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BRADMAN'S 13 CENTURIES IN TEST CRICKET

Cautious Batting

Australia Passes English First Innings Total

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LONDON, June 14.

The rare spectacle of Bradman stonewalling was witnessed when the first Test was resumed at Nottingham.

Bradman scored only 16 runs in an hour, but the crowd was silent as the unyielding fight to save the game continued.

Passing the century Bradman eclipsed J. B. Hobbs' record of centuries in tests. The Australian has played in 23 tests, compared with Hobbs' 41. Bradman is within 200 of Hobbs' grand total of 3600 runs.

At the afternoon tea adjournment Australia had lost four wickets for 361 runs. Bradman, after taking two and a-half hours for his first 50, was 118 not out, and he and Brown (133) saved the game for Australia.

Wright looked the best of to-day's bowlers, though Verity's steady length pegged down the batsmen. When Farnes came on at 162 Bradman began to open out and got his first four in 14 hours.

The wicket, under the influence of the hot sun, was beginning to wear. The spinners seemed to be getting more help, but were weary. Farnes was played easily. Brown reached 90 in 250 minutes.

W. R. Hammond, the English captain, made quick bowling changes after lunch yesterday, but McCabe unperturbed, reached a magnificent and chanceless century in 140 minutes.

Barnett appeared to have settled down at lunch, but he was out immediately upon resuming. With O'Reilly in, McCabe forced the pace, pulling Farnes and Hammond, who shared the new ball, to the fence.

McCabe at 124, gave an extremely hot chance to Edrich at short leg off Hammond. He then went on brilliantly and hit Farnes for three successive fours. O'Reilly, who batted stubbornly while 56 runs were added, was easily caught forward of short leg. McCormick was helpless facing Wright.

McCabe manoeuvred for the strike with the last man, Fleetwood-Smith, in, and in one over from Wright scored 17, reaching 189, his best score in a Test.

EXCITEMENT INTENSE

The excitement was intense as McCabe approached 200. He overtook Wright for two consecutive fours, reaching the double century in 220 minutes. McCabe scored 44 in three overs from Wright.

Fleetwood-Smith hung on nobly while McCabe continued his merciless offensive. Four hundred was passed in 360 minutes. McCabe was eventually caught in the covers while attempting a big hit, thus ending a superb innings of 345 minutes in which he hit one six and 34 fours in unquestionably his greatest innings.

He scored 213 of the 273 added by Australia to-day and made 72 of the 77 added for the last wicket. By eight minutes after lunch he had scored 127.

The Greatest Innings Seen Anywhere At Any Time In Game's History

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received June 14, 11 p.m.)

LONDON, June 14.

Among the critics of S. J. McCabe's achievement, Mr Neville Cardus, "Cricketer" in the "Manchester Guardian," declared: "The cloak of Victor Trumper has fallen on McCabe for the greatest innings seen anywhere at any time in the game's history."

R. E. S. Wyatt, who was among the original selections for the English team, wrote: "McCabe's performance rises above the limits of words to describe."

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and also played the other bowlers carefully until stumps. Brown's 50 and the total of 100 occupied 150 minutes.

Ten thousand were present when play was resumed to-day. The day was warm and cloudless—the most Australian-like day of the tour.

Brown and Bradman made a comfortable start, in contrast to the overnight tension. Four singles came off Hammond's first over, followed by three consecutive maidens.

Then Brown, timing perfectly, turned Farnes for two. Bradman was extra careful getting his eye in. He patted the wicket, which was becoming dustier, but which was apparently still playing well.

Bradman asked Sinfield, who habitually finished bowling by planting his right foot in front of the wicket and who also walked about on it, to desist. It is under-

UNSPORTING ATTACK

CRITICS DEFEND AUSTRALIANS

"RIGHT TACTICS"

Fingleton's Reason For Stopping

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received June 14, 7 p.m.)

LONDON, June 14.

English critics say that the barracking of Fingleton and Brown was an unfair and unsporting attack on batsmen who were playing the right game for their side.

It showed an entire lack of appreciation of the position. Since the batsmen could not win it was their duty to their side not to take risks.

The London "Daily Telegraph's" Nottingham correspondent says that Fingleton when asked why he stood away replied: "I did it because Hammond suggested I should. He told me to stand away while the crowd was shouting and clapping and wait until they stopped."

McCabe's Fine Career

AUSTRALIAN STAR

S. J. McCabe's magnificent 232 yesterday was undoubtedly the greatest innings of his career, not only from the viewpoint of runs scored, but from the fact that it saved Australia from disaster.

Yesterday's innings brings McCabe's aggregate for the tour to 533, at an average of 53.30. McCabe's form has been patchy. He failed to score against Leicester and Gloucester and his other innings have varied from 13 to 110 (against Oxford).

McCabe has been one of the most reliable of Australian batsmen for many years. His average in last year's tests in Australia was 54.55, his aggregate being 491. In the previous year when the Australians toured South Africa McCabe headed the test averages with 420 runs at 84.00.

McCabe is aged 28 years. In test cricket he has scored 1801 runs at an average of 54.59. He has four times passed 100 in test cricket. He shares with Bradman the record third wicket stand (249) in test cricket.

McCabe is a polished batsman and is at his best when his side needs runs.

Plebiscite Is Suggested

SUDETEN'S FUTURE

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received June 15, 1.30 a.m.)

LONDON, June 14.

Declaring that it would be a bankruptcy of European statesmanship if the question of the future of the Sudeten-Germans was allowed to plunge Europe into a devastating war, "The Times" in a leader implies that a plebiscite would be the most satisfactory solution.

"The only question is do they wish to remain where they are, or to belong somewhere else? What remains to be done is to rectify the error of 1919 and allow the Sudetens peacefully to express their own views concerning their future."

stood that this was a source of complaint yesterday.

In the next over Sinfield again walked down the wicket, and Brown requested him to move off.

Runs came slowly and easily off Verity and Sinfield. Both the batsmen were completely at home. Wright displaced Verity at 140. Brown was beaten by the last ball of Wright's over when his score was 77, and the total 150, but this could hardly be regarded as an escape.

Scores:—

Table with 2 columns: Team, Score. Includes ENGLAND, AUSTRALIA, and individual player scores.



"WILD ELEPHANTS WOULDN'T MOVE HIM."—Karl Fischer, a trainer at the Maidstone Zoo—he is described as the world's youngest wild animal trainer—is never so happy as when he is teaching new tricks to the elephants. Karl Fischer is unrecognisable in this picture because that happens to be an elephant's foot on his face. Fortunately, the elephant knew just how far to carry the joke!

FLOODS TRAP JAPANESE

5000 ARE REPORTED DROWNED

ATTACK DIVERTED

Army Equipment Is Submerged

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SHANGHAI, June 14.

The Yangtze-kiang floods threaten the line of the Japanese for many miles, necessitating a diversion of the attack on Hankow.

The Chinese at Hankow report that the floods, 30 feet deep on the Paishan section of the Lunghai railway, drowned 5000 Japanese and entraped 7000 near Kaileng, where the water submerged 250 guns, 80 tanks and 100 armoured cars.

COMPLETED IN FIVE YEARS?

THE RIMUTAKA TUNNEL

ROUGH ESTIMATE

Hon. R. Semple's View

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, June 14.

While making it clear that he had not checked his estimate with his engineers, the Minister of Public Works (the Hon. R. Semple) expressed the opinion to-day in an interview that it should be possible to pierce the Rimutaka Hills for the new railway access to the Wairarapa in five years.

SHIPS RUN FOR SHELTER

TERRIFIC GALE IN TASMAN

LINERS DELAYED

Vessels Battered by Heavy Seas

By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, June 14.

The full force of the Tasman gale at the week-end was encountered by the Union Co.'s cargo steamer Gabriella, which reached Auckland to-night from Eden, New South Wales.

Although the Gabriella did not receive the punishment suffered by the vessels steaming into the west-erly gale on the way to Australia, heavy seas were nevertheless continually shipped as she ran before the storm.

The Union Co.'s liner Awatea, on her voyage from Auckland to Sydney, reported to the Gabriella that she was making only five knots against heavy head seas.

The Huddart Parker motor liner Wanganella, en route from Wellington to Sydney, was reported at one stage to be holed.

Sighted by the Gabriella at sea past Cape Maria Van Diemen, the Union Co.'s steamer Kekerangu, which left Auckland on Saturday for Sydney, was making heavy weather. The Kekerangu was in fairly light trim and was throwing the seas high over her bows.

Sheltering in Spirits Bay. The master of the Gabriella (Captain Cox) stated that two ships were sheltering in Spirits Bay, to the eastward of Cape Reinga, on Monday evening when the Gabriella passed. One was identified as the Union Co.'s motor ship Kauri and the other was presumed to be the same company's steamer Kartigi.

Both ships left Auckland on Friday night, the Kauri for Westport and the Kartigi for Greymouth.

Captain David Williams, of the British steamer Langolien, which was in distress off Cape Reinga on Saturday, advised that he saw both vessels running for shelter during the gale.

No reports have been received of the progress of the Nobel Explosives Co.'s auxiliary ketch Miro, which left Dunedin last Wednesday for Auckland. The Miro should have arrived here at the week-end, but it is considered certain that she is sheltering on the coast.

It was announced at the fortnightly meeting of the Dannevirke Borough Council by the Town Clerk, Mr G. T. O'Hara-Smith that £54 4/1 has been sent to the Hastings Flood Relief Fund.

"MISCHIEVOUS" SLUMP TALK IS DEPRECATED

Prime Minister Is Confident That New Zealand Will Stand Any Test

By Telegraph—Press Association. PALMERSTON NORTH, June 14.

"We have been hearing this year and last year threats of a slump, mainly from interested persons who wish to scare people into a sense of insecurity," said the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. M. J. Savage), in opening the National Dairy Show to-day.

"I would like to repeat now what I have stated on previous occasions, that there is absolutely no necessity for any trade recession unless the business men prefer manufacturing slumps to manufacturing rather more useful articles."

"I will have more to say later on this mischievous talk, and I say this now—so long as there is an atmosphere of goodwill, reasonableness, and give-and-take, there will be no slumps, and when the nations of the world accept as a national responsibility the task of directing national economy on rational lines, there will be no wild booms and slumps."

"Here in New Zealand during the past two years we have been putting our house in order with the very object of counteracting these fluctuations that have hitherto disgraced the modern history of this and other so-called civilised nations," said Mr Savage. "The problem is a many sided one. Largely it is a problem of economic and monetary policy but it is also a problem of orderly production and distribution. We have proceeded a long way towards laying the foundation of a better order and whatever events occur overseas I am confident of the success of our actions. New Zealand will stand any test."

"If you put this picture alongside that which these slump merchants are calling up surely you will protest with me at the intolerable stupidity of a system that encourages men to produce and live in comfort and then prevents them from obtaining a share in the very goods they helped to produce. I for one am prepared to go a long way to prevent a recurrence of the sufferings and hardships which are still fresh in our minds."

"My critics have said that I have had no experience of business and for that reason that I am overlooking the realities of the situation. I say this, and no man or woman will disagree with me, that the real test of progress is not found wholly in stock exchange quotations, big com-

pany profits, trade returns or statistics of production. It will be found rather in the well-being of the people and I am concerned above all things in seeing that their welfare is maintained."

Some Control. "I am one of those who believe that human beings are capable of asserting some control over their economic destiny and wish to assure you that the Government is not prepared to accept the workings of economic adversity without taking adequate precautions to ward off its ill-effects."

"I would like to deprecate in the strongest terms this talk of slumps or future depressions but still more strongly do I wish to condemn the point of view that slumps must be borne with patience and suffering as visitations of Providence."

"I have said many times that what human stupidity can bring about human intelligence should be capable of correcting and that is all that the present Government is trying to put into effect. If it should fail in that it fails in everything."

Complaints have been made in the Golborne Urban District of Lancashire that oil had contaminated the water, 65,000 gallons of water were wasted in one day in a vain effort to get rid of it.

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PROGRAMMES ON THE AIR
Rugby Match Between Otago and Bay of Plenty To-day

A running commentary of the Rugby football match, Bay of Plenty versus Otago, will be rebroadcast from Carisbrook at Dunedin to-day. This will be heard from 4YA at 2.45 p.m. The programmes will be as follows:

- 6.50 A.M. TO NOON.
6.50-Weather for aviators.
7.00-Test cricket results from all stations.
7.10-Breakfast session from all stations.
8.00-Test cricket results from all stations.
9.5-2YA-W. A. Oldfield gives an eye-witness account of test match.
10.00-1YA-Devotional service.
2YA-Weather for aviators. Devotional service.
3YA-4YA-Recordings.
10.15-1YA-Recordings.
10.30-2YA-Time signals.
10.35-Devotional service.
10.45-2YA-Talk for women (Margaret).
3YA-4YA-Recordings.
11.00-3YA-Women's session (Mrs L. E. Rowland).
12.00-1YA-Community singing at Mayfair Theatre.
1 P.M. TO 6 P.M.
1.00-2YA-Weather for aviators.
4YA-Weather.
1.30-2YA-1YA-Education session. Miss Jean Hay, "Rhythmic Work (I)"; 1. Following, 2. Phrasing, 3. Appreciation (for Infants and Sts. 1 and 2). Mr F. C. Brew, M.A., "Overland to Cathay"; Dr. G. Jobbers.
2.00-1YA-Recordings.
2YA-Classical hour.
2.30-3YA-Mr J. G. Polson, M.A.
2.40-1YA-Classical hour.
2.45-3YA-Recordings.
2.45-4YA-Running commentary on inter-provincial Rugby match at Carisbrook; Bay of Plenty.
3.00-2YA-Sports results.
3YA-Classical hour.
3.15-1YA-Sports results.
4YA-Talk by A.C.E. Home Science Tutorial Section: "For Young Children: Keep the Flavour Mild."
3.30-1YA-Light music.
2YA-Time signals. Weather for farmers. Frost for Canterbury and Otago.
3YA-Time signal. Frost. Weather. Light music.
4YA-Sports results. Classical hour.
4.00-1YA-Weather for farmers.
2YA-Sports results.
4YA-Weather. Frost forecast.
4.30-1YA-Sports results.

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DEMONSTRATOR TO BE ENGAGED
POWER BOARD'S DECISION
MONTHLY MEETING

Temporary Radio Wiring Inspection

A decision to advertise for a competent woman to act as a demonstrator at a salary of £4 a week was made yesterday at the first monthly meeting of the Hawke's Bay Electric Power Board since the annual meeting. "We really need someone who can demonstrate cooking and other electric appliances and I give the idea my hearty support," said the chairman (Mr W. Harvey) after the secretary-manager (Mr H. H. Wylie) had outlined the recommendations of the Finance Committee. He added that it would mean a continuous service between consumers and suppliers and this, he thought, was very necessary. In answer to a question from Mr L. J. Harvey, it was stated that the demonstrator would act as a saleswoman as well.

Radio Wiring

A decision to inspect all temporary wiring installed with demonstration radio sets was made. From May 1 the board's engineers will inspect installations. It was stated that certain radio salesmen have sometimes installed temporary wiring that was unsatisfactory and possibly dangerous. They were, however, unregistered dealers. A letter from the Department of Labour drawing attention to a recent court decision and advising that it appeared that the board was liable for payment of wages for the Christmas holidays, it was decided to refer the matter to the secretary-manager for a report.

Overhanging Branches

It was decided the chairman and secretary-manager of the board should confer with the chairman of the Hawke's Bay County Council (Mr C. C. Smith) about trees which overhang power lines. Mr Harding, who opened the discussion, drew attention to belts of trees in the County Council plantations and there had been no more trouble. "The problem of overhanging branches is a hardy annual," he concluded. Mr Ashcroft agreed that owners of trees were not co-operating with the board in the way they should, and he said that this was the first time the County Council had been brought into the question.

ADDRESS GIVEN ON "LIQUIDATION"

Accountancy Students' Society
An address on "Liquidation" was given by Mr F. R. S. Ashton, A.P.A.N.Z., at a meeting of the Hawke's Bay Accountancy Students' Society on Monday evening. Mr C. Douglas Wilson presided over a large attendance. On the motion of Mr L. W. Wilson, Mr Ashton was accorded a vote of thanks.

Mr Gerhard Husheer, of the National Tobacco Co., has given a parcel of cigarettes and tobacco for distribution amongst distressed settlers in the flood areas. The gift is acknowledged by the Rev. W. S. G. Cameron, vicar of St. Andrew's parish, Port Ahuriri.

- 9.00-Weather and notices from all main stations.
9.05-1YA-Recorded feature, "Coronets of England: The Life of Queen Elizabeth." Serial of China Seas by Edmund Bayley. Episode 2: "On the Beach" (NBS production).
3YA-Reserved.
4YA-Masked Masqueraders in harmony and hilarity.
9.20-3YA-(R) BBC Symphony Orchestra in Introduction and Allegro for Strings, Op. 47 (Elgar). (R) Dorothy Helmrich (soprano). (a) Carol; (b) "Wizards"; (c) "Racers"; (d) "The Lamb Child" (d'Arba).
9.27-2YA-"The Case of the Special Investigations," with Inspector Scott, of Scotland Yard.
9.32-4YA-(R) "The Hunchback of Notre Dame" (George Edwards serial). Carson Robison and Buckaroos.
9.35-1YA-(R) Oscar Natzke (New Zealand bass) (piano accompaniment by Hubert Green-slade). "Pilgrims' Song." "L'Ebre" (Tschairowsky). (R) Ivor Morton and Dave Kaye on Two Pianos. Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2 (Liszt).
9.40-3YA-(R) William Primrose (viola) and Chamber Orchestra, Concerto in B Minor for Viola and Orchestra (Handel and Casadesu).
9.43-1YA-(R) Dora Labette (soprano). "At the Rainbow's End" (Landon Ronald); "Song of a Nightingale" (Phillips). (R) Edith Lorand and Viennese Orchestra, "Old Vienna Melodies" (Pollack).
10 P.M. TO 11.07 P.M.
10.00-1YA and 3YA-Music, mirth and melody.
4YA-Dance programme by Dick Colvin and Music.
10.07-2YA-Dance music by Tut due Colman's Swing Rhythm at Majestic Cabaret.
11.00-1YA, 3YA, 4YA-Close down.
11.07-2YA-Close down.

Shipping at the Port

SUN.
To-day, rises 7.25 a.m.; sets 4.29 p.m.
PHASES OF THE MOON
Last quarter June 21, 1.22 p.m.
New moon, June 28, 8.40 a.m.
First quarter, July 5, 1.17 a.m.
Full moon, July 13, 2.34 a.m.
TIMES
H.V. L.W.
a.m. p.m. a.m. p.m.
June 15, Wed. 6.48 7.15 0.47 0.52
June 16, Thu. 7.37 8.00 1.37 1.38
June 17, Fri. 8.22 8.45 2.10 2.12
June 18, Sat. 9.02 9.22 2.47 2.51
June 19, Sun. 9.42 10.02 3.22 3.27
June 20, Mon. 10.23 10.45 4.03 4.10

VESSELS AT BREAKWATER

Paua, ex Auckland, to-day, if sea moderates.
Waipahi, ex Dunedin, this morning, if sea moderates.
VESSELS IN INNER HARBOUR
Kiritona, at moorings.
Tu Atu, for Wairoa or Waikopou, when sea moderates.
Kouau, for Wairoa or Waikopou, when sea moderates.
Koutunui, ex Wellington, June 16.

EXPECTED ARRIVALS

Roadstead.
Trojan Star, ex Wellington, July 1.
Kiritona, ex Waikopou, July 1.
Port Hardy, ex Gisborne, July 20.
Opawa, ex Auckland, August 10.
City of Pittsburg, ex Auckland early September.
Breakwater.
Awahou, ex Auckland, June 17.
Awahou, ex Westport, June 18.
Pakura, ex Lyttelton and Wellington, June 18.
Wairuna, ex Los Angeles, about July 15.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES

Roadstead.
Trojan Star, for Auckland, July 4.
Kiritona, for Southampton, July 21.
Port Hardy, for Wellington, July 23.
Opawa, for Wellington, August 12.
Ruhine, for London, August 29.
City of Pittsburg, for Wellington early September.
Breakwater.
Paua, for Wellington to-night, if able.
Waipahi, for Gisborne, June 16.
Awahou, June 18.
Pakura, for Lyttelton, June 17.
Kakapo, about June 21.
Wairuna, for Wellington, middle July.

VESSELS FOR PORT OF NAPIER.

Awahou, 410 tons, Capt. M. Petley (Richardson and Co.), expected to leave Wellington on June 17 for Auckland and Gisborne (due Napier Saturday, June 18).
City of Pittsburg (M.A.N.Z. Line) (Federal Co.), expected to leave Montreal on July 21 for Auckland (due Auckland 28), then Napier, Wellington, Lyttelton, Oamaru and Dunedin (due Napier early September) to discharge.
Hororata, 9178 tons, Capt. T. L. Malby (Union S.S. Co.), expected to leave Auckland on May 21 (in ballast), due Bluff June 28. Tentative loading as follows: Bluff June 28-30, Wanganui July 4-7, Picton July 8-11, Tokomaru Bay July 13-14, Waikopou July 15-16 and Napier July 18-21. Expected to clear Napier on July 21. Southampton and London, via Panama.
Kakapo (Union S.S. Co.), expected to leave Wellington on June 16 and Napier (due about June 18).
Kiritona, 136 tons (Richardson and Co.) at moorings.
Kouau, 144 tons (Richardson and Co.), with Wairoa cargo aboard, is waiting at the inner harbour for the sea to moderate.
Koutunui, 167 tons (Richardson and Co.), expected to sail from Wellington on Thursday night and sails on Friday night for Gisborne.
Opawa, 10,354 tons, V15, Capt. F. S. Hamilton (N.Z. Shipping Co.), expected to sail from Liverpool on July 2. Due Auckland August 4, then Napier, Lyttelton, Dunedin and Oamaru to discharge.
Pakura, 719 tons, Capt. C. W. Coldcut (Richardson and Co.), sailed from Gisborne on Friday night to discharge cargo from Wellington, then Lyttelton to London on June 17 and 18 (due Napier June 20).
Paua, 992 tons, Capt. C. R. Patterson (Shell Oil Co.), discharged bulk benzene ex Auckland at the breakwater on Monday and was due to load cases and drums on Tuesday. Due to heavy weather, she broke three lines at the breakwater and had to anchor in the roadstead. Will work to-day if possible, and sail for Wellington to-night.
Port Hardy, 11,330 tons, Capt. J. G. Lewis (N.Z. Shipping Co.), sailed from Kettle, agents, sailed from Liverpool on May 7 (due Auckland June 15), then Lyttelton, Dunedin and Timaru to discharge. Tentative loading as follows: New Plymouth July 8-12, then Auckland, Gisborne and Napier (due Napier July 20). Expected to clear Wellington on July 27 for London, via Panama.
Pukoko, 736 tons, Capt. F. S. Bates (Richardson and Co.), expected to leave Auckland this afternoon direct for Napier (due about Friday morning) and sails the same night for Gisborne, then Auckland.
Ruhine, 900 tons, Capt. L. Vasta (Union S.S. Co.), loaded at Greyhound on Monday and will complete at Westport for Gisborne and Waikopou.
Swarthendon, 5084 tons, Capt. F. W. Robinson (N.Z. Shipping Co.), expected to leave London on June 30. Due Wellington via Auckland on July 12. Passengers only, then Dunedin, Lyttelton, Bluff and Napier (due Napier about August 27).
Trojan Star, s.s., Capt. E. P. Fielding (Blue Star Line), arrived Wellington June 11 from Auckland and then Lyttelton (due June 17) and New Plymouth to discharge to-day.
N.Z. Shipping Co. Tentative loading (under the Blue Star Line) as follows: New Plymouth, Wellington, Dunedin, Auckland, Napier July 1-4, and Auckland on July 6-12. Expected to clear Auckland on July 12 for London, Avonmouth, Liverpool, Manchester and Glasgow, via Panama.
Tu Atu, 42 tons, Capt. R. W. Martin (Richardson and Co.), with Wairoa cargo aboard, is waiting at the inner harbour for the sea to moderate.
Waipahi, 1783 tons (Union S.S. Co.), left Wellington noon yesterday if sea moderates. Due to heavy weather, she was unable to leave for two days. Discharging and loading.
Wairuna, 5,822 tons (Union S.S. Co.), expected to leave Los Angeles on Monday for Auckland. Papered, due Auckland July 9 and Napier about July 15, then Wellington, Lyttelton, Dunedin, Melbourne and Sydney, to discharge.

GENERAL SHIPPING NEWS.

Akara, Commodore W. G. Summers (Shaw Savill), sailed from London on May 13 with passengers and cargo. Due Auckland June 16 at midnight, then Wellington (due June 22), to discharge. Tentative loading as follows: Wellington June 28-30, Lyttelton July 1-5, Dunedin July 6-8, Auckland July 11-15. Expected to clear Auckland on July 15 for Southampton and London, via Panama.
Aorangi, m.v., 17,491 tons (C.A. Line Ltd.), sailed from Vancouver on June 8, leaves Honolulu June 18, Suva June 26, arrives Auckland June 26, leaves Auckland June 27, arrives Sydney July 1; leaves Sydney July 12 for Suva, Honolulu, Victoria and Vancouver.
Awaitea, 33,482 tons (Union S.S. Co.), due at Sydney, left Monday, due Auckland, leaves Sydney June 17, arrives Wellington June 20, leaves Wellington June 24, arrives Sydney June 27.
Waimana, Capt. F. J. Ogilvie (Shaw Savill), sailed from London on May 15 for Australia, will load at New Zealand ports in July and August.
Wairangi, Capt. H. R. Gordon (Shaw Savill), expected to leave Liverpool on July 20 (due Auckland August 29), then Wellington, Lyttelton and Dunedin, to discharge.
Wanganelia (Huddart Parker Ltd.), sailed from Wellington late on Thursday night (due Sydney Monday), due Melbourne to-day, leaves Melbourne June 15 and Sydney June 18, arrives Auckland June 22, leaves Auckland June 24, arrives Sydney June 28.
Zealandic, Capt. C. M. Andrews (Shaw Savill), sailed from London on May 21, via Suva, due Lyttelton July 4, then Dunedin, Bluff, Timaru and Nelson (to discharge).
VESSELS WITH HAWKE'S BAY CARGO ABOARD.
Bangtime, m.v., 16,712 tons, Capt. H. L. Upton, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.N.R., ex Napier May 4, left Bluff May 11 (due London June 13).
Canadian Challenger, M.A.N.Z. Line (ex Napier April 28, left Bluff May 13 (due New York June 15).
Port Denison, m.v., 16,880 tons, Capt. J. B. Bradley, ex Napier May 7, left Lyttelton on the night of May 17 (due London June 25).
Copmex, Capt. F. M. Smith, ex Napier May 18 direct, via Cape Horn (due London June 24).
Empire Star, m.v., Capt. S. N. Capon, ex Napier May 23, left Auckland May 31, at 6 p.m., via Cape Horn (due London July 1).
Otalo, s.s., 10,298 tons, Capt. H. J. Wilde, ex Napier, May 24, left Wellington at 7 a.m. on June 4 (due London July 10). Bettey Avonmouth, Liverpool and Glasgow.
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CABLE NEWS.
The r.m.v. Rangitiki, which left London on May 26, and is due to arrive at Auckland on June 29, reached Colon on Thursday, June 9.
The Arava, which left Wellington on May 21 for Southampton, Lyttelton, via Panama, cleared Colon on Thursday, June 9.
The Westmoreland, which left Wellington on May 17 for London, Avonmouth, Liverpool, Manchester and Glasgow, via Panama, cleared Colon on Thursday, June 9.
The New Zealand Shipping Co. advises that their r.m.s. Rangitiki, en route to London via Wellington, sailed from Panama on June 10.
SCHOOLBOYS' RUGBY IN HASTINGS
Draw Announced for To-day
Following is the draw for the schoolboys' Rugby in Hastings to-day:—
Seniors: Central v. Mahora, Nelson Park No. 1, 3 p.m.; Convent v. Hereworth, Hereworth, 3 p.m.
Intermediate: Central v. Havelock, Nelson Park No. 2, 3 p.m.; Convent v. Parkvale, Nelson Park No. 2, 2.30 p.m.; Mahora v. West, Nelson Park No. 2, 2.30 p.m.
Junior: Central v. Havelock, Nelson Park No. 2, 3.30 p.m.; Convent v. Parkvale, Nelson Park No. 1, 3.30 p.m.; Mahora v. West, Mahora, 3 p.m.

SHIP'S DRAMATIC STRUGGLE

MOUNTAINOUS SEAS
OFF NORTH CAPE
Llangollen Returns to Auckland
By Telegraph—Press Association.
AUCKLAND, June 13.
At the mercy of mountainous seas off Cape Reinga, in the extreme north of New Zealand, the British steamer Llangollen narrowly escaped disaster on the rocky coast at dusk on Saturday and was brought under control only after the hold had been deliberately flooded. The Llangollen, with her bunkers depleted, put back to Auckland, where she arrived early last evening.
"For half an hour the vessel took charge of herself," said Captain David Williams to an interviewer. He added that the light trim made the vessel unmanageable. After broaching off twice she put about and ran to shelter. She survived the severe buffeting without structural damage, and none of her company was injured.
The Llangollen left Auckland on Friday morning after discharging sugar from Southampton and was en route to Port Kembla to bunker before loading for Europe. She made a fair passage to North Cape, but after rounding the cape huge seas and westerly winds of gale force were encountered.
"Like a Butterbox"
Drawing only about 12 feet by the stern and nine feet by the head, an officer said, the light trim made the vessel like a butterbox in a storm. She was snuff off her course twice. The officers were scanning the shore for a sandy stretch of beach. Only masterly seamanship saved the vessel from disaster. The crew were flung about and the officers on the bridge had difficulty in keeping their footing. An officer off watch was struck by falling furniture in his cabin and splashed with the contents of an ink bottle. The officers, crew and the steward worked together in preparing to flood the hold as a desperate attempt to give the racing screw a grip on the water. The manoeuvre was successful, but the captain then doubted whether the coal supply would allow a safe margin for the Tasman crossing.
The captain paid a tribute to the officers' engineering and crew.
The Llangollen is still anchored in mid-harbour. She will berth at Queen's Wharf about noon to load coal and will probably sail to-morrow evening.

New Badminton Club
LARGE MEMBERSHIP
Formed by Members of West End Tennis Club
OPENING NEXT WEEK

A new badminton club, to be known as the West End Badminton Club, has been formed in Hastings. The club, which already has a large and enthusiastic membership, was formed almost entirely from members of the West End Tennis Club.
The club has secured the use of the Hawke's Bay railway fruit shed near the Boys' High School, and will hold its opening night next Wednesday.
Those principally responsible for the formation of the club are Mr C. Hobbs, secretary; Mr A. J. Jones, treasurer; Messrs W. Shrouder and T. Cullinan; Mrs W. Shrouder and Miss K. Colwill, committee.
All those interested are invited by the committee to attend the opening on Wednesday.

CIVIL CLAIMS AT HASTINGS
Judgment Entered for Plaintiffs

Judgment for the plaintiff by default was given in each of the following civil claims by Mr J. Miller, S.M., in the Hastings Court yesterday:—
A. J. Vidal and Sons v. J. H. Dodd, £1/6/6 (costs 9/-); M. Smith and A. v. Stanley Sunborn, £1/7/8 (8/-); A. J. Vidal and Sons v. W. Boyd, £2 15/8 (£1/5/6); Sutcliffe, Ltd. v. K. W. Dunn, £1/15/- (8/-); Wireless Service Co., Ltd. v. H. Cooper, £5 6/3 (£2/2/6); Wireless Service Co., Ltd. v. H. Puna, £6/12/6 (£2/4/6); McCormick's Ltd. v. E. W. Booth, £24/6/3 (£4/5/6); Wireless Service Co., Ltd. v. E. Ogilvie, £12 (£2/14/-); A. J. Vidal and Sons v. G. T. Midgley, £1/6/9 (9/-); A. J. Vidal and Sons v. H. T. Peat, £2/1/4 (£1/3/6); A. J. Vidal and Sons v. Sun Hing, £2/10/6 (£1/7/6); A. J. Jones and Co. v. E. Riley, £3/19/- (£1/6/6); E. M. Langley v. E. Riley, £6/10/- (18/-); Mary Boyle v. Kathleen Wilson, £1/9/6 (9/-); A. J. Vidal and Sons v. G. E. Armstrong, £2/10/5 (£1/5/6).

Stanislaw Swinski, instructor in literature at Vlnna University, was sentenced to three years' imprisonment for describing the late Marshal Pilsudski as "a ham actor" in a newspaper article.

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Yours faithfully,
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Hastings Theatres

COMMENCING TO-NIGHT AT 8.0. COSY. Plans at Sutcliffe's - Ring 2822 or Theatre (2283) after 6.30 p.m. Another Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Mystery Masterpiece. A Thrilling Challenge to "THE BAT" and "THE PHANTOM OF THE OPERA". GEORGE MURPHY RITA JOHNSON "LONDON BY NIGHT" (Rec. by Censor for Adults.)

GRACE MOORE NEXT FRIDAY REGENT. Sessions Daily 2.15 & 8.0. Plans at Sutcliffe's or Phone Theatre (2845) after 6.15 p.m. Hawke's Bay's Pre-eminent Theatre. Request Two-day Return Season. The Best of All Wodehouse Laughter Riots. Robert Montgomery FRANK MORGAN MADGE EVANS BILLIE BURKE ERIC BORE RALPH FORBES ROBERT BENCHLY "PICCADILLY JIM" (App. for Univ. Exhibition.) EXCELLENT ALL M-G-M FIRST HALF

HASTINGS NOW SHOWING DAILY 2.15 - 8 p.m. SEASON NOW EXTENDED TO THURSDAY. Bobby Breen in Hawaii Calls. With Ned Sparks, Irvin S. Cobb, Raymond Paige and His Orchestra. Directed by Edward F. Clive. Produced by Sol Lesser. A Principal Production. Screenplay by Wanda Tushock. RKO-RADIO PICTURE. Outstanding Supporting Programme includes LATEST WALT DISNEY CARTOON "THE CLOCK CLEANERS" PLANS AT THE THEATRE PHONE 2674. (Approved for Universal Exhibition) Friday - Fred Astaire!

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Municipal. O'Brien is intrigued and decided to stay and await developments. Although he only fills the position of a track-walker, O'Brien is making more headway with Miss Ware than his rival, Kenneth Thomson. Finally O'Brien uncovers a conspiracy to defraud Miss Ware of valuable ore-bearing lands in which his own father is involved. Perhaps the moral that "It Had to Happen" is the story of a man who blazed his way to the dizzy heights for a girl supposedly beyond his reach. Presenting this irresistible love of screen lovers in their first role together, "It Had to Happen" is the story of a man who blazed his way to the dizzy heights for a girl supposedly beyond his reach. Mrs John Asham, believed to be the oldest Indian in Saskatchewan, reached the age of 107 about the end of March. She calculates her age by moons from the Indian Treaty of 1874. She is in good health and lives alone in her house on the Pasqua-Indian Reserve, doing her own cooking.

Cosy. LONDON AND ITS MYSTERIES. George Murphy and Rita Johnson. Three established stage players win new honours on the screen in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's mystery picture, "London By Night" which will open to-night at the Cosy Theatre, Hastings. George Murphy, former Broadway dancer, more recently in pictures, has his first dramatic role and proves his ability without question. Rita Johnson, likewise a product of the theatre, who starred in George M. Cohan's "Fulton of Oak Falls" and other plays, makes her screen debut in the feminine lead and assures her career in Hollywood. Leo G. Carroll, also a former stage actor, appears in a role of mystery and promises to become a make-up wizard of the Loew Chaney school. Others in the cast are uniformly good in their respective parts. They include Virginia Field, George Zucco, Montagu Love and Eddie Quillan. "London By Night" was adapted from the stage success, "The Umbrella Man," by Will Scott and served as the first directorial vehicle for William Thiele, noted Continental director who discovered Lillian Harvey, Lil Dagover and others. He is under contract to M-G-M and his first effort indicates that he will join the ranks of the foremost directors there. The story is played in London in an atmosphere of fog and intense mystery. Murphy appears as a young and determined reporter who solves a series of mysteries that baffled every Scotland Yard. Miss Johnson, as the daughter of a wealthy man who is involved in the plot, reveals the scope of artistry that made her a success on the stage.

Regent. FINE P. G. WODEHOUSE COMEDY. Outstanding Cast In "Piccadilly Jim". Giving excellent performances. Robert Montgomery, Frank Morgan and Madge Evans head a big supporting cast in "Piccadilly Jim," a hilarious comedy adapted from a P. G. Wodehouse story. The film will be shown to-day at the Regent Theatre, Hastings. The story concerns Jim Crocker, a young American living in London, who has become famous for his remarkable caricatures which he signs "Piccadilly Jim." His father, a former actor, is in love with Eugenia Willis, an American woman who is stopping in London. Eugenia's wealthy sister, Mrs Pett, looks upon Crocker as a fortune hunter and does not want Eugenia to marry him. One night Jim meets Ann Chester, an attractive American girl, and falls in love with her, never dreaming that she is Eugenia's niece. To save her sister from Crocker, Mrs Pett takes the whole family to the Riviera. Jim decides to start a comic strip using the Pett family as characters. He calls them the Richswitch Family. The comic strip is a great success and soon all of England is laughing at the Pett family. Crocker tries to get in touch with Eugenia and learns that the Petts are all leaving for New York. Jim haunts the hotel until he finds Ann. He pesters her until she consents to go with him. She asks him his name, never having known it before, and he tells her it is Bayliss. She tells him how her aunt and uncle are being persecuted by Piccadilly Jim, and he promises to try and stop the comic strip. He keeps her from making the boat and so she plans to leave on one that is sailing the following day. Lord Prigley, a young Englishman who is deeply in love with her, plans to go with her. It is delightful entertainment.

State. BOBBY BREEN'S LATEST PICTURE "Hawaii Calls" Has Many Attractions. Hawaiian music and scenery and the attractive voice of Bobby Breen are the principal features of "Hawaii Calls," which is having its Hastings season at the State Theatre. Bobby has never before been so heavily cast. He appears as a former San Francisco bootblack who joins his little Hawaiian newboy friend in a trip to Honolulu, as a stowaway. The young star is completely natural and boy-like, and gives by far the finest performance of his career. An especially enjoyable feature of the picture is Bobby's singing of a variety of songs and the younger fully justifies his reputation as the possessor of the screen's sweetest juvenile voice. Comedian Ned Sparks, in the most important supporting role, is delightful as the ship's musician who befriends the boys, and Irvin S. Cobb makes a little gem of his role as a gruff, kindly sea captain. Warren Hull and Gloria Holden are outstanding as a married couple, and six-year-old Juanita Quigley proves herself a clever little actress as their daughter. Mamo Clark makes an attractive native girl, while other Hawaiian players do good work as Pua Lani and Birdie De Bolt.

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State. ADDRESS DELIVERED TO FARMERS. Interesting Gathering At Sherenden. A meeting of the Farmers' Union was held recently at the Sherenden Hall, where a moderate attendance was presided over by Mr A. W. Whyte. Several members of the Sherenden branch of the Women's Division were also present. Mr N. Niederer, organiser, deliver a most informative address on Farmers' Union and Women's Division matter. He outlined some of the huge benefits and almost colossal savings to the farming community, which the Farmers' Union has been able to bring about, and after dealing with co-operative trading and co-operation in many phases, stressed the necessity for a much larger membership and more virility in the organisation to enable it to represent the farmers with the greatest effect. Woods' Great Peppermint Cure For Coughs and Colds, never fails.

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Mayfair.

TWO EXCELLENT FEATURES "Three Cheers For Love" and "Border Flight". This week's Guest Season programme now showing at the Mayfair, Napier, with two sessions daily is excellent entertainment. Prices for Guest Season attractions are: all stalls 9d, all circle 1/-. The first feature is "Border Flight" starring Frances Farmer, John Howard, Roscoe Karns and Grant Withers. The film tells a dramatic tale of high adventure and dangerous missions of the United States Coast Guard air corps. Two members of the corps, John Howard and Grant Withers, become rivals for the attentions of the same girl, Frances Farmer. The dramatic finish comes in a pitched battle of the forces of the Coast Guard and the smugglers, closing in a hand to hand fight. "Three Cheers for Love" is the story of a carefree collection of lads and lassies, who set out to turn a broken down boarding school into a course in melody. Eleanor Whitney, Robert Cummings, William Frawley, John Halliday and Elizabeth Patterson head the cast of this fast-paced musical treat. Adorable Eleanor Whitney, whom Bill Robinson christened "the fastest thing on feet," will tap her way right into the audience's heart - Robert Cummings brings new songs that will be whistled and hummed for weeks to come - and William Frawley, as the resourceful, quick-witted manager of a stranded stock company troupe, will keep the audience roaring with laughter from the opening scene until the final fadeout.

Plaza. A THRILLING DRAMA "Penitentiary" Begins To-day. Star terror grips the screen in soul-confusing fury in Columbia's "Penitentiary," showing to-day at the Plaza Theatre. The story blasts through an inferno of blazing bullets to bare the breaking hearts of a boy branded as a killer - and of the warden's daughter who dared to love him! Walter Connolly, John Howard, Jean Parker and Robert Barrat thrillingly enact a drama that will whip the audience's emotions to fever pitch! The film depicts love in the Big House and murder in the cell blocks! Steady your nerves and steel your heart for the most blistering blast of dramatic dynamite that ever blew the lid off grim, gray prison walls! Freedom and happiness or imprisonment and heartbreak? The film contains suspense that exhausts the last thrill the audience's fast nerves can bear. As vengeance prowls the Big House and youthful lovers risk doom - rather than violate the merciless convict code! Supporting Connolly, Howard, Miss Parker and Barrat, are Marc Lawrence, Dick Curtis, Ann Doran, Arthur Hohl and others. John Brahm directed. Fred Niblo, jun., and Seton I. Miller wrote the screen play from the story by Martin Flavin. Splendid supports complete the programme. The plans are at Lockyers (phone 526).

Gaiety-De Luxe. TWO OUTSTANDING ATTRACTIONS "The Three Godfathers" Is Showing. Peter B. Kyne's dramatic novel of the desert, "The Three Godfathers," with its amazing tale of sacrifice and heroism on the part of three western bandits, is the principal attraction on the great double bill at the Gaiety, Napier. Lavishly staged by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, and with much of its action actually filmed in the heart of the Mojave Desert, it brings Chester Morris to the screen in one of his most surprising "bad men" roles, teamed with Lewis Stone and Walter Brennan. The story deals with three bandits, escaping from a hold-up, who find a dying woman and baby in the heart of the desert. They sacrifice their own lives, one by one, to get the baby back to civilization and safety. Morris, last of the survivors, reaches the outpost village and safety for the mite of humanity with his last breath. His performance is that of an amazing "hard boiled" character, never losing sentiment, yet the audience sees behind his armour of menace. Stone is dominant as the oldest of the bandit trio, and Brennan adds comedy to the story. Irene Hervey, as the minister's daughter and Robert Livingston as the young banker, her fiancé, are the romantic interest. Richard Boleslawski's skilful direction brings out the delicate human interest details and meanings of the Kyne novel. One of the liveliest romances of the year will be found in "Love Begins at Twenty," the associate feature. The ridiculous antics of Hugh Herbert, Hobart Cavanaugh and other comedians in the cast are extremely funny, while Warren Hull and Patricia Ellis furnish the romantic episodes.

Three Men Are Fined HASTINGS CASE. On a charge of being on licensed premises after closing hours, Walter Stanley Beech, Montague Ralph Grenside and Stanley Skews were each fined £1/0/- (10/- costs) in the Hastings Police Court yesterday. Mr J. Miller, S.M., presided. Beech, who pleaded, pleaded not guilty. Beech and Skews did not appear. Constable C. P. Foote, in giving evidence, said that he visited the Stamford Lodge Hotel at 8 o'clock on the night of May 14 in company

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Five o'Clock Gossip

Down from Taupo on a visit to her mother, Mrs Balfour, Bay View Road, Napier, is Mrs J. Taylor.

Mrs F. N. Fussell's friends will soon be greeting her in Napier again, for she returns from Auckland to-day.

On holiday bent for Palmerston North yesterday were Mr and Mrs A. J. Bale, Havelock North.

Napier folk holidaying in Auckland at the moment are Mr and Mrs L. Forrest, Roslyn Road.

Aucklanders on a hurried visit to Hastings are Mr and Mrs H. Studley.

Visiting Napier, where they are the guests of Mr and Mrs A. Bowman, Bay View Road, are Mr Bowman's son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs John Bowman, Dannevirke.

After a holiday spent at Napier, Lady Roberts and her son, Mr A. Roberts, have returned to their home in Wellington.

Back again in Napier after a holiday spent in the capital city is Mrs R. M. Rickard, Seapoint Road.

With the "holiday glamour" still about them, the Misses Marjorie and June Ebbett, who returned on Monday by the Niagara from a trip to the East, are now home again in Hastings. With them on their travels went their father, Mr George Ebbett.

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Named After Of Ballets Of Widespread Interest

CLASSICS REBORN

Hats in London Show

(By Nell Murray, Special London Correspondent to the "Daily Mail.") One of the most attractive women I have ever seen in my life took the leading part in a show entitled Ballets and Bonnets—which, in its turn, was easily the most original dress show for many a long day.

Mrs. Tania Sherman must be among the most beautiful mannequins in London. Tall and slim, she is the perfect blonde type. She wears her hair upswept at the back in the Edwardian manner. Mayfair's latest fashion—and to do this you must have hair with fairly long ends.

At Age Thaarup's novel hat show recently, entitled Ballets and Bonnets, she stirred the imagination of hardened fashion commentators, used (as a matter of course) to seeing the world's most beautiful women showing off new styles.

The show was presented in a novel manner, each of the 18 hats being named after one of the classical ballets.

"Coppelia," for instance. That was a white hat, of exotic straw dipped dangerously over the left eye, and trimmed with a triple flight of white birds on the flat crown.

White hats will be fashionable later on, make no mistake. The majority of models at this show were white.

An Ascot model had a white felt crown, with a novel brim made of white lace composition material—casting a becoming lacy shadow upon the face of the mannequin as she walked below the arc lamps.

"Lac des Cygnes" was the highlight of the collection—a charming confection of white swansdown, poised in plate fashion on the top of an Edwardian coiffure of blonde waves.

"Papillon" carried on the tradition, being a white felt plateau shape trimmed with cascades of white veiling polka-dotted in black chenille.

Yet another white model was

CLOTHING "NOT SO YOUNG" FIGURES

Older Women Need to Exercise Discretion in Choice of Frocks

A new season is here, with new clothes, new colours, new ideas, and with a special interest for the older woman, says an overseas writer to the London "Times." For her they should be really new colours; chosen not for old association's sake but bearing in mind the changing colours of eyes and hair.

These little changes occur almost unnoticed, and it is because they are generally ignored that we see so many women making the worst of themselves. They will follow the fashion in styles of hairdressing and in the length of their skirts; they may even wear an inverted flower-pot for a hat one month and an inadequate looking teaplate the next, but where colours are concerned they cling with an almost superstitious devotion to those shades that have "always suited me so well."

It is mistaken fidelity when there are such lovely pastel colours which would be soft and becoming to wear. Even that difficult stage when the hair is like pepper and salt can be overcome with care and a good sense of colour. The older woman should then avoid blacks and navies and wear nigger brown; and she should discard all shiny materials such as satin, crepe, or patent. Clear greens are good, and so is clove carnation red, but she should avoid yellows altogether except for the greenish yellow shade which might be possible in small touches if her eyes are brown.

It is quite wrong for the woman whose hair is now a lovely silver white to go on wearing the golds and beiges that suited her when it was a soft brown or golden. In the same way she should leave the strong blue alone. They may have increased the blue of her eyes 20 years ago, but now they will only detract from their fading colour and make them seem pale and lifeless. Black, greens, pinks, and silvers should be worn by the white-haired, blue-eyed woman; and if she has a very clear skin she will look well in some of the softer blues.

There are, of course, some women who seem able to wear any colour at any age. But they are a small minority, and most of those achieve their results only by an infinity of patience and great daring. There are many ways of preparing to tint their greying hair to some exotic shade of violet blue, or to vary their make-up from orange to magenta as they change their clothes. In fact, the majority of women are wise enough to realize that they will continue to dress in the colours of their youth until some well-meaning friend or tactful vaudeuse gives them a gentle hint that perhaps a little daring might be "more suitable." Whereupon, instead of vowing silently to run the gamut of all the colours until the "suitable" one is found, they just crumple up and subside into black for the rest of their natural lives.

COLOUR SENSE IS INNATE Unfortunately a true colour sense is born and not made, not unlike perfect pitch, which no amount of musical education can cultivate. But an excellent working substitute may be developed by the woman who, her age forgotten, is prepared to learn. She should ask the dress-maker for one of those fascinating books of silk patterns which are being replaced so ruthlessly at this time of year. And, having torn them out of their cardboard casing, she should look carefully in the mirror, holding them up one at a time on a level with her eyes. It is best to take only one colour each day, and notice how each different shade of that colour affects the hair, eyes, and skin. Then she must make a little group of the best shade in each colour, before eliminating again until there are only two or three left. Let those be her colours for this season. But the others must not be discarded. They should be kept safely, for these colour changers are so subtle that by September some quite different shade may be hers for the looking.

One word of warning. For her first venture she would be well advised to leave navy-blue to the very young, or to the lucky woman with snow-white hair and a clear skin. It is well enough at night, but has an unhappy way of making the skin appear yellow in the daytime. If it must be worn, plenty of crisp white pique should be introduced near the face.

This is an especially suitable season for experiments. Unlike last year, when every dress-show was a galaxy of coronation colours and to wear black seemed almost disloyal, this season the foundations of any wardrobe must be dark, with the touches of colour cunningly introduced in embroidery, pipings, and linings. So, having decided on the basic shade, be it black, navy, or nigger, the wise woman will be able to go gently with her experiments in colour.

The other major pitfall for the older woman is line. We rarely see a woman who is no longer young and yet whose line is all that it should be. She is generally either too thin or too fat, and she should remember her changed measurements as much as her changed colouring when choosing her clothes.

TRIM FROCKS RATHER THAN DRAPED This does not mean that the woman who is inclined to be stout must drape herself in loose-fitting cross-over garments in an effort to conceal her figure. A trim fitting dress will make her look much slimmer, if the style is the right one.

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Women In Next War

PLACE IMPORTANT

Organisation in London Busy

(By Nell Murray, Special London Correspondent to the "Daily Mail.")

Considerable surprise has been caused by Australia's decision (in cable comments from the Minister of Defence) that the women of the Commonwealth will not fall into line with the British War Office's plan to enlist women in the Territorial Army, in order to release men for dangerous work in time of war.

Only recently, under a committee of seven influential women, the W.A.A.C.'s, the W.A.D.'s, the W.T.N.'s, and the W.R.A.F.'s of the last war have been rallied to fresh activity. There is no question of women being called into action for front-line fighting. The idea is that veterans shall instruct the young, untried people who have yet to know the horrors of war.

Chief of the seven women who are organising this big new drive is Lady Londonderry, who represents the Women's Legion and the Mechanical Transport section. It was she who called the amateur women motor drivers of Britain together during the last war under the name of the Women's Legion of Motor Drivers.

Lady Londonderry is perhaps the best known of the women's political hostesses. Her receptions are famous, held in the "grand manner." Londonderry is one of the last "stately homes of England" where hospitality is dispensed in traditional fashion. Quite apart from this, she is one of the most natural popular personalities in London. I have had the privilege of meeting her on various occasions. With Royalty, she shares that spontaneous enthusiasm for the cause she happens to be working for, which shames the red-tape attitude so often adopted by underlings.

MIND BEHIND THE SCHEME

The Minister for War (Mr Leslie Hore-Belisha), is the mind behind the scheme. He believes, and will occupy the activities of many thousands of modern young women who are capable—as never before—of making use of their services in the cause of their country. He believes that there are many ways in which they can release soldiers for active military duties. For instance, since the last war, women have qualified more and more as competent drivers of motor cars.

Next to Lady Londonderry, Lady Hailsham is Number Two in the scheme. Her particular "metier" is the Women's Transport Service. Lady Perrott, chief of the V.A.D. Council (which has never died out since the days of the last war) is next on the list. She is an authority on nursing, and holds high honours from the Red Cross Society.

Dame Helen Gwynne-Vaughan is a name comparatively unknown to the younger generation; but for many years she has been known to scientists as a famous figure. She is head of the Women's Emergency Service.

Dame Beryl Oliver, also a Red Cross personality, has high awards for merit on previous service. In the new War Office scheme she represents the V.A.D. Council.

Miss Baxter Ellis (Women's Transport Service) and Miss Nival Gerds (Women's section of the British Legion) complete a list of seven remarkable women who form the nucleus of a powerful women's defence organisation, which may be vital if Britain goes to war.

Already five companies are functioning in London, recruiting cooks, waitresses, clerks, as well as more fully qualified volunteers. Lady Londonderry could call up

This Social Life

Monopoly and other games, arranged by Miss Lovell Lovell-Smith, filled the time very pleasantly last Saturday evening when Miss H. Moorhead's friends gathered at the Nurses' Home, Waipukurau, to wish her all happiness in her coming married life.

Many delightful "blue gifts" were made the guest-of-honour, and, speaking on behalf of those present, Mr G. E. Stiles wished her all luck and happiness in the future.

SIXTIETH BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

To celebrate the occasion of their 60th birthday, the most enjoyable dance ever given in Onga Onga was held in the hall on Friday night, when at the invitation of Messrs Geo. and W. Fletcher, the hall was filled to capacity. Nothing had been spared by them in making it the success it was. Mr W. Te Tau's orchestra played excellent dance music. After a delicious supper had been served, Mr B. McNeil wished the Fletcher brothers the best of health in the future and one and all joined whole-heartedly in singing "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows."

Mr Geo. Fletcher, on behalf of his brother and himself, thanked everyone for their kind wishes, also thanking the ladies who so willingly assisted with the supper. They then cut the birthday cake, given by Mrs B. McNeil. Dancing was kept going until the early hours of the morning, when all joined in singing "Auld Lang Syne."

PRESENTATION DANCE AT PAKOWHAI

A large and merry crowd gathered for the presentation dance held recently by the Pakowhai Tennis Club, when the ladies' orchestra was heard till the early hours in all the popular hits of the season.

The president, Mr Enwright, gave a short speech on the club's activities, then called upon Mrs J. Coombe to present the trophies to the following winners: Club championship: Ladies, Miss McCormack; men, Mr J. Parker. B grade championship: Ladies, Miss McCann; men, Mr W. Lissette. Ladies' ladder badge, Miss Lissette; men, Mr L. Lissette. Four miniature cups were won by Miss M. McCormack, Miss Lissette, Mr A. Brown and Mr W. Thompson.

Among those present were: Mrs J. Coombe, Mrs K. Semmens, Misses Lissette, McCormack, Mr Graham, D. Lowe, M. McCann, J. Whittington, M. White, E. Gabrielson, J. Britton, P. Norton, J. Gabrielson, R. Russell, J. McDonald, G. Whittington, M. White, J. Weaver, D. Morrin, Gardner, Lissette (Eschthorpe), M. Burgess, B. Hale, B. Overton, L. Anderson, O. Fairley, Stanford, K. Walsh, R. Fisher.

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"Shadow work" in arms factories, and work in the "Women's R.A.F." will be amongst the more exciting duties that recruits will take over.



MRS. P. FRASER, wife of the Minister of Education, the Hon. P. Fraser, receiving a bouquet from a school child during the recent tour of the East Coast.

Planning a Nation's Fitness

Team Games for Women Organised on Grand Scale in England

(By Nell Murray, Special London Correspondent to the "Daily Mail.")

Known to Australian sports-women as one of England's foremost women hockey players and cricketers, Miss Marjorie Pollard has just been appointed to an important position under the Government National Fitness Campaign—that of national organiser to the Women's Teams Games Board. Miss Pollard's aim will be to get as many teams organised as possible for the playing of hockey, cricket, netball and lacrosse. The women's leagues in England already are represented in these games by half a million players.

"Naturally, my work will be concerned with visiting players from overseas," Miss Pollard told me recently.

"I shall be ready to help visiting teams from the Dominions with all the means in my power. Australian athletes who have already visited England will realise that we are considerably hampered by lack of money. I do not expect that the London headquarters will be established before September. Once that is accomplished, we hope to achieve great things."

One of the main features of the "Daily Mail" Ideal Home Exhibition, which opens at Olympia this month, will be Great Britain's first Temple of Fitness, conducted under the auspices of the National Fitness Council. Miss Pollard is to take part in this. Following a demonstration of netball by a picked team from Essex, she will give a survey of her aims and ambitions in the new job.

Gymnasts and dancers, wrestlers and boxers—200 of them altogether—will be volunteers. Most of them are ordinary men and women, who, for the most part, do quite ordinary, essential jobs in homes and offices and factories.

The Board of Education is co-operating. In it, too, is the support of the British Medical Association, and the help of such important bodies as the Central Council for Recreative Physical Training, local educational authorities, the English Folk Dance Society, and the League of Health and Beauty—all of them organisations which take an active part in Britain's newly-established fitness campaign.

And now that her earthly days are over we have only to recollect our past happy acquaintance with her, to recall her many unselfish deeds for the happiness of others.—J.D.

The engagement is announced of Audrey, second daughter of Mr and Mrs E. W. Crook, McLean Street, Hastings, and Alan, youngest son of Mr and Mrs J. W. Roberts, Southampton Street, Hastings.

The Haumoana "500" Club held another of their fortnightly card tournaments recently at the residence of Mrs Mannings at Tuki Tuki. There was a large attendance of players and the winners were: Men: Mr W. Keong, 1; Mr K. Martin, 2. Women: Mrs Somerville, 1; Mrs Tears, 2. Mrs Butcher won the lucky number.

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"Yet another problem is that of shyness. Lots of young girls are unwilling to face the effort of meeting an entirely new group of people. Miss Pollard hopes that sufficient financial support will be forthcoming from the Government to put games on a really financial basis throughout the country.

The Combined Hastings Croquet Clubs held a very successful 500 evening in the Kia Toa Pavilion on Monday, resulting in £7 being collected for the Mayor's Flood Relief Fund. Thanks are due to Kia Toa for the use of the Pavilion, Heretaunga for loan of tables and all the ladies who helped with the supper.

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Recipes for All Occasions

TASTY DISHES Cakes and Scones At a Moment's Notice

We are always watching for recipes that cut a dash when time is short. The children are keen to eat mother's quickly-made cakes and you may be sure that there is no more effective welcome for your guest than fresh-from-the-oven home-mades.

This recipe for Fudge Cake is so simple that even the blindest bachelor could try it out some weekend. It takes only a few minutes to make and can be cooked over a gas ring:

4oz. butter, 4oz. sugar, 1 egg, 1 teaspoon cocoa, 2oz. wholemeal biscuits and a few walnuts.

Melt the butter and sugar in a saucepan on the stove. Meanwhile, crush the biscuits and chop the nuts. Add cocoa to the melted butter and sugar. Bring to the boil, drop in the egg, remove pan from the stove quickly and beat the mixture. Add biscuits and nuts, mix well, turn out into a sandwich-cake tin, press well and leave to set. Cut the cake into small squares and put into little paper cases.

These Oatmeal Nut Scones are good, hearty fare, and always appreciated for tea. They are made from a very old recipe:

Sift 1lb. fine oatmeal with 1lb. flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder into a basin. Rub in 2oz. 3oz. margarine. Then add the chopped walnuts (about 2oz. are enough) and just under 2oz. castor sugar. Mix all together and form into a soft dough with a little milk. Roll this out on a floured board and cut into rounds about 4in. in diameter. Cut these rounds across into halves. Put them on a lightly greased baking sheet and if you prefer the scones glazed brush the tops with milk before baking for about 15 minutes in a moderate oven. Split open and serve with butter for tea.

Potato Scones Popular

Potato scones are especially popular, but potato flour is not so well known perhaps, though it is obtainable from the larger grocery stores. Here is the way to make Passover Cakes—both sweet and savoury:

2oz. butter, 2oz. castor sugar, 2oz. potato flour, 1oz. ground almonds, 1 egg.

Cream butter and sugar together, add egg well beaten, and then potato flour and ground almonds. Grease a tin well, spread the mixture smoothly on it with a knife. Bake in a quick oven five minutes, and then cut into shapes.

To please the men of the family use 4oz. potato flour, 2oz. butter, 1 saltspoonful of salt, 2oz. grated cheese, egg.

Beat butter, cheese, salt and egg together till nice and light, then add potato flour. Bake in a quick oven for five minutes.

Velvety drop scones, cooked on a griddle or in a frying pan, are always welcome. Just try these Banana Drop Scones—they will be first favourites with the children:

11 cupfuls of self-raising flour, 1 tablespoonful of castor sugar, 1 tablespoonful of melted butter, 1 teaspoonful salt, 1 egg, 1 cupful of milk, 2 bananas.

Sift all dry ingredients into a basin. Beat the egg and the milk together, and stir into the dry ingredients. Add the melted butter and beat the mixture well. Slice the bananas thinly and add them to the batter. Cook in tablespoonfuls of hot grease, turning the scones when icily browned underneath. Sprinkle with castor sugar and serve hot.

Of course, you can always fry your scones dough when you want a change—so try this simple way for Cinnamon Rings. They are a near relation to the American Crullers, but you do not need deep fat for them:

Sieve into a bowl 1lb. of flour, with one teaspoonful of bi-carbonate of soda and two teaspoonfuls of cream of tartar, one teaspoonful of salt, and one teaspoonful of castor sugar. Make a well in centre, beat an egg in a cup of milk, and pour it into the well. Mix with knife into flour, add a little more milk until the dough leaves the bowl clean. Turn on to floured board, roll out half an inch thick. Cut into rounds with top of tumbler; cut piece from centre of each with egg-cup.

Cook rings in frying pan in which is 1in. boiling fat. Turn when one side is brown. (They puff up very much.) Drain and roll in castor sugar in which one teaspoonful of ground cinnamon has been mixed. Place on a paper doyley and serve at once.

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LETTERS to the EDITOR

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

The Government and Defence

Sir,—Mr Savage and his paradise! New Zealand the heaviest taxed people in the world all for their own little "egg baskets"—or they soon will be, at the present rate of socialist legislation. And not a defence organisation worth the name. Every elector should ask every candidate at the forthcoming election his or her attitude to defence and his or her attitude towards war, the British Empire, and military training. I once saw in these columns something about elephants never forgetting. Well, I have never forgotten the attitude of certain conscientious objectors during the Great War. I do not want to see New Zealand left defenceless—as she is to-day—and I have a grave doubt in my own mind as to the sincerity of the Labour Party's attitude towards establishing defence.

The taxpayers have been told that the purchase of a few new bombers

is just the thing, and accordingly the bill will be "first-fought." What a lot of hooey! We don't want bombers. No one in New Zealand wants to bomb Australia or the Chatham Islands, and there is no Barcelona or Shanghai handy—so what's all the fuss? We want perfectly trained land forces and perfectly trained and well-equipped coastal corps. New Zealand is an island with most of its youth unworthy of the name "Islanders." They are mere undisciplined pedestrians. At the moment we have a Government highly disposed to self-congratulation. What we want is a solid Government of action—like the Government of Great Britain.

I am too exercised to write more, but I hope every elector will take up cudgels at this election and really see the wood in spite of the trees. To-day we are governed by glib, acid-tongued dictators supported—if it came to a real showdown—only by regimented workers who, however sincere, are sadly misled.—I am, etc.,

LOYALIST.

BEST ORANGES GO SOUTH

AUCKLAND FRUIT INFERIOR MATUA SHIPMENTS

With the best of the consignments brought to New Zealand by the Matua on June 3 despatched to southern centres, Auckland has been burdened by a very large quantity of what are regarded as highly inferior Rarotongan oranges, states an Auckland exchange. Of the 19,000 cases of fruit that were brought from the Islands, over 13,000 came from Rarotonga, and the remainder were the better class Mangaia produce, but inquiries on Saturday elicited the fact that none

of the latter fruit had so far been sold in Auckland. This has resulted in consumers being penalised, and in some cases retailers suffering loss under the fixed price programme.

Prior to the introduction of the control scheme, Auckland had built up a highly satisfactory Islands fruit business, and the best of the oranges imported were sold here. To-day, however, it is alleged that fruit is being packed and exported from Rarotonga which would never have been accepted under the original trading system. The fruit is at present shipped by the Cook Islands Department, and handled in New Zealand by the Internal Marketing Department.

Shipments By Matua

Merchants approached on Saturday were loth to discuss the position, but it is understood that no Mangaia oranges have been sold in Auckland, which has been allocated inferior Rarotongan fruit since the arrival of the Matua on June 3. Several retailers, however, complained of the position, contending that there was a high percentage of wastage in the fruit with which they were supplied.

There are many instances where cases of repacked oranges have been purchased in the morning, and by the evening the retailer has found a dozen or more oranges in a bad condition. In original cases, shopkeepers have lost up to 50 per cent. of the fruit and, if the wholesale price was 10/-, under these circumstances it was stated that the retail price would have to rise to 25/- or 27/6 to avoid loss. However, prices are fixed and, with the wholesalers merely distributing in accordance with the Government's instructions, they are unable to meet complaints in the manner which was possible under private enterprise.

"Fixed Price An Absurdity"

The opinion was expressed that if the Islands fruit was equal in quality to the best Californian produce it would be possible to fix a price, as the issue would not be complicated by any question of wastage. However, when a substantial proportion of the fruit that was bought at a fixed price rotted and became unsaleable, the system became an absurdity.

It is believed that at least 5000 cases of Australian oranges are lying in store on the wharves at Auckland, and these would offer a welcome addition to the market if they were not withheld from sale. There is also an expectation that more will arrive by the Niagara to-day, but no indication has yet been given as to when these stocks will be available for distribution. It is the apparent intention to effect a complete clearance of the poorer Rarotongan fruit before good quality oranges can be obtained by Aucklanders.

50-MILE FENCE FOILED THE WAIRARAPA RABBITS

Mr. T. Crosse's Story of the Beginning of Control in Dominion

A fence built through dense bush for more than 50 miles from the sea coast to Woodville. This was the achievement of the organisation of a far-sighted young man who later lived to be one of the best-known local body administrators in the Dominion—Mr T. Crosse, of Hastings.

Strangely enough, this fence has an even greater significance than being the longest fence in New Zealand ever built to control the spread of the rabbit pest. It brought together a little band of men, with Mr Crosse as their leader, who were later to frame the legislation for the foundation of rabbit boards throughout the Dominion.

Now, more than 50 years after, Mr Crosse now look back over more than 50 years of rabbit board administration, more than 42 of which he has been chairman of the Hawke's Bay Board.

Now, however, with modern methods of rabbit control there is no need for this long fence with its half chain reserve on either side.

It is proposed by the rabbit board to return the control of this area of the Crown Lands, totalling over 400 acres, to the control of the Lands and Survey Department. At the last meeting of the board this step was decided on, and a unanimous acquiescence was voted to the proposed measure.

What is to be done with this fence, which can really be said to be the foundation of rabbit controlling bodies in New Zealand? It is stated that the Crown Lands Department wishes to sell the land to neighbouring runholders, but one thing is certain, and that is that the fence has served its day.

Although Mr Crosse's work has been mainly concerned with rabbit board administration, he has served on nearly every local body in the district during the last 50 years.

He has been at different periods both chairman and a member of the Hawke's Bay County Council, a member of the Napier Harbour Board and until this term chairman of the Hawke's Bay Electric Power Board. He was also an original member of the Hawke's Bay Rivers Board.

WAIRARAPA BADLY INFESTED

For some years before the meeting was called, the Wairarapa district had become badly infested by the rabbit pest, and as is invariably the case, the rabbits migrating "towards the sun" began at first spasmodically, and then steadily to pour into Hawke's Bay.

The runholders, led by Mr Crosse, realised that something would have to be done, and done quickly, before the fertile Hawke's Bay downs became a honeycomb of rabbit burrows.

The meeting was an enthusiastic one, and as in those days there was no legislation permitting the levying of rates for rabbit inspection, the only alternative was to erect a barbed-wire fence from the sea coast to near Woodville.

This was to be done entirely at the cost of the big runholders concerned through dense bush. It was estimated to cost anything up to £1000.

The estimated cost, however, was not to be a deterrent to men who were far-sighted enough to realise that preventative measures were definitely essential if their land was not to be ruined. Work on the fence began.

NO LIGHT UNDERTAKING

It was not a light undertaking. Expensive rabbit-proof netting and other necessary material had to be imported from Great Britain. As the fence was a mile by mile from the sea coast, the imposition on the boundary settlers who were bearing the entire cost grew apace.

At last something had to be done to relieve the burden and to help the settlers to put up with the rabbit immigration to this province. There were no rabbit poisons on the market then.

Consequently, the Hawke's Bay Rabbit Prevention Committee was then called, decided to approach the then Prime Minister of New Zealand with the object of framing legislation for rabbit prevention.

The committee, with Mr Crosse as chairman, playing a leading part, drew up the original clauses of what, with surprisingly few alterations, was later to become the Rabbit Nuisance Act of the present day.

This created rabbit boards and gave them rating powers. Thus the fence was completed.

HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

"DAILY MAIL'S" SPECIAL FORECAST IS COLD, BUT IMPROVING.

The "Daily Mail's" special forecast is: Winds—Moderate to strong but decreasing, southerly.

Weather—Changeable and with some passing showers in places at first, more especially north of Hawke's Bay, but improving.

Temperatures—Cold, with frost probable.

Seas—Rough but moderating.

Hastings Weather

Cold weather with occasional heavy showers prevailed in Hastings yesterday. A strong wind blew continuously from the south-east. A total of 2.9in. of rain fell for the 24 hours up to 5 p.m.

Meteorological observations taken at the Hastings Magnetic Observatory at Cornwall Park at 5 p.m. yesterday were as follows:—
Dry bulb temp. 52.0 deg.
Wet bulb temp. 49.0 deg.
Max. temp. 57.0 deg.
Min. temp. 50.0 deg.
Grass temp. 40.0 deg.
Wind S.E. 3 m.p.h.
Cloud (0-10) 8
Temp. 1ft underground 50.0 deg.
Rain 2.9 ins.

Napier Weather

Meteorological readings taken yesterday at 5.30 p.m. by the Government recorder at Napier (Mr R. T. Hutton) are as follows:—
Wet bulb temp. 51.0 deg.
Dry bulb temp. 56.2 deg.
Max. temp. 56.2 deg.
Min. temp. 42.0 deg.
Grass temp. 38.5 deg.
1ft underground 52.0 deg.
3ft underground 58.0 deg.
Wind S.S.E. 70 m.p.h.
Cloud (0-10) 10
Sun 0.9 hrs.
Rain 2.11 in.
Visibility 4
Humidity 90 per cent.

LAST YEAR'S WORK OUTLINED

Building Programme
ANNUAL REPORT OF CHAIRMAN

Hospital Conditions

An outline of the building programme completed by the Hawke's Bay Hospital Board during the last year is given in the annual report of the board's chairman (Mr C. Lassen) which was presented to the monthly meeting of the board. The report discussed the work done at both the Napier Hospital and the Memorial Hospital at Hastings.

"The isolation ward at the Napier Hospital is now in occupation, and represents the most modern accommodation of such nature in the country," the report states. "It has been well planned by the board's architects in conjunction with the technical officers of the Health Department, and the work is of the highest order."

"During the year 14 new rooms were built on to the Nurses' Home and are in full occupation. A new sewing room has been added to the laundry, thus making available a retiring room for the laundry staff.

"For the infantile paralysis cases a bath has been built and has proved to be very successful."

Memorial Hospital.
"The work on the theatre block at the Memorial Hospital has been completed during the year and is in full use. It has resulted in greatly increased efficiency at this hospital.

"The outpatient department block also came into use during the year, being finished at the same time as the theatre block. This block has been named the 'Ceil Duff Block,' in memory of the late Mr Duff.

"Both these blocks show evidence of careful forethought and planning by the architects, and the contractor is to be congratulated on the high standard of workmanship.

"During the year swimming baths were built for the use of the nursing staff, and a miniature golf course laid down. I desire to sincerely thank the public for their generous donations towards the completion of the swimming baths, and also many persons who assisted in various ways to obtain its completion. It has proved a valuable amenity and is much used by the nurses."

Mr Lassen added that the board was gratified by the consideration shown to it during the last 12 months by the Minister of Health (the Hon. P. Fraser) and the officials of the Health Department, especially the Director-General of Health (Dr. M. H. Watt).

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

Missionary Work in India

ADDRESS AT NAPIER

Lecture by Rev. C. W. Haskell

The work of church missionaries in India and the improvements they have brought about in the lives of the poorest of the people, especially of the lowest cast—the untouchables—were outlined by the Rev. C. W. Haskell in an address at the Foresters' Hall at Napier.

The address, which was largely attended, was illustrated by motion pictures of life in India, interestingly described by the speaker. Portions of the films were in colour.

The speaker was sent out to Karachi in 1931 by the New Zealand Church Missionary Society. He is at present in New Zealand on furlough.

The Christian Church at the present day is facing in India its greatest challenge, said the speaker. The many thousands of untouchables were rising against the hardships and misery that had been imposed on their class for centuries, and the work of rehabilitating these people was the duty of the Church. India was desperately calling for men and women to-day to spread Christianity.

SPECTATORS HOOT REFEREE

Blomfield-Meehan Bout At Auckland

By Telegraph—Press Association.
AUCKLAND, June 14.

A decision on points in favour of "Lofty" Blomfield over Pat Meehan, Canada, aroused the ire of a large section of the crowd, which witnessed a heavyweight professional wrestling contest at the Town Hall. For several minutes after the final gong the referee was roundly hooted by many of the spectators, who had rushed to the ringside. When the final round started both men had secured a fall, and the Canadian seemed unfortunate to have the decision given against him, as he was the aggressor over the closing stages.

Canadian Visitor Finds the "Daily Mail" to His Liking

"It's the closest thing to the best of the smaller American papers I've seen in New Zealand," a Canadian visitor to New Zealand passed this comment on the up-to-date style of the "Hawke's Bay Daily Mail," when he was interviewed in Hastings last evening. The visitor is Mr W. J. Rowlands, representative of the Canadian Journal, "The National Home Monthly Magazine." Mr Rowlands added that he liked the layout of the Hawke's Bay newspaper, and its exploitation of colour.

As an illustration of the important part colour plays in modern advertisement, Mr Rowlands quoted the case of his own journal. The back page alone, as a colour advertisement was sold for £1200 in each issue. The inside pages of both back and front covers were sold for the equivalent of £900 (New Zealand money), while pages in the middle of the paper could command almost as high a price.

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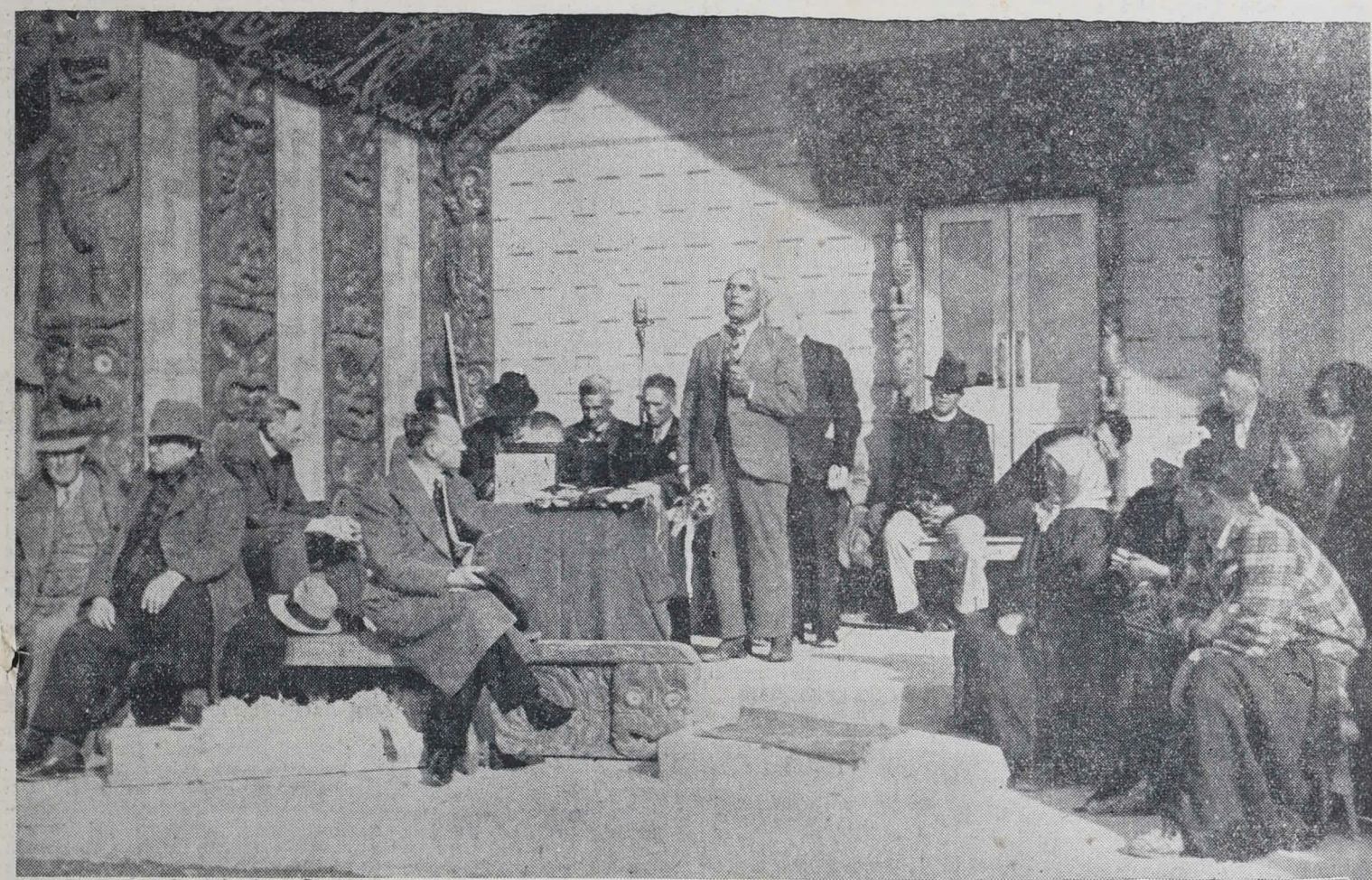
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WEDDING OF GREAT CHARM AND BEAUTY OF SOCIAL INTEREST TO ALL PARTS OF NEW ZEALAND.—On the left is the bride, Miss Elizabeth Carleton Williams, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs H. Carleton Williams, "Sherwood," entering the church at Gisborne last Saturday for her marriage to Mr Ralph Bunny, younger son of Mr and Mrs E. W. Bunny, "Oaonui," Masterton. On the right: The bridesmaids at the Bunny-Williams wedding. They were Misses Mary Saunders, Wanganui, Molly Birch, Dunedin, Monica Murphy and Nancy Morrison, Masterton, and Juliet and Virginia Williams, sisters of the bride.

PART OF THE ENTERTAINMENT AND CEREMONY AT THE GREAT GATHERING OF MAORIS ON THE EAST COAST LAST WEEK-END.—A group in the Taranaki haka, poi and concert party.



GREAT MAORI GATHERING.—Several thousand Maoris, including nearly five hundred visitors from the Waikato, Taranaki and Wanganui districts, assembled in the Waipatu Valley, East Coast, during the week-end for the opening of the new meeting house at Mangahanea and the reconstructed Porourangi meeting house at the Waioamatini Pa, adjacent to Sir Apirana Ngata's home. The Mangahanea house was opened on Saturday by representatives of the Taranaki tribe and the Porourangi house was opened on Sunday by the Hon. F. Langstone, acting-Minister of Native Affairs. Upper right: Mr Langstone addressing the chiefs. Seated immediately on his left is Mr Taite Te Tomo, formerly a Member of Parliament. Upper left: The presentation of the Honoured Sword to Te Mokena Kohere, an old and respected chief and one of the first Maori M.L.C.'s. The sword originally presented to his father, Chief Mokena Kohere, by Queen Victoria was lost in a fire.

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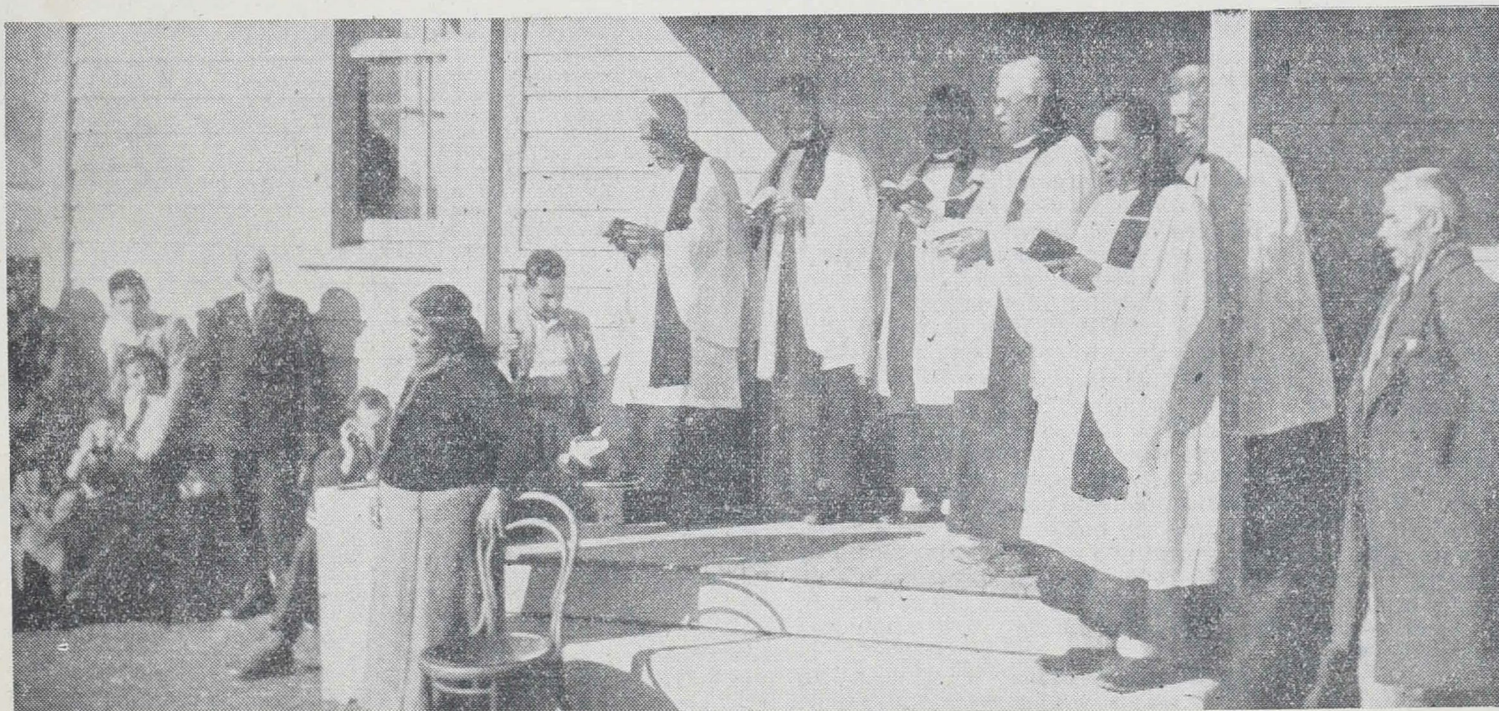
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Hawke's Bay Daily Mail
"Your Own Morning Paper"
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15, 1938.

NEW ZEALAND'S DEFENCES
The Prime Minister's return to the warnings issued by Lord Rothermere concerning New Zealand's safety may be considered a general snub to anyone who may express concern for the Dominion's defences. Even at the risk of incurring further unkind remarks, it is not sufficient merely to let the matter rest where it is. There are still grave weaknesses and deficiencies in our defence system, and until these are rectified few defence strategists will join the Prime Minister in his complacency.

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WHO WILL CONTROL EASTERN ASIA?
THE VAST RESOURCES OF CHINA AND THE PROGRESS OF JAPAN
A Review of All The Factors Leading Up To The Present Great Struggle

Specially written for the "Daily Mail"
Part III.
In view of the great attention centred on the Sino-Japanese conflict, this specially-written article should be of interest to readers of the "Daily Mail." It deals with various aspects of the two countries concerned, from a historical and an economic point of view.

The Emperor Taisho, first of the line of Ming, under which China's arts and sciences flourished exceedingly, made friendly overtures to the Shogun, who temporised successfully for over 300 years, but in 1401, as the result of doubtfully interested reports of a wealthy Japanese merchant who had made a fortune in Korea, it was decided to respond in the same spirit.

A GREAT OCCASION
So a large entourage accompanied the ambassador, laden with gifts, hardly commensurate with those brought by the Queen of Sheba, but imposing enough. In view of the great importance of the occasion, and of the decision that prompted it, the catalogue is worth quoting. Here it is: 1000 ryo of gold; 1000 leaves of silver; 1000 fans;

LOCAL AND GENERAL
Typist-Bookkeeper
The Napier Town Clerk advertises in this issue that applications are invited for a young woman typist-book-keeper for the Municipal Electricity Department.

Plenty of Ducks
"There is no shortage of ducks in Hawke's Bay," said Mr. R. M. Chadwick at a meeting of the council of the Hawke's Bay Acclimatisation Society last night. "The birds are plentiful and are increasing."

Knocked Down by Car
Mr Campbell Clark, of 304 Toa Road, was knocked down in front of the Hastings Library at 5.20 last night by a car. Mr Clark suffered from concussion and was conveyed to the Memorial Hospital. His condition is not serious.

Approach Damaged
The heavy rain on Monday night and yesterday caused the Esk River to rise, and there was erosion at the approach to the traffic bridge. Workmen yesterday afternoon were engaged in strengthening the approach and filling it in with soil.

Gold Medalist in Hastings
Miss Helen Dykes, Gold Medalist, who has just returned from Palmerston North, where her pupils were highly successful, announces in this issue her intention of commencing the practice of her profession—singing and voice production. Miss Dykes may be interviewed at Sutcliffe's Music Stores on Friday, between 3 and 4 p.m.

Evening Classes
The Hastings High School Board is now awaiting a reply from the Department of Education about the proposal to form evening classes in Hastings. The secretary of the board, Mr E. J. Murray, said yesterday that he had forwarded particulars of the applications for instruction to the department, and the board could take no further steps until the department made every decision to arrange the classes or not to proceed with them.

Drama in Australia
Amateur drama clubs in Australia are popular with the public, according to Mr J. R. Lester, who has returned to Christchurch after judging at the competitions festival at Bendigo, Victoria. There were more than 500 amateur drama clubs in and round Melbourne, Mr Lester said. Many professional actors living in Australia lent their services to these clubs, and the result was that the plays produced by the clubs attained a high standard of technique.

Havelock Bazaar
Mr C. D. Pankhurst presided over a meeting of the Havelock Domain Bazaar Committee, when the collector reported that he had received with a good response every where. To date he had received cash donations from the following: Misses C. McNeil, A. Nelson; Messes Stewart, H. R. Elder, K. Elliott, Heller, G. G. F. Kennedy; Dr. Crosby, W. Bridgman, G. Gostling, J. Chambers, J. Nelson Lane, Ford Franklin, E. C. Clarkson, and J. H. Gooch. The following stalls have been arranged: Sweets; poultry and meat; vegetables and fruit; cakes; butter, jams, preserves and confectionery; art, plain and fancy; books; afternoon tea; flowers and plants; novelties. The secretary reported that all arrangements were well in hand and that, given fine weather to-morrow week, the bazaar could be an outstanding success.

Farmers Seek Redress
Shortage of railway trucks during the current production season is the subject of remits to the National Dairy Association conference to be held at New Plymouth this month. A remit from the Kaipara Co-operative Dairy Factory Company urges that the Railway Department, having failed to carry out to another remit from the commercial agent that the farmers' requirements for the ensuing year would be fully catered for, and whereas the delay in the delivery of fertiliser through lack of trucks and tarpaulins, is causing very great inconvenience and delay equal to that of last year, this conference asks that the farmers' requirements be fully catered for in this direction. Another remit from the Levin Dairy Company urges "that this conference appoint a committee to investigate the delay in superphosphate deliveries, and if necessary make representations to the manure manufacturers and the Government to have supplies available to the farmer when required."

and in the employment of cannon. Difficulty was experienced in casting the cannon, either through lack of ore or a proper medium for casting, but ingenuity overcame this obstacle. They hollowed out trees and bound them with iron. History says they proved quite satisfactory!

The Imperial Regent Hideyoshi, who ruled some decades later, was able to resolve sectional jealousies and to weld the country for the first time into a national entity. He was not long in employing this bright new sword and once again, Korea was the object of attack. Hideyoshi mobilised 100,000 men but the Korean Niny held command of the sea with the result that he was able to bring only a fraction of his forces into action. While he attained a certain success on land, he was forced after a short war, to sign peace terms decidedly not in his favour. Once more Japanese continental ambition was frustrated but six years afterwards, in 1597, he rectified his error by building sufficient ships to secure his lines of communication. His soldiers gained success after success and soon he was master of eight Korean provinces.

One may pause again to speculate on how far this penetration would have gone had not Hideyoshi died in 1598. This was a period of great progress in Japan. Every year, a fixed number of "tribute" ships were permitted to voyage from Japan to China and both countries benefited by the arrangement for over 100 years. At the same time, unofficial trading grew to large dimensions and in its train, also of course, came the pirates. So troublesome did the raiders become at last that the Ming Court took the initiative in closing its ports and it forbade all traffic with Japan.

PORTUGUESE NAVIGATORS
Just five years before the severance of this trade, the first Portuguese voyagers touched Japan. These men landed on one island armed with fowling pieces. The leading chieftain entertained them and in return for 1000 ryo of gold, he secured several guns and was instructed in the secret of their use.

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EUROPEAN CONTACTS
Conservative elements were left in charge of Japanese policy on the death of the conqueror, while with his directing genius removed, the army became the blunted tool of jealous generals. These two factors nearly spelt disaster to the expedition, but under the severe harrying of the heartened Korean-Chinese forces, they fought desperate rearguard actions to enable the troops to embark and they were able to outlast or outfright their pursuers at sea.

Quickly in the wake of the first European contacts with the Japanese islands had come Christian missionaries, who brought many material gifts and secured a large following in Nagasaki especially. It became virtually a Christian community and a wealthy port. Misadventures abroad and factional feuds at home caused the new Shogun and his advisers to be increasingly suspicious of new ideas from overseas and a partial ban on foreign people, ships and goods was proclaimed. The results were not adequate, from the viewpoint of the Shogunate and in 1636 the foreign ban became absolute. The new law prohibited men and ships from visiting other ports, and Japanese then abroad could only return at the risk of death. All foreign ships were under observation from arrival to departure. Edicts of great severity were issued against the Christian communities and once again came curtain, until 1854.

Long before then, however, the scope of trade had widened to include the majority of the European nations and the Western world. Traders voyaged in search of spices, peacocks and other rare cargoes which formerly had been accessible only by the caravan routes from Cathay. This trade was concentrated in Venice and Alexandria. Portuguese adventurers sailed their own ships eastward to capture at least a share of this trade and early in the sixteenth century they had seized Malacca as a base for their enterprises.

EARLY TRADING
For this trade neither China nor Japan offered such readily developed markets as the Spice Islands, which were not under any strong ruler. The Portuguese in turn created a monopoly trade, which was challenged and soon broken by the Dutch when Lisbon was closed against the ships of the Netherlands near the end of the sixteenth century. Monopolistic tactics by the Dutch in turn were followed by the founding of the East India Company in 1600. England became paramount in Indian seas while the Dutch held sway in the East Indies until in the time of Napoleon, Holland became a subject state under French hegemony. The Dutch possessions were seized but were restored to Holland in 1814. Ten years afterwards, spheres of influence were arranged in friendly fashion, leaving Malaya to Britain and Sumatra to Holland, chiefly as the result of the decided stand taken by Sir Stamford Raffles, who secured the site of Singapore for Britain. In the year of the settlement, Singapore's trade was very promising, at 35,000 tons. One hundred and ten years later, the tally was 22 million tons.

(End of Part III. Part IV will follow to-morrow.)

Personal
Mr H. Studley, of Auckland, is on a visit to Hastings.

Mr T. Davies, of Auckland and formerly of Hastings, has returned after visiting Hastings.

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Judge H. F. Ayson, who for the past year has been in charge of the Wairaki Native Land District, will retire on July 4 and resume the position of resident commissioner of the Cook Islands and chief judge of the High Court and Native Land Court in the Cook group. Before his original appointment to the Cook Islands in 1922, Judge Ayson was for four years stationed in Rotorua as judge of the Native Land Court.—Press Association.

Mr Wm. C. Hyde, of the Horticultural Division of the Department of Agriculture, who has been in Hawke's Bay for a week engaged on a special survey of market gardens and small fruit production, will leave for Wellington in a few days where field reports collected will be studied in conjunction with the soil survey maps. He will return at 10 o'clock to the Wairaki Native Land District during the next few months. So far only orchardists in the Tara-dale district have been visited.



A Washington-London-Paris axis to parallel the Fascist Rome-Berlin-Tokyo triangle is suggested.—Evening Paper.

But just you wait until we get the Paki Paki-Onga-Eketa-huna - Whakereawera - Takapau, Mangateretere hexagon to work.

"Come, Freddie," said his mother. "There's thousands of little boys and girls who would be only too glad to eat that spinach."

To which Freddie replied: "I bet you everything in the world, Mum, my, you can't name three of them."

A man, whose wife was inclined to be jealous, was sitting with her one evening when the telephone bell rang. "Hello—is that you, George?" His wife heard him say. "How are you, George?" Certainly, George. When did you say, George? Right you are, George. Good-bye, George. Replacing the receiver, he turned to his wife, and said: "My dear, that was George."

The disgruntled film actress accosted the producer. "I'm not going to appear in your new film unless you alter the cast. Two of the players can't act for toffee." "Indeed?" said the producer. "And who is the other?"

A man walked into a cafe and said, "I'm in a hurry—bring me a cup of strong coffee, without milk." After ten minutes had passed, the waiter returned with a tray. "Sorry, sir, we have no milk. Will you have it without cream?"

Two young brothers were arguing. Said the elder: "I ought to know. Don't I go to school, stu pid?" "Yes," replied his brother, "and you come home stupid."

Seen about town—the smartest outfit of the week was worn by Mr X—a "Simpson" Sports Coat in a light greenish shade, with an over-the-shoulder and grey fur collar, also by "Simpsons". Mr X is always well "turned out" by Parkers.

BRITISH REFUSAL OF JAPANESE REQUEST Presence Of Gunboats Held To Be Necessary To Protect Lives and Property

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received June 14, 11 p.m.) SHANGHAI, June 14. The British gunboats at Wuhu and Kiukiang have been ordered to remain there despite the Japanese request that foreign shipping should withdraw from the 200-mile stretch of the Yangtse-kiang between Wuhu and Kukow.

Total of 43 Charges

CHRISTCHURCH CASE Many Witnesses Called BURGLARY AND THEFT

By Telegraph—Press Association. CHRISTCHURCH, June 14. Forty-three charges of breaking and entering, 29 of them relating to houses, and the remainder to business premises, were admitted by Francis Henry Gorman Guilford in the Magistrate's Court. Two other charges were admitted by Guilford, one relating to an escape from Papua prison on May 2 and the other to the theft of £23 in money and a gold watch valued at £8.

DEATH OF MR F. W. WILSON

Well-known Auckland Businessman

BOWLING COUNCIL OFFICERS

N.Z. Association

ELECTION HELD AT DUNEDIN

By Telegraph—Press Association. DUNEDIN, June 14. The election of officers and members of the council of the New Zealand Bowling Association for the year 1938-39 resulted as follows: President, Mr F. A. Hosking (Auckland); immediate past-president, Mr W. Connor (Dunedin); vice-president, Mr M. J. Casey (Wellington); hon. treasurer, Mr S. Goldent (Auckland); members of council, North Island, Messrs W. Gilbert and P. M. Stone (Wellington), W. J. Truscott and A. E. Whitten (Auckland), H. Mayo (Hawke's Bay), E. T. Petty (Taranaki), P. H. Cowie (South Auckland); South Island, Messrs L. B. Evans and H. B. Oakey (Christchurch); J. Forster and G. A. Nelson (Dunedin), T. Currie (South Canterbury), S. C. K. Frith (Southland), D. H. Thomson (North Otago).

ARREST MADE ON BOAT FORMER AIRWAYS PILOT DEBT CLAIMS

Order for Payment is Given

By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, June 14. Arrested under a writ of arrest on board the Doric Star a short time before its departure from Auckland for England last Wednesday night, Commander Basil Adair Blythe, formerly chief pilot of Union Airways Limited, appeared before Mr W. R. McKean, S.M., in the Magistrate's Court, to-day.

DANGER TO BRITAIN IS AERIAL ATTACKS

British Expert Arrives In Australia To Report On Air Force

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received June 14, 11 p.m.) FREMANTLE, June 14. A passenger in the liner Strathnaver, which arrived from London to-day, is Sir Edward Ellington, Inspector-General of the Royal Air Force, who is on loan to Australia to report on the Australian Air Force.

"EMPIRE MUST PREPARE"

POSSIBILITY OF CONFLICT WORLD SITUATION English Professor's View

By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, June 14. "New Zealand, in common with other parts of the British Empire, should be prepared for the possibility, even the probability, of a major world conflict," said Professor J. H. Richardson, of Leeds University, who arrived by the Niagara.

High School Farm

STATE OF FINANCES Discussion At Napier ACCOUNT IN DEBIT

Exhibition at Glasgow

SYMBOL OF EMPIRE Speech by the King at Opening Ceremony SCOTLAND'S PART

Appreciation of Assistance

SCHOOLBOYS' HELP Work for Eskdale Settlers BOARD'S COMMENT

MEETING DATE DIFFICULTY

LOCAL BODIES IN HAWKE'S BAY PROPOSALS MADE Power Board's Decision Yesterday



HENLEIN BEING CHEERED.—Konrad Henlein, the Sudeten-German leader in Czechoslovakia, received great ovations on his recent 40th birthday when driving in his car through the decorated town Asch.

THE INTER-TOWN COMPETITION

HOCKEY MATCHES ON SATURDAY NEW FIXTURES Games in Hastings and Napier

The inter-town hockey competition, to include both Napier and Hastings teams and which will provide for matches in both centres, will begin on Saturday. This was reported at the meeting of the Hastings Hockey Sub-Association held last evening. Mr R. E. Hunt presided.

AMATEUR BOXING CONTEST

WAIPUKURAU CLUB'S TOURNEY BRIGHT DISPLAY Visiting Team From Hastings

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SQUALL THROWS BARQUE ON TO HER BEAM ENDS Penang's Main Topmast Is Broken In Two Places: Slow Trip To N.Z.

By Telegraph—Press Association. DUNEDIN, June 14.

Struck suddenly by a violent squall which rendered her mainmast useless at 1.10 a.m. on June 1, the three-masted Finnish barque Penang, bound from Port Victoria (South Australia) to the United Kingdom with a cargo of wheat, began a half-speed journey which ended when she was towed into Port Chalmers this afternoon.

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Power Board's Decision Yesterday

"Some difficulty is experienced in the preparation of vouchers when the monthly meeting of the board is held early in the month," stated the report on meeting dates presented yesterday at the monthly meeting of the Hawke's Bay Electric Power Board by the secretary-manager (Mr H. H. Wylie).

Island Orange Supplies

QUESTION OF QUALITY Minister Defends The Present Scheme

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WALTZ AND FOXTROT

INTEREST SHOWN IN CONTESTS

THE PROCEDURE

"Ugly Man" Competition Promises Amusement

One of the features of the shopping carnival in Hastings this week will be the citizens' dance in the Assembly Hall to-morrow night. Tremendous interest is being taken in this dance, and inquiries have been received from all parts of the province and from outside districts—especially from Palmerston North. Indications are that there will be a strong entry, including some of the leading exponents of dancing.

Retailers, their wives and families, shop assistants—all are sure to be present. The committee has anticipated a large attendance, and has made the gathering particularly attractive to dance-lovers by staging what has not been attempted for some years—the Hawke's Bay old-time championships. There will be a competition for the old-time waltz prize, and another for the foxtrot trophy.

Each of the winning couple in the waltz and each of the winning couple in the foxtrot will receive a handsome silver cup.

Three competent judges will be appointed to adjudicate in both the foxtrot and the waltz competitions.

The Mayor of Hastings (Mr G. A. Maddison) and the Mayoress will attend the dance and will present the prizes. The Mayor has expressed an intention of taking part, with Mrs Maddison, in the old-time waltz.

Waltz Championship

The waltz championship will be held about 10 o'clock and the foxtrot will follow later. The following method of elimination will be used: All dancers in the waltz will be asked to take part in an old-time waltz. The judges will select from all of the competitors 20 of the most likely couples, who will be given blue tickets as they are dancing. The 20 will then be asked to take the floor, and the judges will choose six couples, who will be given red tickets. After a programme dance the six couples will take the floor and the champion couple will be selected.

An identical method will be used for the judging of the foxtrot competition.

Apart from the impetus which the competitions will give to the dance, the gathering will not lack attractiveness. Les Henry's orchestra will provide the music, and the installation of loud-speakers will ensure that the acoustic properties of the hall are good. The prices of the tickets are 4/- double, 2/- lady's, 2/6 man's.

Ugly Man Contest

The "ugly man" competition is also creating interest. A sufficiently ugly caricature has been drawn by a local artist. It will be displayed prominently in Sowman's window, Heretaunga Street, next to the State Theatre. For the payment of sixpence, anyone may place below the caricature any name he desires—friend or foe—and the name will remain until the next man comes along and pays sixpence to place another name there.

A prize will be given to the man whose name is on the caricature at the closing hour. The closing hour, however, has been kept secret. There will also be other small prizes for those whose names are below the caricature at a number of other sealed times. There will probably be three or four persons who will be lucky enough to secure prizes.

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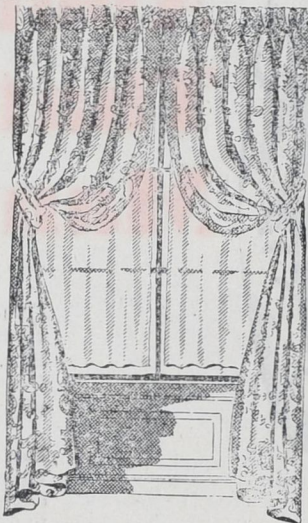
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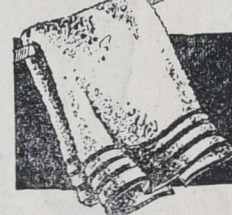


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CENTRAL BRANCH OF THE FARMERS' UNION?

Proposal Is Favoured By The Delegates To Waipukurau Meeting

WAIPUKURAU.

The formation of a Central Hawke's Bay branch of the Farmers' Union was favoured at a meeting of delegates from surrounding branches at Waipukurau yesterday. After some discussion the following resolution was carried:—

"That, subject to the approval of the branches concerned, this meeting is of the opinion that the formation of a sub-centre in Central Hawke's Bay is to the advantage of the union."

Mr J. D. Ormond, jun., was elected to the chair, the other delegates present being Messrs D. Eddy (Tikokino), R. E. Stratford and W. J. Matthews (Hatuma), L. M. Monckton (Waipukurau), and J. H. McDonnell (Hatuma), F. C. Daniels, M. Jenkins and J. Bibby (Onga Onga), A. D. Wallace (Omakere), D. Canning, F. A. Jackson, T. Hope, and J. R. Byrne (Porangahau).

The Progress of Greenmeadows

SOCIETY'S MEETING

Tribute To The Late Mr Smyrk

NEW MEMBERS CHOSEN

The monthly meeting of the Greenmeadows Progressive Society was held on Monday evening, Mr C. N. Hellyer, chairman, presiding over a fair muster of members.

The chairman paid tribute to the memory of the late Mr E. P. Smyrk, who had held at different periods the offices of chairman and secretary. In his efforts for the good of the district Mr Smyrk had been untiring and much of the credit for the present state of the Society was due to his work. Messages of sympathy were offered to his relatives, members standing in silence.

New members in the persons of Messrs J. Dean, D. Perry, and L. Kane were proposed and elected.

Flower Show.

Mr B. H. Turton, chairman of the Flower Show Committee, presented the balance sheet of his committee for the year. This showed a balance of £25 9/8, a most satisfactory state of affairs considering that the Chrysanthemum Show itself had suffered through the floods. The society has now to replace the Chrysanthemums destroyed in the flood period. Mr Turton paid the flower show secretaries, Messrs Pollock and McCormack, high praise for their fine work.

Last year's flower show committee were re-elected with power to add.

It was decided that a proposal by Mr Turton be placed before the flower show committee, to empower the latter committee to form a branch of the Progressive Society.

Mr Turton's good services were placed on record. This gentleman has worked hard for the progress of show work in the district.

Greenmeadows, after a period of over five years, again has a street lighting system. Sixteen lights have been placed in the district. A sub-committee is to investigate the system as it now stands because several members expressed dissatisfaction.

The financial report shows at present an approximate balance of about £56.

Arrangements were put in hand to obtain prizes for the painting of the hall and for the pruning of trees in Avenue Road.

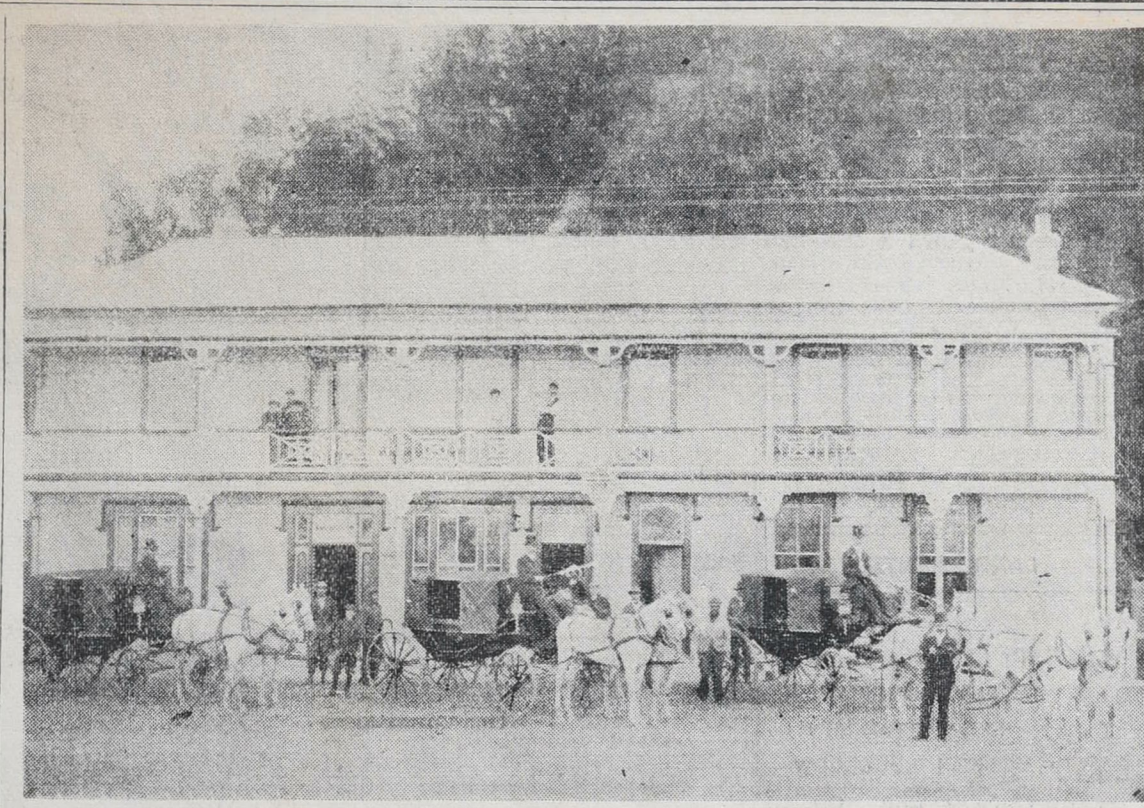
PAKOWHAI MINIATURE RIFLE SHOOT

Senior and Junior Results

The following are the results of the Pakowhai Miniature Rifle Club shoot held on June 8. Trophies were won by J. Patrick in the Senior A grade, D. Macdonald in the Senior B and D. Brunton in the Juniors with W. Lowe second. J. Patrick won the senior Ladder Badge and D. Brunton the junior.

Seniors.
J. McCann, 97, 99.47; P. Williams, 98, 99.40; G. Stanford, 94, 99.35; L. Lisette, 96, 99.29; D. Macdonald, 97, 99.18; A. Sykes, 91, 99.10; J. Patrick, 98, 99.00; J. McCormack, 92, 98.80; S. Dobson, 88, 98.71; T. Kennedy, 84, 98.40; E. Tiller, 57, 95.70; K. Semmens, 89, 94.50.

Juniors.
D. Brunton, 64, 69.35; W. Lowe, 60, 68.84; D. Lisette, 60, 68.80; H. Smith, 56, 68.60; A. Russell, 56, 68.32; W. Griffiths, 53, 68.30; R. Lisette, 54, 68.28; M. Lisette, 54, 68.25; E. Fairley, 51, 68.10; L. Coker, 46, 67.60; J. Hogan, 42, 67.20; C. Ramsay, 33, 66.30; G. O. 60, 68.00; C. Kennedy, 49, 67.90; E.



IN THE DAYS OF THE BUGGY AND PAIR.—A photograph taken many, many years ago outside the Fernhill Hotel.

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HOUSEHOLDERS MEET FOR DISCUSSION LIGHTING PLANS Move for Progressive Society

Miserable Weather Conditions Fail To Dampen Enthusiasm

"Daily Mail" Special Service. WAIROA.

At Wairoa shortly after dusk yesterday the cry, "Haere mai" was heard in the distance at the Sir James Carroll Memorial Marae. The call was taken up by all present, and soon the cause for jubilation was apparent. King Koroki Tawhio had arrived with his retinue.

The King was seen to step from his car and go straight to his special quarters, the traditional hakas of welcome not being given, as it was raining and dark.

Earlier in the afternoon, under the shadow of Kahungunu, the ancestor of the Wairoa people, whose carved statue surmounts the memorial house, the Rev. Henu Huata welcomed the visiting natives. Brandishing a tiki toki, a rod emblematic of the connection between the Kahungunu tribe and the Maoris of other districts, he greeted the natives from Taranaki, distinguishable by the white feathers in their hair, and many others from the Waikato and other parts of New Zealand.

In the background against the memorial house the women of the Wairoa tribe congregated, and with fronds of macrocarpa in their hands chanted their greetings.

Among those to arrive was Sir Apirana Ngata. Many natives arrived throughout the day, and despite the miserable weather conditions the hui should be a big success.

DANNEVIRKE FIRE BOARD Station Alterations POSTPONED IN THE MEANTIME

The quarterly meeting of the Dannevirke Fire Board was held in the secretary's rooms yesterday, when all members were present. In his report, Superintendent C. H. Scott stated that the brigade now comprised eighteen firemen, four of whom slept on the premises.

He also described the alterations required for the renovating of the living quarters at the station, presenting two plans for the board's perusal.

Mr J. W. Norrie, of Napier, said that as structural alterations were necessitated he felt that the new wall should have at least one reinforced pillar. If that was not done, the building might not conform with modern building requirements.

A suggestion was made by Mr J. McMillan that the matter be left over till the next meeting. After further discussion the board unanimously agreed to Mr McMillan's proposal, on condition that inquiries be made as to the cost of the work.

PERSONAL

DANNEVIRKE.
Miss B. Goddard travelled to Wairoa on Monday.

Mr E. Marsh travelled by service car and plane yesterday to Gisborne, where he will in future reside.

Miss J. Israelson, of the nursing staff of the Public Hospital, travelled to Hastings on Monday.

Mrs S. Annabell, wife of the Borough Engineer, returned to her home on Monday, after an operation at the Public Hospital.

Miss S. Scott travelled to Woodville where she will reside in future.

NORSEWOOD.
Miss Gwen Smith, of Wellington, is spending a holiday with her mother Mrs O. Smith, of Third Line.

Misses A. and J. Murphy have returned home after a holiday spent with relations in Christchurch.

Mr Blair has joined the staff of the local Post Office.

Mr F. Willis, of Wellington, is the guest of Mr A. Hansen and Miss L. Hansen.

Miss Dorothy Willis has returned to Wellington after a short holiday spent with friends.

Mr and Mrs H. Reisma and their two sons Laurie and Ray are making a motor tour in the Roturua district.

Mr Edgar Torkelsen, of Stratford, is spending a holiday with his sister Mrs G. Forbes.

Mr James Miles, who has passed away at Southampton, aged 106, is remembered for the boat he used to make that his father died at 103 and his grandfather at 112.

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"Daily Mail" Special Service. GISBORNE, June 14.

Bitterly cold weather and frequent heavy showers greeted the opening stages of the Matawhero cattle fair to-day, and as a result the attendance was small but prices were fairly good.

Male cattle maintained values, but prices generally were easier, and that applied also to the beef market, only prime finished lots being in demand.

Prices were:—

Empty cows: Thirty-four Herefords, good store condition, £3; 30 Herefords, good store condition, on account of J. McIntyre, £2 14/.

Breeding cows: Twenty-three Hereford-P.A. cross, medium condition, £3 5/; 16 P.A. medium to good condition, £3 17/; 12 P.A., in good order, £4 1/; 10 Hereford, on account of Kioire Station, full of condition, dehorned, £5 11/; 12 Herefords, good store condition, £3; 122 Herefords, on account of Kioire Station, £4 5/; 25 P.A., store condition, young, off high country, £3 5/; 53 dehorned Herefords, £3 18/; 42 Herefords, on account of H. Telford, good store condition, £4 1/; 47 Herefords, on account of E. Joblin, good and fresh, dehorned, £4 8/; 26 Hereford and Shorthorn, on account of M. L. Holden, in good order, £4 1/; 33 Herefords, on account of Kioire Station, a light-conditioned draft, £3; 74 Herefords, on account of D. Hawkins, a good dehorned per, £4 1/.

Weaner steers: One hundred and forty Herefords, good, on account of J. Hutchinson, £3 18/; 47 good P.A., £4 10/; 22 good Shorthorn, £3 15/; 2/6; five Hereford, £5 11/; 12 Herefords, £3 9/; 15 Hereford, £5 10/; nine medium Jersey, £5 15/; eight Hereford-Shorthorn heifers, £6 12/6; 20, as last, £5 12/6.

Twenty-month heifers: Thirteen good P.A. (p.), £3 10/; 14 Hereford (p.), £3 12/6; 18 P.A., on account of J. D. Burgess, a good fresh lot (p.), £3 10/.

Twenty-month steers: Fifty-two P.A., good size and condition, £7; 41 black, store condition, £6 6/; 26 good conditioned P., £5 12/.

Bulls: Thirty-eight, on account of Te Kaiti Station, mostly P.A., fresh condition, £3 10/; 27 Hereford, on account of H. Telford, full of condition, £3 7/6; 11 Hereford, full meat, £8 10/; 12 Hereford, on account of H. Telford, all fresh, £8.

Grown heifers: Thirty-six Hereford, r.w.b., on account of M. Orr, a great line, £5 15/; 37 Hereford three and four-year, on account of Kioire Station, a classy lot, £5 15/.

P.A. and a half-year steers: Five P.A., on account of P. I. Scott, very meaty, £7 17/6; 52 fresh Hereford, on account of E. H. Baker, £7 4/; 10 solid Hereford, £7 17/.

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The Dannevirke representatives are as follows:—

Full back: J. Bassett (Wainui).

Three-quarters: A. Borlase (Rangere), A. O'Brien (Excelsior), R. Miller (Excelsior).

Five-eighths: P. Himona (Aotea), V. Edwards (Aotea).

Half-back: V. Walker (Rangers).

Front row: A. Benge (Old Boys), W. Bassett (Old Boys), D. Gollan (Wainui).

Middle row: J. Franklin (Wainui), W. Dew (Excelsior), E. Hunt (Rangers), C. Yortt (Old Boys).

Back row: P. Small (Weber).

Emergencies: Backs, I. Harris, G. Gollan; forwards, J. Leedom and J. Bassett.

Reeves (Old Boys) and Beach (Aotea) were not available.

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TREATMENT AND PREVENTION

[By "Veterinarian."]

It may interest New Zealanders to know that the incidence of hydatids in both animals and humans is, in some parts of this country, almost the highest in the world. In these areas between 35 and 40 out of 100 sheep and cattle are affected. It has also been recorded that one case out of every 290 admitted to hospitals is hydatid infection.

From the point of view of public health, therefore, it is obvious that every effort should be made towards reducing this high incidence. This is by no means an impossibility, and merely invokes a better understanding of how the disease is contracted, and how further sources of infection are perpetuated.

With this knowledge sources of infection can be avoided and measures can be adopted so that fresh sources of infection can be decreased—even eliminated. These points should be appreciated by all those engaged in farming and particularly by those in sheep raising areas.

The Hydatid Life Cycle

The hydatid cyst which one finds in sheep, cattle and less commonly in other domestic animals, as well as in man, is the intermediate stage of a tapeworm of the dog.

This tapeworm is a very minute one. Its total length is scarcely one-third of an inch, so that its presence is rarely detected unless a very careful examination of the dog's droppings is made.

When mature the tapeworm produces eggs. These then find their way to the exterior in the droppings. It is these eggs which serve as the source of infection for man and the domestic animals.

When ingested the eggs hatch and pass into the blood stream, and thence to the liver, lungs, bones and other organs. Here the typical cysts develop. Domestic animals may be very heavily infected with the cysts, and, surprisingly enough, show very little or no ill effects. It is, however, this cystic stage which is so dangerous to man.

Reinfection of the dog is brought about by ingestion of a fertile cyst from the lungs or liver of cattle, sheep or other animals. The cysts are fertile, so that the dog can set up tapeworm infection in the dog. With cattle, however, the cysts are rarely fertile, so that the dog from these beasts are a much less serious source of reinfection.

Control Measures

Control measures include prevention of tapeworm infection in the dog, the treatment of tapeworm infection, and the adoption of more careful measures of hygiene on the part of human beings. Each of these points has its own importance, and, by a rigorous adherence to all three, there is no doubt that hydatid disease would decrease rapidly.

It was previously stated that the dog is infected by eating offal containing fertile hydatid cysts. As sheep are the chief source of such cysts it is rare to find this particular tapeworm in other than dogs off sheep country. Where, however, other dogs can gain access to offal, such as at slaughter yards, there is a great risk of their being affected as well.

It is impossible to prevent dogs from consuming infective material altogether, because there is always an odd dead sheep to which they can get access. This source of infection can be minimised by destroying dead sheep, and by keeping dogs off the chain when not in use. Much can be done by refraining from feeding untreated offal to them.

It is a simple matter to render offal containing hydatids quite safe for consumption. Boiling for a period of ten minutes is all that is required. Merely by the adoption of this step a great advance towards eliminating hydatids would be made.

Treatment of Dogs

A further method to keep dogs free from this tapeworm is to treat the dogs with medicine. A very efficient drug for this purpose is arecoline hydrobromide. The dose rate is from 1 to 2 grains according to the size of the dog—very small dogs should be given even smaller doses. Tablets containing suitable quantities are readily available. To administer the drug all that is necessary is to dissolve the tablet in from 1 to 2 ounces of water and give it by mouth. The dog should then be tied up, or, preferably, led round on the chain for a period of from 20 minutes to half an hour. By this time the dog's bowels will have moved several times and the tapeworms voided. All droppings should be carefully collected and destroyed by burning. All dogs should be treated this way, and the treatment should be repeated every eight weeks.

Dissemination of Knowledge

The third method of control is really dependent upon the dissemination of knowledge in regard to sources of infection for humans. As has been pointed out, man and the other infected by consuming the eggs voided from the dog. Hydatid cysts in sheep and cattle do not serve as a source of infection for man. Hence the practice of rigorously avoiding the use of livers which contain cysts for human consumption. The eggs in the dogs is merely a method of spreading the disease. One does not suggest, of course, that cystic livers should be kept for the table.

The dog himself is no doubt the most dangerous source of infection for humans. Droppings accumulate round the kennel and become mixed with dust. The dog then rolls, and its coat becomes covered with the eggs. Mere handling of the dog and subsequent conveyance of eggs to the mouth whilst smoking or eating then renders infection very likely. Children being less careful about what they convey to their mouths have very great chances of becoming infected whilst playing with dogs or around dog kennels.

Other less important sources of infection are unwashed vegetables, flies which may carry the eggs on their bodies, sheep which have been handled with dogs may carry them.

Facial Eczema Epidemic

WILL BE DISCUSSED

Annual Conference of Veterinarians

Possible cures, or steps for the prevention of facial eczema in sheep in the Dominion will be the chief subject of discussion at the annual conference of veterinarians.

This conference will be held at Wellington from June 28 to June 30, and it is expected that there will be a large attendance.

The veterinarian of the Department in Hastings, Mr. A. D. M. G. Laing stated yesterday that he would be attending the conference. Although the facial eczema epidemic was subdued, all sheep farmers and agriculturists were keen to find some means of combating infection in flocks.

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