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RUSSIA PLANNING A THREE-POWER ALLIANCE

BRITAIN, FRANCE, AND SOVIET TO COMBINE FOR MUTUAL AID?

PROTECTION OF SMALLER NATIONS

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received May 4, 12.30 a.m.) LONDON, May 3. "The Times" says that Russia is planning a British-French-Soviet alliance covering, first, an attack against any one of them, and, secondly, an attack against any Eastern European nation from Finland to the Black Sea, leaving open at present the question of mutual action in the event of an attack upon one of the smaller western nations which Britain and France regard as being among their vital interests.

Britain looks for a Soviet declaration that the eastern European nations will possess a Security Pact when required on the understanding that Britain and France help would be given in the event of an attack upon any of them. It is also stated that the British Government will be in a position to discuss the British proposal with the French Government.

The Russian proposal is said to be in line with the Eastern European nations. It is stated that the British Government will not move to endorse a reply to Russia's proposal.

The Rome correspondent of "The Times" says that the negotiations between France, Britain and the Soviet Government are being conducted in a most confidential manner. It is stated that the British Government is not prepared to discuss the details of a general war, especially in France.

Germany would welcome a more initiative from an average alliance. President Roosevelt is held out, but there is reason to believe that the United States will not take any action in the event of a general war. It is stated that the British Government is not prepared to discuss the details of a general war, especially in France.

Mr BRUCE RECEIVED BY MR HILL ECONOMIC SIDE Australasia And U.S.A. Closed Together

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received May 4, 12.30 a.m.) WASHINGTON, May 3. Mr. Bruce, Minister of Finance, arrived in Washington (The Record) today. He is accompanied by Mr. C. G. D. Cameron, Minister of Finance, and Mr. J. H. M. Brown, Minister of Finance, and Mr. J. H. M. Brown, Minister of Finance.

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"EAGER TO GO"—A happy assemblage to the barbers' during the Block's May Day meeting takes while the voters waited for the results to be given.

Minister Speaks By The Light Of The Moon

Unique Experience For Mr Fraser At Opunake

A Busy Day High School Pupils At Darkest

NINE KILLED IN AIR CRASH

FRENCH MACHINES' PROPELLED ALLEGATIONS

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SCARE MEASURES BY BELGIUM

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CURBS TO PROPAGANDA

TEEN YEARS' CREDIT TO YUGOSLAVIA

WAR MATERIALS TO BE BOUGHT

TENSE ATMOSPHERE IN FEDERAL PARLIAMENT

The Present Minority Ministry Relying On Support Of Country Party?

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received May 4, 12.30 a.m.) CANBERRA, May 3. The Federal Parliament resumed today in a tense atmosphere after the Prime Minister, Mr. R. G. Menzies, with a Ministry composed entirely of members of the United Australia Party, who are not normally in a minority, but who are apparently relying on the support of members of the Country Party.

The Labour Party decided against a no-confidence motion, while at a Country Party constitutional meeting the question of Sir Earle Page's leadership was not discussed.

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POLAND'S "PUGNACITY" DISTURBS LONDON

"Exaggerated Claims Should Not Be Made"

PROPOSAL TO GERMANY

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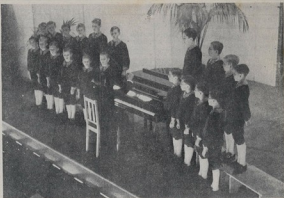
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 BARNSTON — HASTINGS — NEW ZEALAND



POISE AND GRACE—Mrs A. P. White, whose husband is master of the Bank's Bay Hotel, stepped out before the day.



LITTLE TITILLATION—Promising actresses backstage while the Yvonne girls were "brushed up" for their parts.



BELLIFEROUS HARBONY—All eyes on the conductor while the Yvonne girls make lovely music.



A PLEASANT INTRODUCTION—Miss Shirley Todd is here once presenting in the notice of the public those two good horses Chery and Lord Page, at the Bank's Bay meeting.



MEET THE "GIRLS"—Box of the Yvonne Musical Club at the Hastings Municipal Theatre on Tuesday during the spectacle performance.



THE PHOTOGRAPHER SPOTTED—An amusing "shot" of the Yvonne girls by Hastings on Tuesday.



TERRITORIALS IN TRAINING—The London Irish Rifles of their Easter training camp in Porthglen, Barry. The Whippet tanks are manœuvred with them.

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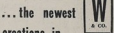
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A Doctor's Examination Of The Social Security Act

VIRILE REPLY TO MR NASH

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, May 3. A further reply to statements by the Minister of Health (the Hon. F. Fraser) regarding the Social Security Act, was made by the Hon. J. G. Taylor, Chairman of the Health Insurance Committee of the New Zealand House of Representatives.

The "Minister of Health," said Mr. Taylor, "refers to the action proposed by him to the Social Security representatives for appointment to a central medical committee to advise the Act. This committee will be set up in the initial stage, as its appointment would have committed the Government to a scheme of administration of a scheme which in progress is not in the best interests of the people or of the State."

N.Z. IMPORT CONTROL

LIVELY DISCUSSION IN COMMONS

MARKED EFFECT Mr Nash's Visit Should Clarify Position

United Press Association—Otago. The President of the Board of Trade (Mr. J. G. Taylor) has been in the House of Commons regarding New Zealand import control. He has been in the House of Commons regarding New Zealand import control. He has been in the House of Commons regarding New Zealand import control.



LONDON IRON RIFLES—In postwar years, these rifles make a good showing at the Bazaar on in Barry.

IMPORTS OF STEEL MAY HAVE TO BE RESTRICTED

Vital Works of Country Come First: Full Examination Of Any New Inquiries

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, May 3. The Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. M. J. Savage) stated today that up to the present position to import steel had been granted freely, but in future it was proposed to restrict the applications of iron tariffs in determining whether or not the licence should be granted.

BITTER PROTEST BY DE VALERA

CONSCRIPTION THREAT "INTOLERABLE"

NEW MEASURES Mr Chamberlain Confronts With Lord Craigavon

United Press Association—Otago. The Military Training Bill at the House of Commons, May 3, has provoked a bitter protest by the Irish Minister for External Affairs, Mr. E. De Valera.

PRODUCER GAS ON FARMS

SOLUTION OF POWER PROBLEMS? RESEARCH WORK

Experimental Trials In Australia

Only Mr. Spence, Director of the Department of Agriculture, has been in the House of Commons regarding New Zealand import control.

ASSISTANCE FOR LIFE SAVERS?

HOPES EXPRESSED BY MR PARRY

VALUE OF WORK

By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, May 3. The Hon. Mr. P. J. Parry has been in the House of Commons regarding New Zealand import control.

COMPREHENSIVE INSURANCE

CHANGED TONES

During the present year, Mr. B. D. Stewart has been in the House of Commons regarding New Zealand import control.

REPRESENTATIVE RUGBY FOR THE 1939 SEASON

Complete Calendar Of Fixtures Released By The New Zealand Union

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, May 3. The following representative fixtures for the 1939 Rugby season were approved by the annual meeting of the New Zealand Rugby Union on Tuesday last.

JUNE 5. North Island v. South Island at Christchurch. HAWKES BAY V. WAIKATO, at Napier. AUCKLAND V. WAIKATO, at Hamilton. CANTONMENT V. CANTONMENT, at Grey. Taranaki v. Manawatu, at Port Taranaki. Wairarapa v. Wairarapa, at Masterton. Marlborough v. Marlborough, at Blenheim.

ALL BLACKS FOR 1940

SELECTION DEFERRED MEANTIME

SOLE SELECTOR Mr McKenzie Is Chosen

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, May 3. The selection of the All Blacks for 1940 will be deferred until after the 1939 season. Mr. McKenzie is chosen as the sole selector.

Choice Of Rugby VISITING TEAMS

Control Best In Hands Of Home Union

A RECOMMENDATION

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, May 3. A recommendation has been made by the Rugby Union regarding visiting teams.

FOOTBALLERS AND DEFENCE

UNION RESOLUTION

Unanimous Decision To Help

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, May 3. The New Zealand Rugby Union has passed a resolution regarding footballers and defence.

UNION FAVOURS A 2-3-2 SCRUM

REMIT APPROVED International Rugby Conference

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, May 3. The New Zealand Rugby Union has approved a remit for an international rugby conference.

SMALLER UNIONS CATERED FOR

INTER-ISLAND MATCH TO BE PLAYED

RUGBY DECISION

Selector Will View Game

N.Z. Rugby Union President

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, May 3. Mr. McKenzie has been elected as the President of the New Zealand Rugby Union.

33 KILLED IN APRIL

DISASTROUS ROAD RECORD

SPEED BLAMED TOO Many "One-Man" Accidents

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, May 3. During the past year, 3300 road deaths were caused by motor vehicles in New Zealand.

Driver Of Car Shot

ACCIDENT EXPLAINED

Story By Passenger In Following Car

AUCKLAND ELECTION

Transport Board Voting WOMAN MEMBER

By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, May 3. The Auckland Transport Board has elected a woman member.

Control Of Auckland Tramways

Labour Conference

The Auckland Labour Conference has been held in Auckland.

The Clothes And An Army Of Uniforms, Hats, Boots And Blankets By The Thousand

N.Z. Problem

Factories Emerge Busy Because Of Import Control

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, May 3. Factories are busy because of import control.

Assistance For Life Savers?

Hopes Expressed By Mr Parry

Value Of Work

By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, May 3. Mr. Parry has expressed hopes for life savers.

Comprehensive Insurance

Changed Tones

During the present year, Mr. B. D. Stewart has been in the House of Commons regarding New Zealand import control.

Footballers And Defence

Union Resolution

Unanimous Decision To Help

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, May 3. The New Zealand Rugby Union has passed a resolution regarding footballers and defence.

Choice Of Rugby VISITING TEAMS

Control Best In Hands Of Home Union

A RECOMMENDATION

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, May 3. A recommendation has been made by the Rugby Union regarding visiting teams.

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UNION FAVOURS A 2-3-2 SCRUM

REMIT APPROVED International Rugby Conference

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, May 3. The New Zealand Rugby Union has approved a remit for an international rugby conference.

SMALLER UNIONS CATERED FOR

INTER-ISLAND MATCH TO BE PLAYED

RUGBY DECISION

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, May 3. Mr. McKenzie has been elected as the President of the New Zealand Rugby Union.

WIDE INTEREST TAKEN IN EGMONT RACES

Winter Season Commences HAWKES BAY TEAM HAS STIFF OPPOSITION

Erebus, Bryce Street, Arctic King And Fooloose

(By MOTUOLA.)

The Egmont Racing Club's winter meeting, which opens at Hawke's Bay today, will draw the best horses, their racing enthusiasts. Not only is the district well represented at this season, but it is expected that a meeting will take away some line on the winter months to follow.

Good fields are entered for all events, and the fact that horse from the South Island will meet representatives from every corner in the North Island will make racing here, and possibly the winners will need to rest out. However, the material is there for a great meeting and the future should be out of winter of 1935 or 1936.

The Egmont Steeplechase has drawn a very evenly balanced field of 11, and the race, which will be run on Friday yesterday, should prove the highlight of the day's racing. Most of the contestants are well seasoned by previous experience, and it is expected that a meeting will take away some line on the winter months to follow.

There are two particularly good fields in the open handicaps, the Hawes and Mr-Harrier Handicap, which the Hack Handicap is a race expected to give a lead to the back race that will be run on Saturday.

Wind-and-place betting will be in operation at the meetings, and the races will be in good order. The day's proceedings are scheduled to open at 11.45 a.m. with the following:

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The Marlborough Acceptances

GOOD FIELDS

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RIDING ENGAGEMENTS AT HAWERA

P. Atkins Will Resume

The Hawker horses, P. Atkins who was suspended for driving his horse in the Hawker Handicap, was today, having been cleared by the stewards, will resume his duties as a rider at Hawera.

Other riding engagements in the district include:

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VERY LIGHTS AND DIAMOND CUTTER

GALLOP FREELY

First Egmont Trials At Awapuni

Activity among the jockeys, now that the winter meetings are approaching, was a marked feature of the week at the Egmont Club. The jockeys were permitted for galloping on the open track, where they had a very good time.

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JOCKEY SUCCUMBS TO Accidents At Hawera. Nothing of striking incident had taken place, and the jockey was a very good one, and the jockey was a very good one.

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