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OATH OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE KING

Discussion in House

ALLEGED STATEMENT BY SIR ALFRED RANSOM

Mr. J. Hodgens's Protest

Special Parliamentary Reporter.

PARLT. BLDGS., July 6.

A strong objection to what he felt was a reflection on his religious scruples was taken in the House of Representatives this afternoon by Mr. J. J. Hodgens (Govt., Palmerston North), who subjected Sir Alfred Ransom (Nat., Pahiatua) to severe criticism for alleging in a letter to a constituent that 19 members of the Labour Party had refused to take the Oath of Allegiance.

Mr Hodgens read a letter and concluded a vigorous reference to the writer's action by remarking that he had expected what Sir Alfred had not displayed was the interests of tolerance he would display in the interests of civility.

Mr Hodgens said that the member for Pahiatua had declared in the letter that 19 members had not taken the Oath of Allegiance, but had preferred to make a declaration.

Sir Alfred Ransom: Read the letter sent to me. I do not know the person sufficiently well to be able to get a copy of it from her. The letter which the Member for Pahiatua sent to her stated, "The 19 members of the Government Party who declined to take the Oath of Allegiance to our King on the Bible."

"That's not true. No man declined," interjected Mr J. A. Lee (Govt., Grey Lynn).

Mr Hodgens continued quoting the letter as follows: "It is quite correct, but I am not broadcasting their names. However, at my meeting at Woodville a man in the audience said he did not believe me and to convince him I read out the list of names. No doubt if you asked some friend to call at the office of the National Party in Palmerston North they would show you the list. I would suggest that when your Member of Parliament is addressing a public meeting he be asked the question whether or not he took the Oath of Allegiance to the King in the matter, yours sincerely, E. A. Ransom."

A Labour member: Scurrilous!

Two Means in Law

Mr Hodgens said that he had been long enough in the House to know that a court of law provided two means whereby a person could declare to speak the truth, the whole

truth, and nothing but the truth. He did not know the history of the decisions of the parliaments of the Empire allowing two methods of taking the Oath of Allegiance, but provision had been made and he understood from one of his good friends that it was the result of agitation and scores of years of agitation, in order to provide for those who felt that owing to their religious convictions they could not take the oath as set out in the manner of swearing.

"There are 11 as it affects this side of the House," declared Mr Hodgens.

Sir Alfred Ransom: In both Houses there are 19.

ROMAN CATHOLIC VIEW

Mr Hodgens: The Honourable Member still butts in. I want him when I have finished to express regret. The members of the Labour Party are extremely tolerant of one of all faiths and opinions upon spiritual matters. I am a member of the Catholic faith, and an active Catholic, and I do my best to live up to its precepts in the fullest. Yet members of the other side of the House would dare to suggest that I am not a Christian because I do not take the Oath of Allegiance on the lines suggested.

Mr Hodgens said that he took the declaration, the only distinction between this and the other form being in the absence of the words, "So help me God." In the Bible a certain chapter gave specific instructions on the question of taking an oath. He admitted that Christians differed and there were members of his own faith who did not hesitate to take the oath in the first form. "I myself," added Mr Hodgens, "hesitated from conscientious scruples, and I resent the suggestion by the Member for Pahiatua that I have done any wrong."

ANGLO-GERMAN PAYMENTS

DETAILS OF AMENDED AGREEMENT

TRADE BALANCES

British Official Wireless. (Received July 6, 7 p.m.) RUGBY, July 5.

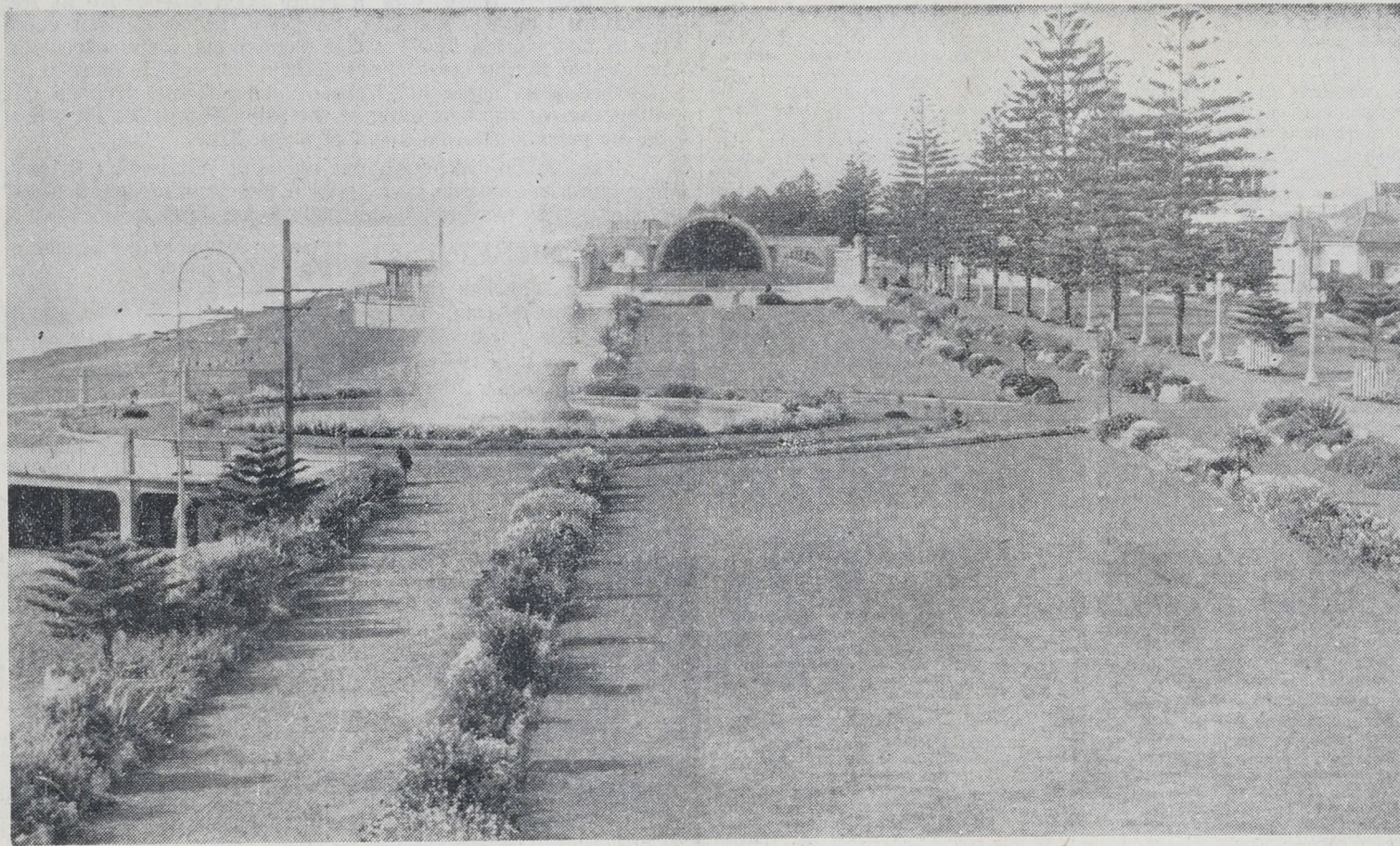
The Anglo-German Payments Amendment Agreement of July 1 which was published to-day provides for a new arrangement for the allocation of sterling by the German Reichsbank to pay for German imports of United Kingdom goods.

Under Article One of the Payments Agreement of November 1, 1934, the Reichsbank earmarked each month for the payment of United Kingdom exports to Germany an amount of sterling equal to 55 per cent. of the value of German exports to the United Kingdom, calculated on the basis of the average of German export statistics and Britain's import statistics.

The 55 per cent is now superseded by an arrangement under which the Reichsbank will earmark each quarter to pay for Britain's exports an amount of £4,500,000 sterling with the addition or subtraction of 90 per cent of the excess or deficiency of an amount of £7,500,000 for German (including Austrian) exports for the preceding quarter calculated on the same basis as under the 1934 Payments Agreement.

This means that as long as German exports yearly, calculated on the above basis, exceed £30,000,000 they exceeded that figure even in 1938, when German trade was at a low ebb—the amount to be earmarked for German imports of United Kingdom goods will exceed £18,000,000 (that is 60 per cent of the amount) 90 per cent of the amount by which German exports to Britain exceed £30,000,000.

If the sterling proceeds of German exports to Britain are not sufficient to make provision for sterling to be earmarked for German imports of United Kingdom goods, and to cover Germany's financial obligations to Britain, it will be open to Germany to approach Britain with a view to the reduction of the amount of sterling to be earmarked for the United Kingdom exports.



THE PRIDE OF NAPIER.—The Marine Parade, perhaps the most beautiful promenade in the Dominion. A view looking towards the Sound Shell.

Two Frenchmen Shot at by Italian Guards

Inquiry Ordered Into Serious Frontier Incident

One Wounded

Italian Cartridge Cases Found on French Territory

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received July 6, 9 p.m.) LONDON, July 6.

The Paris correspondent of "The Times" says that an inquiry has been ordered into a Franco-Italian frontier incident when two Frenchmen on holiday inadvertently crossed the frontier and were fired on by Italian Frontier Guards.

The Frenchmen immediately retraced their steps, but the guards continued firing until the Frenchmen were 250 inside the French frontier, where one, M. Rene Delaire, a medical student, was seriously wounded.

Empty Italian cartridge cases are alleged to have been found 25 yards inside French territory.

Cunard Liner Refloated

Ascania Now Off Bic Island

PASSENGERS SAFE

United Press Association—Copyright. QUEBEC, July 5.

The Cunard liner Ascania, which ran aground on Bic Island, has been refloated.

The cargo of gold, amounting to £300,000, consigned to London by the Bank of Canada, has been removed.

According to an earlier message all the passengers were removed in safety.

BURGLARS ENTER POST OFFICE

Safe Removed to Road

By Telegraph—Press Association. HAMILTON, July 6.

An epidemic of burglaries around the Waikato extended to Whatawhata last night, when the small Post Office in the township, which has often been the prey of burglars, was again broken into.

It is but a few weeks since the buildings were visited by thieves, and last night, as was the case in the earlier attempt, the efforts of the intruders proved fruitless.

MANY SETTLERS ARE STILL IN ISOLATION

Strenuous Work of Restoring Flood Damage in Cook County

"Daily Mail" Special Service. GISBORNE, July 6.

Although it is nearly two months since the disastrous floods of April and May, settlers in some of the back country of Cook County are still isolated and are likely to remain so until the summer.

Some of these have been cut off since the February floods, and their plight was made worse by the later floods. To restore conditions to normal as soon as possible, the Cook County Council is employing more men than ever before. In addition to approximately 100 men on the No. 13 scheme, there are 80 men on the outside staff, and there are also men on contract work. Over 200 men are now employed on road work.

In an interview to-day the County Engineer, Mr K. F. Jones, said that the recent fine weather had assisted the staff in opening up the roads, and that with three exceptions all were now negotiable. The exceptions were the upper Waimata valley road, the top end of Arakihi road and the top end of the Hangaroa-Waikaremoana road.

The erection of a temporary bridge on the Waimata valley road to replace the one lost in the February flood is proving a difficult task, the state of the road preventing transport of building material to the site of the bridge.

In the meantime the only outlet is by fording the rivers. Work wherever possible is being carried out, but the greater portion must be left until the summer.

The sum of £16,000 is involved in the restoration of the damage from three floods, and £4000 of the cost was absorbed by the No. 13 scheme in clearing up immediately following the floods, while an additional £12,000 had still to be spent in restoring the damage.

The expenditure of all that money could not be effected in a short time, said Mr Jones, and it would be at least a year before conditions could get back to normal, and in some cases longer than that.

British Treasury Returns

REVENUE DOWN

Large Increase in Expenditure

A COMPARISON

British Official Wireless. (Received July 6, 8 p.m.) RUGBY, July 5.

The Treasury returns show that the total of Ordinary Revenue to date is £131,886,636 against £138,813,323 at the corresponding period last year.

The total Ordinary Expenditure amounts to £234,948,581 against £209,027,996 at June 30, 1937.

The purchase of 250,000 brown eyed trout ova was authorised by the Hawke's Bay Acclimatisation Society on Tuesday evening. Half of the quantity is to be purchased at the Otago Society's hatchery and the other half from the North Canterbury Society.

Examination for Pupil Nurses

PASSES ANNOUNCED

Candidates from Hawke's Bay

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, July 6.

The following candidates were successful in the State examinations for pupil nurses:—

Waipukurau: H. W. Hinman, A. Mackay, J. P. Nielsen, L. T. Ralph. Napier: L. F. Thomson, E. Dampney, E. C. Lamason, L. J. G. Thomas, G. O. Stichbury, J. B. Watson, J. T. Sexton.

Gisborne: M. Chamberlain, C. R. S. Chisholm, E. M. Lougher, F. Steele, P. Toia, E. M. Williams, C. E. Yates, M. C. Dean.

NO ROOM FOR ALL BLACKS

ACCOMMODATION IN WELLINGTON

HOTELS FILLED

Players Go To Ship

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, July 6.

Members of the New Zealand Rugby football team which is to leave for Sydney by the Wanganella to-morrow for the Australian tour, assembled at Wellington to-day to find themselves without accommodation. This had been booked for them at one of the leading hotels, but in the customary race-week rush the footballers were left unprovided for.

The trouble appears to have arisen from the New Zealand Rugby Union's inability to give the hotel the exact number of the 25 All Blacks who would require accommodation to-night.

The players were instructed to assemble not earlier than July 6 and it was expected that a number would not come to Wellington until to-morrow. However, the whole team was in the hotel by late this afternoon.

The lounge was placed at their disposal and their luggage was crowded into it while the Rugby Union officials sought alternative accommodation.

Eventually the permission of the Huddart Parker Shipping Co. was obtained for the team to take up their quarters on the Wanganella.

LONDON WOOL SALES

Will Open on July 12 with 91,000 Bales

United Press Association—Copyright. LONDON, July 5.

The fourth series of London wool sales for 1938 will commence on July 12 and conclude on July 27. The catalogue totals 91,000 bales, including 44,850 New Zealand and 40,050 Australian.

EIGHT HUNDRED TRY TO COMMIT SUICIDE

Viennese Jews Take Their Own Lives Following Nazi Decree

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LONDON, July 6.

The Vienna correspondent of the "Daily Telegraph" says that evidence confirms the report that 800 Jews and Jewesses have attempted to commit suicide during the last few days, the majority succeeding.

The explanation of the suicide wave is the order, which Herr Buerckel has repudiated, demanding the dismissal of all Jewish workers. This had largely been given effect to. Trade and tourist traffic has been brought to a standstill.

VERITY MAY NOT PLAY

INJURY MAY PRECLUDE HIM FROM TEST

BOWES PUZZLED

Declares That He Is "As Well As Ever"

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Verity informed the selectors that he may not be able to play in the third Test owing to aggravated fibrosis behind the left shoulder, making it difficult for him to turn his arm.

A statement by the selectors that Bowes had not been considered for inclusion in the third Test team because of knee disability has puzzled Bowes, who told the London "News-Chronicle" that he feels as well as ever.

"I had a small swelling on the knee at the beginning of the season, but I have not been receiving regular medical treatment," he said.

FEDERAL BUDGET SURPLUS

Record Revenue

ESTIMATE EXCEEDED BY £4,000,000

Australia's Position

United Press Association—Copyright. CANBERRA, July 6.

The Federal revenue for the financial year reached a new record, the total of £48,381,000 exceeding the Budget estimate by £3,881,000. There is a surplus of £3,498,000.

This is the seventh successive surplus recorded by the Lyons Government.

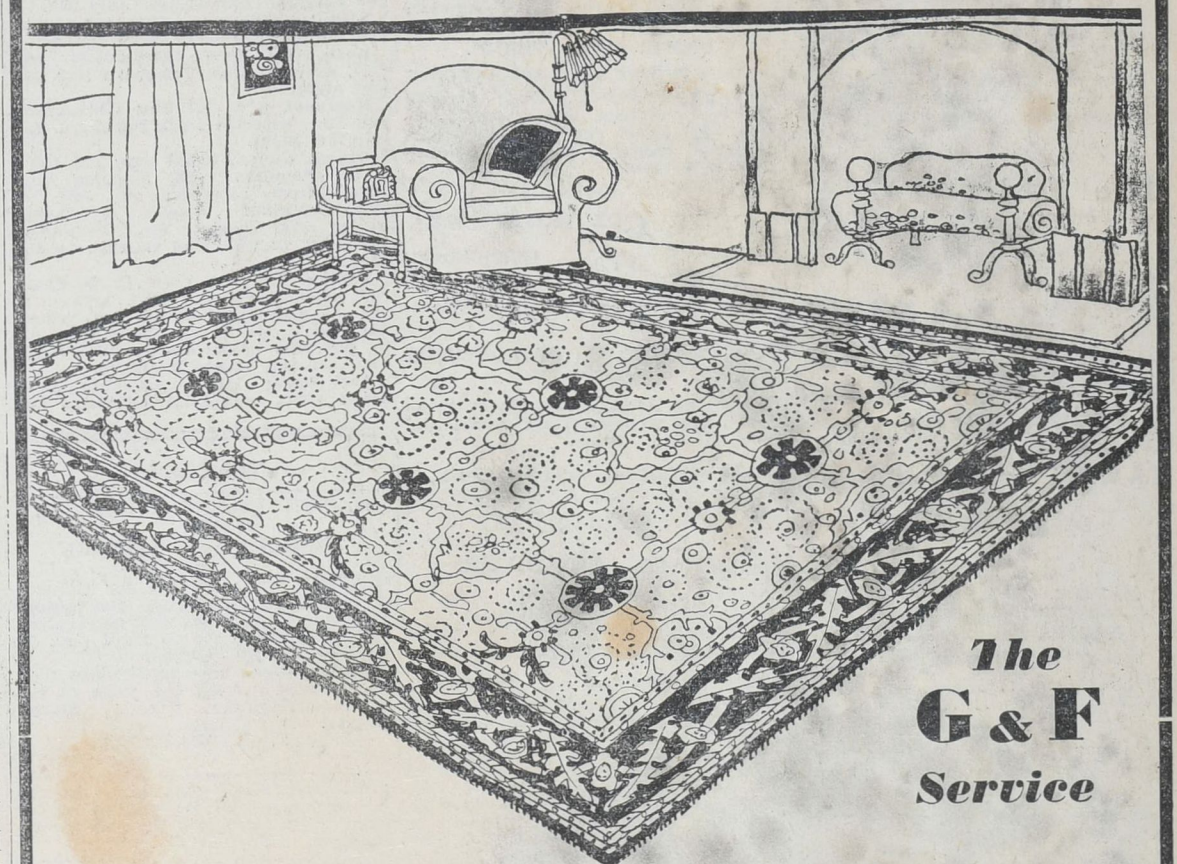
LONDON BUTTER MARKET

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Shipping at the Port of Napier

SUN.
To-day, rises 7.21 a.m.; sets 4.35 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, 3.49 a.m.
New moon, July 27, 3.24 p.m.

TIDES.
H.W. L.W.
July 7, Thu. 0.38 1.07 6.59 7.36
July 8, Fri. 1.29 1.96 7.50 8.26
July 9, Sat. 2.17 2.82 8.37 9.13
July 10, Sun. 3.00 3.77 9.20 9.58
July 11, Mon. 3.45 4.11 10.03 10.44
July 12, Tue. 4.30 4.56 10.46 11.27
July 13, Wed. 5.17 5.44 11.31 11.42
July 14, Thu. 6.06 6.33 12.18 1.13
July 15, Fri. 6.87 7.22 1.03 0.56

VESSLS IN ROADSTEAD.
Trojan Star, ex Wellington, July 6.
VESSLS AT BREAKWATER.
Pakura, ex Lyttelton and Wellington, yesterday afternoon.

VESSLS AT INNER HARBOUR.
Kirirona, lightering in roadstead.
Koua, ex Tokomaru Bay.
Koutunui, ex Tokomaru Bay.
Tu Atu, for Wairoa, 6 a.m. to-day?

EXPECTED ARRIVALS.
Roadstead.
Hororata, ex Waikopu, July 18.
Port Hardy, ex Gisborne, July 21.
Pukeko, ex Waikopu, July 21.
Opawa, ex Auckland, August 10.
Rangitika, ex Lyttelton, August 18.
Ruahine, ex Bluff, August 27.
City of Pittsburgh, ex Auckland early September.

Breakwater.
Poolta, ex West Coast, July 9.
Awahou, ex Wellington, July 10.
Wainui, ex Dunedin, July 10.
Pukeko, ex Portland and Auckland, July 12.
Wairuna, ex Los Angeles, July 14.
Kalingo, ex Newcastle and Sydney, July 21.
Kaimiro, ex Melbourne, July 18.
Kaiwarra, ex Newcastle, July 21.
Inner Harbour.
Koua, ex Tokomaru Bay, July 6.
Koutunui, ex Tokomaru Bay, July 6.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.
Roadstead.
Trojan Star, for Auckland, July 8.
Hororata, for Southampton, July 21.
Port Hardy, for Wellington, July 23.
Turakina, for Wellington, July 23.
Opawa, for Wellington, August 13.
Rangitika, for Auckland, August 20.
Ruahine, August 29.
City of Pittsburgh, for Wellington early September.

Breakwater.
Pakura, for Waikopu, Gisborne and Auckland, to-day.
Poolta, for Gisborne, July 11.
Awahou, for Gisborne, July 11.
Wainui, for Gisborne, July 12.
Pukeko, for Wellington, July 15.
Wairuna, for Wellington, July 15.
Kalingo, for Gisborne, July 22.
Kaimiro, for Wellington, July 19.
Kaiwarra, for Auckland, July 23.
Inner Harbour.
Tu Atu, for Wairoa, 6 a.m. to-day.

VESSLS FOR PORT OF NAPIER.
Awahou, 410 tons, Capt. M. Pettley (Richardson and Co.), after discharging cement from Portland, sailed at 1 p.m. yesterday for Wellington to load on Friday and Saturday for Napier and Gisborne (due here Sunday).
City of Pittsburgh (M.A.N.Z. Line) (Federal Co.), expected to leave Montreal on July 21 for Auckland (due August 28), thence Napier, Wellington, Lyttelton, Timaru and Dunedin (due Napier early September) to discharge.
Hororata, 9178 tons, Capt. T. L. Matby (N.Z. Shipping Co.), loading at Wanganui, thence on July 7 to Pictou July 8-11, Lyttelton and Dunedin, July 14, Waikopu July 15-16 and Napier on July 18-21. Expected to clear Napier on July 21 for Southampton and London, via Panama and Curacao.
Kaimiro, 2562 tons (Union S.S. Co.), was expected to load at Melbourne yesterday for Auckland, Napier and Wellington (due here July 18).
Kaiwarra, 3051 tons (Union S.S. Co.), is expected to load at Newcastle on July 14, for Napier and Auckland (due Napier July 21).
Kalingo, 2041 tons (Union S.S. Co.), is expected to load at Newcastle on July 12, and completing at Sydney for Napier and Gisborne (due Napier July 21).
Kirirona, 1390 tons (Richardson and Co.), lightering in the roadstead.
Koua, 144 tons (Richardson and Co.), expected from Tokomaru Bay late last night.
Koutunui, m.v., 167 tons (Richardson and Co.), expected from Tokomaru Bay late last night.
Opawa, t.s.m.s., 10,354 tons, V15, Capt. F. S. Hamilton (N.Z. Shipping Co.), sailed from Liverpool on July 2. Due Auckland August 4, thence Napier (due August 10), Wellington, Lyttelton, Dunedin and Oamaru to discharge.
Pakura, 719 tons, Capt. C. W. Colcutt (Richardson and Co.), arrived at the Glasgow Wharf at 2.30 p.m. yesterday from Lyttelton and Wellington; due to sail this afternoon for Waikopu and Gisborne, thence Auckland.
Port Hardy, 11,130 tons, Capt. J. G. Lewis (Port Line Ltd.) (Williams and Co.), expected to arrive.

TENDERS
NAPIER BOROUGH COUNCIL
TENDERS FOR CARTAGE
TENDERS are invited for General and Special Carting for periods of 3 months, and will be received by the Town Clerk up till 4 p.m. on MONDAY, July 18, 1938.
Specifications and particulars may be obtained from the office of the Borough Engineer, Faraday Street, Napier.
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Yesterday's Prices

Although there was a fairly good attendance at the Stortford Lodge stock sale yesterday, prices did not come up to last week's level. Price reductions were especially noticeable in the store sheep section, for which there were 8000 offering, some hundreds of sheep being dropped out altogether at the beginning of the sale. The prices for sheep on an average showed a fall of about 2/-.

The cattle, although not showing last week's figures, brought a reasonable price, only a few pens of steers (light chillers) that were not quite ready being passed.

STORE SHEEP
Store sheep, although there was a large number offering, did not reach very high figures, the buyings being on a par with the sale of a fortnight ago. Only the better quality sheep were in demand, and there was no spirited bidding even when some of the better quality stock was offered.

From Rukumoana, 97 four-tooth wethers fetched 19/5 and 72 two-tooth brought 22/-, while from Redcliffe Station 137 ewe hoggets went at 25/7, and 60 two, four and eight-tooth ewes at 19/-.
A total of 221 store sheep brought in from the Eskdale district in quite fair condition passed at 15/6.

Messrs Brodie and Peacock placed 156 two-tooth ewes that had been depastured with Southdown rams, and looked in good condition brought 25/-.
The 75 five-year ewes, also depastured with Southdown rams, and for the Attwood Estate fetched 17/4 and 123 S.L. wether hoggets, sold on account of J. Hart realised from 15/7 to 15/9.

Two hundred aged ewes (depastured with S.D. rams) since February 1 and in fair condition, brought only 12/-, while 124 good condition wethers ex Waiwaha Station went at 22/6. One hundred and seventy-six two-tooth, five-year ewes brought in from 13/6 to 22/-.
Various clients sent in small lots in the sales and received prices from 18/- to 21/6 for ewe hoggets and 15/9 to 17/3 for S.D. hoggets.

FAT SHEEP
The fat sheep entry was quite good again this week, and the bidding for them was slightly keener than for the store sheep. Although the price for the best of some of the later sales brought in fair prices, as there was a rally for these sheep towards the end of the day.

The following are some of the sales figures:—
For Mrs M. B. Elliot a small offering of fat hoggets brought 25/-; C. J. Beauchamp, 50 fat ewes 14/- to 16/6; A. J. Tawse, 40 fat ewes 12/- to 14/4; W. Lamb's fat lambs, some fetched 12/- to 18/- and for Mr Griffiths fat wethers 25/7.
Other prices ranged from 14/6 to

September 19, thence Lyttelton and Bluff, to discharge.
Port Townsville, 11,400 tons, Capt. S. C. Collie (Port Line), expected to sail from Liverpool on September 10, due Auckland October 12, thence Wellington, Lyttelton, Dunedin and New Plymouth.
Rangitika, t.s.m.v., 16,712 tons, Capt. H. L. Upton, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.N.R. (N.Z. Shipping Co.), expected to sail from London on July 21, due Auckland August 24, thence Dunedin, to discharge.
Rangitika, t.s.m.v., 16,698 tons, Capt. H. Barnett (N.Z. Shipping Co.), due at Auckland on July 8 from Wellington to complete discharge. Tentative loading as follows: Lyttelton July 15-15, Lyttelton July 18-22, and Wellington July 23-28. Expected to clear Wellington on July 28 for London, via Panama.
Rangitika (Shaw Savill), due at Lyttelton to-day from Timaru, thence on July 11, due Wellington July 12-14. Expected to clear Wellington on July 14 for London, Avonmouth, Liverpool and Glasgow, via Panama.
Remuera, t.s., 11,383 tons, Capt. C. B. Lamb (N.Z. Shipping Co.), arrived at Auckland on July 2 from Wellington to fill up. Expected to clear Auckland yesterday at noon for London, via Panama, and is expected to leave London on August 2, due Wellington, Lyttelton, Dunedin and Bluff, to discharge.
Swartenhondt, 5084 tons, Capt. H. Ingman (K.P.M. Line) (Murray Roberts, Napier agents), sailed from Saigon on Monday, June 13, and Singapore on June 16, via the East Indies, due Auckland July 18 and Wellington July 21. The Swartenhondt is making this her final voyage to New Zealand, and will be replaced by the Tairua.

Tairua, Capt. W. H. P. Jackson (Shaw Savill), sailed from Southampton on June 1 (due Wellington July 21), with passengers only thence Lyttelton (due July 22) and Dunedin, to discharge. Tentative loading as follows: Dunedin July 20, Timaru July 21-August 2, Wellington August 3-9, and Auckland August 11-17. Expected to sail from Auckland on August 17 at daybreak for Southampton, London, and New Zealand, via Panama and Kingston.
Tairua, Capt. J. V. Jinks, sailed from London on June 15 for Australian ports to discharge. To load in New Zealand during August and September.
Tairua, Capt. W. Dawson (Shaw Savill), expected to sail from London on August 5, due Auckland September 9, thence Wellington.
Tasman (Murray Roberts, Napier agents), expected to sail from Saigon on July 15 and Singapore on July 18, thence Java and Port Moresby (due Auckland August 12), thence Wellington (due August 17).

Waimana, Capt. F. J. Ogilvie (Shaw Savill), sailed from London on May 18 for New Zealand, via Australian ports. Tentative loading as follows: Bluff July 19, Dunedin July 20-21, Timaru July 22-28, Wellington July 29-28, Wanganui July 29, New Plymouth July 30-August 3 and Auckland August 5-9. Expected to sail from Auckland on August 9 for Lyttelton, Dunedin, and Bluff, via Panama and Kingston.
Wanganui (Huddart Parker Ltd.), arrived Wellington at 6 a.m. yesterday; leaves Lyttelton to-day, arrives Sydney July 11.

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CHRISTCHURCH CASE

By Telegram—Press Association.
CHRISTCHURCH, July 6.

Two dairymen, who supplied milk distributed in the schools, were fined £4 and £3 respectively in the Magistrate's Court to-day, when they were charged with selling milk which did not conform to the required standards.

Mr F. F. Reid, S.M., presided, and Mr T. Pargeter, of the Health Department, prosecuted.

The milkmen were Michael Dermot Baker and John Bell, of Chaney's.

Both men pleaded guilty.

Baker was fined £4, and Bell, who appeared on three charges, was fined £3 and costs, on the first charge, and costs only on the remaining two.

Three samples were taken from a pity that we cannot have wholesome milk to start with," said Mr T. Pargeter, when prosecuting Bell.

"Three samples taken from Bell's milk were very bad. The position was most unsatisfactory, as the milk was consumed by the school children," concluded Mr Pargeter.

Bell said that he could not understand it at all, as he did everything possible to ensure a satisfactory supply.

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Five broken springs, two broken axles and two crown wheels and pinions cut out—that is the record of the Napier-Wairoa-Gisborne Transport Company as the result of its operations on the damaged Napier-Wairoa road during the past few weeks. The roughest section of the route, as the accidents experienced show, is between Tangoio and Tutira. The normal time taken by the motor-wagons to travel between Napier and Gisborne is 11 hours; following the re-opening of the road some weeks back the time rose to 17, and even 18 hours. At present the lorries are covering the journey in about 13 hours, indicating that the road, though still bad, is steadily improving.

State

COMEDY AND ROMANCE

Sothern—Raymond Team

After a long separation, during which each appeared in pictures without the other, Gene Raymond and Ann Sothern are reunited in "She's Got Everything," screening at the State Theatre, Hastings, to-day. The film is said to be their best co-starring vehicle. A romping story of a penniless society girl whose creditors are trying to marry her off to a wealthy man, "She's Got Everything" is loaded with hilarious situations setting the peculiar talents of the able cast, which includes Victor Moore, Helen Broderick, Parkyakarkus, Billy Gilbert, Solly Ward and William Brisbane.

On the same programme is "Night Spot," in which a young romance between a young police recruit who wants to live down his musical talents, and a secretary burning with ambition to become a singer. When the girl accidentally finds herself in a position in which she can provide an alibi for a gangster suspected of murder, the grateful crook offers her a job as an entertainer in his luxurious night club. Allan Lane, as an underdog, is loaded with hilarious situations setting the peculiar talents of the able cast, which includes Victor Moore, Helen Broderick, Parkyakarkus, Billy Gilbert, Solly Ward and William Brisbane.

Regent

WILLIAM POWELL AND MYRNA LOY

"Double Wedding" is Clever Comedy

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 co-stars for the seventh time in "Double Wedding" at the Regent Theatre, Hastings, to-day. The picture is Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's adaptation of Ferenc Molnar's international stage hit. And again, as may be expected, the screen adds to the charm of the original.

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

"They have the support of an unusually able cast, including Florence Rice and John Beal, as the principals in the first wedding, Jessie Ralph, Edgar Kennedy, Sidney Toler, Mary Gordon, Barnett Parker, Katharine Alexander, and Priscilla Lawson. It is a hand-picked cast. Richard Thorpe, the director, proves his versatility for it was he who directed the stark picture "Night Must Fall."

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

Cosy

PROGRAMME OF COMEDY

Robert Montgomery and Myrna Loy

Again to-night at eight, the Cosy Theatre, Hastings, presents another fine double-feature programme. The films are "Petticoat Fever" and "The Perfect Gentleman," which assure a good evening's amusement.

"Petticoat Fever" stars Robert Montgomery and Myrna Loy in a fast-moving comedy. Part of the action takes place amidst snowy Arctic wastes. Robert Montgomery had been cut off from civilisation for two years—and then Myrna Loy came along. The result is a fine romantic comedy providing excellent entertainment.

The associate feature, "The Perfect Gentleman," stars Frank Morgan and the famous Cicely Courtneidge in a rollicking story of the fortunes of a broken-down gentleman.

Frank Morgan and Cicely Courtneidge are a great team, and provide fine entertainment. There is a good supporting cast, including Heather Angel and Una O'Connor.

Municipal

STIRRING STORY OF CIVIL WAR

"So Red the Rose" is a Fine Romance

"So Red the Rose," Paramount's stirring adaptation of Stark Young's novel of the same name, concludes the week's season to-night at the Municipal Theatre, Hastings. Margaret Sullivan is the star, and the supporting cast includes such well-known names as Walter Connolly, Randolph Scott, Janet Beecher, Elizabeth Patterson, Harry Ellerbe, and the child actor, Dickie Moore.

"So Red the Rose" is a story of the United States South, a romantic and poignant account of those turbulent days of the war between the North and South of the United States. More than that, it reveals the ideals and hopes and bravery of a gentle Southern family when the clarion call of strife made men and women array themselves on the side of duty, sure of the righteousness of their cause.

The love of a son for a father whom he has never seen, and his pathetic attempts to make the world believe that his father loves him equally, will bring a lump to the throat of the most hardened fan in the audience. The normal time taken by the motor-wagons to travel between Napier and Gisborne is 11 hours; following the re-opening of the road some weeks back the time rose to 17, and even 18 hours. At present the lorries are covering the journey in about 13 hours, indicating that the road, though still bad, is steadily improving.

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State

MARCO POLO COMES TO LIFE

13th. Century Adventures To-morrow

"The Adventures of Marco Polo" which commences at the State Theatre, Napier, to-morrow with a matinee at 2.15 and nightly at 8 p.m., while not being sensational—is very pleasing to the senses and particularly those of the eye and ear—for it has the Goldenwyn touch. There's the same fairy tale quality of a good many coolies were mixed with the bricks and mortar of the Great Wall of China, the wall that was built centuries ago and which is re-enacted in Marco Polo. Depicting the life of the 13th century in China which has been given modern treatment adding much flavour to this legendary tale of our earliest travelling salesman, Marco Polo. Robert Sherwood's script is rich with humour, the sets are magnificent and the costumes by Omar Klam gorgeous. The wall is as near copy as possible and looking at it you get the impression that you are seeing the real thing, the same with the Gates of Peking as they were seven centuries ago. The story is as near as possible the authentic travels of Marco Polo, and the sets have the same fairy tale quality the same unreal reality. "The Adventures of Marco Polo" has a splendid cast, headed by Gary Cooper, Basil Rathbone, George Barbier, Binnie Barnes, Ernest Truex, Alan Hale, H. B. Warner and others too numerous to mention.

Current Programme

Finally, to-night is screened "Thank You Mr Moto," an exciting adventure of the Orient, starring Peter Lorre.

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Plaza

TECHNICOLOR FILM DRAMA

"Her Jungle Love" is Fine Entertainment

Many magnificent technicolour pictures have been shown in Napier, but it is extremely doubtful whether they have matched in all-round quality and artistry Paramount's latest technicolour production, "Her Jungle Love," which has been attracting large attendances to the Plaza Napier, who must have been agreeably astounded at the breath taking loveliness of the many magnificent settings which the screen unfolded. The producer has scored a splendid triumph in the selection of his players and setting and never has the natural beauty of a deserted island been transferred to the screen in such realistic fashion. Technicolour, employed with true artistry and without exaggeration has changed what might have been a first-class film into one of the most outstanding productions of the year.

The plot lends itself admirably to the producers' capabilities, drama romance and comedy being interwoven into a masterpiece which only the screen could present. Overnight has the fame of the beautiful Dorothy Lamour risen to great heights. Her acting, supported by Ray Milland, Lynne Overman and J. Carrol Naish, is really wonderful, and her naturalness is a feature of her performance, which fully commends itself to the audience. Comedy is supplied in splendid sequence, and the whole production is entertainment of the highest quality from start to finish. Miss Lamour, a white "goddess" is discovered by Milland when his plane crashes, after an encounter with a typhoon on an otherwise deserted island.

Add to an already fine story the magic naturalness of technicolour, and first quality entertainment is assured. Splendid supports complete an outstanding programme.

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TO-NIGHT'S EXCITING BILL

Thrilling Story of the Turf

At the Gaiety to-night this splendid Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer exciting story of the race tracks should prove popular with all patrons. New Zealand proves Hollywood's latest child screen find in the person of 13-year-old Ronald Sinclair who makes his debut in "Thoroughbreds Don't Cry." His grandfather was Richard Arthur Hould, one of the early pioneers in the Dominion, who became a government official in the Department of Justice. His father, Arthur Hould, was for 40 years representative of the New Zealand Shipping Company in Auckland. Now retired, he took his son to Hollywood at the suggestion of Dame Sybil Thorndyke, London stage celebrity, who saw great promise in Ronald after his appearance with her in Duneidan four years ago in the "Medea" of Euripides. Racing hoofs and beating heart mingle to provide dramatic thrills in "Thoroughbreds Don't Cry" in which Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer presents Ronald Sinclair, teamed with Judy Garland, Mickey Rooney and Sophie Tucker. The play is a drama of childhood friendship and loyalty, based on heart interest, but told against the sensational background of the race track, spectacular races and turf intrigue. Alfred E. Green directed from an original story by Eleanore Griffin and J. Walter Ruben. Much of the action was filmed at the Santa Anita race track, with many famous jockeys and horses and hundreds of people. Harry Rapf produced the picture. The picture includes C. Aubrey Smith, Forrester Harvey, Charles D. Brown, Frankie Darro, Henry Kolker and Helen Troy.

Mayfair

ATTRACTIVE DOUBLE PROGRAMME

Thrilling Air Drama and Detective Mystery

Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays at the Mayfair Theatre, Napier, are guest season days, and admission prices are: All stalls 9d, all circle 1s. This week's guest season programme which will conclude to-day, comprises a thrilling drama of the air, "Devil's Squadron," and a sparkling and amusing detective mystery story, "Meet Nero Wolfe."

"Devil's Squadron," starring Richard Dix, Karen Morley and Lloyd Nolan. There is romance too, in this action-packed film. Richard Dix is seen in the role of Paul Redmond, a flier who is dishonourably discharged from the army because of a trick of fate.

In "Meet Nero Wolfe," the second attraction, Edward Arnold is seen as Rex Stout's fat and sleepy, but highly efficient detective—Nero Wolfe. Also in the cast are Victor Jory, Joan Perry and Lionel Stander. The film's exciting action begins when Professor Barstow dies apparently of a heart attack on the golf links in the company of Claude Roberts, young golf pro in love with the professor's daughter, a Mr Kimball, and his son Manuel.

Wolfe, who has not left his house in seven years, sends Archie out on foraging expeditions "to bring back whatever evidence he considers important." With these few clues as to the murderer, Wolfe plays his game of human chess and succeeds finally in checkingmate the murderer.

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In the event of the measles epidemic subsiding within four or five weeks, it is probable that his Excellency the Governor-General will undertake a cruise to Cook Islands and Rarotonga, but will not visit many islands as was originally proposed.

H.M.S. Leander, which was to have taken the Vice-Regal party on the cruise, will probably leave Auckland for the Bay of Islands next Monday for exercises.

Advice has been received that owing to an outbreak of German measles on H.M.S. Achilles, practice was not granted on the cruiser's arrival at Pago Pago in the course of an islands cruise.

Recent Wedding In Gisborne

WELSH—McKENNIE
Bride Wears Gown Of
Magnolia Satin
WAIPIKURAU 'GROOM

The marriage was celebrated in Gisborne at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church recently of Zena Joyce, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs W. J. McKennie, Gisborne, and Frederick Farrow, second son of Mr and Mrs W. A. Welsh, Waipukurau. The ceremony was performed by

the Rev. Mr Dow, and Mrs Ivan Moore was at the organ. The bride, who entered the church with her father, wore a simply cut frock of deep magnolia satin. The corsage was deeply shirred on the shoulders and fell in folds to the waist; at the back. The skirt was cut to form a long square train. The beautiful cream tulle veil which fell to form a second train, was held by a halo of orange blossom buds. A bouquet of cream lilies, rose buds and fern was carried.

The matron of honour was Mrs James Grant, Gisborne, sister of the bride, and Miss Joan Campbell, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid. Both wore frocks of primrose french chiffon velvet charmingly fashioned with widely cowléd corsage. The long sleeves were deeply shirred from the shoulders to the wrists, where they were finished with a high cuff. Autumn tinted roses were worn in their hair, and they carried bouquets of the same shaded roses.

FLOWERGIRL AND PAGE

Adrienne Grant, niece of the bride, was a charming flower girl in a dainty frock of cream satin, made with high waist line and Peter Pan collar and puff sleeves. Tiny satin bows finished the frock, and she wore rose buds in her hair.

The page was Robin Grant, nephew of the bride, who wore a cream satin suit, the shirt being very full and buttoned to the long trousers with large satin buttons.

The duties of best man were carried out by Mr Alex. Hastie, Waipukurau, while Mr Kisson Boys, Gisborne, was groomsman.

After the ceremony a reception was held at Le Grande Lounge, where about 100 guests were entertained.

The bride's mother, who received the guests, wore a swaggy suit of dark brown brochette; the coat being fastened with loops and large self-covered buttons. A dark brown felt hat and brown shoes were worn and also a shoulder spray of scarlet flowers.

The bridegroom's parents were unable to be present.

The bride's travelling suit was a dark brown tailored costume with brown hat, gloves, shoes and hand-bag.

Mr and Mrs Fred. Welsh will reside in Waipukurau.

Among those present were: Mr and Mrs A. L. Campbell, Mr and Mrs B. L. Power, Mr and Mrs R. Third, Mr and Mrs D. Third, Mr and Mrs J. P. White (Matamata), Mr and Mrs D. White, Mr and Mrs Roy White (Matahata), Mr and Mrs Cecil Ryan (Wairoa), Mr and Mrs W. Norman.



STRIKING FASHION SEEN AT ASCOT.—As usual many striking fashions were seen at the Ascot race meeting this year, which was attended by Their Majesties the King and Queen and other members of the Royal Family. This hat was most unusual, being in mandarin style, embroidered in raffia.

Louise Writes From London

AIR MAIL NEWS

Royal Family Adopt New Coiffures

Members of the Royal family who have adopted new coiffures this week include the Queen, the Princess Royal, the Duchess of Gloucester and the Duchess of Kent. The Queen has three little curls rather at the side of her forehead, while the Princess Royal has her hair brushed into a soft roll higher up the head, and a single curl over each ear.

Both the Duchess of Gloucester and the Princess Royal now have curls round the back of the head. The Princess has a single row of the Duchess three or four rows of

very tiny tight curls, massing to the top of the head to give her height. The Princess Royal wears two soft curls of golden hair high on her forehead, on either side of a centre parting. For a long time the Princess decided against curls, as she feared they would get untidy while she was gardening or riding. At Harewood she likes to go about hatless.

Debutantes and young married women who want to copy the latest style set by the Duchess of Kent will not find it an easy one to wear. In contrast with the pageboy bob, which allows the Duchess's chestnut hair to fall on the nape of her neck, she frequently wears her hair swirled up to the crown of her head in a line unbroken by curls. Only women with beautiful necks and perfect headlines will venture to adopt this vogue. Two or three loose curls mark the summit of this coiffure and lie under the hat crown. The Duchess has small, well-shaped ears and is the fortunate possessor of lovely jewelled earrings, given to her at wedding presents by the late King George V. and Queen Mary. She sweeps her hair from a centre parting, showing the whole ear, back and front. Curls which formerly masked the top of the ear are now poised well above it. The Duchess's summer hats are not held by elastic, which would show, but by minute hatpins.

DOLLS FOR THE PRINCESSES

When the King and Queen leave Paris after their forthcoming visit, a retinue of beautifully dressed dolls will have been added to their entourage. These dolls, commissioned by M. Bonnet, the Foreign Minister, as a gift to the Princesses Elizabeth and Margaret Rose on behalf of the children of France, are now being dressed by leading Paris fashion notuses. The dolls will be museum pieces in the history of costume as they are being perfectly equipped from head to toe in the 1938 manner. This outfit not only includes sports, afternoon and evening gowns, but costly furs and jewels. Hats are being designed specially as well as shoes, gloves, travelling bags, rugs and even a motor-car.

These dolls, a friend now in Paris tells me, stand about three feet high in their stockings. The one she saw was headless, however, as heads are being made specially by a Paris firm. When complete, this perfectly equipped retinue will be on exhibit in Paris until the arrival of the King and Queen. The dolls will then be collected by individual contributors to the gift for presentation to the Queen at the Quai d'Orsay. One doll costumed by Lucien Lelong is elegant in rose pink organza with pale blue velvet ribbon tie-belt matching forget-me-nots on sleeves. Flower pinks and blues have always appealed to the Queen when choosing colours for her little daughters.

Women's Club Activities IN HASTINGS

Playreading Circle Entertains The Members

Three one-act plays excellently read by members of the play-reading circle of the Hastings Women's Community Club provided entertainment for the large audience which filled the club lounge yesterday afternoon.

Each member read her part with understanding and the plays which had been well chosen to give a good variety were thoroughly enjoyed.

Before the reading commenced Mrs H. Lovell-Smith reminded members that next week's programme would be given by a party of Napier musicians.

Gay bowls of Iceland poppies decorated the lounge which was cosy and warm, a contrast to the outside atmosphere.

In between plays afternoon tea was handed round.

Three One-act Plays Read

The programme was as follows: "Miss Marlow At Play," comedy by A. A. Milne, the cast being, Mrs O. C. Moller (Clarissa Marlow); Mrs H. Lovell-Smith (Ethel, her secretary); Mrs E. Riley (Jo Wharton, Clarissa's husband); Mrs W. J. White (Ambrose Wallington); Mrs J. Wright read the directions.

The second play "Anti-Clockwise," a drama by Muriel and Sydney Box, was read by Mrs M. Brodie (Clara Fitzvalter); Mrs O. C. Moller (Emily, her niece and companion); Mrs W. E. Bate (Elizabeth Aldringham); Mrs J. Wright (Dr. Flora Richmond); directions were read by Mrs E. V. Simpson.

"Haste To The Wedding," a rural scurry by F. Morton Howard, was the third play, this being read by Mrs F. S. Budd (Samuel Barcham); Mrs E. V. Simpson (Mrs Barcham); Mrs W. A. Greer (Florrie Barcham); Mrs H. Gilbertson (Grandma Barcham); Mrs K. E. Crompton (Mrs Pilbeam); Mrs J. Miller (Mrs Black); Mrs D. H. Hooker (Jonathan Tuttle); and Mrs W. J. White read the directions.

The Audience Present

Among those present were: Mrs J. Wright, Mrs E. V. Simpson, Mrs O. C. Moller, Mrs H. Lovell-Smith, Miss Lewis, Mrs D. H. Hooker, Mrs W. A. MacFarlane, Miss E. Dugleby, Mrs E. M. Marshall, Mrs Moorhouse, Miss P. Corrin, Mrs Lawlor, Mrs Michaelson, Mrs C. Duff, Mrs H. S. Robinson, Mrs Pole (Christchurch), Mrs G. Stevens, Mrs E. Riley, Mrs Boocock (Christchurch), Mrs W. A. Greer, Mrs C. A. Hendry, Mrs B. Shaddell, Mrs A. F. Glenny, Mrs J. Miller, Mrs A. Oliver, Mrs M. Brodie, Mrs Hedley Harvey, Mrs D. J. Holden, Mrs J. Robertson, Mrs D. Drummond, Mrs Rees Davies, Mrs K. E. Crompton, Mrs W. W. Harvey, Mrs L. J. Harvey, Mrs F. S. Budd, Mrs H. Gilbertson, Mrs W. E. Bate, Mrs W. J. White, Mrs A. Lockie, Mrs H. Holderness.

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MDME. GEORGE SZELL INTERVIEWED

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"Czechoslovakian women have won for themselves equality of opportunity with men in every field," remarked Mme. George Szell, wife of the eminent conductor, when interviewed recently in Sydney. "We have now women doctors, lawyers, architects, business executives, university professors and engineers."

MODERN METHODS IN THEIR HOMES

In the primitive forest villages of Slovakia, the present women live in a simple, arduous farm life. But a special government department, headed by Dr. Masaryk's daughter, is introducing modern methods to their homes, at the same time keeping alive their picturesque culture and folklore—their glorious peasant costumes, charming, colourful potteries, their cookery, songs, dances and festivals.

BUSINESS GIRLS' WORK AND PLEASURE

The Czechoslovakian business girl works in an office or department store in the city, or in one of the enormous glass-walled factories standing inconspicuously on the banks of noisy mountain streams in rich green valleys among fir forests.

She lives in modern tenements that the new government has built among the old renaissance and baroque houses in old cobbled streets. In the evening she dines at a beer garden or goes to one of the big modern cabaret hotels overlooking Prague, with a floodlit open-air dance floor, swimming pool and tennis court. She may spend the evening dancing or at the gymnasium or playing tennis, since Czechoslovakia has the modern urge for physical fitness, or she may go to the pictures to see Mickey Mouse (Mickey Mouse).

"We like to entertain our friends at home," went on Mme. Szell. "Never do we take them to a restaurant for dinner. Perhaps the reason why you dine away from home is the shortage of servants. We do not have this shortage. It is the natural thing for Czech girls from the country to become maids or cooks in Prague and the big towns. But some of them now prefer to work in factories, so they can have free evenings."

MUSIC IS PART OF THEIR LIFE

"Music—it is part of life in our country. All my life I have attended the concerts. It is customary for people who can afford it to have a permanent box at the opera house and even the poorest people try to go along to the concerts. Czech children are cradled in music."

"The peasants in the fields express their love of music as much as the person with a box at the opera. As one drives along in the country one always hears the strains of some folk song coming from the fields. At festival time they get into their national costumes and dance the folk dances to the strains of the music of the country."

If Hitler invades the land, will women lose all their privileges in public and business life? Will they be forced back to domestic routine? As they go about their daily work, the women ponder these questions. Anxiety is reflected in their faces, their voices. Politics intrude everywhere—in homes, offices, taverns, radio, newspapers. There is no rest.

PLANNING A NURSERY

London Writer's Advice

CHOOSE A CHEERFUL COLOUR SCHEME

Tiny Furniture Ideal

Planning a nursery is such fun nowadays. It is not just a question of thinking out a colour scheme and buying a few pieces of furniture, which appeal to you as useful and hard wearing. It entails a study of child psychology, states a London writer. You have to understand the needs and interests of a child, and know what type of room he will like best.

A light cheerful colour scheme is, of course, a necessity. Children react to colour to a remarkable degree and need bright surroundings. Sunshine yellow walls and deep blue painted furniture with touches of scarlet is a cheery scheme; while for a night nursery shell-pink walls with lavender-blue and green furnishing is a restful choice.

Another point to consider is that a child feels very small and frightened when surrounded by giant furniture intended for grown-up use; so in his nursery let him have a tiny chair and table suited to his size, and see that his toy cupboard is low to the ground.

DIVIDE THE NURSERY IN TWO

If you would like to furnish the nursery with a whole suite of miniature furniture and yet not deprive Nanny of a comfortable place to sit, arrange the room in two sections, so that one side of the room is furnished in miniature, and all the children's toys are kept there. The other side of the room is devoted to Nanny's armchair, the big nursery table, and several cupboards.

Another nursery furnishing problem presents itself if you want baby to sleep in room alone, yet you would like the nurse to be able to keep her eye on him during the night.

A modern solution is to fit a glass wall between baby's and nurse's bedrooms. Light switches for both rooms are controlled from beside the nurse's bed, and curtains are hung on both sides of the glass wall.

CHILDREN LIKE THEIR OWN ROOM

The children should be able to feel that the nursery is their own room and that they can play their games there without interference from the grown-ups.

There is nothing more annoying to a child, after he has spent hours laying out on a table a jigsaw or a farmyard, than to be told he must take it all to pieces at once because the table is wanted for something else.

Let him have one table, or the low top of the toy cupboard, and his games can be laid out and left for days without anyone bothering him.

When the children grow older, provision should be made in the nursery for their hobbies. The boy who loves miniature electric trains can have a narrow shelf built round the walls at low cost to take a permanent railway track, and a portable gramophone will give the family, who can be helped to make a hobby of collecting their favourite type of record.

INDISPENSABLE NEWSPAPERS

Cheap Firelighters

MAY BE MADE IN ODD MOMENTS

Work for the Children

Neither sticks nor firelighters are necessary in the lighting of household fires, and where these have to be bought a considerable daily saving can be achieved by using newspaper in a truly scientific manner, states a writer in the women's section of the Manchester Guardian. Merely crumpled paper is good for the base of a fire, but on top of this, before the coal is added, an arrangement is required which will burn long enough for the coal to be sure of catching. By far the best and surest arrangement is the one described here, and the making of such lighters can be undertaken by the children of the house, who will greatly enjoy it once they have got the knack; or adults can make a few at odd moments. As there need be no rustling noise during the process, the operation will neither disturb readers in the same room nor interfere with enjoyment of the wireless.

All that is needed is a pile of full newspaper pages—the double sheet laid out flat—and a long knitting needle. The needle is laid across the tip of one corner and the paper is folded over it and rolled closely with the palm of the hand till the needle is covered and can be slipped out and discarded. This forms a tight, narrow rod of paper which is strong enough in itself to form a foundation for further rolling, which will take up the whole sheet, extending when finished to a rod well over a yard in length. With a firm movement of the hands the rod is bent halfway across, so as to form the base of a triangle some three inches long, with acute angles at each side and the two points crossing and projecting at the top. These ends, in turn, are closely crossed, and each is tucked, or rather woven, into the triangle in opposite directions, so as to stay put. The finished article is so strong that it can be thrown about or stored without any likelihood of coming undone, and a single paper triangle will light more easily and burn more profitably than a quarter of a bundle of sticks. With a little practice several dozen can be completed in five minutes, and the job of turning them out can be made into a game by racing or working a time.

A bright idea for a nursery rug is to sew together enough felt of light blue colour to make a six-foot square. Next, cut some paper patterns in outline of cats, dogs, horses, tigers, etc., and paste them on to the felt and secure down with buttonhole-stitch. They will look attractive if cut from red and yellow flannel, and a few stitches are added with black and white thread to bring out the features of the animals.

Annual Ball at Fernhill

MOST SUCCESSFUL

Twyford Bachelors and Spinners

MONTE CARLO WALTZ

The Twyford Bachelors and Spinners annual ball held at the Fernhill Hall was an outstanding success. The dance floor which has recently been considerably enlarged was in splendid order and the music supplied by Les. Henry's orchestra added to the enjoyment of the evening.

Those responsible for the arrangements were—Miss Hayes (secretary) and the following committee: Misses W. Griffiths, A. Griffiths, M. McLeod, J. Tait, M. McAnulty, I. J. Burge, M. Burge, E. Trotter, Messrs D. Bixley, Don Bixley, J. R. Trotter (M.C.), R. McLeod, L. R. Trotter.

During the evening a spot waltz competition was held, also a Monte Carlo waltz.

Among those present were—Mrs A. J. Burge, Mrs J. McNab, Mrs J. Kitching, Mrs D. McNab, Mrs K. Martin, Mrs J. Campbell, Misses Hayes, M. McLeod, J. Tait, D. Griffiths, B. Trotter, I. J. Burge, M. Burge, D. Bambridge, Margaret Simpson, M. M. Cassin, P. Wharton, N. Gumbly, Rac Flowers, J. Hales, N. Kelleher, J. Kelleher, N. Wellwood, M. Wellwood, Joan Gardner, J. Griffiths, R. White, L. Duff, M. Brandon, M. McAnulty, Ava Fuschell, P. Hart, M. Boyle, K. Boyle, E. Struthers, K. Young, M. Connor, M. Rachel, Rosalie, P. McCormick, G. Gunn, M. Lumsden, Glenross, Verrey, Joan Wilkie, D. McAlister, M. Collins, E. Cox, M. Stewart, I. Johnston.



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GUILD MEETING IN NAPIER

Enjoyable Evening

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Solos and Choir Items

Bowls of beautiful golden jonquils arranged with autumn foliage, decorated the Baptist schoolroom for the monthly meeting of the Music Section of the Napier Townswomen's Guild, which was held recently. Many members and visitors were warmly welcomed by the section leader, Mrs A. P. Spackman. The evening proved to be most enjoyable to the members for they were entertained by a sister-club, the music section of the Port of Hauraki guild, under the leadership of Mrs J. H. Fieldhouse.

Mrs Fieldhouse spoke of songs as knowledge links and in addition to her illustrative vocal solos, she was assisted by the Port guild choir. The importance of song in the lives of primitive people before the days of printed page, led to some reference to the purpose of song to the Maoris in pre-pakeha days. The oldest known English secular song, the classic rota "Summer in Cumlin" was sung by the choir and followed by the song "Victory of Agincourt." As an example of a sea chanty, "Shenagh" was sung and its probable connection with Gregorian plain song was discussed. Dr Arnes' "Maypole" and "Rule Britannia" were next sung and commented upon.

MUSIC SCALES THROUGH THE AGES

Mrs Fieldhouse explained the use of different scales and modes, showing how these had changed through the ages. How the five branches of the Celtic race, though cast asunder had retained their ancient folk music, was illustrated with Captain Morgan's March. The historic aspect as well as the pentatonic features of the Skye Boat song were dealt with in reference to the Hebridean music. As an example of the American negro's equivalent of the folk song, Mrs Fieldhouse sang the spiritual "Hard Trials" and finally, the battle of the republic to Welford Davies' setting. The lecture was preceded by three part songs "Fairies Lightly Swaying," "Greeting to Spring" and "Road to the Isles." Miss M. Miller played the accompaniments. Supper was served at the close of the evening.

Hearth tiles that are badly marked should be washed in hot vinegar and water, rubbed with a cut lemon, and then rinsed again with the hot vinegar and water.

GRAND SURPRISE TO-NIGHT

Special Features at Red Cross Ball

Intending patrons of the Red Cross ball to-night will get a delightful surprise when they hear that Miss Peggy Black has kindly accepted to the committee's request to repeat the solo dance in which she made such a very pronounced hit in the recent production of Rio Rita. In addition to this and a feast of other entertaining novelties, Miss Black will also lead the ensemble in the fan dance and the charming blue ballet, numbers which were also featured in this production.

The society is much indebted to the Napier girls for turning out to help the Red Cross, and it is hoped that the Hastings public will express their appreciation of this action by coming along in good numbers to give them the welcome they deserve.

Dancers who wish to see these numbers are advised to be on time, as the first ballet will take place at the conclusion of the third dance on the programme.

A most attractive supper has been arranged, much of which has been voluntarily donated by kind friends of the Red Cross Society, and as an assurance of its excellence it is only necessary to mention that the details have been under the capable control of Mrs T. A. Hill, who is well-known in this capacity. Miss Henry's orchestra, specially augmented for the occasion, will provide the music, and a beautifully decorated and comfortably warmed hall complete the necessary requirements for a perfect evening. The first dance will start at 8.30 p.m. and admission will be by 5/- ticket.

DANCE HELD IN WAIPAWA

Successful Evening

DETAILS OF WOMEN'S FROCKING

Basketball Association

A successful dance was given by the Central Hawke's Bay Basketball Association in the Municipal Theatre, Waipawa, on Tuesday evening, and the committee are to be heartily congratulated on the result. Excellent music was provided by Te Tau's orchestra.

Amongst the ladies present were the following:—Mrs Murray, black lace and floral bridge coat; Mrs Turnbull, red model frock; Mrs H. Fargher, salmon pink frock; Mrs Green, black and lemon chiffon; Mrs Lovatt, apple green marocain, with lemon spray at waist; Mrs Trotter, petunia gown with pink spray; Mrs C. Willis, red lace frock; Mrs J. Millis, pink lace; Mrs G. Tannahill, green lace frock; Miss Irene Hutana, blue frock; Miss Hazel Hutt, black and cream satin beauty; Miss M. Sheridan, green lace; Miss J. Macpherson, black net; Miss E. Transom, black frock with red coat; Miss Watson, white lace frock and coat; Miss O. Moorcock, red lace; Miss P. Wynn, cherry lace; Miss B. Moore, blue net; Miss L. Collins, black taffeta with floral corsage; Miss B. Nichol, blue lace; Miss Z. Wynn, pink lace; Miss M. Thomas, pink marocain; Miss M. Germain, floral organdie; Miss C. Budge, black satin; Miss Robottom, pink lace; Miss McCarthy, navy blue taffeta; Miss Pedersen, white embossed satin, with a black bridge coat; Miss L. Woodward, green frock; Miss Fairweather, white organdie; Miss M. Smales, white taffeta; Miss P. Lucas, pale green marocain; Miss T. Gutschlag, black lace; Miss S. Burkin, blue georgette with diamante clasps; Miss Elmers, black georgette, with silver trimmings; Miss McLean, red velvet; Miss D. Tate, floral georgette with lemon sash; Miss Goodwe, navy blue and white

Five o'Clock Gossip

A Christchurch visitor spending several months in Hastings is Mrs Pole who is the guest of her daughter, Mrs H. S. Robinson.

Mr and Mrs L. Maclean and Miss Margaret Maclean, Glencoe, Maraekakaho, are visitors to Wellington.

The Trentham races have attracted many visitors to Wellington. From Hastings have gone Mr and Mrs J. S. McLeod and Miss Audrey McLeod.

Mrs Russell Moss, Clyde Road, Napier, has returned home after visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs Aplin, of Wellington.

The friends of Mrs C. H. Rathbone, of Hukarere Road, Napier, will be pleased to learn of her recovery after a recent illness.

Mrs Balfour, of Wairoa, is the guest of her mother-in-law, Mrs D. Balfour, Bay View Road, Napier.

Miss Margaret von Dadelzen is spending a few days' holiday with her parents, Mr and Mrs F. von Dadelzen, Mangateretere, and leaves on Saturday for Wellington where she has accepted a position in a beauty salon.

Miss Joyce Coop, Tuki Tuki, Havelock North, leaves to-day by car for Wellington. She will be accompanied by Miss Dorothy Wilson, Lyndhurst Road, Hastings, and when she returns on Sunday will have as her guest Miss Gwyneth Holmes, of Christchurch.

Miss Ruth Herrick, Lighthouse Road, Napier, Chief Commissioner of Girl Guides, will leave to-morrow for South Canterbury. She will be accompanied by Miss O. McIlraith, Christchurch, and Mrs J. F. Crafoot Wilson, Cashmere. After visiting Mrs P. R. Woodhouse, Bluecliffs, they will all go to Timaru to attend a conference and training course for Girl Guide Commissioners.

The absence of Courts fails to dim the radiance of New Zealand's "debs" and the launching of a Hawke's Bay debutante is an event of vast importance. In the matter of "the frock" the discerning mother will inspect the lovely model now held at "Victor Gowns", Hastings exclusive salon.

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Curdled mayonnaise need not be thrown out. Try whisking it quickly, and there is a great likelihood of it becoming smooth again. If this remedy fails, add a teaspoonful of hot water and beat quickly. If these two suggestions fail, break a yolk into a basin, season, and work in a teaspoonful of oil. Mix well into the curdled mixture and the mayonnaise will be quite all right. A good idea when mixing mayonnaise is to work in the oil slowly, drop by drop at first. Then it can be increased gradually in quantity whilst stirring all the time.

taffeta; Miss M. Booker, floral net; Miss E. Booker, orange georgette; Miss P. Schaw, white tulle frock; Miss G. Muir, blue velvet; Miss G. Major, blue lace frock; Miss D. Thompson, orange lace; Miss M. Lovatt, black lace; Miss E. Clark, floral taffeta; Miss Lindsay, pink velvet; Miss M. Hercock, pink frock; Miss S. Carne, pink lace; Miss C. Price, floral georgette; Miss D. Moffatt, green patterned satin beauty; Miss P. Bowley, black and gold satin; Miss D. Trass (Wairoa), pink floral redingote.

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LETTERS to the EDITOR

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Prohibition System in Western Samoa

Sir—After very careful consideration I have decided to endeavour to enlist your aid on behalf of the welfare of the natives of Samoa. Very wisely, the New Zealand Government, when it took over the Mandate in 1921, or even earlier, decided in the interests of the natives to make this a prohibition territory. I repeat that that was a most wise decision. There was a great outcry on the part of the Europeans—perhaps naturally. But the then Government, and all since, until the present one, stood firm in their humane resolve. To meet the medicinal needs of the Europeans, in response to the contention that they could not do without alcohol, and that it is a necessity in the tropics—a fallacy—a permit system was instituted. In saying this, I speak from experience. I once considered alcohol essential, but now know that it is not—far from it, and probably I had a sneaking idea even at that time. Now, I am not writing to have liquor stopped just because I have changed about it. This letter is written merely to show that I have been through the whole gamut and am in a position to know both sides. Until a few years ago the permit system worked reasonably well, and the natives were protected from the evils of liquor, as the medical authorities were fairly strict, while not being over-strict. To-day, drunkenness is spreading among the natives. Ten years, even

five years ago, there was hardly a drunken native to be seen. It was so rare that a solitary case would be talked of all over the place. Now it is common to see them, and at Christmas time it is the regular thing to meet them staggering over the road and endangering their own and motor drivers' lives. It is so common now that it hardly causes comment except by the level-minded who deplore the growth and rapid spread of the evil—an evil which should never have been known to the natives, and never would have been had the high aims of the New Zealand Government which took over Samoa been realised. Natives are now drinking beer, and it seems, they must obtain through half-castes and possibly unscrupulous Europeans.

It is abundantly evident that it is not possible to have two laws in this matter—one for the whites and one for the natives. The medical permit system strictly enforced is sufficient and reasonably satisfactory. At any rate, abuses under it were not so evident. Part of the trouble now is that various clubs would appear to be insouciantly supervised. There seems to be no other explanation of the leakage to the natives. But the leakage is probably not confined to the clubs, or even necessarily attributable to them. The main trouble is the loosening up of the permits, and their abuse by the unscrupulous and the irresponsible.

There is no reflection cast herein on the deserving and the responsible. It is the abuse and the irresponsibility that is deplored, and it is regrettable that it seems to be inseparable from the club system.

Those who are fighting for the extension and the loosening up of the permit system, to give them the right to not only to know of the abuses, or if they do they are not alive to the dangers ahead. But one day they will weep and say "The Government shouldn't have allowed it. They should have known better."

The Labour Government has done many commendable things, and has high aims, but the trail of drink seems to follow it tenaciously. No Government until this one would tolerate the suggestion to loosen up or extend the permit system. Rather were the authorities inclined to tighten it. After all, the majority here are natives, and it is asking little in their interests for the Europeans to have restrictions on what has proved a terrible evil in their own lands.—I am, etc.

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Wind S.W., 6 m.p.h.
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Sun 2.8 hours
Visibility 4
Humidity 92 p.c.
Cloud 10-10

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3YA—Recordings.
4YA—Recordings.
10.15—1YA—Recordings.
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10.28—2YA—Signal.
10.30—3YA—Devotional service.
10.45—2YA—Talk to women (Margaret).
3YA—Recordings.
12.00—1YA—Lunch music.
2YA—Running commentary on second of Wellington Racing Club's winter meeting at Trentham Racecourse. Note: From 1.30 to 2.30 commentary to be broadcast by station 2YC.
3YA—Lunch music.
4YA—Lunch music.
12.30—1YA—Mid-week service from St. Matthew's Anglican Church.
12.50—1YA—Lunch music.

1 P.M. TO 6 P.M.
1.00—4YA—Weather.
1.30—2YA—Educational session: "The Changing World."
4YA—Educational session (see 2YA).
1.42—2YA—Educational session: "Sound, Rhythm and Meaning in Poetry, and Hints on Speedwriting" (2): Mr W. J. Mouty.
1.57—2YA—Educational session: "Travel: Ireland" (6): Dr. W. E. Sutch.
2.00—1YA—Recordings.
3YA—Recordings.
2.15—2YA—Educational session: "Music" (6): Mr T. J. Young.
2.30—1YA—Classical hour.
2YA—Punning commentary on Wellington Racing Club's winter meeting. Note: If last race commences after 5 p.m., commentary will be broadcast by 2YC.
3YA—Talk, prepared by A.C.E.: "Bean Sprouts and Their Uses."
4YA—Sports results. Classical music.
3.00—3YA—Classical music.
3.15—1YA—Sports results.
3.30—1YA—Prepared by A.C.E.: Home Service Section, "Bean Sprouts and Their Uses."
3.45—1YA—Light music.
4.00—1YA—Weather for farmers.
3YA—Frost. Weather. Light music.
4YA—Weather. Frost forecast.
4.30—1YA—Sports results.
3YA—Sports results.
4YA—Light music.
4.45—4YA—Light music.
5.00—Children's session from all stations.

6 P.M. TO 8 P.M.
6.00—Dinner music from all stations.
7.00—Government and overseas news from all stations.
7.10—News and reports from all stations.
7.28—2YA—Time signals. "Who's What?"
7.30—1YA—"The Whirligig of Time: Education (18): Manners and Morals in the Middle Ages"—Prof. F. H. H. Hush.
4YA—Gardening talk.
7.35—3YA—Review of Journal of Agriculture.

HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

"DAILY MAIL'S" SPECIAL FORECAST IS FOR FURTHER COLD WEATHER
Following is the "Daily Mail's" special forecast for Hawke's Bay:—
Winds.—Light to fresh south-west to southerly.
Weather.—Changeable, with scattered showers at first but improving gradually.
Seas.—Rather rough.
Temperatures.—Cold.

Hastings Weather
Meteorological readings taken yesterday at 5 p.m. at the Hastings Magnetic Observatory, Cornwall Park, were as follows:—
Dry bulb temp. 45.0deg.
Wet bulb temp. 44.0deg.
Maximum temp. 50.0deg.
Minimum temp. 44.0deg.
Grass temp. 26.0deg.
Wind S.1
Cloud 9
Temp. 1ft. underground . . . 45.0deg.
Frost 4.0deg.
Rain 0.2in.

Napier Weather
Meteorological readings taken yesterday at 5 p.m. by the Government recorder at Napier (Mr R. T. Hutton) are as follows:—
Dry bulb temp. 44.5deg.
Wet bulb temp. 43.5deg.
Maximum temp. 50.2deg.
Minimum temp. 35.0deg.
Grass temp. 26.0deg.
1ft. underground 49.2deg.
3ft. underground 55.0deg.
Wind S.W., 6 m.p.h.
Rain 0.06in.
Sun 2.8 hours
Visibility 4
Humidity 92 p.c.
Cloud 10-10

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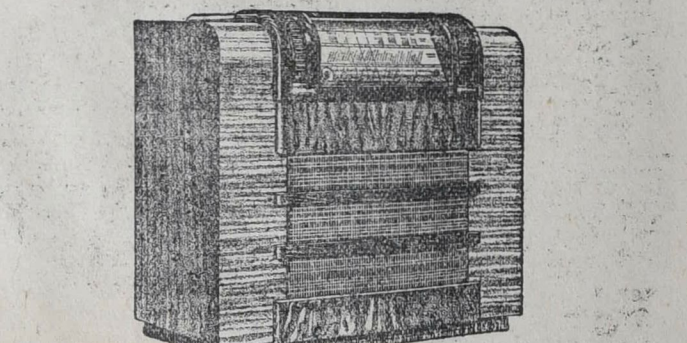


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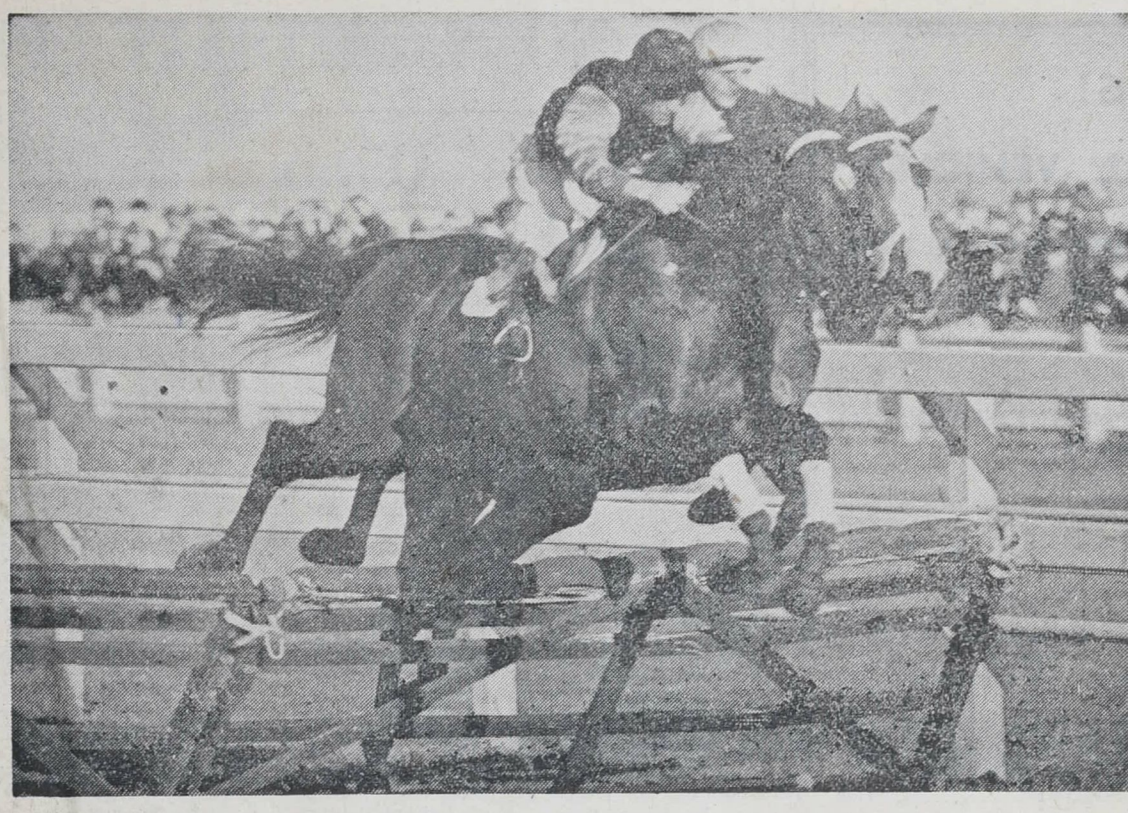
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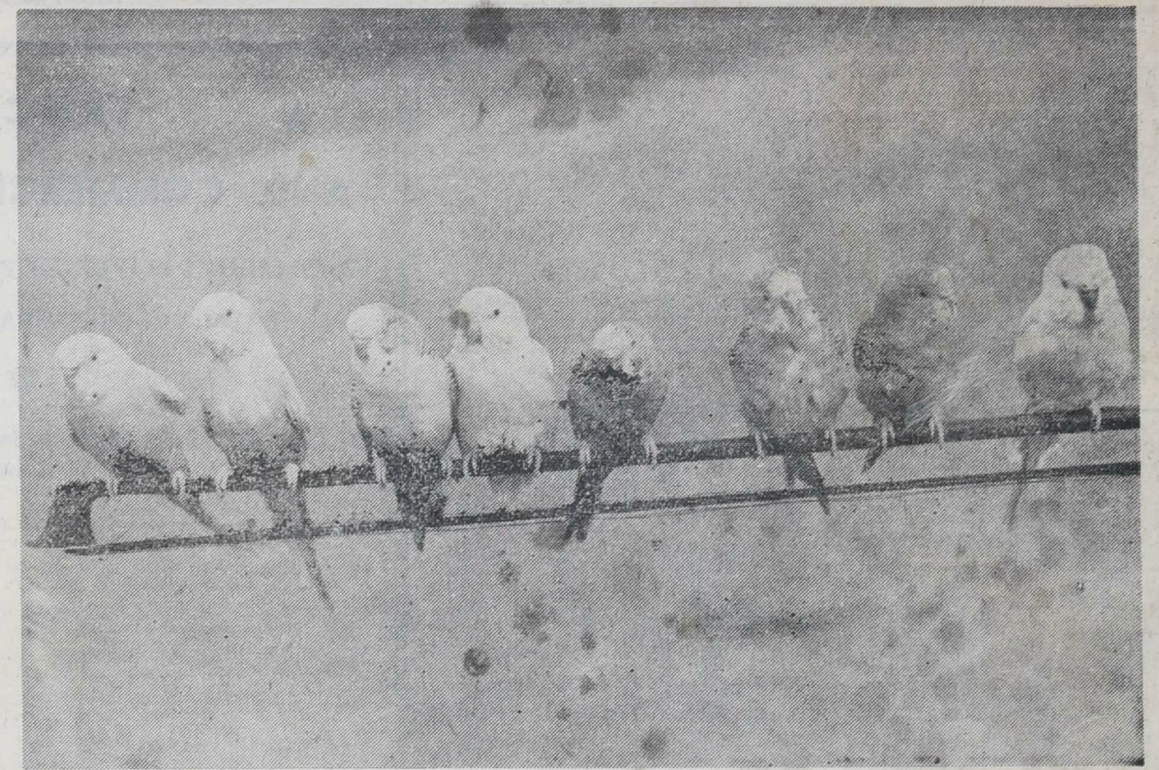
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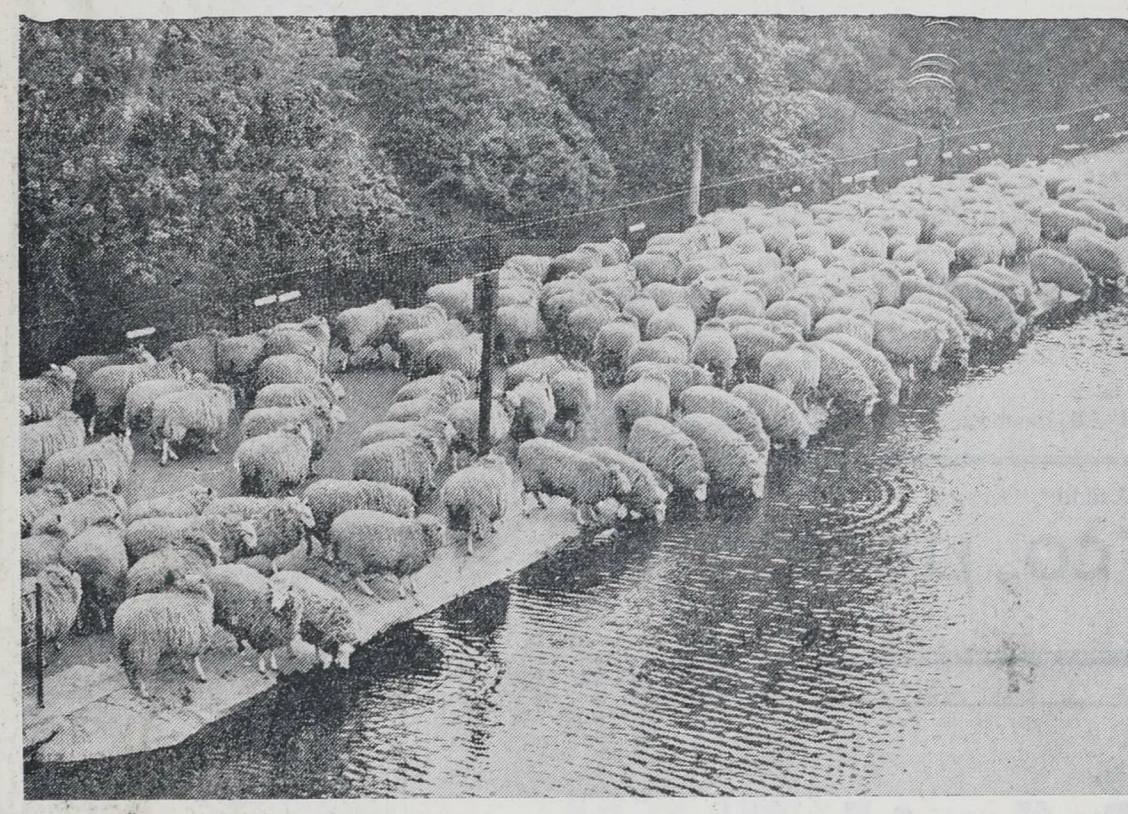
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THE LAST JUMP.—Koke King, the winner, leading slightly over the last jump in the Port Phillip Hurdles at Williamstown, Victoria. Whernside, on the rails, finished third.



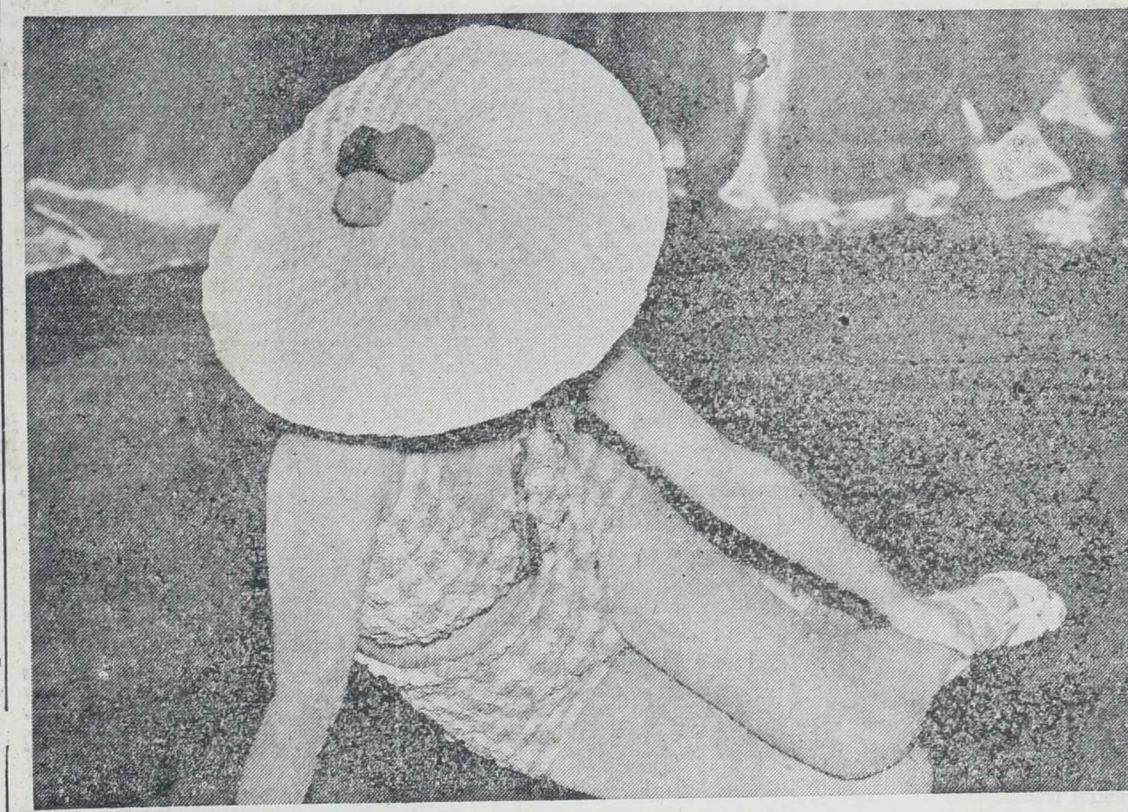
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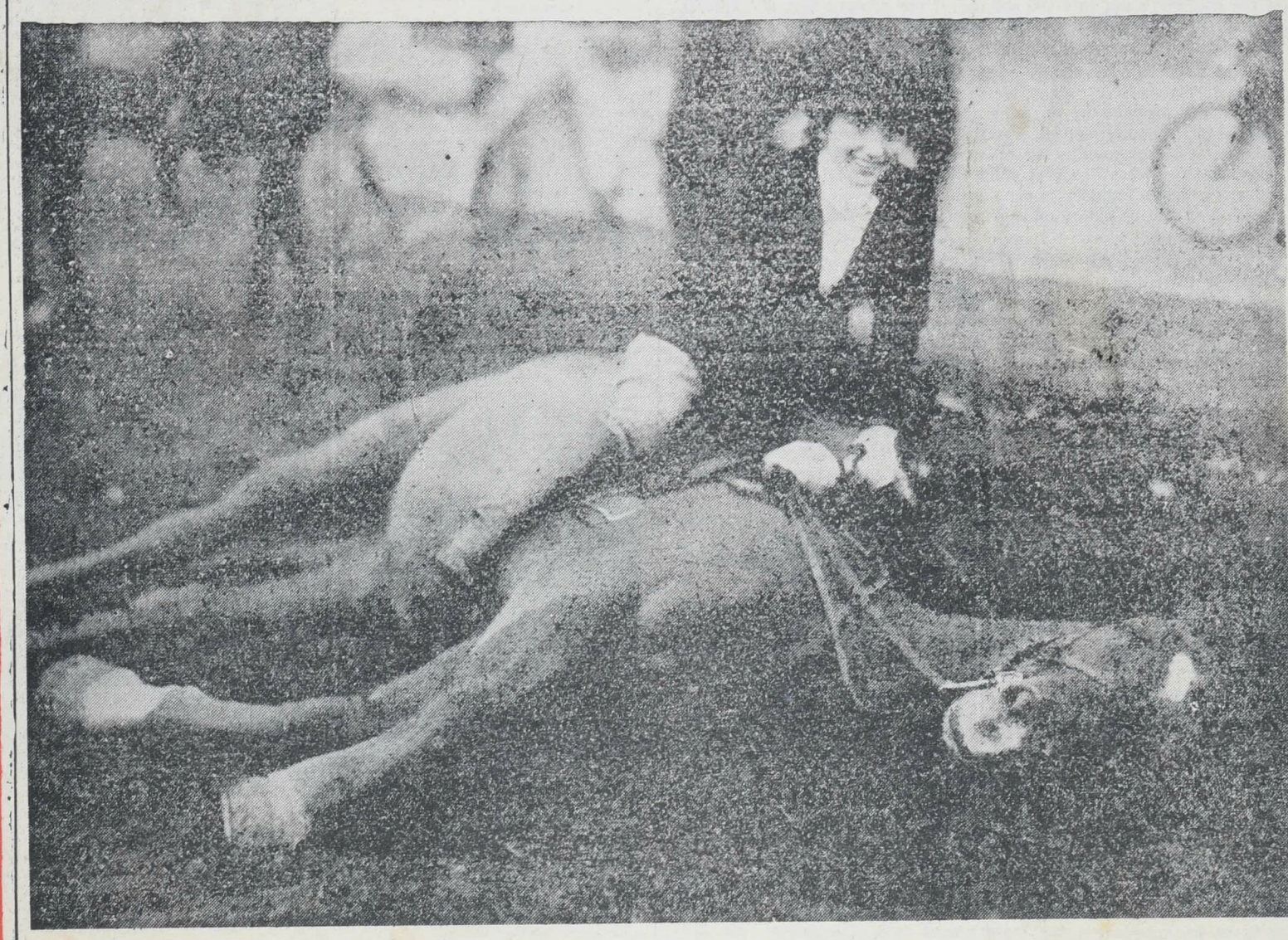
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Mails for Apia, Pago Pago, Niue Island and Tonga per Maui Pomare from Wellington close Hastings 6 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 13.

Mails for Great Britain, Ireland and Europe (for specially addressed correspondence only), also all States of South America, via Monte Video, per Rangara from Wellington.—Mails close Hastings 6 p.m., Napier 5:20 p.m. Due London approx. August 28.

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BUDGET PROSPECTS

Next week the Minister of Finance (the Hon. W. Nash) will present his third Budget since assuming office. In many ways it will also be his most momentous Budget.

The political legions will soon be engaged in the battle of the ballot box, and the final Budget of the first Labour Government will play no small part in the general trend of the campaign.

That there will be criticism is inevitable. If Mr Nash does not provide for the removal of the special emergency charge on wages, now that unemployment figures are so low, the wage-earner may reasonably and legitimately enter a strong protest. This tax is probably the most unjustifiable of all taxes existing to-day, and the purpose for which it was designed disappeared almost two years ago. Since then the wage-earners have contributed, directly, approximately £11,000,000—a heavy impost for virtually nothing.

On the other hand, Mr Nash can hardly afford to remove the wage tax with a grand gesture, and at the same time ask wage-earners to pay out one shilling in the pound for a problematical "social security" scheme. The effect of the 50 per cent. increase in the tax—or a further cut in wages—will have a profound effect on those now living perilously close to the boundary between economic stability and the inability to meet increasing costs.

This is a very real and personal problem to most people in this country. It is far more close to the majority than the problems of actual indigence and want against which the Government amasses an elaborate and costly barrage. If half the energy and a quarter of the cost were put into the solving of the genuine and widespread difficulties of wage-earners, this country would be indeed a happy place.

One need not be merely cynical to suspect that much of the so-called "progressive" social legislation would be entirely unnecessary if the problem of enabling the younger wage-earner to live comfortably was first solved. Penury in old age usually means either thriftlessness, or inability to make ends meet during the earning period of life. Thriftlessness should not be allowed to luxuriate in retirement while industry is penalised. Thus proven cases of genuine hardship should be placed on a better basis than those resulting from sheer profrugality.

Unfortunately, the mere words "age" and "poverty" can be a powerful instrument for arousing political feeling, and it is not unlikely that this is a greater consideration than it need be. There are tens of thousands of young wage-earners and family men on the sunny side of forty who are finding that high costs to-day are making existence a precarious thing indeed. The solution of this should be the beginning of a true scheme for social security.

Going back to the Budget, it is more than probable that there will be some provision for the alteration in wages tax as mentioned above. Added to this, some adjustment to the incidence of income tax would not be unexpected, as the Government must provide for some exceptionally heavy commitments in the coming year.

The provision of Public Works out of income and internal borrowing, the added charges of the proposed social security scheme, and similar expenditure, will amount to a formidable total, and the people of this country will have to find the means to pay.

The position of the Public Debt cannot be accurately ascertained until the full figures are published, but the sale of existing assets in reduction of the debt must be taken into account. It is hoped that the Minister will give full details of these transactions.

The preparation of the Budget this year must have been a somewhat complicated task. For instance, it will be necessary to take into account the proposed social security schemes, and since these have not yet passed into law, the Minister will, of necessity, be compelled to do some intricate guessing. Indeed, the position is more than a little intriguing. Such a colossal expenditure as is proposed must need some provision, and the Minister can hardly be groping in the dark when he makes his estimates.

In short, these measures are theoretically passed already.

Summing up the Budget prospects, little relief for the wage-earner and the general taxpayer appears to be in sight. However, it is to be hoped that the Government will concentrate on the problem of enabling the wage-earner to live a little more comfortably, and to this end some method of reducing costs generally is urgently required.

NO IMMEDIATE PROSPECT OF WAR

"Italy is Disappointed and Frightened"

Exclusive Air Mail News from "Daily Mail's" London Correspondent

A large section of the less-informed British public believes that almost any day now the threatened outbreak of general hostilities in Europe may occur. But students of international affairs and many clear-sighted politicians have expressed the view that a general war in Europe is, for many reasons, virtually an impossibility.

The most convincing reason why a major conflict will always be avoided is that none of the potential aggressors could withstand the economic strain of a war.

There are currently three schools of thought in Europe apropos war. One believes that the Fascist nations are not only ready but anxious to provoke a conflict which they think they must win. School No. 2 holds the view that no European Power desires war and important concessions will be made by the "haves" to placate the "have nots," but that another giant outbreak must occur if the demands of the totalitarian States are not conceded to the maximum so that their internal troubles may be overcome.

The third school of thought holds that the Fascist Powers are putting up a huge bluff. As soon as that bluff is called openly the unsubstantial structure of their political facades will crumble.

The Fascist powers will bluff and finesse and get all they can by threats of actual deeds of violence, as in the German seizure of Austria. But the Fascist and Nazi leaders will play this game only up to the limits of certain stakes. This is perfectly well known in the inner circles of European diplomacy and statecraft, says the former Navy boxing champion, writing in the "New York Times" magazine.

What are the reasons? Neither Italy nor Germany has the resources to fight a long drawn-out war, and they cannot be sure of a quick victory. And the second reason is that if a great European war did start, Germany and Italy would not fight on the same side. Herr Hitler succeeded beyond all his hopes in annexing Austria when he thought the stroke had been long-renewed and the organisation for it was complete, the opportunity was unexpected. So uncertain were Hitler and his advisers as to what the outcome would be that they remained at Linz for 24 hours to wait for the reactions of London, Paris and Rome!

Despite tremendous efforts for re-arrangement, the German navy is still very weak. Not one capital ship fit to lie in the line against the British, American or French navies is ready yet, or will be for another 18 months. The Germans are certainly in a state of spiritual exaltation at the present time, and that mood would last for the first three or six months of real hard

consists in stirring up trouble within the borders of certain countries and then intervening to "restore order."

The system can be seen at work in Spain, where the present insurrection was planned with Italian and German help as long ago as 1934. The Anschluss has broken the Berlin-Rome axis. All the speeches, all the State visits to each other's capitals, all the friendly, and even affectionate messages the two dictators send each other cannot hide this fact. The Italians are roughly frightened and bitterly disappointed.

So far as the Eastern peril is concerned, the Government in Tokyo, led on by the army leaders, had hoped for a quick and successful 18 war in China. They underestimated both the Chinese powers of resistance and the Chinese sense of national solidarity. The campaigns have been far longer and more costly than had ever been anticipated. The Chinese are fighting better than ever before, and the Japanese have their hands absolutely full in Asia.

Mr M. O'Connor, of Hastings, is on a holiday visit to Wellington.

Mr R. E. Stratford, "Rotoiti," Hatuma, is at present an inmate of the District Hospital, Waipukurau.

Mr E. Casey will be acting-General Manager of New Zealand Railways during the absence of the General Manager, Mr G. H. Mackley, in Australia.

Mr R. McCarthy, jun., of Haumoana, left Hastings on Tuesday evening for Wellington. He is to travel to Australia on a holiday trip with the All Blacks.

Mr Harold Turner, M.A., who has been on a brief visit to his parents, Mr and Mrs H. J. Turner, Hastings, sailed from Auckland on Monday for New College, Edinburgh, where he intends to complete his theological course.

Mr A. Macintosh has resigned his position as one of the Wellington Council's renewal fund commissioners. His resignation was accepted with regret by the city council, which placed on record its appreciation of the services he had rendered.

Mr W. B. Colbeck, vice-chairman of the Auckland Stock Exchange, sailed by the Awatea on Monday night en route to South Africa on a business trip. Mr P. C. Savage has been appointed acting vice-chairman of the exchange during Mr Colbeck's absence.

Mr R. P. Fish, who has for the past 11 years been a member of the city engineer's staff, Wellington, has been appointed assistant city engineer at Invercargill, in succession to Mr P. J. Alley, who has been appointed engineer to the Tauramunui Borough Council.

Mr A. C. Robb, formerly of Devonport, Auckland, and now of Argyle, Scotland, has been awarded the first prize in the yacht designing competition for 1937-38 conducted by the English journal "Yachting World." Mr Robb left Auckland about two years ago to continue his studies in yacht-designing and before leaving he designed the A class yacht Tamatea, for Auckland owners. Since then he has joined the Scottish boat-building firm of Messrs Morris and Lorimer, of Sandbank, Argyle.

Mr J. C. Malfroy, Registrar and Sheriff of the Supreme Court in Auckland and Registrar and Marshal of the Admiralty Court, after completing 40 years' service with the Justice Department, retired last Thursday. In the course of his lengthy experience Mr Malfroy has been associated with over 30 magistrates. He saw service in New Plymouth, Paeroa, Ohaua, Hokitika, Dunedin, Naseby, Thames, Invercargill, Hamilton and Auckland. He has been stationed in Auckland for the past thirteen years. A successor to Mr Malfroy has not yet been appointed.

Fire in Grocery Shop
The Hastings Fire Brigade was called out to a fire in Humphries grocery shop at 1.45 p.m. yesterday. Apparently a spark flew out from the boiler room, igniting some paper in the shop. The fire was extinguished when the fire engine arrived and no damage was done.

Infant Steers Car
Children to-day often surprise with their knowledge of mechanical devices, but few are as forward as one seen at New Plymouth. Seated on his father's knee in a small car, a child that could not have been more than three years old steered the vehicle up Cutfield Road and turned into Devon Street.

Chinese Remember
To-day, being the first anniversary of the Chinese war of resistance against the Japanese aggression, will be solemnly observed by the Chinese in New Zealand and throughout the world. There will be three minutes' silence at noon as a mark of respect for the fallen, both soldier and civilian, and a partial fast will be observed. The money thus saved will purchase gifts for the soldiers at the front.—Press Association.

Aviator's Funeral
The body of the ill-fated parachutist, Mr G. W. Sellers, reached Dunedin yesterday. The pilots of the Otago Aero Club have arranged for an impressive funeral ceremony. Leading the cortege will be Pilot-instructor Burbridge, who will carry the aviator's helmet, which will be placed on the coffin at the graveside. The pall-bearers will be club pilots.—Press Association.

Road Faults of Motorists
To point out faults of motorists in driving or road manners, Mr W. R. Ashwell, traffic inspector at Temuka, posts to drivers a photograph of themselves committing these faults, and in a polite letter points out their mistakes. Examples of the photographs are a motor-car stopped in a busy street beside another car parked on the side, and the two drivers conversing, apparently oblivious to the traffic about them, or a car on a one-way bridge, in the middle of a mob of sheep, in which the driver has stopped after unsuccessfully trying to force his way through. Mr Ashwell has high hopes for the success of the scheme.

Masterton Bequests
The following bequests were made by the late Mr A. P. Whatman, of Masterton:—A certain specified area of 3½ acres of property in Ngaumutuwa Road to the Salvation Army, to be held on certain trust; £5000 to be held by the Public Trustee on trust for the old Russell churchyard; £8000 on trust for the Masterton Returned Soldiers' Club; £5000 on trust for the New Zealand Institute for the Blind; a residence and a certain area and furniture to be transferred to a convalescent or rest home for the New Zealand Institute for the Blind; and the residue in the will for the erection of further charitable institutions to be held on similar trust, and the residue is to be allocated on trust to the Wairarapa Hospital Board.—Press Association.

Life-savers' Visit
A party of 16 Australian life-savers and a manager will visit New Zealand for the centenary championships in 1940. An invitation extended by Mr Ingram, secretary of the New Zealand Life-saving Association, has been accepted. The cost of the visit will be borne by New Zealand and appearances in the national and centenary championships at Wellington in February will be followed by a Dominion tour. Instructional classes will be given on North and South Island beaches.—Press Association.



BARCELONA—One of the last great strongholds of Republican Spain, Barcelona is the Mediterranean port which serves Madrid. This view illustrates the congestion of the city—and its possibilities as a target for Rebel bombs.

DEVELOPMENT IN ABYSSINIA

General Attilio Teruzzi, former commander of the Italian forces in Spain, and now Under-Secretary for Italian Africa, has gone to Ethiopia to inspect a report on the progress of the progress made in the organization and development of the new territories.

EMPIRE FLYING BOAT ARRIVES AT ROSE BAY

Comment by Passenger: Dutch 'Plane to Leave for Java To-day

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SYDNEY, July 6.

The Empire flying-boat Challenger landed at the Rose Bay anchorage, Sydney, at 4.25 p.m. to-day, and was given a hearty welcome by occupants of small craft which gathered round.

No delay was occasioned in disembarking the passengers.

One of the passengers, Mr R. Monson, of the London "Daily Telegraph," said that Darwin made a bad show, but the remainder of the trip was without a hitch and was most educational.

The Dutch airliner visited Canberra to-day, when the passengers and crew were guests of the Prime Minister (the Hon. J. A. Lyons) and the Minister of Defence (the Hon. H. V. C. Thorby).

The plane later returned to Sydney for another festive gathering provided by the K.N.I.L.M. agents.

The machine begins the return trip to Java to-morrow, covering the journey to Darwin in one hop.



THE VICTORIAN SCOTTISH REGIMENT.—Troops crossing Princes Bridge, Melbourne.

WAR MINISTER REPLIES

QUESTION OF BREACH OF PRIVILEGE

ARMY RULES

Relevant Sections Quoted

British Official Wireless. (Received July 5, 7.30 p.m.)

RUGBY, July 5. The British Minister of War (Mr L. Hore-Belisha) in a written answer to questions concerning the Court of Inquiry proposed to be held on a territorial officer and member of the House of Commons, said "The assembly and procedure of military Courts of Inquiry are governed by Rules 124, 125, and 125A, made pursuant to the provisions of Section 70 of the Army Act.

"The Court of Inquiry may be assembled by the Army Council or by an officer in command of any body of troops and may be directed to collect and record evidence if and as required, and to report and make a declaration in regard to any matter which might be referred to them. Under the provisions of Rule 175 an officer of the Territorial Army on the active list is subject to military law at all times. His attendance as a witness before the Court of Inquiry is a military duty and is secured by means of a military order to attend given by his superior officer. Attendance before the Court of Inquiry as a witness of a warrant officer, non-commissioned officer, or man of the Territorial Army can only be required as many times as he is subject to military law under Section 176, but in the case of an officer, warrant officer, non-commissioned officer, or man of the Territorial Army, the provisions of Rule 125 would have to be complied with.

Protection of Character. "This rule ensures that if his character or military reputation is likely to be affected as a result of the Court of Inquiry he may be afforded an opportunity of attending and making any statement or giving any evidence he may wish, or of cross examining any witness whose evidence, in his opinion, affects his character or military reputation, and of producing any witnesses in defence of his character or military reputation."

An earlier message stated that the Prime Minister, Mr Neville Chamberlain, in the House of Commons suggested that the Leader of the Opposition, Mr C. R. Attlee, should open conversations through the usual channels to see what arrangements could be made for an early debate on the report of the Committee of Privileges, which found that a breach was committed when the Military Court of Inquiry ordered Mr D. Sandys to appear before it.

Minister Refuses. Mr Hore-Belisha, when questioned, declined to give information regarding the time and place of meeting of the Army Council which decided to appoint the Court of Inquiry, or to make public the names of those present at the meeting, on the ground that it did not concern the practice of the House to make the proceedings of the Army Council the subject of detailed question and answer.

He said that 23 members of the House of Commons held commissions in the Territorial Army and two in the militia. These members were subject to military law at all times under the Army Act. In addition, 57 members held commissions in the Regular Army or Territorial Army Reserves. These members generally speaking, were subject to military law if they were ordered for the military duty to which they were liable.

Mr Sandys gave evidence privately for 75 minutes before the Select Committee, says a Press Association cable.

Fears of Civil War. PALESTINE DISORDERS. Britain May Be Forced to Act Decisively.

MORE TERRORISM. United Press Association—Copyright. JERUSALEM, July 5.

Six Jews were killed and five wounded in shootings this morning. It is feared that the terrorism will lead to a form of civil war, and in view of this it is believed that Britain will soon be forced to act decisively.

Qualifiers in Open Golf

THE BRITISH TOURNEY

Fallon Leads the Field with 142

STORM UPSETS FORM

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LONDON, July 6. Pierce rain and a thunderstorm in the morning made the going difficult for the second round of the British Open golf championship.

The Australian, Hatterley's, 70 was the best round of the day. He was out in 32 and home in 38. One hundred and twenty competitors with an aggregate of 157 or better qualified for the championship proper, the first round of which will be played on Wednesday and the second on Thursday, and then the leading 40 will play the final two rounds on Friday.

Fallon, the leading player to qualify, is the Scottish assistant professional attached to the Huddersfield Club.

Notable failures include: Mitchell 158, Duncan 159, Hodson 166. For the first time since the war no American is participating in the championship proper. The only American players were two amateurs, Ross Thompson and Page Hurty, neither of whom qualified.

The 76-year-old Sandy Herd played a round but gave up scoring, saying he was too old to continue. Scores are as follows: First Round Round 142. Fallon 69, Cotton 72, Brews 72, Crawley 71, Perry 69, Busson 72, Locke 69, Rees 71, E. E. Whitcombe 68, Hatterley 75, Lacey 68, Sutton 70, Halliburton 71, Halley 75, Havers 70, Denny 75, Robertson 74, Watson 74, Branch 76, Adams 72, Padgham 71, Horne 72, Hamon 74, McMillan 74, J. Ballingall 73, Bruen 73, Cox 75, Laird 75, Davies 73, Jack McLean 78, E. R. Whitcombe 75, Pennik 77, R. A. Whitcombe 71, McKay 78, Ryan 78, C. A. Whitcombe 80, Robson 80, Dallemagne 77, Hooper 80, Braid 80, Nettelford 75.

ACCOMMODATION SHORTAGE

TEACHERS LIVING IN TENTS

AUCKLAND AREA

Statement Made to Board

By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, July 6.

Owing to the shortage of housing accommodation, several teachers in the Auckland Education Board's district are living in tents.

This statement was made by Mr T. U. Wells, the chairman, at the meeting of the Auckland Board to-day. Answering requests from the country that provision be made by the Education Department for residential accommodation for headmasters and teachers, the department informed the board that such requests were so numerous that the department was unable at present to undertake the erection of residences for assistants. Where, however, the Government had in hand a housing scheme, the department was prepared to make representations to the Housing Department with a view to the provision of accommodation for any teacher experiencing difficulty in this direction.

Mr W. J. Watkins, commercial representative of the Railway Department, is acting as manager of the matter to the Education Department with the suggestion that the question be taken up with the Housing Department.

WHAT IS DICK'S POSITION?

DOCTORS' CONFLICTING OPINIONS

MEASLES OR NOT?

No Official Notification Yet

By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, July 6.

The most disappointed man in Auckland to-day is Johnny Dick, who has been replaced in the All Black team for the Australian tour. The replacement comes as a blow to Auckland supporters who expected great things of the brilliant wing three-quarter.

Dick felt indisposed on Tuesday and on Thursday broke out in a rash which a doctor diagnosed as a slight attack of measles. By Saturday the spots had disappeared and he felt fit for the match with Taranaki but was not allowed to play. He was examined on Monday by another doctor who pronounced him perfectly fit for the trip.

Yesterday, however, the case was reported on by the honorary medical officer of the Auckland Rugby Union, who stated that it was unwise for him to make the trip.

Dick has not been officially notified by the New Zealand Union of its decision. He communicated with the secretary of the New Zealand Union, Mr J. E. Neilson, last night and was informed that he was still included in the team.

An earlier message stated that A. Wright, Wellington, was advised by the New Zealand Rugby Union that he is to replace J. Dick.

N.Z. UNION'S REGRETS

Risk of Infection Again Stressed

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, July 6.

When the Auckland telegram stating that Dick was unaware that he had been dropped from the All Black team was referred to-night to the chairman of the New Zealand Rugby Union executive, Mr S. S. Dean said that a personal letter was sent to Dick to-day expressing the Union's regret that he could not be included in the team.

"A telegram was sent to the Auckland Rugby Union last night," said Mr Dean, "to the effect that, in view of the medical report that there was a great risk of infection, Dick could not be permitted to make the trip."

"The New Zealand Union is very sorry that Dick cannot go and the New Zealand team is to be deprived of his services, but we cannot take the risk of infection."

North Island Tour

SOUTHLAND FARMERS

Napier and Hastings Included

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, July 6.

A party of Southland farmers, with their wives and families, 220 strong, arrived in Wellington this morning on a tour of the North Island arranged by the Railway Department and the Farmers' Union. The tour embraces New Plymouth, Auckland, Rotorua, Arapuni, Frankton, Ruakura, Hamilton, Napier and Hastings, returning to Wellington via the Wairarapa on Saturday, July 16.

The following Sunday and Monday will be spent in Wellington, and the party will return south by the s.s. Wahine on the evening of June 18. Mr A. R. Johnston, Provincial President of Southland, is the leader of the party, and Mr E. K. Sim is deputy-leader. Mr R. Watkins, commercial representative of the Railway Department, is acting as manager of the tour, assisted by Mr C. S. Bowmar, vice-president of the Southland Province.

THE URGENT NEED TO COMBAT EROSION

Preservation of Forests Advised by Member of Upper House

From Our Parliamentary Reporter. PARLT. BLDGS., June 6.

The recent major flood disasters in Hawke's Bay drew attention to the need for preventive measures, the Hon. J. E. Duncan (Auckland) stated in the Legislative Council to-day, and he paid a tribute to the Minister of Public Works for the way he was facing the problem.

Apart from the losses caused by the floods, he said, the national losses by erosion were great. The forest lands of New Zealand had been reduced until they now covered only about 12 per cent. of the area of the country, Mr Duncan said, and that the shrinkage meant that there was little or no check to the flow of rainfall.

Instead of being held by the natural reservoirs for a time, the rain could flood the lower country and sweep away good land.

The task of correcting the evil brought about by the destruction of forest should be tackled right away, he said. It had been undertaken in the Argentine, and the latest reports stated that there was no longer any danger there. The same could be done in New Zealand, and he believed that Mr Semple would devote the same energy to the task as he displayed in other directions.

100,000 Houses Submerged

JAPANESE FLOODS

Kobe Almost Entirely Inundated

United Press Association—Copyright. TOKYO, July 5.

Floods submerged 100,000 houses at Kobe. Almost the entire city is inundated. Over two thousand homes have been washed away, and it is known that 130 people have been drowned.

Three hundred are missing. Transport services have been brought to a standstill.

ALLEGATION OF THEFT

Young Man in Court

NAME OF ACCUSED SUPPRESSED

A young man, whose name was ordered to be suppressed, appeared in the Napier Police Court yesterday before Messrs A. E. Bedford and F. J. Annan, J.P.s, on a charge of the theft of insurance company money.

A remand was applied for by Detective K. Mills, who stated that accused had been employed as an insurance collector and had left his employment suddenly. Afterwards it was found that sums of money had not been accounted for. Accused went to Australia with another young man and had been taken into custody on Sunday on his return.

On the application of Mr C. W. Nash, bail was granted in self for a sum of £50 and surety of a similar amount, accused to report daily to the police.

The charge was that on or about February 4 last and divers dates between then and February 11 he received various sums totalling \$36 6/5 on terms requiring him to pay the same to an insurance company and fraudulently omitted to account for or pay the same to the company, thereby committing the crime of theft.

DEATH OF AN ALL BLACK

By Telegraph—Press Association. HAWERA, July 6. The death has occurred of the All Black David Johnston. He represented Taranaki Rugby from 1922 till 1932. He was an All Black in 1925 and a representative of the North Island in 1923. He was one of the most brilliant inside backs Taranaki has produced in the last twenty years. He was aged 35 years and was single.

KIWIS' FINAL GAME

EXCITING MATCH ENDS IN A DRAW

19 POINTS EACH

Managers Pleased With Tour

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SYDNEY, July 6. An exciting finish marked the Kiwis' last match against a strong Sydney side the game ending in a draw, 19-19, after Sydney had led at half-time by 11-5.

The weather was ideal and the attendance 3994.

Smith began as scrum half but was not a success, and in the second spell went to his usual place on the wing, Walter Brimble going to the half-back position and Kay to five-eighths.

Altered deployment introduced greater harmony among the backs and despite Sydney's virtual monopoly of the ball from scrummages. Scorers for New Zealand were McLeod, Midgley and Kay (tries) and Hemi (five goals) and for Sydney, Norval, Hyde, Stewart, Kirkaldy and Felsch (tries) and Thompson (two goals).

Sydney won 17 of the scrums to four.

In the first spell the flat-footed home centres, coupled with the splendid Kiwi cover defence, kept the score within bounds.

The New Zealanders excelled in the rucks, from which they repeatedly opened up the play.

Hemi's Kicking. Hemi constantly out-kicked Johnson, thus saving his forwards by frequent gains of 40 yards.

The second spell, which opened with the Kiwis down, was more brilliant than the first, and the Kiwis rallied.

Chase made a glorious opening for Midgley's try. Kay's try resulted from the most concerted movement of the match, forwards and backs combining to change the direction of attack after Midgley had in-passed.

Sydney's defence was completely nonplussed. Hemi's conversion put the Kiwis ahead 17-14, and victory seemed assured when Hemi goalied from a penalty.

Sydney were still gaining possession from the scrums. After a sustained onslaught, Felsch evaded Hemi's tackle and crossed the line for Thompson to convert.

The Highlights. The best among the New Zealanders were McLeod and Cootes (forwards) and Midgley, Tittleton, Kay and Chase (backs). Hemi missed only two tackles, both of which cost tries, otherwise he was superb.

In an interview the managers, Messrs Redwood and Carlaw, said that the tour was justified and had been educative. It showed a slight profit. They expressed amazement at the difference of interpretations as between New South Wales and Queensland, particularly in the "play the ball" rule.

New Zealand Defeated

HOCKEY TEST

English Women's Team Victorious

FOUR GOALS TO ONE

By Telegraph—Press Association. CHRISTCHURCH, July 6.

The touring English women's team beat New Zealand in the first hockey test match at Lancaster Park by four goals to one.

The ground was very soft and wet and in a few minutes after the start the field was churned up. In spite of the cold, damp weather, about 2000 persons watched the game.

The match was a triumph for the tactics of the English team which, in the earlier stages, looked as if it would win by a big margin. When New Zealand had settled down, however, the play was much more even, the second half being very closely contested.

FATALITIES ON THE INCREASE ON ROADS

Transport Minister Makes a Comparison Between Town and Country

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, July 6.

"Fatal road accidents in rural areas again showed a substantial reduction last month," said the Minister of Transport (the Hon. R. Semple) to-day, "but this is more than offset by the increase in traffic fatalities in urban areas."

Fatalities in areas under the Transport Department's control were reduced from 15 in June, 1937, to eight. In cities and boroughs, however, fatal accidents increased from five to 14, a very substantial rise in the accident rate.

Wellington and the Hutt Valley led with five deaths. On rural roads there was only one fatal accident during daylight.

Twice as many people were killed during darkness as during the day. Four pedestrians were involved in fatal accidents, all at night time.

Three cars and one motor-cycle ran off the road and two struck telegraph poles, all with fatal results, during darkness.

Motor-cyclists headed the fatal accident roll with six deaths. Four bicyclists were killed. The conclusion to be drawn from both May and June, said Mr Semple, was that much greater care must be taken at night. This applied to pedestrians and cyclists as well as motorists. The risk of carelessness was especially great in built-up areas at night time when it was raining.

By-Election in Auckland

WIN FOR LABOUR

Citizens Candidate Defeated

By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, July 6.

There was a record poll for the by-election in Auckland when 2217 electors recorded their votes in the by-election to fill the vacancy on the Auckland City Council caused by the death of Sir George Richardson, the Citizens Committee representative.

The poll resulted in a victory for the official Labour candidate, Mr C. Bailey, who defeated the nominee of the Citizens and Ratepayers' Association, Mr H. J. Butcher, by 638 votes.

The result of the voting was as follows: C. Bailey 11,398. H. J. Butcher 10,760.

Majority for Bailey 638.

Septuagenarian Passes

MRS SUSAN GLOVER

Respected Dannevirke Citizen

DANNEVIRKE. After a short illness, the death occurred yesterday morning of Mrs Susan Glover, wife of Mr D. T. Glover, a highly-respected Dannevirke citizen at the age of 75. Deceased came to New Zealand many years ago in a sailing ship, which took eighty-five days for the journey.

Before coming to Dannevirke in 1918, the late Mrs Glover resided with her husband at Westport for many years. Deceased is survived by Mr Glover, three daughters and a son.

ACCLIMATISATION SOCIETY

Complains of Council's Laxity

For some time past the Hawke's Bay Acclimatisation Society has been perturbed at the apparent laxity of the North Island Council owing to the fact that, notwithstanding repeated requests from the society, no meeting of the council has been held since August last.

At Tuesday's meeting of the society a request was received from the council for copies of the society's rules, but the council decided to inquire when the meeting of the council was held authorising the request for the rules, as the delegate was not notified, if there was no meeting who authorised the request for the rules, and asking for that reason the council desired the copies.

NEW BIRDS FOR HATCHERIES

Importation of Pheasants from England

There is a possibility that the Hawke's Bay Acclimatisation Society will acquire a number of new birds for their hatcheries in the near future.

A member of the committee, Dr F. N. Harvey, in communication with a doctor friend in England, has received an offer to bring several birds out when the friend returns to New Zealand.

The society has decided to request the doctor to bring back 12 black neck pheasants—eight hens and four cocks—while information is also to be sought regarding the possibility of bringing out several French partridges.

Throughout the world are stocked and sold. At least a thousand cures for cold—A thousand treatments old and new Of which the best are far and few. Select "the best" by time's tense test. Noting results in throat and chest—Your choice at last, convinced and sure.

Is surely Woods' Great Peppermint Cure.

Death at Norsewood.—The death has occurred at Norsewood of Mr Anton Svensen.

He leaves three brothers, Mr J. E. Svensen, Clyde, Wairoa, Mr B. Svensen, Wanganui and Mr Otto Svensen, California.

The funeral will be at 2.30 p.m. to-morrow.

MOTOR TAXES FOR ROADS

PROPOSAL MADE IN CHRISTCHURCH

"UNITED MOVE"

Authorities to be Approached

By Telegraph—Press Association. CHRISTCHURCH, July 6.

As the first step in what is hoped will be a concerted effort to have motor taxation devoted wholly to highway purposes, the Canterbury Progress League called a conference this morning.

"I believe that if a united effort throughout New Zealand was undertaken it would succeed," said Mr F. Coop, the chairman. The move was not a political one, he said.

A report presented by the league stated that the grand total of all motor taxation in 1936-37, including Customs and spirit taxes, was £5,340,000, of which only £2,756,000 was used for highway purposes. All local bodies, members of Parliament and others interested are to be approached on this matter.

CITRUS GROWING FOR GISBORNE

DOMINION PROPOSAL NOT SUPPORTED

CONDITIONS GOOD

Compliment to Local Orchardist

"Daily Mail" Special Service. GISBORNE, July 6.

The opinion that the district is well suited for growing citrus fruits was expressed in Gisborne by Mr D. S. McLeod, producer representative for Hawke's Bay and Poverty Bay on the Fruit Export Control Board, who to-day concluded a short visit to the district.

"The climate and soil are well suited for lemons and oranges," said Mr McLeod, "and some of the orchards I have seen in a round of the district have been full of well-grown trees excellently developed and cared for."

The visitor paid a tribute to Mr P. Everett, orchard instructor at Gisborne, who for years has been working to interest growers in the possibilities of citrus culture. "Sound results should accrue from such enthusiasm and specialised knowledge," Mr McLeod said.

He thought that Poverty Bay could grow fruit equal to that of Hawke's Bay.

Billiards Play in Napier

CHAMPION'S DISPLAY

Attractive Breaks Made

McCONACHY'S SKILL

A very interesting exhibition of billiards was given by Mr Clark McConachy, the New Zealand professional billiards champion, in the billiards parlour of Mr P. Southernwood, Emerson Street, Napier, last evening before a large and appreciative audience.

Conceding 700 points in 1000 up to Mr D. Moore Wright, McConachy soon ran up a good score and gave an interesting all round display of skill in shots, positional play and touch. His best break for the evening were 102, 279, 170, and 201.

Though not being as large breaks as he is capable of making, they were attractively compiled and demonstrated to the present the superiority of the cueist.

Three exhibition games of snooker were also played, McConachy conceding 42 points in each game. In the first of these against Mr R. Mercer, he opened his score off the break-up with a 59 break.

The next two games were played against Mr D. Fox and Mr D. Bradley respectively, both of which he lost.

Mr McConachy then entertained the audience with a variety of trick shots and a lecture of screw shots, and the use of side on the cue ball when making a stroke.

In conclusion, Mr McConachy thanked Mr Southernwood for arranging the exhibition and the audience for their appreciative attention and hoped that at some future time he would again appear before them.

MANY SPEAKERS IN DEBATE

Address-in-Reply Occupies Parliament

Many Subjects

Personal and Party Issues to the Fore

By Telegraph—Press Association. PARLT. BLDGS., July 6.

New life was infused into the Address-in-Reply Debate in the House of Representatives to-day by the varied treatment of a number of familiar topics, and the first mention this session of broadcasting and other live subjects.

Government members participated with an advantage of two to one over the Opposition, but numerical superiority was countered by the vigorous criticism of many aspects of the Government's legislation, and the debate went on its way without an appreciable gain by either side.

The imminence of the election was reflected in a number of speeches and frequent reference was made to issues which would be placed before the people.

Socialism had more than passing mention, and on this subject the Minister of Justice (the Hon. H. G. R. Mason), in his first speech this session, made an interesting contribution to the debate.

There appeared to be no disinclination on either side to say something to add to the growing total of speeches, which at the adjournment of the House numbered 36.

When the House of Representatives met at 2.30 p.m. two days' leave of absence was granted Col. J. Hastings (Nat., Awarua) on account of illness.

The debate on the Address-in-Reply entered the third day. Mr. A. F. Moncur (Govt., Rototuna) protested at the Opposition's allegations against the railwaymen who he said, were the finest and most loyal body of civil servants in the Dominion.

"When the Labour Government came into office," said Mr. Moncur, "railway rolling stock was in a deplorable condition and at that time the railways were being administered by the Railways Board, one of the first actions of which was to close down the Mamaku Laminil."

"As soon as Labour came into office this mill was reopened, and despite necessary repairs consequent on the idleness of the plant's machinery, the mill has since shown a substantial profit," he said.

He also mentioned the fact that the Labour Government had restored salary cuts to railwaymen approximating £900,000, and despite increased costs consequent on the introduction of the 40-hour week, railway revenue was increasing rapidly. Mr. Moncur also asserted that under the guaranteed price system of the present Government the dairy farmer was now getting a definitely better off than he had ever been before.

SOCIAL SERVICES SCHEME

The Rt. Hon. G. W. Forbes (Nat., Hurunui) held that Mr. Moncur's imputation that the Railway Board had been in a position to do better than it did to deteriorate to an alarming extent was unfair. The people of New Zealand, he said, wished to know where the money was coming from for the Government's proposed superannuation and health scheme, which, it appeared, would be a very costly measure.

Mr. Forbes considered its adoption would add £10,000,000 per annum to already high taxation charges, and would end in confusion and disappointment. He contended that the country was being asked to accept the scheme on the word of super optimists whose hope was that it could be financed and supported by doubling the production of the country.

No account had been taken of the possibility of a fall in the value of the nation's production. No matter how enthusiastic its supporters might be, and no matter how great the need might be for superannuation and health, the plan could not succeed if it had no practical foundation.

FINANCIAL PROGRAMME

Speaking of the Government's financial programme, Mr. Mason said that there was a regulation of economic forces going on right through the Empire paralleling what was being done by the Labour Government of New Zealand to-day. During the present debate, said Mr. Mason, the House had been informed that company profits had gone up and industry was flourishing. Speaking of mortgage relief, the Minister said that the total number of applications filed were 34,474 and of these there remained to be considered 6285 applications in respect of farm properties and 5030 applications affecting other than farm properties.

THE ELECTION ISSUE

Mr. C. A. Wilkinson (Nat., Egmont) said the people of this country were somewhat alarmed at the staggering taxation that would be required to carry out the requirements of the Government's social security plans.

"The Government," he said, "desires to control and regulate the whole of industry—not only every

commercial undertaking, but every man and woman in the country. The issue at the election would be between the party which stood for Socialism and the one that stood for private enterprise and individual freedom."

They knew, said Mr. Wilkinson, what the Government intended to do with the banks of New Zealand if it was returned to office. The Labour Party had a plan to take over the whole of the banks of the country. That was the very grave danger that must be faced.

New Zealand to-day was prosperous in spite of the Labour Government, he continued. If there had not been a Labour Government it would be a good deal more prosperous than it was now.

Mr. A. S. Richards (Govt., Roskill) stated that the Government had no intention of inflating New Zealand's currency.

DEBT AND TAXATION

"Past Governments," said Mr. Richards, "have been responsible for increasing the country's debt in a period of 21 years by over £188,000,000, and it is payment of interest and compound interest on that debt which is responsible for heavy taxation."

"There has been a lot of talk about the increase in taxation," he continued, "but the increase in income tax represents only an extra 1/8 a week to the single man on £6 a week. There are 915,000 persons in New Zealand who pay no income tax at all."

"The average income in New Zealand of men, women and children is now £104," continued Mr. Richards, "an increase of 62 per cent. since Labour came into power."

Mr. F. W. Schramm (Lab., Auckland East) said that some members of the Opposition had complained of woolpicks manufactured from New Zealand wool, but he wished to point out that the Minister of Industries and Commerce (the Hon. D. G. Sullivan) had received favourable reports on the packs, not only from New Zealand, but also from Bradford and even from French sources.

Moreover, Mr. Schramm added, there was an important residual value in the packs which, after they had been used, were used for the manufacture of air mail paper.

Mr. Schramm said that when one read the pamphlet issued by the National Party giving instructions to candidates, it was no wonder that Mr. Savage had said that the campaign would be a dirty one. Mr. Schramm also referred to propaganda carried out from door to door by women paid £1 daily while men were at work.

These women canvassers, he said, carried out a whispering campaign against the Government. Mr. Schramm further stated that there was a personal campaign against Mr. Savage in the Bay of Plenty in which it was alleged that Mr. Savage was a Czech whose real name was Michael Joseph Savigivich.

Mr. S. G. Smith (Nat., New Plymouth) said the National Party was not naming about the campaign which Mr. Schramm alleged was being carried on against the Prime Minister.

POLITICAL BROADCASTS

Mr. Smith said he wished to complain of the prostitution of broadcasting for purely party political purposes. If there was one thing which had aroused the people to-day it was the use of broadcasting for the dissemination of party propaganda.

He cited a recent instance where the relay of a provincial representative football match between Taranaki and Auckland had been transferred from 1A to 12M so that the former station could broadcast the opening of a school at Orakei where three Ministers happened to be present.

Mr. Smith said that in deprecation of the present Government was the reason why New Zealand's stocks had fallen so substantially on the London market. He accused the Government of squandering money on the dissemination of party propaganda which was damaging to the country's credit to see this unnecessary expenditure.

THE DEBATE CONTINUES

The Address-in-Reply debate continued when the House of Representatives resumed at 7.30 p.m.

Mr. C. J. Hunter (Govt., Manawatu) said that the Opposition was endeavouring to frighten the people about the Government's proposed Social Security scheme; in fact, it was generally endeavouring to create a fear complex throughout the Dominion.

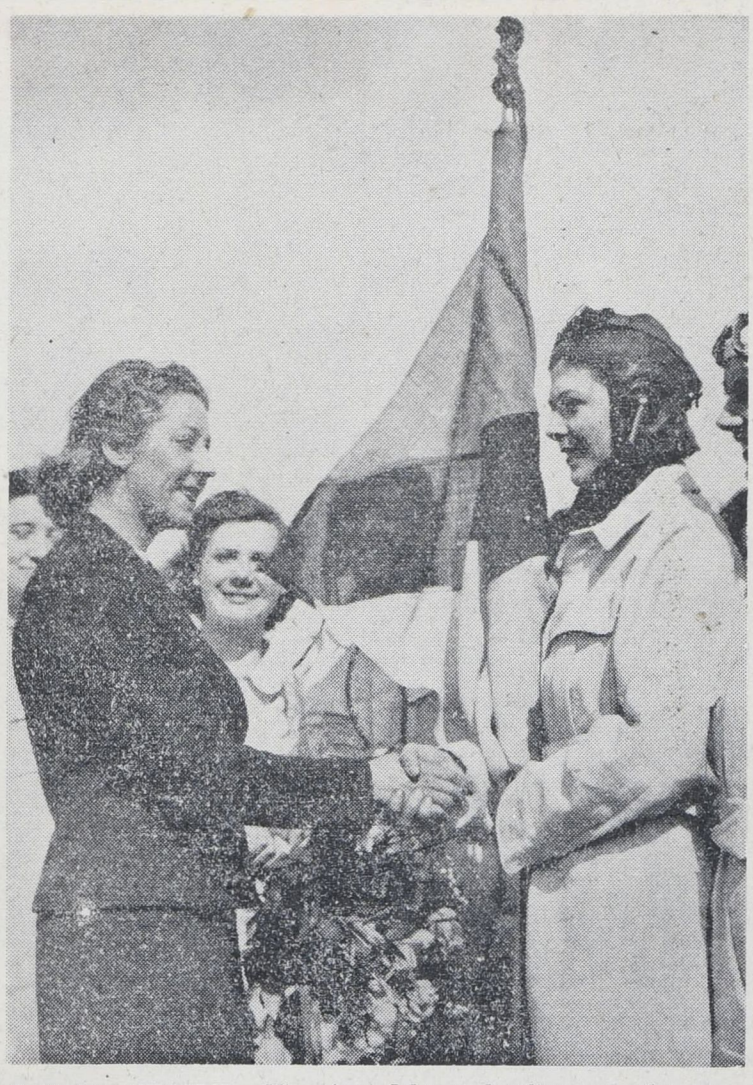
"Despite many statements to the contrary, the majority of dairy farmers are not opposed to a guaranteed price for butterfat," said Mr. Hunter.

"When the circumstances of those who opposed the guaranteed price are investigated it is evident that the objectors are not representing the dairy farmers at all, but are putting forward the claims of some other interests. Although, dairy farmers are beginning to realise that those who were urging them to throw away the substance for the shadow are not the dairy farmer's friends at all," Mr. Hunter continued.

It was being conducted by both women and men and unfortunately some of the prominent men of the National Party—if one could call them men, he said.

It had even been said by them on the occasion of the Minister of Public Works' trip to Australia recently that he had dumped with some of the State's funds and was not coming back. After the Opposition had used every effort to discredit the present Government, and had used up all the abuse at their command then they raised the cry of "socialism," said Mr. Coleman.

The debate was interrupted by the adjournment at 10.30.



FAMOUS AVIATRIX—Miss Amy Johnson handing over the new colours to the Women's Air Patrol at Romford Aerodrome, Kent.

SEA FISHERIES REVIEWED

OFFICIAL REPORT ISSUED AT GISBORNE

"Facilities Are Excellent"

"Daily Mail" Special Service. GISBORNE, July 6.

The findings of the Sea Fisheries Investigation Committee which sat at Gisborne last summer are now to hand and present a comprehensive survey of the fishing industry. Together with several recommendations, the report states that harbour facilities at Gisborne are excellent and that the Harbour Board had offered every assistance to the fishermen, including no charge on wharfage or dues.

Four trawlers operated from the port, and the total landings for the 1931-32 period—the period reviewed by the committee—was 4219 cwt. of fish. One steamer trawler had been laid up for some time due to high operating costs and the cost of coal. Lack of finance had seen the proposal to fit Diesel engines in this boat fall through.

The committee pointed out that there are no boats of the Danish seine type in this port and advised that the small tidal range made the grounds unsuitable for this type of fishing.

POPULAR BANK CLERK FAREWELLED

Mr D. Chalmers Leaves Waipawa

Mr D. Chalmers, who for the past three years has filled the position of clerk in the Waipawa branch of the Bank of New Zealand, has received notice of his transfer to Raetihi. At an impromptu gathering of members of the Waipawa Club, he was presented with a silver tiki by Chief Savage Dallas, who referred in appreciative terms to the good all-round service which Savage Chalmers had rendered to the community.

These remarks were supplemented by Past Chiefs Holt and Critchley who referred particularly to the excellent work done by the guest in organising and supervising the gymnastic Club. Suitable responses were made by Savage Chalmers.

CORNWALL PARK HOCKEY

Hastings v. Napier on Saturday

The selectors, Messrs R. Tucker and F. Boston, have chosen the following juniors to represent Napier versus Hastings at Cornwall Park, Hastings, at 2 p.m. next Saturday at hockey: Goal, C. Hallett (Kiwi Blue); backs, K. Timms (Kiwi Gold), A. Grant (captain, Taradale); halves, G. Heiford (Kiwi Blue), M. Oliver (Taradale), M. Jeffares (Taradale); forwards, G. Barlow (Scinde), C. Williams (Kiwi Blue), G. Kessell (Scinde), G. Evans (Taradale), J. Eddy (Kiwi Gold). Reserves: Back, W. Gray (Taradale); forward, L. Gillan (Kiwi Blue).

BOWLERS MEET AT AUCKLAND

Dominion Tourney BIG GATHERING ON JANUARY 9

Rinks and Pairs

By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, July 6.

Complimentary references to the manner in which the Dominion bowling championships tournament was conducted at Dunedin in January were made by members of the council of the New Zealand Bowling Association when the annual meeting opened to-day.

In the absence of last year's president, Mr. W. Connor (Dunedin), the chair was occupied by Mr. S. M. Stone (Wellington) until he handed over to Mr. F. A. Hosking (Auckland), president for this year. Mr. G. L. Gladding was appointed secretary at an honorarium of £220 a year. Mr. F. E. Mason was elected auditor.

It was decided that the annual levy be the same as last year. The date for the annual tournament, to be held at Auckland, was fixed for January 9. The order of play will be the same as last year. Singles are to be played on the two-life system, while in the pairs all the winners and those tying an section winners are to go forward to post-section play.

A PRIVILEGE FOR BOWLERS

Honour for Representatives of 1929

By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, July 6.

The representative bowling match between Australia and New Zealand in Wellington in January, 1929, are to have the privilege of wearing on their pocket "New Zealand Representative, 1929" according to a decision of the annual meeting of the New Zealand Bowling Association.

The council decided that permission be granted, subject to a sample of the proposed pocket being submitted to the council and officially distributed to players through the council.

REQUEST FOR RETURN OF GUN

Offending Sportsman Granted His Wish

During the shooting season action was taken by a ranger of the Hawke's Bay Acclimatisation Society against a shooter who took a bag which was over the limit. A request was received at Tuesday evening's meeting of the society from the shooter concerned for the return of his gun, which had been confiscated, and also the ducks.

A letter received from the Department of Internal Affairs asking the society for its recommendation in the matter was considered at the same time, and it was decided to recommend the return of the gun, and also the division of the ducks between the Pukekura Sanatorium and the Waipukurau Hospital.

A PROGRESSIVE SCHOOL

HASTINGS STREET, NAPIER

MONTHLY MEETING

Modern Heating to be Installed

The report of the headmaster (Mr. Sunmycliff) at the monthly meeting of Hastings Street school committee, Napier, showed that the roll stood at 252, while the attendance averaged 90 per cent., an average which was considered quite satisfactory in view of the prevalence of a mild epidemic of measles and chicken-pox amongst the infants.

The school is still showing great progress in games, and leads in the basketball and football competitions.

The chairman, Mr. W. F. Bridge, presided over the following members: Messdames Reid, Hearn, Bridge and Hicks, and Messrs Baker, Young, Cooke and Reid (secretary).

In connection with the proposed scheme of installing modern heating units in the classrooms, the offer by the Municipal Electricity Department to install, free of cost, to the committee and board, a complete system of tubular electrical heating units—one room for experimental purposes, has now been accepted, and the work of installing the units in Standard IV class-room is now completed.

A daily check of temperatures inside and outside the rooms at hourly intervals is being recorded on a special graph so that over a period of a month, a full record will be available.

The questions of getting the old desks replaced with new ones, and the installation of electric lights in the classrooms were also discussed fully in the matter, especially that of the lighting, was most urgent.

The acoustic conditions of the rooms are also very bad and the matter is to be put before the board as soon as possible.

Cottages for Pensioners

CHRISTCHURCH PLAN City Council Hopes for Loan

£25,000 WANTED

By Telegraph—Press Association. CHRISTCHURCH, July 6.

Permission to raise a loan of £25,000 with which to erect 50 cottages for old-age pensioners is to be sought by the Christchurch City Council.

This was decided at the last meeting of the council on the recommendation of the sub-committee of the housing committee which was established recently to investigate proposals for accommodating old-age pensioners and others in poor circumstances.

The site to be used for the first 19 cottages is a portion of the council's water works site at the yards in Sydenham, access being given by Johnston Street.

Negotiations are under way according to the sub-committee's report for the purchase of another site in Salisbury Street.

The council also approved that Mrs. M. B. Howard and E. H. Andrews be added to the sub-committee, and that the Christchurch branch of the National Council of Women be invited to appoint representatives to act as advisory members of the sub-committee.

It is proposed that the consent of the local Loans Board be obtained for the £25,000 loan. The large number of applications for cottages had been received.

BIRTHDAY PARTY AT WIMBLEDON

Mr W. Gollan the Guest of Honour

WIMBLEDON. A most enjoyable evening was spent by a big crowd of Wimbledonians on Monday at Mrs. W. Gollan's birthday occasion when Mr Gollan's birthday, the large dining-room looked gay with flowers and the tables were tastefully set out for "five hundred."

Mr Gollan was carried on till nearly midnight by the wishes of Mrs. Gollan, Mr Mick Morgans and Mr and Mrs H. Prebble.

A tasty supper was then served, and a beautifully iced cake was cut by Mr Gollan. What was left of the evening was spent in games.

The following were present: Mr and Mrs W. Gollan, Mrs Carnaby (Dannevirke), Mr and Mrs G. Gollan, Mr and Mrs A. Morgans, Mr and Mrs S. Morgans, Mr and Mrs Prebble, Mr and Mrs Siteman, Mrs Pope, Mrs Herbert, Mrs R. Hales, Misses P. Gollan, E. Longley, M. Taylor; Messrs M. Gollan, D. Gollan, Doug Gollan, P. Gollan, J. Bass, G. Martin, J. Herbert, J. Pope, R. Hales, L. Prebble, G. Morgans, W. Herbert, V. Hulena, T. Ireland, G. Drower and J. Bodley.

VISITORS TO NAPIER

Masonic Hotel—Mr and Mrs Baird (Wellington), Mr and Mrs Pike (Wellington), Mr J. Fagan (Wellington), Mr W. L. Birch (Wellington), Mr and Mrs Humphry Bayly (Waipara), Mrs F. McEae (Waipara), Mr and Mrs Arthur Grigg (Ashburton). Criterion Hotel—Mr E. Shrimpton, Mr H. Mason, Mr G. Henslow, Mr R. Thomson, Mrs V. J. Galle, Mr and Mrs G. McKenzie, Mr W. Bell, Mr W. H. Heath, Auckland; Mr E. T. Cavan, Christchurch; Mr W. E. Dutton, Mrs. Trilley, Petone; Miss Ross, Mr Hales, Porangahau.

PROBABLE DELAY IN PRESENTING BUDGET

Bills May Be Presented After Address-in-Reply Debate

Special Parliamentary Reporter. PARLT. BLDGS., July 6.

Considerable doubt still exists as to the exact date when the Budget will make its appearance in the House of Representatives this session. The wish of the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. M. J. Savage) was that the financial statement should be presented immediately on the conclusion of the Address-in-Reply debate, but the Minister of Finance (the Hon. W. Nash) stated in an interview to-day that it was hardly likely that the Budget would be ready for at least another week.

"All the preparatory work on the statement itself is well advanced," Mr Nash said, "but matters connected with the printing of the Estimates may cause some delay. However, it is reasonably certain that the Budget will be presented before the end of the month."

The Prime Minister this evening confirmed Mr Nash's remarks and stated that the troubles with the Government Printing Office was not always able to handle expeditiously all the work that was urgently required. In all probability the Budgetary Estimates would not be ready until after the end of next week, but he had been informed that there were still many members who wanted to take part in the Address-in-Reply debate.

"We will also have some legislation to place before the House during the next few days," Mr Savage continued. "The Bills which are ready or which are on the point of completion are mostly departmental measures which are not likely to prove unduly controversial. They will include some of the Bills which were introduced last session for the purpose of being circulated, among them being the Slaughter of Stock and Inspection of Meat Bill and the Health Amendment Bill."

"There will be several other minor Bills as well," Mr Savage added, "and I suppose that members will want to spend a few days discussing them when the Address-in-Reply debate is out of the way."

Annual Hockey Fixture

SATURDAY'S MATCH Wellington to Play Hawke's Bay

GAME AT HASTINGS

The interest of hockey enthusiasts will centre on the Hawke's Bay v. Wellington senior representative match on Saturday next, when these two provinces will meet at Cornwall Park, Hastings, at 3 p.m. in their annual fixture. The Wellington side includes three New Zealand players—R. Brown, M. Brown (forwards) and D. S. Wilson (back)—who toured Australia last year. The two last-mentioned men have been selected in this year's team to meet India in the first Test at Christchurch on Saturday, July 23.

Two All Blacks—R. Best (forward) and R. Vercoe (half)—are included in the Hawke's Bay eleven. The Hawke's Bay team has been chosen by Mr A. D. Mahoney (last year's New Zealand captain) and will take the field as follows:—

Goal: W. Parkhill (Hastings). Backs: G. Geddis (Hastings), D. McErlach (Napier). Halves: R. Vercoe (Napier), D. Lynch (Hastings), Boston (Napier). Forwards: V. McCutcheon (Napier), C. Kronk (Napier), R. Best (Napier), captain, T. Hemapo (Hastings), J. McNab (Hastings).

All players must assemble at Cornwall Park, Hastings, at 2 p.m., and anyone not available should notify the selector or his sub-association secretary immediately. A curtain-raiser, Hastings v. Napier juniors, will be played at 2 p.m., and the terms for the fixture will be announced to-morrow. The Wellington team will arrive by bus on Friday night and return on Sunday.

WAIROA GOLF DRAW

WAIROA. The following is the draw for the second qualifying round in the Wairoa men's golf championship:—

A. E. Smith, S. Fattison, T. H. Crawford; J. W. Benson, C. C. Heslop, G. Mowat; F. H. Jones, W. N. Irwin, H. Critchton; R. B. Grummitt, A. T. Harvey, H. M. B. de Lavour, R. C. Goldstone, D. H. Withers, W. H. Craig; D. V. Thomas, H. A. Piddock, R. D. Horne; R. M. Mowat, R. W. Pomare, R. E. Barton; E. C. Boyes, J. H. McCrea, J. H. Carter; Wynne-Jones, N. McQueen, C. Brown, R. Sainsbury, C. V. Chamberlain, H. Bayly, D. Glenary; G. F. Steedman, A. T. Y. Young, R. Bauld, jun., N. Hinckman, R. C. Ryan, A. D. Forstner; G. S. Joseph, J. H. Thomson, G. Long; D. McKay, N. Roderick; H. Heslop; R. E. Clark, W. A. Crarer, T. Morrison; Dr. Mitford, A. E. Perry, W. Watson; Dr. Harbutt, H. Muir, H. Cooke; E. B. Jardine, K. O'Connor, J. J. Andressen, P. Brown, Wilkinson.

NAPIER BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

Fixtures for Saturday's games under the auspices of the Napier Basketball Association at Nelson Park Napier, are as follows:—

No matches for Hukaree and St. Joseph's Clubs will be played on account of holidays.

First grade: Ex-High (1) v. High School (B), (held over); Robins v. Ex-High (2), court 1, 2.45 p.m. (Miss M. O'Keefe); C.O.G. (2) v. C.O.G. (1), court 2, 2 p.m. (Miss Fairley); St. Joseph's v. Athletic (1), (held over); Hukaree (1) v. High School (A), (held over).

Second grade: C.O.G. (3) v. High School (C), court 2, 2 p.m. (Miss J. McInnes); St. Mary's v. Athletic (2), court 3, 2 p.m. (Miss N. Wynnes); Swales v. Rovers (1), court 3, 2.45 p.m. (Miss P. Flan); St. Joseph's (2) v. Rovers (2), (held over); Hukaree (2) v. Harris, (held over). There will be no third grade matches.

Schools grade: Convent (B2) v. High School (D), court 4, 2 p.m. (Miss B. Quigley); Convent (A2) v. High School (H), court 4, 2.45 p.m. (Miss B. Quigley); High School (G) v. St. Joseph's (1), (held over); Hukaree (3) v. Hukaree (4), (held over); St. Joseph's (5) v. Convent (B1), (held over); Hukaree (6) v. High School (J), (held over).

Matches for the West School are: Senior A: H.S.O.G. v. High School at 2.45, Court 1 (Miss L. Anderson). Senior B: Westco v. C.O.G. B, at 2, Court 1 (Miss G. Wilson). Intermediate: High School B v. West End, at 2, Court 2 (Miss E. Wright); Havelock v. Universal, at 2.45, Court 2 (Miss O. Nelson); C.S.O.G. v. Convent, at 3.30, at Convent (Miss J. Gardiner); High School B v. C.O.G., at 3.30, Court 2 (Miss M. Cassin).

Convent Court: Junior—Convent C1 v. High School, at 2 (Mrs Spence); Convent C2 v. High School, at 2.45 (Mrs Clark); High School C1 a bye. Executive members on duty are: Miss J. Joll at Ebbett Park, Miss A. Emmerson at West School, and Mrs Spence at the Convent School.

Wairoa Rugby Team Chosen

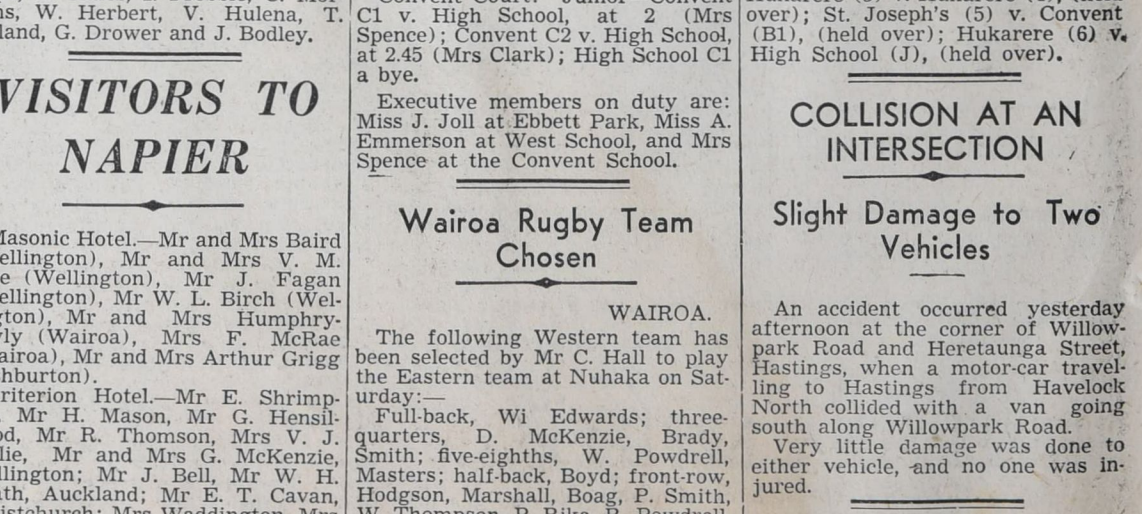
WAIROA. The following Western team has been selected by Mr C. Hall to play the Eastern team at Nuhaka on Saturday:—

Full-back, W. Edwards; three-quarters, D. McKenzie, Brady, Smith; five-eighths, W. Powdrell, Masters; half-back, Boyd; front-row, Hodgson, Marshall, Boag, P. Smith, W. Thompson, P. Rika, R. Powdrell, M. Rawhite; emergencies, J. Gourlay, Jardine and B. Murray.

Slight Damage to Two Vehicles

An accident occurred yesterday afternoon at the corner of Willowpark Road and Heretaunga Street, Hastings, when a motor-car travelling to Hastings from a Havelock North collided with a van going south along Willowpark Road.

Very little damage was done to either vehicle, and no one was injured. Woods' Great Peppermint Cure For Children's Hacking Cough.



DISQUALIFIED FOR TEN YEARS Sentence Against Horse Owner

WELLINGTON, July 6. At a meeting of the New Zealand Trotting Association at Wellington today, J. Riddell was disqualified for 10 years for fraudulent and corrupt practice.

HAWKE'S BAY HUNT Acceptances Close on Monday

Acceptances for the Hawke's Bay Hunt Club's annual meeting to be held on the Hastings racecourse on Saturday week, July 16, are due to close at 8 o'clock next Monday evening.

Second Day's Acceptances

TRENTHAM MEETING

To-day's Fields and Review

HORSES IN FORM

Following steady rain the indications are that the going will be heavy at Trentham to-day, possibly upsetting some of the earlier calculations of racing patrons.

Large fields are engaged in several events of the second day of the Wellington winter meeting, and the choice, in view of track conditions, will be fairly open.

Horses which may be well supported in their respective engagements are as follows:—

Highweight Handicap: Curie, Lustral, Settlement.

Trial Plate: Shining Hours, Royal Tinge, Sly Fox.

Corunna Hurdles: Black Man, Contract, Chaste.

Scatoun Handicap: Lady Leigh, Jazz Boy, Great Pal.

Matai Steeplechase: Red Sun, Monastic.

Parliamentary Handicap: Arctic King, Conveyor, Quadroon.

Members' Handicap: Matoru, Big Dook, Merial.

Petone Handicap: The Wrecker, Gold Glare, Royal Tinge.

HIGHWEIGHT HANDICAP. Of £300; one mile and three furlongs.

Curie 10 13 Lustral 9 3

Chat 10 9 Scrap 9 2

Kilberts 10 7 Wardell 9 0

Entheos 9 13 Kinkle 9 0

Settlement 9 13 Rara 9 0

Taumu 9 9 Royal 9 0

Skyful 9 6 Highness 9 0

Iddo 9 6

TRIAL PLATE. Six furlongs.

Allmette 8 13 Eletra 8 0

Gleucos 8 13 Keen Sight 8 0

Stargono 8 13 Miss 8 0

Fairy Dale 8 11 Wattarere 8 0

Great Quex 8 11 Morning

Table with columns: Royal Tinge, Shining Hours, Sly Fox, Tom Tom, Confort, Coronado, Flight 8 0, Phil Prediction 8 0, Royal Show 8 0, Titter 8 0, Ugly Duckling 8 0, Yours Truly 8 0.

Table with columns: CORUNNA HURDLE HANDICAP, Sunce 10 6 King Mestor 9 5, Middle 10 2 Sinking Fund 9 4, Southern 10 2 Chaste 9 4.

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Table with columns: MATAI STEEPLECHASE, Red Sun 11 5 Chilly Duckling 9 2, Monastic 10 4 Acron 9 0, Kahunoke 9 11.

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SOME LIKELY TRENTHAM PROSPECTS

Second Day of Meeting CONVEYOR AND PLAY ON MAY BE IN THE PICTURE

Recent Form And Impressions

"Daily Mail" Special Service.

PALMERSTON NORTH.

Engaged in the Highweight Handicap at Trentham to-day is the Sky Blue—Markful horse Skyful, who created such a good impression at Marton on Saturday when he fought out the finish of the 10 furlongs Crofton Hack Cup with Chat, being beaten by the narrowest of margins.

of Hunting Songs, Sporting Gift had the bad going well, and on Tuesday morning at Awapuni he looked greatly improved by his race at Marton on Saturday.

A Nice Colt. Prediction, who created a good impression when he finished first in the fourth place at Trentham in January behind Defaulter, has grown into a nice colt in the interval.

Won Impressively. Royal Tinge's win at Dannevirke did not pass without some notice by form followers and, while he did not beat a strong field, the Woodville three-year-old scored in no uncertain manner.

Distance Will Suit. Although he ran unsighted in the Whyte Handicap on Tuesday, Brazen King's magnificent finishing effort at the Manawatu winter meeting will not be overlooked by form followers when summing up the Parliamentary Handicap.

Great Stayer. Donegal ran quite a useful race in the Trentham Hurdles, and there is a promise that he will be found at his very best on Saturday.

Brilliant. There are no more brilliant hacks around the district than the Woodville filly Shining Hours, whose winning performance on Saturday at Marton was a masterpiece of impressive riding.

Will Improve. His race over six furlongs on Tuesday will sharpen up Catalogue in view of his engagement in the seven furlongs Members' Handicap to-day.

Little But Good. There is not much of Sporting Gift, but he is a very solid little customer, and, being a brilliant beginner, his early speed will be an asset in the Seatoun Handicap at Trentham to-day.

Heavy Loss in Fire CHRISTCHURCH BLAZE Damage to Timber Mill TOTAL OF £3000

By Telegraph—Press Association. CHRISTCHURCH, July 6. Damage to the extent of £3000 was done by fire this morning at the timber mill of C. S. McCully Ltd.

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HAWKE'S BAY HUNT ANNUAL MEETING

HASTINGS RACECOURSE, SATURDAY, JULY 16, 1938.

OFFICIALS.—Master: A. P. White. President: Hon. H. A. Russell, M.L.C. Vice-Presidents: H. S. Rathbone and T. Sherratt. Deputy-Masters: J. N. Lowry and T. Butler. Committee: G. D. Beaton, R. O. Bousfield, J. Chambers, H. M. Glasbrook, F. B. Donnelly, R. S. Douglas, F. Hansen, A. F. Harris, H. Hassall, I. Henderson, D. Holden, D. J. Holden, D. N. Lane, G. Forbes McCreedy, E. Nelson, R. Nelson, H. S. Rathbone, A. W. Parsons, W. A. Tod, J. W. Wedd, L. White, W. S. F. Johnston. Handicapper: H. Coyle. Starter: W. Price. Judge: W. P. Russell. Clerk of Course: J. Hindrup. Hon. Timekeeper: H. Jones. Clerk of Jockeys: H. S. Spiller. Clerk of Scales: H. M. Bishop. Surgeon: Dr. C. Roming Wright. Hon. Veterinary Surgeon: A. M. Brodie, M.R.C.V.S. Secretary: A. E. Wishart.

PROGRAMME: 1.—OTANE HACK AND HUNTERS' HURDLE HANDICAP, of £80; second horse £10, third horse £5 from the stake. Nomination £1, acceptance 15/-. About one and a half miles.

2.—OKAWA MAIDEN, of £50; second horse £7, third horse £3 from the stake. For two-year-olds and upwards that have never won a Flat Race at time of starting. Two-year-olds, 8st. 0lb.; three-year-olds, upwards 8st. 7lb. Nomination £1, acceptance 10/-. Five and a half furlongs.

3.—H.B. HUNT CUP STEEPLECHASE HANDICAP, of £130 and cup valued at 20gns. presented by T. H. Lowry, Esq.; second horse £20 from the stake and a Trophy valued at £5 5/-, presented by Mrs. J. N. Lowry; third horse £10 from the stake. Minimum weight, 8st. 7lb. For qualified hunters. Nomination £1, acceptance £1. About two and a half miles.

4.—RIVERSLEA HANDICAP (Hack Conditions), of £60; second horse £10, third horse £5 from the stake. Minimum weight, 8st. Nomination £1, acceptance 15/-. One and a quarter miles.

5.—SOUTHA HUNTERS' FLAT HANDICAP (for qualified hunters) of £60; second horse £10, third horse £5 from the stake. Minimum weight, 10st. 7lb. Gentlemen riders. Nomination £1, acceptance 10/-. One and a quarter miles.

6.—WAITANGI HANDICAP (hack conditions), of £60; second horse £10, third horse £5 from the stake. Minimum weight, 8st. Nomination £1, acceptance 15/-. Six furlongs.

7.—TRUKINO HANDICAP (open), of £60; second horse £10, third horse £5 from the stake. Minimum weight, 8st. Nomination £1, acceptance 15/-. Six and a half furlongs.

ACCEPTANCES—MONDAY, July 11, 1938, at 8 p.m.

The winner of any race may be re-handicapped. Rehandicaps to be declared not later than 72 hours after the race run.

Horses must appear in the Official Calendar as having qualified, or qualification certificate must be produced at scales.—Part VI, Rules 26 and 27, New Zealand Hunt Association Rules.

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DEATHS
SVENSEN—At his residence, Norse-
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Anton Svensen.
The funeral will leave on Fri-
day at 2.30 p.m. for the Norse-
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PUBLIC NOTICES
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until further notice.
The times for commencing sale will
be as follows: Beef cattle 10
a.m., store sheep 12 noon, fat sheep at
10 minutes after completion of fat
cattle or at 12 noon if fat cattle are
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