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TRIBUNAL TO FIX DAIRY PRODUCE PRICES

Prime Minister's Statement

"IF FARMERS DO NOT WANT IT, NOW IS TIME TO SPEAK"

"Expect Them To Be Satisfied"

"Daily Mail" Special Service.

WELLINGTON, June 9.

It is the intention of the Government to hand over the responsibility of fixing the guaranteed dairy produce prices to a tribunal presided over by a Supreme Court Judge.

This was made clear to-day in an interview by the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. M. J. Savage), who recalled his recent offer to the Farmers' Union Conference, which had accepted it. "If they do not want a tribunal of this sort," said Mr Savage, "now is the time to make themselves heard."

Commenting on recent references to the operation of the guaranteed price scheme, the Prime Minister said that the farmer was guaranteed for his butter 112/- a hundred-weight, and whatever price the butter might bring in addition to that. That obviously applied to this season.

"In addition to telling them that," he continued, "I informed the recent Farmers' Union conference in Wellington that if they wanted a tribunal presided over by a Supreme Court judge for the future, they would get that, too. That would relieve the Government of all responsibility in the fixing of the price, except that we would be represented on that tribunal. The question of surpluses in the future does not come into the thing."

APPLIES TO THIS SEASON

"It applies to this season, all right," said the Prime Minister, "but in subsequent seasons the price will be fixed by the tribunal, if the farmers are satisfied that the tribunal is the right thing. The tribunal will be presided over by a Supreme Court Judge, political parties notwithstanding."

"I have nothing more to say about it. They can make as much political capital as they are able to, but we will go on with the tribunal. If the farmers do not want it, now is the time to make themselves heard."

Mr Savage said that it had been alleged that Mr Fraser had let the "cat out of the bag." There was no cat in the bag, said Mr Savage.

"LIKELY TO BE SURPLUS"

"It has been a plain statement all along," he continued. "In the first season there was no surplus to distribute, and the farmer, like other taxpayers, shared the loss. This season there is a surplus in the fund—or there is likely to be. I have stated quite definitely that the surplus belongs to the farmers, and they will get it as I have said."

"Next season we are prepared to give the farmers the tribunal they are asking for, provided that the people who are talking represent them. The farmers, no doubt, will be satisfied with the price which that tribunal fixes. We will expect them to be, in any case."

Danish Queen Bitten

DOG'S ATTACK

Royal Pets Get Into Fight

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COPENHAGEN, June 9. A big dog attacked Queen Alexandra's two fox terriers. She was bitten on the leg trying to separate them.

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AUSTRIAN LOAN QUESTION

FIRM STAND IS URGED

BRITISH VIEW

Conference Being Held In London

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LONDON, June 9. The Association of British Chambers of Commerce has sent a letter to the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir John Simon, urging a firm stand regarding the Austrian loan and promising to support strong action if Germany refuses to compromise. A British official wireless message states that a meeting of representatives of the guarantor countries of Austrian loans will be held in London to-morrow, under the chairmanship of the Economic Adviser to the British Government, Sir Frederick Leith-Ross.

Dead Captain Is Exonerated

LOSS OF SHIP

President Hoover Mishap

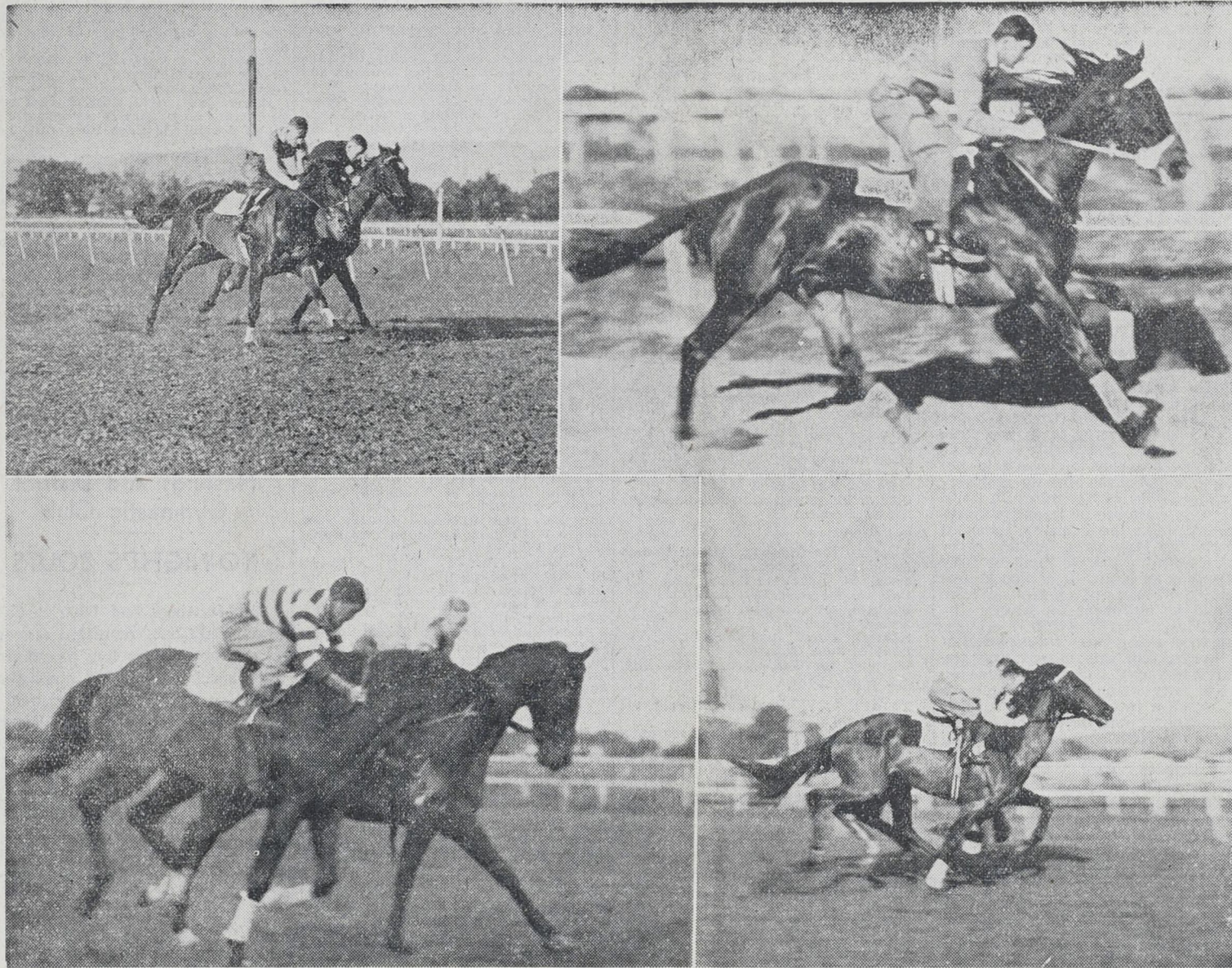
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WASHINGTON, June 9. The Bureau of Marine Inspection has issued its findings concerning the loss of the President Hoover on January 19, which was due to an alleged error by Captain Yardley in estimating the rate of current flow off Formosa.

The bureau, however, exonerated Captain Yardley, who died recently as the result of worry and exposure suffered when the vessel sank.



A RECENT STUDIO PHOTOGRAPH OF RICHARD TAUBER, THE WORLD-FAMOUS TENOR, AND HIS WIFE.—He has sailed from England for Australia, where he will tour, giving concerts.



CONSIDERABLE INTEREST IN HASTINGS TRACK WORK.—The final gallops of candidates for the Hawke's Bay Jockey Club's meeting, opening to-morrow, attracted a large number of spectators to the racecourse yesterday morning. The "Daily Mail" cameraman catches some of the main trials. Top left: Red Witch, on the outside, shades Sardius over a five furlong work-out to register the smartest effort of the morning. Top right: Soho, who has been schooling impressively of late, hits out very freely in his training. Lower left: Padishah, on the outside, is going very comfortably alongside of Buster Brown at the end of a useful five furlongs. Lower right: Trailer, on the outside of Tres Sec, almost obscured, works boldly over the concluding stages of a mile.

CLYDE IS TO BE WIDENED

LAUNCH OF QUEEN ELIZABETH

PASSAGE TO SEA

Queen Mary Incident Recalled

British Official Wireless. (Received June 9, 7 p.m.)

RUGBY, June 8. The River Clyde trustees have decided to widen the river at the Beardmore bank to assist the passage down to the sea of the great liner Queen Elizabeth, which is to be launched by the Queen at Clydebank in September.

The Beardmore bank is the point at which the liner Queen Mary touched the bank during her progress downstream after her launching.

HOSPITALS UNABLE TO DEAL WITH INJURED IN CANTON

Exhausted Doctors On Duty 24 Hours At A Stretch: Cholera Outbreaks

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CANTON, June 9.

The hospitals are unable to deal with the situation arising from air-raids, whose toll is now 2500 killed and 5000 injured.

The plight of the injured is terrible. Exhausted foreign and Chinese doctors are on duty 24 hours at a stretch, yet many of the wounded are dying through lack of attention.

Isolated cases of cholera are reported. Numerous dead are unburied.

Queen's Cold Is Improved

DOCTOR'S VISIT

Still To Remain Indoors

RETURN TO LONDON?

British Official Wireless. (Received June 9, 7 p.m.)

RUGBY, June 8.

Dr. E. C. Malden, physician to the Royal household at Windsor, visited the Queen at the Royal Lodge. Afterwards it was stated that Her Majesty's cold was better, but she is still to remain indoors. No decision has yet been made whether Her Majesty will return to London to witness to-morrow's trooping of the colour on the Horse Guards' parade.

Dairy Farmers' Complaint

ECONOMIC POSITION

Charge Against the Government

"PROMISE NOT KEPT"

By Telegraph—Press Association. DUNEDIN, June 9.

Mr H. R. Meredith, chairman of the South Island Dairy Association, in his annual address, said he believed that he was voicing the opinion of Dominion dairy farmers when he said the Government had failed to carry out its promise to

THE EMPLOYMENT TAX

A REASON FOR ITS RETENTION

MINISTER'S VIEW

"Removal Like An Election Stunt"

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, June 9.

At Te Aroha the Minister of Labour (the Hon. H. T. Armstrong) addressed a largely-attended meeting in the Majestic Theatre.

Mr Armstrong said that the latest figures showed that 89,000 more were now in full work than when the Government took office. The Government had been asked why the Employment Promotion tax of 8d had not been taken off, but that action, he said, would be deemed an election stunt which the Government would not make.

The Minister claimed that the guaranteed price had increased dairy farmers' incomes from £2/5/- a week in 1935 to £5/15/- in 1937, while this year it would be further increased.

A vote of confidence in and appreciation of the Government's humanitarian legislation was passed unanimously and musical honours were accorded the speaker.

improve the economic position of dairy farmers.

It appeared to him that the Government's main concern was to legislate for one particular section of the community at the expense of the primary producers and other sections.

REPUBLICAN RESISTANCE IS CRUMBLING IN THE SOUTH

Insurgents Inflict Very Heavy Losses In A Rapid Advance

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SALAMANCA, June 9.

Evidence is accumulating that the Republican resistance is crumbling on the Teruel-Castellon front.

The insurgents are inflicting heavy losses and are advancing rapidly toward Castellon, capturing large quantities of war materials and numerous prisoners. Large parties are left to bury hundreds of Republican dead as the rebels sweep forward.

The prospect of the insurgents tightening their grip on the Mediterranean coast line has greatly improved since the capture of Adzaneta, 15 miles from Castellon, by which the rebels acquired an excellent network of communications.

They are now hammering at Villa Farmes, 10 miles from Castellon, which is the Republican headquarters. Scores of insurgent aeroplanes are operating. The Republicans lost 11 machines yesterday.

Olympic Figure Resigns In America

Could Not Ask For Support For Team Going To Japan

Harvard Man

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NEW YORK, June 9.

A message from Boston says that Mr William Bingham, director of athletics at Harvard University, has resigned membership of the American Olympic Committee.

He said: "I could not ask the American people to support a team which is going to a country standing for what Japan does to-day."

GRAIN STORAGE IN BRITAIN

Scientific Inquiry

British Official Wireless. (Received June 9, 7 p.m.)

RUGBY, June 8.

A scientific survey by the Imperial College of Science and Technology, under the direction of the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research, has been undertaken for the purpose of considering the storage of grain and to evolve methods of dealing with the ever-increasing menace of grain pests, particularly of the weevil, the worst grain among those which bore into grain and breed with alarming rapidity.

The amount of damage for which this pest is responsible has in recent months caused various sections of industry and others concerned to consider the best steps for dealing with the problem.

As a result a standing conference, representing the various interested parties, has been established.

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PROGRAMMES ON THE AIR

Rebroadcast of First Cricket Test Match

A description of the first cricket Test match, England v. Australia, will be rebroadcast from Stations 1YA, 3YA, and 4YA between 10 and 11 o'clock to-night and from 2YA from 11 o'clock to-night to 5 o'clock to-morrow morning.

- 6.50-2YA-Weather for aviators. 7.00-Breakfast session from all main stations. 10.00-1YA-Devotional service and weather for aviators. 10.15-1YA-Recordings. 10.30-3YA-Devotional service. 10.45-2YA-Talk to women by Margaret. 11.00-2YA-Time signals. 11.00-3YA-Talk, Miss M. A. Blackmore, "Help for the Home Cook."

Derr Herrlichste von Allen; "Ich Kamm's Nicht Fassen"; "Ich Ring an Meinem Finger" (Schumann). 2YA-Chimes. Selected recordings. Carson Robison and Buckarows. (R) Geraldo and Orchestra. "Double or Nothing" Selection (Johnston, Burke). (R) Peter Dawson (bass-baritone), "Blue Venetian Waters" (Kaper, Jurnmann); "To-morrow is Another Day" (Jurnmann).

- 1.00-2YA-Weather for aviators. 2.00-1YA, 3YA and 4YA-Recordings. 2YA-Classical hour. 2.30-1YA-Classical hour. 3.00-2YA-Talk by A.C.E., "No More Toothaches." Sports results. 3.15-1YA-Sports results. 4YA-Talk by A.C.E., "Wet Day Games for Children." Sports results. Classical music. 3.30-1YA-Light music. 4YA-Weather for farmers. 4.00-1YA-Weather for farmers. 4.15-1YA-Sports results. 4.30-1YA-Light music. 5.00-Children's session from all stations.

8.21-3YA-Vera Yager, F.T.C.L., L.R.S.M. (pianoforte recital), (a) "Zigeuner-Noten" (gipsy tale); (a) Alla zingarese; (b) appassionato; (c) allegro (Pol-dini); (d) Rhapsody in F Sharp Minor (Dohnanyi). (R) Amelia Galli-Curci (soprano); (a) "The Gipsy and the Bird" (Benedict); (b) "Parla" Valse (Arditi); (c) "La Paloma" (Yradier); (d) "Lo, Hear the Gentle Lark" (Schubert).

- 6 P.M. TO 8 P.M. 6.00-Dinner music from all stations. 7.00-Government and overseas news from all stations. 7.30-1YA-Sports talk, Gordon Hunter. 7.35-3YA-Talk under auspices of Christchurch Branch of the National Council of Women. 8 P.M. TO 10 P.M. 8.00-1YA-Concert programme. (R) Berlin State Opera Orchestra, Symphony No. 5 in B Flat (Schubert). (R) Lotte Lehmann (soprano) in songs from "Women's Life and Love"; "Seit Ich Ihn Gesehen"; "Er, TRANSPORT SERVICES.

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The aeroplane, the Hawker Hurricane, has made itself famous by covering the 327 miles from Edinburgh to Northolt at a speed of 408 miles an hour, but as it was helped on this trip by a strong tailwind no sound deduction as to its top speed could be made. It was at least clear that the Hurricane as issued to the squadrons was faster than the prototype, which was tested at Martlesham Heath, but, as the production model has never been subjected to similar trials, there is no official information concerning its speed.

Outstanding in this class. A few vital facts are known with certainty. The landing speed is 60 miles an hour. It is therefore safe to assume that the stalling speed is not lower than 55 miles an hour. It is also established that the split flaps on the trailing edge of the wing are so efficient that the aeroplane's speed range is in the ratio of six to one. From this it may be deduced that the top speed is not less than 330 miles an hour and may quite possibly be 335 miles an hour.

Not only are its chances of intercepting or overtaking bombers usually better than those of a heavily armed for dealing with them. It carries eight of the new Browning machine-guns, all mounted in the leading edge of the wing and trained so that their cone of fire would be concentrated on the target at the most effective range. None of the guns fires through the area swept by the airscrew, and therefore the complication of interrupter gear is removed.

The machine is of low-wing design and metal construction with a fabric covering. Its undercarriage legs retract inwards and slightly backward and are enclosed within the underside of the wing when retracted. The pilot's cockpit is enclosed and is equipped with all the latest instruments for blind flying. The loaded weight is about 6000lb.

(a) "Whistling Gipsy" Waltz (Evans); (b) "A Gipsy Wedding" (Traditional Gipsy Airs) (arr. Mantovani). 4YA-Frederick Collier (Australian bass-baritone), "The Monkey's Carol" (Stanford); "Love Me or Not" (Seechi); "The Horn" ("Le Cor") (Flegler); "Myself When Young" (Lehmann); "The Old Superb" (Stanford). 9.20-1YA-(R) London Symphony Orchestra, "In a Summer Garden" (Delius). James Leighton (baritone), "Silver" (Armstrong Gibbs); "Summer Schemes" (Mantovani); "Fear No More the Heat of the Sun" (Walford Davies). 4YA-Readings by Professor T. D. Adams, with musical interludes. Readings from Charles Kingsley (born June 12, 1819); "Westward Ho!"-"The Old Mariners of England"; "Sir Amias Pursues Two of His Missing Men"; "Sir Amias in Pursuit of the Sparrows"; "The Last Buccaneer." Music from Beethoven (Fifth Symphony) and Wagner ("The Valkyrie").

9.40-2YA-(R) Band of the Royal Air Force, "A Country Girl" Selection (Monckton). 9.42-1YA-(R) London Philharmonic Orchestra, "Facade" Suite (William Walton). 9.48-2YA-(R) Phyllis Robins (light vocal), "Honey-Coloured Morning" (Wayne). (R) Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards, "The Linnet's Parade" (Ebrever); "Il Bacio" (Arditi) (cornet solo by Corporal West). (R) Massed Cavalry Bands of Aldershot and Eastern Commands, "Crown and Commonwealth" Quick March (Adams). 9.56-3YA-(R) Boston Promenade Orchestra, "Entry of the Boys" March (Halvorsen).

10 P.M. TO 5 A.M. 10.00-1YA, 3YA, 4YA-Rebroadcast of first cricket Test match, England versus Australia, played at Trent Bridge. 2YA-Dance programme of new recordings, with swing session composed by Arthur Pearce, 10.28 to 10.30. Time signals (superimposed on programme). 11.00 to 5 a.m.-2YA-Rebroadcast of first cricket Test BBC PROGRAMME 4.30 p.m. Big Ben. "The Adventures of Jack and Jill" episode 4; "Jack and Jill Go to the River"; Series of musical plays. 5.10 p.m. "My Best News Story-4: The First Aeroplane Across the Atlantic." Talk by J. L. Hodson. 5.30 p.m. Regimental Band, "The Colour, in Honour of the Birthday of His Majesty the King. 6.10 p.m. Next week's programmes. 6.20 p.m. News and announcements. 6.45 p.m. Close down.

"RUBBISH WRITTEN IN THE NAME OF EDUCATION" "Time For 'Debunking,'" Says 'Father Lysaght; Human Nature as True Basis

"I am convinced that the time has come for 'debunking' cart-loads of rubbish written in the name of education. We are not seeing the wood for the trees. We are applying the yardstick to things like personality and character, and classifying, cataloguing and testing without being creative."

This comment was made by the Rev. Father A. Lysaght, Rector of St. Patrick's College, Wellington, in the Commemoration Day address at St. Bede's College, Christchurch. He supported his contention that there was no greater danger in education than to particularise and to pigeon-hole, with independent consideration, just a few aspects, forgetting that human nature was the material of education, and human destiny its end. The Catholic conception of human nature as the only basis of sound education was correct, he said.

Wrestling and Boxing FINE PROGRAMME Hastings and District Gymnastic Club TO-NIGHT'S BOUTS

The Hastings and District Gymnastic Club has completed arrangements for another fine programme for a special open night boxing and wrestling tournament to be held at the Favourite Hall in Warren Street, Hastings, at 8 o'clock to-night.

A feature of the evening will be the special exhibition boxing bout between Brian McKay, the professional boxer who recently beat Kelly at Gisborne and Bert McKay, who is well known in boxing circles at Hastings.

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Keeping Out Gate-Crasher

Stricter Control Proposed By Hostesses

With the London season now "officially open"—the Royal Academy's summer exhibition and the opera at Covent Garden leading the way—the old question of keep out gate-crashers has arisen once again. Plans for keeping out these are being put to the test at the May dances.

Mothers of debutante daughters believe that they have evolved a system for making it impossible to gate-crash Queen Charlotte's birthday ball, to which the Duke and Duchess are going this week. Strict control of the entrance at Grosvenor House will prevent the uninvited from admission without a ticket. Should the gate-crasher get through his presence would be challenged at the supper tables, which are all numbered and in charge of hostesses who know everyone sitting there.

Chaperones are to be banned in one sitting-out room. It will bear the label "for young people only" and have chairs for two grouped together.

The Royal Duke's fanfare, composed by Major H. E. Adkins, of the Royal Military School of Music, for the moment in the Coronation procession when the Royal Dukes passed by, is to be played on trumpets by student army bandmasters at the end of the birthday cake ceremony.

A first fanfare will be sounded when 245 debutantes bring in the cake for the Duchess of Gloucester to cut. A hundred nannies and governesses will watch their former charges in their debutante frocks. A dart parlour is being arranged as an alternative to dancing.

In the days of water shortage and frequent dust-storms, some countrywomen may like to try this way of keeping the bath clean. Make a cover of calico or old sheeting. Cut it a few inches larger than the bath, hem it all round, and run elastic in the hem. Fit the cover over the bath. It is easy to remove and replace.

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Mayfair debutantes are wearing frocks like this for the gaieties of the London season. The frilly flounced model, with its demure short sleeves, is from Jean Patou, and has a narrow belt of deep cyclamen. palest rose organza is the material.

Clashes Twixt Mother and Daughter

It Is Well to Step Warily When Tastes in Dress Are Involved

Mothers whose daughters are eagerly awaiting the arrival of snow-white-and-the-seven-dwarf prints for their blouses or the "Pluto" silks for their dresses may well ask themselves, How much fantasy do girls like? Why do they reject what their mothers choose and yet like it when they make their own whimsical purchases?

It is a question of modernity of spirit. To begin with, the young, though they must of necessity live in homes decorated according to their parents' taste of nearly twenty years ago, have a right to clothes that are actually of today. Too often mothers think in terms equally of fabrics and fashions as suitable to girls twenty years ago, when the mothers were growing up.

Girls like "amusing" clothes as a slice in their wardrobes, no more. They will like, for example, a famous dress designer's Christmas-tree ornaments for their buttons or clips (exquisitely silvered and coloured tiny balls as buttons, or candle-holders as clips), but they must be on some severely simple dress. Offer them silvery or coloured ornaments that fastenings on a tinsel dress and they would reject it.

And what is the moral? There is none, only the general conclusion that they were perpetuating the faults of the last generation. As a country we are sure that we are better off in our own judgments than we are in our mothers'.

But when you saw these same girls in the daytime they were admirably dressed in tweed suits, topped with overcoats planned to "belong." The blouses they wore were less good, but their sweaters and cardigans were excellent. Their hats left something to be desired (but isn't the lack of first-class sports hats something we all feel?), yet their gloves and shoes were simple and good.

Modish, But Not Romantic

They divide "amusing" and tailored clothes (again rightly) into quite separate and definite classes. Suits and coats must be as strict as possible. Though the fabric may be colourful or flecked with multi-coloured details, there to be details severe as to revers, shoulders, buttons, pockets. But dance dresses may be as glittering, as glamorous, as can be managed. Romantic? Hardly; they jib at the word. Modish? Yes.

"But she never likes the things I suggest . . . well, if it's a command, that's one thing, but if it's a suggestion it is that it is an Aunt Sally in ideas, there to be knocked down—or not. So if your girl does not like the idea of pale blue, or tulle, or bouffant skirts, of covered shoulders, all you can do is to put the arguments as clearly as possible before her and abide by her decision.

The real argument is that covered shoulders are good when young arms have not yet filled out or when the tops of arms are not yet refined down. Bouffant skirts are charming with very slim waists and fine hips: a girl is right to reject them if she has not yet acquired slimmness.

Moreover, tulle only suits a very few young things. Pale blue is admirable with dark girls, but suits hardly any fair ones until they acquire enough poise to balance a certain insipidity of tone.

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The Garden In June

TIMELY HINTS

Now is the Season to Prepare for Spring

This is one of the busiest months in the garden, for there is so much to be done to make everything shipshape for the late winter and early spring.

Those well-loved autumn favourites, chrysanthemums, are beginning to look sadly dilapidated, and will require to be cut back as soon as the flowering is finished. The clumps should be lifted carefully, and removed to a sunny corner of the garden. Cover them with soil and leave them till the time comes for the cuttings to be taken—July or August.

Dahlias must be left to die before being removed. The tubers should be stored in dry sand until time for planting again.

Herbaceous plants can be lifted now with safety and divided. Some hardy, herbaceous perennials are best left undisturbed for many years to get the best results. Many growers attribute their failure with certain perennials to the fact that the clumps are lifted every other year, instead of being left until the deterioration of the plant points out the necessity for division.

Gypsophila takes a long time to become established, and many other plants only reach the zenith of their beauty when they have developed into large clumps. Violets, on the other hand, should be lifted and divided every year. They like rich soil and plenty of moisture.

Plants of the common yellow primrose that grows so prolifically beside the burns of Scotland and in the English lanes make an attractive border for the flower-beds, and should be obtainable now. If you would like everlastings, grow some statice (or sea lavender).

There are different varieties of this plant, and, besides being delightful tenants of the garden, the flowers help to solve the gift problem at Christmas, as they are exceptionally useful for making up in baskets and floral dolls, etc.

ROSE STILL THE QUEEN OF FLOWERS

The rose still holds its own as the queen of flowers, and some of the newest and breathtakingly beautiful, and deserve to find a place in every garden.

It is worth while to buy the best, and, although the outlay in the beginning for good rose trees is higher than for many other plants, when one considers how long labour is entailed in caring for them, and the unlimited supply of blooms the bushes yielded every year, the cost is really small in comparison.

Allow each bush plenty of room, planting dwarfs of moderate growth three to four feet apart, and those of harder growth five to six feet. Rich, clayey loam is ideal, and, of course, good drainage is necessary. The ground should be trenched to a depth of about two feet, and plenty of well-rotted manure should be incorporated with the sub-soil. The soil should be allowed to settle well before planting, and the surface soil dressed with lime, which should be raked in after a week or so.

Roses are pruned before they leave the nursery, but should the plants be dry or shrivelled when they arrive, lay them flat in a trench, covered with soil, water them well, and leave them for a few days. They can then be planted out with safety.

In planting roses or other shrubs, hold the plant in the left hand in the hole which is to be made for it, and spread out the roots with the right. Fill in round the roots with fine soil, and tread round the plant firmly. Give a good soaking of water, and then fill in the rest of the soil.

Roses look best when planted in beds by themselves, although, when space is a consideration, smaller plants can be introduced between the bushes.

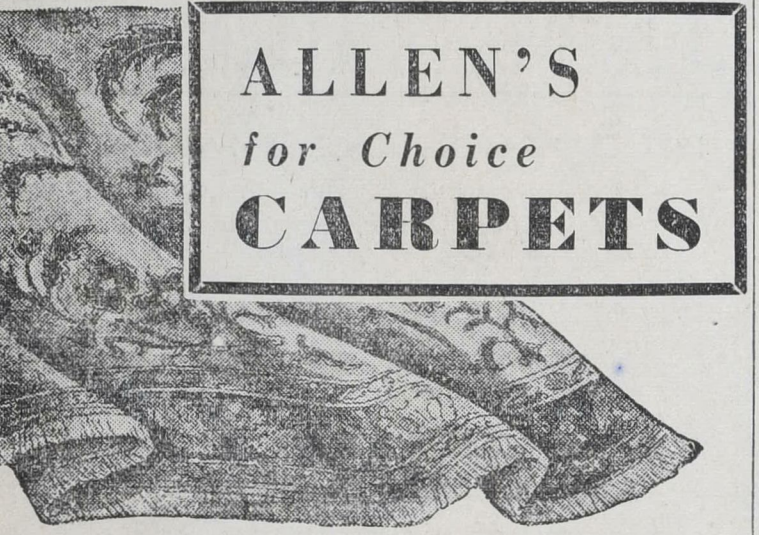
The different varieties are bush roses, standards and climbers.

a little at an experiment she is making, that, after all, is only self-love. The other mothers will blame it on you, think that is an expression of your taste? Well, if that is the only little cross you have to bear as a mother you would be very lucky, wouldn't you?

This is a difficult year with the young. The word "glamour" is batted about to every corner. Heads are over-dressed, frocks over-trimmed, colours mixed in a new and difficult way, and the romantic easily becomes the tawdry. It's hard not to say, "For heaven's sake, child, take off that sequin thing and all those ornaments," but you've got to do it. So, even if you know that white tulle, a blue faulle cash, and some fresh flowers would look heaven on the child, give her her head and see if in a year's time it hasn't proved worth it.

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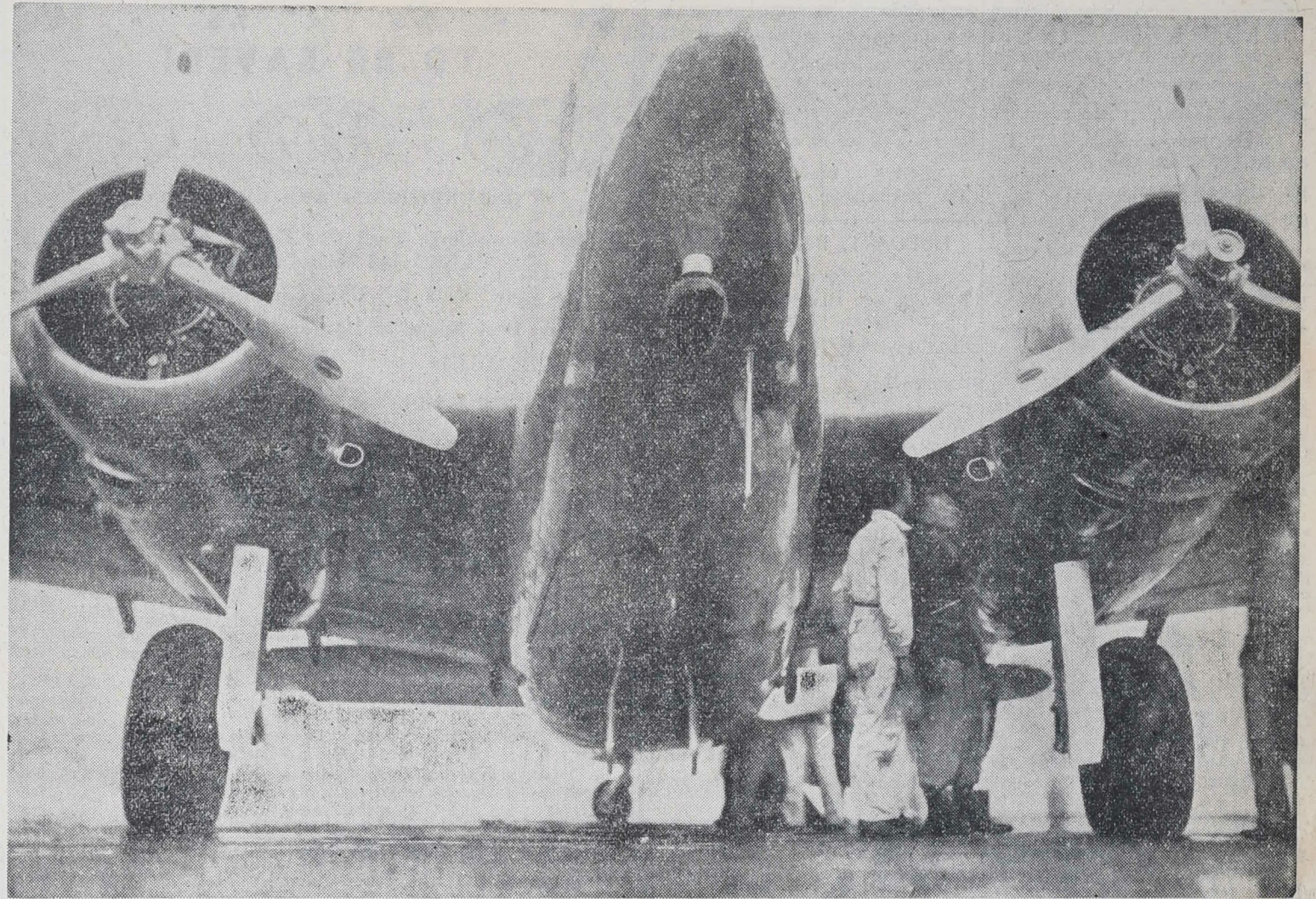
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AN EAST COAST STUDY BY THE "DAILY MAIL" CAMERAMAN.—Waipiro Bay, looking from the Waipiro Maternity Hospital.



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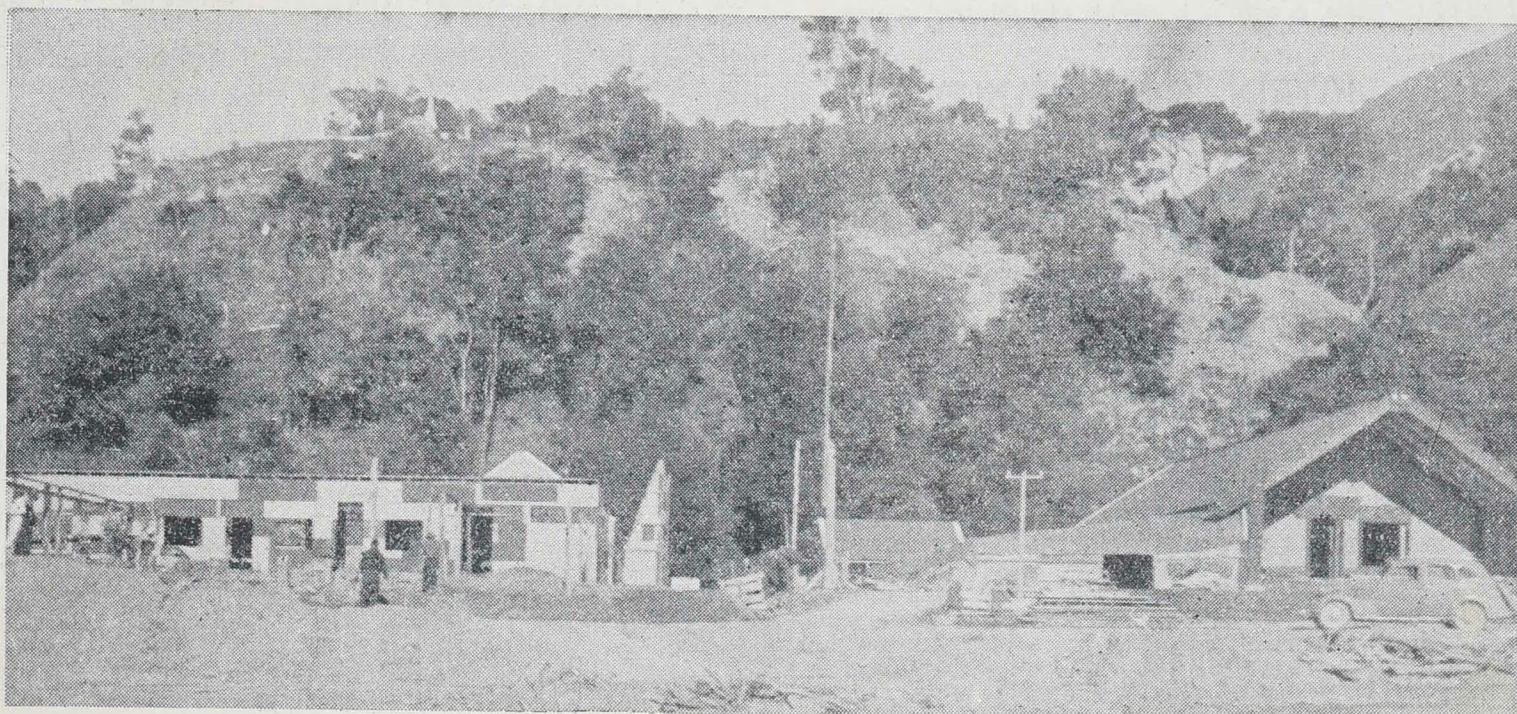
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HON. P. FRASER'S VISIT TO EAST COAST DISTRICTS.—The Minister and Mrs Fraser snapped by the "Daily Mail" cameraman outside the new meeting house at Waiomatatini on the property of Sir Apirana Ngata.



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BRITISH DESTROYER IS TO INVESTIGATE

Rebel Air-Raid on Shipping REFUSAL TO GUARANTEE SAFETY Brusque Nationalist Communique

The British destroyer Vanoc has arrived at Alicante to investigate the raids on British shipping, says the Madrid correspondent of "The Times."

The small and entirely British-owned port of Gandia, 40 miles south of Valencia, was bombed at midnight. A British dredger was disabled and two warehouses were destroyed.

The harbour was used chiefly for the exportation of fruit and vegetables. Owing to repeated bombings of Valencia, British cruisers and destroyers were using Gandia. The British colours are painted on the roofs of the warehouses.

It is reliably stated that the Pope has instructed Cardinal Pacelli to send a message to General Franco regretting the bombing of open cities and non-combatants, says the Vatican City correspondent of the "Daily Telegraph."

A Barcelona message says that 100 were killed and many injured in a Nationalist air-raid on the frontier town of El Escorial. Forty houses were destroyed.

Ten Spanish officers have arrived at Berlin to urge further help to finish off Republican resistance, says the Berlin correspondent of the "News-Chronicle."

A message from Gibraltar says that three armoured merchantmen brought further contingents to Algeciras from Ceuta.

Late Sporting Handicaps For Third Day

ELLERSLIE CONCLUDES Large Fields Engaged To-morrow

TAMAKI STEEPLECHASE, of £350; 21 miles.—Royal Mimic, Bryce £350; 21 miles.—Full of Scotch 11.2, Lady England 10.13, Kilberis 10.12, Celtic Lad 10.9, Innes Lad 10.7, High Star 10.4, Simint 9.11, Poritit 9.7, Siwell, Orac 9.5, Hawthorn, Erick, Windsor Lass, Fahae Mea, Professional, Mana, Piripi, Selsman, Jaro Ridd, Floodlight, Ruling King, King Musk, Chief Lap, Red Hawk, Bass, In Command, The Trimmer 9.0.

YORK HANDICAP, of £500; one mile.—Whirling 9.9, Floodtide 9.3, King Rey 9.2, Master Brerly 9.0, Kilona 8.11, Gay Rose 8.9, Yalamoto 8.8, Notium, Malangi 8.2, Engle Knight of Australia, Prince Ace 8.1, Cheval de Volee 7.12, Valmit 7.11, Gold Vaals, Clessamor 7.10, Marri Star 7.9, Miss Lu, Day Wind 7.8, Tybalt 7.6, Grateful, Red Sand 7.5, Waitaka 7.4, Sky 7.3, Surella, Erndale 7.2, High Test, Happy Landing, Light Comedy, Student Prince, Jack Tar, King Musk, Loomination, Prince Rangl, Gay Rebel, Hunting Hood, High Tea, Arawa Rose, High Sea 7.0.

WINTER STEEPLECHASE, of £750; three miles.—Clarion Call 11.7, Jolly Beggar 11.5, Royal Limond 10.9, Erination 10.6, Irish Comet 10.5, Riotous, All Irish 10.3, Windsor Lad, Valben 10.2, Royal Mimic, Bryce Street 9.9, Sandrift 9.7, Arctic Star 9.3, Smillie Thru, London, Mio Lume, Desert Star, My Money, Sporting Song, Wykemist, Count Rousillon, Golden England, Kinkie, Artful Dodger, Lucidus, Survoy, Hirangi 9.0.

CAMPBELL HURDLE RACE, of £450; two miles.—Erination 11.11, King's Archer 11.3, Silk Sox 11.2, Iddo 10.9, Lady England 9.10, Kilberis 9.8, Celtic Lad 9.6, Valpai 9.4, High Star 9.1, Mio Lume, Orac, Mia Acrea, Killard 9.0.

VISITORS' HANDICAP, of £400; six furlongs.—Whirling 10.3, Rolylicker 9.10, Notium 9.9, Prince Ace 9.3, Farland 8.12, Maori Song 8.9, Crooning 8.7, Trilliarich 8.6, Gay Seton 8.5, Te Monowai, Johnny Walls, Surella, Hunting Blood 8.4, St. Barrister 8.3, Melvanu 8.1, Surfloer Guard, Sweet Rose, Rospai, Land Girl, Pirate King, Tonnerre 8.0.

FITZROY HANDICAP, of £350; one mile.—General Rose 10.4, Loomination 10.1, Du Maurier 9.13, Jack Tar 9.12, Requiem, Happy Landing 9.1, Barrister 9.9, Redra Day 9.3, Mal de Mer, Ohmah 9.0, Gay Sister 8.12, Vaals 8.11, Cometarium, Alyth 8.8, Disturbed 8.6, Silver Glow, High Sea 8.3, Hawthorn 8.2, Muskion, Bronze Wing 8.1, El Moyall, Frontino, Heskettown, Libra, Aymon, Master Appellant, General Risko, Mio Fratello, Rajanya, Siega, School Song, Captain Bruce, Fleur d'Or, Parade, Sing Lee, Huntsman's anus, Topoteu, Bright Idea 8.0.

ILLNESS OF ATKINS UNABLE TO RIDE

Owing to the illness of the Hawke's Bay jockey, P. Atkins, who is understood to have contracted measles, Pirate King and Notur were scratched at Ellerslie to-day.



PRIVATE VISIT OF HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN TO ALL HALLOWS CHURCH. THE GUILD CHURCH OF TOC H, AND TO THE WAKEFIELD TRUST HOUSES ON POWER HILL.—Her Majesty the Queen, with children in the Wakefield Gardens.

GREAT DOPE-RING IS UNMASKED IN FRANCE

Coup After Ten Years' Wait: Peruvian Diplomat Said To Be Involved

PARIS, June 9. The Surete (French Police Department) believes that the arrest of a multi-millionaire restaurateur, Louis Lyon, aged 50, unmasks the world's greatest dope-ring. The coup is the result of 10 years' patient investigation by the Surete, Scotland Yard and American Department of Investigation.

Many arrests are expected, including former holders of high political office throughout Europe. The police declare that it has been established that Lyon had an accomplice, the Peruvian diplomat Carlo Bacula, who was recently arrested at Zurich. It is alleged that diplomatic valises were used to convey drugs across the frontier.

Lyon is reported to have employed a corps of women who travelled the world carrying drugs. The French police have applied for the extradition of Mrs Viorne Salti from London. She is alleged to be a close friend of Lyon and Bacula, says the Paris correspondent of the "Daily Mail."

Victor Casanave, Lyon's brother-in-law, told the examining magistrate that Lyon used Casanave's restaurant, near the British Embassy, as a distributing centre. Casanave's suspicions were aroused after the sudden death in 1932 of his brother, founder of the restaurant, as a result of which an immense fortune went to Lyon's wife.

Sullivan May Not Be Fit

RUGBY GAME Severe Kick On Thigh

By Telegraph—Press Association. NEW PLYMOUTH, June 9. J. L. Sullivan, captain of the North Island Rugby team, may not be fit to play against the South Island on Saturday. He received a severe kick on the thigh in the match against Wellington last Saturday and his leg is still affected.

SELECTION OF ALL BLACKS

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, June 9. Illness has prevented Mr J. G. Wales, of Auckland, from accepting the appointment as referee for the inter-Island Rugby football match to be played at Athletic Park on Saturday.

Loan Proposed

Replacing Facilities Destroyed In 'Quake

An expenditure of £50,000 on new buildings at the Napier and Hastings Memorial Hospitals is provided for in the estimates of the Hawke's Bay Hospital Board, which will be presented at the meeting of the board on Monday.

Nurses' accommodation ... £13,500 Children's ward ... 9,250 X-ray block ... 4,200 Preliminary school ... 2,000 Mortuary ... 1,500 Nurses' recreation hall ... 800

Hastings Hospital Children's ward ... £4,900 Nurses' accommodation ... 4,900 Nurses' recreation hall ... 2,550

At the Hastings Hospital the greatest individual item of expenditure will be the children's ward, but no estimate has been reached for this work, as the Health Department has not yet decided what type of structure should be erected.

There would be comparatively no variation in the budgeting requirements this year as compared with last, said Mr E. T. Rees, managing secretary to the board, yesterday.

THE FIRST TEST AT NOTTS

Probable Teams For To-day Both are Strong Australia Has A Very Weak Tail

It is difficult to assess chances in the first Test, which begins at Nottingham to-day. Australia's success so far on the tour has been phenomenal, while the English team, which will include much new blood, is as yet an untried quantity.

Australia has a formidable array of batsmen, but also a very weak tail. England, on the other hand, will field a very strong side, with a far less pronounced tail.

Table listing probable teams for Australia and England, including players like W. R. Hammond, C. L. Bradman, and W. J. Edrich.

WORLD'S FINEST PLAYERS ARE TO MEET

Australia England Don Bradman is now in his 11th year of first-class cricket. In that period he has scored the magnificent total of 12,661 runs, at an average of 95.57.

He heads the aggregate and averages for the present tour with 1056 runs at 150.85.

C. L. Hassett, who is making his first tour of England, struck form early and has become popular with English crowds. A patient batsman, he is, nevertheless, a fast scorer.

Although the Hastings hockey teams are marking time until the association links up with Napier, they continue to hold matches.

MCCABE'S POOR RECORD

S. J. McCabe has had trouble in finding form in England. In the second game of the tour, against Oxford, he made 10, but since then has only once reached 50.

McCormick is not a great fast bowler, but if he can overcome his inaccuracy should trouble the English batsmen. In the early matches on the present tour McCormick was not-balled over 50 times, but lately he seems to have overcome his difficulty with the run up. He had fair success against England in Australia last year, when he was hampered by a weak back.

The defence policy was as effective as time permitted, and would be made more effective as soon as possible, i.e. as soon as the democratic nations of the earth could not afford to be trampled underfoot.

EXPLANATION OF POLICY WANTED

Challenge By Minister HON. P. FRASER'S SPEECH AT GISBORNE

The Mayor of Gisborne (Mr D. W. Coleman, M.P.) presided, and introduced the speaker. Mrs Fraser and Mr A. G. Hultquist, M.P. for Bay of Plenty, were also on the stage.

"If our policy can't stand a depression period then it isn't a policy. We think it is," said the Minister. "We are prepared to stand by it, and we believe that if it goes on in the London market we can still save the country from the calamity and disaster of 1931."

The Minister also quoted the figures of the Government Life Insurance office to show the greater prosperity existing to-day in comparison with 1935. New business amounted to just over £2,000,000, he said, and in 1937 it was £3,400,000.

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Ward ... 5 28 36 12.00 O'Reilly ... 5 23 51 10.20 McCormick ... 15 357 28.80 Fleetwood-Smith ... 6 2 10 30 7.50

Palmerston North Bout By Telegraph—Press Association. PALMERSTON N., June 9. A capacity house witnessed the wrestling bout between "Lofty" Blomfield and Andy Moen. The decision, after eight rounds of spectacular work without either securing a fall, was a draw.

Pithead baths, which have cost £31,000 and will accommodate 2700 men, were opened at Rossington Colliery, near Doncaster, lately.

There's the force in a resolute will And Woods' Great Peppermint Cure.

MAORIS HELPED "TO LIFT UP THEIR HEADS"

Sir Apirana Ngata's Praise MINISTER OF EDUCATION IS EULOGISED Reception at Waiomatatini

"The work of restoring marae is helping the Maori people to lift up their heads. Nothing hurts them more than to see their once proud buildings in ruins..."

SEATING FUND TO BENEFIT

TOTAL OF £211 RAISED RECORD AMOUNT Performance by Minstrels

The seating fund for the Napier Municipal Theatre will benefit to the extent of £211/9/1 as a result of the performances given by the Frivolity Minstrels on Saturday and Monday.

The amount raised was the greatest since the society was formed in 1898. The previous best total was £82, which was collected in 1929 at a performance to raise money for the Hawke's Bay Children's Home.

Wide Support. In forwarding the cheque to the Napier Borough Council, Mr S. P. Spiller, secretary of the Minstrels, said that the result had only been made possible by the great support of all classes of the community...



NAPIER-WAIROA ROAD NOW OPEN TO GENERAL SERVICE TRAFFIC.—A photograph taken by the "Daily Mail" cameraman of the service car negotiating one of the sharp bends on the narrow road at the point where the railway passes over the highway.

HUTT PETITIONS DISMISSED

Election Result Not Affected Hearing Concluded Evidence Was Indefinite, Says Magistrate

The petitions brought seeking to have the recent Lower Hutt Mayoral and council elections declared void were dismissed by Mr H. P. Lawry, S.M., to-day, at the conclusion of three days' hearing into the conduct of the elections.

Dismissing the petitions, the Magistrate said that he could not find in all the evidence any particular allegation supported to the extent of showing that the result of the elections was affected. He had looked carefully to see if any witness would be produced with some definite statement showing that there had been an effect on the council election.

He stated that this was not so much on the ground of the expense, which would naturally follow a fresh election, but on the point that before an election could be upset, evidence must be clear and convincing.

The witnesses in every case had refrained from voting for some personal reason rather than any irregularity, and in the cases of those who claimed that they were refused declaration votes, the evidence was insufficient to show that they had applied to the proper official, said the Magistrate.

One of these persons may have been sufficient to have a material effect on the election of councillors, where only one vote separated the last successful candidate and the highest-polling unsuccessful candidate, but nothing had been done which could have in any way affected the Mayoral election, proceeded the Magistrate.

He could not hold that any one such vote was proved to be disallowed. The following is the draw for the men's foursome to be played to-morrow afternoon at 1 p.m. as follows: F. J. Hawley and F. J. Green, J. H. Holder and H. L. Penman, E. F. Rush and H. L. Benjamin, W. J. Rush and H. E. Toulmin, E. Marshall and N. O'Hara-Smith, 12.52; Ellingham v. Aralsh, 12.55; J. Irwin v. D. Armstrong, 12.58; Herbert v. S. Eaton, 1.1; Naim v. James, 1.4; Purser v. Dorrington, 1.7; Farquharson v. Anderson, 1.10; Dr. Beedie v. Dowell, 1.13; Pollock v. Kitt, 1.16; Bullock v. Melles, 1.19; Gordon v. Ruby, 1.22; Prichard v. Tate, 1.25; C. Hansard v. Bailey, 1.28.

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INCREASE OF ONLY £230 IN RATES IN HASTINGS.

Mr. Maddison Outlines Probable Estimates: "A Satisfactory Position"

Very little increase in the Hastings Borough rates for the current year is anticipated by the Mayor of Hastings (Mr G. A. Maddison). In a statement last evening to the council meeting, Mr Maddison said that although the estimates were not yet ready for release, from the present indications there would be very little increase in the borough rates.

"So far as the estimates are concerned, I believe that it will be possible to get through the year's work without any great increase in the rates struck in the borough last year," said Mr Maddison. "If we can do that, it will be a gratifying position. Of course, that depends on the way in which we consider the estimates."

There would have to be an increase in the comprehensive rates levied in the borough, said Mr Maddison as the rates struck by the council for the Hawke's Bay Hospital Board and the Napier Harbour Board had increased by £1360.

This increase would have to be handed on to the ratepayers. If the council were called upon to account for these increases, it would be against the interests of good administration. He hoped the time would come when these outside local bodies would be called upon to collect their own rates.

"I will, I think, be possible to get through our year with an increase of only £230 in the borough rates, which represents only a very small amount, .05 in the £1," said Mr Maddison. "This increase is brought about mostly by increases in wages."

"This, however, may be upset if the council has to find interest and sinking fund on its loan indebtedness to the Government through the Earthquake Loans."

Earthquake Loans. Mr Maddison recalled how, at the beginning of the year, he had made application to the Government that the council might be released from this debt. No reply had yet come to hand from the Minister of Finance (the Hon. Walter Nash).

If this amount of interest and sinking fund had to be found, the present rates would have to be increased by another £800. He then moved that the council should go into committee to consider the estimates. The motion was carried.

Councillor For 14 Years Tributes Paid "Fine Example of Citizenship"

LATE MR. P. M. COHR Tributes to the work of the late Mr P. M. Cohr, a member of the Hastings Borough Council for 14 years, whose death occurred recently, were paid by the Mayor of Hastings (Mr G. A. Maddison) at a meeting of the Hastings Borough Council last evening.

A motion of sympathy was passed by those present to Mr Cohr's relatives. "Since the last meeting of the council, death has claimed a gentleman who was widely known in the general life of our town, and who served the people particularly for 14 years as a borough councillor," said Mr Maddison.

It was with a very full sense of regret and sorrow that I refer to the passing of Mr P. M. Cohr, about whom it can be truly said, 'He died in the service of his district' for only a few weeks had passed between his death and his active participation in civic administration.

Fourteen Years. "He had a record of service of 14 years, for nine of which he occupied the responsible position of chairman of the works committee, and since he first entered this chamber and until his retirement, he saw and was associated with the greatest period of progress in the history of our municipality. He was a practical man—a man of few words. Nevertheless, he gave a detailed study to council affairs, and an almost daily attention to matters concerning his department."

"Of course he, like other public men, found it impossible to please everybody. Nevertheless, he carried out his work most conscientiously, and always with a full regard for the welfare of Hastings and its people."

"The late Mr Cohr, in his private life, was the soul of honour, rigid in his principles, but most right in his aims. He was a man of great goodness and goodness of his life. Those councillors who sat with the late Mr Cohr for so many years will miss his geniality, but we must be thankful that we were privileged to enjoy his company and his service for such a long time."

TWO SHIFTS WANTED ON SEWER OUTFALL WORK

Further Representations For Contractor To Be Made By Hastings Council

The Hastings Borough Council is to approach the Department of Labour and, if necessary, the Minister of Labour, the Hon. H. T. Armstrong, for permission for its contractor on the sewer outfall to work two shifts daily instead of one. At present the Labour Department has forbidden the working of two shifts daily.

Reporting to the Hastings Borough Council meeting last evening, the Mayor (Mr G. A. Maddison) said that an inspection had been made recently of the outfall, and it had been discovered that it was essential that this work should be finished as soon as possible in the interests of public health.

Consequently, the contractor had considered that it would be advisable to employ two shifts to finish the work quickly, and in order to make use of the two low tide periods a day. The Labour Department had refused a request for permission to work two shifts, but he felt that in view of the urgency of the scheme's completion the authorities should be approached to try to obtain permission.

He moved that the Department of Labour should be approached to obtain permission to work the two shifts, and failing this that the council should apply, on behalf of the contractor, to the Minister of Labour, the Hon. H. T. Armstrong. The motion was carried.

Maraenui Golf Club SECOND ROUND Draw Arranged for To-morrow TEAMS MATCHES

The following is the draw for the second qualifying round of the Maraenui Golf Club's championships to be played to-morrow: J. Durlie plays F. D. Logan; P. K. Peters plays L. Gasson; W. E. Turner plays A. McLachlan; H. R. Gasson plays T. Dobson; E. M. Reilly plays W. Duthie; J. F. Bowler plays J. M. Stephens; J. S. Gelling plays P. F. Martin; C. C. Johansen plays H. J. Templeton; G. Harris plays C. Milne; S. Emerson plays N. W. Smith; T. J. Simmonds plays J. D. Quayle; A. W. Gunson plays A. Champion; C. D. Anderson plays R. L. Badley; J. G. Hawke plays E. K. Lomas; H. B. Lomas plays J. M. Mason; C. O. Morse plays P. M. Higgins; F. R. Watters plays C. Brew; B. Dineen plays D. A. Irwin; S. Taylor plays H. George; R. P. North plays E. Mathewson; H. McLeod plays A. Haraldsen; H. M. Bennett plays W. Elwick; H. R. Horsnell plays J. A. McLean; C. N. Mitchell plays J. Broadbelt; R. M. Gerbes plays J. D. Bull; K. R. O'Halloran plays H. R. Holt; W. Taylor plays N. A. Mackenzie; S. A. Bradshaw plays J. W. Parker; J. Ritchie plays W. H. Milne; G. S. Cabot plays S. Sinclair; A. J. Ellingham plays R. H. Le Pine; R. K. McGiven plays H. Bull; N. G. Krebs plays S. Stokes; F. R. Ashton plays K. J. White; J. Pegram plays B. W. Morse; G. J. Grace plays B. M. Bennett; R. E. Stone plays G. S. Hay; T. McCullough plays A. P. Clark; T. H. Russell plays A. L. Cox.

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Any player unable to participate is requested to notify the secretary immediately.

MIXED FOURSOME PLAYED Golf at Parkvale

BEST SCORES OF YESTERDAY

The following are the best cards returned in a mixed foursome played at the Parkvale links yesterday afternoon: Mrs Ashworth and L. Drummond 81, 191-63; Miss Murray and J. Stringer 90, 261-63; Mrs Simpson and R. Atwood 87, 201-65; Miss Owen and N. R. Owen 88, 30-68; Mrs Davidson and W. Blakey 90, 20-70; Mrs Cross and L. Henry 88, 121-72; Mrs Garrod and H. Ribbands 84, 11-73; Mrs Watkins and W. Watkins 104, 20-74; Mrs Coles and H. C. Cain 96, 21-75.

Mixed Foursome To-morrow. A mixed foursome will be played on the Parkvale links to-morrow. Play will commence at 1.15 p.m. and members are to choose their own partners.

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Humphries Cup Match Games At Waiohiki Links NAPIER CLUB

The following draw has been arranged for the Humphries Cup competition to be played at the Napier Golf Club's links at Waiohiki to-morrow: Falls play H. Willis and Connell.

F. H. Simpson and Worker play Wells and Cato. Longsta. and Louison play Edg. ley and J. Clark.

R. D. Zettle and Dinnie play A. McClurg and Griffiths. J. W. White and Gardiner play Marshall and Ayling.

Fisher and Beswick play Somerset-Smith and Burkett. R. D. Zettle and Lawry play Crosse and Murray.

Troubeck and Wylie play Sinclair and Hay. Hobs and Dalgleish play Tizard and Reid.

Beck and Cutfield play Metcalf and Hall. Templeton and Inglis play C. Headley and Sproule. McLeod and Morris play Davies and Fryer.

J. S. Clark and Barlow play winner and Geddiss and Falls v. H. Willis and Connell.

L. S. McClurg and Fussell play winner and Fisher and Beswick v. Somerset-Smith and Burkett. Grant and Spain play Retemeyer and H. R. Clark.

Woon and Simpson play Kawhe and Brown. Mapu and Tareha play G. and S. Canning.

St. Lawrence and Atkinson play Harris and Nash. Deighton and Swan play Pellow and L. W. Willis. Reidy and Reaney play H. Turner and H. Turner, jun.

MELLES CUP DRAW Saturday's Golf on the Dannevirke Club's Links

DANNEVIRKE. Following is the draw for the Melles Cup (Bogey) Competition, to be played on the Dannevirke Golf Club's links on Saturday: No. 1 tee: T. Irwin v. Hackell, 12.40 p.m.; Hape v. Lindsay, 12.43; Petre v. Hopkins, 12.46; Garner v. Hulston, 12.49; Sutherland v. O'Hara-Smith, 12.52; Ellingham v. Aralsh, 12.55; J. Irwin v. D. Armstrong, 12.58; Herbert v. S. Eaton, 1.1; Naim v. James, 1.4; Purser v. Dorrington, 1.7; Farquharson v. Anderson, 1.10; Dr. Beedie v. Dowell, 1.13; Pollock v. Kitt, 1.16; Bullock v. Melles, 1.19; Gordon v. Ruby, 1.22; Prichard v. Tate, 1.25; C. Hansard v. Bailey, 1.28.

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DRAW FOR MEN'S FOURSOME To-morrow's Golf At Havelock

The draw for the men's foursome to be played to-morrow afternoon at 1 p.m. is as follows: F. J. Hawley and F. J. Green, J. H. Holder and H. L. Penman, E. F. Rush and H. L. Benjamin, W. J. Rush and H. E. Toulmin, E. Marshall and N. O'Hara-Smith, 12.52; Ellingham v. Aralsh, 12.55; J. Irwin v. D. Armstrong, 12.58; Herbert v. S. Eaton, 1.1; Naim v. James, 1.4; Purser v. Dorrington, 1.7; Farquharson v. Anderson, 1.10; Dr. Beedie v. Dowell, 1.13; Pollock v. Kitt, 1.16; Bullock v. Melles, 1.19; Gordon v. Ruby, 1.22; Prichard v. Tate, 1.25; C. Hansard v. Bailey, 1.28.

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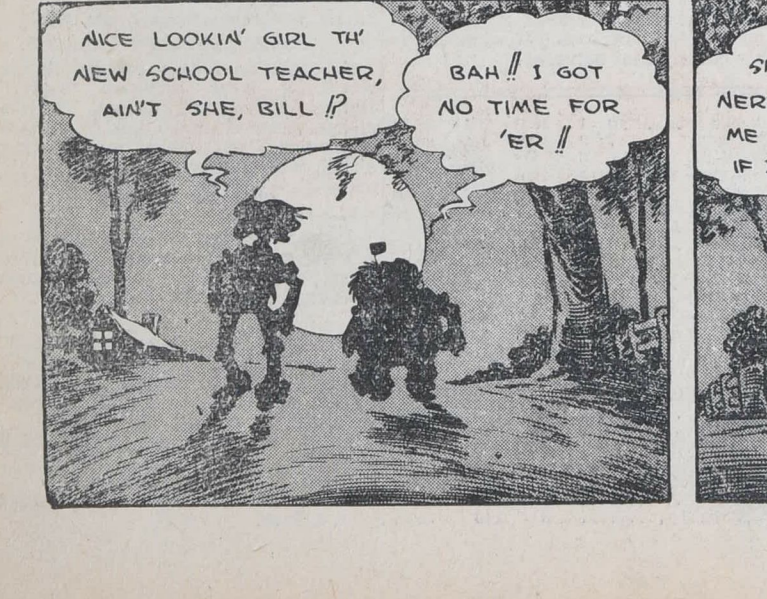
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WAIMARAMA GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP Draw For First Round

The following is the draw for the first qualifying round of the Waimarama Golf Club championship: L. Wright v. J. A. McNeill; G. Allen v. P. Mohi; G. Ward v. J. Allen; S. Hook v. S. Bicknell; H. Mackintosh v. I. Hammond; P. Hooligan v. J. August; A. D. Gillies v. I. R. Mackintosh; G. Toxward v. I. A. Mackintosh; S. Palmer v. B. Karetu; W. Gillies v. V. McNeill; W. Watene v. T. Karetu; P. Gillies v. T. Whitana; F. Wilson v. R. Taylor; K. Gillies v. S. Karetu; A. Gillies v. R. August; S. Mathews v. B. Ratana.

The negotiators of the Anglo-American trade treaty are still hoping to have the treaty signed by June 1.

Three men were killed and 18 injured when five petrol tanks exploded at Macuarichie, Chihuahua Province, Mexico.



WAIPUKURAU LADIES' GOLF CLUB Result of Wednesday's Play

Members of the Waipukurau Ladies' Golf Club played the first round for Mrs McCormick's trophies on Wednesday afternoon. The following were the best cards handed in: Seniors—Mrs Urquhart 86, 15—71; Mrs Mackie, 89, 13—76; Mrs Train, 94, 18—76. Juniors—Mrs Elliott 98, 28—70; Miss N. Williams 95, 23—72; Mrs Rood 96, 20—76; Miss Wilder 109, 31—78; Miss Hole 97, 19—78; Miss Hartley 102, 23—79.

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"MUDDLE" OF N.Z. EDUCATION SYSTEM

Strong Criticism by Overseas
Writer: Centralisation Blamed

The "muddle" of the New Zealand education system, caused by a "succession of political blunders," is the subject of an article by Dr William Boyd, of Glasgow University, in The Scottish Educational Journal.

"When Alice went through the looking glass to school the country she found herself in, I am sure, was New Zealand," he says. "In the Wonderland of the Pacific, more than anywhere else, things educational are not what they seem. The Educational Institute of New Zealand, representing the primary teachers, characterises them in a carefully documented statement as 'Chaos.'"

"That is obviously the wrong word to apply to an educational system in which primary teachers are mathematically graded for appointment on a 325 point scale and have their doings ordered in accordance with yards of regulations.

Overlapping of Provinces
The schools are good, the children are good, the teachers are good, their departmental masters are good; but the system under which they work is a muddle.

Everywhere there is organisation from that of the Australian States, in actual working it has the same essential structure; but whereas Australia has managed to make the various elements in its scholastic scheme tolerably coherent, New Zealand has not. It is both centralised and decentralised, and it makes the worst of both worlds.

There is a powerful Education Department, but the local boards and committees for which the department has no real use refuse to disappear, and for lack of a proper function are mainly effective in obstruction. Everywhere there is overlapping of provinces; primary schools, high schools, technical schools and colleges, university colleges all trespass on each other's ground.

"Administrative Medley"
It is not difficult to see the reason for this confusion. It is the outcome of a succession of political blunders which have resulted in the imposition of a highly centralised administrative system on a country which ought to have remained as it began, with decentralised education.

There can be no hope of a satisfactory organisation of the national education until some big-minded politician faces the issues boldly and works out a scheme of reconstruction without too much regard for the vested interests which have been created by the piecemeal legislation of the last 60 years.

For the politicians, the main responsibility for the situation rests with the Education Department. From being a mere bureau with functions mainly clerical, it has become a controlling body with extraordinary powers, including the fantastic power of making regulations which are not invalid even when they contravene any and all of the Education Acts.

With such powers, the department might have been expected to go a long way toward the coordination of education, apart from anything that Parliament might or might not do. Instead of that, the department has taken the line of least resistance and accepted the diversity of authorities as in the nature of the case.

National Party Candidates

AUCKLAND PROVINCE
Selection Is Now Well Forward

GENERAL ELECTION
"Daily Mail" Special Service.

AUCKLAND, June 9.
The selection of New Zealand National Party candidates in the Auckland province for the general election is now well forward.

South Auckland all candidates have been chosen for the various electorates, with the exception of James, and in the northern division the party organisations have set the seal of approval on candidates in several electorates.

The party will support two gitting members—Messrs W. P. Hindean (Parerua) and G. Coates (Kaitiaki). Mr A. J. Murdoch has been selected for Marsden, Mr J. N. Massey for Franklin, and Mr K. B. Tennent for Otahuhu.

Roskill Seat.
Nominations have closed with the party organisation for the Roskill seat. The candidates for the ballot in final selection, which will be

TWO VISCOUNTS IN BRITAIN

KING'S BIRTHDAY HONOURS
SIX BARONETS

British Official Wireless.
RUGBY, June 8.
The Birthday honours include two new viscounts, two barons, one privy councillor and six baronets.

The six new baronets include Mr Douglas Hacking, chairman of the Conservative Party since 1936. Among the 35 Knights Bachelor appointed, mostly for royal political and public services, is Dr Cyril Norwood, headmaster of Harrow from 1926 to 1934 and now president of St. John's College, Oxford; also Dr. S. H. Nicholson, for his services to church music.

In the orders of chivalry, appointments and promotions in the military and civil divisions of the Order of the Bath include a G.C.B. for General Edmund Ironside and Air Chief Marshal Sir Cyril Newall. The honours include the following:—

Viscounts: Lord Stonehaven, Lord Weir.
Barons: Sir Josiah Stamp, Mr Vivian Hugh Smith.
Privy Councillor: Sir Donald Somervell.
K.C.M.G.: Lord Harlech.

K.B.: Major-General Thomas Wentworth Russell (otherwise Pasha).
Companion of the Bath—Service branch: Air-Marshal H. R. Nicholl.
Order of Merit: Sir Arthur Stanley Eddington.

The King has appointed Sir Archibald Weigall King of Arms of the Order of St. Michael and St. George, replacing Sir Frank Swettenham, who has resigned.

World's non-stop time for rock-climbing championship is claimed by Mr Joe Harrison, of Ontario, Canada. He rocked for 55h. 0m. 15sec. without stopping.

ANOTHER VICTORY FOR VIRUS INVESTIGATORS

Recent Discoveries May Lead to Further Advances in War on Disease
Man has won another round in his battle to curb disease, according to disclosures made recently at the California Institute of Technology. He has succeeded in making visible to the eye the activities and growth of his deadliest foe, viruses which cause such diseases as rabies, infantile paralysis, influenza and possibly cancer.

If chickens multiplied as fast as the viruses studied by Dr Emory L. Ellis, California technology biologist, there not only would be several in every pot but the earth in a few months would be enclosed by a poultry blanket that would reach the stratosphere.

With the aid of a microscope the scientist actually witnesses carnage and military victories on a scale never approached by human soldiers. An unseen virus, now thought to consist of a protein molecule, attacks one of a group of bacteria. "Then in about 15 minutes," Dr. Ellis explained, "this bacterium suddenly vanishes before my eyes."

The result of this "dynamiting" of the bacterium by the latter's virus enemy is found to result instantaneously in the birth of 70 new virus warriors!

By touching a needle-like probe to a single hole exploded in the saucer cultures and touching it again to another culture he can isolate a pure strain of viruses and carry it on indefinitely through countless generations.

And this is important, say other scientists, because it is suspected that sudden transformations, or mutations, in an ordinarily harmless virus may convert it into a more deadly variety. Keeping certain strains under constant surveillance may yet explain how harmless virus is changed into a social menace.

Only recently it has been established, according to Dr. Ellis, that viruses cause certain forms of cancer in rabbits and chickens. He thinks this is no indication that human cancer also is caused by a virus, but he does think it suggests that the latter possibility warrants further research.

The Californian investigator is not seeking spectacular cures for the many virus diseases. He is content to develop basic methods for learning more about the habits of the small but voracious molecules which many think erase the border line between living and non-living substances. Dr. Ellis and others in his field occupy the advance outposts of medical science.

Nominations for the officers of the Hawke's Bay Agricultural and Pastoral Society close to-day with the secretary, Mr A. M. Retemeyer, Napier.

AUSTRALIANS AS THE COLOSSAL SCORING SIDE

Fine Figures Since the Start of the Tour; Comparison is Made

Phenomenal scoring match after match by the Australians in England has all the world talking, says the "Sydney Referee." Successive totals of 541, 679 for six wickets, 590 for five wickets, 708 for five wickets, and 502 stagger. Englishmen must be astonished to see young men, new to their grounds, so diffuse with their centuries.

Hassett, the pride of Victoria, and Badcock, the pride of Tasmania (and of Adelaide) are so prolific that some cranks are already tipping the number of centuries by one batsman and by a team on tour to be the greatest ever.

But cricket can bring batsmen down suddenly. At the end of the Lord's innings, 12 centuries had been recorded. Bradman made 258, 58, 137, and 278; Hassett 43, 146, 148 and 220 not out; Badcock, 67, 198, and 186; Fingleton, 41, 124, 34, and 111; McCabe 34, 110, and 0; Chipperfield, 53, 104 not out and 8; Waite, 54, 49 and 30 not out, and Brown, 2, 72, and 0.

These remarkable totals are suggestive of the Lignum vitæ rather than the bat. But they are not unique. In Australian first-class cricket, of higher standing than the matches in which the present tourists have engaged so far, the team-totals have been surpassed in a succession.

In 1926. . . . When the summer of 1925-6 blossomed, New South Wales, opulent in high-class batting, opened against Western Australia, by scoring 639, with H. O. Rock, the Sydney University star, making 151, Alan Kippax 118, and Charles Macartney 114—all fascinating men to watch.

The next match was against South Australia on the Adelaide Oval. Here they hit up 534, with Macartney again making the ball hum for 112, Johnny Taylor getting 95, Jack Gregory 68, Tom Andrews 63, Alan Kippax 56, Charles Kelleway 50 and Warren Bardsley a modest 47.

Coming back to Melbourne the New South Welshmen got into violent action against Don Blackie, H. L. Hendry and Co., to finish with 705, C. Kelleway 145, W. A. Oldfield 129, H. O. Rock 81, J. M. Taylor 66, T. J. Andrews 61, C. G. Macartney 59, and H. L. Collins and W. Bardsley 45 each.

Then came the South Australian match in Sydney. The home team scored 642 and 593 in the two innings, having declined the follow-on. Herbie Collins contributed 108 and 84, C. G. Macartney 20 and 113, W. Bardsley 159 and 13, C. Kelleway 111 and 75, T. J. Andrews 98 and 72 and Alan Kippax 21 and 71.

Clarke Grimmett had taken none for 174 in the first match. In this one his figures were 4 for 192 and 6 for 202. So he, too, was among the centuries.

The Sydney match with Victoria saw New South Wales top 700 for the second time in the season against their good friends from Melbourne. To the 708 chief centurion were Alan Kippax 271 not out, Collins 143 and Kelleway 68.

HERE IN FIVE CONSECUTIVE MATCHES NEW SOUTH WALES MADE 639, 554, 705, 642 and 593 (IN THE SAME MATCH) AND 708.

Road Cycling at Greenmeadows

GREENDALE CLUB
Race for Fuzard Cup
HANDICAPS DECLARED

The following handicaps have been declared for the Greendale Road Cycling Club's 24-mile race for the Fuzard Cup, which will start from Greenmeadows at 2.30 p.m. sharp to-morrow (post entries will be accepted): M. Lee, 2min.; E. Wells, W. Young, 3min. 30sec.; J. Hanley, G. Spivey, 4min.; S. Hunt, G. Symes, 6min.; J. Anderson, A. Fleming, 6min. 15sec.; D. Austin, L. Newrick, 7min. 15sec.; R. Harriott, S. Wells, 7min. 45sec.; E. Stewart, 9min.; L. McInerney, 9min. 30sec.

Road-Safety Campaign

NEW MOTORING YEAR
Pamphlet Published By Hon. R. Semple
IMPROVEMENT NOTED

"We are now starting a new motoring year. What of the year that has passed?" says the Minister of Transport (the Hon. R. Semple) in a pamphlet emphasising the need for care on roads.

"Roads have been improved and the traffic laws simplified, publicity and education in road sense have been promoted, and the supervision of traffic has been improved," continues the pamphlet.

The distinct improvement has been noted in the standard of conduct on the road, and since the road safety campaign commenced 100 persons have been kept out of their graves. Yet the roads during the last twelve months 243 have been killed and more than 5000 injured on the roads.

"Not Inevitable"
"These tragedies are not inevitable. They do not just happen. They are due almost wholly to negligence—the absence of reasonable care, the taking of risks without consideration for other road-users, and without thought of the possible consequences.

"In the name of the 243 who have died on the roads during the last twelve months I appeal to you for your co-operation.

"Learn the rules of the road, and observe them. Make care and courtesy your golden rule.

"Remember this little verse:—
Grant me a steady hand, a watchful eye
That none may suffer hurt as I pass by.
Thou gravest life, I pray no act of mine
May take away or mar that gift of Thine."

On the inside pages the pamphlet has some sketches illustrating various types of dangerous drivers.

Borough News in Hastings

The Salvation Army was granted permission to hold its annual street appeal in Hastings on Friday, October 28, at the monthly meeting of the Hastings Borough Council last evening.

The Hawke's Bay Football Association was granted a ground in Cornwall Park for the present season.

The matron of the Women's Rest at Hastings reported that the attendance during the month had been as follows: Patrons, 5350; visitors, 65; Plunket rooms, 1213; total, 6628. Cash receipts were £22 6/5.

The Borough Engineer's report stated that 11 sewer connections had been laid during the month, and 38 water connections. This made a total of 3641 water connections.

During May of this year, 37,435,000 gallons of water were pumped by the borough plant, in comparison with 36,337,500 gallons last year, continued the report.

The contractor for the sewer outfall had removed the pipes from the break on the Napier side of the river caused by the food-waters getting over the stop-bank. The contractor is now waiting for pile-driving gear to test the piles. Until this is done, it is not possible to estimate the cost of restoring the damage.

Five hundred and thirty residences were inspected for leaky taps, noxious weeds and unregistered dogs, stated the report of the ranger, Mr H. A. Green. The following notices had been sent out: Rubbish on the roadside, 14; overhanging trees and hedges, 3; leaky taps, 20; dirty sections, 2; noxious weeds, 7; dog notices, 51; total, 97.

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THE THEATRES (Continued from Page 3)

State Cosy. UNIQUE DANCE NUMBERS Fred Astaire In "A Damsel In Distress"

BUDDOG DRUMMOND AGAIN Gay Comedy Romance Also Showing

The first picture in four years in which Fred Astaire has not been teamed with Ginger Rogers...

International intrigue and the guarding of a secret formula of a new explosive form the background for the latest adventure of that ace cinema sleuth, Bulldog Drummond...

Ray Noble, called the "Paul Whiteman of England", appears without his band...

The new picture brings back to the screen the same company of actors that impressed so widely in "Bulldog Drummond Comes Back"...

A sensational drum dance is the highlight of the film. Astaire has had the idea for this dance for several years...

A fast-moving comedy romance "A Lifetime" concerns the romance of a number of theatrical dancers with the Yacht Club Boys at a seaside camp.

Revolving about one of the most ingenious themes ever brought to the screen, "Radio City Revels" has been lavishly produced...

"Robin Hood of El Dorado" to conclude to-night at the Cosy Theatre, brings back the splendour of "the covered wagon" days...

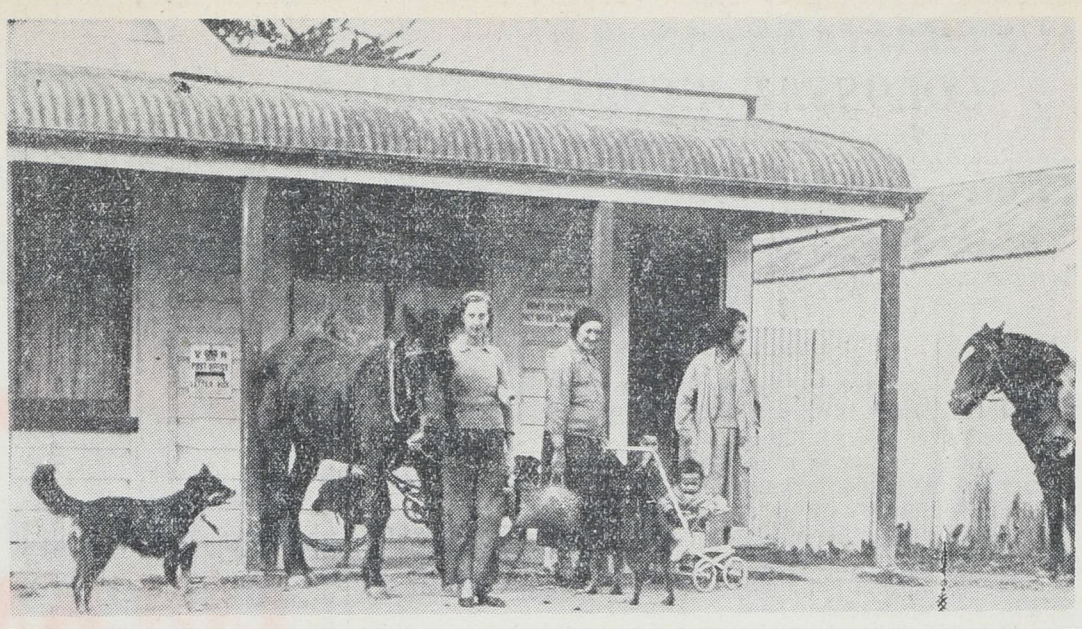
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Rin-Tin-Tin Junior, the famous canine star, recently seen in "Tough Guy" returns to the screen in the New Action Pictures release...



ALL ROADS LEAD TO THE POST OFFICE IN A COUNTRY CENTRE.—A typical scene outside a small Hawke's Bay country post office.

Convictions In Children's Court May Handicap

Question Presented To The Hon. P. Fraser At Gisborne

"Daily Mail" Special Service. GIBBORNE, June 9. A request that steps should be taken to see that convictions in the Children's Court could not later become a handicap to the persons concerned...

Harriers' Annual Rally

Event of the Year Many Teams To Compete At Dannevirke A AND B GRADES

For harriers all roads—or trails—to-morrow will lead to Dannevirke. Teams of harriers from Wellington, Wanganui, Masterton, Palmerston North, Marton, Woodville, Dannevirke, Hastings and Napier will pack there to compete in their annual rally...

INCREASED FROM LAST YEAR

BOROUGH RATES IN WAIPUKURAU 11D. IN THE £1

At a special meeting of the Waipukurau Borough Council the rates for the coming year were considered, and it was decided to raise the rate from 10s. to 11d. in the £1...

Farmers Meet At Hatuma

ADDRESS ON WOOL Move For Compulsory Dog Registration RULES FOR RAM FAIR

WAIPUKURAU. An interesting address by Mr. W. Tucker (Whakatu) on the subject of "Wool" was a feature of a meeting at Hatuma of the local Farmers' Union branch on Wednesday evening...

Advertisement for Baillie Motors Limited. Features the slogan 'THEY SAY THE VAUXHALL '25' GOES ALMOST ANYWHERE! ON TOP.' and 'The Peak of Motoring Value'. Includes contact information for the next municipal theatre in Hastings.

Advertisement for MAISON OWEN LADIES' HAIRDRESSERS. Located at 40 Peel Street, Gisborne. Includes a phone number for appointments.

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Advertisement for ROBERT HOLY & SONS, LTD. Timber, Glass & Hardware Merchants. Largest and most comprehensive stock in Hawke's Bay.

Advertisement for WILLIAMS & KETTLE, LTD. Golfers! You are cordially invited to inspect our comprehensive range of Golfing Requisites. Includes list of products like Stratson Woods & Irons, Spalding Woods & Irons, etc.

Advertisement for STEWART GREER MOTORS LTD. Special offers in used cars and trucks. Includes a list of vehicles for sale with prices and contact information for Napier and Hastings.

Large advertisement for Anderson & Hansen Limited. 'Biggest Used Car Values of the Year'. Lists various car models and prices: Clyno, Chevrolet Roadster, Ford Delivery, Ford Roadster, Essex 4 Tourer, Ford A Sedan, Chrysler Sedan, Austin 16/6, Austin 7 Saloon No. 1, Austin 7 Saloon, No. 2, Austin 12/4 Saloon, Austin 6 Saloon, Dodge Sedan.

Annual Ball Is Held

WAIPIUKURAU EVENT Golfers Gather In Merry Mood

The Municipal Theatre, Waipukurau, presented a gay scene last night on the occasion of the annual Golf Club ball. A large number of dancers from all parts of the district were present...

SUDDEN DEATH OF PENSIONER

COLLAPSED ON THE FOOTPATH KEEN NATURALIST

DANNEVIRKE. An old-age pensioner, Archibald J. Patterson, aged 89, collapsed on the footpath in High Street yesterday morning at 10.15, and died before the arrival of Dr. J. S. Beedie, who was summoned by Constable S. Howell...

AN OLD-TIME "TEA MEETING"

Happy Evening Spent At Otane

OTANE. A real old-time "tea-meeting" was held in the Otane Town Hall. Visitors were welcomed by the chairman, Mr. R. W. Thompson, and after tea Captain Pearce, of the Church Army gave a talk on incidents from his own varied experiences...

RUGBY GAMES IN CENTRAL H.B.

Fixtures and Referees For To-morrow

WAIPIUKURAU. Fixtures and referees for Central Hawke's Bay Rugby matches to-morrow are as follows: Senior. Old Boys v. Rangers, at Central Park No. 1 (Mr J. Jeffery)...

ANNUAL MUSICAL FESTIVAL?

Idea Is Mooted At Norsewood

NORSEWOOD. A meeting of considerable interest was held in the local school for the purpose of investigating the possibility of holding an annual musical festival...

OTANE RUGBY TEAMS

Seniors and Juniors For To-morrow's Games

OTANE. The following will represent the Otane senior football team to play against Te Aute at the college ground on Saturday: Pearce, A. Smith, Higgs, Rinaldi, A. Williams, T. Williams, Phillips, Hislop, Green (captain), Beale, Burgess, Kain, Stephens, R. Scrimgeour, J. Scrimgeour, Reserve, Osborne.

ORMONDVILLE

Mr and Mrs Alex Baines, who have been spending a holiday at Hawera, have returned to their home at Te Uri.

Mr J. Andersen, jun., of Ormondville, is spending a holiday at East-ins.

Mr George Lay, of Hawera, who has been spending a holiday in Ormondville, has returned to her home.

VALPEEN'S FINE VICTORY IN GREAT NORTHERN

Windsor Lad Takes Hurdles: Power Chief Impresses

"Daily Mail" Special Service. AUCKLAND, June 9. Showery weather was experienced for the second day of the Auckland Racing Club's winter meeting at Ellerslie to-day. The attendance was 14,000. The track was heavy.

The totalisator handled £46,315, compared with £72,139 10/- last year, when the second day fell on the King's Birthday, a decrease of £25,874/10/-. The figures for the two days are £125,789, compared with £122,530/10/- last year, an increase of £3258/10/-.

The 10-year-old, Valpeen, made a new record in New Zealand's winter racing history when he captured the Great Northern Steeplechase, for he has now won twice both the Great Northern and the Grand National Steeplechases.

Valpeen was well back in the early stages of to-day's race, which was run in a rain shower, and he did not enter calculations as a possible winner until after the field, running in fairly close order, had traversed the Hill the third and last time. On the brow of the Hill from fifth place he ran forward to Erination in the lead, with Bryce Street and Huskie in close attendance.

Whirling followed Hunting Blood and High Tea from the barrier in the King George Handicap. He was two lengths behind the flying leader as they were straightened up and he finished full of running to hold off Valamito and Day Wind. Although second favourite, Whirling paid a good dividend, Maori Song, who ran fourth, being almost twice as well supported.

Results in Detail. HUNT CLUB CUP. Of £350; 2 1/2 miles. 1-POWER CHIEF, 9.12 (A. McDonald) 1. 2-Smillin Thru, 9.7 (J. F. Ferguson) 2. 3-Hirangi, 11.1 (W. J. McDowell) 3.



LOOKING OVER THE FINAL TRIALS.—The above group was one of the many out watching the track work at Hastings yesterday morning, when preparations for the Hawke's Bay Jockey Club's meeting were in full swing.

FINAL TRIALS AT HASTINGS YESTERDAY

Preparations For Hawke's Bay Jockey Club's Meeting. (By CHILDERS). Although there were not many visiting horses out working, considerable interest was attached to the final gallops of candidates for the opening day of the Hawke's Bay Jockey Club's meeting, on the Hastings tracks yesterday morning.

Both Hastings West and Golden Melody were going very comfortably better than Tres Sec over the final part of a mile in 1.47. Red Cockade attracted attention by the easy manner in which he was hitting out alongside of Refulgent, with Colenso a couple of lengths back at the end of six furlongs in 1.19.

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Arctic Queen was going slightly better than the Fopale colt over half a mile in 52. Arabie moves nicely. Both Seyfried and Tapierau were being kept up to their task to register 1.18 for six furlongs.

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INQUIRIES AT AUCKLAND

Flood Tide Incident INTERFERENCE IS FOUND

Maori Song's Running. By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, June 9. The inquiry regarding the running of the Cornwall Handicap at the first day of the Auckland Racing Club's meeting found that Flood Tide was interfered with but that the evidence was insufficient to attribute blame to any particular rider.

The inquiry into Maori Song's performance in the Members' Handicap on Monday was adjourned until Saturday.

Racing Fixtures

June— 9, 11—Auckland R.C. 11—Dunedin J.C. 11—Hawke's Bay J.C. 13—Hawke's Bay J.C. 18—Bay of Plenty J.C. 18—Greymouth J.C. 25—Waipa R.C. 25—Dannevirke Hunt C. 25—Ashburton County R.C.

Teachers at one of the Christchurch schools are still chucking at the typically childish giveaway of a small girl pupil. A class was told to write an essay on how they spent their holidays. One little girl told the story of how she and her daddy had gone shooting rabbits on a certain property.

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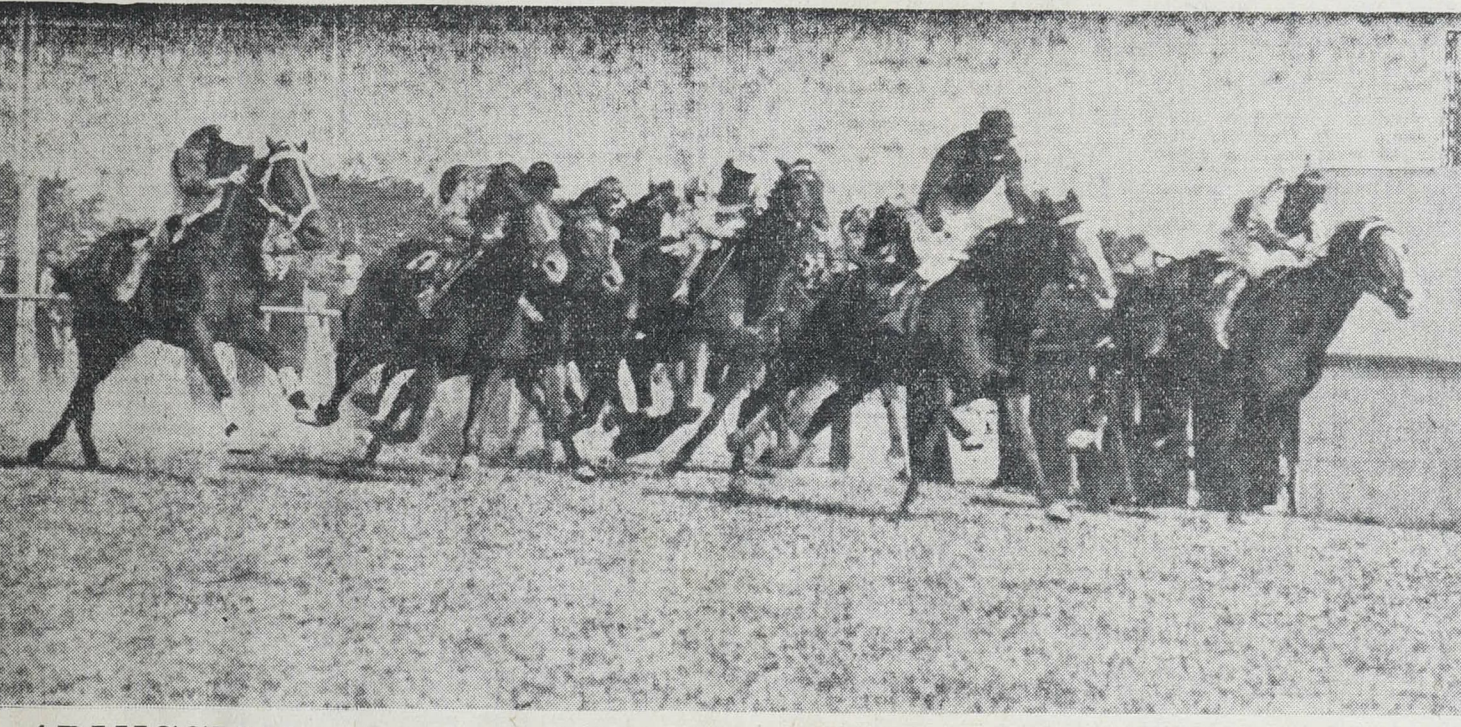
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TO-MORROW'S RIDERS. Engagements Announced For Hastings. Riding engagements announced for the first day of the Hawke's Bay Jockey Club's winter meeting to-morrow include: B. Stowe—Lucullus Boy, Tapurau, Arctic Queen. R. Marsh—Short Circuit, Trailer, Brilliant Ace, Slippery, and probably Mendelssohn. P. Burgess—Master Cykilon. W. Grindlay—Don Erma, Mahala. E. Deslandes—Gainsfid. J. Forsyth—Hastings West, Padishah, Red Hunting. A. Tinsley—Lovellit. J. Ireland—Hillside. C. P. Sheld—Tareha, Royal Spades, Reasonable, Shan. W. Tricklebank—Agog. I. Rohloff—Iddo, Count Wiltonyx. A. Lord—Curie, Royal Banquet. H. Callahan—Jazz Boy, Sunny Lass, Mesurina. B. H. Morris—Big Dook, Proclamation. S. Wilson—Morning Flight.

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