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CENSORSHIP IN BRITISH BROADCASTING?

Americans Draw A Contrast AUSTRALIAN VISITOR'S IMPRESSIONS Dangers Seen in B.B.C. Policy

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NEW YORK, June 29.

"The British once led us in matters of freedom of speech, of the Press, and of expression generally," said the president of the Radio Corporation of America (Mr David Sarnoff), "but they are now apparently leaving it to America to develop the freedom of the air and are themselves introducing a system of voluntary censorship which would not appeal to the American sense of democratic fair play, even in times of crisis."

This speech was quoted by Mr Herbert Brookes, of Australia, summing up one of the most important impressions left on him following a study of American broadcasting practices and policies.

He is going to England to-morrow to continue his inquiry in Britain.

Mr Brookes stressed, in an interview with the Associated Press, that Mr Sarnoff's viewpoint was also maintained by other important broadcasting executives with whom he talked, notably President Paley, of the Columbia broadcasting system.

"Indeed," said Mr Brookes, "both large and small broadcasting authorities are unanimous in protecting the American system of freedom of the air."

Mr Brookes pointed out that his investigations showed the following methods by which this was achieved: First, scripts of speeches were not subjected to censorship, save for libellous and indecent matter.

Second, the broadcasting authorities invited air debates on controversial subjects, even such as Communism.

Thirdly, the broadcasting authorities did not accept payment for time on the air in certain instances of a political nature, but give both sides the time free.

Voluntary Censorship. Mr Brookes indicated that American broadcasting authorities were following with the keenest interest the system of so-called voluntary censorship practised in Britain, particularly where the Government sources suggested to the disseminators of information that they refrain from making known certain facts, ostensibly in the greater interest of the State.

"American broadcasting authorities feel that there is a danger that this system will degenerate into an involuntary censorship," Mr Brookes said. He concluded that he was unable better to sum up American concepts than the expression by Mr L. R. Lohr, President of the National Broadcasting Company: "Freedom of the air we conceive to be freedom of equal opportunity for the discussion of controversial public issues." He also quoted President Sarnoff as follows: "I believe that free radio and free democracy are inseparable, that we cannot have controlled radio and retain democracy, and that when free radio goes so goes free speech, the free Press, freedom of worship and freedom of education."

STRENGTHENING DESIRED

Official Secrets Act

QUESTION IN COMMONS

Matter Not Considered

British Official Wireless. (Received June 30, 8.0 p.m.) RUGBY, June 29.

In a written Parliamentary answer to Mr A. G. Erskine Hill (Conservative) who asked whether the Official Secrets Act would be strengthened so as to avoid leakages of information in matters of national importance the Attorney General, Sir Donald Somervell, said the question had not been considered.

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ITALY USES HER INFLUENCE

ATTACKS ON BRITISH SHIPPING

HELP PROMISED

Diplomatic Talk At Rome

British Official Wireless. (Received June 30, 8.0 p.m.) RUGBY, June 29.

Reports that Lord Perth, British Ambassador at Rome, had seen Count Ciano, Italian Foreign Minister, and called his attention to the effect on British opinion of the recent series of attacks on British merchantmen in ports and territorial waters of the Government of Spain by General Franco's bombers, are confirmed in official circles.

Lord Perth's remarks were received by Count Ciano in a friendly spirit and it is understood that while the latter pointed out that the armed forces of Nationalist Spain were entirely under General Franco's orders Lord Perth was assured that Italy was most willing to do any thing in its power to assist in this matter and use its influence at Burgos, the Nationalist capital, for this purpose.

Play-Writing Contest

THE PRIZEWINNERS

Radio Broadcasting Competition

HIGHER STANDARD

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, June 30.

Following are the prize-winners in the radio play-writing competition for 1937-1938 conducted by the National Broadcasting Service.

First prize (£40): "Endeavour," Isobel Andrews (Wellington).

Second prize (£20): "The Tartan of Rangi Ngatai," Merrick W. Horton (Feilding).

Four prizes of £10 each: "Love Thy Neighbour," Henry McNeish (New Plymouth); "Southern Lights," Gordon Griffiths (Bimaru); "The Honour Is Theirs," Agnes L. Henderson (Dunedin); and "The Trampled Herbage Springs," Ralph Hogg (Wellington).

In the course of their comments on the competition, the judges said that the restriction in this year's competition to plays about New Zealand might be taken as the main or sole reason for the drop in the number of entries from 360 to 206. This decrease had resulted in a rise in the average of quality.

GREEK FLEET TO VISIT MALTA

Official Call To Be Made

British Official Wireless. (Received June 30, 8.0 p.m.) RUGBY, June 29.

It is announced that the Greek fleet will pay an official visit to Malta from September 2 to September 6 to return the visit paid by the Mediterranean Fleet to Phaleron Bay in October, 1936.

Greece has a fleet comprising an armoured cruiser, a cruiser mine-layer, eight torpedo boat destroyers, six submarines and five patrol vessels.



WHEN EAST COMES WEST.—One of the giraffe-necked women at the Empire Exhibition in Glasgow has been taking a few pointers from her western sisters. Here she is seen with powder puff and lipstick just like the modern western miss. But what will she do when she gets back home?

NEW RAILWAY STATION

HASTINGS REQUEST PRESSED

NOTICE IN HOUSE

Mr Cullen Questions Minister

From Our Own Parliamentary Representative. PARLT. BLDGS., June 30.

In a notice and question in the House of Representatives this afternoon, Mr E. L. Cullen, M.P. for Hawke's Bay, asked the Minister of Railways, the Hon. D. G. Sullivan, whether in view of the fact that it was now some considerable time since a deputation from the Hastings Borough Council, headed by the Mayor, Mr G. A. Maddison, waited on the Minister when in Hastings to discuss the proposal for a new railway station for Hastings, would the Minister give any indication when he would reconsider the request that was made at that meeting?

Mr Cullen said that vehicular traffic in the streets of Hastings was rapidly increasing and that with the railway crossings in the centre of the town, trains and shunting operations were causing a serious disadvantage to traffic through the town.

FOREIGN RIGHTS IN CHINA

Japanese Remarks

BRITAIN SEEKS EXPLANATION

British Official Wireless. (Received June 30, 8.0 p.m.) RUGBY, June 29.

Asked about Press reports of the remarks by the Japanese official spokesman at Shanghai regarding foreign extra-territorial rights in China, the Under Secretary of Foreign Affairs, Mr R. A. Butler, told the House of Commons that the Foreign Minister, Lord Halifax, had instructed the British Ambassador at Tokyo to take up the matter with Japan.

No Severance of Commercial Relations

American Attitude To Civilian Bombings

Non-Involvement

Policy Is To Use Its Influence For Restraint

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The American Secretary of State, Mr Cordell Hull, in a letter to Representative Vieter said that the severance of commercial relations in order to discourage the bombing of civilian populations would "call for a radical departure from the policy of non-interference and non-involvement which we have so far pursued."

"I think I may say that this government will continue its endeavours in conformity with the policy of non-intervention to exert a restraining and ameliorative influence whenever and however practicable."

Racehorse Sold For £60,000

UNBEATEN RECORD

British Turf Patron's Purchase

STUD PURPOSES

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received June 30, 10 p.m.) LONDON, June 30.

The Rome correspondent of the London "Daily Telegraph" says that in order to assist in the payments for foreign imports Signor Mussolini has sanctioned Signor Tes Clovis to sell the unbeaten three-year-old racehorse Nearco, winner of the Grand Prix de Paris this week to a British turf patron, Mr Martin Benson, for stud purposes.

The price, £60,000 equals that Mr Mallaby-Deeley paid for the Derby winner Call Boy.

COLONELS ARE RETIRED

SIGNED DEFENCE MANIFESTO

GAZETTE NOTICE

Permission to Retain Rank

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, June 30.

A Gazette notice announces that Colonels A. S. Wilder (Waipukurau), C. R. Spragg (Auckland), R. F. Gambrill (Gisborne) and N. Macky (Auckland) are posted to the retired list, with permission to retain their rank and wear the prescribed uniform.

These four colonels signed the manifesto on May 20 criticising the Dominion's defence policy.

Bank Manager Dead

MR. B. A. MOORE

Formerly Stationed At Gisborne

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, June 30.

The death has occurred of Mr Bertrand Ambrose Moore, aged 62, well-known in Dominion banking circles.

Mr Moore joined the Nelson staff of the Bank of New Zealand in 1895 and was transferred to the head office at Wellington in 1898.

In 1910 deceased was appointed to the Wanganui branch as accountant until 1912, when he was moved on to Gisborne in a similar capacity. Six months later Mr Moore returned to head office as assistant-accountant. From 1920 to 1928 he managed the Blenheim office and was later promoted to the position of sub-inspector attached to head office.

In 1932 he succeeded Mr D. F. Reid as manager of the Wellington branch, which position he held until his death. He leaves a widow, two daughters and one son.

PHOTOGRAPHING HARBOURS

JAPANESE SEAMEN IN DOMINION

NOTES MADE

Mr Polson Questions Defence Minister

By Telegraph—Press Association. PARLT. BLDGS., June 30.

In the House of Representatives to-day Mr W. J. Polson (Opp., Stratford) asked the Minister of Defence, the Hon. F. Jones, whether his attention had been directed to a question asked the Prime Minister by Mr de Rothschild recently in the Press, "Why were Japanese allowed to photograph harbours and anything they pleased un molested" and to a statement made by that gentleman that at Auckland he had seen a party of Japanese photographing prominent parts round the city with cameras equipped with telephoto lenses and with compasses and small surveying instruments and also taking notes of their observations.

Battleship Sizes

U.S. AND BRITAIN

Question Asked In Commons

EARLY STATEMENT

British Official Wireless. (Received June 30, 8.0 p.m.) RUGBY, June 29.

Asked in the House of Commons if the Government had reached any agreement with the United States on the size of battleships and heavy guns the Prime Minister, Mr Neville Chamberlain, replied that he understood that the First Lord of the Admiralty, Mr A. Duff-Cooper, would make a statement at a very early date.

FORMER HAWKE'S BAY MAN, KILLED IN R.A.F. TRAGEDY

Eldest Son Of Mr. Godfrey N. Pharazyn, "Waewaepa," Dannevirke

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received June 30, 9 p.m.)

LONDON, June 20.

Flight-Lieutenant W. F. Pharazyn, formerly of Hawke's Bay, New Zealand, former Cambridge golf Blue, was killed when his plane crashed in formation flying at Yorkshire. It is believed two machines touched wings.

Flight-Lieutenant Pharazyn had a distinguished Air Force career. Flight-Lieutenant Pharazyn, who was 35 years of age, was the eldest son of Mr Godfrey N. Pharazyn, well-known sheep farmer, of "Waewaepa," Dannevirke. He was the second son belonging to the R.A.F. who has been killed when flying in England. A young brother deceased, Peter, being killed in a crash in 1932 near Canterbury, Kent, on his sister's wedding day.

Flight-Lieutenant Pharazyn was born at Feilding and left for England when 14 years old for education at Eton. He did well there and for two years was in the shooting eight and played for his House in practically all games. In 1920 he went to Trinity College, Cambridge. He was there for four years and captained the Varsity golf team in 1924 and also took second class honours in tripos.

After leaving Cambridge he came to New Zealand and joined the staff of Johnson and Co., Wellington, but returned to England where he joined up in 1928 with the R.A.F. with a temporary commission. After three years he was invited to sit for the examination for a permanent commission in which he came out top. He was then sent for a specialised engineering course, also coming out in first place and receiving one of the two engineering stars given each year.

Two years ago he went to the Staff College at Andover but while waiting to take up this position was given highly confidential work by the Air Ministry, specialising in aerial tactics. He then spent a year at the Staff College. Flight-Lieutenant Pharazyn was

recently appointed to the Hawker Fighting Squadron, stationed at Church Fenton, Yorkshire. Recently he won a memorial prize for an Air Force essay dealing with tactics which was regarded as a brilliant piece of work.

Deceased leaves a widow, a daughter of Sir Byron and Lady Peters and also a young son and daughter aged five and three years respectively.

LONDON BROKERS AGREE

ABOLITION OF WOOL DRAFT ALLOWANCE

RECENT DECISION

Resolve "To Fall Into Line"

United Press Association—Copyright. LONDON, June 28.

A joint meeting of the Colonial Wool Merchants' Association and representatives of London wool-selling brokers resolved to fall into line with the Australian and New Zealand abolition of the draft allowance. The alteration is effective from July.

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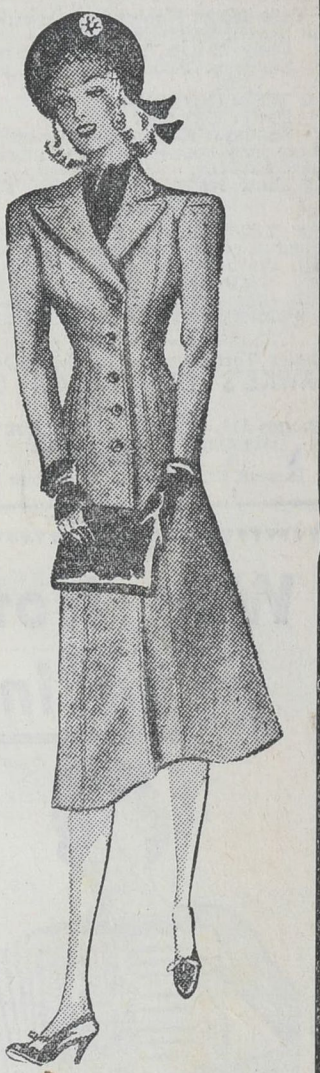
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6.50-2YA-Weather for aviators.
7.00-Breakfast session from all main stations.

- 1 P.M. TO 6 P.M.
1.00-2YA-Weather for aviators.
2.00-1YA, 3YA and 4YA-Recordings.

- 6 P.M. TO 8 P.M.
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MUSIC SOCIETY

Annual Review of the Hastings Branch

GROUP RECITALS

The past season had been successful, the activities of the branch having been well maintained, said the chairman, Dr. K. E. Crompton, at the annual meeting of the Hastings branch of the British Music Society.

The branch, however, had been late in opening its season. It had been further handicapped through the absence of the secretary (Miss I. Grant) from the town.

Earlier Start Wanted. Dr. Crompton said he hoped that next season the society would put its activities under way earlier in the season.

Last season the final concert had been held well on in the summer. The concert, he said, should be held during the winter months.

Officers Elected. Officers elected were: Chairman, Dr. K. E. Crompton; secretary, Miss V. M. Gunter; treasurer, Mr. W. Keay; auditor, Mr. C. A. Hyde; committee, Messrs. N. Elder, W. E. Bate, F. J. Green, Mrs. R. Christie and Misses I. Clayton, E. Hoby, and M. A. Steele.

The financial position was sound, it was stated. As the result of the change-over in the holidays at Hastings it was decided to hold the group recitals on either Monday or Tuesday instead of on Saturday night as previously.

The society will hold its first recital of the season on Saturday night. The recital will be given by Colin Hornsby, brilliant young Wanganui pianist.

Hockey Rules Explained

MEETING AT NAPIER

Encouragement of Junior Umpires

The interpretation of hockey rules described with the aid of blackboard diagrams was the subject of an instructive address by Mr A. Williams at a meeting of men and women hockey players in Napier on Wednesday.

The meeting was arranged by the Hockey Umpires Association, and is part of a movement to encourage junior players to become efficient umpires for inter-club matches.

chestra, "Christmas" Concerto (Corelli).

9.15-2YA-Programme by Port Nicholson Silver Band. The Band, conducted by J. J. Drew, "Nautical Moments" Potpourri (arr. Winter).

9.20-1YA-(R) Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra, Rumanian Rhapsody, No. 1 (Enesco).

9.25-2YA-(R) The Four Aces (male quartet), the vocal orchestra, "Linger Longer" (Kenny), "Be My Best du Schon" (Means That You're Grand) (Secunda, Chaplin).

9.29-2YA-The Band, "Harvey House" Hymn (Craven). Duet for trombone and euphonium, "Excelsior" (Baife) (Bandsmen W. J. Matson and J. Smith).

9.32-1YA-Kathleen O'Leary (piano), Suite "Bergamasque": Prelude; minuet; moonlight; passepied (Debussy). (R) Orchestra des Concerts Lamoureux, "Rhapsodie Espagnole"; Prelude a la Nuit; Malaguena; Habanera; La Feria (Ravel).

10.00-1YA and 3YA-Music, mirth and melody. 2YA and 4YA-Dance music. All stations close down.

BBC PROGRAMME. 4.30 p.m. Big Ben. BBC Empire Symphony Concerts-6. BBC Empire Orchestra: Carl Flesch (violin).

5.50 p.m. All-England Lawn Tennis Club Championship Meeting: Account of the play from Centre Court, Wimbledon.

6.05 p.m. "Your Programmes from Daventry." Talk by Empire Service Director.

6.20 p.m. News and announcements. 6.45 p.m. Next week's programmes. 6.55 p.m. Close down.

Shipping at the Port of Napier. SUN. Today rises 7.22 a.m.; sets 4.32 p.m. PHASES OF THE MOON. First quarter, July 5, 1.17 a.m. Full moon, July 13, 2.34 a.m. Last quarter, July 20, 3.45 a.m. TIDES. H.W. L.W. a.m. p.m. a.m. p.m.

VESSELS AT BREAKWATER. Wainui, ex Gisborne. VESSELS AT INNER HARBOUR. Kiritona, at moorings. Koaui, at moorings.

EXPECTED ARRIVALS. Roadstead. Trojan Star, ex Wellington, July 5. Horatia, ex Waikopu, July 18.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES. Roadstead. Trojan Star, for Auckland, July 7. Horatia, for Southampton, July 21.

Breakwater. Pukeko, ex Auckland, July 3. Wainui, ex Wellington, July 3.

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Breakwater. Wainui, for Dunedin, to-night. Pukeko, for Auckland, to-night.

VESSELS FOR PORT OF NAPIER. Awahou, 410 tons, Capt. M. Pelley (Richardson and Co.), expected to load cement at Portland to-day (due here Tuesday, July 5).

City of Pittsburg (M.A.N.Z. Line) (Federal Co.), expected to leave Montreal on July 21 for Auckland (due here August 28), via New York, Wellington, Lyttelton, Timaru and Dunedin (due Napier early September).

Horatia, 9178 tons, Capt. T. L. Malby (N.Z. Shipping Co.), arrived at Auckland on July 4-7, Pictou July 8-11, Tokomaru Bay July 12-15, Pictou July 15-18, expected to clear Napier on July 21 for Southampton and London, via Panama.

Kalmiro, 2525 tons (Union S.S. Co.), to load at Melbourne on July 5 for Auckland, Napier and Wellington (due here July 18).

Kalingo, 2525 tons (Union S.S. Co.), is expected to load at Newcastle on July 11, for Napier and Auckland.

Koau, 144 tons (Richardson and Co.), at moorings. Pukeko, 167 tons (Richardson and Co.), at moorings.

Opawa, 1345 tons, Capt. F. S. Bates (Richardson and Co.), loaded at Auckland yesterday for East Coast bays, Gisborne and Napier (due here Sunday, July 3).

Poatia, 1675 tons (Union S.S. Co.), is expected to load at Greytown about July 3, completing at Westport for Napier and Gisborne.

Rangitara, 1767 tons, Capt. E. Collins (N.Z. Shipping Co.), sailed from London on June 23, due Wellington July 27, then Lyttelton, Dunedin and Oamaru to discharge.

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ANTI-JAPANESE FEELING ATTITUDE OF STRAITS SETTLEMENTS SINGAPORE ARMED

Visitor Comments on Conditions

"We believe the fortification of Singapore from attacking us," said Dr. A. L. Hoops, M.P.E., of Singapore, in an interview in Christchurch this week.

There was a good deal of feeling among all races in the Settlements against the Japanese, he continued, and this had been aggravated by the Japanese aggression in China.

Of conditions in the Settlements, Dr. Hoops said that no labouring was done by the whites, who were mostly Government servants, planters, and miners.

"Singapore has one of the finest civil air fields in the world," he continued. There was a land and sea section and a passenger was taken to the centre of the city in a few minutes.

The medical service in the Settlements was very strong and there were about 200 white medical men, and about the same number of Malay, Indian, Chinese, and Eurasian medical graduates, who could practise anywhere.

"Fine Civil Air Field" "Singapore has one of the finest civil air fields in the world," he continued. There was a land and sea section and a passenger was taken to the centre of the city in a few minutes.

The education system was very fine, and many students received such a high education that they were not able to obtain the positions they desired.

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Australian Davis Cup Prospects TEAM AT AUCKLAND Opinion of Capt.-Manager H. C. Hopman CHANCES ARE FAIR

"Our cup chances are fair," said Mr H. C. Hopman, captain-manager of the Australian Davis Cup team, when the Mariposa, en route for America, called in at Auckland for a brief period this week.

All the members of the team, Messrs A. Quist, J. Bromwich, and L. Schwartz, were fit and keen.

"In Quist and Bromwich," said Mr Hopman, "we have two of the best five or six singles players in the world, and as a double combination, these two have proved themselves equal to or better than any other pair," added Mr Hopman.

Three Indian bathers were attacked in the Indian River Hooply, near Budge-Budge by presumably man-eating shark, and one was so badly injured that he died in hospital. Nine years ago a European man and woman were severely mauled in Diamond Harbour.

Lipton's Tea advertisement featuring a teapot and a cup of tea. Text: "OH, HERE THEY COME AGAIN! IT'S THAT LIPTON'S THEY'RE USING NOW! I'VE NEVER KNOWN THEM TO ENJOY TEA SO MUCH!"

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Gaiety-De Luxe.  
NEW ZEALAND SCENES  
"Varsity Show" On Same Programme

"Glorious New Zealand," all in technicolour, with wonderful scenic effects seldom seen on the screen, will open its season at the Gaiety-De-Luxe Theatre to-morrow, together with the 12,000-foot musical, "Varsity Show."  
"Glorious New Zealand" shows the famous kiwi at Greenmeadows, the only living kiwi in captivity, and the delightful gannets at Cape Kidnappers.  
Starring the ever-popular Dick Powell and introducing in grand manner to motion picture audiences, Fred Waring and his internationally-famous orchestra, the Pennsylvanians, "Varsity Show" marks a new high in musical and comedy entertainment.  
Included in the stellar cast besides Dick Powell and Fred Waring are such leading figures as Ted Healy, Lee Dixon, Priscilla Lane, Rosemary Lane, Buck and Bubbles, Walter Catlett, Johnny Davis and Roy Atwell. Berkeley, Berkeley, known for his imaginative and lavish production numbers in past Warner Bros. musicals, outdoes himself in "Varsity Show," with a smashing finale that climaxes more than an hour of supreme fun and amusement.

The plot of the picture deals with the efforts of Chuck Daly (Dick Powell), a Broadway producer, temporarily on his uppers, to stage the annual Quadrangle Club show at Winfield College. Daly, himself a Winfield graduate, is induced to return to the college to rescue the varsity show from the hands of Professor Sylvester Biddle (Walter Catlett), faculty advisor, who is all for art and nothing for modernity in school presentations.  
The box plan is now open for reserves at the theatre (telephone 1060) and Gaiety patrons are advised to book early for evening sessions. There is no extra for booking. Great matinee on Saturday at 2.15 p.m.

"Double Wedding," starring William Powell and Myrna Loy, will be shown finally to-night at the Gaiety-De-Luxe Theatre.

Mayfair.  
COMEDY AND DRAMA  
"Men of Yesterday" and "Goodbye Broadway"

First attraction on the excellent new programme, commencing a three-day season this afternoon at the Mayfair, Napier, is episode eight of "Tim Tyler's Luck."  
The first big feature is "Goodbye Broadway," one of the most hilarious comedies of the current season. The prize line-up of stars consists of Alice Brady, Charles Winninger, Tom Brown, Dorothea Kent and Jed Pronty. The story, which was freely adapted by Roy Chanslor and A. Dorian Otvos from the stage hit by James A. Gleason, takes the Malloys, one-time Broadway headliners, to the little town of Hamilton, Connecticut, to put on their act. When a fresh hotel clerk insults Pat Malloy, he buys the place just to fire the guy. That leaves the Malloys broke, but when the bills begin to mount and some of their old vaudeville pals turn the hotel into a rehearsal hall the fun really starts. "Goodbye Broadway" is a sparkling comedy vehicle for Alice Brady and Charles Winninger, who were such a success in Deanna Durbin's "100 Men and a Girl" and "Three Smart Girls."  
The second big feature is "Men of Yesterday," a delightful film with a theme that is in the hearts and minds of all. Stewart Rome, Ella Shields, George Robey, Will Fyffe and Sam Livesey head the cast.

State  
WEEK-END PROGRAMME STARTS TO-DAY  
Beginning to-day at the matinee at 2.15 p.m. and in the evening at 8 p.m. the State Theatre, Napier, will inaugurate a new policy of starting its week-end attractions on a Friday, instead of on a Saturday as in the past. The film which has been chosen to begin the policy with is an outstanding one, "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm," starring Shirley Temple.

To celebrate the anniversary of the opening of the State Theatre and Shirley Temple's ninth birthday special sessions will be held at the State Theatre to-morrow at 10.30 a.m. and at 2.15 p.m. Every child attending either session will receive a slice of Shirley Temple's birthday cake.  
All the hit-songs that Shirley Temple has sung during her nearly-four year career in pictures—from "The Good Ship Lollipop" to "Good-night, My Love"—will be sung again by the curly-topped star in "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm," her new 20th Century-Fox picture.  
In addition to the above songs, Shirley will sing several other songs in "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm," including "An Old Straw Hat" by Mack Gordon and Harry Revel; "Crackly Grain Flakes" by Lew Pollack and Sidney Mitchell, and "Toy Trumpet" by Pollack, Mitchell and Raymond Scott, whose sensational modern quintet will be featured in the film.  
Besides Shirley Temple the following are featured in the film: Randolph Scott, Jack Haley, Gloria Stuart, Phyllis Brooks, Helen Westley, Slim Summerville, Bill Robinson, The Raymond Scott Quintet, Alan Dinehart and J. Edward Bromberg.

Plaza.  
"HER JUNGLE LOVE" TO-MORROW  
A romance between a handsome young aviator, whose airplane is wrecked on a lonely South Sea island, and an untamed native girl, who has never before laid eyes on a white man. Tells the story of "Her Jungle Love," the new Paramount technicolour production, which will have its first local showing to-morrow at the Plaza Theatre, Napier.  
Ray Milland and Dorothy Lamour head the cast, making their first appearance together since "Jungle Princess," in which they scored so sensationally a season ago. Probably no two stars in Hollywood are more often associated with tropical romance than Milland and Miss Lamour, he having recently appeared in "Dobry Tyde" and she in "Hurricane." In "Her Jungle Love" they are assisted by a cast of popular players, including Lynne Overman, who wisecracked his way through "Night Club Scandal."  
"Her Jungle Love" marks a continuation of the experiment which brought such success in "Ebb Tide," of using technicolour to bring out all the exotic charm and beauty of a tropical background.  
But when "Ebb Tide" took place on a ship's deck, the setting of "Her Jungle Love" is exclusively a lush South Sea island, which affords perfectly adapted material for colour photography.

Current Programme.  
"London Melody," starring Anna Neagle and Tullio Carminati will be shown finally at the Plaza to-night.  
Municipal.  
"A PROGRAMME OF THRILLS"  
The throbbing excitement of a railroad story is the central theme of Universal's "West Bound Limited," which opens at the Municipal Theatre, Hastings, to-day. It features Lyle Talbot and Polly Rowles. A runaway train thunders along at high speed, rushing down a mountain side around steep curves, plunging through a tunnel, roaring across a bridge, pounding down closer and closer to a passenger train.  
Lyle Talbot, a station agent falsely accused of criminal negligence, risks imprisonment to save the passenger train from destruction. Additional exciting sequences show a head-on collision between two other trains; a battle between Talbot and a holdup band and Talbot's escape from armed guards.  
A vivid portrayal of life under the "big top" in all its colourful phases, Columbia's "The Shadow," featuring Charles Quigley and Rita Hayworth, provides a thrilling bit of entertainment.  
Fast moving, gripping, intelligently played and directed, this picture is romantic entertainment for the entire family.  
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Play Presented At Napier HASTINGS CAST

Successful Performance At Municipal Theatre COLOURFUL FROCKING

Another excellent performance of the play, "A Murder Has Been Arranged," was given by the Hawke's Bay Little Theatre Society in the Municipal Theatre, Napier, last night.

Playing Miss Jasper, Mrs. C. Clouston first appeared in a lovely evening gown of primrose georgette with violet corsage spray.

As Miss Groze, Miss Mary Campbell first appeared in a beautiful gown of black satin backed crepe, slim fitting, with long, full skirt from the hips.

Playing the "dumb" lady doomed to die, Miss Hiram Scott wore a becoming scarlet frock, under a net cape, with high Medici collar.

Miss Cynthia Jefferd, as the housekeeper, Mrs. Wragg, first appeared in a black frock, with white apron and, for the party, she wore a Victorian gown of white tulle satin.

Royal Residence May be Purchased in the Shires

Duke and Duchess of Gloucester Seek New Country Home

Historic Castle

Interesting Item From Our London Correspondent

For some time the Duke and Duchess of Gloucester have been looking for a place in the country. We hear that they are favourably considering the acquisition of Barnwell Castle in Northamptonshire.

Barnwell Castle belonged to that noted sportsman, Major Colin Cooper, who died suddenly in March while on a big-game expedition in Kenya.

Five miles away is Boughton House, the English seat of the Duchess's brother, the Duke of Buckingham. Her sister, Lady Burghley, lives not far away at Wakerley Manor.

At one time, Barnwell Castle belonged to the Dukes of Buccleugh. The ruined 13th century castle adjoins the present Tudor House, and its gardens extend round the old castle walls.

HASTINGS R.S.A. BALL

Committee Formed BIG SUCCESS IS EXPECTED Preliminary Plans

A meeting of those interested in the R.S.A. ball was held on Wednesday, the organiser (Mr. S. J. Jones) presiding over an attendance of about 30.

It was decided that all present form the ball committee, with power to add and that the ball be held on Thursday, August 4.

Sub-committees were set up to take charge of the various arrangements. Mrs. T. A. Hill being appointed convener of the supper committee, and Mr. T. E. O'Dowd convener of the decorations committee.

A number of donations have already been received or promised, and in view of the enthusiasm displayed at the meeting it is confidently expected that the success attained in past years will be repeated.

Lieutenant Lord Ardee, A.D.C. to the Governor of Bengal, and Lieutenant Johnson, of the 1st Punjab, left Government House, Calcutta, last month to motor to London. They are going by way of Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Syria and Turkey. Their car is fitted with sleeping bunks.

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AGED MEN AND WOMEN VISIT PRINCESS JULIANA.—The old men and women paid a visit to the palace Soestdijk, when Princess Juliana and Prince Bernhard, on the gallery of the palace, showed their baby Princess Beatrix to them.

LONDON LETTER FROM LOUISE

GOSSIP AND HINTS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Pictures, Fashions and Recipes That Are The Talk Of The Town

FRUIT RINGS THE CHANGES

On the Continent and in America one finds many dishes in which fruit or jam is served with meat. In England red currant jelly with mutton, and apple sauce with pork, are usually the limits of the imagination of our cooks.

At a well-known club the other day trout was served with sultanas, which proved exceptionally good. The fish was cooked in butter, meuniere style, but plump sultanas took the place of parsley with the slices of lemon.

Drained tinned pears browned in the fat of a roast of beef make a delicious accompaniment. Next time a mixed grill is wanted, try serving grilled pineapple and bananas with the chops and sausages.

Orange with chops gives a new angle to an old friend. Put a piece of orange peel on the chops while grilling them, then grill the orange pulp and serve the chops with two or three pieces of orange on each.

Instead of apple sauce with goose, baked oranges can be served. The oranges are first simmered for half an hour in boiling water, then cooled. Cut a slice off the blossom end of the fruit, take out the core and put a small teaspoonful of brown sugar mixed with melted butter in a little. Put in fireproof dish with a leaf water, cover with greased paper, and bake for 1 1/2 hours.

PICTURES IN THE HOME

Problems of wall decoration are keenly interesting many women. Followers of the austere bare wall fashion of a decade ago are now leading the vogue of decorating the walls of reception rooms and bedrooms, and are reviving the fashion for pictures.

Architects are playing their part in the revival of the picture in the interior decoration scheme. They are designing walls of new town flats and country houses as a background for oils, water colours, and prints.

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Five o'Clock Gossip

Miss May Macdonald, a well-known and popular teacher of elocution in Napier and producer for the Napier Repertory Society, has been appointed judge of the elocutionary sections of the annual competitions to be held at Hamilton shortly by the Waikato division of the New Zealand branch of the British Drama League.

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ENGAGEMENT

The engagement is announced of Margherita Joan, second daughter of Mrs. M. A. Carter, Hastings Street, Hastings, to Robert John, elder son of the late Mr and Mrs J. L. Flanagan, of Sydney.

Hayes Common, Kent, was the scene of the Merrie England May Queens' Festival, where there was a procession of 100 May Queens, Maypole dances on the common, and a woodland ballet.

A Bulgarian peasant, Todor Todorovich, who is said to be 114 years old, and is unwilling to go to his grave without leaving someone to carry on his name, has adopted a boy of three. Todor had many descendants, children and grand-children, but has lost them all one by one.

Pretty Wedding At Norsewood

MACKAY—SCHMIDT Reception and Dance Held BEAUTIFUL FROCKS

A wedding of considerable interest to Southern Hawke's Bay, was held last evening in the Norsewood Presbyterian Church when Laura Joyce, daughter of Mr and Mrs F. Schmidt, of Norsewood, was married to Douglas Henry, only son of Mr and Mrs G. H. Mackay of South Norsewood.

The Rev. H. Scott performed the ceremony and Mrs. E. Parsons presided at the organ. The bride was given away by her father, who wore a tuxedo of ivory satin. The corsage being gathered and caught with a posy of orange blossom. The back was finished with tiny white-covered buttons.

The sleeves were tight-fitted, finished with a pointed cuff over the hand. Her beautiful veil, which was worn over the face when entering the church, was held in place by a coronet of orange blossom. Her bouquet was of white camellias, anemones, and maidenhair fern.

She was attended by Miss May O'Brien as bridesmaid, Mrs. S. Petersen as matron of honour, and Shirley Rosacker as flower-girl. The bridesmaid and matron of honour were gowned alike in powder blue lace over satin made on princess lines with a Medici collar.

They wore halos of pink velvet flowers, and carried bouquets of pink camellias and maidenhair fern. The flower girl was dressed in pink stiffened net over satin, and carried a basket of pink flowers. Mr George Mackay acted as best man, and Mr Fred Schmidt as groomsmen.

A reception was held in the Town Hall, where about 150 guests were received by the bride's mother, who was smartly attired in a navy ensemble, relieved with white and she carried a pink bouquet. She was assisted by the bridegroom's mother who wore a smart tulle ensemble and carried an autumn shaded bouquet.

The guests were later entertained at a dance where the bride appeared for travelling in a nigger frock, worn under a tailored brown coat, with hat, shoes and purse to ton.

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# SELF-HELP

Mrs S. Demarais, who was born at Billings Bridge, now within the boundaries of the Canadian capital, and who has spent her whole life near her birthplace, has just celebrated her 100th birthday. When D'Arcy McGee, the Irish orator, who was one of the Fathers of Confederation, was mortally shot by an Irish malcontent in the early morning of April 7, 1868, it was she who raised the alarm.

During the week ended April 16 (five days only), 573,619 National Savings Certificates were purchased.

Two British merchants, Mr Edward Anthony Ashton and Mr John William Webster, who were arrested 14 months ago on charges of appropriating Bolivian public funds, have been fully acquitted by the Superior Court of La Paz.

Doncaster Corporation is preparing plans for building an air raid refuge on land made available by slum clearance.

The German Air Protection League has now about 13,000,000 members organised under 66,000 sections. Some 5000 anti air-raid schools have been established in Germany in which 28,000 instructors lecture on air protection.

# A HOUSEWIFE IN BARCELONA

The Spanish War Has  
Made Her Lot A  
Difficult One

## Shortage Of Food Supplies

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Housekeeping has been most difficult in Barcelona during the last eighteen months. Food is the main subject of conversation and thought. It is, after all, of very vital importance to them. All that can be bought at the market or grocers legally, at normal prices and without a queue, is garlic, lemons, some fish and occasional nuts. Not even Mrs Beeton could arrange varied and sustaining meals with only those ingredients.

Ration cards are issued for almost everything, which must be taken to various offices and stamped periodically, but, with the exception of the bread and olive oil cards, they usually retain their virgin state from month to month.

For instance, a woman and her maid stood alternately in a potato queue for five days with cards, but never obtained a potato.

In a recent week the rations she was able to buy were: 11oz. sugar, 3oz. rice, one sardine, and 3oz. of dried cod, composed of 2oz. of bones and 1oz of cod—and that was rather a good week!

### Many Difficulties

Apart from the actual scarcity of foodstuffs, the shortage is often entirely due to the breakdown in transport and the inefficiency in organisation, caused largely by disagreements between the Government and the Anarcho-Syndicalists.

The latter have brought in a lot of revolutionary and communistic measures, as a result of which producers are supposed to hand over all products to local committees for distribution.

Although the practice is prohibited, food has to be obtained by clandestine methods at some 40 times former prices, since the authorities do not provide for the sale to civilians of sufficient rations on which to live.

Contra-bread rice, calculated at the pre-war rate of exchange, costs 12/6 per kilo; eggs, 15/- per dozen; meat, 12/6 per lb; sardines, over 6d each. Some people obtain contra-bread meat about once a week from a hardy old soul who spends her time, notwithstanding the danger, travelling nearly to the frontier and back, where she has useful friends.

Her prices are high, but she earns her money, as she leaves home about 5 a.m. and stands many hours in a train that has no window panes to speak of, and with a very good chance, especially on the way back, of being bombed and machine-gunned.

### Secret Buying

Vegetables have to be bought in the same underground way, through someone who knows someone who has a friend. Even oranges are only occasionally obtainable openly, and then after long hours of queuing, but they appear to be more plentiful after dark—providing you know someone who has a friend.

The same technique is necessary for wines, and practically all other drinks, including mineral waters, have practically disappeared.

Food is not their only trouble. There is no soap, at least there is no laundry soap, and the toilet tablets will not make a lather. The only washing soap available has to be imported from France at 10/- per kilo (5/- at pre-war rate).

The want of soda makes washing-up a misery, and the moths flourish owing to the absence of naphthalene. Pepper was suggested as a substitute, but it proved expensive at the equivalent of 7/6 an ounce.

### Quite Medieval

Gas functions at certain times, but is so poor that it is often difficult to get anything to boil. The electricity is cut off for hours at a time, and, as candles are exceedingly scarce, people have become quite medieval with little wicks floating in oil, provided they can spare the oil.

To add to the difficulty with regard to laundry work, all dry cleaning establishments were taken over by the workers and "collectivised," with the astonishing result that a suit sent in the spring was returned in December, and one sent in the summer never came back at all. Just when people were becoming resigned to walking round looking like tramps, certain firms were "de-collectivised" and returned to their owners, with the still more astonishing result that all articles sent were returned, admirably cleaned, in a week.

Dress materials are still procurable, at a price, but the difficulty

is to find sewing cottons and silks to match, and even a needle is quite a valuable possession.

### Tobacco Troubles

All these domestic troubles are nothing, however, say the menfolk, compared with the craving for tobacco. All sorts of things are being smoked—grasses, herbs, and even dried tea leaves, if the household is still fortunate enough to possess tea.

Men often think that a good meal followed by a quiet smoke must give complete contentment, but I wonder whether in years to come these men in Barcelona will remember these experiences and be so easily contented.

## Pretty Hastings Wedding

### MORNING CEREMONY

Bridal Dress Of Lido  
Blue

DONNELLY—LINDSEY

A quiet but very pretty wedding was solemnised at the Sacred Heart Church, Hastings, on Wednesday morning, when Ellaline Maud, second daughter of Mr and Mrs Walter Lindsey, Mangapapa, Gisborne, was married to Joseph, fourth son of Mrs Donnelly, Havelock North, and the late Mr James Donnelly.

The Rev. Father Heagney performed the ceremony.

The bride was escorted by her father. She wore a becoming Lido-blue Viennese slim-fitting model frock, the front of the bodice and skirt being pin tucked, and the collar and belt finished with ties ornamented with diamonds. She wore a navy peach bloom Brighton sailor hat, and a fitch fur stole with a spray of pink cyclamens attached, and carried a beige calf-skin handbag with gloves to tone.

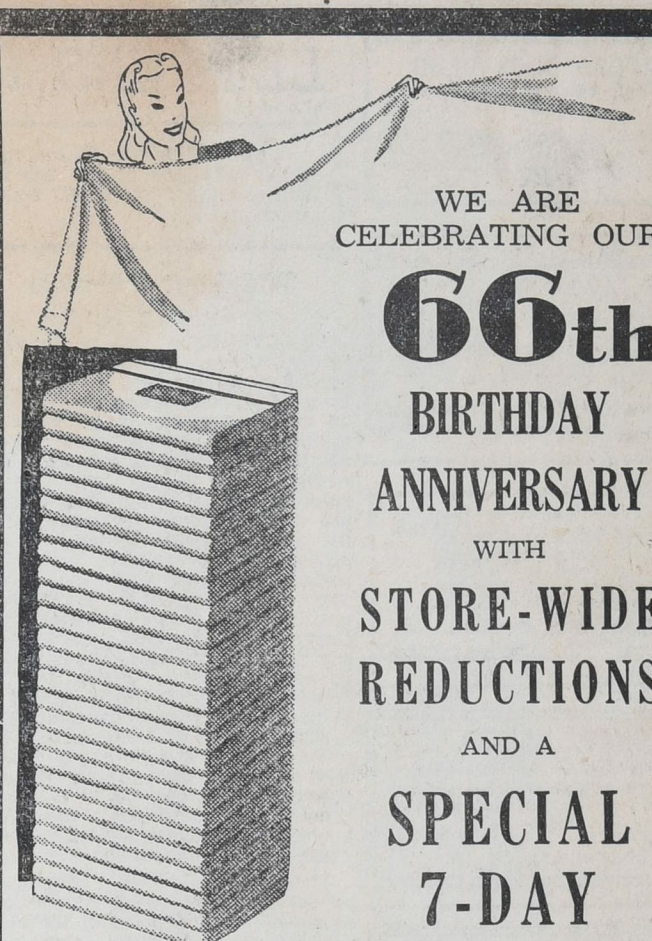
### The Bridesmaid.

The bridesmaid was Miss Leone Taylor, of Gisborne, who wore a bottle-green fine wool crepe model frock with buttons and sash of figured bottle-green. The corsage was finished with white crepe-de-chine. She also wore a bottle-green halo hat and a northern skunk fur stole with a spray of red cyclamens and fern, and carried a bottle-green handbag and gloves. Her gift from the bridegroom was a signet ring.

Mr Jack Lewis, of Hastings, was best man.

The reception was held at the home of the bridegroom's sister, Mrs A. Downing.

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The Four Colonels

Sir,—With due respect to your leader writer, I was somewhat mystified by his article in your issue of Monday (June 27) in which he made reference to matters of military defence and the recent manifesto of the four colonels.

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As to pensions, even "National" must be aware that the increase is 5/- and not 2/6.

The Hastings Sewer

Sir—Mr Maddison desired to be re-elected as Mayor to see the completion of his sewerage scheme.

Does it Really Matter?

Sir,—Having read of the falling birthrate I ask "Does it really matter?"

The Need for Relief To-day

Sir,—I had occasion to write to your journal on or about June 16 to comment and contradict a statement made by Mr Mayor of Hastings, Mr Maddison, as to the need of relief of distress in Hastings.

"Burnt-out" Soldiers

Sir,—One hears a good deal re "burnt out" soldiers lately. As I suppose practically all the Diggers are now found about forty five or fifty, don't you think all should receive a pension?

The Hastings Band

Sir,—So "Keen Supporter" has found a mare's nest. He starts off by insinuating that I have had something to do with the working of the band.

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object, they could have turned out, if only once, the late night, say, in shopping week.

A Matter of Loyalty

Sir—As an interested reader of your most entertaining daily I have to admit the correspondence columns are not the last to claim my interest, and sometimes, amusement.

Now, we Britishers, are peculiar in that we invariably pin our faith to three fundamentals—tradition, principle, and ideal; an instance, the Crown.

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HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

"DAILY MAIL'S" SPECIAL FORECAST IS OCCASIONAL RAIN.

Hastings Weather

The weather in Hastings yesterday was cold, and there were some light showers in the morning.

Napier Weather

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

Table with weather statistics for Hastings and Napier, including temperature, wind, and humidity.

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**SCRAP IRON FOR JAPAN.**—Japanese freighter, Kyokkoh Maru, at Victoria Docks, Melbourne, lying alongside scrap and tin clippings which she is loading for Japan. It was the first time for many weeks that the docks resounded with the noise of scrap iron being loaded for that country. The Kyokkoh Maru loaded 1250 tons of scrap in Adelaide. No scrap has been loaded at Melbourne since the watersiders refused to handle it on the grounds that it would be used for munitions and materials of war. Similar action in other centres led the Commonwealth Government to threaten punitive action under the Transport Workers' Act. The watersiders then lifted their ban.



**"BRITANNIA AND HER COLONIES" TABLEAU.**—This was the feature of the grand concert given by the Napier Townswomen's Guild yesterday afternoon. The tableau was arranged by Mesdames C. J. Bagley and A. P. Spackman.



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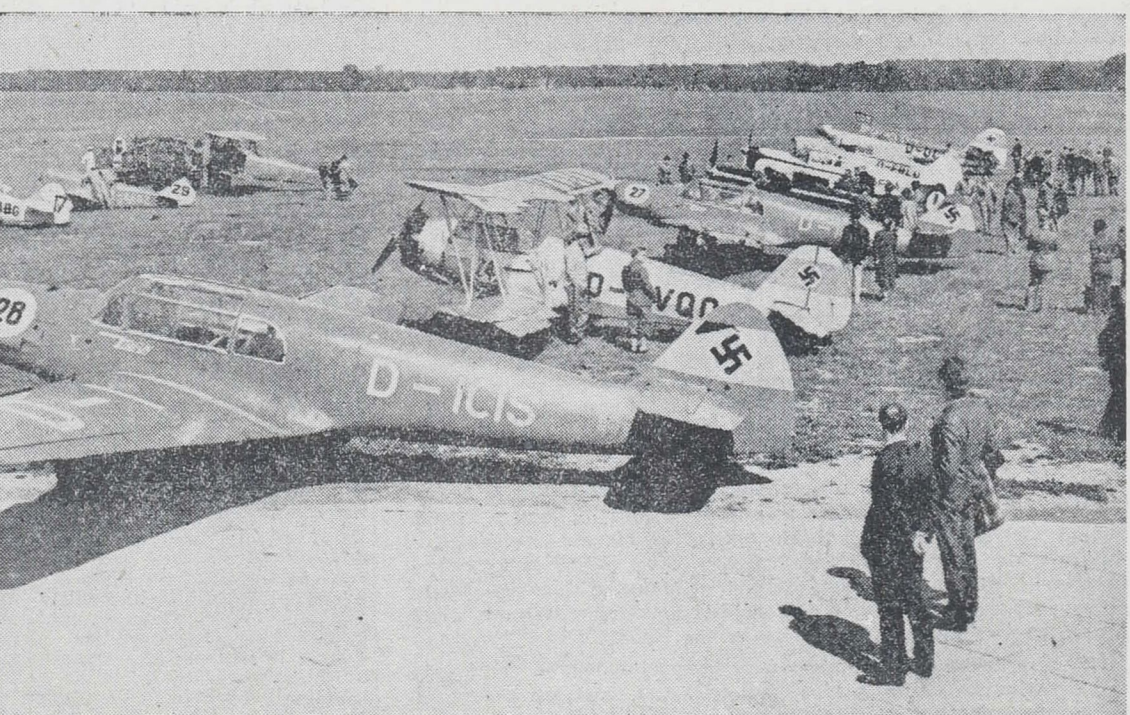
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**MANX INTERNATIONAL AIR RACE FROM HATFIELD AERODROME.**—General view of machines lined up in Hatfield Aerodrome. The race was won by S. T. Lowe, the winner of the previous year.

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MONDAY, JULY 4.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 6.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 13.

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Air mail correspondence for Great Britain, Ireland, Europe and countries served by the Australia-Singapore-England air mail service per Awatea from Auckland.—Mails close at Hastings 4 p.m., Napier 3.20 p.m. Due London, July 17.

Air mail which left Wellington on June 2, via Australia-Singapore-England, arrived at London, June 20.

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FRIDAY, JULY 1, 1938.

**MR SAVAGE AND THE B.M.A.**

Mr Savage's reply to the British Medical Association completely misses the point. The medical profession's viewpoint, as stated by its president, Dr. Jamieson, was that the Government should have consulted with, and sought the co-operation of doctors and specialists, in framing its proposals in connection with the social security scheme.

Even to the lay mind this is merely a commonsense proposition, for the practical execution of the scheme will rest with members of the medical profession, who would be best qualified to advise concerning possible difficulties, or amendments which might be desirable to make the scheme workable.

On such an important question as this—indeed, the Government itself rates it higher than most—surely it would be the prudent thing to take advantage of the experience and advice of those who are in everyday touch with the problems involved? How can the Law Drafting Office, in whose hands the Bill now lies, or Cabinet, possibly be expected to bring down a scheme without the practical knowledge and experience of the medical profession at their disposal to assist in meeting the inevitable problems of administration and general technical difficulties which must arise?

One would not dream of ignoring the advice of engineers, surveyors, and technicians in planning a new railroad; yet this scheme, vitally affecting the health welfare of the people, is to be rushed through Parliament apparently without consultation with the medical profession.

In reply to the statement issued by the president of the New Zealand branch of the British Medical Association, the Prime Minister has chosen to be both arrogant and rude. There was certainly no indication in the original statement that the B.M.A. wished to be placed on a pedestal. Their concern was plainly expressed and justifiable. Mr Savage asserts that the particular nature of the proposals of the Bill will not be made known until it is introduced to Parliament, and when that is done the medical profession will have the same opportunity as any other section of the people to study it.

Doubtless this is intended as a snub, but at the same time it reveals a contempt for the opinion of the people who will be expected to carry out the essential provisions of the Bill. This attitude is most reprehensible, and the Prime Minister has merely served to increase uneasiness concerning the soundness of the whole scheme.

He would serve the interests of the whole community far better if he chose to pay some attention to the views of others. If there is some obstacle which prevents Mr Savage from consulting with expert opinion on such an important proposal, the sooner the people of this country know it the better. In the meantime, few will relish this exhibition of arrogant intolerance.

**CRICKET TESTS—OF WHAT?**

The fundamental idea behind an international test match in sport is to decide which country is capable of producing the better players or performers. The two four-day cricket tests held in England merely emphasise the futility of putting such a time limit on the game that a clear decision is virtually impossible.

With the improvement of cricket technique and wickets in late years has come the realisation that a normal test innings is productive of high scores, and it is almost impossible for two teams to complete two innings each within such a short period as four days. Faced with such a time limit, captains of opposing sides are usually forced into the position of either playing for or against time, which is certainly not in the best interests of the game.

A test under such circumstances becomes a test in name only, and as an exhibition of international cricket it must fall lamentably behind the standards which would be seen in a fully-played game.

Inconclusive results such as were seen in the last two tests are most unsatisfactory from every point of view, and it is to be hoped that this experience will be sufficient to convince those responsible that the day of the limited time test match is done.

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**Living alone with her memories a little old lady sits in a small room in Paddington.**

There was a time when Marguerite Coppin—for that is her name—was famous. Her beauty made her a toast. Her daring shocked the orthodox and heartened others to join in the battle for emancipation of women. Her poetry and epigrams delighted the literary of more than one nation.

Born in Bruges, she became woman Poet Laureate of Belgium, and gained other literary honours. Like Mrs Bloomer in America and Mrs Pankhurst in England, she first represented the "New Woman" in her own Belgium.

Like Mrs Pankhurst, Marguerite Coppin dared to claim equal rights with man, and like Mrs Bloomer, she devised a convenient and comfortable trouser-like garment, wearing which she was the first woman in Belgium to ride a bicycle.

**FORCED TO FLEE**

When Belgium was invaded in 1914, Marguerite Coppin glimpsed the horrors of war, and was later forced to flee to England, her last home.

Now she ekes out a meagre livelihood giving French lessons, and only a few faithful friends know that the little old lady and romantic poetess and pioneer of emancipation are one and the same woman.

But she still holds court of a kind. "Madame" she is known as to the many London neighbours who come when they are in perplexity or difficulty, to ask the advice of the wise old Belgian woman on the problems of life.

More than half a century ago she was a high-spirited, beautiful, but penniless girl facing a world which did not believe that woman should earn a living, and certainly not a "gentlemanly" one.

Fatherless Marguerite had other views. She applied for domestic work.

"You are not strong enough," they said.

Then for work in a shop.

—DONALD MCCORMICK.

**BLAZING A TRAIL**

Marguerite was undaunted. She developed her talent for writing, and taught French in the English colony.

She continued to blaze a trail of emancipation.

"I needed much cheek, and the gods had given it to me," she explained.

Bruges was scandalised, but the climax was reached when Marguerite daily rode a bicycle down the streets of the city, her skirts clipped trouser-wise to each ankle.

"A woman on a bicycle? Brzen!" said the shocked people of Bruges.

"Ah, how shocked they were, the good people of Bruges," recollected Madame with a chuckle of sheer mischief.

**ROYAL ENCOUNTERS**

She lectured before the Queen of Holland, and attended a reception at which the late Emperor of Austria was present.

"I danced with his officers," she told me, "they could talk only about horses, but oh, la, la, how they could waltz!"—and again memory brought that smile of mischief to the face of a grand old lady.

"My English friends have been so very good to me," she says. "The English are kind and good, but, oh, how impulsive! They are children with all the characteristics of children, not thrifty, I am afraid. I know them well.

"I say that only I and Andre Maurois know the English," she added nodding her head.

But if Madame is sometimes bored by her enforced inactivity she is never depressed, for her philosophy buoy her up.

"You young are in so great a hurry," she said. "You have all eternity before you. Progress is like the tide. The wave rolls on, then appears to recede, but always it is going forward. We live in an age of transition. A new age will dawn."

As she looks back on her varied, tempestuous, brilliant career, there is only one subject on which she does not care to talk. That is the death of her greatest friend.

"It had to be," she said sadly, "but after that I could write no more poetry.

And for the first time since I had met her, the flicker of mischief was extinguished in Madame's wise and kindly face.

—DONALD MCCORMICK.

**Personal**

Mr A. Turner, supervisor of imported fruits, left Wellington for the north on Wednesday.

Professor H. G. Denham arrived at Wellington on Wednesday by the steamer express from the south.

Mr F. R. Picot, Director of Internal Marketing, was a passenger by the afternoon express from Wellington for the north on Wednesday.

Mr Alexander Kipnis, the Russian basso, who is touring New Zealand, arrived at Wellington, Christchurch, his accompanist, left for the south on Wednesday.

Mr W. K. Dallas, assistant director of the Horticultural Division of the Department of Agriculture, returned to Wellington on Wednesday, from the south.

Mr R. J. Mulligan, Mayfield, has been appointed to represent Mid-Canterbury at the meeting of the electoral committee of the New Zealand Meat Producers' Board at Wellington in August.

Wing-Commander N. B. Dixon, formerly of the Royal Air Force, and a son of the late Mr W. B. Dixon, of Fendalton, is now an air marshal in the service of the Egyptian Government, according to advice received in Christchurch.

Mr A. D. M. G. Laing, veterinarian in the Livestock Division of the Department of Agriculture in Hawke's Bay, who is at present attending the annual conference of New Zealand veterinarians in Wellington, is expected to return on Monday.

Mr A. Fellow, chief postmaster at Napier, accompanied by Mrs Fellow, will leave Auckland early next week on annual leave. Mr J. Sullivan, relieving officer at the General Post Office at Wellington, will be in charge at Napier during his absence.

A motion of sympathy with the relatives of Mr L. R. French, in their recent bereavement, was passed at the weekly luncheon of the Hastings Rotary Club yesterday afternoon. Tributes to the work of Mr French were paid by the president (Mr A. J. C. Runciman).

Mr L. E. Harris who has been appointed the Central Hawke's Bay Rugby Sub-Union delegate on the management committee of the Central Hawke's Bay Rugby Union was welcomed at the weekly meeting of the committee in Napier. Mr Harris has replaced the former delegate, Mr A. Kirkpatrick, who is at present on a tour abroad.

Mr Keith Hardie, of the "Sydney Morning Herald," and Mr Sidney King, of the "Daily Telegraph," Sydney, arrived at Wellington from Auckland on Wednesday. They have come to New Zealand to gather particulars of the New Zealand Rugby team which is to visit Australia next month and will accompany the All Blacks to Sydney.

The Rev. Raymond Dudley, of Trinity Methodist Church, Wanganui, has intimated that, subject to the confirmation of the church courts, he had decided to accept a call to the Durham Street Methodist Church, Christchurch, states a correspondent. Mr Dudley succeeded the Rev. E. T. Cox, now of Dunedin, seven years ago, at Wanganui.

Mr L. Hawke left Waipukurau on Wednesday for Christchurch, on Saturday he will attend the golden wedding of his parents, Mr and Mrs D. Hawke, of Oxford, North Canterbury. Mr and Mrs Hawke were married at Oxford on June 20, 1888, and have resided in that district for over 50 years, being very well known and highly esteemed settlers.

Mr Albert Edward Glover, a well-known resident of Auckland, celebrated his 80th birthday this week. Mr Glover was born at Nottingham, and arrived at Auckland with his parents in 1862 by the ship William Miles. He took part in the Thames gold rush, and later for many years conducted an extensive Island fishing business. For many years Mr Glover was a member of the City Council, and also sat upon the Auckland Harbour Board and the Auckland Hospital Board. He was elected to the House of Representatives for Auckland Central in 1908 and held the seat until 1919, when he was defeated by the present member, Hon. W. E. Farry.

An Aberdonian wrote to an English firm asking them to forward a packet of shaving paper without enclosing payment. He received a reply referring him to page 445 of their catalogue, where it was distinctly stated: "All small orders should be accompanied by a remittance."

The Aberdonian replied: "Dear sirs,—If I had been possessed of a catalogue with 445 pages I should not have written for any shaving paper. Please send catalogue now, and oblige."

A correspondent who asked for the best way to form a circle of nature-lovers was told to stand them round in a ring.

A man was sued recently in the law courts for selling a ropemaker a swindler.

He should have known better. A ropemaker is a twister.

Mother (persuasively): "I know a little boy who always comes to bed immediately he's asked."  
Bobby Junior: "The cissy!"

From a country newspaper: "One effect of the better lighting is an improvement in the visibility."  
It must have forgotten to add that one can see more clearly.

A scholar wrote recently that Noah's Ark was the first limited company to be floated. He might also have quoted it as the first use of double entry. "Punch."

"What reasons have we," cried the orator, "to believe that humanity can endure?"  
Rise up, ye midnight floor-walking husbands and answer as one man.

A German newspaper has it that the old type of aristocrat is disappearing von by von.

"If the weather is close and warm," says an Adelaide paper, "and it seems unwise to wrap a blanket round a poor, hot child, just hang it over the foot of the pram."  
Then look out for real sparks.

"Signor Mussolini appeared on the balcony, and immediately all the sirens in Rome hooped."—English paper.

Alas that popularity should be so short-lived!

A good football team, it is said, will sometimes win one week and lose the next.

The only suggestion seems to be to play just every other week.

A German scientist is reported to have invented a gas that will dissolve any substance with which it comes into contact.

"Punch" asks the pertinent question: "What will he keep it in?"

"All that I could make out on my new radio were Moscow and atmospherics," says a complainant.  
But he is to be congratulated on being able to tell the difference.

A mouse that scuttled on to the chairman's table at a recent political meeting was evidently accustomed to public squeaking.

A detective arrested a man for an offence committed eighteen years ago. He said that he had remembered the man's face all that time.

It must be good to have that kind of memory, but not that kind of face.

Noticed in Hastings St., Mr X. earnestly perusing a sale bill. He was heard to remark: "Parkers are holding their Annual Sale. Great Values as usual."



PROPER PLAN IS NEEDED, SAYS PRIME MINISTER

New Zealand Wants Immigrants COMMENT ON REPORT OF BRITISH BOARD

Government Considering Scheme

By Telegraph—Press Association. PARLT. BLDGS., June 30. "To bring people into New Zealand without any proper plan for their occupation would be stupid and repeating the insanity of the past," said the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. M. J. Savage), commenting on the cable summary of the report of the Overseas Settlement Board of the British Government.

Alarm Expressed At Decline In The Empire's White Population

United Press Association—Copyright. LONDON, June 29. The report of the British Government Overseas Settlement Board expresses alarm at the decline in the Empire's white populations, and suggests that Britain may not be able to supply sufficient settlers, for which reason it commends the Dominions "additionally to admit a carefully regulated flow of foreigners of assimilable types, preferably from countries whose inhabitants are of the same stock as ourselves."

Proposal Is Welcomed FOREIGN SETTLERS

Five Million Club Views NEED OF POPULATION

"Daily Mail" Special Service. PARLT. BLDGS., June 30. "The Five Million Club would welcome suitable migrants from the Old Country and the recommendation by the Overseas Settlement Board that if insufficient new-comers can be obtained from British foreigners of a similar stock to Britishers should be encouraged to migrate to the Dominions is a proposal which commends itself to the club," said the president of the club, the Hon. W. E. Barrow, when his attention was drawn to the cable today.

HOCKEY MATCHES TO-MORROW

Draw For The Junior Grade

The following is the draw for tomorrow's hockey games in the junior grade: Mataiki v. Huia, No. 1 ground, Cornwall Park, 1.30 p.m. (referees, Messrs Dyer and Marston); Karori v. United, No. 2 ground, Cornwall Park, 1.30 p.m. (referees, Messrs Adsett and Rowlands).

BROWN PILES ON RUNS

AUSTRALIA WELL IN LEAD THREE FOR 330

Derby's Hopeless Task

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received July 1, 1.30 a.m.). LONDON, June 30. Replaying to Derby's first innings score of 151, Australia at lunch had made 330 for the loss of three wickets. A. W. Brown was then 169 not out.

FINALISTS AT WIMBLEDON

BUDGE AND AUSTIN TO MEET

TENNIS RESULTS German and Yugoslav Eliminated

United Press Association—Copyright. LONDON, June 29. H. W. Austin (Britain) and J. D. Budge (U.S.A.) will contest the final of the men's singles at Wimbledon. In the semi-finals, Austin defeated Henkel (Germany), and Budge had little difficulty in defeating Puncce (Yugoslavia).

BUTTER AT 2/- A POUND

COMPENSATED PRICE SCHEME "IMPOSSIBLE"

Contention of Dr. D. G. McMillan

From Our Own Parliamentary Representative. PARLT. BLDGS., June 30. The reasons against the adoption of the compensated price scheme for dairy produce which the Leader of the Opposition, the Hon. A. Hamilton, had described as the same as the Australian equalisation scheme were given by Dr. D. G. McMillan (Govt. Dunedin W.), when moving the Address-in-Reply in the House of Representatives this evening.



HONORARY DEGREE FOR MR. ANTHONY EDEN, LATE FOREIGN SECRETARY.—This was conferred by the Chancellor, Earl Baldwin, when he returned to his university after his long enforced absence from public work. Mr. Anthony Eden, seen in the centre, leaving after receiving the honorary degree of Doctor of Law, conferred upon him by Earl Baldwin as Chancellor of Cambridge University.

BOOM IN WALL STREET

1937-38 RECESSION PAST?

FINE ADVANCE New Deal Promise of Spending

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received July 1, 1.30 a.m.). LONDON, June 30. The "Financial News" commenting on the fresh advance in Wall Street, declares that its energy and vigour justifies the description of a boom, which by all technical criteria has not yet reached its peak.

Summned Before Military Court

Conservative Member Of Parliament In Britain

Speaker's View

Prima Facie Case Of A Breach Of Privilege

British Official Wireless. RUGBY, June 29. There were developments today in the question of Parliamentary privilege, which was raised in the House of Commons on Monday, when Mr. D. Sandys (Cons.) announced that, in his capacity as an officer in the Territorial Army, he had received orders to appear tomorrow in uniform to give evidence before the Military Court of Inquiry.

SHAPING OF BRITISH FOREIGN POLICY

Machinery For Consultations Between Motherland And Dominions

British Official Wireless. (Received June 30, 8 p.m.). RUGBY, June 29.

The Prime Minister's attention was called in the House of Commons to a recent speech by Mr. R. G. Menzies, Australian Attorney-General, advocating consultations between the Governments of the British Commonwealth on foreign affairs and he was asked if, in agreement with the Dominion Governments, he would take steps to establish the machinery with a view to securing adequate consultation on the main aspects of foreign affairs.

"ROBIN HYDE" SAFE

N.Z. AUTHORESS IN CHINA AT SHANGHAI

Cablegram From Consul-General

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, June 30. Miss Iris Wilkinson, the New Zealand authoress, who writes under the name of Robin Hyde, is now reported safe. Her father, Mr. G. E. Wilkinson, has been advised by the Internal Affairs Department that a cable message has been received from the British Consul-General at Shanghai that she arrived safely at Tsingtao, having got safely through from Suchow and will proceed to Shanghai to-morrow.

New Slang Words Introduced

STRIKES IN AMERICA

A Very Descriptive Language WILL THEY LAST?

The new Webster dictionary that came from the presses early this year is as complete a digest of the language as its editors could pack into 3,210 pages. But while the volume was in the making dozens of new slang words were springing into use under the impetus of widespread and violent labour warfare.

BENEFICIARY NOT FOUND

CHRISTCHURCH WILL

Heir Had To Be Traced In Two Years

The failure to find a nephew of the testator in the time stipulated in the will has given the North Canterbury Hospital Board the residue of £800 of the estate of John Gale, who died at Christchurch on June 11, 1936. In his will he provided that if his nephew, Arthur George Morris, was not found within two years of his death, the residue of his estate was to be divided between the Widows, Orphans, and Aged Masons' Fund of the Grand Lodge of Freemasons and the North Canterbury Hospital Board.

NINE-Y-FIRST BIRTHDAY

CELEBRATION AT WAIPUKURAU MR. H. MONTEITH

A Useful Life of Service

Yesterday, at Waipukurau, the friends of Mr. H. Monteith, a well-known Hawke's Bay personality, gathered to congratulate him on the attainment of his 91st birthday. Mr. Monteith, who was born in Victoria, Australia, came to New Zealand in 1867 as a passenger on a sailing ship and landed at Dunedin.

Charge Heard At Hastings

YOUTH REMANDED Arrested Soon After Alleged Offence

GREYTOWN CASE

Smart work by the Hastings police resulted in the arrest at Hastings, on Wednesday, of a youth alleged to have broken into business premises at Greytown about eight hours previously.

WORLD WAITS FOR U.S.A.

RAW MATERIALS HELD IN QUANTITY

BROKER'S REPORT "No General Inflation of Credit"

The world still waits on the United States, says the monthly review of a leading firm of Melbourne sharebrokers which claims that "the defeatist attitude of wide circles of American people is a psychological factor contributing in no small measure to the lack of confidence which marks conditions in their own country."



BENEFITS IN HEALTH AND SUPERANNUATION BILL

Dr. McMillan Goes Into Detail COUPLE MAY HAVE £1000 AND HOUSE AND DRAW PENSION

"No Freedom Without Security"

Special Parliamentary Reporter. PARLT. BLDGS., June 30.

A detailed explanation of the manner in which the Government's social security scheme would operate constituted the main theme of the speech of Dr. D. G. McMillan (Govt., Dunedin W.), when he launched the Address-in-Reply debate in the House of Representatives to-night.

In outlining the benefits proposed under the medical service, Dr. McMillan said that he considered the universal principle the most important single factor in the health scheme and one from which they dared not depart if they were to obtain a service natural to the New Zealand national outlook and democratic ideals.

Dr. McMillan, in his discussion of the superannuation scheme, gave a detailed account of how the benefits would apply, with particular reference to the qualifications that have been prescribed.

Dr. McMillan was chairman of the departmental committee which last year made a preliminary investigation into the social service plan.

At the outset he said that the 24th and 25th Parliaments of New Zealand were unique in the history of the Dominion. Under the control of the present Opposition, the life of the 24th Parliament had been unconsciously extended by 12 months because they were reluctant to seek the verdict of the electors on their actions.

He asked the Leader of the Opposition, the Hon. A. Hamilton, to deny or confirm a rumour that the members of the House were returned to office if they intended to extend the life of the next Parliament.

"In marked contrast to the action of our predecessors stands the action of the present Government, which, although it was elected for four years and commands a large majority in the House, is voluntarily going before the electors at the end of three years, to give them an opportunity to express an opinion upon its legislation," Dr. McMillan continued.

"The people of New Zealand are not likely to vote confidence in a party which, when in office, has abandoned the fundamental principles of democracy and the right of the people to determine their own Government."

FORMS OF FREEDOM

Dr. McMillan went on to refer to the various forms of freedom that had been made possible under Labour's rule. These included freedom to obtain justice, freedom to live, freedom to work, freedom to trade and freedom of speech and action.

Freedom of the Press was also important, he said, but as anyone else, there were two considerations. One was that there was a difference between freedom and licence and the other that truthfulness was just as important as freedom.

He added that there could be no freedom where there was not economic security and the Government believed in true freedom. Speaking of the benefits of the scheme, he stated that the average amount spent by New Zealand people in health services at present was approximately 4 per cent. of their income, or 5d in the pound.

Dr. McMillan added that as New Zealanders spent upwards of £7,000,000 a year on various health services it could be seen that the problem was not to find more money, but to find newer and more efficient ways of spending that money.

An ill-organised, uncoordinated and spasmodic guerrilla warfare against disease could no longer meet the needs of modern health maintenance and it was abundantly clear that a health insurance scheme was long overdue in New Zealand.

PRACTITIONER SERVICE

The universal general practitioner service would be characterised by the right of every qualified medical practitioner to participate in the scheme, and for all medical practitioners serving in the scheme to participate in local administration of it, freedom of choice as between doctor and patient and as little interposition as possible between doctor and patient and those who rendered the service would be adequately remunerated.

The Government, said Dr. McMillan, did not propose to provide the full benefit of superannuation and health schemes to all upon the opening day of the schemes. To do so would be much too disturbing to private arrangements of people. At the very most 3d out of the shilling would be mortgaged up to the bill to have started off with the full scheme would have meant 1/3 in-



ANOTHER PICTURE OF SOME OF THE EARLY COACHES.—On the left are two of Graham and Gebbie's coaches and on the right is the coach for the Havelock North service, with the late Mr. W. H. Nimon, father of the present J. and W. Nimon, holding the reins. In the background is the old Post Office, completed in 1909 and brought down in the 1931 earthquake.

EXTRA GREENS TO BE ACQUIRED

HERETAUNGA CLUB'S PROPOSAL

Plans to acquire two additional greens, including one for women, were discussed at an enthusiastic annual meeting of the Heretaunga Bowling Club last evening. Mr. L. J. Harvey presided.

A property of one acre adjoining the present green is available for purchase, and a special meeting has been called to deal with the proposal. The chairman's report showed that there was a profit of £72.11.5 for the last season. Special mention was made of an item in the balance sheet of £52, from the Heretaunga Ladies' Club.

A motion of sympathy with Mrs. Cochrane and her daughter in their bereavement was passed.

The election of officers resulted: Patron, Mr. H. M. Campbell; president, Mr. L. J. Harvey; vice-presidents, Messrs H. J. Webber and B. M. Kessell; secretary, Mr. A. V. Danvers; treasurer, Mr. F. Daines; committee, Messrs F. Warren, W. M. Meares, H. Coward, J. Low, H. Evison; green supervisor, Mr. J. A. Marr; delegates to the Centre, Messrs H. J. Price and B. M. Kessell; sole selector, Mr. J. A. Maher; deputy selector, Mr. A. V. Danvers; auditor, Mr. C. Newton.

Annual Meeting of R.S.A.

NAPIER BRANCH

In future all nominations for members of the committee of the Napier Returned Soldiers' Association must be in the hands of the secretary two days before the date of the annual meeting, following a decision made by the association at its annual meeting last night. Mr. E. H. T. Dunn presided.

The chairman said, in reply to a question, that the donation of £25 from Lord Nuffield was given for the benefit of crippled children and charity, and the association would use it for cases of a similar type.

A social evening followed the meeting. Music was supplied by the Frivolity Minstrel's Orchestra, and items by members of the minstrels.

Three former presidents of the association, Messrs H. Wilkie, J. Mason, and B. Tweedie, spoke during the evening.

The election of officers resulted: President, Mr. E. H. T. Dunn; committee, Messrs G. B. Menzies, T. Barry, J. Snaddon, G. C. Breen, H. Fulton, D. J. Bowland, G. Lawlor, C. Tidy, C. B. Ferguson, B. Tweedie, H. Seed.

would have the final word in the control of exports and imports. Dealing with the compensated price scheme Mr. Roberts said the Leader of the Opposition proposed to restore the free marketing principle for dairy produce. He did not think that Mr. Hamilton was very happy about that particular plank in his party's platform.

Mr. Roberts proceeded to contrast the difference between the guaranteed and compensated prices, stating that he thought it better for the farmers to be anchored to a system such as the guaranteed price, over which they had some control, rather than the compensated price over which they had no control whatever.

In conclusion he said the Labour Government was not only turning a new page but was writing a fresh chapter in the history of the Dominion.

The motion of the Opposition proposed to be adjourned on the motion of the Leader of the Opposition and the House rose at 9.50 p.m.

Miniature Rifle Shooting

HASTINGS CLUB First Championship and Trophy Shoot

J. SIM WINS AGAIN

Some good scores were registered at the Hastings Miniature Rifle Club's first championship and trophy shoot on Wednesday evening.

J. Sim was again victorious in the A1 grade, with a good score of 98. Other good scores were by C. Hawkins, who won the A grade with 97, and D. Dunn, a junior who topped the B grade, with a similar score.

About 40 competitors took part. Results were:—

Table with columns: Grade, Rifle Score, Hdcp. Score. Lists winners for A1, A, and B grades.

Fine Dance On Thursday

RED CROSS BALL Big Attendance Is Assured

Dancers from all parts of the district, remembering the great success of last year's Red Cross ball, have made a point of their assistance to Thursday free for this annual fixture. Indications are that this year's effort will eclipse those of other years, and a record number of dancers is expected.

Customs Takings At Napier

There was a decrease of £5285 in the gross takings at the Napier customhouse in the month just ended, compared with the corresponding month of last year. In June, 1938, the total takings were £43,897, and in June last year the total was £49,182. The decrease was principally caused by a drop of £4654 in the net takings.

The collections, with the figures for the corresponding month of last year in parentheses, were:—Net £31,033 (£35,687); petrol, £7237 (£7989); sales tax, £3824 (£3989). The remainder of the total was made up by miscellaneous items.

The Hastings Club's soccer team to play Napier Y.M.C.A., at Cornwell Park, Hastings, at 2.30 p.m. on Saturday, is as follows:—Lancaster, Cardie, Bell, Leicester, Lewis, Marr, Sawyer, Anderson, Hawthorn, Gibb, Zackho, Emergenchies, Farnell, Satchwell and Neilson. Referee, Mr. J. Stickland.

NO EPIDEMIC IN SCHOOLS

DIPHTHERIA AND MEASLES ISOLATED CASES

Attendances Affected By Colds

Although there have been rumours in Hastings and Napier of outbreaks of diphtheria and measles in the schools, inquiries from health inspectors and headmasters yesterday showed that there was no cause for possible alarm of a spread of infection.

It was stated, however, that a considerable number of the children were suffering from influenza and colds, and this was affecting the attendances, particularly in the infant and junior classes. The Hastings health inspector (Mr. C. O. R. Carrell) said yesterday afternoon that he had as yet heard of no actual cases of diphtheria in Hastings, although several children had been removed from school because they were contacts.

Telephone interviews with Napier and Hastings headmasters of primary schools showed that several children were away because of diphtheria in the family in Hastings and surrounding schools.

Several cases of measles were also reported in Hastings, but Napier schools appeared once again to be comparatively free.

The headmasters of two Hastings schools said that there was a number of pupils away with influenza and colds and this had a decided lowering effect on the attendances.

MORE CRITICISM HAWKE'S BAY'S PART IN 1940 CENTENNIAL

REPLY TO PRIME MINISTER "NOT CONSULTED"

"Health of the People Affected"

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, June 30.

Replying to the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. M. J. Savage), Dr. J. P. S. Jamieson, of Nelson, president of the New Zealand branch of the British Medical Association, said that Mr. Savage's statement was exactly what the B.M.A. had expected. What the association desired to establish in the public mind was that in a measure which gravely concerned the health of the people of New Zealand, the medical profession had been in no way consulted.

This, the Prime Minister had now made quite clear, and in addition he had shown that prior to commencing itself to the Bill about to be brought down, the Government had no intention of seeking that practical advice which the association alone could give.

The general public would not be misled by the statement that so far the Bill had not come before Cabinet, and in these circumstances it was quite unreasonable for the B.M.A. to expect a copy or any specific information concerning the contents.

"Practical Criticism"

The point was, said Dr. Jamieson, that in drafting the Bill Cabinet must have given the draftsman the necessary decisions the Government had arrived at, and in such an important matter as the health of the people of the Dominion, the association submits that it would have been better advised to have sought the practical criticism of the association.

He contrasted the position with the Education Amendment Bill, a draft of which had been in the hands of those interested in education for months past and subjected to public criticism.

A hundred thousand friendly society members would learn with interest for the first time, that they had agreed conditionally to a measure of whose provisions they had no detailed knowledge, and the general effect of which must lead to the eventual extinction of their orders.

He said that the Government would not be able to complain of difficulties if alone had created. The time to seek co-operation was in advance, not after a position had been brought about which rendered co-operation impossible.

Financing Of Provincial Court Is Discussed At Meeting In Napier

Finance and other problems connected with Hawke's Bay's share in the New Zealand Centennial celebrations in 1940, and the provision of a provincial court in the Centennial Exhibition at Wellington, were discussed at a meeting of local body representatives and representatives of other organisations held in the Napier Borough Council Chambers last night.

There were also present representatives of the Centennial branch of the Internal Affairs Department, the National Historical Committee, and the Exhibition Company, who gave advice to the meeting on the various problems to be tackled.

There were present the Mayor of Napier (Mr. T. W. Hercock), the Town Clerk (Mr. F. R. Watters), Mr. A. W. Mulligan (Centennial branch of Internal Affairs Department), J. R. Simpson (N.Z. Centennial Exhibition Co., Ltd.), E. H. McCormick (secretary, National Historical Committee), S. J. McKee (Hastings Borough Council), A. I. Rainbow (Deputy-Mayor of Hastings), N. C. Hastings (Town Clerk Hastings), Bishop F. A. Bennett, V. A. Thomson (Hastings Chamber of Commerce), R. M. Chadwick (Automobile Association), J. H. Milne (Fruitgrowers' Association), W. Kelly (Hawke's Bay Sheepowners' Union), C. Price (Napier Catholic Church), W. Prentice (Historical Committee), H. L. Harker (Wairoa Borough Council), B. J. Single (Town Clerk Wairoa), W. H. Anderson (Havelock Town Board), A. M. Retemeyer (Hawke's Bay A. and P. Society), E. Gibbard (Dannevirke Borough Council), E. T. O'Hara Smith (Town Clerk, Dannevirke), K. Kay (Woodville Borough Council) and A. H. Hansen and D. L. Crookes (Dannevirke County Council).

After a long discussion it was decided to recommend that a space of not less than 2000 square feet. A provisional executive committee consisting of the Mayor of Napier (Mr. T. W. Hercock), the Mayor of Hastings (Mr. F. R. Watters), the chairman of the Hawke's Bay County Council (Mr. C. C. Smith) and the Bishop of Aotearoa (the Rt. Rev. F. A. Bennett), was set up to draw up a provisional budget for submission to the various local bodies following which a further meeting of local body representatives will be held.

The Mayor said that the meeting was called to consider ways and means for the exhibition to be held in Wellington in 1940. Finance was one of the main points to be discussed, and when the position had been explained to the delegates present they could report back to their respective local bodies.

"We want to know how far other local bodies are prepared to come in before we commit ourselves," said the Mayor.

Mr. Simpson said that the exhibition was a national affair and not merely a Wellington one. It was set down for the year 1940 to commemorate the hundredth anniversary of the proclamation of British sovereignty in New Zealand.

The exhibition company had a nominal capital of £150,000 towards which £90,000 had been subscribed. The Government was strongly supporting the exhibition and had contributed £75,000 to the scheme in addition to making available the services of various departments of State.

There was no doubt that the exhibition would be a success. The Mayor said that the meeting was called to consider ways and means for the exhibition to be held in Wellington in 1940. Finance was one of the main points to be discussed, and when the position had been explained to the delegates present they could report back to their respective local bodies.

THE THEATRES (Continued from Page 3)

State

"CHARLIE CHAN AT MONTE CARLO"

Thriller To Start To-morrow

A love of mystery stories travels hand in hand with statesmanship, erudition and habitually orderly thinking—in other words, the greatest detective story fans are brainy folk. A good mystery story is a mental cocktail that stimulates and lifts a person out of the routine groove of thinking, says Warner Oland, who portrays the world's ex detective in "Charlie Chan at Monte Carlo," which opens to-morrow at the State Theatre, Hastings.

Current Attractions

"Thank You, Mr. Moto," starring Peter Lorre, the famous dramatic actor, will be shown finally to-night.

Cosy

"SAN QUENTIN" IS FINE FILM

New Attraction For To-morrow

With Pat O'Brien starred, and such excellent players as Humphrey Bogart, Barton MacLane, Joseph Sawyer and Ann Sheridan in supporting roles, the Warner Bros. First National melodrama "San Quentin" has been scheduled as the next feature attraction at the Cosy Theatre, Hastings.

Current Attractions

"Man in Possession," starring the two famous attractions, Jean Harlow and Robert Taylor, and "Nobody's Baby," starring Patsy Kelly and Lyda Roberti, will be shown finally to-night.

Regent

WILLIAM POWELL AGAIN

"Double Wedding" To-morrow

It was left for the inimitable William Powell and his charming colleague of the screen, Myrna Loy, to immortalise the trailer in celluloid. This is the combination which costars for the seventh time in "Double Wedding" at the Regent Theatre, Hastings, to-morrow. The picture is Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's adaptation of Ferenc Molnar's international stage hit, "Great Love." And again, as may be expected, the screen adds to the charm of the original.

Current Attractions

No more laugh-provoking picture has been on a local screen in years. Powell and Miss Loy were delightful in "Libel Lady," "After the Thin Man" and others, but their combination of talents has reached its peak in "Double Wedding."

Current Attractions

The producer was Joseph Manziwicz, one of Hollywood's youngest executives, who earlier produced "Fury," "The Gorgeous Hussy" and "Love on the Run."

Current Attractions

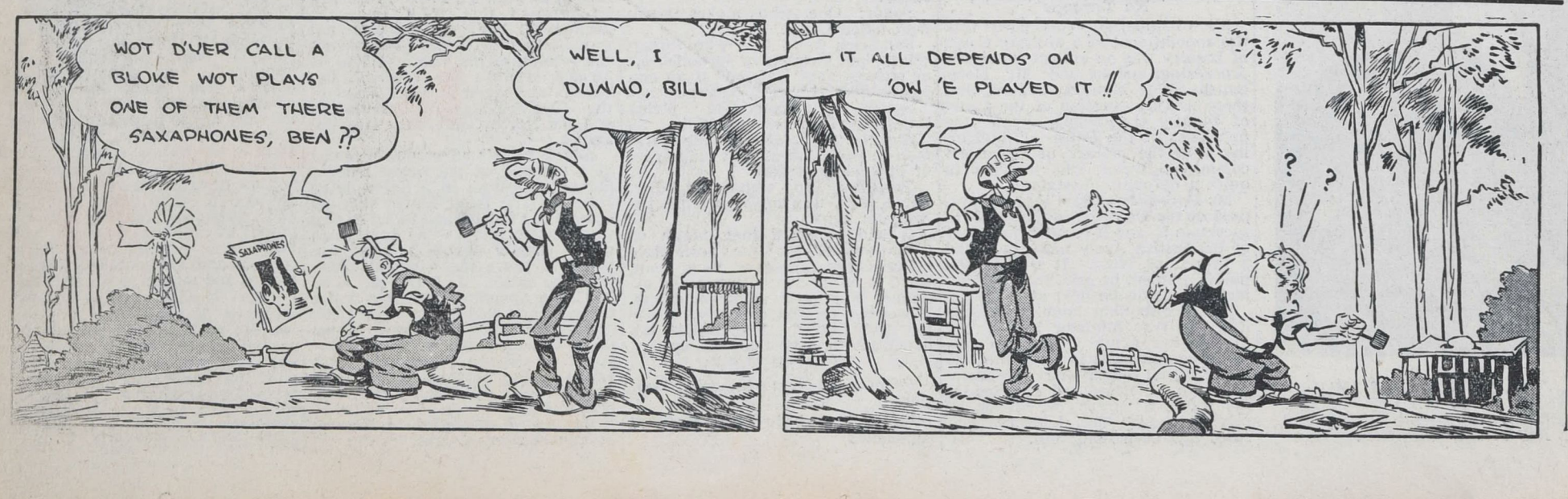
"Cloistered," a fine film of convent life, will be shown finally at the Regent Theatre, to-night.

General Elections

"LAST-MINUTE RUSH"

The usual "last minute rush" was experienced by officials at the Court-house at Napier yesterday when the Napier electoral roll for the coming Parliamentary elections closed. The roll closed yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock and throughout the day queues were formed at the office where two members of the staff were kept busy taking enrolments. Several hundred applications have also been received in the mail during the last few days.

No figures were available yesterday of the final number on the roll, officials stating that it would be almost a fortnight before the complete figures were known.



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



# ACCUSED MAN'S LETTER TO HIS MOTHER

## Armstrong Murder Trial POIGNANT DOCUMENT READ IN COURT

### "Life Was Impossible"

By Telegraph-Press Association.  
WELLINGTON, June 30.

The most sensational evidence in the hearing of a charge against Douglas Alexander Armstrong, a fitter and turner, aged 20, of having murdered his father, Edwin Norman Armstrong, at Wellington on May 6, was a letter written by the accused which his mother in evidence said she had received from her son.

The letter, which was read in court by Mr H. F. O'Leary, who is appearing for the accused, was as follows:—

"In this hour, the darkest in my young life, I must pen these few lines to you—perhaps the last ever. You must excuse the emotional abruptness of these lines but, believe me, they are the outpourings of the terrible stress which seems to consume my whole body with agony, for I have killed my father. To you alone I turn for sympathy. For you, my mother, have guided me too long along the path of life to desert me now. I trust you implicitly.

"Be brave, Mum, for my sake, as well as yours. Accept this terrible news with fortitude. God knows I did it for you. He has brought tragedy alone into our lives, brooded over us like a pall, stealing all our happiness and retarding our being respected and our social advancement. He had lost every vestige of manhood. Like a leech he sucked our vital reserve and made our home a morgue. Life was impossible.

"To me it did not matter. I could have gone away and left you all, and lived happily as you were, clever, and with the whole world before me. Yet I loved you so much in my queer, rigid way, that the manhood which is so wholly my character forbade me to desert you. You were too tragic a figure, too helpless in the hand of fate, had given too much of your life. And I know all the love which you could not give to him you lavished on me. Life has not treated you rightly.

"I had thought when we gave him all the money to go away that he would stop away and leave us to our own destiny. I had plans to compensate you for all you've suffered, all you have endured. Bill and me; for those long, bitter years of our childhood when that skunk dragged you round the world, gave you no home, brought only misery and broken friendships into your life and finally, having failed, dragged us in that bitter mire of dependency and poverty from which your heroic efforts alone rescued us, and through spunged upon you in that detestable manner which has wrung your heart time and time again in frightful agony and yearning for the happiness that should have been our heritage.

The letter went on to describe how the writer had hoped to get a good job somewhere so that his mother could go home to live in happiness in England and "both Bill and I could have had a haven from our wandering."

After declaring that fate had ruled otherwise, the letter went on:

"Alas, poor mortal clay, you aim too high.  
Soon shall your dreams lie broken  
Upon the sacrificial stone  
Of that base goddess, Fate  
When soon to life's fulfillment  
You would have woken.

"Forgive the apology for poetry. It is just a chip off a riven heart.

"So now I stand with the ruins of my life at my feet. Worse still, I have brought down upon you an awful calamity, the gravity and extent of which I am afraid to dwell upon. Yet now do I need you more than ever before. Steel that heart of yours and fight for me. Grant me your love and your defence, your sympathy and your pleading for my life—a life which folly has brought so close to disaster, a life with a soul of true steel, into which are tempered all that is goodness in man. Lovingness, kindness and understanding, chivalry and steadfastness which the quick rush of youth has somewhat muddled and produced a Jekyll.

"Compose yourself, Mum. Show Bill this letter. It is your duty to do so. That I shall be caught is inevitable, but while I am free I want to see you, just to comfort you and to derive comfort from you. Perhaps the terrible tragedy of the case will outweigh the horror of the thing and some day the even tenor of your life may be resumed."

The letter concluded with the suggestion that his mother should meet him at the main door of the station next day.

## COMMENCEMENT OF TRIAL

Mr J. H. Luxford, S.M., presided when the trial was opened this morning.

The case for the Crown is being conducted by Mr W. H. Cunningham, Crown Prosecutor at Wellington, with whom is associated Sub-Inspector J. Carris mother, Mr H. F. O'Leary, K.C., with Mr M. D. Foster, are appearing for Armstrong, who, when his name was called, walked quickly into the dock.

A number of exhibits, including a rifle, knives, clothing, a suitcase, the remains of another suitcase, mats, a tea-tray and a roll of matting form part of the police case. The Crown prosecutor proposes calling 21 witnesses, and it is expected that the Lower Court hearing will occupy at least two days.

Before a start was made with the evidence, Mr O'Leary asked that all witnesses be ordered to remain out of court, except medical witnesses and Sub-Inspector Carroll, whose presence he understood was necessary in the conduct of the case for the Crown. The Magistrate made this order.

Mr Cunningham did not outline the Crown's case, stating that the story would unfold itself as the witnesses were called.

William Aitken Armstrong, of Wellington, a student, said that at the beginning of May he was living at 20 Hinatu Road, Hataitai. His family had been there about five years. There were four in the family, father, mother, brother (the accused) and himself. On May 6 witness left home about 8.15 a.m., his brother having left about 7 a.m. His brother was employed at the railway workshops. When witness

# Improvement In JUNGLES OF MALAY ARE Building LIKE N.Z. FORESTS

## The Country That Produces Half The Rubber And Tin Of The World

The vast importance of the Straits Settlements, and the strategic importance of the Malay Archipelago, were emphasised by Dr. E. W. B. Griffiths in an address on "Malaya" at the weekly luncheon of the Hastings Rotary Club yesterday. Dr. Griffiths spent two years on Singapore Island some years ago as medical officer at the Royal Air Force Base.

After describing the possessions surrounding the Malay Archipelago, Dr. Griffiths said that the area of British Malaya native 53,000 square miles, or practically exactly half the area of New Zealand. The distance from Singapore to Penang was nearly as far as from Auckland to Wellington. This would give a good indication of the size of the country.

Resembles New Zealand Forest. Most of the country was still in its native state and was covered with jungle. These jungles in many ways resembled the New Zealand virgin bush, and growing on the higher levels could be seen tree ferns which were exactly like the New Zealand tree ferns.

The climate was hot and humid and did not vary much throughout the year. The temperature was never less than 70 degrees in the shade, and never more than 90 degrees. This made the climate very monotonous and it was further aggravated by the fact that the days varied very little in length. There was a good deal of rain—mostly tropical showers. This could be avoided by travelling into the hills, but the nearest hills were more than 200 miles away from Singapore.

Huge Resources. Commercially, the Federated Malay States were very important because they produced half the tin of the world, and half the rubber of the world. Incidentally the rubber trees were not native to the country, but were imported there last century. In 1905 the Malay States had produced about one two-hundredth of the world's total production of rubber. Then the price had been a pound, but production had increased until it was 3d a pound in the middle of the slump. The production had consequently been slightly reduced since.

Vast Rubber Farm. On the railway journey from Singapore to Penang, one got the impression that Malaya was nothing more than a vast rubber farm, but this was only because most of the plantations were ribboned along the side of the railway tracks. Most of

the work in the plantations and tin mines was done by Chinese and Hindu coolies, as the Malays considered that they were above this type of work. All products were shipped through the Straits Settlements, mostly through Singapore. Singapore was built on the southern end of Singapore Island, which was separated from the mainland by a strait of one mile. The island was about 26 miles long and about 13 miles wide.

A "Sacked" City. Referring to the history of Singapore as a great port, Dr. Griffiths said that 100 years ago it was a flourishing city under Malayan rule. There had been an invasion by the Javanese, who had sacked the city. It had decayed, and was not known again throughout the world until Sir Stamford Raffles in 1819, recognising the commercial importance of the town as a port, had made negotiations for its development. It had later been bought outright.

The reasons for the great importance of Singapore as a port were (1) the position of the trade routes—nearly all the vessels from Europe passed through the Straits on their way to the Far East; (2) the vast amount of produce that was exported from there, and (3) because it was a free port.

36,000 Vessels a Year. About 36,000 vessels passed through the port every year, excluding small and native craft, said Dr. Griffiths.

Ninety per cent. of the population was Chinese, while the remainder consisted of Indians, Malays and a small number of Europeans. The climate of Singapore was hot but healthy, and there were very few cases of tropical disease there. This he attributed to the wonderfully clean water supply, which did not come from the island of Singapore, but which was brought by pipe lines on a causeway from the mainland. The actual reservoirs were situated in Central Johore.

Dr. Griffiths also dealt with the development of the island of Singapore as a naval base, and outlined the land, sea and air forces that were headquartered there.

Births, Deaths, Marriages. Figures show an increase in Hastings Review. Statistics for month and half-year.

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AGRICULTURAL & COMMERCIAL

SUB. CLOVER FOR ORCHARDS

NELSON EXPERIMENT EXPLAINED INSTRUCTOR'S VISIT

A number of Nelson fruitgrowers have sown subterranean clover in their orchards as an experiment, according to Mr N. J. Adamson, orchard instructor in the Horticultural Division of the Department of Agriculture, Hawke's Bay.

Discussing the experiment, he said that a reduction in the costs of cultivation was the main reason for farmers that a mat of subterranean clover would prevent erosion which, in some localities, was serious.

"It is an interesting experiment, and I do not know how it will turn out," said Mr Adamson. "By the amount of work they seem to be prepared to put in, I do not think that the saving will be very great. It will be interesting to see the effect of the lack of cultivation on the trees."

Asked to express an opinion on the possible value of the adoption of a similar system in Hawke's Bay orchards, he said that, while it was impossible to be certain without a trial, he thought it would be detrimental.

"The effects of lack of cultivation are shown very quickly here," he said. "The foliage shows a lack of tone and the leaves are less resistant to spray. In addition, the question of erosion scarcely arises here."

GRANT IS GIVEN TO GISBORNE SCHOOL

"Daily Mail" Special Service. GISBORNE, June 30.

For some time the Gisborne High School has been in need of extra machinery for use in the technical portion of the school, and application was made to the Education Department for the provision of extra plant.

Advice that Cabinet had approved a grant for additional plant was received in Gisborne to-day, the information being forwarded by Mr D. W. Coleman, M.P.

The grant asked for was £1140 to make the industrial block better fitted for the work of senior classes and for apprentices who were required to carry out more advanced work.

Commenting on the grant, the rector (Mr J. Hutton), said to-day that it would enable the complete equipment of the machine-shop to be carried out, as it will include tools such as lathes and subsidiary equipment.

YOUNG FARMERS ON TOUR

Sixty Visitors CANTERBURY PARTY EXPECTED Plans For Entertainment

Advice has been received by Mr R. P. Hill, Fields Instructor in the Department of Agriculture, that a party of 60 young farmers from Canterbury will visit Hawke's Bay and Poverty Bay during the course of a North Island tour in July.

"The party will leave Christchurch on July 11 and arrives in Palmerston North on July 13. From there the members will travel up the west coast by special buses to Hamilton and Rotorua, via Hawera and New Plymouth. After visiting the Bay of Plenty, the buses will bring the party down to Gisborne, Waioara, Napier and Hastings.

The young farmers will leave Hastings and Napier for Dannevirke on Saturday, July 23. At the weekly in the Fields Division of the Department of Agriculture have been advised by Mr S. Freeman, organising secretary of the Federation of Young Farmers' Clubs, to arrange for accommodation for the party and organise tours of inspection. Yesterday, Mr Hill stated that he intended meeting the party in Waioara and would accompany them south. He anticipates that Young Farmers' Clubs in the Hawke's Bay province would co-operate in entertaining the visitors.

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A SMALL YARDING AT DANNEVIRKE

Weekly Sale

RECENT RATES MAINTAINED

No Pigs Forward

DANNEVIRKE.

A small yarding of sheep and a fair yarding of cattle came forward at the weekly stock sale held at Dannevirke yesterday, when prices were on a par with recent dates. No pigs were penned.

A pen of good fat B. lambs from the estate of J. Holden made 21/7; a pen of mixed ewes, r.w. S.D. ram, on account of R. Hales, of Wai-patiki, made 23/3; and another pen of mixed aged ewes, on account of J. Rice, of Mangatoro, brought 18/6.

Fat ewes made from 14/3 to 21/5; four-tooth ewes 16/3, one b.t. ewe made 19/-, mixed aged ewes 18/6 to 21/-, two-tooth ewes, 21/- to 22/-, ewe lambs 14/- to 23/1.

Cattle

A pen of good fat heifers on account of G. Chatfield (Waioara) made 45/6, and a pen of P.A. bullocks on behalf of the same vendor were passed at 48/2/6; 17 P.A. steers on account of W. Hart-gill (Ngaparuru) made 44; and 16 P.A. weaner steers offered by Gill-lan Brothers (Waimiro) brought 43/2/.

Fat cattle ranged from 15/ to 25/10/6, fat Jersey cows 13/10/ to 25/7/6, P.A. bulls 12/6 to 28, Potter bulls 15/15/ to 23/6, good P.A. weaner steers 44, medium 43/2/- to 44, 20-month-old steers 45/4s, medium 44/6/4, aged P.A. cows, in calf, 42/17/- to 44, P.A. weaner heifers 41/19/- to 42/17/-, good Jersey heifers, in calf, 44/12/-, medium 45, store Jersey cows 42 to 43, weaner Jersey heifers 42 to 42/12/-.

TRUCK LEFT THE ROAD

P. AND T. LINESMEN INJURED

ORINGI MISHAP

DANNEVIRKE.

Four linesmen were injured when a Post and Telegraph Department truck left the road while attempting to pass another lorry on the main Dannevirke-Woodville highway at Oringi at about 4.30 p.m. yesterday.

The injured men were: James Duffy, 28, shock, shoulder and back injuries; Dennis Skully, 35, badly lacerated ear, bruises and shock; Bryan Leach, 19, bruises and scalp wounds.

Frederick Rossiter, 19, severe bruises and badly injured hand. Sydney Ebert, a foreman, who was the only other man on the truck, escaped injury.

The truck was attempting to pass another vehicle travelling in the same direction when it became out of control on the slippery surface, and rolled down a 4ft. bank. Apart from slight denting in one mud-guard, the truck was not damaged.

A small fox terrier dozing on the carpet in the Mayor's room at the Napier Borough Council offices yesterday has obviously taken charge during the Mayor's temporary absence. "Charlie Morse's dog," remarked Mr T. W. Hercock on his return. Mr Hercock defeated Mr Morse in the recent Mayoral election but the dog, with the proprietor's air of fox terriers, apparently did not mind the change.

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Maraenui Ladies' Golf

STROKE COMPETITION

Draw Arranged For To-morrow

A stroke competition and second qualifying round for the Handicap Cup will be played among members of the Maraenui Ladies' Golf Club to-morrow. Play will begin not later than 1.15 p.m.

The following is the draw: Miss Hodge v. Mrs Dyke, Miss M. Gasson v. Miss Owen, Mrs Henderson v. Miss McCormick, Miss Harvey v. Miss Gallagher, Miss Holt v. Miss Murphy, Miss Bailey v. Miss Wilkins, Miss Clark v. Miss Moore, Miss Hamlin v. Miss Prewett, Miss Butler v. Miss Scott, Miss Moncrieff v. Miss J. Gasson, Miss Scott v. Miss Adam, Miss Evans v. Miss N. Wilson, Miss Dunstan v. Miss Rowe, Miss Jones v. Miss Rundle, Mrs Jackson v. Miss North, Mrs Banks v. Miss Hitchens, Miss Fraser v. Miss Winfield, Mrs Nicholas v. Miss Tyne, Miss Duncan v. Miss Munro.

Anyone unable to compete is asked to ring Miss Murphy, number 1150, before 11 a.m.

THURSDAY GOLFERS AT PARKVALE

First Men's Qualifying Round Played

The first qualifying round for Thursday men members of the Parkvale Golf Club was played yesterday.

Results were:—A. W. Simpson 81, A. Lean 83, J. Atley 85, J. Stringer 89, D. Lean 90, W. S. Watkins 93, S. Oulaghan 102, H. Hawkes 109.

The second qualifying round will be on Saturday next, commencing at 9 a.m., and Thursday, at 1 p.m. Partners will be arranged at the clubhouse.

GOLF AT PARKVALE ON THURSDAY

Qualifying and Medal Round For Women

A fine round of 81 was recorded by Mrs E. Crosse to head the first qualifying round of the Parkvale golf championships, and to gain second place in the handicap round.

Scores were:—Miss N. Murray 94 (29) 65; Mrs E. Crosse 81 (11) 70; Miss G. Campbell 99 (28) 71; Mrs J. Bullock 103 (32) 71; Mrs A. Simpson 103 (31) 72; Mrs R. Bradley 106 (32) 74; Mrs R. Le Sueur 98 (22) 76; Mrs Roe 101 (24) 77; Mrs F. Sturrock 99 (21) 78; Mrs Flowers 112 (32) 80; Mrs A. Coles 99 (18) 81.

The second qualifying rounds will be held next Saturday (morning or afternoon) and next Thursday, at 9 a.m., partners to be arranged at the clubhouse.

Team Against Maraenui

The women's team to represent the Parkvale club against the Maraenui women during the week-end, commencing at 9.30 a.m., is as follows: Mesdames E. Crosse, Kea, Nell, Moore, Hall, Sturrock, Le Sueur and Hodgins, Misses Murray and Stairman, Mrs Mathews, Misses Cambour, Car and Irwin, Mesdames Bullock, Simpson, Flowers, Deane and Bradley, Misses Diamond and Archibald.

Anyone unable to play, kindly ring Mrs W. Mathews.

GOLF AT HAVELOCK NORTH

Draw For President's v. Captain's Teams

Following is the draw for the president's and captain's teams match to be played on Saturday. Players in the president's team are given first—

H. Norwell v. S. Dixon, F. W. Plant v. A. Christie, E. Riley v. A. Fulford, A. Hawley v. L. G. Joll, S. Chapin v. W. H. Maitland, H. Player v. S. Estauagh, M. G. Bell v. F. Hawley, G. Small v. J. Hill, R. H. Under v. J. M. Dox in the Gilbertson v. J. S. Joll, F. J. Hawley v. N. G. Carr, J. H. Holderness v. A. G. Crawford, E. F. Rush v. L. R. Hill, F. C. Twigg v. W. J. Rush, S. D. Agnew v. R. E. Wattie, A. Scott v. F. G. Green, N. L. Benjamin v. E. Marshall, W. W. Wymouth v. R. Keys, J. von Dadelzen v. H. Tonkinson, H. G. Hay v. H. E. Toulmin, N. Cook v. J. K. Agnew, J. J. Garvey v. F. P. Evans, W. J. Carberry v. J. Penman, N. A. Avery v. N. Paterson.

The competition will be match play on handicap. Those unable to play, please advise the secretary as soon as possible.

DRAW FOR MASON CUP GOLF MATCH

Dannevirke Club's Competition

DANNEVIRKE. Following is the draw for the Dannevirke Golf Club's Mason Cup (bogey) competition, which is to be played on Saturday.

Herbert and G. H. Carston v. J. Irwin and Sutherland; Bullock and T. Irwin v. Wiig and Couper; Crooks and Dr. MacLaurin v. Soudy and Hope; S. Eaton and Arabell v. Nairn and Hansard; D. Eaton and S. Beedie v. Anderson and O'Hara-Smith; Tater and Dorrington v. Garner and Ruby; James and Farquharson v. Hulsan and Hopkins; Gordon and Lindsay v. Purser and Kitt; Hackell and Pollock v. Melles and Prichard; Daniel and D. Armstrong v. Dr. Beedie and Bailey; Apperley and F. Carston v. Campbell and Nash; Chatwin and Bourke v. Fowler and A. R. Thompson; Prior and Keen v. Maxwell and McGilbon; Alexander and McIntyre v. Vartan and Reid.

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L.G.U. Medal At Waiohiki

DRAW ARRANGED

Napier Ladies' Golf Club

TO-DAY'S GAMES

The following is the draw for the L.G.U. medal to be played among members of the Napier Ladies' Golf Club at the Waiohiki links to-day:—

Mrs Morris plays Mrs Troutbeck; Miss Geddis plays Mrs Masterson; Miss J. Smith plays Miss Chambers; Miss O. Smith plays Miss G. Fryer; Miss N. Archibald plays Miss Clark; Miss Bernal plays Miss Weber; Miss Dalgleish plays Miss Ormond; Mrs Davies plays Mrs Tizard, Mrs Geddis plays Miss Jefferd; Mrs Fryer plays Mrs Logan; Miss Ladd plays Miss M. Russell; Mrs Holden plays Miss Z. Fryer; Mrs Davies plays Miss Macalister, Mrs Mason plays Mrs Kirkley; Mrs Beamish plays Mrs Faulkner; Mrs Phillips plays Mrs Deighton; Mrs Leahy plays Miss Leithhead; Mrs Simpson plays Mrs Tattersall; Miss S. Russell plays Mrs Douglas, Miss Bowman plays Mrs Cox, Mrs Edwards plays Mrs Hoadley; Mrs McKinlay plays Mrs Armes; Mrs Cray plays Mrs Lowry; Miss Milne plays Mrs Edggar; Mrs Peters plays Mrs Bestall; Miss Wood plays Miss Morrini; Miss S. White plays Miss Oxford.

Anyone member not drawn and wishing to play or any player not available is asked to advise Mrs Lawry before 10 o'clock this morning. Hastings players are asked to ring Mrs Masterson.

LADIES' GOLF AT MAHARAKEKE

Second Round For Trophy Played

A bogey match and the second round of Miss Speedy's trophy were played by members of the Waipukurau Ladies' Golf Club on Wednesday afternoon. The following were the best cards returned:—

Miss Wilder, 5 down; Miss G. Reed, M. Goodwin, 7 down; Miss Cochrane, 8 down; Mrs Urquhart, Miss Williams and Miss E. Butler, 10 down.

Week-end Match.

The following will represent the Waipukurau club in a match against the Hastings club on Saturday, July 2, at 10 o'clock this morning. L. A. Reid, W. T. Kuru, P. L. Peacock, C. Riddell, G. E. Wilson, P. Williams, S. Peacock, C. L. Monckton, E. Haldane, A. J. Rathbone, L. Beathan, K. Tereha, J. Tarran, W. D. Rickey, B. Peacock, I. McCaskill, A. S. Wilder, D. L. Eadie, A. C. Webb, C. A. Rickey, Pura Logan, C. Cassidy, J. L. Brathwaite, S. A. Train.

MARAENUI GOLF CLUB

The competition arranged by the Maraenui Golf Club for Saturday, July 2, is a stableford bogey, play-off to arrange for their own partners.

The Maraenui team to meet the Parkvale club at the week-end is as follows: W. F. Turner, R. Duthie, A. Champion, N. W. Smith, P. F. Martin, H. J. Templeton, C. Milne, R. L. Badley, W. T. Dobson, W. T. Harvey, R. McGivern, R. H. Le Pine, E. Matthewson, W. H. Elwick, F. R. Watters, F. R. Ashton. Emergencies: E. M. Reilly, J. G. Hawke, R. M. Gerbes, P. F. Higgins.

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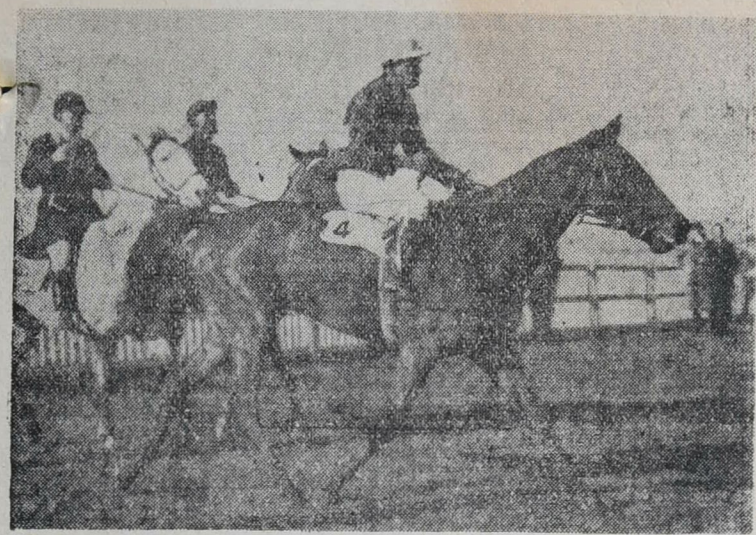
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#### MR BEATTY'S PROFITS

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In addition to the impressive sums of money which changed hands in England as a result of the Derby, 14 fortunate people throughout the world drew £30,000 each, 14 drew £20,000 each, and another 14 drew £10,000 each for holding tickets representing first, second, and third horses respectively in the Irish sweepstakes.

These sweepstakes, drawn three times a year in Dublin, are as popular as ever. No less than £1,458,709 was distributed in prize money in connection with the Derby, and the amount paid to the national hospital trustees was £437,430.

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### Promising Team Of Youngsters

#### F. DAVIS'S CHARGE

As usual the Woodville trainer, F. Davis, has a very strong team of rising two-year-olds in charge at present to prepare for the new season. Among them are two or three who give every indication of reaching the very best class, in fact there is every prospect of a champion being in their midst.

Three of the yearlings are owned by Mr W. H. Gaisford, two being purchased at the Sydney Easter Sales. A colt by Constant Son from Lutea String is already held in high regard, as he is well developed and a very fine looking horse.

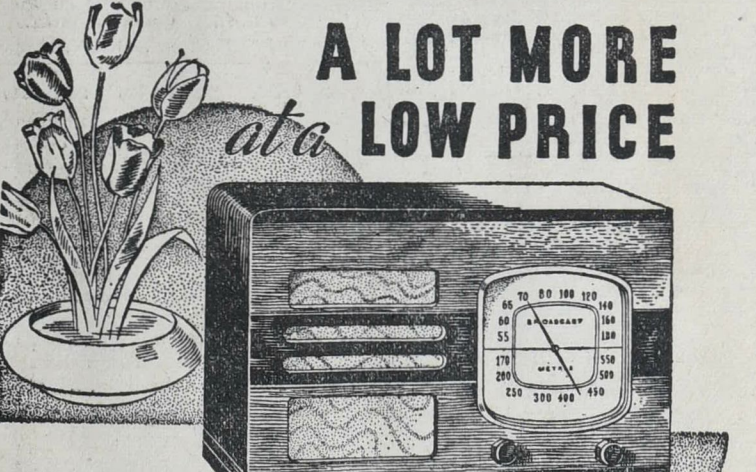
It is likely that the bay colt by The Buzzard from Culfort, also purchased in Sydney, will be given plenty of time and he has not been placed in training. Culfort is by High Force from Culture who is the dam of hardy Lough Neagh.

The third of Mr Gaisford's youngsters is a colt by Beau Pere from Silver Rule, thus a full brother to the well performed Sydney filly Bonheur de Pere, and closely related to Whenuakura, Silver Link, Silvermine and company. This is a family noted for early brilliance. La Bru is the name under which a filly by Beau Pere from Mandane will race. Mandane was a smart mare herself and among other races she won the New Zealand Oaks. So far her progeny have not shaped up to expectations. This filly will race in the colours of her breeder Mr N. Blackmore.

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## FIELD FOR WELLINGTON STEEPLECHASE

### Bryce Street Makes Appeal CONSISTENT ALL IRISH IS LIKELY SORT

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**Form at Ellerslie and Waipa** should probably decide the favouritism for the Wellington Steeplechase on Tuesday, especially as the southern representation is not as formidable as usual. An unusual feature of the field next week is that the Great Northern Steeplechase winner is not engaged, but Bryce Street and Erinaton who ran second and third respectively at Ellerslie are again both carded to start.

**Bryce Street Appeals.** Bryce Street will most likely be sent out favourite on Tuesday in spite of his defeat by All Irish at Waipa. While All Irish now drops only 10lb, Bryce Street goes down from 10.7 to a drop of 17lb. There was only one check between the pair at Waipa, and as Bryce Street appeals as the better stayer he must be the more favoured of the pair. Bryce Street is only a young jumper who seems to be improving with every race.

**A Consistent 'Chaser.'** All Irish is a model of consistency, and rarely runs a bad race either over hurdles or steeple. His fine jumping is a great asset in his favour and he has also proved his ability to carry weight. On figures Bryce Street should hold his safe ground, but the reliability of All Irish cannot fail to command him respect.

**Disappointing.** Red Sun usually runs his best races at Trentham, and in some quarters he is favoured for the Wellington Steeplechase. However, he would need to improve on his efforts over country to date. When schooling at Trentham on Tuesday he ran off twice at the sod wall and that exhibition was hardly encouraging.

**Erinaton is Useful.** Winner of the Great Northern Hurdles and third in the Great Northern Steeplechase, Erinaton would only need to repeat his Ellerslie effort to be in the money once again. He is by no means overweighted at 10.2, and although he has yet to prove himself under Trentham conditions, he has displayed a partiality for heavy going in the north.

**Soho's Programme.** Soho has not been nominated for Trentham and it is also unlikely that he will be taken to Riccarton, as Mr G. D. Beaton does not intend to hurry the Defoe gelding. Schooling yesterday morning in company with Padishah, Soho gave another brilliant exhibition of jumping, it probably being his best to date. Padishah was inclined to slip on the track which was a trifle greasy and got into a couple of his fences.

**P. Atkins's Mounts.** In addition to Pagan, P. Atkins will ride Sir Rabri and Lady Whetu at Marton to-morrow. His engagements at Trentham include Notium, Quadroon and Royal Tingie on Tuesday, and Red Witch on the second and third days.

**Lady Callaghan Appeals.** When Lady Callaghan ran at the Wanganui meeting several weeks ago she was responsible for particularly pleasing display to be a creditable third. She is booked to have her first start since then at Marton to-morrow and under her light weight she should keep those above her very busy.

**A Promising Debut.** Sinking Fund made a promising debut as a hurdler at Waipa on Saturday. In spite of jumping rather greenly he was always close up to finish fourth. A little improvement on that effort should find him able to beat in the Hack Hurdles at Marton to-morrow, for the class is not particularly strong.

**Death of Barnum.** Barnum, a Victorian Grand National Steeplechase candidate who fell while schooling at Ellerslie on Tuesday, and later died, was owned by Mr W. R. Kemball and bred in New Zealand. A six-year-old gelding by Cape Horn from Melting Moments, he was successful on a couple of occasions in smart hurdle company.

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SIEGFRIED (1) is a three-quarter-brother to Fraum, a half-brother to Blazony, and also is very closely related to Senator, Fraun and Senor are leading performers in England at present; the former winning the Ascot Vale Stakes a few weeks ago, while Senor, after winning the St. George Stakes, was very narrowly beaten into third place in the Ascot Gold Cup. His dam, Wish Maiden, is a full-sister to Siegfried. Blazony, who won the Champagne Stakes of £2230 at Doncaster, is now the stud in England and had a full book for the seasons 1936 and 1937.

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## FINAL TRIALS FOR MARTON TO-MORROW

### Pango and Taillight Work Smartly At Awapuni

"Daily Mail" Special Service. PALMERSTON N., June 30. Solid rain during the preceding 24 hours and showery conditions made galloping operations for the final Marton trials very unpleasant at Awapuni this morning. The flags on the course proper were out 36 feet and the state of this track was reflected in the times recorded during the morning.

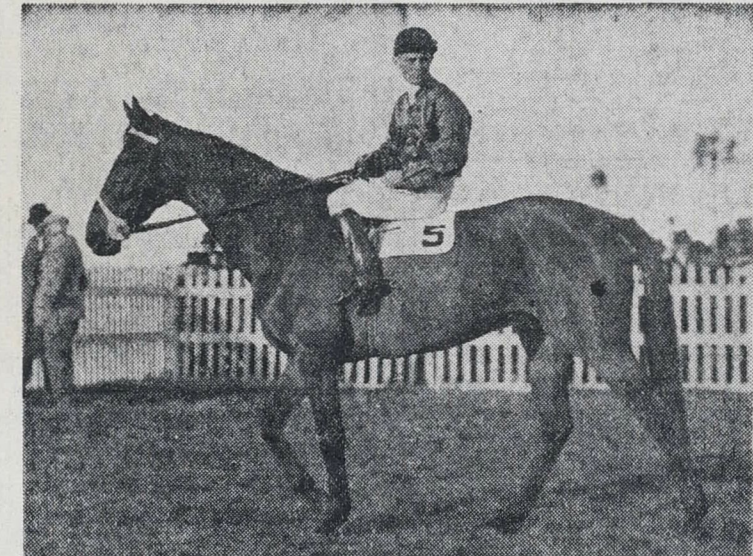
Merryman, who looks well after an easy time for a few weeks, showed great brilliance to dash over three furlongs in 39.35. This half-brother to Manawatu has only to stay sound to win good races.

Segra ran along well over three furlongs and recorded 40.25. Clarion Call and Enthos completed their workout over a mile by running home the last three easily in 41.15. Both pulled up well.

Hirangi was going slightly better than Taitoa over half a mile in 55.35. High Peer recorded similar time. He was clear of the Gold who is yet very backward.

Sporting Gift was going very comfortably on the outside of Barley Almond, at the end of half a mile in 56.15, with Merry Thought three lengths back. Sporting Gift is in great order for Saturday. Cuddler comfortably ran his five furlongs, the last half mile in 57. Hastie Maid and Strolling ran their half mile nicely in 56.

Cusinier showed further improvement by beating Tidewater over five furlongs in 1.10. Tidewater is not ready yet to show his best form. Precision was on the bit throughout his five furlongs in 1.11.13. Puroto was held back to All Blood over this distance in 1.11.25. She could have done a lot better had she been required.



DORADO has been racing fairly solidly of late and must be given an excellent chance in the Winter Stakes at Marton. The Grandcourt gelding handles a soft track well and should be an early winner in minor company.

Catalogue and Conveyor, with big weights up, ran their five nicely in 1.11.25. They finished strongly. Aurora's race was worked over seven furlongs on the bit coming home the last five in 1.14.

Quadroon again impressed by the way he ran his seven furlongs under a good hold in 1.39.35. He was keen to go faster.

Skyfull and Wareh finished together over seven furlongs in 1.41.35. Skyfull finished better than his companion.

Taillight and Pango were responsible for another good gallop when they encompassed their mile in 1.54.35. Pango was a great deal of pace on early, but they were running on well in the concluding stages and both appear to be nicely forward.

Royal Limond worked over an easy mile, coming home the last two in 28.

Oratory did light work. She has come back from her spell looking bright and well.

The Peach Brandy-Elvaete gelding (Chaplin) schooled over three hurdles, but was slipping badly in the going and did not jump as well as he did earlier in the week. Blue Steel (McDowell) jumped a round of the steeplechase fences in 10.12. He kept every fence in his stride. He afterwards worked over a solid six furlongs. Manawatu (Kowhai) jumped slightly better than Power Chief (McDonald) over six steeplechase fences. They did not have a great deal of pace on the first time over the double, but their gait was increased down the back and the last four fences were jumped well. Manawatu pulled up well and showed no signs of the soreness which put him out of training earlier in the year.

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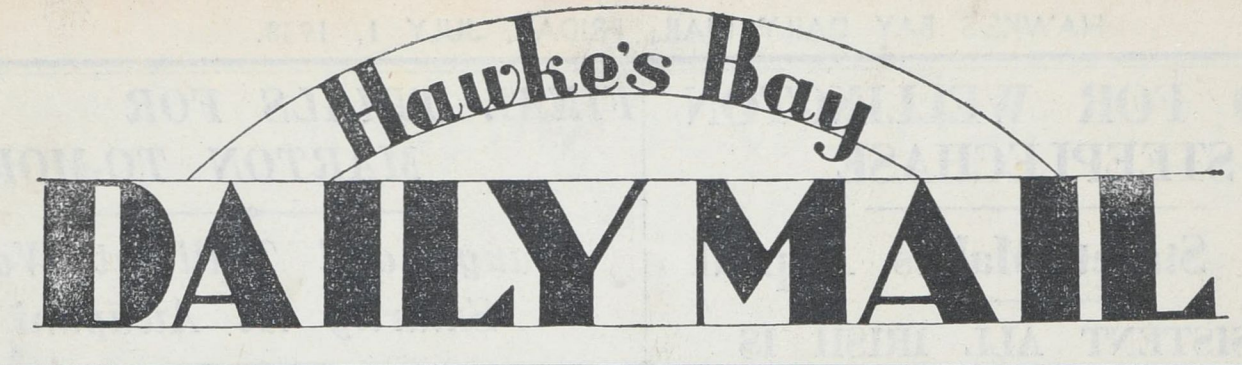
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