughing Prince filly Morning Flight (Atkins) was another out for a light task, but he brushed up the straight smartly, running his last two in 26. He was doing it very nicely over the final furlong.

Happy Landing (Cameron) ran half a mile in 54, and a second half mile, under a good hold, in 56.4. He is to race at Wanganui, and has come along nicely in the past few weeks.

Halle Sesslie (Cameron) was going well throughout his five furlongs in 1.4 2/5, the first two in 29.25.

Two-Year-Olds Keen. Bambian (B. Stowe) and the Lord Quex-Fondle colt (R. Marsh) impressed by the dash they put into the finish of their half mile run on the course proper in 51.45, the last three in 38.25, and both were running on in the concluding stages.

Happy Landing (Cameron) ran half a mile easily in 55.25, and was never off the bit.

The Lord Quex-Propeller filly and the Lord Quex-Nukerakau colt sprinted up the straight, hitting out solidly.

Events Run Mile. Misurina (Callahan) and Tres See (Atkins) galloped very evenly throughout their mile in 1.49, the last five furlongs in 1.8. Both are in good order for the Taranaki meetings.

Thala (Stowe) ran an easy half mile, but was not out to make time. This Beau Pere three-year-old will not be required for racing until October and is being brought along quietly.

Win for Arabic. The three-year-old Arabic (Forst) ran her best gallop to date to head Red Shoes (Cameron) over half a mile in 53.15, the first furlong in 13.15.

This half-sister to Nereus looks more solid now, and may be coming right. Red Shoes was doing her work very nicely in the concluding stages and was not kicked out.

Lovellit (Marsh) and Soho (Forst) were not unduly built to encompass their mile in 1.51.35, the last five in 1.10.

Thala Hits Out. Thala (Stowe) was the only one to gallop on the grass, and he hit out in his usual bold style to run his half mile in 53.35, the last three in 40.

Kirikiri (I. Rohoff) schooled over two rounds of the steeplechase fences. He took the first well, but ran down the first of the double and took the next fence near the wing, screwing his rider off.

The Ledestown gelding was taken back, jumping the double well at the second attempt, and clearing the post-and-rails well. He repeated the task over the five fences and did not put a foot wrong on the second circuit.

Vern Colello has built up this gelding into a really good looking horse since he won the Hawke's Bay Hunt Cup, and he should be in great order for the steeplechase at Wanganui.

Difficulties Of Apprentices

CONFERENCE WORRIED Many Suggestions Have Been Made

PROBLEM REMAINS

The apprentice jockey problem was raised by the president, Mr G. D. Beaton, at the annual meeting of the Hawke's Bay Jockey Club last night, when he pointed out that the majority of people were under a misapprehension and had gained the impression that apprentices were not getting the opportunities to-day that they might be receiving.

The New Zealand Racing conference, said Mr Beaton, had given the problem very deep consideration, and had come to the conclusion that opportunities were not lacking for apprentices. In fact, they were receiving an extra advantage as a result of the newly arranged 7.7 minimum and the extension of allowance to 7 lb, whereas, formerly, the limit allowance had been 5 lb.

There was no gainsaying the fact, he said, that if a boy did not have the inherent ability to ride it was impossible to make a jockey of him. The suggestion of a riding school had some merit in it, but it was the matter of cost which had troubled the conference. To have riding schools in the centres would possibly mean levying racing clubs all levies and taxes.

Qualifications of Employers. It had also been suggested that the conference should exercise more care in allowing trainers to have boys apprenticed to them, when as they had not done any race riding themselves, they were incompetent to impart race riding knowledge to the apprentices entrusted to their care.

These of course were a debatable matter, for quite a few men of some education could impart as much knowledge of the art of race riding to their apprentices. It all resolved, however, down to the fact that the change of times to a mechanical age, had not the natural ability of boys of former years.

Then, many trainers were under a misapprehension about the 7.7 minimum, said Mr Beaton. They did not realise that under the old system horses weighted on the minimum could not claim any allowance, whereas to-day an allowance up to 7 lb could be claimed for horses weighted on the minimum.

There was no easy road to success in a jockey's life. He had to start at the bottom and ride to the top, and the reason why so few apprentices ever reached the higher rungs of the ladder was because riders were born and not made.

Mr W. J. Wood agreed that the conference had done much to improve the conditions of the apprentices, but more could have been done by enabling the allowance to be continued through the winter months when the reversion to the eight stone minimum brought all races into the category of highweights. The continued progress of an apprentice was largely dependent upon continuous riding, and the conference could well consider amending the rules to allow apprentices to be as much demanded as they were when their allowances made their services attractive to owners.

Otago Hunt Club Acceptances

TO-MORROW'S FIELDS Ten Remain in the Hunt Cup

By Telegraph-Press Association. DUNEDIN, August 25. The following acceptances have been received for the Otago Hunt Club's meeting at Wingatui to-morrow:

SEAVIEW HACK AND HUNTERS' HURDLES. Of £145; 14 miles. Fireguard ... 11 7 Tautau Maid ... 9 6 Corban ... 10 5 Mount Val ... 9 1 McHeath ... 10 0 Night Scout ... 9 0 Delrain ... 9 11

BROCKVILLE TROT. Of £140; 3.5 class; 14 miles. Black Watch ... scr Tinsy Axworthy scr Central Lad ... scr Violet Potts ... scr Great Joy ... scr Vee Truman ... scr Parrishome ... scr Hyatemoua ... 12 Raven's Wing ... scr MacGregor ... 24 Royal Chief ... scr Master Garry ... 36 Stamboul ... scr Salaton ... 38 Star Bond ... scr All Kings ... 60

OTAGO HUNT CLUB CUP. Of £220 and cup valued at £15; about 2 1/2 miles. Gold Wren ... 11 7 Joy Boa ... 9 0 Quinipal ... 10 13 Matchem ... 9 0 El Caballo ... 9 11 Golden ... 9 0 Tom Cat ... 9 7 Warbler ... 9 0 Uncle Jim ... 9 6 Pallafour ... 9 0 Golden Glow ... 9 0

PRESIDENT'S HANDICAP. Of £130; 5 furlongs. Ilytha ... 9 7 Slayer ... 8 0 Violenta ... 8 13 Withdrawal ... 8 0 Compensate ... 8 11 Gold Don ... 8 0 Attractive ... 8 9 Note ... 8 0 Wynwood ... 8 8 Doubleback ... 8 0 Gipsy Fair ... 8 8 Avenal ... 8 0 Electra ... 8 5 Long Owen ... 8 0 Remembo ... 8 3 Vallock ... 8 0

TALLY-HO HANDICAP. Of £165; 1 mile. Milford ... 8 10 Osculate ... 8 5 Monipere ... 8 12 Roseman ... 7 13 Paladino ... 8 9 Doubleback ... 7 13 Valantua ... 8 7 Mount Val ... 7 11 Janet Gaynor ... 8 6 Pink Robe ... 7 7

WINGATUI TROT. Of £140 and cup valued at £5 5/-; 3.43 class; 14 miles. Black Watch ... scr Hyatemoua ... 12 Central Lad ... scr MacGregor ... 24 Gold Bank ... scr Salaton ... 36 Great Joy ... scr All Kings ... 72 Parrishome ... scr Violet Potts ... 72 Royal Chief ... scr Parrish Stamboul ... scr Chimes (T.) ... 72 Star Bond ... scr

HUNTERS' FLAT HANDICAP. Of £130; 1 mile and 2 1/2 furlongs. Grand Finale ... 11 0 Joy Boa ... 9 3 Corban ... 10 3 Hostile ... 9 1 Tautau Maid ... 10 2 Golden Glow ... 9 0 Vantoon ... 9 5 Darian ... 9 0

VAUXHALL HANDICAP. Of £130; 6 furlongs. Wynwood ... 8 10 Remembo ... 8 2 Drinkup ... 8 9 Hedburgh ... 8 0 Donadea ... 8 7 Vallock ... 8 0 Hunting ... 8 0 Slayer ... 8 0 Chorus ... 8 3 Gay Vixen ... 8 0

24.—North Canterbury R.C. 24.—Waverley R.C. 24.—Waikato Hunt. 27, 29.—Poverty Bay Turf C. 29.—Banks Peninsula R.C. 29.—Rangitikei R.C. 29.—Rotorua and Bay of Plenty Hunt.

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Siegfried Colt Impressive

CROJICK'S FIRST UP Appears To Be Above The Average

ENTERED FOR CUPS

Australian critics are enthusiastic about the possibilities of the Siegfried colt Crojick, who had his first race at the end of last month and impressed by downing several well-performed and seasoned two-year-olds in the second division of the St. Mungo Handicap at Moonee Valley.

Crojick was bred by the late F. J. Nathan, who raced the colt's dam Top Flier with some success. Top Flier was bred in Australia and was by Top Gallant (a son of Swynford) from Skylike, by the Sunstar horse Sky Rocket, from Scotchlike, by Matchmaker, from Be Cannie, by Jock of Oran.

A very interesting feature of this breeding is the doubling of Son-in-Law blood. Siegfried is by the Dark Ronald horse Son-in-Law, while Scotchlike, the third dam of Crojick, was a half sister to Mother-in-Law, the dam of Son-in-Law.

Crojick is engaged in the Caulfield Cup with 75, while he has 72 in the Melbourne Cup and, bred as he is, it would not surprise to find him developing into a good stayer.

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son, was bred at Okawa, and his dam is the No. 1 family mare April Fool, who was a smart galloper and a half-sister to Clever and Cut Melody. Useful performer.

April Fool is by the defunct Te Trench horse Chief Ruler from the imported Charles O'Malley mare Miss Cute, who was bred in Ireland. Miss Cute was bred from Janny (a half-sister to the sensational 2-year-old winner Aboyeur), by Seaforth from Pawky, by Morion and tracing back to the ancestress of Spearmin, Craig Millar, Speculum, Dollar, Fitz Roland and other high-class gallopers and sires.

Beaupartir's progress in the next few weeks will be full of interest and he should at least run a middle distance.

Sporting Gift. Freshened up since the Wellington meeting, when he was beaten by the bad going, little Sporting Gift has been working along very nicely at Awapuni and his owner-trainer should not be long in scoring further successes with this smart Hunting Song horse.

Sporting Gift has been tried over sprint distances only so far, but he has been running on so solidly at the end of his races that it looks as if he will encompass a mile or further this term.

Gold Trail's Half-Sister. White Gold, the big Hunting Song Pure Gold four-year-old, who created a good impression in winning at the Wanganui spring meeting twelve months ago and who subsequently displayed a lot of pace at Trentham, has been in light work for some time at Awapuni and should now be ready for production. White Gold has settled down considerably since she last raced and there should be some good races for her this season.

Pure Gold, the dam of White Gold, has already achieved fame at the start of the Australian and smart Victorian performer Desert Chief and is a further indication of the value of the Tracery horse Psychology as a sire of brood mares.

Pure Gold was bred from that wonderful All Black mare Desert Gold and is half-sister to Orem (dam of Gold Rod) and Sahara (dam of Sudan).

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RACING FIXTURES FOR 1938-39

Start Of A New Season

August. 27.—Otago Hunt. September. 1.—Egmont-Wanganui Hunt. 3.—Taranaki Hunt. 8, 10.—Wanganui J.C. 17.—Ashburton J.C. 17.—Foxton R.C. 17, 19.—Avondale J.C. 22, 24.—Geraldine R.C. 24.—Marton J.C.

October. 1.—Otaki Maori R.C. 1.—Kurov 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.—South Canterbury J.C. 15, 17.—Avondale J.C. 20, 22, 24.—Wellington R.C. 22, 24.—Gore R.C.

The judgment, dealing with the change of gear made with the horse, states: "In view of the fact that after purported permission was given by a member of the judicial committee, the chief stipendiary steward told the owner that permission had not been granted, we think the owner should have taken further steps to ascertain the true position, and that he failed to do so. We therefore fine him £25."

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**BIRTHS**  
BRADLEY—On August 24, 1938, at Nurse Powell's Maternity Home to Mr and Mrs J. Bradley, Napier—a daughter. Both well.

**PUBLIC NOTICES**  
N.Z. FRUITGROWERS' INDUSTRIAL UNION OF EMPLOYERS.

THE Annual Meeting of Hawke's Bay Branch of above Union will be held in the Oddfellows Hall, Hastings on Saturday evening, 27th inst., at 7.15 o'clock.

BUSINESS: Election of Officers and General.

A. L. BAUMGART, Secretary.

**FRUIT, PRODUCE, SEEDS**  
EARLY Seed Potatoes. All the popular varieties including Chiff's Kidney, Snowdrop, Kidney Roman Adair, Black Kidney, A. F. Redgrave and Co. Ltd., Hastings.

KITCHEN Garden. Asparagus, Washington, 2 1/2, 2/6 per dozen, 20/- per 100. Rhubarb, Champion, the best, 2/- each, 20/- per dozen. C. B. Hixon, Limited, Hastings.

**SITUATIONS VACANT**  
WANTED: Maternity Nurse, daily, by good patient in own home. Apply "162", Daily Mail, Hastings.

WANTED: Youth for Grocery trade. Write "223", Daily Mail, Hastings.

**WANTED TO SELL**  
FOR Sale: Budgetrigars. Breeding pairs 10/- pair. First class birds. Apply 903 Tomoana Road, Hastings.

FOR Sale: Pured White Leghorn day-old Pullets; good laying strain; guaranteed. "Gambie Hatched," J. Napier, Bay View (Phone 7148), Napier.

**WANTED TO BUY**  
TABLE POULTRY, any quantity. 6/- per pair. H. B. Trubshaw, Phone 4405, Napier.

WANTED: To Buy: Chev. or Ford Van, arrange Exchange or sale, 10 w.p. Singer. Apply "Singer", Daily Mail, Napier.

**TENDERS**  
CONTRACTORS—Let your joinery troubles end by getting quotes from Fred Gore, 710 Jervois Street, Hastings. Phone 2677.

**STOCK SALES**  
ASSOCIATED AUCTIONEERS  
WAIPIUKURAU YARDS  
TUESDAY, AUGUST 30, 1938.

The sale will commence at 10.30 a.m. with cattle, followed by fat and store sheep. Sale of sheep will commence not later than 12 noon.

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**THE H.B. FRUITGROWERS' ASSOCIATION (INC.)**  
A GENERAL MEETING of the Association will be held in the Oddfellows Hall, Hastings on Saturday evening, 27th inst., at 8 o'clock, when delegates to recent Dominion Conferences will give their reports.

A. L. BAUMGART, Secretary.

**ANDERSON'S GLADIOLI SPECIALS**  
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WANTED: Companion Help for Room, Napier, SATURDAY. References essential. Ring 3269, Hastings.

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FOR Sale: One High Pressure Orion Tractor Plough, in new order. Range, Low Pressure Orion. Cheap for cash. H.B. Demolition Co., Hastings.

FOR Sale: 450 14in. Pines, 7ft. 6in. long. Suitable Fences or Cattle-stops, 2/6 each. H.B. Demolition Co., Hastings.

**WANTED TO BUY**  
TO Racehorse Owners: Wanted to lease, option of purchase, a good horse, for the making of, for a good man, to be trained at Trentham. Write for full particulars to "O.D.", Daily Mail, Hastings.

WANTED: An Engagement Ring, 1ct. Diamond, Kings from £4 15/-, the ring house H.B. H. J. Grievie, Ltd., Jewellers, Hastings.

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Marble and Granite Sculptors  
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**CROSS-COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS**  
TARADALE :: SATURDAY August 28, at 2.45 p.m.

**QUEEN CARNIVAL**  
NEW ZEALAND WORKERS' UNION BALL  
Grand Finale Foresters' Hall, Napier WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31. (Bunny Otene's Full Orchestra). 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

**PRIME Lucerne Hay**. A few tons left. A. Simmonds and Co. Ltd., Seedsmen, Merchants and Florists, Hastings. Also at Napier.

**RASPBERRY Canes**. David Lloyd George, 3/- per dozen, 20/- per 100. Currant Bushes, black and red, 1/3 each, 12/- per dozen. C. B. Hixon, Limited, Hastings.

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**WANTED TO BUY**  
FOR Sale: Hand Concrete Mixer, in new condition; Good Used Wire Rope, in various lengths; 4 inch piping suitable for cattle stops; Planet Horse Cultivator, H.B. Machinery Exchange, 406 Karamu Road, Hastings.

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**DAIRY SALE**  
TARADALE, MONDAY NEXT, 1 p.m.

On account of Mrs. E. M. King, Avondale Road.

8 Choice Jersey Cows, 10 Jersey Yig. Heifers, 4 Jersey 2-yr. Bulls.

**SALES FOR AUGUST.**  
Waipukurau Yards, 30. Stortford Lodge, 31.  
SALES FOR SEPTEMBER  
Waipukurau Yards, 6, 13, 20, 27. Stortford Lodge, 7, 14, 21, 28.

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**MR. L. R. PALMER, M.A., Dip. J.**  
Lecturer on Economics, will deliver a PUBLIC ADDRESS at the Borough Council Chambers, Hastings at 8 p.m., MONDAY NEXT, on the question of NEW ZEALAND'S POPULATION.

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