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Turks Pleased At Anzac's Presence In Middle East

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WATCH KEPT ON NAZI-SOVIET MOVEMENTS

Mr Eden To Confer At Ankara With Cabinet

> United Press Association-Convright. (Received February 16, 11.45 p.m.) LONDON, Feb. 15.

The Associated Press of Great Britain declares that the Rt. Hon. Anthony Eden is visiting Ankara on his way home from Egypt for discussions with the Turkish Cabinet. The Turkish Press, predicting new Allied moves in the Middle East, pays considerable attention to the Red Army's continued fortifiing of the Causagus and even Odessa and other Black fortifying of the Caucasus and even Odessa and other Black Sea ports. It applauds the arrival of the Anzacs, as showing

that the Allies are ready for any eventuality.

Official circles in Berlin describe reports of German troops in eastern Galicia and the Caucasus as "obvious British lies." lies." Turkey has greatly annoyed the Nazis by engaging Polish technicians to replace the German specialists dismissed on February 2. Poles have been given employment in many Government departments.

BALKANS

THE FIRST STEPS IN

CO-OPERATION

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The Yugoslav Minister of Com

merce (Dr. Andres), in a statement

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Of Ireland

ONLY ONE

MEMBER OF CREW LOST

Ship Well-Known In

Napier

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She is the first South American meat ship to be lost since the out-break of the war.

NAZI GENERAL GOES

HOME

LONDON, Feb. 15.

BELGRADE, Feb. 15.

The Moscow radio, in a broadcast in German, attacked Italy and Turkey for attempting to disturb the peace in the Balkans.

"Italy's policy in the Balkans, far from aiming at genuine pacification, serves as the sole object of conthe Italian imperalists," said the commentator. "The plans of Italy will not bring peace to the Balkans but war and imperialist serviture.

"The Balkan Entente conference demonstrated that Turkey is a mere tool of British and French imperialism. Bulgaria must be praised for her truly pacific attitude. She shows no desire to associate herself with Britain or France and is unwilling to vield to Italian enticements.

"The Bulgarian attitude makes it easier for he Balkans to fight against the British and French plan for converting the south-east into a

for converting the south-east into a new centre of war."

Italy Concerned

The Rome correspondent of the Associated Press of Great Britain states that the Italians are becoming increasingly concerned over the Allied army in the Near East and the possible significance of the army in the Near East and the possible significance of the army including the Arges.

rival of the Anzacs.

The newspaper "La Tribuna" says: "The so-called defensive aims of General Weygand's army are not convincing. It is difficult to see how the lack of balance in the Mediter-property of the season of the sea

ranean thus caused can be reconciled with the agreements with Italy."

"La Tribuna" accuses Britain of desiring to complicate matters, and suggests that one project concerns the advisibility of seizing the Russian oil supplies.

A Buckgreet message says that

STRATEGY IN THE EAST

NATIONS TO GUARD BASES

DOMINION TROOPS

Ready To Go Into Action

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"I found in the course of a fortinght's tour that the British and Egyptian forces are entrenched or in training from the Suez Canal to a desert oasis," he added.

"I am reliably informed that Egyptian soldiers will be used only on Egyptian soil. The French-Senegalese, Indian and Dominion forces would go into action while the Egyptians and Palestinians would remain to guard the bases.

"I found that the British and Egyptians are building a network of new military roads throughout the desert."

been torpedoed 230 miles south of the Irish coast.

Seventy-two survivors were later landed at a West of England port.

They had been picked up from four lifeboats.

Captain Bevan stated that only one of the crew had been lost.

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ONE-DAY STOPPAGES AT MINES

NORTH ITALY

EARTHQUAKE AT **FLORENCE**

DENMARK SUFFERS

Transport Arrangements Disrupted

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Europe is still shivering.

Jutland produce merchants are employing an ice-breaker to send goods from one part of Denmark to another part via Norway. Motor-lorries laden with produce plunged through the ice and disappeared. The drivers jumped clear.

Bornholm Island is threatened with isolation; it can be approached only by aeroplane.
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The wind in Trieste and Venice prevented navigation in the lagoons and capsized fishing boats, drowning two men ng two men.

The Hungarian railways are virtually immobilised. Trains from Yugoslavia have been banned owing to fear of their snowing up.

Estonia's Severe Losses

EIGHT SHIPS SUNK

Unexpected Rescues Reported

LATEST SINKINGS

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The Tallinn radio announces that Estonia has lost more merchantmen sailors than any other Baltic State—eight ships and 44 sailors.

until the Hilda arrived.

A Bucharest message says that the Minister of Commerce (M. Constantinescu) has gone to Bulgaria to negotiate an economic treaty, which it hoped will improve general relations.

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Although official confirmation has not yet been received, reports from Rio de Janeiro leave little doubt that the German vessel Wolfsburg (6201 tons) has been scuttled off the north coast of Brazil. Including the Wolfsburg and the Wakama the number of ships scuttled by the Nazis to avoid capture is 25.

Twenty-one survivors of the British steamer Triumph, which was sunk by an explosion in the North Sea, have been landed at an east coast port. It is believed that the other 25 members of the crew landed elsewhere. Five of the crew are still missing. It is believed that an unpturned ship seen drifting in the North Sea was the Triumph.

The Danish steamer Chastine Maersk (5177 tons) was sunk by gunfire by a U-boat while bound to Denmark from Morocco.

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Actor Dies From Injury In Air Raid

SHELL PARTICLE ENTERED HIS EYE

Well-Known Comedian's Tragic End

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The death has occurred of Harry Tate, actor and variety artist, aged 69. He had also appeared on the films in his principal act, wearing a "handle-bar" moustache and with

SYDNEY, Feb. 15.

The coal-mining unions have launched a campaign aimed at sequence and sections of the coal industry. A one-day stoppage each week was inaugurated vesterday.

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I threw idle all mines in the foot and street in Dundee in November to see a raid, when a shell particle entered nis eye. A heart attack followed. His death is the more tragic because a few weeks after the accident he was due to appear at a left for Berlin.

SYDNEY, Feb. 15.

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The Supreme Council of National Defence concluded its 1940 session to day. A communique states that preparations for civil mobilisation have been completed and all military measures have been satisfacted that there would be no necessity for a forth ranks of top-liners.

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NAZI THREAT TO SINK BRITONS KEEN U.S. SHIPS

HASTINGS, N.Z., FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1940.

American Blames Britain For Position

HER CONTRABAND POLICY

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 15. The chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee (Senator Key Pittman) accuses Britain of "providing an excuse" for Germany's threats to torpedo American ships taken to British control ports.

"I know no provision in international law," he added, "which allows our vessels to be taken to port for contraband search. The whole procedure arouses German suspicion that our vessels are actually carrying cargoes to Britain.

"Britain's excuse for the action is far-fetched and seems to be ungenerous to the United States. It would be unfortunate for Britain if she lost the friendship and sympathies of the American people, which she now has, by a continuation of this arbitrary policy."

In an official Note to the American Powers, Germany refuses to acknowledge the establishment of the 300-mile security zone. She welcomes the desire of the Americans Yugoslavia have been banned owing to fear of their snowing up.

Fifteen thousand men are needed to clear the Budapest streets of snow, in which cart horses are buried up to the ears.

A Rumanian message says that 20 Jews out of 3000 who have been marooned on the Danube for a month have died from cold.

> No Split In The Ranks At Washington

United Press Association—Copyright. Received February 15, 9.45 p.m.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 15. Replying to Press suggestions that President Roosevelt and Mr. Cordell Hull are in disagreement egarding Mr. Sumner Welles's mis-ion to European capitals, Mr. Hull aid: "I think the President and I regard the policies and methods pertaining to foreign affairs as nearly uniformly as any persons who ever occupied our positions."

Russian Raids On Finland

TOWNS BOMBED

Soviet Claims Many Successes

FORTS OCCUPIED

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repulsed and that the invaders have suffered heavily.

A Moscow communique says:
"The Red Army has captured another 23 fortified positions, making a total of 79."

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Furious fighting continues along the Mannerheim Line, said an earlier cable. The situation at Summa is still serious, but the Finns are holding all vital points. On a 12-mile front the Russians have expended 300,000 shells a day for days on end. The Finns use short knives in hand-to-hand fighting.

Forty 'planes dropped 250 bombs on Porvoo, east of Helsingfors, on Iuesday, destroying 15 buildings and damaging scores of others.

DEFENCE MEASURES IN ITALY

Everything Satisfactorily Settled

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VIGOROUS

GOVERNMENT CONTROL OF HIDES

LETTER SENT

Dairy Council's Decision

By Telegraph-Press Association. WELLINGTON, Feb. 15. WELLINGTON, Feb. 15.

A strong protest against Government control of hides as recently announced was made to-day by the Dairy Industry Council, which represents all bodies connected with the dairy industry. The letter which the council forwarded to the Minister was as follows:—

"The Dairy Industry Council at a meeting to-day, gave full consideration to your decision that the Government should take over the mar-

ernment should take over the mar-keting of hides and endorsed in its entirety the emphatic protest made by the New Zealand Farmers' Union. The council is particularly perturbed at your decision in view of the assurance you gave soon af-ter the outbreak of war that the Government would not control com-modities which were not purchased the United Kingdom Govern-

"The council is concerned not only with the hides position but with the obnoxious principle brought into effect under which one section of the community—the farmers—is called

upon to subsidize local industries and consumers.

"The council feels that the military and New Zealand requirements of hides could have been simply and of indes could have been simply and satisfactorily met without Government control being imposed. If this principle of local consumers being subsidized at the expense of the farming community is to become part of the Government's policy, the widespread dissatisfaction within the farming industry will be intensified and production will be affected."

WRECKS SHOP AT BIRMINGHAM

MIDNIGHT OUTRAGE BLAMED ON I.R.A.

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LONDON, Feb. 15. A time bomb exploded in a shoe store at Birmingham at midnight, hurling glass one hundred yards. The police threw a cordon round the district, questioning pedestrians

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ENLISTED

Finland.

The Home Minister (Sir John Anderson) was asked in the House of Commons whether he was aware that an organisation was at work in London for the purpose of enabling volunteers to proceed to Finland, and whether the Foreign Enlistment Act, 1870, made it illegal for any British subject to take service in the forces of a foreign State engaged in warlike operations with a friendly State.

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The Under-Secretary of the Home Office, replied: "Britain has carefully considered this matter in the light of the resolution passed by the League of Nations on December 14, on the subject of the provision of assistance to Finland.

"It would, in Britain's view, be inconsistent with the spirit and terms of that resolution that British subjects who wish to volunteer for service in Finland should be hinder-

vice in Finland should be hindered by the provisions of the Foreign Enlistment Act, seeing that the Act contains power to grant dispensa-

"Accordingly a general licence has been granted to British subjects to enlist in the Finnish forces, and a dicence has been granted to the re-cruiting organisation which has been established in London."

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ABOARD CRUISER

Adverse Tide

DEATH FROM SANDBAR OFF THE NGARURORO

BOAT SWAMPED BY TWO BIG WAVES AT MOUTH OF RIVER

COMPANION REACHES BEACH IN STATE

OF EXHAUSTION

Left floundering in the water when their rowing boat swamped and sank at the mouth of the Ngaruroro River at one o'clock yesterday afternoon, two men gained foothold on a sandy bar before they were swept seaward on the outgoing tide. One was drowned. The other swam ashore 300 yards from the river mouth, and lay exhausted on the beach for two and a half hours before he was discovered.

The victim was ALLAN GORDON CUSHING, aged 25,

His companion was RAY GORDINE, aged 27, who swam

Cushing and Gordine had intended going outside the Ngaruroro to fish. Gordine rowed down the river from Clive and handed the oars to Cushing at the mouth for him to take the boat outside. A few minutes later two big waves struck the boat head-on and swamped it. It sank immediately.

"I did not speak to Jim while we were standing on the bar," said Ray Gordine, when interviewed at his home at Clive last night. "We both needed all our strength and breath to withstand the current. I took off my trousers while I was there, leaving only my singlet, as I knew I would have a hard swim to save my life. Jim was wearing trousers and a jersey, but I could not see if he removed either of them. I was washed off first and I did not see Jim again. I think he must have gone a few more results. The stank immetates at the master of the managed to Jim, and after going 200 yards I lay down again oeside a log. I must have been there about one and a-half hours when I was found by Mr Esmond Gardner, who was to have joined us earlier at the mouth to go fishing. Mr Gardner said that Gordine could hardly speak when he found him. He was obviously suffering from severe shock and exhaustion. He managed to tell Gardner what had happened and they walked back along the beach toward Clive. Traev found Gordine's trousers on

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back along the beach toward Clive.
They found Gordine's trousers on think he must have gone a few mo-ments after I did. the beach near the mouth, there was no sign of Cushing.

Adverse Tide

May Be Visiting The Neutrality Patrol

"Both the tide and the wind were against us. I had a terrible struggle trying to get to the beach. When I left the bar I was carried about 100 yards out to sea and then along the beach toward Napier. I tried to swim ashore, but it was not until I was 300 yards from the mouth I was 300 ya



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Dinner music. 6.55: Weather report. 7.0: News and reports. 7.30: Sports talk by Gordon Hutter. 80: Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Apprentic Sortics of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Apprentics of the Philadelphia Orchestra," Despression of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Apprentics of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Apprentics of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "Despression of the Philadelphia Orchestra," Despression of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Apprentics of the Philadelphia Orchestra," Despression of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Apprentics of the Philadelphia Orchestra," Despression of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Apprentics of the Philadelphia Orchestra," Despression of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Apprentics of the Philadelphia Orchestra," Despression of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Apprentics of the Philadelphia Orchestra," Despression of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Apprentics of the Philadelphia Orchestra," Despression of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Apprentics of the Philadelphia Orchestra," Despression of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Apprentics of the Philadelphia Orchestra," Despression of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Apprentics of the Philadelphia Orchestra," Despression of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Apprentics of the Philadelphia Orchestra," Despression of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Apprentics of the Philadelphia Orchestra," Despression of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Apprentics of the Philadelphia Orchestra," Despression of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Apprentics of the Philadelphia Orchestra," Despression of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Apprentics of the Philadelphia Orchestra," Despression of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Apprentics of the Philadelphia Orchestra," Despression of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Apprentics of the Philadelphia Orchestra," Despression of the Philadelphia Orchestra, "L'Appren delphia Orchestra, "L'Apprenti Sorcier" (The Sorcerer's Apprentice) (Dukas). 8.14: Francis McKnight (tenor). 8.26: Wilhelm Liempff (plano), "French Sulte No. 5 in G Major" (Bach). 8.34: Orchestra of the Conservatoire Concerts, "La Mer" (The Sea) Suite (Debussy). 9.20: Weather report and station notices. 9.25: Nocturne in E Flat (Chopin), "At the Fountain" (Dairdoff). 9.33: Conchita Supervia (mezzo-soprano). 9.45: London Philharmonic Orchestra, conducted by Antal Dorati. 10.0: Music, mirth and melody.

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and Aunt Nin. 6.0: Light music.
6.45: Weather report and forecast
for Hawke's Bay. "Lorna Doone."
7.0: Government news. 7.15: Afterdinner music. 8.0: Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra, "Leonora Overture No. 3" (Beethoven). 8.15: Ural
Cossacks' Choir, "Evening Bells."
"Legend of the Twelve Robbers."
8.23: Artur Schnabel (plano), and
members of the Pro Arte Quartet,
"Quintet in A Major, the Trout
Quintet" (1st movement) (Schubert). 8.42: Grace Moore (soprano),
"My Name is Mimi," "Fareweil,"
from "La Boheme" (Puccini). 8.50:
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Anna Neagle, foremost British star, makes her debut in her first American made film in Herbert Wilcox's production for RKO Radio.

Cast in the title role, Miss Neagle breathes life into the re-creation of the foreur Findlish nurse. the famous English nurse, whose martyrdom has made an indelible imprint on the pages of world his-

The story opens at a nursing home in Brussels, Belgium, which Edith Cavell managed prior to the World War. When the soldier son of a dear friend is captured by the Germans, escapes and takes refuge in Cavell's hospital, the mother pleads with the nurse to aid him flee to neutral Holland—which she does

From this human gesture an idea is born, fostered by the intrepid nurse and three close women friends. Before long hundreds of fugitive civilians and convalescent soldiers are being spirited across the Dutch border, much to the con the Dutch border, much to the con-sternation of counter-espionage op-eratives. But the day of reckoning is inevitable, and when it comes Edith Cavell and her faithful ac-complises are arrested, brought to trial before a Prussian miliary court. The barbaric decision of that august tribunal is history, as well as its terrific repercussions among all na-tions

Anna Neagle's brilliant portrayal s complemented by outstanding characterisations from the strong supporting cast. Especially note-worthy is the work of Edna May Oliver, as a Belgian Countess; May Robson, as a pastrycook whose son is befriended by the famous nurse; and Zasu Pitts.

A fine supporting programme includes Donald Duck in his latest colour cartoon, "Sea Scouts."

EVENING

7.45

FINE DRAMA, "CODE OF THE STREETS"

With Gene Autry Western, "In Old Monterey"

Telling the dramatic story of grim-faced boys who challenge society for a chance in life, "Code of

Streets," is now showing at the y Theatre, Hastings. In addition to the rough and ready band of juvenile stars, the Little Tough Guys, the swiftly paced story features Harry Carey, Frankie Thomas, James McCallion, Leon Ames, Juanita Quigley and

Dorothy Arnold. Dorothy Arnold.

The screenplay provides a graphic illustration of the effect that big city slum environment can have upon untrained youth. Harry Carey is seen as the police officer who arrests a boy then fights to save him from the electric chair. Frankie Thomas, playing a boy detective in the film, was last seen with the Little Tough Guys "Ir

Society." McCallion is a youthful and talented Broadway stage star making his bid for screen fame. Already familiar to theatre patrons, of course, are the Little Tough Guys; Harris Berger, David Gorcey, Hally Chester, Charles

Duncan and William Benedict. On the same programme will be seen "In Old Monterey," latest Gene Autry Western. The screen's most popular singing cowboy appears to advantage in this story, which cleverly blends music, adventure and romance. Smiley Burnette heads a sound supporting cast.

Current Attraction "In Old Oklahoma," gripping western adventure starring James Cagney, concludes its season to-day. Rosemary Lane and Humphrey Bogart head the supporting cast.

Regent

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with catchy tunes and clever lyrics. He next added Technicolour and amazing "magic" which will intrigue audiences of all ages. He sought reality by keeping make-ups in character but natural so that all stars could be recognised easily. Lastly, he awarded the direction to Victor Fleming, famed for "Captains Courageous" and "Test Pilot."

Featured in the picture in addition are Frank Morgan as the Wizard, Ray Bolger as the Scarecrow, Jack Haley as the Tin Woodman, Bert Lahr as the Cowardly Lion, Billie Burke as Glinda the Good Witch, Charley Grapewin as Uncle Henry, Pat Walshe as Nikko, and Clara Blandick as Aunt Em.

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Municipal

"TORCHY BLANE IN PANAMA"

Boris Karloff Stars In "Juggernaut"

Lola Lane and Paul Kelly are now at the Municipal Theatre, Hastings, as the stars of "Torchy Blane in Panama," the latest in the series of humorous and exciting pictures about the exploits of that dashing and daring girl reporter whose nickname is "Torchy."

The whole cast has been given a new deal, the only important holdover being big Tom Kennedy in his familiar role of the cop who serves as awkward and blundering stooge to Detective-Lieutenant Steve Mestage and Steve Mestage and Larry Williams, both handsome young fellows who make their screen debuts in this picture.

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Deriving both humour and melodrama from a bank holdup staged while a parade of a fictitious Lodge of Loyal Leopards is in progress, it Torchy Blane in Panama" takes its heroine and her detective sweetheart on a hair-raising chase of the bandit, which finally lands them in Panama, after Torchy has used an aeroplane, a parachute and a steam afactory and well on a par with all aeroplane, a parachute and a steam: lactory and well on a par with all ship to catch up with her quarry. late sales. There was a note of confidence. bandit, but not till after she has been rescued from one very tight spot by Steve.

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picked cast.
Just about a year ago, Richard Greene arrived from England as a Hollywood recruit. Since then he has appeared in a number of 20th Century-Fox pictures, but never in a leading role. To date the studio has received more than 250,000 fan letters requesting that he be starred—an amazing occurrence in filmdom

An outstanding array of short eatures will be shown in conjunc-ion with "Here I Am A Stranger." Gaumont British News presents the rst authentic scenes of the naval attle between the British cruisers and the German pocket battleship dmiral Graf Spee, the scuttling of the latter vessel, and the impressive neral of her commander, Captain

angsaorii.
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ew Zealand short; "Daily Diet of
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ther short subjects complete the

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THE DEAD END KIDS RETURN

"Call A Messenger" An Entertaining Story

Billy Halop and Huntz Hall, two of the popular Dead End Kids, are united with their traditional rivals, the "Little Tough Guys" in Universal's new dramatic comedy, "Call A Messenger," which opens to-morrow at the Regent Theatre, Napier. Described as entertainment which blends laughter, action and suspense the story deals with the adventures of a band of street kids who go to work as messenger boys and make good in spite of themselves. Featured in the supporting cast are Robert Armstrong Mary Carlisle Robert Armstrong, Mary Carlisle,
Anne Nagel, Victor Jory, Larry
Crabbe and the veteran Swedish
comic, El Brendel.

Armstrong is the kindly manager

Armstrong is the kindly manager of a telegraph company who offers the boys jobs so that one of their number, Halop, may escape going to reform school. But it is Miss Nagel, as the pretty girl clerk, whose presence and charm prompts the boys to make good. "Little Tough Guys" who don brass-buttoned uniforms who don brass-buttoned uniforms and wash their faces along with the Dead Enders include Hally Chester

and Harris Berger.
Contrasting with previous roles, the boys are shown working and fighting on the side of the law.
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are from the pens of the celebrated
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Ralph Rainger. The songs are "The
Funny Old Hills," "I Have Eyes,"
"You're a Sweet Little Headache,"
and "Joobalai." Besides Bing, the
singing is done by Shirley Ross and
Franciska Gaal, while Akim Tamiroff, Edward Everett Horton and
Ben Blue are on hand to see that he comedy runs continuously and moothly. "Pushtalnick," land of roses and

beautiful maidens, which unfortunately finds no place on any map, is the locale for the gay goings on, high comedy and splendid music in "Paris Honeymoon."

"Paris Honeymoon."

Latest mystery drama from the studio that has produced an outstanding share of Hollywood's super-shockers, Universal's "The House of Fear" is the associate feature. William Gargan, Irene Hervey and Alan Dinehart head the cast of the film. It is the newest chiller from the studio that made the Lon Chaney pictures, "Dracula," "The Invisible Man," the three "Frankenstein" thrillers and others. "The House of Fear" is a story of backstage murder and subsequent machinations of a dead actor's "ghost". Also screening is Chapter 9 of "The Lone Ranger Rides Again."

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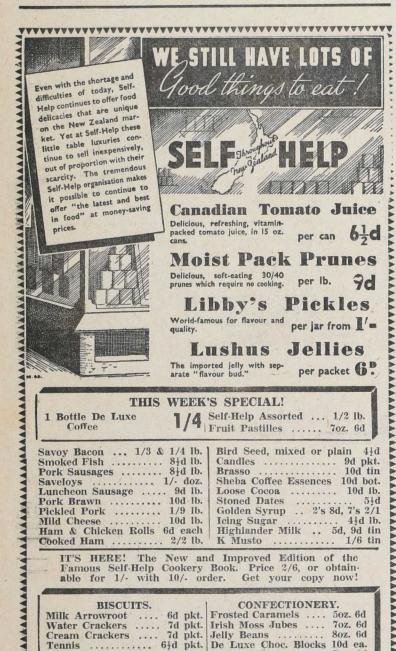
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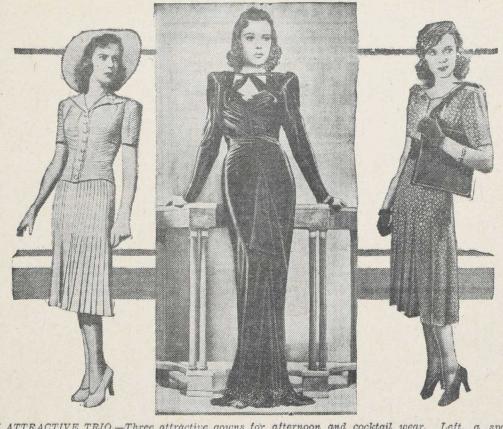
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The guest of honour, who was presented with a beautiful houquet (made by Miss A. Rood) on her ar-

(made by Miss A. Rood) on her arrival, wore a smart multi-coloured frock and a black hat.

Bowls of rose pink carnations decorated the tea table and after tea had been served the guest of honour was called upon to open her many parcels, which revealed many handsome and useful articles. Miss Speedy thanked the guests for their gifts and the hostesses for the de-

gifts and the hostesses for the de-lightful and happy party, and Mrs. Bousfield for lending her home for

Dinner Party

Five o'Clock TOWNSWOMEN'S GUILD IN NAPIER Gossip

Miss Vera Venables, Auckland, has returned to Hastings for an extended holiday.

Mr and Mrs W. N. Robinson, Wellington, are visiting Napier.

Mrs T. Howard and Mrs Wouster, Vaipukurau, are at present in

Miss L. M. Croft, matron of Napier Hospital, is visiting Wellington as Hawke's Bay delegate to the annual meeting of the New Zealand Registered Nurses' Association.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs J. A. Rosewarne (chairman), and seated with her on the stage was Miss S. J. Spencer, The Rey W. T. Drake was the

Mrs H. Hobson, of Hatuma, is at present visiting Napier. Miss M. Lineen is an Auckland

visitor to Napier.

Miss N. I. Mundell is a Wellington visitor to Napier.

Mrs F. Moorhouse has returned o Hastings from a visit to Rotorua.

Mrs Chuck, of Hawera, is the guest of Mrs J. Sandtmann, Napier.

Mrs C. G. Kemp and Mrs C. Rees-Kemp, Hastings, are visiting Wellington.

Mrs. C. Watkins, of Hastings, who is managing the Hawke's Bay Croquet Tournament, is the guest of Mrs H. J. Bailey, Emerson Street Manion Street, Napier. her talk.

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Members were asked for nominations for a new executive and committee for the ensuing year, the voting to take place next month at the annual meeting.

Miss Spencer gave a short address on the election of committee members and was listened to with great interest.

Afternoon tea concluded a pleas-

TARADALE MINISTER WELCOMED

Enjoyable Evening

SOCIAL FOLLOWS INDUCTION

The Rev. A. Ashwin

The Rev. A. Ashwin, newly appointed minister to the Taradale Presbyterian Church, was given a hearty welcome at a social on Tues day evening, after the customary in duction service had taken place. The Rev. Stuart Francis, Moderator, of Napier, presided over the gathering, which was largely at

gathering, which was largely attended.

During the evening addresses of welcome, to which Mr. Ashwin responded, were given by the chairman and the Revs. Waugh and Sanft, and Canon Hodge.

Opportunity was also taken by consults there organisations to

various church organisations to welcome the newly-inducted minister, his wife and family, to Tara-dale, representatives of the Ladies' Guild (Mrs. J. Williamson), Presbyterian Women's Missionary Union (Miss Thomas), Bible Classes (Mr. (Miss Thomas), Blobe classes (Mt. Inglis), Sunday School and Session (Mr. J. Williamson), all voicing their pleasure at the presence of the new resident minister and all joining in hopes for a happy stay

in the district.

The following enjoyable programme was presented: Mrs. Kelly, song; Mrs. Stewart and Messrs.

Stewart and Didcock, instrumental Stewart and Didcock, instrumental selections; Miss O. Carter, recitation. Enjoyable items were also given by Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Anderson, of Christchurch. Mrs. F. O. Anderson was accompaniste.

At the conclusion of the programme a dainty supper, provided by the ladies of the congregation, was served by members of the Ladies' Guild.

LITERARY CIRCLE **AFTERNOON**

Townswomen's Guild Meeting In Hastings

The Literary Circle of the Hastings Townswomen's Guild met in the Guild room yesterday afternoon. Mrs. J. K. Agnew presided over a small attendance. It was decided to hold the annual meeting of the circle next month.

Mrs. Agnew read excerpts from "The Townswoman," an English guild journal. A competition was won by Mrs. W. A. Bryant, who received a small prize. Two short plays were read, "Who's Cottage?" and "Poor Old Smut." Afternoon teabrought the meeting to a close,

Quiet Wedding In Hastings Monthly Meeting

SIMMONDS—WOON

Model Frock Of Navy Romaine Crepe

A quiet and pretty wedding took There was a large attendance of members and visitors at the Foresters' Hall, Napier, yesterday afternoon, when the Napier Townswomen's Guild held their first meeting for 1940.

There was a large attendance of place at St. Matthew's Church, Hastings, last week, when Doris May, noon, when the Napier Townswomen's Guild held their first meeting for 1940.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs J. A. Rosewarne (chairman), and seated with her on the stage was Miss S. J. Spencer, O.B.E., New Zealand president of Townswomen's Guilds, and Miss C. Fannin, secretary. The table was decorated with the Guild cloth and a bowl of gallardias.

The definition of Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Simmonds, of Hastings.

The Rev. W. T. Drake was the officiating clergyman.

The bride, who entered the church with her father, wore a navy blue American model frock of romaine green with satin stripe and a smart

decorated with the Guild cloth and a bowl of gallardias.

The meeting opened with the singing of the Guild ode. Mrs Rosewarne extended a welcome to the members and wished them all a very successful Guild year.

A letter was read from Miss Carter, matron of St. Mary's Home, thank'ng members for the splendid gifts and parcels collected on pound day. A letter was also read from Mr C. Hassall on matters pertaining to the Centennial celebrations.

An interesting talk on physical welfare and recreation was given by Miss McKenzie, who has a wide by Miss McKenzie, who has a wide knowledge on these matters. Miss McKenzie was accorded a hearty Fenwick Street.

vote of thanks at the conclusion of her talk.

Later the happy couple left for the south, the bride wearing a tan Members were asked for nominations for a new executive and committee for the ensuing year, the voting to take place next month at the sories.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Simmonds will make their home in Hastings.

THE SIMPLE ART OF BOILING RICE

To boil rice is a simple preparation that few cooks really achieve successfully, which is a pity, for it may often replace the humdrum boiled potato. It should be well cooked, but not over cooked. To keep it soft and yet in separate grains, wash it first in several waters to free it thoroughly of flour. Then plunge it in a quantity of fast-boiling, salted water, and keep it thus at top speed till the grains are tender. Shake it in a colander and let the cold water from the tap run through it, then return it to a dry pan (with a lump of butter to prevent it from sticking) and let it come to the boiling point. Lift it out of the pan with a fork to let the air flow through it and so avoid serving it in unaportising lumps. So cooked it is Miss Jean Speedy, a popular Walpukurau bride-to-be, was guest of honour at a jolly tea party held at the home of Mrs. R. O. Bousfield, in Porangahau Road. The hostesses were Mesdame 20.

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Conscription—Why Not? | we try to study deep subjects before we are well grounded in fundamentals.

Sir,—Neither Mr Savage nor other members of the Government seem to be able to give a reasonable answer to the above while others run around in circles giving their support to people who openthed the resistance of the first things required before studying any controversal subject is a knowledge of elementary logic; so as to be able to see just where a writer jumps the points and gets on the wrong track. Then one must have at least a fair live where of natural low and have at least a fair their support to people who open-ly deride the assistance the Empire willingly giving to the smaller

is willingly giving to the smaller nations who have been and still are being brutally dismembered.

I have spoken to many ardent supporters of the Labour Party, one and all of whom have openly stated "of course conscription should be brought in — it is the only fair way".

I have spoken to many ardent supporters of the Labour Party, and the same problems that are exercising the minds of men to-day were in evidence a thousand years ago.

We worship many idols nowadays. One of them is free speech.

way."

Now we are to have a National Now we are to nave a National Register—at least that is something, but coupled with the voluntary system it gets us very little further, and as all those who have already joined up are those who are really keen to go it still leaves us with those who will go if made to do so. But how without conscription?

those who will go if made to do so. But how without conscription?

If what I have heard of the Government's policy is correct then the following is an outline of same.

1. A national register.

2. All eligible young men are then circularised asking if they are willing to serve in the country's war effort if called upon.

3. To those who signify their willingness another letter is sent out asking them if they are willing to assist their brothers-in-arms overseas, by joining the next (or neces-

seas, by joining the next (or necessary) reinforcements.

sary) reinforcements.

So by a very neat twist the Government is enabled to avoid conscription and yet make their outwardly advertised voluntary system a success. This is only a way of making those hanging back do their fair share voluntarily. This leaves those who will not go unless leaves those who will not go unless compelled, but are willing to do so under conscription, so why not a little more sympathy for the willing horse? Give up fancy ideas and have straight out conscription.—I

EX-VOLUNTEER.

Fruit for the Troops

Sir,—What a fuss is being made about sending fruit to the men in camp. One would think that the soldiers should be under a compliment diers should be under a compliment to us, whereas it should be the other way about, for are not these men in going to fight for us, leaving all that is dear and near to them? Are they not leaving good jobs, comfortable homes and last but not least, the "girl he left behind him?" Are these soldiers not worthy of our best? To be sure they are. Then why all this fuss. Surely, Sir, therevery many men in Hawke's Bay and elsewhere who have not sons to go to camp, who could easily afford to send two or three cases of fruit weekly to the camps. In fact they could vie with one another as to who would send the greatest number and the railway department should certainly obtain an another so the sound is should certainly obtain an another so the sound is similar writers) of the Foreign send the greatest should certainly obtain an another sa the sound camp in their minds, conjured up by the stories told by P. C. Wren (and similar writers) of the Foreign number and the railway depart-ment should certainly obtain an ment should certainly obtain an order from the minister to have the fruit carried free—for does not the Railway Department carry farm manures and lime free?—I am, etc.,

RON COLEVAH.

Freedom of Speech

sing criticism of our war policy, he of an evening-voluntarily.

right and liberty."

Manual would be all that would be are fine words and noble necessary for many of us, although

reserve are line words and noble sentiments—sentiments that all lovers of democracy will welcome. But has Mr Barnard ever heard of the censorship that is being maintained on private letters leaving New Zealand? Has he noticed that what is deleted from these letters is hardly ever information used. ters is hardly ever information useful to the enemy, but is plain, ordinary comment and criticism of his Government's social and financial policy?

I should like to know by what contortions of sophistry Mr Barnard justifies the interference with this liberty of thought and speech. Perhaps he does not think that his forefathers or ours laboured and fought for the right to criticise his Party's policy. Or perhaps he thinks it only an amiable weakness to try to undermine our war morale, while it is a heinous crime, high while it is a heinous crime, high treason at least, to criticise the Labour Government.

I seem to remember too that in their "salad days" the Government played with the idea of intimidating and suppressing opposition in

nd suppressing opposition jour-

I am deeply anxious to know how Mr Barnard makes this unwarrant-able interference with the freedom of thought and speech square up with the noble sentiments he has enunciated. I am sure that if Mr Barnard will

be so good as to explain how it is that the practice of his party now in power differs so very largely from the lofty ideal he has put before us, you will allow him the utmost freedom of the lofty ideal he has put before us, you will allow him the utmost freedom of thought and speech .-K. E. CROMPTON, M.B.

Feb. 14, 1940.

ime, I am afraid.

The trouble is a great many of us try to go too fast. We try to do logarithms before we have mastered simple addition. In other words,

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'Change

Transaction List

Following is a list of transactions on the New Zealand Stock Exchanges:— WELLINGTON EXCHANGE

Sales Late Wednesday 2 11 9 Gordon and Gotch Sales Yesterday N.Z. Guarantee Corp. (2) Broken Hill Pty. (2) Consolidated Brick Consolidated Brick
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Woolworths Ltd. (3)
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Amalgamated Brick (Wellington) Deb.

National Bank of N.Z.
Broken Hill Pty.
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Wednesday)
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ASSAULT ON YOUNG

MAN

Trouble At Pa

FOREIGNER WITH A

KNIFE

"Daily Mail" Special Service.

Because he punched a young Maori and threatened him with a butcher's knife at Mill Pa, Frasertown, this week, 62-year-old Jan Pie-

terse appeared before Messrs V. E. Winter and M. J. Gemmell, J.P.'s in the Wairoa Police Court charged with assaulting Jack Johnson. He was sentenced to 14 days' imprison.

ment and on a further charge of drunkenness he was convicted and

discharged.

The defendant pleaded guilty to both counts.

turned to the home of Piripi Te Kaurau, at Mill Pa, where he had been living for the past eight months. The defendant was well under the influence of liquor and he was the past of the past eight with the control of the past eight with the control of the past eight months.

quarrelled with the other occu-pants of the house. He went for young Te Kauru for leaving dirty dishes on the table and when Te Kauru went to his bedroom John

son followed him and punched him When the other Maoris attempted to

stop him he became very annoyed. Going into the kitchen he picked up a butcher's knife and the police

vere called.

Sergeant Moore said he did not

think the defendant intended to use it on anyone, but at the same time

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Gisborne

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"Daily Mail" Special Service. WAIROA.

The following players have been elected to represent Wairoa in a epresentative cricket match with a

ions, the Wellington and the Wellington-West Coast Battalions, which

are usually considered very efficient bodies, went into annual camp on

Saturday last with respective tengths, less the bands, of about 270 and 250.

strength of his battalion is down from approximately 680 to 520 (some 160 below strength). That battalion is to go into annual camp

at Waiouru from March 2 to March

He states that notices of the

camp have been sent out and hand-ed to employers, but, so far, it ap-

pears that only about 50 per cent. of the already depleted strength will be given leave unless some special

one week's leave for camp from the employers; and Secondly, by making an appeal for recruits to join up in order to bring the force up to strength. Any men over the age of 18 can be accepted and, if enrolled by February 26, can be equipped and go into camp.

Anything that anyone can do to assist the Territorial Force in these ways will be in the best interests of the country.—I am, etc.,

H. HOLDERNESS, President, Hastings Territorial

Association.

WAIROA.

2 13 9

were in evidence a thousand years ago.

We worship many idols nowadays. One of them is free speech. It free speech, why not free action? Then we have the open mind, which too often means an empty mind. Broadmindedness, in many cases, simply means loosemindedness, or lazymindedness. CHRISTCHURCH EXCHANGE Com. Bank of Australia ... Bank of N.Z. Goldsbrough Mort Colonial Sugar Dunlop Rubber Kanieri

knowledge of natural law and hu-man nature; and, of course, history

simply means loosemindedness, or lazymindedness.

There are many fundamental truths which must be held whether we like them or no; and all the wriggling and sophistry in the world can't alter them.

Communism, as a universal method of government, is fundamentally wrong. It is against the natural law and against human nature. It has been tried many times in history, and has failed every time. The only way Communism can succeed Electrolytic Zinc (pref.) ... Mt. Lyell only way Communism can succeed is in small communities inspired by a very sincere and intense religious or supernatural motive; like that which holds together the members

which holds together the members of a religious order whether it be Brahmin or Christian.

The perfect example of Socialistic Communism is to be found in a hive of bees. Their law is absolutely ruthless and inflexible. The queen can do nothing but lay eggs, and is virtually a prisoner all her life; the workers work incessantly from the time they are able till they die. They actually work themselves to death.

time they are able till they die. They actually work themselves to death. The drones have a very short and disappointing life. I wonder how many of us would care to live under that perfect rule of Communism. The Russian Communists have done some good things; the Nazis have done many more; but the good they have done does not balance, by a long way, the evil they have done. Both have proved that the only way Both have proved that the only way Socialism can be implanted on a na tion is to eliminate all opposition; and both have found out that it is impossible to do this.—I am, etc., NICHT WAHR? When the defendant arrived in the town during Monday afternoon he visited a hotel, Sergeant L. T. Moore told the court. He later re-

similar writers) of the Foreign Legion. In several cases I have dis-abused their minds of this erron-eous impression. I am convinced that a recruiting officer, holding an

open-air meeting, could do untold good.

Here is another suggestion, for what it may be worth: There are a number of us old soldiers who are qualified to import the discount of the suggestion. it was a wrong thing to do.

The defendant said he was very sorry for what had happened, for he had no intention of causing any MEN'S ATHLETIC INTERLOCK
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Freedom of Speech

Sir,—I have just read a reply to drill to the uninitiated, and who are qualified to impart the rudiments of drill to the uninitiated, and who are qualified to impart the rudiments of drill to the uninitiated, and who are qualified to impart the rudiments of drill to the uninitiated, and who are qualified to impart the rudiments of drill to the uninitiated, and who are qualified to impart the rudiments of drill to the uninitiated, and who are qualified to impart the rudiments of drill to the uninitiated, and who are qualified to impart the rudiments of drill to the uninitiated, and who are qualified to impart the rudiments of drill to the uninitiated, and who are qualified to impart the rudiments of drill to the uninitiated, and who are qualified to impart the rudiments of drill to the uninitiated, and who are qualified to impart the rudiments of drill to the uninitiated, and who are qualified to impart the rudiments of drill to the uninitiated, and who are qualified to impart the rudiments of drill to the uninitiated, and who are qualified to impart the rudiments of drill to the uninitiated, and who are qualified to impart the rudiments of drill to the uninitiated, and who are qualified to impart the rudiments of the drill to the uninitiated, and who are qualified to impart the rudiments of drill to the uninitiated, and who are also willing to do so. Why not set these men take a short refresher these men

goes on to say this:

"Democracy as I understand it carries with it the right to think and speak freely. Our forefathers laboured and fought for just this right and liberty."

As it happens, I had considerable experience on the "Square" during the last war, and was an instructor in an n.c.o.'s school in Egypt. The perusal of an Infantry Train in Manual would be all that would be These are fine words and noble pressary for many of us although

ployed as I have suggested it might appeal to "Civil Reserve," who reently insinuated that we were ur and young men to join so that we could take their jobs. These "anti-conscriptionists" do not seem to realise that conscription has been in force, in one form or another, in New Zealand for untold years When a New Zealander is born his the week-end:—
E. Beer, M. Unwin (Nomads), M. Croker, H. V. Cooke, L. M. Martin, T. Rowe, D. McKenzie (Rovers), W. Harrison, E. Holiday (Retailers), C. Heslop, W. Irwin (Swifts), W. Moorhouse (Nomads, twelfth man). father is compelled to register his birth! A few years later the young New Zealander is compelled to go to school. Still later on, he is compelled to enrol on the electoral roll. The Government he helped to elect in 1935 and 1938 introduced compulsory unionism

To all these forms of conscription, one hears no objection raised; yet, when it comes to providing protection for their wives, sisters, mothtection for their wives, sisters, mothers and fathers, and safeguarding their own liberty and that of those to come after them, they raise a cry to heaven—or elsewhere—and bleat about dictatorship.

I feel convinced that if the young men of to-day had the necessity for a large number of men properly explained to them the guestion of

I am informed by Lieut. Colonel Irving, E.D., commanding the 1st Battalion H.B. Regiment, that the explained to them, the question of conscription might be postponed in-definitely. Conversation with more than one doubtful recruit has prov-ed to me that that explanation is very necessary. I would like to ask
why recruiting meetings have not
been held in Hastings, Havelock
North, Taradale, etc.
In conclusion, I might add that

the suggestion at the beginning of my letter could be carried out while men still follow their customary ocappeal is made.

He has appealed to the Hastings
Territorial Association, of which
General Russell is the patron and I
am the president, to assist him in cupations.—I am, etc., two ways:—
Firstly, in securing the necessary one week's leave for camp from the

Home Defence

Sir,—The Hastings Territorial Association most sincerely thanks you for the assistance you have already so ably given to this cause. May I, as president of that body, point out through your columns the following facts?

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goes into the annual camp, he can be considered an untrained man (a useless soldier). You may have noticed that two of the North Island infantry battal-

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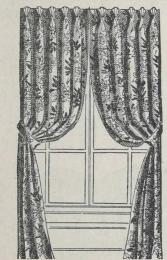
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TIDES H.W. H.W. L.W. L.W. a.m. p.m. a.m. p.m. Feb. 16, Frl. 11.28 11.50 5.08 5.33 Feb. 17, Sat. 0.11 0.30 5.52 6.15 Feb. 18, Sun. 0.32 0.53 6.37 7.00 Feb. 19, Mon. 0.17 1.38 7.27 7.47

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Kiritona, at moorings. Koau, at moorings. Koutunui, on slip at Westshore. Tu Atu, at Juli Wharf. EXPECTED ARRIVALS

Kopara, ex Auckland, this morning. Awahou, ex Auckland, February 19.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES Breakwater Kopara, for Auckland, to-night. Awahou, for Waikokopu and Wellington, February 19.

COASTAL SHIPPING AT NAPIER Awahou, o.e.v., 410 tons (Richardson and Co. Ltd.), G. A. Nairn, master, loaded general cargo at Auckland yesterday for Napier and Walkokopu. Due here on Monday, February 19, and leaves the same night for Walkokopu, thence Wel-

Kiritona, o.e.v., 136 tons (Richardson Mid Co.), at moorings.

Koau, m.v., 144 tons (Richardson and co.), at moorings.

Koutunui, m.v., 173 tons (Richardson and Co.), on slip at Westshore for re-

pairs.

Kopara, m.v., 850 tons, F. S. Bates, master (Richardson and Co.), loaded cement at Portland on Monday and general cargo at Auckland on Tuesday for East Coast bays, Gisborne and Napier. Due here this morning, and leaves tonight for Portland and Auckland. Loads at Portland on Monday, February 19, and at Auckland the following day. Due here again on Monday, February 26.

Pakura, 719 tons, C. W. Caldicutt, naster (Richardson and Co.), at present sheep freighting on the East Coast of the

sheep freighting on the East Coast of the North Island.

Pukeko, m.v., 730 tons, S. M. Petley, master (Richardson and Co.), left the Glasgow wharf at 2 p.m. yesterday for Lyttelton, thence Wellington. Loads at Lyttelton to-day and at Wellington on Monday for Napler, Walkokopu, Gisborne and East Coast bays.

Totara, s.s., 421 tons, Captain Pearson (Union S.S. Co.), left the Glasgow wharf on Wednesday afternoon for Greymouth.

Tu Atu, o.e.v., 42 tons (Richardson and to.), at Jull wharf.
Walnul, s.s., 1633 tons, T. W. White, master (Union S.S. Co.), left the No. 3 wharf at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon or Wellington, thence Dunedin.

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Districts, 8.5 a.m. and (letters only)
4 p.m. Saturday only, 1.15 p.m. (letters

only).
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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1940.

CENSORSHIP

There is something altogether puzzling in the official attitude of the New Zealand "powers that be" to the question of what may or may not be done or said in time of war by individuals in a casual way, by speakers on platforms or soapboxes, by people who write letters to their friends overseas in the forces or elsewhere, or by the newspapers. After careful study of the multifarious documentary evidences which are piling up more and more every day, one is driven to the conclusion that almost anything "goes" except criticism of the present Government.

So far as the casual talk of individuals on the street or elsewhere is concerned, it is but right that they should be warned against the pernicious habit of spreading rumours in a thoughtless or in a malicious manner—rumours which may do grievous hurt to other individuals or serious damage to the cause in which we are all engaged. Everyone who reads these lines knows of the constant emergence of stupid and unfounded stories, mostly of a disquieting nature, which come from "someone who knew someone who said it to someone else." Decent citizens know their duty in such a case. The soldiers had a picturesque title for such rumours. There need be little trouble about them.

As to speakers of various kinds, it is not too easily understandable that some are apprehended while others go free. A rigid censorship of public utterances on the part of persons who have no credentials to show is part of a reasonable system of government. There will be no trouble about that,

if the Government will do its duty. It is a more serious matter, however, when the private views of people who write to their friends are excised from their letters when these views contain nothing that is treasonable or in opposition to what is regarded as the best interests of the country. The censor has the indubitable right to open and examine correspondence for overseas. His powers at the moment, however, are being utilised to a degree that oversteps the bounds of the freedom of the individual. We have had such a spate of regulations up till now that another schedule or two telling people who write letters what they may or may not say, will do no harm. Return letters from overseas are full of more or less amused and amusing references to the niggling restrictions of the New Zealand censor. (It is a wonder, indeed, that these criticisms are allowed to pass.) If, in a letter to a friend, we choose to say that the Minister of So-and-so is not fit for his "job," that should be no business of the censor's. If we say that the Labour Government is no good, or that a Reform Government or a National Government or a (mooted) Liberal Government would be worse, that should be no business of the censor's. But if we describe fortified places in detail, locations and number of troops, movements and destinations of ships, and so on, then the censor has every right to come down hard upon us as culprits. In any case, it is time that his powers should be clearly defined, to save the petty annoyances of interference with legitimate expressions of opinion that have nothing to do with war.

Finally, in the case of newspapers, it is all too easily recognisable that except in the case of certain publications sponsored by the Government, any kind of "bias" (as it is called) is taboo. More than one threat has been made already as to the possibility of suppression. The whole thing is a ridiculous tangle of cross-purposes in which one looks in vain for a clear pronouncement of policy. Many of our Government officials let "I would" wait upon "I must" and end, like Hamlet, in an agony of indecision and ineptitude.

If these words above had been sent in a private message overseas, it is an interesting conjecture as to how many of them would have escaped the blue pencil.

Personal

Mr L. Johnston, who underwent an operation in the Wairoa Public Hospital this week is reported to be making a satisfactory recovery.

Napier Bowling Club

The following teams selected to represent the Bowling Club on the Port

The Rev. C. H. Olds, Hastings, is leave by train for Dunedin to-

Mr Allan Tong, manager of Hawke's Bay Amusements, Ltd., Civic-Minded Citizen who has been attending the New Zealand Motion Picture Exhibitors' Association annual conference in

Mr W. Miller left Hastings yesterday by car for Nelson, where he will take up a position as Government Fruit Inspector.

Red Cross Appeal

Collectors authorise Cross Society, will to the public of Napier

Mr F. Newrick, and Mr J. Lewis have returned to Hastings by car after spending a few days in Taupo.

Mr R. L. Gray, Gisborne, is visting Napier for the Hawke's Bay croquet championships, and is the guest of Mrs G. B. Poppelwell, Sim-

Dr. J. F. Filmer, acting-Director of the Animal Research Division, Wel-lington, who arrived in Hastings on Wednesday afternoon on departmen-tal business will leave to-day.

Mr Bruce Levy, Director of the Grasslands Division, Plant Research Bureau, Palmerston North, is a visior to Hastings. The Rev. M. K. Gilmour, former

ly of Auckland and now of Sydney, accompanied by Mrs Gilmour, has arrived at Auckland on a holiday visit to the Dominion. Mr Gilmour, who is a Methodist minister, was for many years in Papua.

The Ven. Archdeacon W. Bullock rapa, by the Bishop of Wellington, the Rt. Rev. H. St. Barbe Holland, in the Cathedral Church of St. Paul

Mr. A. G. Langley, Mr. David Hayes, Mr. W. L. Newnham, Mr. C. M. Darling, Mr. R. C. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Baker (Wellington), Mr. Claud R. Sainsbury (Wairoa), Mr. T. Alston Coleman, Mr. J. S. Wauchop (Gisborne), Mr. and Mrs. H. Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Hodson, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Smithers, Miss P. Smithers, Mr. Smithers, Miss P. Smithers, Mr. A. Lukes, Mr. Batten, Mr. and Mrs. Kegson (Auckland), Mr. Cutbertson (Takapau), Mr. Quigley (Dannevirke), Mr. Levick (Wellington) are at the Hotel Central, Napier. at the Hotel Central, Napier.

Mr and Mrs Mortlock, Mrs J. Mortlock, Mr and Mrs A. W. Web-ster, Mr and Mrs P. S. Thomsen, Mr J. D. Dimond, Mr G. Faber, Mr And Mrs D. H. Crease and family (Auckland), Mr R. L. Page, Mr J. D. C. Meredith, Mr A. M. McKinnon, Mr R. A. Conerford, Mr J. M. Wilkie, Mr A. Jones (Wellington), are t the Criterion Hotel, Napier.

Mr E. C. Beale, Mrs J. D. Williamson, Mr Fred Bowden, Mr F. Leonhard, Miss G. Rattray (Auckland), Mr and Mrs Le Cren, Mr Albort Smith, Mr Max Kunzli, Mr G. W. Nash presided, there bert Smith, Mr Max Kunzli, Mr G. W. Nash presided, there liamson, Mr Fred Bowden, Mr F.
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Anderson (Christchurch), Mr E. P.
Norman, Mr L. A. Clark, Mr H.
Fletcher, Mr C. L. Hughes, Mr C.
H. Carlton, Mr A. M. Taitakorer,
Mr H. A. Champion, Mr K. O.
Whitehouse, Mr F. Seaife, Mr E. R.
Foster, Mr G. Jorion, Mr R. C. Parkins, Mr R. G. Varlow, Mr H. Plat,
Mr W. W. Percival, Mr H. E. Taylor (Wellington), Mrs E. Shrimpton (Hastings), Mrs Armstrong, Miss Armstrong (Sydney), Mrs Harry
Hobson (Hatuma), Mrs H. BowesClarkson (N.S.W.), Miss E. M. Halliday, Miss D. McIntosh (Dunedin),
Miss Esme Scott (London), Mr A.
C. Armstrong (Palmerston North),
Mr and Mrs R. B. Hart and
family (Hamilton), are at the Masonic Hotel, Napier). onic Hotel, Napier).

To-Day's Diary

Napier.

The Theatres: "Damaged Goods," Regent, 2 and

8 p.m.

"Here I Am A Stranger," State,
2.15 and 8 p.m.

"Paris Honeymoon" and "House
of Fear," Mayfair, 2 and 7.45

"Mife: Win
porter tae to
Donald:
Maggie, you
noticeable.

Hastings

The Theatres:

LOCAL AND GENERAL

car lights were unnecessary

Petrol Restrictions

In the next few days Hastings is to experience a pamphlet raid, in which some 3000 leaflets will be

which some 3000 leaflets will be dropped over the town from the air. There is no cause for alarm. The "raid" is to be no more than a scheme of the Hastings Orphans' Club to advertise their patriotic concert in the Municipal Theatre early next month. Permission to drop the paymblate was given by

I have seen. It should be examined by everybody."

TIME OFF TO ENTER

CAMP

| Motorists in Main Street The following teams have been Despite the brilliant lighting of The following teams have been selected to represent the Napier Bowling Club on the Port green on Saturday: Chubin, Meikle, P. Smith, Daily; Seaton, Burns, Fullarton, Williams; Russell, Burt, Kilpatrick, Campbell; Franklin, Munn, Oliver, F. K. Pirie; Armitage, Davis, Drummand Plested. Napier teams ver-Mr and Mrs A. West, Hastings, left by rail for Palmerston North yesterday morning.

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When the Hastings Borough Council approached Mr F. C. Rush-Munro asking permission to erect In the next few data to experience a part Association annual conference in Wellington, returned to Hastings last night.

Mr P. Quinn, manager of the Regent Theatre, Napier, has returned after visiting Wellington. He was away three days.

Munro asking permission to erect a stone seat on the frontage of his property in Heretaunga Street, he acceded to the request, but expressed the wish to pay for the cost of labour and materials. The council at yesterday's meeting expressed appreciation of his offer, which they accepted.

Collectors authorised by the Red Cross Society, will to-day wait upon the public of Napier for contributions to finance the peace-time activities of the society. In addition to the street appeal, the society is conducting a short of the premises. onducting a shop on the premi etween the Union Bank and Hannah and Company's shoe store. The committee of the society is confident that the public will, as in the past, give the appeal its wholehearted support.

Mr Frank Wright, director of entertainments for the London County Council, and adjudicator of the coming Centennial championship brass band contest, to be held in Wellington, has arrived in the Dominion.

Mrs H. M. Coleman, accompanied by Mr and Mrs Peter Coleman, have left Hastings for Auckland, where Mr and Mrs P. Coleman are embarking for Australia.

Dr. J. F. Filmer, acting-Director of the Animal Research Division, Wellington, who arrived in Hastings on Wednesday afternoon on departmental business will leave to-day.

Jack Strive and Support.

"Frivs" to Travel

It was announced yesterday that the Napier Frivolity Minstrels would visit the Centennial Exhibition at Wellington towards the end of the first week in April, at the invitation of the exhibition company. The Minstrels will present the revolution of New Zealand, 13 volumes of Centennial surveys, a dictionary of New Zealand, 13 volumes of Centennial surveys, a dictionary of New Zealand biography, and a Centennial historical at las have been bought for the Hastings on Wednesday afternoon on departmental business will leave to-day. Frentham on Sunday.

More than three-quarters of our knowledge is gained through the eyes. Sight is therefore the master sense and its preservation is of the utmost importance. Consult Azzopardi and Holland, Opticians.*

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NAPIER ACTIVITIES

St. John Ambulance

pags can be made from any mater al, 15in. x 10in. (not less), and ial, 15in. x 10in. (not less), and should include a small square of light material sewn on the centre of one side so that the name can be inserted. Hotwater bag covers should be 14in. x 9in., and other regular sizes. For scarves, double knitting wool, No. 5 needles, 5 skeins of wool; cast on 44 stitches; any suitable pattern.

Face washers can be made from towelling, 9in. x 12in. There should

towelling, 9in. x 12in. There should be a tape in the corner for hanging

up to dry.

It was decided that all those who were willing to assist were to com-municate with Mrs. J. H. Corne, the Superintendent of the Nursing Divi-



Mr Sprouter: An heirloom, Johnnie, is something that's handed down from father to son.

Little Johnnie: Huh! That's a funny name for pants.

It is understood that the aviation industry is trying to suppress a report issued by a statistician to the effect that flying is as safe as walking.

Wife: What! Ye canna get a corter tae tak oor luggage? Donald: Na, na! Try yersel, Maggie, your accent's no quite sae Seen from this hillside a few miles inside Luxembourg, every thing looks very peaceful. White

clouts are sailing calmly in the blue sky above the German frontier.— "Thunder Afloat," Regent, 2.15 Daily Paper.

It seems someone has already "Nurse Edith Cavell," State, 2.15 started hanging his washing on the Siegfried Line.

"Nurse Edith Cavell, State, 2.12 and 8 p.m.

"In Old Monterey" and "Code of the Streets," Cosy, 2 and 7.45 p.m.

"Torchy Blane In Panama" and "Juggernaut," Municipal, 7.45 p.m.

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HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

'DAILY MAIL'S" SPECIAL FORECAST IS FOR FINE, MILD WEATHER.

Winds: Moderate from a westerly quarter predominating.

Weather: Fair to fine and milder

Napier Weather

Seas: Moderate.

Meteorological readings taken yesterday at 5.30 p.m. by the Government recorder at Napier (Mr.

rop the pamphlets was given by he Hastings Borough Council at its Wet bulb temp. 54.0deg.
Maximum temp. 69.8deg.
Minimum temp. 45.7deg.
1ft. underground 66.0deg.
3ft. underground 68.6deg. The spectacle of a well-known Hastings business man, the owner of a large motor-car, driving about the town in a diminutive "baby" Visibility tourer in the past few days is a fur-ther reflection on the effects of the petrol restrictions. Limited to an amount much less than he is accus-tomed to, this man is using the light Rain

 Sun
 7.6hrs.

 Humidity
 46 p.c.

 Cloud
 10

 Wind
 W. 3½ av.

Hastings Weather

Meteorological readings taken vesterday at 5 p.m. at the Hastings Thirty pictorial surveys depicting the evolution of New Zealand, 13 volumes of Centennial surveys, a dictionary of New Zealand biography, and a Centennial historical atlas have been bought for the Hastings Public Library by the Borough Council. When the council confirmed the purchase at yesterday's meeting the Mayor (Mr. G. A. Maddison) said: "I think this is one of the finest collections of this nature I have seen. It should be examined" Magnetic Observatory, Cornwall

Keep in mind that the date of the Napier Centennial Committee is Feb-ruary 17 to March 2, inclusive.*

eriles to westerlies, later tending to north-westerly in South Taranaki and Hawke's Bay and freshening. Seas (N.Z. waters): Rough but decreasing north of Wanganui, else-where slight to moderate but later rising on the west coast from Cook

St. John Ambulance
Brigade

An appeal to employers to allow employees time off to attend territorial camp with Eastern Tassaan Sea: Moderate members of the Second Echelon wars relieved by the Napier branch of the St. John Ambulance Associations with the St. John Ambulance as the monthly meeting of the Hastings are sometimed and southwards.

Ar R. T. Coburn, Mr and Mrs. B. M. Deighton (Christchurch), Mr B. T. Coburn, Mr and Mrs. B. M. Deighton (Christchurch), Mr B. G. Goodwin (Palmerston North), Mr G. Russell (Auckland), Mr R. H. Smither, Mr W. L. Weathern with the standages, calleo (2in, and 3in), flamed lotel, Hastings.

Mr A. G. Langley, Mr. David Hotel, Hastings, Mr. A. C. Langley, Mr. A. C. Langley, Mr. A. G. Langley, Mr.

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THE QUALITY DRAPERS HASTINGS

R. T. Hutton) are as follows:-Dry bulb temp.

Dominion Forecast

General situation: A weak anti-cyclone covers the Northern Tas-man while depressions are centred over south-eastern Australia and to the south of Chatham Island. Forecast-Winds: Moderate south-

Strait southwards.



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OBSCURE WINDINGS

Alleged Fraud Conspiracy Charge

EVIDENCE

YESTERDAY'S HEARING

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, Feb. 15.

More Guarded

Further evidence by Ernest Palliser, a land agent, of Wellington, opened to-day's hearing in the Magistrate's Court of the case wherein Harvey Maitland Chrystall and Gordon Percy Aston were jointly charged that they conspired each with the other by deceit to defraud Hartley Roy Sellars of sums of money totalling about £6765.

Witness said that shortly after ars' disappearance, witness fre-Aston's return from Sydney he was present with Sellars, Batt and Aston at a meeting in Sellars' office. Aston was very definite that an arrangement had been made for the final payment in London on March 31, 1939. He had with him a motion-picture camera which he said the Admiralty had given him for the purpose of getting photographic the purpose of getting photographic records of the experiments he was to carry out. He also referred to the danger of the plant in England being destroyed from the air, and intimated that the British Government desired to have a large-scale have established in Australia so base established in Australia so that warships at Singapore could be treated by the process. He added that tests had been carried out on warships in Australian waters, and the Admiralty was so impressed that he had been given the honour of flying the White En-

impressed that he had been given the honour of flying the White Ensign on his launch.

Payment Belayed

Witness continued with evidence regarding the delay in meeting the promissory note which was due, and the issue at the request of Sellars of another promissory note which was due, and the issue at the request of Sellars of another promissory note in New Zealand currency, which Sellars forwarded to Chrystall, who later returned it with his endorsement. Aston gave a definite assurance that the final payment would be made on March 31, 1939.

Aston had also said that the Awatea would be the first ship to be commandeered by the Government. Witness was invited by Aston to visit the Awatea at Wellington and see where the plates had been fitted.

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Alexander C. Jessep, a barrister.

Mr Leicester: What was the time spoken up for him.

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Australia and New Zealand.

At a subsequent meeting, Aston said that the Admiralty insisted on the Hutt being retained for experiments, and he referred to the necestralia which, he said, were also sity of clearing a mortgage of £750

Some days after, Aston left Wellington for Sydney. Witness saw any letters from the Admiralty, Sellars writing out a cable to Aston asking if Sellars could now operate asking if Sellars could now operate

asking if Sellars could now operate on the account in London.

Sellars received a reply requesting him and Chrystall to meet Aston in Auckland. Sellars went to Auckland, and returned to Wellington with Aston and Chrystall on June 3, 1939.

Reported Missing
Witness learned on July 3 that Sellars was reported missing. On the following afternoon he was pre-

the following afternoon he was present with Mr E. A. Batt when Mr McBeath, of the Racing Conference staff, had a telephone conversation staff, had a telephone conversation with Aston, who was in Christ-church. Witness then spoke to Aston, and told him that if anything had happened to Sellars a very grave responsibility rested on his shoulders. Aston was quite off-handed, and said that Sellars was all right, and was hiding somewhere. Aston also assured him that he and Batt had no need to worry. Witness cabled Chrystall, who was in Sydney, advising him who was in Sydney, advising him that Sellars was missing, and asking Chrystall if he could return immediately. He received no reply, but later Chrystall advised him that he was returning by the Awatea.

"A Pair of Crooks"

In conversation on Chrystall's results of June 16, 1939, at a meeting of the executive committee, it was disclosed that the imprest account had been drawn upon by Sellars without proper authority to the extent of £1167.

The late Mr J. S. McLeod was then president, and on his going into the matter with Sellars the lating that the matter of £1167. Awatea.
"A Pair of Crooks"

than £500,000.

In conversation on Chrystall's return, witness said that in his opinion Chrystall and Aston were responsible for Sellars' disappearance, large for the committee. Chrystall was brought before the committee and told it that he was

To Mr Leicester, witness said that by March, 1938, Sellars had

Detective-Sergeant McLennan y whom? Objection was raised by counsel to the question, and it was not pressed by Detective-Sergeant Mc-

The witness continued that Chrys ars had been improperly drawing on the Racing Conference account, but that the money would be repaid. Chrystall did not indicate that he knew that the money had been improperly withdrawn by Sellbeen improperly withdrawn by Sell-

ars. William Claude Motion, a farmer also a member of the executive of the Racing Conference, gave similar evidence concerning Chrystall's statement to the executive. No attempt had been made by Christall to refund the money. Neither the conference nor Sellars had received

now serving with the New Zealand military forces at Trentham camp, Herbert Richard Churton Wild, said that he had resided with Sellars at his home, 3 Ngaio Road, Kelburn, in August, 1939. Acting on behalf of Sellars' relatives, he made a certain communication to the police. He did this as a friend and not as a solicitor. The witness said that the accused sometimes called at Sellars' home. On the night when Chrystall came to Sellars' home for tea, the witness said that he remembered that it was the day on which the Racing Chrystall appeared agitated after Sellars' disappearance, but witness Sellars' disappearance, but witness thought that it was because he realised that there was a grave responsibility. He appeared more guarded, and afraid to utter anything that might incriminate him.

In about six months up to March, 1938, witness lent Sellars £500, and took a promissory note from him, backed up by Chrystall, to repay £1000 in English currency.

Mr Leicester: What was the time within which the loan of £500 was to be repaid? Witness: Within three months. was the day on which the Racing Conference had met to consider a cheque drawn by Sellars for £750. 'We were seated at tea and Sellars was in the very highest of spirits," said the witness. "He kept on referring to the fact that he had been 'on the mat,' but that Chrystall had spoken up for him.

that about February, 1938, he was requested by Sellars to lend him money in connection with an invention. He gave Sellars f300 as a personal loan. Sellars promised repayment about April, 1939. The witness received a letter from Chrystall dated April 30, 1938, in which the writer stated that there was not the slightest risk of witness a promissory note for f500, the due date being April 30, 1938. The note was payable in London and was endorsed by H. M. Chrystall.

Detective-Sergeant McLennan: Has this money been repaid?

Witness: I have never presented this note. I did not ask Sellars for it. I was given a cheque for that amount as a personal loan, and some days later returned with a promissory of the service as a personal loan, and some days later returned with a promissory in the department had aimed to make the annexe compact and simple, but at the same time possessing all the necessary facilities said Dr. Shore in referring to the letter. It was, in fact, one of the most compact units the department had drafted.

"Our concern is the need to provide maternity facilities in this district," added the doctor.

Replying to comment by Mr C. V. Chamberlain that to build a maternity annexe in Wairoa would mean an increase of 10 per cent. in the rates, Dr. Shore said that maternity work in the district was one of the board's urgencies. He could not view the question light-heartedly because he was committing the department to half the cost.

Mr H. R. Phillips asked if the board could erect a maternity annexe and lease it to someone.

There were places that had been built and leased, said Dr. Shore, but it was a doubtful point.

Private enterprise could run a place far more economically than otherwise, commented Mr Phillips.

fitted. Aston spoke of his financial interests in Australia, witness continued. He said that the Admiralty was insistent on the plant in Alexander C. Jessep, a barrister and solicitor, of Wellington, said the output would be about 500,000 tons monthly.

Asked about the financial arrangements in London, Aston said that they were in the hands of a Sir Robert Dowling, whom he frequently described as "Scotty," Both Aston and Chrystall stated that all their communications with the Admiralty were carried out by means of an earth telephone posters which was Aston's invention.

The two accused said that the workishop was on Tahunanui beach, Nelson, and they referred to the nature of the apparatus used.

A Mortgage

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ars entered into an agreement for the loans to be repaid in Lon-

Details of Sellars' financial position at the time of his death were given by Wilfred Hugh Robert-shaw, who retired on December 16, 1939, from the position of manager of the Bank of Australasia, Welfinancially interested in the invention. lington. Witness produced a state-ment relating to Sellars' private account from October 1, 1937, to July

Overdraft

On the last-named date there was an overdraft of £2418 1/11. Nine cheques on which the names of H. M. Chrystall and G. P. Aston fig. ured drawn from this account had been traced. The total amount inbeen traced. The total amount involved in the nine cheques was

both he and Sellars stated that the On March 9, 1938, said witness, Sellars, Batt and P. W. Jackson called at the Bank of Australasia invention should be worth not less in Wellington. Batt offered to guarantee H. R. Sellars' No. 2 account to the extent of £3000. Chrystall was also present. It was stated that this guarantee was to enable the syndicate to pay certain sense in connection, with the expenses in connection with the patent rights of protection against

h June 21, 1938, by which date whole of the £3000 was fully drawn over a lousy £3000."

Witness told him that it was all to talk like that, and that

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Several thousands of pounds would be entailed in the purchase of the property, the provision of staff accommodation and the entance of the property of the property building.

staff accommodation and the enlargement of the present building, stated the letter. Parts of the present building would require considerable renovation and the maintenance cost would be heavy. Consequently it would not be a sound, economic proposition.

economic proposition.

It was recommended, therefore,

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WAIROA.

Sentences Imposed AUCKLAND HOTEL

DRAMA

Pleas Of Guilty

By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, Feb. 18. The final phase of the hotel drama in November last was witnessed in

the Supreme Court to-day when the Chief Justice, Sir Michael Myers, passed sentence.

Together Again

Sir Michael Myers: Has she gone back to her husband?
Counsel: "Yes. They are living together again."
In passing sentence, his Honour said that the female prisoner would seem to have returned to a more normal frame of mind, and apparently the husband was a decent, hardworking citizen. There seemed to be no reason why they should It was recommended, therefore, that a maternity annexe should be built on the site below the road between the nurses' home and the hospital. A plan submitted provided for 12 or 11 beds and a single room for an on-call nurse. The sister in charge of the maternity annexe should sleep on the premises. The other nurses could be accommodated in the nurses' home when it had been extended. The domestics could live out or the domestic quarters enlarged.

hardworking citizen. There seemed to be no reason why they should not live happily together.

"Until this offence prisoner Laurie was held in the highest esteem by his fellowmen," said Mr Henry, in a plea for the male prisoner's behalf. "His life has been blameless. He has been nine years in the Navy, had a good discharge, and immediately afterwards was engaged in the Naval dockyards. The position in which he found himself with Mrs Laycock apparently so preyed on his mind that he became abnormal, and after making an effort to break away, and not having the strength of mind to do it, he resorted, in utter hopelessness, to a suicide pact."

Suicide Pacts

Questioned by the council concerning the network in the council concerning the purpose to which he intended to put the building, the intending buyer stated that he would renovate it and erect it near a stable in Karamu Road.

Stone Seats

It was reported that a certain amount of difficulty was being experienced in connection with the erection of stone seats on splayed corners, particularly in areas close to the town. The owners considered that these corners might be needed at a later date for entrances. It was decided to erect further stone seats in Russell Street, in the vicinity of the bus office.

Suicide Pacts

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His Honour, in passing sentence, said the position of Laurie was quite different from that of the other prisoner, but thought it a case where reformatory detention was preferable to one of hard labour. His case would be considered after a reason.

To facilitate the planning of Hastin Council is to interest the considered after a reason.

DRAWN UP

ONE WEEK

From March 4 To March 10

"Daily Mail" Special Service WAIPUKURAU.

Mr J. McCarthy, chairman of the Waipukurau Centennial Committee, presided over a representative meeting of sports bodies and other orweek from Monday, March 4 to Sunday, March 10. The chairman remarked on the re-

sponse accorded by the various bod-es represented. The meeting was A new movement of German roops from Bohemia and Moravia most encouraging those present being representatives of the following to Slovakia, and considerable activity by military circles in Prague, are reported by the Havas News Agency's correspondent on the Ger-

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He says that hospitals in Bohemia and Moravia have been ordered to reserve 50,000 beds by March 1.

An order has been issued commandeering all horses, and the authorities have been instructed to organise defence against a possible Czech rising.

Fresh arrests of supporters of the former Czech President, Dr Benes, are occurring.

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In my representatives of the following organisations: Borough Council, Returned Soldiers' Association, Municipal Band, fire brigade, Red Cross, Society, School Committee, Plunket Society, Boy Scouts, Athletic and Cycling Club and the Churches.

It was left to the meeting to arrange a programme to cover the week's festivities. Numerous suggestions were put forth. Mr V. Parsons, head master of the Waipukurau School mentioned that the inter-school sports would be held on Friday, March 8, and the Primary Schools' Association was arranging

expenses in connection with the patent rights of protection against torpedo attacks.

Arrangements were accordingly made, and the No. 2 account was opened that day.

Witness added that Sellars' last operation on the No. 2 account was on June 21, 1938, by which date the operation of the f3000 was fully drawn whole of the f3000 was

REVIEWED

HASTINGS COUNCIL MEETS

PRAISE FOR TOWN

"Women Considered At Last"

"Credit to the town," "best yet," "Hastings is a tidy town," "beautiful surroundings," "women considduty to provide facilities for the conference nor Sellars had received it.

Unauthorised Cheques

Donald Gordon Johnston, public accountant, Wellington, and auditor to the New Zealand Racing Conference, produced a report addressed to the late president, Mr J. S. McLeod, in which, he submitted, were details of cheques drawn without authority by Sellars.

A Wellington solicitor, who is now serving with the New Zealand military forces at Trentham camp, Herbert Richard Churton Wild, said that he had resided with Sellars at his home, 3 Ngaio Road, Kelburn, in August, 1939. Acting on behalf of Sellars' relatives, he made to approve of this course, advised a letter received by the board from the department.

duty to provide facilities for the sick. We would not have set up a maternity commission if we did not consider facilities of first importance. The momented Dr. R. A. Shore, Director of the Hospital Division of the Department of Health, in appealment of the Wairoa Board at the monthly meeting to members of the Wairoa Board at the monthly meeting to members of the Wairoa Board at the monthly meeting to a report by the maternity onne in the visitors' book at the two years' reformatory detention, and on the second convicted without sentence.

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and cash receipts were £16 4/1. In December there were 4977 patrons and revenue totalled £20 10/6.

Telégraph and power poles are to be painted with black and white bands to indicate pedestrian crossings in Hastings, to comply with the regulations. In the cases of three crossings, where no poles are available, short posts are to be erected.

Old Office Bought

The old unemployment office in Warren Street has been sold by the council for £20 to a private buyer. Questioned by the council concerning the purpose to which he intended to put the building, the intending buyer stated that he would renovate buyer stated that he would renovate it and erect it near a stable in prevent unpositived and state of the spurposition.

Sealing of Roads

Suicide Pacts

A plea of guilty in this matter, proceeded counsel, involved an element of attempted murder, but he would ask his Honour to consider the matter substantially on the basis of attempted suicide, and not substantially on the basis of attempted murder. It was a suicide pact, and not murder. His Honour: Even suicide pacts the roads are included in the countries. His Honour: Even suicide pacts must be discouraged.

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street, be sealed. The applicants in each instance are to be advised that the roads are included in the council's loan schedule, and the work will be put in hand if the poll is carried and the loan raised.

Town Planning

To facilitate the proposed town planning of Hastings, the Borough Council is to interview the State Town Planning Officer (Mr J. W. Mawson). A letter was received from the Under-Secretary of the Internal Affairs Department, advising that now the Provisional Town Planning Clauses had been issued by the Standards Institute, and the preparation of planning schemes had been greatly simplified, there was very little work to be done on maps, apart from the survey of existing conditions.

Is a counter force. The drift of the world to ultra nationalism since the Great War has reached its climax in the attitude and claims of the ruling authorities in Germany and Russia which, if allowed to pursue their inhuman, devilish policy, must inevitably in the long run dominate the whole world.

"We deplore the terrible loss of human lives and the terrible, wide-spread suffering inseparable from war, to say nothing of the prodigious waste of material wealth. We were compelled to choose the lesser of two evils and to throw in our lot once again with the Mother Country and her Allies. We have, at any rate, the consolation of knowing that England sought in every legitimate way to avoid the necessity of war, even though she failed. In Academics

"Any academic discussion or pro-

Camping Ground

motor camp in the past season were below those of the previous year, which constituted a record. The Exhibition at Wellington is regarded as the cause of the decline. Fees collected this season amounted to f181 16/-, while those of the previous year were £200 18/6. There were 2000 individuals this season, as against 2700 in the previous season. The canoe fees of £57 14/3 represented a £2 7/3 increase over the corresponding period of last year.

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BOROUGH AFFAIRS THE NEW ZEALAND PRIMATE'S PRONOUNCEMENT ON CHURCH'S **DUTY UNDER WAR CONDITIONS**

SOLEMN WARNING THAT THE PEACE SHOULD NOT REPEAT THE TRAGEDY OF VERSAILLES

> By Telegraph-Press Association NELSON, Feb. 15.

"So much has been said and will be said upon the subject of the war which has been forced upon the democratic nations desirous of fostering and of safeguarding the right to live of smaller and weaker nations, of upholding the supremacy of God as against the supremacy of the State, of respecting and honouring the claims of personality and freedom as against a totalitarianism which is tantamount to the imposition of slavery upon individuals and nations, that there is no need for me to stress the righteousness and justice of the present conflict in which the Mother Country, her Dominions, dependencies, and Allies are now engaged," said the Primate of New Zealand (Archbishop Averill) in the course of a presidential address to the General Synod.

"The real outcome of the war, when the fighting comes to an end and peace is in sight, depends to a large extent upon the reality of the Christian principles in the lives and ideals of those who profess to be defending right against

"It has been truly said that it is possible to win a war and lose the victory, and real victory depends largely upon the nature of the peace terms after the war is over and upon the spirit in which those terms are formulated. A repetition of Versailles would mean a temporary truce.

"The present war is more than a CHAMPIONSHIPS HELD

quered and rooted out if any real religion or civilisation is to survive in the world.

Only One Argument

"Unfortunately, there is only one argument which appeals to the worshippers of brute force, and that is a counter force. The drift of the world to ultra nationalism since the

"Any academic discussion or pro-nouncement upon the justification of war and the rights and duties of Bookings at the Windsor Park Christian men and women when notor camp in the past season were war is forced upon the nation would

Labourers' Wages

The Hawke's Bay Labourers' union advised the council that the cost of living had increased considerably since the rates of wages at present being paid by the council that the present being paid by the council that the greater manifestation of those fundamental principles of the Gospel.

Christian Duty "Again, it has been said that in

cil had been agreed upon, and asked if the council would consider an increase of 10 per cent. on the present wages to meet the position. The Town Clerk (Mr. Noel C Harding) stated that since the request had been received, formal advice had come to hand of a dispute, and the deen received, formal advice had come to hand of a dispute, and the deen received, formal advice had come to hand of a dispute, and the deen received. The union's letter was "received".

Car Parking

During the summer a great number of motor-cars were parked on the Tomoana Road frontage of Cornwall Park, and in most cases footpath to get the benefit of the trees' shelter, stated the Superintendent of Reserves (Mr. J. G. C. MacKenzie). While in the dry wear for the two data to most cause damage, it would cause trouble when the ground was soft. He suggested that a concrete kerb be constructed at the road edge of the footpath. The matter was deferred for consideration with next year's estimates.

Christian Duty

"Again, it has been said that in the last analysis every war finds its the last analysis every war fin

reading and writing rooms, etc the use primarily of our own boys but which, of course, are open to all soldiers in camps. Huts have already been erected in the chief camps, and marquees are provided n the smaller ones. The Church Army, in co-operation, with the chaplain, is in charge of most of our huts and marquees."

PUBLIC SERVICE **SWIMMING**

YESTERDAY

FINE WEATHER Some Splendid

Finishes By Telegraph -- Press Association. WELLINGTON, Feb. 15. The Public Service national cenennial swimming championships

Among the competitors were several ex New Zealand champion

were held this afternoon in fine

Auckland won the shield with 35 points. Wellington scored 28, Otago 12, Canterbury and Hawke's Bay-Poverty Bay 6 each, West Coast and North Island 0.

The civil service championship events resulted.

vents resulted:-100 yards women's backstroke:
Miss K. Grey (Auckland) 1, Miss R.
Low (Canterbury) 2, Miss H. Gotlieb
(Wellington) 3. Won by four yards,
Time 80 2.5sec.

Time 80 2-5sec.

100 yards men's backstroke: P. E. Mathieson (Auckland) 1, N. Stokes (Wellington) 2, I. Hall (Otago) 3, Won by a touch. Time 72 2-5sec.

440 yards freestyle: P. E. Mathieson (Auckland) 1, H. Davidson (Canterbury) 2, P. Malthus (Wellington) 3. Won by three yards, Time 5.38 2-5sec.

Women's diving: Miss N. Logan (Wellington) 1, Miss J. D. Roydhouse (Otago) 2, Miss Johnson (Hawke's Bay-Poverty Bay) 3.

Men's diving: S. Muff (Wellington) 1, A. Moir (Otago) 2, S. Sewell (Auckland) 3.

100 yards wcmen's breaststroke: Miss J. Cave (Wellington) 1, Miss P. Walker (Auckland) 3. Won by 2½ yards. Time 1.43.

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100 yards men's breaststroke: S₄
M. Thomson (Hawke's Bay-Poverty, Bay) 1, Wilson (Otago) 2, M. Shanahan (Auckland) 3. Won by two yards. Time 72 2-5sec.

100 yards men's freestyle: E. B.
Toase (Otago) 1, N. Stokes (Wellington) 2, G. Williams (Wellington) 3. Won by inches. Time, 63

200 yards women's relay: Auck-land 1, Wellington 2. 200 yards men's relay: Auckland

Neutral Business Men

Invited United Press Association-Copyright.

LONDON, Feb. 14. The Rotterdam correspondent of "The Times" says that the presence in the last fortnight of many Ger-man bankers and businessmen in-dicates the beginning of a new peace offensive particularly directed

PROVINCIAL CROQUET AT NAPIER

Third Day Of The Tournament Yesterday

SURPRISES REGISTERED

The third day's play in the Hawke's Bay provincial croquet tournament took place at Napier yesterday in cool but fine weather. The greens were inclined to be deceptive after the light rain of the previous night, and some of the leading competitors did not fare as well as was expected. Results of yesterday's play are as follows:-

Greyhounds At

Napier

LARGE ENTRIES

Programme Arranged

For Saturday

Details of nominations are as

ENCOURAGE STAKE

EXHIBITION RACE.

J. Woodhill's Bon Ton, H. Northe's

ELECTRIC STAKE.

Limit Class.

MAIDEN STAKE.

First Division.

R. H. Taylor's Zonda, R. H. Taylor's Jo Jo, H. R. Grant's Social Gift

NOVICE HURDLES.

ENCOURAGE STAKE.

Wanted

NATIONAL APPEAL

Salvation Army And

Y.M.C.A.

MAYOR'S SUPPORT

Advice that the people of the district were expected to co-operate in an appeal throughout New Zealand for the sum of £100,000 for the wel-

First Division.

A. G. Wood's Nigger Mark, Robertson's Star Ranger, J.

Prout's Royal Artillery.

| Pounding Percy

Handicap Doubles. Mrs Marsh and Dadson (8½) beat Mrs Derbyshire and Fraser (4½),

Mrs Kennedy and Miss Head (11) beat Miss Millichamp and Mrs Tomlinson, 26-16.

Mrs Bennett and Ebbett (7) beat Mrs Mitchell and Devonport (5½),

Mrs Tiffen and Morris $(4\frac{1}{2})$ beat Mrs Duff and Deakin, 26-21.

Ladies' Championship Singles.

First Life. Mrs Ball beat Mrs Barnard 26-7. Mrs Mitchell beat Mrs Daily 26-11. Mrs Tiffen beat Mrs Gray 26-15. Second Life

Miss Lydford beat Mrs Ball 26-14 Mrs Lange beat Mrs Mangelser Good entries have again been received for all events in the Northern Hawke's Bay Greyhound Racing Association's meeting to be held at League Park Stadium, Napier, on Saturday evening. Most of the better class dogs in the district have been entered and keen racing should Mrs Bennett beat Mrs Marsh Miss Millichamp beat Miss Blake 26-9.

B Championship Singles

Mrs Kennedy beat Mrs Ritchie 26-12.
Miss Smith beat Mrs McCarthy 26-19. Mrs Dewson beat Mrs Turner Mrs Ritchie beat Mrs Smith 26-15. Mrs Gollan beat Mrs Wanstall

Mrs Watkins beat Mrs Cooke A. 26-11. Mrs Deakin beat Mrs Cooke 26-4.
Mrs McCarthy beat Mrs Houseman 26-16.
Miss Smith beat Mrs McCarthy

26-19.
Miss Smith beat Mrs Moore 26-23.
Mrs Duff beat Miss Smith 26-24. Section Play

Level Singles
Mrs Gray beat Mrs Yates 26-20.
Mrs Grindley beat Mrs Barnard Mrs Fraser beat Mrs Dadson

26-16.
Mrs Mangelsen beat Mrs Coles, Mrs Yates beat Miss Blake 26-2. Mrs Fraser beat Mrs Barnard

A Grade Handicap Singles Miss Lydford (2½) beat Mrs Grindley 26-13. Mrs Yates (2½) beat Mrs Tomlin-son (4½) 26-24.

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B Grade Handicap Singles

Mrs Gollan (5) beat Miss Head (5) 26-18.

C Grade Handicap Singles

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First Division.

Mrs J. Wells's Sir Failsworth, N. J. Hill's Golden Flight, D. L. Price's Mickey Free, H. Northe's Pat Slam, H. Spencer's Gippsland, W. C. Basher's Bide-a-Wee, H. Wilson's Mac's Gift, L. C. Head's Innes King.

Final

Mrs W. E. Watkins (10½) Hastings beat Mrs Pirie (8½) Napier, 26-23.

The draw for to-day's play,

Permitting Percy.

OPEN HOURDES.

L. McCutcheon's Black Spy, A. G. Wood's Master Chang, Mrs U. Seal's Laes, H. Northe's Black Comedy, L. McCutcheon's Irish Comet, T. Aplin's Permitting Percy.

The draw for to-day's play, commencing at 9 a.m. is as follows: Championship I oubles

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Mrs Tomlinson and Miss Millichamp play Mesdames Mitchell and Mangelsen on Napier bowling lawn.

Mesdames Gray and Barnard play Mesdames Marsh and Dadson on Wairere bowling lawn.

Novice Class. Second Division.

H. Spencer's Gippsland, H. Northe's Pat Slam, A. Long's Silver Briar, A. Perry's Ephialtes, Mrs H. S. Mc-Clelland's Rod's Mistake, Mrs L. G. Nelson's Black Thread, L. McCutchell Company of the Market Patrick Change of

Open Singles
Mrs Tiffen plays Mrs Lange on
United No. 2 lawn.

1st. Life Ladies' Singles
Miss Lydford plays Mrs Perry,
United No. 1 lawn.

Level Singles
Mrs Coles plays Mrs Grindley 9.30
at Port bowling lawn. B Championship Singles
Mrs Dewson plays Mrs Cooke,

Napier croquet lawn. B Championship Singles
Mrs Turner plays Mrs Deakin,
Wairere croquet lawn.

B Championship Singles
Miss Head plays Mrs Watkins,
Port croquet lawn.

CONTROL OF TAXIS AND CARRIERS

Hastings Borough

COUNCIL RETAINING INTEREST

A decision to retain control of taxicabs and town carriers was made taxicabs and town carriers was made by the Hastings Borough Council at its meeting yesterday.

In an interview with Inspector Crawford, of the Transport Depart-ment, the Borough Traffic Inspector (Mr H. A. Green) was advised that control of this traffic should be under the council's jurisdiction. Urging that the council retain control, Inspector Crawford said that in the event of any difficulty arising, the department would willingly assist. Further, in the event of prosecutions, the council benefited from fines, otherwise this money would go to the Transport Depart. would go to the Transport Depart

AN OPPORTUNITY FOR

AT STAKE

HERETAUNGA CLUB MEETING

GOOD CONDITIONS

Junior Competitor's **Excellent Time**

Excellent conditions prevailed last night for the meeting at Maddison Baths of the Heretaunga Swimming Club. A number of championship events were decided, attracting keen public interest. A highlight of the meeting was the excellent time returned by a young swimmer, S. Hawkins. To win the junior boys' 50 yards championship, he covered the distance in the first heat in 31 seconds. Results are: econds. Results are:-

Championships

Junior Boys' 50 yards.—First heat: S. Hawkins 1, Miller 2, W. Parker 3. Time, 31. Second heat: McKay 1, Hutton 2, M. McKay 3. Time, 34 2-5. Final: Hawkins 1, Miller 2, McKay 3. Time, 32 2-5.

Junior Girls' 25 yards.—Miss Lowe 1, Miss Lucas 2, Miss Fargher 3. Time, 15 3-5.

Intermediate Boys' 50 yards.—M. Mason 1, D. Drummond 2, Chote 3. Time, 31 1-5. GOOD NOMINATIONS

Women's 50 yards.—Miss Campbell 1, Miss Shaw 2, Miss McKay 3. Time, 381-5.

Junior Girls' 50 yards.—First heat: Miss Lowe 1, Miss Gregg 2, Miss Fargher 3. Time, 40. Second heat: Miss Sparling 1, Miss Lucas 2, Miss Instone 3. Time, 43 2-5. Final: Miss Gregg 1, Miss Lucas 2, Miss Lowe 3. Time, 41 1-5.

Mrs E. B. Watson's Synip, Mrs H. S. McClelland's Rod's Mistake, A. Perry's Ephialtes, D. Smith's Jean Laurie, L. McCutcheon's Black Spy, N. J. Hill's Golden Flight.

EXHIBITION BACK.

Women's and Intermediate Girls' 100 yards.—Miss Shaw 1, Miss Mar-tin 2. Time, 864-5.

Junior Diving.—Miss Lowe 1, Mc-Kay 2, Bishop 3.

T. M. Thomson's Aberdeen, Mrs
U. Seal's Gay Paphian, H. McKinley's Red Shadow, I. Smith's Paper
Slipper, H. Wilson's Golden Ripple,
J. Dooney's Erin's Flight.

J. Dooney's Erin's Flight.

Taylor 1 equal, R. Drummond 3. Open Breaststroke, 50 yards.—R. Drummond 1, Miss Sparling 2, Stanley 3. Time, 451-5.
Electric Dash, 25 yards.—H. Bodle 1, C. Taylor 2, F. Sullivan 3. Time,

Teams' Race.—Bluebirds 1, Lans 2, Speedos and Treaders 3 equal. Time, 49 2-5.

Draw For Tennis At Otane

CHAMPIONSHIP PLAY

Men's And Women's Matches

TROPHIES DONATED

August plays Miss L. White, Miss E. White a bye.

Women's handicap singles: Miss E. White (scr) plays Miss Robottom (22), Miss Ingleton (25) plays Miss Craig (5), Miss A. Tod a bye, Miss Craig (5), Miss A. White (20) plays Miss A. Britten (scr), Mrs M. August a bye, Mrs R. Britten (30) plays Mrs Kittow (15), Miss L. White (20) plays Mrs Allhusen (10), Mrs Turner (28) plays Miss M. Mundell (10).

Handsome silver cups with miniatures have been donated for the championships, the White cup for women, and the August cup for the men, with the Turner miniatures to accompany each trophy. Second Division.
H. R. Grant's Social Gift, A. G. Wood's Nigger Mark, R. H. Taylor's Jo Jo, A. Robertson's Star Ranger, J. H. Prout's Royal Artillery. Sum Of £100,000

accompany each trophy.
Otane members will play Argyll
members at Otane on Saturday.

WOMEN BOWLERS AT NAPIER

Visit From Palmerston North Club

SWIMMING TITLES COLD SPELL MARS THE NAPIER SPORTS MEETING

Unsuccessful Attempt On The Women's 75 Yards N.Z. Record

Threatening weather caused a decline in the attendance at the Napier Amateur Athletic and Cycling Club's weekly meeting, which was held in McLean Park last night.

Miss G. Symes's attempt on the 75 yards New Zealand record, the feature of the meeting, was unsuccessful, her time being nearly 1sec. outside the record time, which stands at A slight drizzle fell during the running of the women's

75 yards, making conditions unpleasant for the competitors, and this may account for the poor times registered. A considerable improvement in the performances of G. Bellamy has been noticed of late. Bellamy is under a handicap by virtue of the fact that he lives at Pakuratahi Valley

Following are the results:-Women's 75 yards (invitation): A. hompson 1, G. Symes 2, J. Elliott

Parker 3. Time, 31. Second heat: McKay 1, Hutton 2, M. McKay 3. Time, 34.25. Final: Hawkins 1, Muller 2, McKay 3. Time, 32.25.

Junior Girls' 25 yards.—Miss Lucas 2, Miss Fargher 3. Time, 15.3-5.

Intermediate Boys' 50 yards.—M. Mason 1, D. Drummond 2, Chote 3. Time, 31.1-5.

Women's 50 yards.—Miss Campbell 1, Miss Shaw 2, Miss McKay 3. Time, 38.1-5.

Senior Men's 50 yards.—H. Bodle 1, R. Treacher 2, F. Sullivan 3. Time, 28.1-5.

Handicap Events

Junior Girls' 50 yards.—First heat, V. McCutcheon 1, P. Burgess 2, J. Thorpe 3. Time 12 1-5 secs. Second heat, R. Natusch 1, B. Scullin 2, P. Collinge 3. Time 12 2-5 secs. Time, 12 2-5 secs.

Women's trial relay: Napier 1, Hastings 2. Time 56 secs.

Two lap cycle race, B grade: First heat, P. Gleeson 1, C. Hunt 2, E. Montaperto 3. Time 1 min. 12 secs. Second heat, R. Sutton 1, E. Wells 2, R. Nichols 3. Time 1 min. 12 secs. Final: E. Montaperto 1, P. Gleeson 2, E. Wells 3. Time 1 min. 10 1-5 secs. A grade: R. Miller 1, G. Symes 2, S. Hunt 3. Time 1 min. 10 1-5 secs. A grade: R. Miller 1, G. Symes 2, S. Hunt 3. Time 1 min. 10 1-5 secs. A grade: R. Miller 1, G. Symes 2, S. Hunt 3. Time 1 min. 10 1-5 secs. Discus throw: Hardgrave (24ft.), 124ft. Sins. 1, Johnson (29ft.), 118ft.

124ft. 8ins. 1, Johnson (29ft.), 119ft. 2½ins. 2, Bickerstaff (41ft.), 118ft.

Zams. 2, Bickerstain (Thick), Florical 2ins. 3.

Women's 75 yards: First heat, J. Corby 1, C. Greaney 2, G. Symes 3, Time 9 2-5 secs. Second heat, J. Stevens 1, M. Thompson 2, L. Climo 3. Time 9 secs. Third heat, D. Cottrell 1, J. Elliott 2, J. Roberts 3. Time 9 1-5 secs. Final: D. Cottrell 1, J. Corby 2, L. Thompson 3. Time 9 1-5 secs.

Men's 880 yards: T. Cullen 1, G. J. Bickerstaff 2, J. Edmundson 3. Time 1 min. 57 1-5 secs.

Interhouse relay: Woolworth's 1, Golden Crust 2, Coddington-Clothier 3. Time 57 3-5 secs.

Men's 220 yards hurdles: V. Mc-

3. Time 57 3.5 secs.

Men's 220 yards hurdles: V. McCutcheon and C. Kronk (dead-heat),
1, B. Scullin 3. Time 27 1.5 secs.

Sprint cycle (500 metres): First
heat, E. Manning 1, W. Young 2, R.
Miller 3. Time 15 secs. Second
heat, C. Hunt 1, R. Attwood 2, G.
Symes 3. Time 15 4.5 secs. Final:
C. Hunt 1, E. Manning 2. Time 15
3.5 secs.

Men's 440 yards: R. Phillips 1, P. Collinge 2, D. Lister 3. Time, 52 3-5

BUILDING PLANNED

The sale of the last empty section between Hastings and Emerson streets took place last week. Vacant since the 1931 upheaval, the section has been acquired by the owner of the adjoining property, Mr Nicholas Paxie, a prominent Napier restaurateur.

The section one of the few reserved.

Napier restaurateur.

The section, one of the few remaining freehold properties in the heart of the shopping area, was owned by three former residents of Napier now living in Auckland. It has a frontage of 16½ feet and a depth of 72½ feet. It is understood that the price at which the property morrow have been selected as 10 morrow have been selecte that the price at which the property ander, J. Ladbrook changed hands was well over four Boyle, L. Davidson.

"Some coves," said the driver of

AN OPPORTUNITY FOR SINGERS

Casting Of Chorus For "Marama"

After being in recess for a period of 20 years, the Hastings Operation Society has been revived and will shortly commence rehearsals for the New Zealand cornedy opera Marama," or "The Mere and the New Zealand cornedy opera Marama," or "The Mere and the New Zealand cornedy opera is a special staylish manner, and the total post lavish manner, and the tot

and is obliged to cycle the 15 miles in order to compete. **PROTEST**

INTERHOUSE SPORTS MEETING

CENTENNIAL EVENT

Outside Body Invited To Control Fixture

Following a report that the Napier Legion of Frontiersmen were to sponsor an inter-house sports meeting at Hastings on March 16 on behalf of the Hastings Centennial Committee, the executive of the Hastings American Athletic and Hastings Amateur Athletic and Cycling Club met last night and reristered a strong protest against uch an action. "Our protest is based on the fact

that the Hastings Club has fostered inter-house sport in Hawke's Bay," said the chairman (Mr. E. J. Wall) "Our club introduced the sport into the province, and no doubt is large ly responsible for the success it has enjoyed in the past four years.

Hard To Understand

"In view of this, the action of the Hastings Centennial Committee in Hastings Centennial Committee in inviting a body from another town to control a display is hard to understand," continued Mr. Wall. "The success of previous Hastings meetings can be taken as an indication of the ability of the club to control an inter-house display."

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an inter-house display."
Referring to a letter which appeared in yesterday morning's First heat, J. Roberts 1, J. Stevens 2, J. Elliott 3. Time 11 3-5 secs. Second heat, D. Cottrell 1, C. Greaney 2, L. Smith 3. Time 11 2-5 secs. Final: J. Stevens 1, D. Cottrell 2, C. Greaney 3. Time 11 3-5 secs.

2, L. Smith 3. Time 11 2-5 sees.
Final: J. Stevens 1, D. Cottrell 2,
C. Greaney 3. Time 11 3-5 sees.
Hop, step and jump: P. Burgess
(2ft. 9in.), 45ft. 3ins., 1, C. Kronk
(5ft. 3in.), 43ft. 2ins., 2, J. Thorpe
(4ft. 6ins.), 42ft. 4ins., 3.
Men's walk, 880 yards: R. Morris
and J. Baker (dead-heat), 1. Time
3 mins. 54 secs.
Men's two mile flat: G. Foulds 1,
J. McIntosh 2, J. Behm 3. Time 9
mins. 53 3-5 secs.
One mile cycle: First heat, S.
Hunt 1, W. Young 2, G. Symes 3.
Time 2 mins. 26 4-5 secs. Second
heat, R. Attwood 1, E. Manning 2,
C. Hunt 3. Time 2 mins. 25 1-5 secs.

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Silver Bat, L. McCutcheon's Irish
Mist.

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Second Division.

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MARDEN STA

TO-MORROW

Cricket Representatives Selected

Midland cricket club teams to play at Hastings and Napier to-morrow have been selected as fol-

The new owner will probably build on the section towards end of the present year.

Midland A v. High School, at School, on No. 2 ground: W. Wallis, T. Morrison, C. Burt, B. Fox, B. Walsh, C. Jenkinson, A. Ericksen, I. Mayo, C. Young, S. McDonald, Coast.

Midland B, v. Baptist, at Akina Park No. 3: C. Rowlands, W. Bent-ley, A. Tunnicliffe, R. Hogg, D. Driver, J. Goodyear, H. Linyard, P. Cullinane, R. Keong, P. Revell. Fruitworkers' Team. Fruitworkers' intertown team to blay Napier High School at Cornwall Park No. 1, at 1.30 p.m., is as ollows:—Broadhurst, Ball, Heenan,

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TUBERCULOSIS IN IMPROVING HASTINGS WAIROA

BETTER FACILITIES NEEDED

HUTMENT SYSTEM

Health Authority's Views

"Daily Mail" Special Service. WAIROA. The opinion that the Wairoa Hos

oital Board would either have to build a new annexe or be prepared o improve the present isolation ward to a degree of efficiency, was expressed by the Director of the Hospitals Division of the Department (Dr R. A. Shore) in referring at this week's meeting of the board, partment of Health to combat tub- in which we can obtain the money, With the extension of the hutment system in the district the position should be improved, he said, but this was successful only up to a point, since it was necessary for the patients to be graded to ascertain which were suitable for hutments, sanatoria or annexes.

The Share said his present visit 12 months, due to a shortage of markets. Dr. Shore said his present visit was to ascertain the extent of the problem in the district and the cost.

Clean Hutments

Commenting on the condition of the hutments he said he was more than pleased with the cleanliness of than pleased with the cleanliness of them and it was as equally gratifying to know that the desire for cleanliness was becoming inculcated in the Maoris. Patients going to hutments required a certain amount of education. The department would supply the hutments but it was the duty of the board to provide the necessary accommodation at the hospitals for the tuberculosis patients. About 20 hutments would be provided in the Wairoa district which meant there would have to be from 10 to 12 hospital beds for patients of this type.

Continuing, Dr. Shore said he

Continuing, Dr. Shore said he feared he could not say much good about Wairoa's provision for isolation. There were no nursing facilities and the bed accommodation, although serviceable, was too small.

In view of the incidence of tuberculosis being greater in Wairoa than in some other districts, Mr C. V. Chamberlain asked if there was a possibility of the board receiving a more substantial subsidy.

Dr. Shore said he was here to get the total cost involved and to ascertain what the board could bear in the way of costs.

STORM WATER SYSTEM

£53,300 Loan Is To Be Floated If The Polls Are Successful

Subject to the loan polls being successful, the Hastings Borough Council is to float a £53,300 loan on a table mortgage basis at $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. A decision to negotiate for the finance with Messrs J. H. Francis and Co. Ltd. was made at yesterday's meeting of the council.

It will be as follows:—Tar-sealing loan, £10,600, 12 years; duplication of storm-water mains and water mains loan, £42,700, 20 years. The last loan is to be floated on the basis of a 30-year table loan, the principal outstanding at the end of 20 years to be rearranged. The company stated that the council would have no difficulty in floating this balance, which would amount to approximately £21,000 at the end of the 20-year period.

"We have searched all the re sources throughout New Zealand, and this seems to be the best way to the efforts being made by the De- and this seems to be the best way erculosis in the Wairoa district. The said the Mayor (Mr. G. A. Maddi present facilities were inadequate. son). While it was possible to se-

Mr. Maddison anticipated a diffi-culty in pursuing the road con-struction programme in the next 12 months, due to a shortage of ma-

The Mayor stated that it had been suggested that the council might obtain the money free of interest from the Government. He recalled that when they had approached the State in this direction several years ago their request had been years ago their request had beer

FLOWER SHOW AT GREENMEADOWS

That the Greenmeadows Chry santhemum and Flower Show will be held this year as usual, was a decision reached last evening at a meeting held in the hall. The decision was reached only

after long discussion and after a motion to abandon the show had been defeated by one vote. Once members felt that the show was really desired all offered their support and, in cases, financial assistance. Mr T. B. McDonald was elected chairman of the committee and Mr J. M. Grant will act as the sec-

The following committee was set The following committee was set up with power to add to its number:
Mesdames M. Alexander, J. Hogan,
W. Pollock, H. Northe, Ormond and
Messrs W. G. Paton, W. G. Cullen,
C. Tronson, P. McCormack, R.
Cooper, H. Lamb and W. Mitchell.

With 95.7 per cent. last year.

Mr Maddison remarked that the fact of the improved collection was enhanced by the increased levy this year, caused by bigger Hospital Board and Harbour Board demands.

RESPONSE

96.6 PER CENT. OF LEVY IN

MAYOR PLEASED

Improvement On Last Year's Return

"I want to express my gratitude o the ratepayers for their fine response; an effort of this kind makes ocal body work very much easier, said the Mayor (Mr G. A. Maddison), commenting on the rating response at yesterday's meeting of the Hastings Borough Council.

From to-day the penalty of 10 per cent. on all unpaid levies becomes effective. At the time of the council offices' closing last night, £47,821 had been collected of a total of £49,482, leaving £1661 outstanding.

On the final day last year £1927 was outstanding. The amount collected this year represents 96.6 per cent. of the total levy, compared with 95.7 per cent. last year.





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DECISIONS UNDER DISPUTE

JUDGING DOUBTED AT ROTORUA

DEMONSTRATIONS

Advocacy For Electric Camera

(By MOTUROA)

Rotorua was the scene of yet further racecourse demonstrations on Saturday and Monday. On the opening day Kakarere was placed third instead of Trig Station, but the placings were subsequently altered. On Monday, after Brazillian was placed second in the Kia Ora Handicap instead of Grand City, again the punters voiced their opinion in no uncertain manner and a change was made after the horses had returned to the birdcage.

The judge at Rotorua was Mr C. H. Washer, who was so unfortunately involved in the violent demonstration at Stratford on January 2, wnen Prince Rangi, Te Hai, Tosh, and Gay Seton participated in a close finish in the Toko Highweight.

This seems to be Mr Washer's unlucky season, but there have been many other judicial decisions questioned in the past few months and they bring home very forcibly the falli-bility of judges. There are many things that make it difficult for a correct decision to be made in a desperate finish: the calling of the crowd, the final desperate effort of a rider, the unexpected late dash when a horse emerges from the ruck and sweeps up under the judge's box in the last 50

The job of judging is no sinecure and there is no protection for a judge in New Zealand as there is in the United States. There every finish is photographed by an electric beam and, in instances of very close finishes, a development of the film can be made in a few seconds to check up the judge's idea of the placings.

The use of the electric camera has been advocated in New Zealand for many years, but racing authorities seem loath to take any lead that savours of Americanism. It is a very parochial viewpoint to take, for the camera has unquestionably been a great success in the States.

Arcas ran two of his best races to date when he finished third to Millament and second to Lady Tinkle at Trentham, and it now looks as if Mr W. A. Iorns' 900gns. Ithree-year-old is on the verge of coming to his right form. Arcas is engaged at the Woodville meeting next week and he would need only to run up to his Trentham only to run up to his Trentham to Nord Out at Trentham in her last start and she would need only to run up to his Trentham the picture among the hack sprinters at the Woodville meeting.

Supertax (who has broken down). The leading points are: Logan Derby 15, Main Derby 12, Our Globe 11½, Grand Mogul 10, Master Dixie 8, Evicus 7, Icevus 6½, Uenuku 5, Radiant Walla 4½, Lachlan Machine 4, Globe Darell 3½, Supertax 3.

Following is the field for the grand final of the Inter-Dominion Trotting Championship: Radiant the picture among the hack sprinters at the Woodville meeting. Tinkle at Trentham, and it now loss shown plenty of pace in the gallooks as if Mr W. A. Iorns' 900gns. three-year-old is on the verge of coming to his right form. Areas is engaged at the Woodville meeting next week and he would need only to run up to his Trentham form to prove a very hard horse to beat.

She looks an improved filly and this daughter of Kincardine should strip much fitter at the Woodville meeting. The shorter maiden race on the second day will suit her. second day will suit her.

Hard to Train

The Kincardine colt Kindergarten made his wins three in a line when he prevailed in the Omoan Memorial Stakes at Gisborne on Monday. This two-year-old, who lists the Hastings Stakes among his successes, has proved hard to train, but there is no doubt that he has the galloping ability.

Likes the Track

Form Is Good

Sternchase, who stood out as one of the promising young sprinters seen at the Wellington Centennial meeting, has continued to impress the track-watchers at Hastings, and it will surprise if he does not win some good races up to a mile this autumn. Sternchase won in hack ranks at Woodville twelve months ago, but this time he should shine in the tighter classes.

Starter Taken III

Mr. D. Stevens, who as starter for the Woodville District Jockey Club at its December meeting showed considerable promise at the barrier, has unfortunately been laid aside by illness. Mr. A. Vincent has been appointed as his substitute for the meeting on the 24th and 26th instant. It is to be hoped that Mr. Stevens will soon be restored to in the tighter classes.

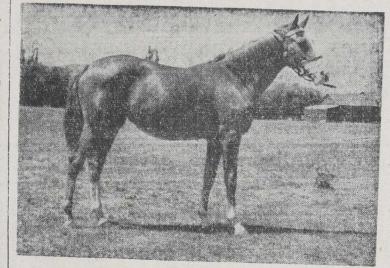
Looking a little unlucky to be beaten by Little Dorrit and Trench Law at Woodville in December, Chandlery has been twice returned a winner since, and she scored well at Gisborne recently. This filly improves with racing and will have to be taken into consideration at the Woodville meeting.

Winners Penalised

Additional re-handicaps announced for the first day of the Waikato Racing Club's summer meeting at Te Rapa to-morrow are:—Linley Hack: Sir Robin has been raised from 8.8 to 8.13. President's Handicap: Footloose has been re-handicapped from 7.11 to 8.3.

His Home Track

Corroboree has weighed in the last five times he has started and a win for the Lord Quex gelding is overdue. He has raced well at Moderal Mode Woodville on other occasions and, on his home track to-morrow week, a repetition of his best form would give him a chance to break his run learning to the course of the learning to the course of the learning to the course of the learning to the learning



ORAGON, who is one of the first of the Tiderace foalings, showed capital form at Woodville in December. She has raced only once since and her recent work indicates that she will be well forward for the Woodville meeting.

TWO-YEAR-OLDS FOR | Perth Trotting WOODVILLE

OKAWA ENTRIES

Lambourn And Oragon On The Upgrade

By MOTUROA

Mr T. H. Lowry's two-year-olds ambourn and Oragon appear to

his admirers unawares at Trentham when he so brilliantly won the Hopeful Stakes from Air Flight, Doria and Absolve. It was generally considered that he would need a race or two more and that six furlongs would suit him better than five. However, he won so stylishly that he is now being regarded as one of the likely colts to down Lou Rosa and Sir Beau in the big autumn events. In view of his important engagements in the next month considerable interest will be taken in the running of Lambourn in the Sapling Stakes on Saturday week. At

running of Lambourn in the Sapling Stakes on Saturday week. At this juncture it looks as if he will be one of the hardest to beat.

Oragon, a beautiful filly by Tiderace and a half-sister to Gold Rod, has raced only twice, running third to Serena and Teacony at Woodville in her first race last December. She was unsuccessful in the G.N. Foal Stakes, but she has maderapid progress since then and leaves the impression that she is now a many pounds better two-year-old.

Like Lambourn, Oragon has been given every chance to develop and when she does strike form she should go on winning races. Her one engagement at Woodville is on the second day of the meeting.

Third Division: Main Derby (Victoria), 2; Logan Derby (Tasmania), 36yds. (Stam-

Serenata has been knocking at the door several times since she opened the season successfully at Greenmeadows in the spring, and her Ellerslie and Trentham form was good enough to attract attention to her chances next week-end at Woodville. Mrs W. Richmond's filly yet has to prove in the same class as her sister, Russian Ballet, but she should improve with age. but she should improve with age.

In Open Company

Kinkajou had the field well spread out in the maiden event on the second day of the Pahiatua meeting, but she stopped badly at the finish and weakened into fourth place. She looks an improved filly and this daughter of Kincardine should strip in open vaples. In open vaples, the stopped badly at the finish and weakened into fourth place. She looks an improved filly and this daughter of Kincardine should strip in open vaples.

In the Wrong Races

In the Woodville nominations the horse Punarua was wrongly entered in the open sprint each day. It should have been included in the

Newbury Queen has won only one race to date, but she seems to be on the upgrade all the time, and there was no disgrace in her defeat there was no disgrace in her defeat by Hunter's Eve at Pahiatua. New-bury Queen should be worth keep-ing in mind at the Woodville meet-ing.

Trained at Woodville

Raeburn was responsible for a fine gallop this week at Awapuni and it is obvious that he had done well since he raced so well in the Wellington Cup, and then ran third to Haughty Winner. He will count a big following in the Woodville Handicap next Saturday.

Made the Grade

Trained at Woodville

Kehua upset calculations at the Woodville spring meeting, but she won well on that day, and repetition of that form would give her a great chance of success among the hack sprinters at the fixture this week-end. It is in the favour of this neat Lackham-Arajean filly that she is trained on the track.

Stevens will soon be restored to

Worth Watching

next few months.

Championships

GRAND MOGUL WINS

Icevus Breaks When In Winning Position

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The inter-Dominion trotting cham Lambourn and Oragon appear to have come on nicely of late and their recent work at Awapuni encourages the belief that both will be in good order for the Woodville autumn meeting next week.

Lambourn, the big half-brother by Bulandshar to Beaupartir, caught his admirers unawares at Trentham when he so brilliantly won the Hopeful Stakes from Air Flight, Doria and Absolve. It was generally considered that he would need a race in the inter-Dominion trotting championship was continued last night. Despite muggy, threatening weather, there was a large attendance.

Interest is keen over the match between Icevus (N.Z.) and Logan Derby (Tasmania) next Monday over a mile, the objective being a new Australian record. Both horses hold the new record for a mile and a half. The programme includes a match for horses in the championship was continued last night. Despite muggy, threatening weather, there was a large attendance.

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First Division: Grand Mogul (N.Z.), 12yds. (Anderson), 1; Master Dixie (N.S.W.), scr. (Chant), 2; Evicus (Tasmania), 12yds. (Young), 3. Ten started. Grand Mogul took the lead at the lead of the lead of

.. Third Division: Main Derby (Victoria), scr. (Butcher), 1; Logan Derby (Tasmania), 36yds. (Stamford), 2; Radiant Walla (N.S.W.), scr. (Wallis), 3. Eight started. Main Derby made the pace throughout. At the third lap Logan Derby flashed through the field, but the leader withstood a determined challenge and won by eight yards. Logan Derby, under the whip, finished five yards in front of Radiant Walla. Prince Dalla was fourth. Time, 4.25½. Scratchings were Uenuku (whose shoulder trouble is persisting) and Supertax (who has broken down). The leading points are: Logan

(N.S.W.), Moreica (Western Australia), Grand Mogul, Icevus, Uenuku (N.Z.). Scratched: Evicus (Tasmania), Main Derby (Victoria), Our Globe (Tasmania).

PEONY ROSE IN THE WINTON CUP

PROSPECTS TO-DAY

Boaform Selected For The Mile

(By Moturoa.)

Win-and-place betting will be used t the Winton meeting, which opens o-day, and the following should ind favour with backers: Novice Stakes: Royal Money, Ackemma, Colonel Rouge. Winton Cup: Peony Rose,

Flying Handicap: Ortyx, Phal-

Winton Steeplechase: Poniard, Gay Boa, Guste. Barkly Handicap: Blissful Lady, Counter Lunch, Southern Sail.

Tradesmen's Handicap: Boaform, Tauramai, Valantua. The acceptances are:— WINTON NOVICE STAKES,

Of £105, 6 furlongs.
 Ackemma
 8
 0 My Song
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 Colonel Rouge
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 0 Red Feather
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 Cone Peak
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 0 Royal Money
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 Green Locket
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 0 Slamannan
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 0

 In Flight
 8
 0 Joan Dorothy
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 0
 WINTON CUP. Of £210, 11 miles

 Mona's Song
 8
 5 Sailing Lady
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 Wild Career
 8
 4 Sparkle
 7
 13

 Swordstick
 8
 3 Chirp
 7
 4

 Peony Rose
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 2
 FLYING HANDICAP, Of £130, 6 furlongs. 9 0 Aspire 8 6 New Note

WINTON STEEPLECHASE Of £130, 2½ miles. 10 9 King Willow 9 9 10 Gay Boa 9 9 9 Panara 9 9 9 Gay Deception 9

BARKLY HANDICAP, Of £125, 6 furlongs. King's Chorus 9 1 Pink Bond Night Pal 9 0 Moonraider Blissful Lady 8 12 Remembo Pink Dress 8 9 Cherokce Withdrawal 8 8 Craiglea Gypsy Fair 8 7 Southern Si TRADESMEN'S HANDICAP,

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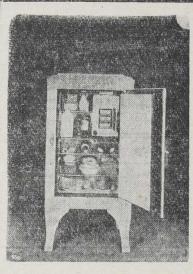
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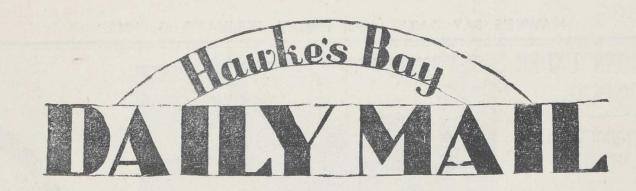
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No stock to be yarded before 4.30 a.m. until further notice.

The times for commencing selling will be as follows: Beef cattle 10 a.m., store sheep 11 a.m., fat sheep at 30 minutes after completion of fat cattle or at 12 noon if fat cattle are finished before that hour. Store cattle not earlier than 12 noon.

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1394 2-th. Ewes,
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50 Rape Lambs.
19 Rams (S.D., Romney and Dorset Horn).
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