

The Daily Mail

HASTINGS, N.Z., SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1940.

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GALLANTRY OF MEN ABOARD THE **ACHILLES**

WELLINGTON AIRMAN'S FEAT

British Official Wireless. (Received Feb. 23, 11.30 p.m.)

RUGBY, Feb. 23. Among the long list of honours awarded the officers and men of the Exeter, Achilles and Ajax for distinguished gallantry in the River Plate battle appears Midshipman Cameron,

received the Conspicuous Gallantry Medal. These two together extinguished a fire which broke out in an ammunition locker and prevented further damage by throwing live shells into the sea from the burning locker.

Surgeon Lieutenant C. G. Hunter, who comes from New Zealand, also received the D.S.C.

who is awarded the D.C.M., and Able Seaman G. William, who

Members of the Achilles mentioned in dispatches were: Com-mander H. W. Head, Paymaster-Commander H. T. Isaac; Lieutenants P. P. M. Green and J. A. R. Abbott; Gunner G. R. Davisgoff; Electrician J. F. Swift; Chief Petty Officers L. H. Boys and R. P. Burges; Sailmaker I. D. Crawford; Able Seamen K. P. Connew, J. S Borwick, C. W. Malcolm, B. J. Sole, Marine R. O. Osment.

to the guns and repeated the reports clearly for the gunnery officer's information.

Airmen's Feat

The latest list of awards reveals that for the first time in this war the entire crew of a British bomber in action against a flight of German machines has been rewarded. Flying a battle bomber over the German lines in September, they shot their way through a horde of 15 Messerschmidt fighters and returned to the base in force.

B. Wille, who applied a tourniquet to the stump of a marine's arm, put owu a fire in the gunhouse and threw the cordite overboard.

Petty-Officer H. V. Chalkley, who controlled a fire after an eleveninch shell had burst in the officers' flat and sick berth.

Petty-Officer C. D. Pope, who, who applied a tourniquet to the stump of a marine's arm, put owounded, did not fail in the battle. The Commodore of the New Zealand squadron complimented him for smartness in flag-hoisting.

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Three other battle bombers were shot down and another made a forced landing. The pilot received the D.F.S., the gunner the D.F.M., and the navigator the O.B.E.

Flying-Officer Kain, of New Zealand, has been mentioned in dispatches for his part in bringing down two of the 47 German bombers brought down on the Western Front by fighters and anti-aircraft fire since the beginning of the war.

OIL REFINERY PROPOSED IN AUSTRALIA

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monwealth the equivalent of £1,000,000 a year in dollar exchange. Negotiations are proceeding with the Government by Mr Allen T. Chase, vice-president of the Chase Securities Company, Los Angeles. Half the capital needed for the other half Australian. The majority of the employees will be Australian.

SET EXAMPLE TO

AWARDS TO OFFICERS AND MEN OF ACHILLES

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A gallant catalogue is unrolled with the Admiralty's publication of the list of awards to the officers and ratings on the Achilles, Ajax and Exeter, crowning the Graf Spee

It is revealed that the Achilles

were in action and all the animulation hoists working throughout the engagement.

D.S.O.'s for setting an example in perfecting the ships for battle are awarded to commanders Neame (Achilles), Graham (Exeter), Captain Everett, Lieutenant I. D. Death (Marines on the Ajax), and Lieutenant R. E. Washbourn (Achilles). The latter was wounded in the head but continued to control his gundirector tower after three had been killed and two wounded, securing a high rate of hits.

It was in this shambles that Sergeant S. J. Trimble (Marines, Achilles) won the Conspicuous Gallantry Medal for standing fast while wounded in the head and helping the medical party move his wounded shipmates. The explosion in the tower threw heavy responsibility on Surgeon-Lieutenant C. G. Hunter, a New Zealander, who, despite his youth manifested judgment and organising ability, and he is awarded the D.S.C.

Cool Seamanship

Borwick, C. W. Malcolm, B. J. Sole, A. Steve, L. A. Webb; Chief Engine-room Artificer R. A. Martin; Chief Stoker J. W. Welham; Stoker Petty Officer R. M. Lobb; Stoker D. S. Allison; Telegraphist A. V. Bell; Chief Petty Officer Cook H. C. Luke; Master at Arms F. E. Loader; Acting-Corporal L. J. Fowler; Marine R. O. Osment.

Young Hero

A. M. Dousc' who received the D.S.M., is probably among the youngest recipients of that honour. His work is given as "Boy," and his sense and the power of the highest degree of courage. Early in the action showed the highest degree of courage. Early in the ac

THE EXETER

RATINGS WHO WON

THE D.S.M.

SEVERE SHELLING

Finns Blow Up Their Railways

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SYDNEY, Feb. 23.

The erection in Sydney of an oil refinery capable of dealing with 21,000,000 gallons of crude oil a year is planned by the Signal Oil and Gas Co. of Los Angeles, who claim that their operations will save the Commonwealth the equivalent of

storms and blizzards. An earlier Soviet communique says: "Nothing of importance has occurred." The communique claims that between Monday and Wednesday this week Soviet troops captured 136 defensive positions in the Mannerheim

Messages from Helsingfors and Moscow say that Russian troops are massing on both flanks of the Mannerheim Line. On the right flank they are within shelling range of Viborg. On the left flank they are attacking Taipale in spite of the snowsform.

FATALITY

Alan Cushing's Body
Found

The body of Alan Cushing, aged sirgle sheet, have not appeared to doze down.

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His Majesty's trawler Solon was also bombed and machine gunned but the enemy aircraft were driven of the the enemy aircraft were driven of and the vessel returned to port. The Danish Government has forbidden Danish ships to navigate the North Sea south of Latitude 61, which passes through Breggen and the Shetland Islands, unless accompanied by other neutral vessels.

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The D.S.C. is awarded to Midshipman A. Cameron (Exeter), for hav-

man A. Cameron (Exeter), for having, with Able-Seaman W. G. William smothered flames and thrown unexploded but heated shells overside when an 11-inch German shell exploded in the ammunition lockyer. William received the Conspicuous Gallantry Medal, which was also awarded to W. A. Russell (Marines), First-Class Stoker P. O'Brien,

Ready to Take Risks

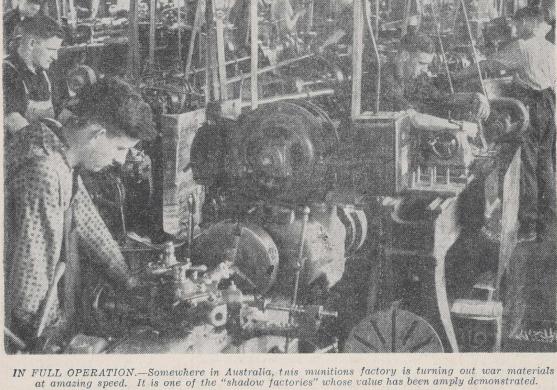
Other members of the Exeter's complement to win the D.S.C. are: Commanders C. A. Smith and R. B. Jennings, the latter, when only one turret of the main armament was left in action, tried to spot from the after control position though standing over the muzzles of the guns, Lieutenant A. E. Toase (Marines). Surgeon-Lieutenant R. W. G. The Copenhagen correspondent of the "Daily Mail" says that Russian six-inch guns are hammering Wiipuri from fronts six and a-half to seven and a-half miles away.

"The Times" Stockholm correspondent says that the Finns have blown up three railways leading to blown up three railways leading to R. W. Don, Warrant Shipwright C. Wilpuri.

D.S.C.'s are awarded to the following officers and men of the Ajax, Lieutenant-Commander D. P. Dreyer, the gunnery officer who controlled the ship's fire with great skill, Lieutenant K. N. Todd, who coolly carried out payigating duties coolly carried out navigating duties, Lieutenant E. D. G. Lewin, who was catapulted after the commencement storms Help Finns
The Russian offensive in Finland appears to be held up by snow-storms and blizzards. An earlier Soviet communique says: "Nothing of importance has occurred." The

Engineer A. P. Monk, Gunner R. C. Biggs.

The following from the Ajax are awarded D.S.M.'s: Petty Officer A. E. Fuller, Chief Mechanician W. G. Dorling, Stoker B. Wood, First-Class Stoker F. E. Monk, Shipwright D. Graham, Artificer J. W. Jennings, Sergeant R. G. Cook (Marines), Marine T. N. Buckley, Petty Officers C. H. C. Gorton and J. W. Hill.



GUARD

ROADS AND BRIDGES

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WESTERN FRONT

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Luxembourg is strengthening her frontier defences, especially on

roads and bridges. Concrete and

steel fortifications are being placed

and east of the Blies River. There

was increased activity on the part

TWO HEINKELS

SHOT DOWN

FIGHT ON COAST OF NORTHUMBERLAND

30-MILE CHASE

Success Of Spitfires And

Hurricanes

British Official Wireless.

The Air Ministry announces that

econd Heinkel attacked by Spit res of the Fighter Command cashed on land near St. Abb's lead. British pilots saw the first

an enemy aircraft was shot down by Royal Air Force fighter aircraft

RUGBY, Feb. 22.

at numerous strategic points.

LONDON, Feb. 23.

IN SEARCH OF PETROL SUPPLIES

Britain Says She Had Better Get It From Dutch East Indies

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Efforts to secure supplies of petrol from sterling sources sufficient for Australia's war and civil needs have failed. The British Government has advised the Commonwealth to obtain its supplies from the Netherlands East Indies in order to economise in tanker space.

Australia had suggested securing petrol from Iran and paying for it with sterling, of which the Commonwealth has strong reserves, but Britain replied that dollars would have to be found in London for the sterling which Australia sent to Iran and that there would be no saving in dollars, as the Empire dollar pool would have to make the amount good.

THE SOVIET

ITALY STILL SIDES WITH JAPAN

NAZIS' LOSS

Friendship With Stalin

Impossible United Press Association—Copyright. (Received Feb. 23, 11.10 p.m.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.

Diplomatic circles here are informed that Italy and Japan are still co-operating in the Anti-Comintern agreement. It is expected that Italy will recognise the Wang Ching Weil purpose Covernment because of the Ries River. There Ching-Wei puppet Government, because of the basic Italian opposition

to the Soviet plans.

It is believed that a rapprochement between Italy and Germany is impossible as long as Hitler is allied with Stalin, thus the breakdown in trade negotiations between Britain and Italy is not regarded in Washington as an Italian swing to

Trawler Sunk By Aircraft

ONLY ONE SURVIVOR

Second Vessel Escapes

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(Received February 23, 9.10 p.m.) LONDON, Feb. 22. His Majesty's trawler Fifeshire was sunk by enemy aircraft on February 19.

A British Official Wireless message adds that the Admiralty announces that it is feared that there is only one survivor.

His Majesty's trawler Solon was also beneficial and restricted to the survivor.

Head. British pilots saw the first Nazi 'plane break up and dive into the sea. The second, after crashing, was burned by its crew.

A 30-mile chase through the clouds by a Hawker Hurricane fighter ended in the destruction of the first Heinkel. The Hurricane pilots were members of the regular squadron which recently

To Marry DUTCH TREAT NAZI AIRMEN

Allowed

To Leave Prison

GENEROUSLY Put On Parole, Which None Has Broken

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AMSTERDAM, Feb. 23. It was revealed for the first time to-day that an unspecified number of German Air Force officers and sergeants forced down in Holland had been interned in a fortress near

All are on parole and are allowed considerable freedom, but no attempts have been made to escape, Ithough they have been interned for a long time.

A sergeant was permitted to go of Germany in order to marry, on ondition that he returned. He kept his word, bringing his bride, who is living near Edam.

From Greece's olive groves to Rumania's wheat fields hundreds of thousands are leaving their daily toil, answering the call to arms in preparation for the widely predicted spring crisis, which may bring war to the Balkans and the Middle The Soviet Black Sea Fleet has completed its winter

manoeuvres and returned to Sebastopol. Reuters learns from a reliable London source that a party of German officers has passed through Rumania with the object of stirring up trouble in the Middle East. All are reported to have served in the Middle East in the last war. They travelled under assumed names, most of them disguised as

business men. Rumania has called up many of the 200,000 reservists originally intended to join the colours on March 1, when there will be a state of virtual general mobilisation with 1,600,000

The Rumanian railways are portant proviso that all additional jammed with reservists moving to the frontiers, particularly the Rumanian-Hungarian frontier.

At Athens, King George of Greece to-day began an inspection nanian-Hungarian frontier.

It is estimated that Rumania requires only two months to com-plete her western fortifications, after which work on other fronts will be speeded up.

The Bucharest correspondent of the Associated Press of Great Britain says that the calling-up of reservists followed authoritative reports that Germany was challenging the Rumanian ban on the expert of aviation petrol port of aviation petrol.

Trade Missions

Dr Clodius is arriving from Germany at Bucharest on February 26, on which date the Italian trade mission is also due. Authoritative Berlin sources maintain that Dr Clodius's visit is essentially routine, but German circles in Bucharest hint that Germany's attitude to neutrals in the Balkans depends on the outcome of Dr Clodius's talks.

Neutral owners of oilfields, similarly to Allied-controlled companies, recently diverted shipments from Germany. Many believe that Dr Clodius is presenting plans for increasing exploitation of the Rumanian oilfields, which have the im-Trade Missions

of all services, signalling the opening of Greece's military preparations. Compulsory air-raid precautions and drill have been instituted.

LONDON, Feb. 23.

Spy Plot In Holland

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F. R. WATTERS, Town Clerk.

BOROUGH OF HASTINGS. WAIROA, H.B. CIVIC RECEPTION TO SIR HARRY BATTERBEE.

CIVIC RECEPTION will be accorded Sir Harry Batterbee, High commissioner for the United Kingdom a New Zealand, on Monday, 26th Febuary, 1940, at 10.30 a.m., in the Countle Chambers, Hastings Street, Hast-A cordial invitation is extended to he public to be present, and assist a making the reception a fitting and

G. A. MADDISON,

NAPIER PATRIOTIC COMMITTEE. A PUBLIC MEETING of Ladies will A PUBLIC MEETING of Ladies will be held in the Borough Council Chambers on WEDNESDAY NEXT, the 28th instant, at 8 p.m. in order to form a Ladies' Auxiliary Committee in connection with Patriotic work on behalf of members of the New Zealand Forces.

All ladies interested and willing to assist are invited to attend this meeting. T. W. HERCOCK, Mayor.

(NAPIER.)

A PARADE of Returned Soldiers will be held TO-DAY (Saturday), at 2 p.m. at the ARTILLERY BARRACKS, KENNEDY ROAD, for the purpose of Marching to McLean Park, where His Excellency the Governor-General will take the salute. Medals and Decorations to be worn. GEO. B. MENZIES, Hon Secretary.

NAPIER ELECTRICITY

CONSUMERS: CONSUMERS are notified that power will be cut off to-morrow (Sunday) morning between the hours of 5 a.m. and 7 a.m. in the following

Spencer Road, Main Street, Lawrence, Havelock and Enfield Roads, for alterations to mains. F. R. WATTERS, Town Clerk.

HASTINGS SCOTS SOCIETY. MONTHLY INGLESIDE, ODDFELLOWS' HALL, HASTINGS MONDAY NIGHT, 26th. FEBRUARY,

at 8 o'clock. ODDFELLOWS HALL, (Auspices Hastings Ratepayers, Rent-payers' Association). CITIZENS' PROTEST MEETING

WEDNESDAY, 28th inst,-8 p.m. AGAINST LOAN OF £53,300. Speaker: Mr John Gilchrist. Chairman: Mr D. G. Hursthouse. NEW ZEALAND NATIONAL PARTY.

HASTINGS BRANCH.

HAWKE'S BAY ELECTORATE.

All interested cordially invited. ROBERT TAPPER,

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PUBLIC NOTICES

DANCE

HAWKE'S BAY LAWN TENNIS CLUB'S PAVILION—NAPIER. MEMBERS are reminded of the Dance to be held at their Pavilion TO-NIGHT.

J. INSULL, Hon. Secretary.

J. WAFTER.

11 a.m.: Matins.

12 a.m.: Holy Communion.

7 p.m.: Evensong.

2.30 p.m.: RAUKAWA (Brown)

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Commencing Monday, 26th. February.

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Life Drawing—WEDNESDAY, 7-9
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CHURCH SERVICES

ST. MATTHEW'S, HASTINGS. SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25.

8 a.m. Holy Communion.

2.30 p.m.: RAUKAWA (Broadcast), ST. JAMES', MAHORA. 7 p.m.: Evensong. ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Market Street :: Hastings. 11 a.m.: "God Made Summer and Winter." Anthem: "He Shall Feed His Flock."

7 p.m. "God Speaks Through Con-science." Anthem: "If Ye Love Him." Preacher: Very Rev. Geo. Miller, B.A. This Will be the Rev. Miller's Fare-well Sermon.

Induction of Rev. D. M. Cattanach, February 29th, 7.30 p.m. Welcome Social, March 7th, 8 p.m. ST. JCHN'S Presbyterian Church, corner Frederick Street and To-moana Road, Hastings. Minister: Rev. F. W. Marshall.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1940. 9.30 a.m.: Sunday School. 11 a.m.: 'The Silent Curfew." 2.30 p.m.: Mangateretere. 5 p.m.: Bible Class Tea. p.m.: Song Service. "Lowering the Pitch."

Anthem: "He That Dwelleth." SOLOIST: Miss Symonds, "Come Unto Him" (Messiah). Second Anniversary Communion, Sunday Next.

WESLEY METHODIST CHURCH HASTINGS. Preacher: Rev. C. H. Olds, B.A.

II a.m.: Mr L. G. White. Anthem: "I Am Alpha." 7 p.m.: Young Men's Mission Band. Anthems: "The Radiant Morn," "King of Kings," and a Duet. All Welcome.

BAPTIST CHURCH, Karamu Road S., Hastings. Closing Messages From Mr E. F. SHERBURD. 11 a.m.: Pavement Prayer. 7 p.m.: The Magnetism of Jesus All Very Welcome. Next Sunday—Opening Services Rev. Hayes Lloyd's Ministry.

THE SALVATION ARMY, WARREN STREET. HASTINGS. 7 a.m.: Kneedrill. 11 a.m.: Commandant and Mrs Cook. Subject: "Wounds," Soloist: Bandsman R. Tong.

p.m.: Sergeant Major Plumley.

YOU ARE WELCOME

Next Sunday-Harvest Festival.

HE THAT SCATTERED ISRAEL WILL GATHER HIM, AND KEEP HIM, AS A SHEPHERD DOTH HIS FLOCK." (Jer. 31: 10)

FREE ADDRESS will be given (God Willing) in the United Hall, Lyndon Road, Hastings, on Sunday night at 7 o'clock, on the 'ZIONISM AND THE RESTOR-ATION OF ISRAEL AN UN-MISTAKABLE SIGN OF

THE TIMES."

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Waipukurau

Tennis Team For

WAIPAWA'S CHOICE

Draw For Junior Championship

TOURNEY TO-MORROW

"Daily Mail" Special Service. WAIPAWA. The following team will represent the Waipawa Tennis Club in their match against Waipukurau at Waipukurau to-day. Cars will leave the Post Office at 1 p.m.:—

E. J. Watts, J. Knobloch, P. Plummer, Dr Allen, G. Knobloch, P. Cutcliffe, Mrs E. J. Herrick, Mrs G. Knobloch, Miss M. Clark, Miss A. d'Emden, Miss M. Carne, Mrs King. Junior Championship The following is the draw for the first round of the junior championship to be played this week-end:
J. Cable v. T. Mahony, C. Tate (bye); D. Cable v. N. Maitland, Campbell v. O'Malley, Smith v. Mc-Kay, McQuilkan v. Holt, B. Taylor v. T. Davies, Gould v. N. Forbes.

Club Tournament Members are reminded that a full lay tournament will take place to-norrow, commencing at 9.30 a.m., when it is hoped to play all first-round matches, and most of the second round. Both Saturday and Sunday following will be fully oc-cupied with concluding events.

LOYAL ABBOTSFORD LODGE

Meeting Held At Waipawa

"Daily Mail" Special Service WAIPAWA. WAIPAWA.

The annual summoned meeting of the Loval Abbotsford Lodge, M.U.I.O.O.F., was held on Thursday evening, N.G. Bro. P. Jane presiding. P.G.'s Bros. P. Jane presiding. P.G. Bros. M. Ker, who signified his intention of retiring from the offices of auditor. retiring from the offices of auditor and delegate to the Friendly Socie-ties Council, for the services he had rendered over a long period of years. Sister E. Pellow was ap-

pointed to fill the vacancy on the The following four delegates were appointed to attend the district conference to be held at Waipawa on March 16: Bros. J. Cable, H. Mustchin, G. Dick, and P. Jane.

AT TAKAPAU General Satisfaction

RED CROSS MEETING

At Work

"Daily Mail" Special Service. TAKAPAU. At the annual meeting of the THE TIMES."

At the annual meeting of the Takapau Red Cross Society, the report and balance-sheet was read by the secretary (Mrs N. C. Wylie) and general satisfaction was expressed with the year's work. Since the commencement of the war, the society with the year's work.

VEGETABLE SECTION

AT SHOW Entries To Close Next Week

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Intending exhibitors are reminded KELLY'S feature cool foods for hot days. "Dairy Maid" Junket Tablets (flavoured), 1/- tube: "Renco" flavoured and plain 10d to 1/- bottle, Junket Tablets, 9d tube; Ice Cream Powder, all flavours, 1/- packet. Come to Kelly's. We have it. Address: Cnr. Heretaunga and Warren Streets, Hastings.

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ANOTHER TWO FREE FLYING SCHOLARSHIPS.

WITH the ballot just held, this makes 12 Free Scholarships awarded to date by the AIRCRAFT CLUB OF N.Z. Make sure your name is on the list for the May ballots—JOIN NOW. Write, sending 3d in stamps for new free booklet to—Aircraft Club of New Zealand, P.O. Box 1425G, Wellington.

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NATION"

BUCK JONES HELEN TWELVETREES "UNMARRIED

A garden party is to be held on the Hastings High School grounds tisement in this issue announcing that Adult Art Classes will comber of stalls will be conducted by the parents, and the pupils will give displays of dancing, drill and gymnastics. Members of the Old Pupils' Association have undertaken to provide amusement in the form of games and competitions, should join up immediately,

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Whether to give up the big town, and settle down with the boy, or to leave him to his own resources, is the annual inter-High School tennis match between the pupils of the Waipawa and Waipakurau District High Schools. Waipawa won by Schools. Waipawa won by Schools and the Interval and Raymond Parker are also featured.

Whether to give up the big town, and settle down with the boy, or to leave him to his own resources, is the annual inter-High School tennis the problem they face. And their decision brings startling results, as humorous as they are dramatic. Others in the cast are Donald O'Connor and Larry Crabbe.

Regent

"TARZAN FINDS A

Maureen O'Sullivan And Johnny Weissmuller

Thrills, drama and tender rom

Thrills, drama and tender romance amid the jungles of Africa, provide the substance of "Tarzan Finds a Son!" reuniting Johnny Weissmuller and Maureen O'Sullivan, which opens at the Regent Theatre, Hastings, to-day.

A new character comes to the screen in the fourth of the stories based on Edgar Rice Burroughs characters in a "Tarzan Junior" played by John Sheffield, amazing fiveyear-old athlete who played the boy in "On Borrowed Time" on the New York stage.

The new story deals with the finding of a baby, only survivor of a plane wreck in the jungle. Tarzan and his mate raise the boy. A safari arrives searching for plane survivors because of a legacy in England, and the boy becomes the centre of a plot to conceal his claim. Tarzan refuses to surrender the boy in any event, and Jane tricks him, feeling that the boy should return for his birthright. This leads to capture of the party by savages. A wild ride of a chim-The new story deals with the finding by savages. A wild ride of a chim-panzee cavalry mounted on ele-phants with Weissmuller at the head

climax.

The cavalry charge, rescue of the baby from a charging rhinoceros, amazing underwater swimming by Weissmuller and young Sheffield, and dramatic sequences in the jungle tree house are high points in the adventure romance. Star animul actors include Cheeta, the famous Tarzan chimpanzee, Queenie, Tarzan's elephant friend, and Baby Bee, smallest baby elephant in the United States.

The players include Ian Hunter, Henry Stephenson, Frieda Inescort, Henry Wilcoxon, Laraine Day and lorton Lowry.

Current Programme Successfully combining for the first time adult and juvenile appeal in a Technicolor motion-picture fantasy, "The Wizard of Oz" concludes to-night at the Regent Theatre, Hastings.

A WORLD OF GIRLS ON THEIR OWN

Elsa Maxwell's "Hotel For Women"

A world of girls on their own, A world of girls on their own, with the life of a million parties giving them a new slant on life—this is Elsa Maxwell's "Hotel for Women," which is now at the State Theatre, Hastings. In this cosmopolitan production for 20th Century-Fox, the world famous personality makes har film debut sonality makes her film debut. Elsa, who has been everywhere Elsa, who has been everywhere, seen everything and been confidante to society debs and chorus girls, gives these smart, beautiful young things a new slant on life. She believes in taking the light things seriously and the serious things lightly—and she teaches them to do the

There's a girl in every room and a man on every mind. Some of them are looking for life in a pent in a cottage. But they all depend or men for something — some for ex

eitement, some for fame and some even for love.

Production Chief Darryl F. Zanuck selected lovely Linda Darnell the sensational new Hollywood Cinderella girl, to make her screen lookut in a leading familiae role. with a cast which also features Ann Sothern, James Ellison, Jean' Rogers, Lynn Bari, June Gale, Joyce Compton, Elsa herself, John Halliday, Katharine Aldridge, Alan Dinebart and Sidney Blockman.

'Hotel for Women' was directed Gregory Ratoff from a screen by by Kathryn Scola and Darrell Ware, based on a story by Elsa
Maxwell and Miss Scola. Raymond
Griffith acted as associate producer.
Included in the news reel are
dramatic shots of the scuttling of

BABY SANDY IS IN "LITTLE ACCIDENT"

the Graf Spee. There is also another excellent March of Time

"Society Smugglers" Is Second Feature

Releasing a barrage of bright quips and hilarious antics, Hugh Herbert and Baby Sandy romp their way through Universal's "Little Accident," which is now at the Cosy Theother, Heatings

Accident," which is now at the Cosy Theatre, Hastings.

Light and gaily paced, the story revolves around Herbert as the baby editor about to lose his job. When Ernest Truex abandons his child, Sandy, in Herbert's office, surprises begin to pop like firecrackers. Sandy is entered in a perfect baby contest and Herbert has to persuade Florence Rice and Richard Carlson

Sandy is entered in a perfect baby contest and Herbert has to persuade Florence Rice and Richard Carlson (who provide the romantic interest) to pose as the infant's parents.

For a while Sandy is a hot potato indeed. But when she wins the baby contest, and Carlson and Miss Rice pose for Press cameras as her parents, the "scandalous" story breaks into headlines.

"Society Smugglers," Universal's dram with Preston Foster and Irene Hervey, is the second feature.

The new picture exposes activities of smuggling rings which bring millions of dollars worth of contraband into the United States yearly. While many important smuggling rases are investigated secretly by Federal operatives, a few of themore notorious instances find newspaper prominence. It is one of the epicituresque round-ups that Universal's Income portangency of the screen forman.

Foster, Miss Hervey and Regis Toomey portray Department of Treasury operatives in "Society Smugglers." Assigned to crack an ingenious mob of smugglers, they are forced to work undecrover against a powerful ring headed by a "Jekylland-Hydis" chief. Walter Woolf King has the latter role and Frank Jenks, Fred Keating, Frances Robinson and Raymond Parker are also featured.

Inter-School Tennis.—Glorious and a stited down with the boy, or to the more notorious in an and stited down with the boy, or to the formatic interests a possible to provide the millional properties. These two are suddenly confronted with the responsibility of caring for a large formatic the world at the death of his father, Jones papears in the role of a self-styled "big shot" from the big town, may be a "Jekylland-Hydis" chief. Walter Woolf King has the latter role and Frank Jenks, Fred Keating, Frances Robinson and Raymond Parker are also featured.

Inter-School Tennis.—Glorious days any ever shown on the screen in Paramount's "one Thirden the news a girl penned up in New York's bleakest and most house after the house who dares break the rules for the house who dares break the rules for the paramount's cone

NAPIER THEATRES

ALL STALLS 1/3 - 1/3 MAYFAIR THEATRE 1/6 - 1/6

2 p.m. - TO-DAY - 7.45 p.m. From out of the West comes this gay adventurer — singing his way into your heart.

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TO-DAY

— at 2.15 -

OLD MONTEREY"

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Roger DANIEL — James McCALLION "BOY SLAVES" (Recommended by the Censor for Adults.) ALSO: Chapter Ten'THE LONE RANGER RIDES AGAIN"

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The second attraction is "Boy laves," a gripping drama of the ouths of America who have no omes, no work and who fight hopeessly for an existence in life. It concerns the adventures and hardships of a 15-year-old, "Jesse," played by Roger Daniel, who runs away from home, joins a gang of urchins who think of themselves as modern Robin Hoods, stealing only enough to keep them alive. How these youngsters are forced from the open road to hard labour with every man's hand turned against them provides one of the greatest heart dramas of all time. Included in the cast are Anne Shirley, James Mc-Callion, Alan Baxter and Walter Tetley. Completing the programme is chapter 10 of the thrilling serial "The Lone Ranger Rides Again."

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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 famous English nurse, whose martyrdom has made an indelible

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

oes. From this human gesture an idea s born, fostered by the intrepid surse and three close women friends. Before long hundreds of fugitive civilians and convalescent soldiers are being spirited across the Dutch border, much to the conthe Dutch border, much to the consternation of counter-espionage operatives. But the day of reckoning is inevitable, and when it comes Edith Cavell and her faithful accomplices are arrested, brought to trial before a Prussian military court. The barbaric decision of that august tribunal is history, as well as its twiffer representations.

well as its terrific repercussions among all nations. Anna Neagle's brilliant portrayal is complemented by outstanding characterisations from the strong characterisations from the strong supporting cast. Especially noteworthy 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."

The annual meeting of the Has-tings branch of the New Zealand National Party will be held in the Hawke's Bay Farmers' tea rooms

The public is reminded of the Hastings Plunket Society's jumble sale in the Oddfellows' Hall on Saturday, March 2. Besides a varied assortment of clothing there will be stall containing useful article r the home and a produce stall Mothers of young children should not fail to take advantage of this

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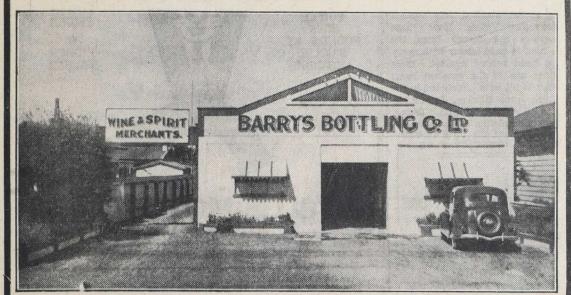
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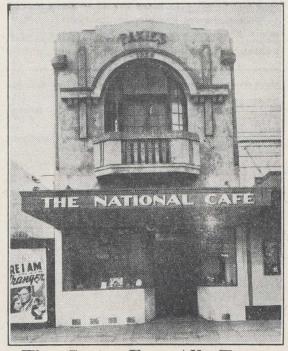
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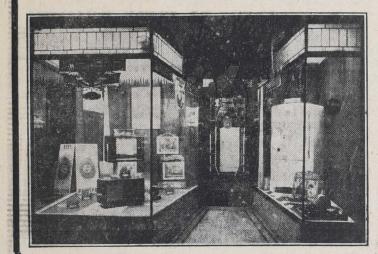
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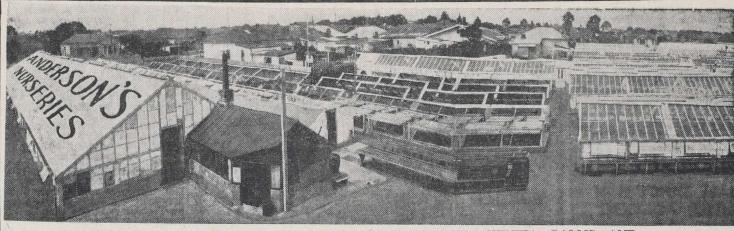
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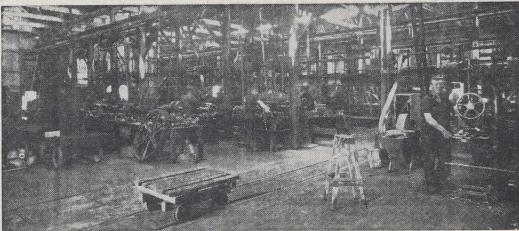


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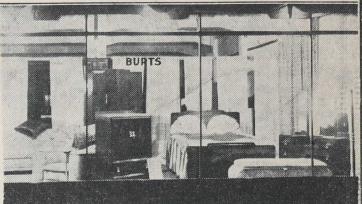
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TIDES

HW. HW. LW. LW a.m. pm. a.m. pm. Feb. 25, Sun. 6.42 7.18 0.34 1.06 Feb. 26, Mon.

Kartigi, ex Westport. VESSELS AT INNER HARBOUR Kiritona, at moorings. Koau, lightering. Koutunui, at moorings

Tu Atu, at Jull Wharf. EXPECTED ARRIVALS Breakwater

Kartigi, ex Westport this morning. Pukeko, ex Lyttelton and Wellington, February 26. Walnui, ex southern ports and Gis-borne, February 27.

Kopara, ex Portland and Auckland, March 1.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES Breakwater

Pukeko, for Gisborne, February 26. Kartigi, for Auckland, February 27. Wainui, for Wellington, February 28. COASTAL SHIPPING AT NAPIER

Kartigi, s.s., 2347 tons (Union S.S. Co.), Ritchie, master, loaded coal at West-ort on Wednesday for Napler and Auck-and. Due here this morning and leaves in Tuesday for Auckland. Kiritona, o.e.v., 136 tons (Richardson

Moau, m.v., 144 tons (Richardson and

Koau, m.v., 144 tons (Richardson and Co.), lightering.
Koutunul, m.v., 173 tons (Richardson and Co.), at moorings.
Kopara, m.v., 850 tons, F. S. Bates, naster (Richardson and Co.), left Napier at 11 o'clock last night for East Coast bays, Portland and Auckland, loads at Portland on Monday and at Auckland on ruesday. Due here March 1, returning to Auckland the same night.

Pakura, 719 tons, C. W. Caldicutt, naster (Richardson and Co.), left Gis-orne at noon on Tuesday with sheep for Auckland.

Pukeko, m.v., 730 tons, S. M. Petley,
master (Richardson and Co.), with general cargo for Lyttelton and Wellington,
is due to leave Wellington to-day for
Napier and Gisborne. Expected here
Monday, February 26, leaves same night
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for Gisborne.

Tu Atu, o.e.v., 42 tons (Richardson and Co.), at Jull wharf.

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Wainui, s.s., 1633 tons, T. W. White,
master (Union S.S. Co.), commenced
loading at Bluff on Monday for Gisborne
and Napier via Dunedin, Oamaru, Timaru, Lyttelton, and Wellington (due Wellington to-day). Due here on February 27 from Gisborne and leaves the
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Mariposa, o.e.v., 19,000 tons (Matson Line) (Murray Roberts, Napier agents), at Australian ports.

Monterey, o.e.v., 19,000 tons (Matson Line) (Murray Roberts, Napier agents), left Auckland at 6.30 p.m. on February 5 for Suva, Pago Pago, Honolulu, Los Angeles and San Francisco. Was due Los Angeles February 22 and is expected to return to Auckland on March 15.

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OUTWARD OVERSEAS MAILS WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28th. Australian States and Countries via Australia—Mails close 6 p.m. Other overseas mails will be dis-patched as opportunity offers.

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Daily Mail

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1940

A NEW ZEALAND WELCOME

While we are absorbed in petrol prices, questions of hides and skins, Labour conferences, shipping hold-ups, borough loans, drainage, sewerage, storm-water and so on, the War itself (with a capital W) has been brought forcibly to our minds. The arrival of the Achilles yesterday at Auckland ended one of the most glorious chapters of naval history ever written. Many of her men paid the supreme price for victory. They went with songs to the battle, young, eager and aglow but they came not back. Others came home maimed and sick. The cruiser herself bore the marks of the claws of the war beast. But in recognition of a fine job of work well done, Auckland was thronged with people from all over the country to say "Thank you" to the men who have upheld our traditions so nobly and so well.

New Zealand has never before so clearly realised the imminence of the war menace. The "far-away-and-we-don'thave-to-care" complex has had a rude shock of awakening. Here was a ship, and here were the men who manned her, who had actually been at death-grips with a formidable foe. The men are the first to return to New Zealand with actual present-day war experiences behind them. It seems only the other day that we heard of their gallant exploit at the mouth of the River Plate. Since then, they have come all these thousands of miles over the sea unmolested. The welcome given to them was richly deserved and New Zealand is proud of her sons.

But at the back of most of our minds there lurks a disquieting thought. Navigation in the waters of the Southern Hemisphere seems at present to be perfectly safe. The Pacific is a big ocean. Our troops got to Egypt and the Achilles got to New Zealand without trouble. In other words, to turn the implication of these facts completely and suddenly round about, we are vulnerable. It might have been a predatory which arrived at Auckland. It might have been a predatory force with foul designs on this country. There is nothing farfetched about such a supposition. Our guard is wide open.

While we have every confidence in the protective measures undertaken by the British Navy, it is more than true that we should realise our duty in the matter of defending our own shores. Even the fact that we are more comfortable now that the men of the Achilles are here is proof that we were woefully lacking without them.

And these men will not be here long. It is not very difficult to guess the reason for their visit to the Dominion. They are not here for a rest cure. More of their own work lies ahead of them and they will be gone, probably very soon, "to do business in the great waters." They are here on duty, and it is a duty, one may guess, that affects us all. From the splendid record of service already registered by the gallant cruiser, we may have every confidence that any others of our men will be well protected on the high seas. The ship that took on the Graf Spee with such an abandonment of gallantry will command the utmost respect of any possible enemy.

Now that the Labour conference has issued its fiat that there will be no conscription while Labour is in power, it will be interesting to note the reaction of the young men of the Dominion to the home-coming of the Achilles and her intrepid officers and crew. It is but natural to suppose that young New Zealanders, having seen, or read of, or heard the description of the triumphal procession will rally to the colours without delay. The best kind of welcome that can be given to such men is to step in alongside and register willingness to render such service as they have given.

render such service as they have given.

If anything should rouse the laggards to a sense of duty, the sight of the men of the Achilles should. Let us not lose the possibility of appeal for service latent in this great event.

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Personal

Mr L. Broughton, Kohupatiki, re-turned yesterday to resume his studies at Otago University.

Dr E. N. Merrington, master of Knox Presbyterian College, Dunedin, tendered his resignation, to take effect from the end of the year, in a letter received by the Centennial General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Wellington. The letter was received and a sub-committee was set up to consider the resignation and to report back at a later session of the assembly.

In their patriotism, are denouncing as traitors and cowards those whose convictions lead them to renounce war. On the other hand we have many of our pacifist friends becoming almost militant in their attempts to decry the arguments of their opponents.

Surely the sincere convictions of all people at any time are worthy of respect. It is well nigh impossible for any one to say whether the sufferings of a soldier in the front

AT THE HOTELS

Miss C. Boag, Mr J. Rinnie (Rotherham), Mr and Mrs N. Walker, Mr and Mrs W. McKay (Wairoa), Mr N. Janson, Mr G. McNathy (Welling ton, Mr and Mrs D. McGregor (Waipawa), Mr and Mrs C. R. Henry (Chicago), Mr H. C. Martin (Auckland), Mr H. T. Morton (Te Kuiti) are at the Pacific Hotel, Hastings.

Mr and Mrs N. A. Daniell (Dunedin), Mr and Mrs B. M. Deighton (Christchurch), Mrs J. L. McHardy (Porangahau), Mr G. Luke, Mr I. Tansley, Mr A. Swain, Mr C. A. Gallagher, Mrs J. G. Smith (Wellington) are at the Grand Hotel, Hastings

Mr D. O. Stewart, Mr Bruce Johnstone, Mrs Hobill, Mr and Mrs Wharfe, Mr R. Wharfe, Miss D. Adamson, Mr J. Harris, Mr J. Weir (Auckland), Miss Brandon, Mr A. A. Ancell, Mr J. B. Niven, Mr C. H. Rushbrook, Mr R. M. Moore, Dr H. Rushbrook, Mr R. M. Moore, Dr and Mrs Gibbs (Wellington), Miss M. Gibbs (Nelson), Mr and Mrs Smith (Waipawa), Miss J. Pilmer (Gisborne), Mr H. Gilbert (Christchurch), Mr C. F. Jellie, Mrs M. J. Sanderson, Miss M. P. Sanderson (Great Barrier Island), are at the Hotel Central, Napier.

Sir Harry Batterbee, Mr W. Anderson, Mr F. Cumming Bruce, Mr and Mrs I. Irons, Mrs W. Percival, Mr A. T. Thompson, Mr A. S. Jantke, Mr and Mrs G. Hazelwood (Wellington), Lady A. Bankart, Miss M. Frater, Mr A. Gillett, Mrs J. Johnston, Mr G. Metcalfe, Mrs E. C. Beale, Mrs J. D. Williamson (Auckland), Miss M. Marsden (Sydney), Mr B. J. Holdsworth, Master A. Holdsworth (Gisborne), Mr and Mrs H. B. Maunsell (Masterton), Mr M. C. Ellis (Melbourne), Mrs E. M. Shrimpton, Mr R. Back (Hastings), M. C. Ellis (Melbourne), Mrs E. M. Shrimpton, Mr R. Back (Hastings), Miss A. M. Bowden (Christchurch), Mr and Mrs W. S. McIlraith, Mr and Mrs J. L. Munro (Papakura), Mr S. Hunter (Porangahau), Mr J. Muncey (Singapore), Mr James Bush (Invercargill), Miss E. Scott (England), are at the Masonic Hotel, Napier.

Miss M. Jessep (Wairoa), Mr and Mrs Alex D. Fauth (Sydney), Mr and Mrs Belgrave (Yallbruin, Victoria), Mr and Mrs F. H. Symes (Hawera), Mrs R. Hamilton (Christchurch), Mr and Mrs James, Mr C. Meredith (Wellington), Mr D. Mills (Waikaremoana), Mrs P. Peterson (Fiji), Miss G. Bracket, Miss N. Neilson, Miss K. Temple, Miss N. Astin (Auckland) are at the Criterion Hotel, Napier.

WAIROA.

Minister's Visit

A round of offi made yesterday by Internal Affairs, to Parry, including a the State houses a utilities of Napier. Celebrations Comm

Mr Black, Mr and Mrs Mason (Palmerston North), Mrs Martin (Gisborne), Mr Russell. Mr Wil-

(Palmerston Johnston Mrs Johnston (Tamerston, Mrs Hurns (Gisborne), Mrs Walsh (Matahora), Mr Lockie, Mr Taylor, Mrs Robinson and family (Opoutama), are at the Ferry Hotel, Wairoa.

To-Day's Diary

HASTINGS

Bee-keeping demonstrations, Te Mata Road, 2 p.m. Swimming carnival, West baths, 2 p.m.

The Theatres: "Hotel for Women," State, 2.15, 5 and 8 p.m.
"Tarzan Finds a Son," Regent, 2.15, 5 and 8 p.m.
"Society Smugglers," and "Little Accident," Cosy, 2 and 7.45 p.m.

"Unmarried," and "One Third of a Nation," Municipal, 7.45 p.m.

NAPIER

Historical and Pageantry Procession to McLean Park, 2 p.m.
Displays at park in afternoon and evening.

Greyhound racing, League Park Stadium, 2.30 p.m.

much attention at the Hastings flower show yesterday. The central flower show yesterday is the flower show yesterday. The central flower show yesterday is the flower show yesterday. The central flower show yesterday is the flower show yesterday

The Theatres: n Old Monterey," and "Boy Slaves," Mayfair, 2 and 7.45

p.m. "Dead Man's Shoes," Regent and 8 p.m. Com "Nurse Edith Cavell," State, 2.15 the

The Breakfast

Customer: I want a pillowcase Clerk: What size? Customer: I don't know, but I wear a size seven hat.

Toleration

sible for any one to say whether the sufferings of a soldier in the front line are more severe or less terrible than the mental conflicts and the humiliations suffered by the consci-

"TOLERATION."

Proposed Loans

Sir,—I read in the "Daily Mail," dated February 21, that the proposed loan for stormwater, footpaths, etc., of £19,800 is for a period of 30 years, and that the annual charge will be £1173. I presume that this annual charge provides for the extinction of the loan at the end of the 30 years. If that is the case, the ratepayers will have paid £35,190 for the use of £19,800.—I am, etc., R.M.

Thanks

Sir,—A perusal of our daily papers certainly reminds us that been stationed at Hastings for the past 14 years, and who some time ago received notice of transfer on promotion to Foxton, has now been advised that he is to prepare to leave Hastings at the end of next week.

The Formula of our daily papers certainly reminds us that while a battle against intolerance is being waged overseas, there are many here in New Zealand who are many here in New Zealand who

Challenge Ignored

It will perhaps interest "H.G.R." and other readers to know that Mabel Curham was certainly not game, as I anticipated, to accept my genuine proposition.

All these letters, over the signa-

his apparent sponsors.

Have your readers ever tried the middle way?

Think it over.—I am, etc., B.L.H. DE ROSE.

Patrons of greyhound racing should note that to-day's fixture at League Park Stadium, Napier, will commence at 2.30 p.m., instead of in the evening, as in the past. Entries in all events are well up to standard, and good sport should result

A Hastings resident, Mrs Margaret Rowe, of 609 Buller Street, received a fractured leg yesterday when she slipped and fell. She was admitted to the Hastings Memorial Hospital, and her condition is proported to be stricted.

tion is reported to be satisfactory.

A bad gash on the wrist was received by Mr R. H. J. Vincent, Byron Street, Napier, yesterday morning as the result of a mishap while chopping wood. He was attended by his wife and a neighbour, Mr S. Hollay, and was admitted to the public hearits!

ic hospital, where his condition last night was reported to be satisfac-

from other centres will be taking part, including a party of eight adults and nine children from Wellington

Greyhound Racing

Woman Injured

Wrist Severely Cut

Easter Competitions

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Among those who participated in the Achilles broadcast yesterday

from Auckland was Seaman Sam Mercer, who is a son of Madame Margaret Mercer, Napier.

A round of official visits was made yesterday by the Minister of Internal Affairs, the Hon. W. E.

Internal Affairs, the Hon. W. E. Parry, including an inspection of the State houses and other public utilities of Napier. A meeting also took place between the Minister and members of the Napier Centennial Celebrations Committee.

Returned Men on Parade Returned soldiers will be on parade this afternoon to lead the procession into McLean Park, Napier, on the occasion of the visit of the Governor-General, Lord Galway. All (Gisborne), Mr Russell, Mr Williams, Mr Wright (Napier), Mr Bell, Mr Winters, Mr McGinty (Auckland), Mr Izon, Mr Page (Wellington), Mr Yule (Hastings), are at the Wairoa Hotel. Excellent entries are being received for the Napier Competition society's Easter Festival, and indications are that the event will be no less successful than in previous years. A number of competitors

expected.

Cheque Presented During the course of a dancing display at the Napier Sound Shell last night, opportunity was taken by the president of the Thirty Thousand Club, Mr P. W. Peters, to present a substantial cheque to the Mayor, Mr T. W. Hercock. These were the proceeds of the recent carnival in aid of Napier's Centential Mayoraid

nial Memorial.

Loan Proposal Next Tuesday evening Mr John Gilchrist will speak against the proposal of the Mayor to raise a loan of £53,300. The meeting is being held under the auspices of the Rate-

Flower Show Exhibit An attractive exhibit by a nurseryman of begonias, gloxinias and novelty flowers, including varieties of malus (crab apple) attracted much attention at the Hastings

Correction In yesterday's issue of the "Daily Mail" in a report of the visit to In yesterday's issue of the "Daily Mail" in a report of the visit to Hastings next Monday of the High Commissioner in New Zealand for the United Kingdom (Sir Harry Batterbee) it was stated that he would spend the evening at the Country Club. This was a mistake due to a typographical error, and should have read County Club.

Books For The Troops

As a result of the generosity of the Hastings Sub-Centre of the New Zealand Red Cross Society, the tity of books and papers. It was announced to the "Daily Mail" yesterday by Mrs T. H. Lowry that any books and produce not sold at the Red Cross Shop yesterday would be sent to the troops in amp and the sanatoriums.

Wairoa's Effort Commended

"Thanks for telegram forwarding wife: There are two sides to copy of resolution carried at public meeting urging that donations to patriotic funds be allowed as deducevery question.
Husband: Yes, dear. Yours and the wrong one.

"I once played in 'Uncle Tom's Cabin.'"
"Why? Were they short of hounds?"

patriotic funds be allowed as deductions from assessable income," wrote the Prime Minister (the Rt. Hon. M. J. Savage) in a telegram received by the Mayor of Wairoa (Mr H. L. Harker) yesterday. "Representations will have careful consideration," added Mr Savage.

LETTERS to the EDITOR HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

'DAILY MAIL'S" SPECIAL FORECAST IS FOR MAINLY FAIR WEATHER.

The "Daily Mail's" special forecast for Hawke's Bay is as follows: Winds: Strong northerly winds, possibly reaching gale force.

Weather: Mainly fair and warm but with occasional scattered rain, more especially in the high country-Seas: Rough offshore.

Hastings Weather

Meteorological readings yesterday at 5 p.m. at the Magnetic Observatory, Park, were as follows:—	Hastings	
Dry bulb temp	72.0deg.	
Wet bulb temp	67.0deg.	
Maximum temp	82.0deg.	
Minimum temp	46.0deg.	1
Grass	42.0deg.	
1ft. underground	72.0deg.	
Wind	E.2	
Cloud	Nil	
Rain	Nil.	
Rain for month	0.51 in.	
****** ********************************	Olog Hill	

Napier Weather

Meteorological readings taken yesterday at 5.30 p.m. at Napier are as follows:— All these letters, over the signatures of "Mabel Curham" remind as follows:—

me very much of one of the greatest tactics of Soviet Russia, i.e., side stepping the issue.

"Mabel Curham," however, made it quite clear that those letters written over that name were under the direct orders of Dr. Reifer or his apparent sponsors.

yesterday at 5.30 p.m. at Napler are useful as follows:—

Dry bulb temp.

S8.0deg.

Maximum temp.

70.5deg.

Minimum temp.

1ft. underground

69.5deg.

Yisibility

9

Rain

Nil
 Rain
 Nil

 Grass
 59.2deg.

 Sun
 11\frac{1}{2}

 Sun
 11\frac{1}{2}\text{hrs

 Humidity
 31 p.c.

 Cloud
 8

 Wind
 S.E. 3\frac{1}{2}

Dominion Forecast

General situation. A very deep and extensive depression is advanc-ing from the Tasman Sea, and its forward portion is already affecting conditions in the South Island.

Forecast: Winds: Fresh to strong northerly to north-westerly, reaching gale force in many places, later changing to south-westerly or changing to south-west southerly in the far south.

Seas (N.Z. waters): Moderate in-shore south of East Cape, becoming rough elsewhere. Eastern Tasman Sea: Strong northerly winds, reaching gale force in the central and southern por-tions, with a change to south-west-erly advancing from the south-west-

Seas: Rather rough in the north, high in the south. Weather: Further rain in western districts, especially of the South Island, and extending at times to eastern areas. Unsettled conditions probably continuing through the week-end, with heavy rain in places.

places. Temperatures: Mild to warm, but becoming cooler from the south.

No More Pineapples Members of the public who have a liking for pineapples would be well advised to indulge their fancy while they have the opportunity, for it seems likely that no more will be obtainable when present stocks are exhausted. Merchants have received advice from the Government that in cart, including a party of eight adults and nine children from Wellington.

Keep in mind that the Napier Cenennial Celebrations are now on.*

the meantime it is not issuing licency the importation of the fruit, which comes mainly from Fiji and Australia. The tinned product has been banned for some time, but stocks are still held by most retailers. the meantime it is not issuing licen-

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A Glorious Welcome Given To The Men Who Man The Achilles

Great Reception Given To Naval Heroes

MEMORABLE HOME-COMING

Men Of The N.Z. Cruiser Are Acclaimed

AUCKLAND EN FETE

By Telegraph-Press Association AUCKLAND, Feb. 23.

There is the authority of a vigorous-minded 88-year-old Aucklander for the statement that never before has the city given such a tumultuous and whole-hearted welcome as was accorded yesterday to the Achilles and her company when the cruiser returned to her home port covered with the honours of a sea fight ranking with the finest in British naval annals.

Upwards of 100,000 people of all ages assembled in Queen Street and adjacent vantage points to greet Captain Parry and his men as they marched to the civic reception at the Town Hall.

As many said, "For once, Auckland let itself

Their greetings and cheers were not restricted to the Achilles men. Officers and ratings of other naval units, soldiers from Papakura who are to fight for the Empire on land, men who are to wage war in the air and officers, seamen and stewardesses of the mercantile marine who preceded them in the triumphal procession through the flag-decked streets were equally acknowledged as vali-ant front-rankers in the fight.

The tone of the reception accorded the Achilles was set on the waterfront when the cruiser entered the harbour at 6.30 a.m., to be greeted by a host of small craft and by the triumphant sounding of every steam whistle and siren in the neighbourhood.

The Achilles' immediate purpose in returning to Auckland is to refit after having spent 168 days at sea.

Her men may now have a few days of well-earned shore leave before the cruiser moves over to the Devonport dockyard and becomes once again a vessel whose movements must

"Only unavoidable engagements prevent my being in Auckland to attend the welcome home to the Achilles," said the Hon. A. Hamilton, Leader of the Opposition, in a telegram sent to the Mayor. "I would be grateful if you will extend to Captain Parry and the crew of the Achilles my regret at not being able to share personally in their wonderful home-

"Their action, which brought success to the Empire and honour to the name of New Zealand, has thrilled us all to-day. We can express our pride and joy at the manner in which our New Zealand men did their duty and maintained their

In her years on the New Zealand Station H.M.S. Achilles had entered the Waitemata Harbour scores of times, slipping in quietly, as is the Navy's way. It was the same whether she had been steaming far out among the Pacific atolls or had merely carried out exercises in the Culf. Her company never expected Waterfront

for them after a long cruise that sweethearts and wives were sure to be waiting on the dockyard berth.

Six months ago, no officer or man in his wildest dreams could have foreseen such a homecoming as that of to-day when, with sirens shrieking, flags fluttering and aeroplanes circling overhead, Auckland welcomed home her own ship and metaphorically garlanded her with laurels of victory.

When the Achilles and the base, but a ween the Achilles and the base, but a way distance. The white Ensign had already been hoisted in advance of the usual hour, and pennants were flown in acknowledgment that Captain Parry had become acting-Commodore of the seagoing squadron on account of the indisposition of the Commodore.

As she turned to go in to her the Achilles and the base, but a way distance. I was quite happy to judge by the results. Later, when I went round among the men, I was delighted to see how cheerful they all were. There was a smile on every face and the question asked everywhere was "When are we going in again?"

Always On

"Manoeuvre Well Executed"

Even dearer to the hearts of the Achilles men must have been the signal flown at the Devonport naval base "Manoeuvre well executed" and the cheers of their comrades as they steamed past.

Aveklanders were out early to given only in the laconic language.

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fully broken, motor cars were on welcome fit for heroes and one that their way along the waterfront road. It will always remember.

welcome fit for heroes and one that impromptu sing-songs to the accompaniment of banjos and ukuleles."

Reverting to the actual battle, cliffs and at other points on both

Nelson's famous signal was flown from a temporary staff on Achilles Point, beyond St. Heliers, and the merchantmen in port were bedecked with busing. Dozens of launches and a smaller

number of yachts could be seen waiting off North Head, while a steady stream of others made its way down stream to the rendezvous. Conspicuous among them was a fine new speed tender of the Royal New Zealand Air Force, which passed in a flurry of spray and quickly disappeared round the head. As half-past six drew near, five

aeroplanes appeared out of an immense cloud bank over the western hills and set off towards the Gulf, three of them flying in formation.

"Welcome Home"

The signal "Welcome Home" was hoisted on the flagstaff of Mount Victoria, while aeroplanes made a wide circle and made a course down

The Harbour Board's two tugs left their berths and steamed eastward as a sort of welcoming deputation.
The Achilles had her second greeting from more than 600 troops at Narrow Neck and North Head, who lined the shore in front of the bat-

from the Auckland waterfront over the intervening land, and in a few minutes more her grey hull appear-ed from behind the headland, half silhouetted against the bright morn-

As the ship drew nearer it could be seen that she was flying the signal "Thank you," a general answer to the greetings she had received from all quarters. Her crew were

filling the harbour with sound and a direct hit. The only damage done tality of their neutral hosts

By "Mailbottle" From Troops

New Plymouth Residents Receive Unexpected Communication

A Novel Message

Container Floats From Troopship To The Manukau Coast

Two New Plymouth residents ow visiting Hastings have estabished contact with their son, who is serving with the Second New Zealand Expeditionary Force, in an un-

expected manner.

A resident of Waipihi, Waiuku,
Mr L. L. McDonald, discovered on
February 18, a bottle washed up on
the west coast in his district, some
fifteen miles south of Manukau
Heads. Enclosed were four envelopes, and one of these Mr McDonald
forwarded to Mr and Mrs Ferry at
New Plymouth with an account of

New Plymouth with an account of how he found it.

The envelope was from their son, Private E. H. Ferry, and the message read:

"From troopship Empress of Canada ZI, Sunday, January 7, 1940. Private E. H. Ferry, No. 5787, Brigade Headquarters, 2nd N.Z.-E.F.," together with the soldier's home address.

home address.

In view of the distance out the ship must have been when the bottle was sent overboard, this impromptu mailbag made a remarkably quick journey back to New Zealand's shores. Thus four families have made what seems a very personal contact with their men overseas.

RISE IN THE PRICE OF PETROL

Another Half-penny

INCREASED COST OF SHIPMENTS

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, Feb. 23.

An increase of a halfpenny per gallon in the price of motor spirit throughout New Zealand, as from this morning, is announced by the oil companies. The reason is said to be the rising cost of recent overseas shipments, not only in the f.o.b price of motor spirit, but also in freight costs and rates of war risk insurance.

risk insurance.
Full details of the companies' increased costs have been submitted to the Department of Industries and Commerce, which has approved the increase.

Notice of the increase is contained in a Gazette notice issued

on board and the only casualties were the result of flying shell splin-

Waterfront
Cheers

Everywhere on the waterfront ringing cheers were exchanged between the Achilles and the base, but was different to have been the Achilles and the base, but was different to have been the Achilles and the base, but was different to have been the Achilles and the base, but was different to have been the Achilles and the base, but was different to have been the Achilles and the base, but was different to have been the Achilles and the base, but was different to have been the Achilles and the base, but was different to have been the result of hydrogeners where the result of hydrogeners were shown that morning until late that night," Captain Parry continued, "every man on the Achilles was on his job. Naturally I did not see much of the men during the battle. I was tied to the bridge, but

As she turned to go in to her berth the Achilles was bathed in brilliant light from a low sun, her "For the four "For the four nights that the Graf

Aucklanders were out early to greet the cruiser, and well before 6 o'clock, when daylight had not 6 o'clock, when daylight had not 6 o'clock, when daylight had not 7 or own activities, while the men were giving rather uncouth noise, but it was a vent to their high spirits by staging

Reverting to the actual battle, Captain Parry said that the Graf Spee had proved a redoubtable foe. The quality of the German gun-nery had been excellent. Some of the reports of the action appearing in the South American and American can newspapers were however Parry. The welcome given in the early morning to his ship and to his ship's company had obviously inhighly imaginative. The nearest the Achilles got to the Graf Spee was just over four miles, but at varyin ranges she was firing all out for 80 minutes."

minutes of happy re-union with his wife, who was the first to board the cruiser at the wharf and he was left know with any degree of accuracy we income the control of the cruiser at the wharf and he was left know with any degree of accuracy we income the cruiser at the cruiser at the wharf and he was left know with any degree of accuracy we income the cruiser at t know with any exactly how mental form in no doubt as to the gratitude extended to him by all New Zealanders for his leadership of their own sailors in the first naval battle in which a New Zealand warship has been engaged.

Inaccurate exactly how much damage we in-flicted on the Graf Spee," said Cap-

Captain Parry received Pressmen Stories

Captain Parry received Pressment in his cabin shortly after the berthing of the Achilles, and discussed personally the various aspects of the battle, a full account of which he provided in an official narrative.

"I could not possibly wish to command a finer ship's company," Captain Parry said. "In saying this, I do not refer only to conduct of the men in action but also to their exemplary service during the whole period of our absence from New Zealand.

"Patrol work which keeps a ship at sea for weeks on end can become terribly monotonous and terribly tedious, but the men were really astoundingly good. Not once was there any falling off in their from the start I was confident that if we were called on to go into action it would not be through any lack of spirit of efficiency if the Achilles failed to give a good account of herself."

Stories

"Our people in Montevideo said that the German ship had about 50 hits, but I am inclined to accept that with reserve. One shell breaking up might cause a number of holes. Even the Uruguayan officials who went on board the Graf Spee at Montevideo only saw what they were shown and did not know the full extent of the internal damage." "British merchant captains who were prisoners on board the Graf Spee at Montevideo only saw what they were shown and did not know the internal damage." "British merchant captains who were prisoners on board the Graf Spee at Montevideo only saw what they were prisoners on board the Graf Spee at Montevideo only saw what they were prisoners on board the Graf Spee at Montevideo only saw what they were prisoners on board the Graf Spee at Montevideo only saw what they were shown and did not know the internal damage." "British merchant captains who were prisoners on board the Graf Spee at Montevideo only saw what they were shown and did not know the internal damage." "British merchant captains who were prisoners on board the Graf Spee at Montevideo only saw what they were shown and did not know the I was a for the internal damage." The state of the in

tion camp."
Captain Parry also paid a tribute from all quarters. Her crew were massed on the decks, with one group on the foremost turret.

Off Devonport wharf, two tugs fell in astern and the Achilles turn-reports had not yet been released by cities German influence was very controlled with the Achilles turn-reports had not yet been released by cities German influence was very controlled with the Achilles turn-reports had not yet been released by cities German influence was very controlled with the Achilles turn-reports had not yet been released by cities German influence was very cities.

Contact Made DOUBLE WIN IN GOLF PROFESSIONAL TOURNEY

Shannon Representatives' Fine Feat On Maraenui Links

The Shandon professional, D. Boyd, scored a double win in yesterday's play in the New Zealand professional golfers' tournament now being held on the Maraenui links.

The Bamford Cup was won by Boyd with a card of 148 and the 18 hole bogey handicap with a score of three up. In

the latter competition J. Weir was second with a score of 1 up.

A feature of yesterday's play in the New Zealand Professional Golf Tournament at the Maraenui Links, Napier, was the first and second rounds of the Hawke's Bay professional championship. The course was rather hard and fast after the dry weather, but nevertheless the dry weather, but nevertheless the players soon adapted themselves to it, with the result that some excel-

it, with the result that some excellent cards were returned.

In conjunction with the championship rounds, the President's
Medal Handicap, of 18 holes, and
a 36-hole medal handicap for the
Hendry and Bishop Cup, were
played.

Results are as follows:—

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BROMFORT CUP								
	D. Boyd			76	72			
	J. Weir				73			
	A. Murray				74			
	J. McIntosh							
	F. G. Bryan							
	J. Clements				79			
	T. Greene				77			
	R. B. Butte				78			
	A. H. Dyke				79			
	J. Watt				74			
	A. J. Shaw				77			
	J. Lambie				77			
	G. Melvin							
	T. R. Blair				81			
	E. Moss							
	T. Galloway B. J. Smith	-		94	76			
	K. Williams					161		
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G. K. Melvin 75 89 164
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PRESIDENT'S HANDICAP This match resulted in a tie between G. Melvin and T. S. Galloway, each with 70 net. Melvin won on the count back, T. S. Galloway being second. MARAENUI STABLEFORD

J. McIntosh won this match with a score of 37, J. Weir being second with 36.

TO-DAY'S PLAY

To-day the third and fourth rounds of the Hawke's Bay provincial championship, which commenced yesterday, will be played, and the final will take place this afternoon. The final is timed to commence at 3 p.m., and should give people wishing to attend the Centennial procession in Napier time to see the floats before going to the course.

In conjunction with this morn-

In conjunction with this morning's rounds, the vice-president's bogey handicap will be competed for over 18 holes, and this afternoon an 18-hole consolation medal handicap will be played.

Bowling Pairs Tourney

HERETAUNGA GREEN

Four Rounds Played Yesterday

The Hawke's Bay bowling centre champion pairs tournament was commenced on the Heretaunga Bowling Club's green yesterday. Four rounds of 21 ends being played under ideal weather conditions. The greens were in very fine order.

Lassen, Head (Kia Toa), 25; But-

Spriggs, Thomas (Napier), 25; Liley, Cummins (Havelock North),

Logan, McCarthy (Port Ahuriri), B; White, Goer (National Service), Garland, Hall (Hastings), 23; Elmes, Wray (Wairere), 12. Jopson, Eagle (Waipawa), 18; Giles, Collinge (Heretaunga), 15.

Second Round Heretaunga 19, Oamrunui

(22nd). National Service 21, Napier 19. Havelock North 23, Port Ahuriri

Hastings 27, Waipawa 16. Waipukurau 20, Wairere 13. Bluff Hill 20, Kia Toa 19.

Third Round Waipukurau 21, Havelock North

Kia Toa 18, Wairere 15. Hastings 25, Heretaunga 12. National Service 19, Bluff Hill 12. Omarunui 17, Port Ahuriri 15. Waipawa 19, Napier 14. Fourth Round

Napier 19, Heretaunga 17. Hastings 22, Waipukurau 14. Port Ahuriri 21, Bluff Hill 14. Havelock North 19, Wairere 13. Waipawa 20, Kia Toa 18. National Service 31, Omarunui 16. Summary

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WAIMARAMA SURF PATROL

RED CROSS SHOP

HASTINGS HELP FOR FINLAND

Good Trade Maintained All Day

All the children in Finland.

sponse to an appeal for aid from the International Red Cross at Geneva, was £276/14/1. This included private money donations and a gift of £10/10/- from the Hawke's Bay centre of the Red Cross Society, in addition to money taken in the shop from the produce and jumple profrom the produce and jumble pro

From the morning onwards steady stream of shoppers filled the shop where stalls selling meat, produce, cakes, sweets, jumble and odd-ments appeared to maintain a con-sistently high pressure. The stallholders were excellent salesmen and there seemed to be few who entered the shop and who failed to buy more than they had originally intended Even the hardened heart of a re-porter was softened and he viewed with alarm the rapidity with which pockets were being so charm ingly drained.

symbolised much that is finest in Red Cross activity, could not fail to impress those who passed by.

The Stalls The stalls, which were organised

and managed by members of Hastings Red Cross and women's societies in the district

Speaking Union (Hastings).
Produce: Maraekakaho Red Cross and W.D.F.U Flowers and Sweet Stall: Hastings V.A.D.'s.
Books and papers: Hastings Red Jumble: Hastings Townswomen's

WAIPUKURAU EWE

FEW PRESENT

"Daily Mail" Special Service. WAIPUKURAU.

The yarding of 23,000 ewes show ed a definite decline on the last fair at Waipukurau, prices were on an average about 2/- to 3/- down. This was attributed largely to the dry weather and stocks held in hand.

weather and stocks held in hand. The highest price for 5-year-olds was 22/3 on account of Mr M. Davidson, while a fine offering of four-tooths on account of the Estate of Sir George Hunter realised 27/-. On the whole the 5-year-olds made the best market as they were least affected by the easier market, being only 1/- to 2/- down.

There was only a moderate offering of tops which were in first-class order.

order.
The smaller attendance restricted The smaller attendance restricted the buying power, and quite a few pens were passed in.

A line to two-tooths from Motere Station brought 28/2, with a second cut making 27/10. Other top lines brought 26/- to 27/3, medium grown pens brought 22/- to 25/- and small from 17/- to 21/-. Average quality 5-year-olds brought from 16/- to 18/-, poor mouthed pens from 11/- to 15/-. The prices realised were as follows:—

Murray, Roberts & Co.

Murray, Roberts & Co.
On account of Mr J. A. King,
Ongaonga, 158 early small framed
6-tooth ewes, mixed in condition,
were passed at 16/6; out of the same
draft 222 5 and 5-year ewes, light
framed and mixed in wool and condition made 15/6. On account of Mr
D. A. Stoddart, 115 well framed fiveyear ewes strong sliped and well year ewes, strong sliped and well mouthed, brought 19/6. On account of Mr D. I. Finch, Whetukura, 210 well framed late shorn 5 and 6-year ewes, an annual draft, showing good mouths and in good condition, sold

on account of Mr W. Clark, Argyle, 117 well framed 5-year ewes early shorn and splendidly mouthed being in good condition realised 18/-.

being in good condition realised 18/-. de Pelichet, McLeod & Co.
On account of Est. D. M. Gollan, Tamumu, 187 well grown 2-tooth ewes well sliped and in good condition, sold in two lots at 26/6 and 27/-. On account of A. S. Wilder, 231 4, 5, and 6-year ewes, late shorn and well framed but mixed in the mouths were passed at 16/6.
On account of Mr H. R. Peacock, Mangatatara, 194 late shorn maiden 4-tooths, medium framed and in good condition brought 22/5.

thorpe, 125 medium grown two-tooth ewes with a good slipe and in medium order made 23/6.

Dalgety & Co. Ltd

Society's effort to provide aid for Johnston, Tamumu, 151 fairly the children in Finland. mixed in mouth and condition, made 14/-. On account of Mr J. R. Byrne, Wilder Settlement, 126 fairly fram-

ed 4 and 5-year ewes, well mouthed being in good order and carrying a good slipe made 18/1.

Williams & Kettle Ltd. On account of Mr A. J. Rathbone, 250 medium to well grown early shorn two-tooth ewes mixed in the slipe and in good condition and sound realised 24/6. On account of Mr D. Howse, South Makaretu, 200

Mr D. Howse, South Mr D. Howse, medium to fair grown early shorn two-tooth ewes a little mixed in the slipe, met the market at 25/10. On account of E. B. Todd, Mt. Herbert, 450 guaranteed well framed 5-year ewes late shorn, well mouthed, being a top line of sheep, met the market

a top line of sheep, met the market at 19/4 and 19/- in two lots.
On account of J. W. McNutt, and off the Wanstead hills, 448 late shorn 4, 5 and 6-year ewes in good condition and fairly framed were passed at 16/-. On account of F. de Stacpoole, Takapau, 150 nicely grown early shorn two-tooth ewes in good condition being an attractive top even line were passed in at 27/3.
On account of Miss McRae, 130 well framed, early shorn, aged mark-wighting the market least, and in accordance with they were advertised in the Press ing for our home defence can have they were advertised in the Press, and the 30th January, 1940, and then on the 6th, 13th, 14th and 19/- in two memoring on the 30th January, 1940, and then on the 6th, 13th, 14th and 19/- in two memoring on the 30th January, 1940, and then on the 6th, 13th, 14th and 19/- in two memoring on the 30th January, 1940, and then on the 6th, 13th, 14th and 19/- in two memoring on the 30th January, 1940, and then on the 6th, 13th, 14th and 19/- in two memoring on the 30th January, 1940, and then on the 6th, 13th, 14th and 19/- in two memoring on the 30th January, 1940, and then on the 6th, 13th, 14th and 19/- in two memoring on the 30th January, 1940, and then on the 6th, 13th, 14th and 19/- in two memoring on the 30th January, 1940, and then on the 6th, 13th, 14th and 19/- in two memoring on the 30th January, 1940, and then on the 6th, 13th, 14th and 19/- in two memoring on the 30th January, 1940, and then on the 6th, 13th, 14th and 19/- in two memoring on the 30th January, 1940, and then on the 6th, 13th, 14th and 19/- in two memoring on the 30th January, 1940, and then on the 6th, 13th, 14th and 19/- in two memoring on the 30th January, 1940, and then on the 6th, 13th, 14th and 19/- in two memoring on the 30th January, 1940, and then on the 6th, 13th, 14th and 19/- in two memoring on the 30th January, 1940, and then on the 6th, 13th, 14th and 19/- in two memoring on the 30th January, 1940, and then on the 6th, 13th, 14th and 19/- in two memoring on the 30th January, 19 well framed, early shorn, aged mark-ed 5-year ewes splendidly mouthed paid. If we have ever failed to re-

ed 5-year ewes splendidly mouthed being in good condition with a good slipe made 18/10.

On account of Mr P. Hunter, Porangahau, 125 medium grown two-tooth ewes being in bright order and carrying a good slipe and good condition realised 24/10.

even, brought 11/9.

On account of Mr R. B. Boyle, the water supply for the protection of property and lives against fire and disease, and for the domestic sliped with fine wool, being very supply for the protection of property and lives against fire and disease, and for the domestic sliped with fine wool, being very supply for the protection of property and lives against fire and disease, and for the domestic sliped with fine wool, being very supply for the protection of property and lives against fire and disease, and for the domestic sliped with fine wool, being very supply for the protection of property and lives against fire and disease, and for the domestic sliped with fine wool, being very supply for the protection of property and lives against fire and disease, and for the domestic sliped with fine wool, being very supply for the protection of property and lives against fire and disease, and for the domestic sliped with fine wool, being very supply for the protection of property and lives against fire and disease, and for the domestic sliped with fine wool, being very supply for the protection of property and lives against fire and disease, and for the domestic sliped with fine wool, being very supply for the protection of property and lives against fire and disease, and for the domestic sliped with fine wool, being very supply for the protection of property and lives against fire and disease, and for the domestic sliped with the sincerity and fairness in dealing with the supply su

two-tooth ewes off high country well sliped with fine wool, being very sound and bright brought 24/- to 23/6 in two lots.

On account of W. Matthews, 353 early shorn, well framed four-year ewes in good condition and well sliped made 20/4. On account of Sliped made 20/4. On account of G. A. MADDISON, Mrs. H. Hutana, 400 well framed five-Mrs. H with mouths and udder ght and carrying a good slipe made

On account of Mr F. D. Noble, 130 Kenzie, F. Ferguson, P. Buck, S. Matthews, R. Toothill, C. Summers, A. Taylor, R. Peters.

These are to meet at the corner of Warren and Eastbourne streets, at 9.30 o'clock, to-morrow morning. Those who cannot attend are asked to inform the captain

School.

The organisers of the shop were mouths, udders and feet stated to be sound, with a good slipe, brought 17/3. On account of Mr A. W. Elliot, 125 medium grown two-tooth ewes, including a few small sheep with a medium slipe of fine wool to inform the captain

NAPIER'S PAGEANTRY **PROCESSION**

Historical Displays Arranged For To-day

CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

To-day's grand historical and pageantry procession in Napier leaves the Marine Parade at 2 p.m. sharp.

The procession will be headed by the mounted group, provided by the young farmers, followed by Napier's Centennial

One novel and interesting display will be the appearance of a bullock waggon drawn by a team of eight bullocks, something that many of the present generation have never seen. The floats will be many in number, both colourful and picturesque. There will be interesting historical displays, beau-

tiful floral floats, and the old-time stage coach, industrial displays, motor exhibits, and a host of other displays into which time and money have been unstintingly put. As soon as the procession concludes to-night, snap displays will take place in the following order: Boy Scouts, dance

teachers' group, Hukarere girls, Red Cross, Miss Mavis Simmonds' troupe, Te Aute College, Port Ahuriri Pipe Band and Pakowhai Maori display.

Pioneers displaying their ribbons will be admitted free to both sessions at the park.

In view of the fact that the Na-ier Centennial Celebrations Com-nittee will not be able to obtain BIRTHDAY" Centennial Events

mittee will not be able to obtain finance from any source other than the gate money to McLean Park, the public is asked to accord full support to to-day's programme.

At the conclusion of the afternoon programme at 4.30 until the evening programme, the floats which comprised the procession will be placed under guard, and will not be open to inspection by the public, who will have ample opportunity to examine the various units of the procession at close range.

The children's events, the best decorated bicycles and novelty entries will be judged this afternoon, and the results announced to-night, when the prizes will be presented. Invitation holders for the procession this afternoon are requested to

"IT IS EVERYBODY'S

HON. W. E. PARRY'S REMARKS

Napier People Praised

"I have heard so much about Cen-tennial celebrations at Napier that I feel myself full of deep admira-Invitation holders for the procession this afternoon are requested to enter McLean Park by the Latham Street gate and to take their seats on the new stand through the central staircase leading from the playing area.

Official Guests

The official guests, Sir Harry Batterbee, High Commissioner for the United Kingdom, together with his niece, Miss Biggar, the Hon. W. E. Parry, in speaking of the preparations made for the big event of the historical pageantry to take place to-day.

The Minister said that the policy of the Government from the outset had been for a national celebration of the Centennial. It was sincere-

ewes well sliped and in good condition, sold in two lots at 26/6 and 27/-. On account of A. S. Wilder, 231 4, 5, and 6-year ewes, late shorn and well framed but mixed in the mouths were passed at 16/6.

On account of Mr. H. R. Peacock, Mangatatara, 194 late shorn maiden 4-tooths, medium framed and in good condition brought 22/5.
On account Pongi Tutaki, Porangahau, 316 guaranteed 5-year ewes, well mouthed, being a genuine line and in good order off high country sold at 18/1.
On account of H. R. Peacock, 366 late shorn small two-tooths were passed in at 18/1. On account of Motere Station, 295 well grown early shorn two-tooth ewes, fine woolled and in attractive order, sold in cuts at 28/2 and 27/10. A further pen of 305 two-tooth ewes out of the same draft were passed at 27/3.
On account of D. F. Scannell, Elsthorpe, 125 medium grown two-tooth ewes with a good slipe and in medium grown two-tooth ewes with a good slipe and in medium grown two-tooth ewes with a good slipe and in medium grown two-tooth ewes with a good slipe and in medium grown two-tooth ewes with a good slipe and in medium grown two-tooth ewes with a good slipe and in medium grown two-tooth ewes with a good slipe and in medium grown two-tooth ewes with a good slipe and in medium grown two-tooth ewes with a good slipe and in medium grown two-tooth ewes with a good slipe and in medium grown two-tooth ewes and grown two-tooth ewes and grown two-tooth ewes with a good slipe and in medium grown two-tooth ewes with a good slipe and in medium grown two-tooth ewes and grown two-tooth ewes and grown two-tooth ewes grown grown grown two-tooth ewes grown grown grown grown two-tooth ewes grown grown

take their positions on the grandstand, and the procession will enter the park for the grand march past, and the salute will be taken by his Excellency.

Request to Public

The public are requested to be in the park, if possible, by 2.45 p.m., and to leave the playing area absolutely clear in order to avoid hampering the procession, which has now reached proportions of such magnitude that a clear run is absolutely essential. Floats and enter the procession are requested to proceed to the starting point on the Marine Parade, via Tennyson Street, Hastings Street, Byron Street and round the Fload Memorial on the Parade. Floads and vehicular entries are expected to assemble from noon onwards in order that the procession are requested to proceed to the starting point on to proceed to the Marine Parade, via Tennyson Street, Hastings Street, Byron Street and round the Fload Memorial on the Parade. Floads and vehicular entries are expected to assemble from noon onwards in order that the procession are requested to proceed to the starting point on to proceed to the starting point on to proceed to the Marine Parade, via Tennyson Street, Hastings Street, Byron Street and round the Fload Memorial on the Parade. Floads and vehicular entries are expected to assemble from noon onwards in order that the procession are requested to proceed to the Marine Parade, via Tennyson Street, Hastings Street, Byron Street, Byron Street, Hastings Street, Byron Street, Hastings Street, Byron Street, Byr

LETTERS to the EDITOR

Letters to the Editor must be written on one side of the

anonymously. Loan Proposals

Sir,—May I remind Mr S.B. Plum-ley that there are three loan pro-posals and not one; and that the total money involved aggregates £53,300 and not £53,000 as stated by

russion and have been reported in the Press for the past 12 months at least, and in accordance with law

ceive this Government subsidy, then it has never been the fault of the

On account of Mr P. Hunter, Porangahau, 125 medium grown two-tooth ewes being in bright order and carrying a good slipe and good condition realised 24/10.

H.B. Farmers

On account of Mr H. W. White 250 nicely grown early shorn 2-tooth On account of Mr H. W. White 250 nicely grown early shorn 2-tooth ewes in good condition well sliped with fine wool brought 26/6.
On account of Mr E. Wakelin, Mangaorapa, 184 late shorn well framed 5-year ewes low mouth, but even, brought 11/9.
On account of Mr R. B. Boyle, the water supply for the protection

Military Training

Sir,—The Hastings Chamber of Commerce has at last surpassed itself. Whilst urging conscription upon the Government, which same act will compel many of their fel-

paper only, and in ink. The correspondent's name and residential address must be given even if the letter is to be published

they are now urging that the camps should not be held at times unsuitable to their business. What utter selfishness. Would they send the

I am rather surprised that Mr Plumley should not have a better knowledge of the loan proposals and their publicity, or is it an attempt on his part to "deceive the mind"? The loan proposals have been under discovered by the surprised that Mr resent? Certainly not the majority of the business people. Personally, I am one who sees more danger to New Zealand from a certain Pacific Power than from our present event. are justified in denuding the country to the extent that we are doing, but have no doubts that military train-

ing for our home defence can have but few opponents as the danger is

Anti-Communism

Sir,—May I, through your columns, assure enquirer "H.G.R." that "Mabel Curham" would have welcomed an opportunity to meet
Mr de Rose personally or on the
platform, had she lived within
reach. Being otherwise, it was not reach. Being otherwise, it was not possible and being at so far a distance she would be at a disadvantage in continuing this controversy.

As I know the writer, I am stating

this, in fairness to herself. I have heard many comments on her let-ters to the paper and all are impress-

not content to accept just what the "powers that be" think fit that we

should know.

I admire the writer and wish we vomen were more alert. We are too apathetic and too apt to "stay put" in the domestic sphere, where man would relegate us. It is refreshing to find one who can rise above it.

ANTI-COMMUNIST,

Signal Rangitoto Channel.

ed slightly to starboard in order that she might pass nearer to the naval base. A terrific din broke out,

No Happier

been engaged.

There could have been no happier man in New Zealand than Captain

He had obtained a few

Omarunui

• The following are asked to attend the Waimarama Surf Patrol of the Heretaunga Swimming Club: R. Shakespeare (capt.), L. Ball, K. McKenzie, F. Ferguson, P. Buck, S. Matthews, R. Toothill, C. Summers, A. Taylor, R. Peters

£276 TAKEN

ler, Clarkson (Waipukurau), 12.
Dunn, Wardell-Johnson (Bluff
Hill), 25: Brown, McDonald (OmaCross shop, which was set up in re-

vided by friends of the society.

The organisers were well satisfied with the result achieved. It was the general opinion that this was due to the co-operation and generosity of all those who had worked in the shop and of those who throughout the day had called to leave goods and purchase others.

A striking window display, which

Cakes: Hastings Women's Community Club.

Jams, Fruit, Eggs: The English renden Women's Institute

BRILLIANT PAGEANTRY FOR MAORI DAY

Comprehensive Display To Open The Centennial Week

TROOPS TO BE PRESENT

Definite advice has been received by the member for Hawke's Bay (Mr E. L. Cullen) from the Minister of Defence (the Hon. F. Jones) that arrangements have been made for Hawke's Bay members of the Maori Rifle Battalion to attend the Maori hui which marks the opening of the Hastings Centennial celebrations on Saturday, March 9.

There can be no doubt that the Maoris are fully aware of the honour bestowed upon them in the providing of the Hastings Centennial Memorial and in the privilege of opening the Centennial celebrations, and there is every indication that the display on Maori Day will be larger and more comprehensive than that of any similar occasion in Hawke's Bay.

It is the intention of the Maoris to assemble at Market Street at 2 p.m., and to march in procession to Nelson Park, led by the members of the Maori Battalion. There will be no band, but the Maoris will sing the famous marching song, Te Ope Tuatahi, which was composed as a recruiting song for the first Maori contingent. Almost all the members of each pa in the province will participate in the procession, which has been the province will participate in the procession, which has been timed to reach Nelson Park at approximately 2.30 p.m. Sir Apirana Ngata and Princess Te Puea have been invited to attend the ceremony and with the Mayor's party they will be welcomed by the Maoris with traditional pomp.

Output

DAIRYING IN WAIROA

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THE CENTENNIAL

PROCESSIONS

MARCH OF PROGRESS

REVEALED

HASTINGS' WEEK

54 Floats Have Been Entered

The two Centennial processions

to be held in Heretaunga Street

Hastings, on Monday, March 11, and

on Thursday, March 14, promise to

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Most of the exhibits are of out

Bay for the past 100 years.

tanding merit.

(Mr H. Trewby).

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Before the official party the Maoris will execute the Pouhiri, An Increase In which is the Maori haka of welcome. The Rangatiras will stand on mats ready to receive the official guest. Their messenger will place the manuka at the feet of the Mayor who will then advance towards the local chiefs.

Not the least impressive activities of the day will be the final crown ing of the Maori Queen. The Maoris are entering with great enthusiasm into this contest in which four queens, representative of the various pas, will compete. During the day the representatives of the the day the representatives of the four candidates will compete for patere or waiata (chanting recitations), action songs, a men's haka and another item of their own choosing. Sir Apirana Ngata. Princess Te Puea and Mr Paora Tahau, of Rotorua, will judge the contests. Members of each pa are now busy rehearsing for the competitions, and it is understood as many as 80 performers will be included in each team on behalf of its representative queen.

The Queen Candidates.

The following are the candidates who will compete for the honour of Maori Queen, with the votes which each has received to date:-

(Mr H. Trewby).

Suppliers of the company received a total payment of £8724 this week, on the basis of 1/1½ a lb finest grade butterfat for last month's cream submitted, totalling 152,617lbs. This compares favourably with returns for the corresponding month last year, when a total payment of £8363 was made on the same basis, 156,504lb of butterfat being supplied. MAORA HAKIWAI (Omahu and Waiohiki), 964 votes: TE UIRA TOMOANA (Kohupatiki, Waipatu and Matahiwi). 1560; MIHIROA MOHI (Paki Paki), 1010; ATA PETA WAINOHU (Korongata), 950

The contest will close at 8.45 p.m. on Maori Day, when the winning queen will be crowned with traditional Maori pageantry.

Maori Cooking

Maori Cooking

Another important display will be the cooking of food in the old-time Maori oven on heated stones—known among Maoris as hangi. The ceremony for the hangi will include the chanting of the food by the wahines. The Maoris are catering for some 1000 people and the food will be served in Maori baskets.

Other items will be given by the Maori Choir and by members of the Maori Rifle Battalion, who will give marching and drill displays together with hakas. These, there can be little doubt, will be received with the tumultuous acclamation of their own

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people.

Not the least significant aspect of the Maori celebrations will be its educational value, especially to the younger people. Many age-old customs and traditions beaten out of time and untold history will be seen by many of the younger generation for the first time. It is fitting that the Centennial pageant should be the most comprehensive seen in the province for over twenty years. province for over twenty years.

JACK OLSEN LEAVES HASTINGS

Farewell Tendered By Sporting Fraternity

The departure of Mr and Mrs Jack
Olsen from Hastings is widely regretted by the sporting fraternity in ber of exhibitors, and they have no ber of exhibitors, and they have no

ANNUAL SPORTS AT PUTORINO

FIELD AND HORSE EVENTS

IDEAL DAY

Popular Fixture Ends With Dance

Daily Mail" Special Service.

PUTORINO.

An enjoyable day was spent at the Putorino Sports Club's annual meeting held on the Domain. The crowd and the competitors inspired the hard working officials to leave nothing unione for this popular fixture. A successful dance was held in the evening in the hall, the music being supplied by the Buff's Orchestra.

Results are as follows:—

Rennett Cup. open hunters: P. Jes-

Bennett Cup, open hunters: P. Jes Jessep Cup, novice in district maiden nd open jumps: K. Anderson. Inter-school Cup: Kotemaori 1, Puorino 2. Miniature Cups for boy or girl gaining most points: R. Mabey, girls; W. cott, boys.

Horse Events

Horse Events
District maiden jump: Miss Bennett
1, Miss W. McKenzie 2, S. Scott 3.
Open hunters: P. Jessep 1, T. Mossman 2, Miss W. McKenzie 3.
Pony jump: W. Walker 1, Ken Anderson 2, R. Joe 3.
Consolation: Miss W. McKenzie 1,
C. Denton 2, C. Denton 3.
Open bending: W. Sturmey 1, J.
Haliburton 2.
Turning: K. Anderson 1, W. Sturmey 2.

Potato race: S. Scott 1 and 2. Flag race: S. Scott 1, Miss W. Mc-tenzie 2. Kenzie 2. Musical chairs: N. Compton I, S. Scott 2. Night alarm: N. Compton I, C. Night darkin: N. Compton 1, J. Chorse relay: A. Hedley's team 1, J. Haliburton's team 2.
Horse, suitable for remount: Miss Bennett 1, C. Denton 2.
Ladies' hack: Miss W. McKenzie 1, Miss Bennett 2.
Best boy or girl rider: Mary McKay 1, Alice Joe 2, Fay Bellerby 3.
Wrestling on horseback: A. Hedley's team 1.
Horse leading race: N. Compton 1, C. Denton 2.

Field Events

Wheelbarrow race: John McIntosh and Miss McKenzie 1, J. Haliburton and Miss McKinnon 2. 100 yards: Jim McIntosh 1, John McIntosh 2. yards: R. Harwood 1, John Mc-220 yards: R. Harwood I, John McIntosh 2.
440 yards: John McIntosh 1, Ian
Haevs 2.
880 yards: John McIntosh 1, Jim
McIntosh 2.
One mile: Ian Haeys 1, J. Behm

Although the unusually dry weather over the past three months has adversely affected the dairy industry in the Wairoa district, the output at the Wairoa Co-operative Dairy Company's factory for the last month was greater than for January, 1939, according to figures supplied yesterday by the secretary (Mr H. Trewby). One mile bike: J. Strachan 1, F. One mile bike: J. Strachan 1, F. Kennon 2.
Single women's race: Fay Bellerby, M. Harwood 2.
Women's nail driving: Mrs Mabey, Mrs Bennett 2.
Women's potato race: M. Harwood, R. Mabey 2.
Mixed three legged race: Miss J. Jabey and J. Strachan 1, Miss D. Jurohy and R. Mulligan 2.
Mixed relay: McKenzie's team 1, akehill 2. Pillow fight: Ian Haeys 1, S. Scotts

Schools' teams relay: Kotemaori 1. Tug of war: Kotemaori 1, Moeanga-ngi 2. School Competitions

School Competitions
Girls' high jump: R. Mabey (Putorino) 1, M. Gavin (Kotemaori) 2, P. Parsons (Kotemaori) 3. Junior girls, 7 to 10: J. McLean (Putorino) 1, B. Bee (Kotemaori) 2, P. Gavin (Kotemaori) 3.
Girls, 10 and over: R. Mabey (Putorino) 1, M. Gavin (Kotemaori) 2, P. Parsons (Kotemaori) 3.
Boys' high jump: W. Scott (Potorino) 1, W. Currin (Kotemaori) 2, D. Murphy (Kotemaori), 3.
Boys under 7: P. Maers (Kotemaori) 1, Harwood (Tutira) 2, Orouke (Putorino) 3. Putorino) 3.
Boys, 7 to 10: B. Haeys (Terangi)
D. Currin (Kotemaori) 2, M. Jones Kotemaori) 3.

Boys, 10 and over: W. Scott (Purino) 1, D. Currin (Kotemaori) 2,

Murphy (Kotemaori) 3.

Relics Of Maori Wars

PUBLIC INTEREST

Minister Stresses Need For Preservation

Public interest was growing more and more every year in New Zea and's relics of the Maori Wars kep

To date the Hastings Centennial organisers have received promises from 54 organisations to take part in the procession. Of these many land's relics of the Maori Wars kept intact on the actual spot of their preparation, stated the Minister of Internal Affairs (the Hon. W. E. Parry), at Napier last night.

With local body representatives and the Centennial Committee at Manaia this week he visited the block-house and look-out tower of the Armed Constabulary in the local park. The Minister said that local bodies and citizens deserved the warmest congratulations for keeping those interesting and historical

Carnations (Perpetual) GLADIOLUS Open Section Twelve distinct: Mrs W. T. Hicks
1, L. J. Webb 2.
Six spikes: L. J. Webb 1, Mrs W.
T. Hicks 2, W. E. Askwith 3.
Three spikes: Mrs W. T. Hicks 1,
W. E. Askwith 2, L. J. Webb 3.
Three spikes: Any variety: Mrs W.
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Three distinct: F. Young 1, Mrs W.
Askers

Three distinct: F. Young 1, Mrs W.
L. Harvey 2.

W. Blake 2.
Three, one variety: Mrs W.
Harvey 2.

Asters

with 1, Mrs W. T. Hicks 2, R. L. Gigg 3.
Salmon or orange shade: W. E. Askwith 1, L. J. Webb 2, R. L. Gigg 3.
Red or scarlet shade: H. Evetts 1, W. E. Askwith 2, L. J. Webb 3. White: W. E. Askwith 1, and 2, Mrs W. T. Hicks 3.
Any other colour: W. E. Askwith 1, L. J. Webb 2, R. J. Walker 3.
One seedling, no award unless of merit: Mrs H. Evetts 1 and 2.
Three spikes primulinus any vari-

MISCELLANEOUS

HASTINGS FLOWER SHOW HAS RECORD ENTRIES

Dahlia And Gladioli Display Considered The Best In Several Years

A dazzling display of a variety of magnificent blooms transformed the Hastings Assembly Hall yesterday to a scene to delight the heart of any flower lover. The annual dahlia and gladioli show of the Hastings Horticultural Society attracted record entries in some sections, and the quality of the exhibits was stated to be above that of previous years. Championships were won as follows:

Dahlias: Mr Innes Campbell, Hastings, "Mrs George le

Gladioli: Mr W. E. Askwith, Lower Hutt, "Mrs G. G.

Charm, one variety, 3 blooms: Mr J. Barr 1. Amateur Section

Six decorative varieties: I. Campbell 1, B. L. Chambers 2. Three decorative varieties: I Campbell 1, Mrs W. Blake 2, Jack Johnson 3.

Three red decorative: Inner 2, Three pink decorative: Innes Campbell 1,

Three yellow decorative: Jack Johnson 1, Mrs W. Blake 2. Three varieties cactus: B. L. Three varieties charm: B. Chambers 1.

Seedling Section
Three varieties: Jack Johnson 1,
B. L. Chambers 2 and 3.
One bloom: B. L. Chambers 1 and

Three spikes, any variety: Mrs W. T. Hicks 1, W. E. Askwith 2, L. J. Webb 3. Cream or yellow shade: W. E Askwith 1 and 2.

Blue or purple shade: W. E. Ask-with 1 and 3, L. J. Webb 2.
Pink or rose shade: W. E. Ask-with 1, Mrs W. T. Hicks 2, R. L.

Three spikes primulinus any variety: W. E. Askwith 1, L. J. Webb 2. Three spikes primulinus, distinct W. E. Askwith 1, L. J. Webb 2.

Geranium: L. Hicks 1.
Gaillardia: B. L. Chambers 1.
Gerbera: Mrs C. J. Baker 1 and
Hydrangea, three heads: Mrs C.
Baker 1.

Hell 3.
Double, orange: Mrs A. G. Graham 1, Mrs H. M. Curline 2, B. L.
Chambers 3.
Double, bronze or yellow: Mrs D.
Scannell 1, Mrs C. J. Baker 2, Mrs
A. G. Graham 3.
Pampagary Variety: B. J. Chambers 1.

From 2 p.m., the time of opening, the show was attended by a steady stream of visitors. The prizes were presented at nine o'clock last evening. Judges were: Dahlias, Miss M. Hopcraft. Gladiolus, Dr. R. E. Hope Pearson. Miscellaneous, Mr D. Epplett. Decorative, Mrs E. J. Herrick.

Detailed placings were:—

DAHLIAS
Open Section
Charm, one variety, 3 blooms:

Marigold, any variety: W. J. Jamieson 1, Mrs R. F. Campbell 2, R. J. Walker 3.

African marigold: W. J. Jamieson 1 and 2, Mrs R. F. Campbell 3.
French marigold: B. L. Chambers, three varieties: Mrs H. Harvey 1, Mrs N. Fippard 2.
Rose, one variety: Mrs C. J. Baker 1, Mrs H. Harvey 2.
Annuals: Mrs R. F. Campbell 1, Mrs H. Harvey 2.
Perennials: Mrs R. F. Campbell 1, Mrs H. Harvey 1, L. Hicks 2.
Vase of flowers: Mrs R. F. Camp. Vase of flowers: Mrs R. F. Campbell 1, I. Campbell 2. Children's

Dahlia: Miss Joan Harvey 1.

Decorative Floral shoulder spray: Mrs I. Campbell 1, Mrs E. Dyer 2, Mrs H. Campoell 1, Mrs E. Dyer 2, Mrs J. Epps 3.

Basket of flowers: Mrs E. Dyer 1, Mrs A. Kirkpatrick 2, Mrs J. Sutherland 3.

Bowl of flowers: Mrs H. Davies 1, Mrs H. R. Grundy, Miss E. Mitchell

Jonnson 1, Mrs W. Blake 2.

Three varieties cactus: B. L.

Chambers 1.

Hybrid cactus, one variety: I.

Campbell 1, 2 and 3.

Specimen bloom, any type: Innes
Campbell 1, 2 and 3.

Three varieties pom-poms: Miss
Isabel Chubb 1, John Barr 2.

Three varieties charm: B. L.

January

Bowl of charm or pom-pom dahlias: Mrs E. Dyer 1, Miss E. Mitchell 2, Mrs H. J. Epps 3.

Bowl of hydrangeas: Mrs H. R.

Grundy 1, Miss E. Mitchell 2.

Floral mantelpiece: Mrs J. N.

Sutherland 1, Miss E. Mitchell 2.

Posy: Mrs H. J. Epps 1, Mrs E.

Dyer 2. Floral table: Mrs I. Campbell 1, Mrs H. R. Grundy 2, Mrs J. N.

CARNATIONS, ASTERS, AND ZINNIAS

Six blooms: F. Young 1. Three distinct: F. Young 1, Mrs

-Twelve double: Mrs N. M. Evetts , Mrs R. F. Campbell 2. Double, purple or mauve: Mrs R. F. Campbell 1, F. Young 2, Mrs N. M. Evetts 3.

Double, pink: Miss E. G. Napier 1, John Barr 2, Mrs R. F. Campbell 3.
Double, white: Mrs R. F. Camp-

Double, three or more colours:

Mrs A. G. Graham 1, Mrs H. M.

Curline 2, Mrs R. F. Campbell 3.

Double, any colour: Mrs D. Scannell 1, Mrs A. Ball 2, Mrs A. G.

Graham 3.

Double, red: Mrs C. I. Baker 1. Graham 3.
Double, red: Mrs C. J. Baker 1,
Mrs D. Scannell 2, Mrs Harold Davies 5.
Double, pink: A. G. Graham 1,
Mrs R. F. Campbell 2, Mrs D. Scan-

Baker 1.

Pomp-pom variety: B. L. Chamber 1.

Pomp-pom variety: B. L. Chamber 1, I. Campbell 2, Mrs A. G. Graham 3.

GUTTED BY FIRE

HOUSE DESTROYED AT WALLINGFORD

CAUSE UNKNOWN

"Daily Mail" Special Service.
WAIPUKURAU. At Wallingford yesterday a fiveroomed house belonging to Mr A.
Parsons, Waipukurau, was completely gutted by fire during the
absence of the staff who were occupying the premises.

The cause of the outbreak is unknown, but it is suspected that a
spark from the range may have

PATRIOTIC FUNDS APPEAL

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HON. W. E. PARRY'S STATEMENT

"Every penny the people send long to the National Patriotic Fund Board makes the lot of the New Zealand soldier the happier," stated the Minister of Internal Affairs (the Hon. W. E. Parry), in an inter-view at Napier.

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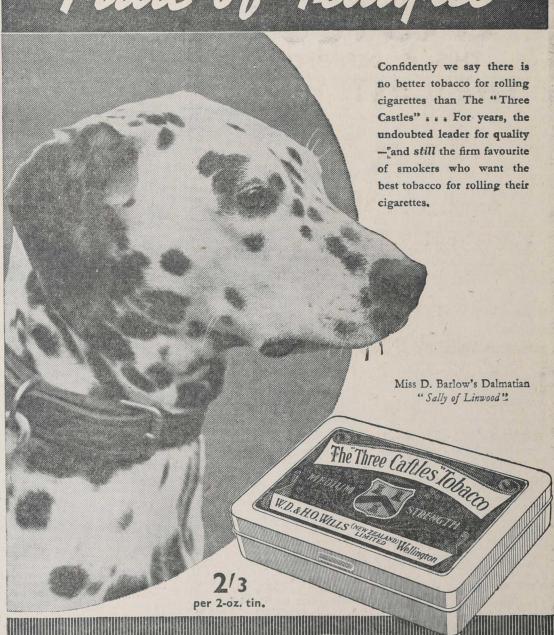
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PROGRAMMES

ON THE AIR

Sports results. 5.0: Children's session.

Dinner music. 6.55 Weather report. 7.0: News and reports. 8.0: Harry Horlick and his orchestra, "The Old Gipsy" (Hungarian Gipsy air). 8.15: The Celeste Quartet, "The Little Sunbonnet," "A Song Cycle," by Hermann Lohr. 8.20: Tessa Birnie (piano). 9.32: Walter Brough (baritone). 8.43: Grace Adams East, American trumpet virtuoso, in a short recital. 9.0: Daventry news. 9.20: Weather report and station notices. 9.25: Lynda Hastings (humorous sketches): "Poor, But Honest," "Chain-store Daisy." 9.37: Philip Green and his orchestra, "Savoy Community Medley," "Savoy Sea Song Medley" (Debroy Somers). 9.43: Ellalaine Terriss and Seymour Hicks in reminiscent mood. 9.51: TheShaftesbury Theatre orchestra, "Crazy Days" selection (Mayerl). 10.0: Sports summary. 10.10: Dance music.

2YA Wellington

7.0 a.m.: Daventry news. 7.10: Breakfast session. 9.0: Daventry news. 10.0: Weather report. 10.10: Devotional service. 10.25: Recordings. 10.45: "Music and Flowers": Talk by Mrs Bert McDonald, Chicago Flower Stylist of international reputation, "Flowers in the Home." 12.0: Lunch music. 12.30 p.m.: Daventry news. 1.0: Week-end weather forecast. Recordings. 4.0: Daventry news. Sports results. 5.0: Children's session.

IYA Auckland

Arts And Crafts Circle Meets

AT HASTINGS

Flags Made For The Centennial Week

The first meeting of the Arts and Crafts Circle of the Hastings Townswomen's Guild was held in the guild room on Thursday afternoon, guild room on Thursday afternoon, Mrs A. McKay, Masterton, is visiting her daughter, Mrs T. Weston, attendance of members, and gave them a hearty welcome after the rethem a hearty welcome after the re-Mrs Beeton, secretary, was

also present.

Members were invited to meet at Members were invited to meet at 7.30 in the guild room on Friday evening, to discuss the form of entertainment the guild could arrange to participate in the Centenary procession, and to arrange same.

The programme for March would be a roll-call, "My Ideal Husband." A demonstration on tufting and quilting was arranged. A competition for four pieces of shortbread, a roll-call, "Suggestions for Future Programmes," was answered by many, and these will be included in the year's work.

During the afternoon, members were very busy making flags, to be

During the afternoon, members were very busy making flags, to be used for decorative purposes during the Centenary celebrations, and many offered to attend at the guild room during the coming week to carry on this work.

A word competition was won by Mrs W. Price.

Two regitations by Wiss Betty.

Two recitations by Miss Betty Harper were very much appreci

ated.

Before closing, the leader thanked Mrs R. Campbell for the lovely flowers which decorated the room, also Mrs Price and helpers who served the afternoon tea.

She reminded members that nominations for leader and committee should be sent to the secretary, Mrs Beeton, before the March meeting.

A GARDEN FETE AT HASTINGS HIGH SCHOOL

the day: Running commentaries on the racing at the Dunedin Jockey Club's meeting (relays from Winga-

session. 12.30 to 2.0 p.m.: Lunch session. 12.30: Daventry news. Relay from McLean Park, Napler, of Grand Centennial Historical and Pageantry Procession. The salute will be taken by His Excellency the

Sunday

IYA Auckland

2YA Wellington

Five o'Clock Gossip

Mr and Mrs K. M. Boswell, Guy's Hill, Napier, accompanied by Mrs C. La Roche, Lighthouse Road, Napier, left yesterday for Wellington.

Mr and Mrs E. A. Williams, Sea-point Road, Napier, are at present visiting Wellington, where Mr Wil-liams is attending the Architects'

Mrs Pease and her daughter, Miss E. Pease, Takapau, are visiting Well-

Centennial Sale now on. All stocks greatly reduced for two weeks only. Cotton Dirndls 11/6, Floral Silk Frocks 19/6, 29/6, 39/6, Summer coats 35/-, 49/6, 59/6. Tailored suits from 39/6. Afternoon Frocks and Ensembles were 5gns to 10gns, now 3gns to 7gns. Bar ins in Beach Suits and Shorts. Victor Gowns, Hastings' Exclusive Salon. 'Phone 3076.*

Service For Lepers

SPLENDID SACRIFICE OF A WOMAN DOCTOR

A brilliant English woman doctor is giving up her career to tend lep-ers. Dr Joan Lamplugh, of Moseers. Dr Joan Lamplugh, of Moseley, Birmingham, is resigning her comfortable general practice to go to the little mission hospital on Chilubi Island, Lake Bangwelo, Northern Rhodesia. She is going out because the woman doctor who is already carrying on the work had her right hand infected a short time ago and had to operate on it herself without an anaesthetic. The hand, as a result, became crippled and her work is now handicapped

on Wednesday next, at 2 p.m., the Hastings High School is holding its annual garden fete, which promises to be a great attraction. There will be stalls of all kinds and afternoon tea.

An attractive programme has been arranged of drill and dancing by the girls and marching and drill by the boys. There will be plenty of good things for sale, and goods will be delivered by the boys.

Mrs T. A. Hill is head of an energetic committee preparing the stalls and any contributions should be sent to her.

and her work is now handicapped.

Besides Dr. Lamplugh there will be five other white people—the disabled woman she is to replace and four nuns. Only the present doctor speaks English. And the work is a labour of love. For Dr. Lumplugh will get no salary. She will have to paddle in a boat from island to island to see her patients and to bring back to the hospital those who need extended treatment. She will have to diagnose their complaints, dispense their medicine and carry out operations. The nuns will be her nurses. Selected women from the African community will be the cooks and orderlies.

No. 3 in G. Major" (Vivaldi). 8.40: Talk by the Rt. Hon the Prime Min-ister: "New Zealand's Problems as I see Them." 9.0: Daventry news. 9.20: Weather report and station notices. 9.25: Victoriana No. 8: "The Nation at War."

3YA Christchurch

tul).

1.0 p.m.: Weather forecast. 2.0: Recordings. 3.30: Sports results. 4.0: Daventry news. 4.45: Sports results. 5.0: Children's session.

5.45: Dinner music. 6.55: Weather report. 7.0: News and reports. 7.40: Talk by Don Miller: "To-day's Cricket results." 8.0: Centennial celebrations grand Scottish concert (relay from the Town Hall). 9.0: Daventry news. 9.20: Weather report and station notices. 9.25: Old Time Dance programme by Ted Andrews and the Revellers' Dance Band, with recorded interludes. 10.2: Sports summary. 11.17: Dance medley. 7.0 a.m.: Daventry news. 7.10: Breakfast session. 9.0: Daventry news. 10.0: Devotional service. 10.15: Recordings. 11.0: "Music and Flowers."

(4) Grover Cleveland, an outstanding American authority on interior decorating: "Flowers in the Office."

11.10: Recordings. 12.0: Lunch music. 12.30 p.m.: Daventry news. 1.0: Week-end weather forecast.

2.0 p.m.: Selected recordings. 3.15: Sports results. 4.0: Daventry news. 4.30: Sports results. 5.0: Children's session. 9.0: Daventry news. 11.0: Light music. 12.0 to 2.0 p.m.: Lunch session. 12.30: Daventry news. Daventry news at 6 a.m., 7 a.m. and 9 a.m., 9.10: Recordings, 11.0: Anglican Service, 12.15 p.m.; Recordings, 12.30: Daventry news.

1.0 p.m.: Dinner music. 2.0: Recordings. 3.0: Blue Danube": Ballet music by Johann Strauss; recordings. 4.0: Daventry news. 5.0: Children's service.

6.15: Daventry news. 6.30: Recordings. 7.0: Presbyterian Service. 8.15: Recordings. 8.30: Grand Opera Orchestra of Milan, "The Daughter of the tra of Milan, "The Daughter of the Regiment" Overture (Donizetti). 8.40: Talk, by the Right Hon. the Prime Minister: "New Zealand's Problems as I see Them." 9.0: Daventry news. 9.20: Weather report and station notices, 9.25: Nancy Estall ('cello recital), with harp accompaniment by H. G. Glaysher. 9.40: Harold Prescott (tenor), 9.52: The London Philharmonic Orchestra: "Coppelia Ballet" (Delibes).

Pageantry Procession. The salute will be taken by His Excellency the Governor-General, Viscount Galway, P.C., G.C.M.G. Light music. 5.45: For the children. 6.0: "Carson Robison and his Pioneers." 6.15: Daventry news. 6.30: "The Japanese Houseboy." 6.45: Weather report and forecast for Hawke's Bay. 7.0: Government news. 7.15: "The Circle of Shiva." 8.0: Concert session: Milan Symphony Orchestra, "Cinderella" Overture (Rossini). S.8: Vocal duets by Bernlee and Naomi Mooney. 8.18: London Symphony Orchestra, "Fantasia on Sea-Shanties." 8.36: Alexander Borowsky (plano), "Hungarian Rhapsody" No. 4 (Liszt). 8.41: Richard Tauber (tenor) "The Linden Tree," "Good-night" (Schubert), "Serenade" (Strauss). 8.50: Albert Sandler and his orchestra, "With Sandler Through Opera." 9.20: "The Crimson Trail." 8.31: Light music. 4YA Dunedin

Daventry news at 6 a.m., 7 a.m., and 9 a.m. 9.10: Recordings. 10.0: Weather report and recordings. 11.0: Methodist Service. 12.30 p.m.: Daventry news and recordings. 1.0: Weather report; dinner music.

p.m.: Recordings. 2.30: "Tintagel": Tone poem by Arnold Bax. 2.42: recordings. 4.0: Daventry news. 5.30: Big Brother Bill's Song Service.

6.15: Daventry news. 6.30: Recordings. 7.0: Roman Catholic Service, 8.15: recordings. 8.30: The Dresden State Opera Orchestra: "Tsar and Carpenter: Clog Dance" (Lortzing). 8.34: The Swedish Male Choir, "Dalvisa," "Dance of the Judges" (arr. Olsson). Dance of the Judges" (arr. Olsson).
8.40: A talk by the Rt. Hon. the
Prime Minister: "New Zealand's
Problems as I see Them." 9.0: Daventry news. 9.20: Weather report
and station notices. 9.25: "The
Marriage of Figaro" Acts 3 and 4
(Mozart).

2YH Napier

Daventry news at 6 a.m., 7 a.m., 9 a.m., 9.10: Selected recordings, 11.0: Salvation Army Service, 12.15 p.m. Recordings, 12.30: Daventry news, 1.0 p.m.: Dinner music, 2.0: Recordings, 3.18: A Symphony by William Walton, Presented by Sir Hamilton Harty with the London Symphony Orchestra, 4.0: Daventry news, 4.20: Recordings, 5.30: Children's song service. 12.30 p.m.: Daventry news. 2.0: Afternoon concert session. 4.0: Daventry news. 6.30: Miscellaneous recordings. 7.0: Relay of evening service from St. Matthew's Anglican Church (Hastings). 8.15: Recordings; station announcements. 8.30: BBC Symphony Orchestra, "Magic Flute" service.
5: Daventry news. 7.0; Baptist service.
8.15: Recordings. 8.30; E.I.A.R.
Symphony Orchestra, Turin, "Tancredi" Overture (Rossini). 8.40;
Address by the Rt. Hon the Prime Minister: "New Zealand's Problems as I see Them." 9.0; Daventry news.
9.20: Weather report and station notices. 9.25: "Louise," the French romantic opera by Charpentier. Overture (Mozart), 8.37: Gulla Bus-tabo (violin), "Caprice in A Minor" (Paginini). 8.40 Talk by the Rt. Hon. the Prime Minister, 9.0: Daventry news. 9.24: "Arctic Rescue": A radio reconstruction, part fiction, but mostly fact, of an incident that occurred off Bear Island in November, 1931. Written by "Taffrall."

Daventry news at 6 a.m., 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. 9.10: Recordings. 10.0: Weather report. 11.0: Church of Christ Service. 12.15: Recordings. 12.30: Daventry news.

1.0 p.m.: Weather report and dinner session. 2.0: "Homage to Finland": A programme of Finnish history, poetry and music. 4.0: Daventry news. 4.20: Recordings. 5.30 Children's song service.

6.15: Daventry news. 7.0: Presbyterian Church Service. 8.15: Recordings. S.30: The National Broadcasting Service String Orchestra: "Sinfonia Service at the dark occurred off Bear Island in November, 1931. Written by "Taffrail."

The Hastings Scots Society will hold its monthly ingleside in the Oddfellows Hall, Market Street, on Monday night, February 26, at 8 o'clock. A good programme has been arranged, and members are requested to make a special effort to attend and bring a friend.

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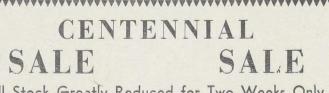
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BROKERS' REPORTS

Brokers report as follows on the stock arket at Dannevirke on Thursday:— N.Z. Loan & Mercantile Co.

To a fair attendance of the public they offered a yarding of medium ewes and good quality lambs. The ewe market was easier and the bidding slow. Southdown and ewe lambs were in demand and prices realised were as follows:—

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They offered a large yarding of sheep and a good yarding of cattle to a good attendance of buyers. The market for old ewes was slack, very few of the offering being sold, but spirited competition was shown for wethers and all classes of lambs. Cattle prices were on par with recent sales.

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They quote as follows:— Fat wethers 18/- to 22/-, fat ewes 14/10 to 15/-, fat B.F. ewes 13/6, good 2-th ewes 26/- to 28/7, small 15/- to 21/-, 4-year ewes 16/-, aged ewes 7/2 to 12/6, 2-th wethers 17/3, 19/-, 19/5, B.F.M.S. 2-ths 16/- to 18/3, good ewe lambs 18/1, 18/9, 21/5, med. 14/- to 15/6, small 9/- to 11/6, good wether lambs 16/-, 16/8, 18/3, med. 12/6 to 14/10, small 7/- to 10/-, good B.F. lambs 16/- to 17/4, med. 13/9 to 14/7, small 8/3 to 10/-, 1-sh and 2-sh Romney rams 1gn. to 4½gns., 1-sh and 2-sh Southdown rams 2gns to 4½gns., aged rams 5/- to 10/-.

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Transaction List

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

Sales Late Yesterday

Sales To-day

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National Bank Goldsbrough Mort (lave Thursday

POULTRY SELLS AT FIRM RATES

A Slack Market Yesterday On Keen Competition For Ewes

FAIR AT TAIHAPE

Full Yarding Offered To Good Attendance

BROKERS' REPORT

The New Zealand Farmers' Co-op erative Distributing Co., Ltd., report a full yarding of 10,000 ewes and several pens of lambs at the Taihape ewe fair on Wednesday. There was a splendid attendance of outside buyers from Waikato, Manawatu and Marton districts.

Generally speaking the 5-year ewes came forward in excellent condition but in the majority of pens the mouths were found to be a little disappointing. However, competition was keen on all lines submitted, especially where the mouths were right. Mr Fannin's 4-year ewes topped the market at 22/9 and his 5-year ewes at 21/-. Messrs T. Williams and Sons' nice line of 469 realised 21/5, and Messrs Cleaver and Sons' 20/10. The majority of the 5-year ewes realised 17/- to 18/9 and those with mouths not so good from those with mouths not so good from 13/- to 15/7.

A feature of the sale was the ex-

cellent entry of 2-tooths. These attracted very keen competition. Mr A. J. Buckley topped the market in this section at 35/6 and Mr C. T. Revell's line of 300 made 34/4. Gender of the section at 35/6 and Mr C. T. erally speaking the sale was a sound one and with the exception of two pens they disposed of the whole yarding as follows:—

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RRENT PRODUCTIONS

NAPIER

STATE THEATRE: Now showing to Tuesday: "Nurse Edith Cavell" (Anna Neagle, Edna May Oliver, George Sanders). Commencing (Anna Neagle, Edita May George Sanders). Commencing Wednesday: "Frontier Marshal" (Randolph Scott, Nancy Kelly) and "Second Fiddle" (Sonja Henie, Tyrone Power). Next Friday: "The Lion Has Wings" (Ralph Richard-

REGENT THEATRE: Now showing to Tuesday: "Dead Men's Shoes"
(Leslie Banks, Wilfrid Lawson).
Wednesday to Friday: "In Old
Wednesday to Friday: "In Old
Chicago" (Alice Faye, Tyrone
Power, Don Ameche), and "A Trip
To Paris." .. Commencing Saturday, "Spies of the Air" (Barry K.
Barnes, Joan Marion) and "By
George," a short feature, starring
George Formby. George Formby.

MAYFAIR THEATRE: Now show ing to Monday: "In Old Monterey" (Gene Autry, Smiley Burnette) and "Boy Slaves" (Ann Shirley, Roger Daniel), with chapter 10 of "The Lone Ranger Rides Again." Tuesday to Thursday: "The Frog" (Gordon Harker, Noah Beery), "Who's Your Lady Friend?" Wednesday and Thursday: "Old Bones of the River" (Will Hay, Moore Marriott) and "I Killed the Count" (Syd. Walker). Next Friday: "Stanley and Livingstone" (Spencer Tracy, Richard Greene, Nancy Kelly).

(Frances Day, Vic Oliver) and final chapter of "The Oregon Trail." Commencing Friday, "Stone of Silver Creek" (Buck Jones, Noel Francis) and "Crashing Hollywood" (Lee Tracy, Joan Woodbury)

HASTINGS

COSY THEATRE: To-day and Monday: "Society Smugglers" (Preston Foster, Irene Hervey), and "Little Accident" (Hugh Herbert, "Baby Sandy"), with episode 9 of "The Lone Ranger Rides Again."

Tuesday to Thursday: "Man Tuesday to Thursday: "Man Proof" (Myrna Loy, Franchot Tone) and "The Kid From Texas" (Dennis O'Keefe, Florence Rice). Next Friday: "Call a Messenger" ("Little Tough Guys") and "Lone Wolf Spy Hunt."

STATE THEATRE: Now showing TATE THEATRE: Now snowing to Tuesday: "Hotel for Women" (Linda Darnell, Ann Sothern). Wednesday and Thursday: "Old Bones of the River" (Will Hay, Moore Marriott) and "I Killed the Count" (Syd. Walker). Next Eriday: "Stapley and Livingstone" Friday: "Stanley and Livingstone" (Spencer Tracy, Richard Greene, Tracy, Richard Greene,

SPLENDID ROLE FOR Comment On The Films BETTE DAVIS

offers the brilliant Miss Davis what she herself considers the greatest she herself considers the greatest role of her very impressive career. Playing opposite the star is George Brent, and in uniting with her to bring this moving romance to the screen he has the most sympathetic role of his notable career. Another lover of Bette's, albeit a frustrated one, is played by Humphrey Bogart, and his portrayal of an uncouth but honest and genuine ncouth but honest and genuine rish horse trainer, different from anything he has done previously on the screen, is fraught with interest, for it proves that he is not only an ce bad man but a superb actor.
Perhaps the most interesting per-

sonality in the cast, aside from the star, is an Irish lass named Geraldine Fitzgerald who has the second most important feminine role. Trained on the stage in Dublin and with Will Hay brings to hilario some experience in English pictures she was signed by Warner Bros. after a sensational New York stage debut last year and is regarded as destined for certain stardom.

CHAPLIN THE DICTATOR

Since the declaration of war, Charlie Chaplin is making no apologies to anyone in his new "DICTA-TOR" film, according to the latest reports. The present outline provides for his appearance in a dual role, as Hitler and as an unknown

Jewish tailor in Berlin.

The Fuehrer's supposed use of a large number of doubles is said to make for much of the humour of the production the possibilities of this kind of impersonation being unlimited.

Chaplin is reported to have spent hours listening to records of Hitler's speeches so as to make as fine a job as possible of his dialogue, not one around of which his dialogue. word of which will actually be Ger

ing to Tuesday: "Tarzan Finds a Son" (Johnny Weissmuller, Mau reen O'Sullivan). Wednesday to Friday: "Woman Doctor" (Frieda Inescort, Henry Wilcoxon). Next Saturday: "Golden Boy" (Barbara Stanwyck, Adolphe Menjou, William Holden).

MUNICIPAL THEATRE: To-night

and Monday "One Third of a Nation" (Sylvia Sidney, Leif Erikson) and "Unmarried" (Buck Jones, Helen Twelvetrees). Tues-day and Wednesday: "Wild Brian Kent" (Ralph Bellamy, Mae Clark) and "Two's Company" (Ned Sparks, Gordon Harker). Next Friday: "Five Little Pep-(Edith Fellows, Ronald Sinclair) and feature to be ad-

One of the most beautiful and most thrilling of the moving love stories of all times will shortly have its N.Z. premiere with the screening of Warner Bros. "DARK VICTORY" starring Batto

"Baby Sandy," well remembered from "East Side of Heaven," is as-sured of further triumphs in the title role of "LITTLE ACCIDENT," bright story featuring Hugh Her-

Sparkling with comedy and with hearty mystery story as its plot, SOCIETY SMUGGLERS" combines the elements of good screen fare. Irene Hervey and Preston Foster head the cast.

The greatest performance of his career is given by Spencer Tracy in "STANLEY AND LIVINGSTONE," the story of an intrepid journalist's historic trek in search of the lost

Will Hay brings to hilarious life familiar Edgar Wallace character in "OLD BONES OF THE RIVER." The familiar team of players aid and abet the comedian. The story of a prize-fighter-violin

ist's struggle between two careers is the theme of "GOLDEN BOY," filmed from Clifford Odet's prize-winning play. A newcomer, William Holden, has the title role.

The choice thrust on a "WOMAN DOCTOR," between marriage and her career, is grippingly portrayed in the film of that name, featuring Frieda Inescort and Henry Wiloxon.

When four people confess to committing the same murder, its chough to make any detective long

"DARK VICTORY," starring Bette Davis.

It is a story of great love and dauntless courage, both pitted against an implacable fate, and it offers the brilliant Miss Davis what she herself considers the great formula of the daventures of a group of girls in "the big city."

A new starlet, in the person of Linda Darnell, is introduced in Royal Air Force, "THE LION HAS WINGS" stars Ralph Richardson with WINGS" stars Ralph Richardson and Merle Oberon. It is a stirring story of the work of the force under war-time conditions. war-time conditions.

> "SPIES OF THE AIR" tells a story of the leakage of secrets from a lonely aerodrome where a superfast plane is being nursed to completion by the Royal Air Force. The story combiner their mystory and story combines thrills, mystery and

film, "STONE OF SILVER CREEK."

Sonja Henie, the popular ice-skating star, features with Tyrone Power in the bright musical film "SECOND FIDDLE," the story of a small-town girl's rise to fame.

The terrific fire which destroyed a large part of Chicago is a spectacular and awe-inspiring feature of the film "IN OLD CHICAGO," the story of the rebirth of a great city.

Matrimonial misunderstandings combined with the gaiety of the night life of Vienna make "WHO'S YOU'RE LADY FRIEND" particularly entertaining. Featured is Fransactive the gargets No. 1 diameter. Day, the screen's No. 1 glamour

Starring Randolph Scott, "FRON-TIER MARSHAL" is a roaring ad-venture of the old West. The cast of this action-packed thriller includes Cesar Romero and Binnie Barnes.

enough to make any detective long a night-club hostess find themselves for retirement! That's the situation confronting Syd Walker in the complications are fast and furicomedy-mystery "I KILLED THE COUNT."

when a former prizefighter and a night-club hostess find themselves landed with an orphan to care for, the complications are fast and furicomedy-mystery "I KILLED THE COUNT."

with Buck Jones starmed When a former prizefighter and



Johnny Weissmuller, Maureen O'Sullivan and five-year-old athletic star John Sheffield in the first "Tarzan" picture for three years. Entitled "Tarzan Finds a Son," it will open to-day at the Regent Theatre, Hastings

Robert Donat As "Mr Chips"

Many who remember James Hilton's "Mr Chips" will learn with pleasure that M-G-M chose Robert Donat to portray the character on the screen in "GOODBYE, MR

lish public school. Opposite him is a newcomer, Greer Garson, who is said to show distinct ability and

In the main the story deals with the relations of "Mr Chips" to the successive generations of schoolboys Silver Creek was a tough township of the old West, but when the local preacher bought a six-shooter even the local residents took notice. Buck Jones stars in the exciting place at school once more during the

> An impressive cast of English actors surrounds the star.

Great War.



Miss Elsie Heathcote, who appears in J. C. Williamson's ice ballet spectacle, to be staged in Hastings shortly.

**** Fifteen-year-old Rita Quigley's

summer vacation from High School will be the most exciting she has ever known. Producer Joe Pasternak saw her for the first time in Universal's crowded commissary recently, lunching with her mother and sister, Juanita, Universal's eight-year-old contract actress. The result is a part in Pasternak's new-est Durbin picture.

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"He that believeth on the Son ${\bf hath}$ (not, perhaps will have) everlasting life."—John 3:36.

"He that hath the Son hath life."—1 John 5:12. Read the next verse, which tells us why these things are

"These things I have written unto you that believe on the name of the Son of God, that ye may know (not, hope or guess) that ye have (not, are going to have) eternal life."—1 John

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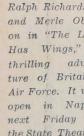
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of the unknown were dared by Henry M. Stanley, reporter for the New York Herald, for that moment Department of the British Ministry in which he said: "Dr Livingstone, I of Information, is presenting a 16



"Dr. Livingstone-I presume?" In this scene from "Stanley and Livingstone," stirring story of adventure, Spencer Tracy addresses to Cedric Hardwicke the words which made history. The film will open next Friday at the State, Hastings.









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AT RUATORIA

PROSPECTS TO-DAY

Small Boy And Golden Blonde

(By MOTUROA) Single pool betting will be used at the Waiapu meeting at Ruatoria to-day and form shown at Wairoa, Gisborne and Tolaga Bay should

give bettors a good line.

The following are in form:— Hack Scurry: Hunting Dawn. Pakanui Hack Handicap: Queen's

Matiti District Hack: Bold Bruce,

Waiapu Stakes: Small Boy

Hikurangi Hack Handicap: Plen-Williams Memorial: Red Cockade

Farewell Handicap: Gold Blonde bracket, Mimicry.

The acceptances are:-HACK SCURRY, of £60. Five furlongs.—All 8.0: No Wonder, Ri-riwai, Hunting Dawn, Sweet Pal.

PAKANUI HACK HANDICAP of 485. One mile.—Queen's Dream 11.2, Red Cockade 10.1, Mendelssohn 9.10, Flying Comedy 9.9, Gay Laura 9.8, Waikawa 9.0, Colenso 9.0, Tetahinga 9.0, Helios 9.0, Hunting Dawn 9.0. MATITI DISTRICT HANDICAP,

of f65. Six furlongs.—Bold Bruce 9.0, Tetahinga 8.11, Doges 8.11, Psychic 8.10, Kelly's Dream 8.10. WAIAPU STAKES, of £130. One mile and a-quarter.—Small Boy 9.2, Queen's Dream 7.13, Mendelssohn 7.0, Red Cockade 7.0.

HIKURANGI HACK HANDICAP, of 185. Six furlongs.—Plenteous 8.12, Dutch Ace 8.5, Gay Laura 7.12, Mimicry 7.12, Jungle King 7.10, Waikawa 7.8, Perfect Lady 7.8, No Wonder 7.7, Helios 7.7, Hunting Dawn 7.7.

K. S. WILLIAMS MEMORIAL, of 7.12, Seven furlongs.—Red Cockade 9.5, Flying Comedy 8.9, Ace Willonyx 8.0, Red Hunting 7.12, Flying Mimic 7.11, Perfect Lady 7.11, Show Day 7.11, Colenso 7.9, Bold Bruce 7.7, Psychic 7.7 FAREWELL HANDICAP, \$100. Six furlongs.—Golden Blonde 8.9. Small Boy 8.9, Waikawa 7.0, Mimicry 7.0, Perfect Lady 7.0, No Wonder 7.0.

Old Surrey's nomination for the hurdles event at the Rangitikei meeting indicates that he is shortly to make his delayed excursion into the field of jumpers. A half-brother to that brilliant hurdler Hunting Lore, Old Surrey showed great promise a little while back when schooled and he should not take long to make good.

Night Eruption improves with racing and, though she has had a strenuous time this season, she looks better than ever. She was forced to take second money at Bulls in the spring, but she is likely to be more troublesome there at the autumn meeting where she will be taking on the open sprinters.

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Miss Leighon ran below expecta-tions at Hawera, but she will be rac-ing on her home track at Bulls, and it will surprise if she does not turn on much more impressive form there. This filly won a double at Pahiatua in good style and seems to be really useful.

To-day

HAZLETT GOLD CUP

Norseman In The Main Handicap

(By MOTUROA).

Taking a line through Thursday's form the following should be in demand at Wingatui to day:— Owhiro Hurdles: Ballad, McHeath

Novice Handicap: Slamannan, Airline, Gay Lancer. Flying Handicap: Counterblast,

Jockey Club Handicap: Norseman, Willie Win, Settlement.

Abbotsford Handicap: Counter-lunch, Pink Bond, Great Swoop.

Hopeful Stakes: Retrogression, Hazlett Gold Cup: Defaulter, Dis-

Waihola Hack Handicap: Royal Style, Scold, Raroa. The acceptances supplied by the Press sociation are:—
12.30—OWHIRO HURDLES, of £175, 1½

miles.—Ballad 11.9, Milford 10.4, Mc-Heath 10.1, Dalrymple 9.4, Roseman 9.1, Gusterina 9.0, Night Scout 9.0 1.8—NOVICE HANDICAP, of £120, 6 furlongs.—Gay Lancer 9.0, Slamannan 8.7, Lady Constant, Palencia 8.6, Attrac-tive Note, Airline 8.5, Palmar 8.3, Tax-payer 8.2, Cross Rose 8.1, Pilot's Love, Vallock, Eastern Prince, Silver Don, Georgia, Johnemby, The Dictator 8.0.

1.46—FLYING HANDICAP, of £250, 7 urlongs. — Swordstick 8.4, Spendthrift .1.3, Petersham, Counterblast 7.12, Chirp .3, Straightdel, Hanlon, Lord Puck 7.0. 2.24—JOCKEY CLUB HANDICAP, of £400, 10½ furlongs—Willie Win 9.3, Norseman 8.9, Thermidor 9.6, Alma 8.0, Settlement 7.9, Peony Rose 7.7, Nightwings 7.6, Swordstick 7.5, Nightdress 7.2, Valantua 7.1, Master Dingle, Lord Puck 7.0.

3.2—ABBOTSFORD HANDICAP, of £150, 6 furlongs. — Miltiades 9.1, Great Swoop, Pink Bond, Combat 8.12, King's Chorus 8.9, Counterlunch 8.5, New Note

THE WRECKER FANCIED FOR WESTLAND

Life Guard Engaged In The Sprints

(By MOTORUA).
The Westland Racing Club's meeting will be held to-day and single pool beling used. Taking a line through recent form the following should be in demand with backers:—

Stafford Hack Handicap: Dona Novice Stakes: Jocanta.

Williams Memorial: The Wreck er, Gay Rebel.

Midsummer Handicap: Guard, Rebel Chief. Goldsborough Hack Handicap: Queen Linda, Shangri La. Railway Highweight: Waitaka Rebel Chief, or Epic.

The acceptances are: STAFFORD HACK HANDICAP, of

NOVICE STAKES, of £70; 6 furlongs.—Royal Rank 8.12, Brenta 8.12, Jocanta 8.5, Grey Silk 8.5.

W. E. WILLIAMS MEMORIAL HANDICAP, of £140; 1 mile.—Gay W. E. WILLIAMS MEMORIAL HANDICAP, of £140; 1 mile.—Gay Rebel 9.0, Gay Parade 8.9, Wine Card 8.8, The Wrecker 8.1, Lady Middleham 7.13, Cape Gabo 7.11, Waitaka 7.10, Queen Linda 7.10, Studley Royal 7.6, Potent 7.3, Maroha 7.0.

MIDSUMMER HANDICAP, of £90: 6 furlongs.—Land Raid 8.13, Rebel Chief 8.12, Life Guard 8.7, Epic 7.11, Bonny Agnes 7.10, Windward 7.7, Rebel Rank 7.7, Jan Ridd 7.7.

GOLDSBOROUGH HANDICAP, of £90; 1 mile.—Queen Linda 9.0, Clubman 8.9, Shangri La 8.8, Maroha 8.7, Metric 8.5, Jed Forest 8.4, Muriet 8.1, Improvident 8.0, Lady Magellan 7.11, In the Dark 7.7.

RAILWAY HIGHWEIGHT HANDI-CAP, of £90; 7 furlongs.—Rebel Chief 9.11, Knight Commander 9.10, Dona-dea 9.8, Life Guard 9.6, Waitaka 9.2, Studley Royal 8.12, Maroha 8.4, Pot-ent 8.4, Epic 8.4, Cardplayer 8.2, Pas-senger 8.0, St. Cedric 8.0, Windward 8.0.

Consistent.

The efforts of the Inflation filly, Classform in the past few weeks attract much attention to her prospects in the Rangitikei Cup at Bulls on Saturday next. The Awapuni filly was runner-up in the Wanganui Cup and Earle Stakes and was a good third at Hawera so her turn is well overdue. She has been working along smoothly at Awapuni since and will strip fit for the big event at the Rangitikei meeting.

More Solid Now

Trilitha Craiti Coloss more solid all round now and there was no semblance of a fluke about his success at the Opunake meeting. Fred McHugh has been very patient with this three-year-old and it looks as if charge will improve on the second placing he secured at Bulls last October. He is engaged in the Santoft Handicap at the Rangitikei meeting.

Trilitha Oraiti Golden William Color No. 100 No. 1

Smart Hurdler

High Peer is engaged both in the hurdles and in the apprentices' race at Bulls and whatever race he contests he will find solid support. High Peer is a really smart hurdler, but he showed excellent form on the flat at Wanganui and was unlucky in not winning.

Manato Manato 1.20—

1.20—

Siegmu Horning 1.20—

The Kincardine filly Kotua showed considerable promise in her few races early in the season and she was eased off after her narrow defeat by her stable-mate Royal Sign at Marton. Judging by the way in which she has been getting through her work of late Kotua is improved and the Trial Plate at Eulls should not be beyond her.

Dainty 2.0—

Air Fl Ringer Cherry Army Triple Distres

Sporting Gift looks vastly improved as the result of his racing last week and is hitting out very freely in his tasks at Awapuni. This little gelding is up to the best classes when attuned and he would need only to be on his best behaviour at the barrier to play an important part in the decision of the Bailey Memorial Handicap at Bulls. He may be produced at Woodville on Monday.

Kehurangi 7 7

RUAHINE HANDICAP,

Of £200, 6 furlongs.

Amigo 9 4 Lord

Old Bill 9 2 Cavendish 7 0

Baran 8 0 Lady Chat 7 0

Baran 7 7 Charing Cross 7 0

Nora Gregor 7 6 Rollicker 7 0

Nora Gregor 7 6 Rollicker 7 0

Screen Star 7 6

WAIAPU RACES HELD Defaulter Starts WOODVILLE RACES TO-DAY

BRUNHILD'S CHANCES ARE GOOD

AMIGO IN FORM

Bright Prospects For Opening Day

BY MOTUROA

The Woodville Jockey Club's autumn meeting opens at Woodville to-day and concludes on Monday and, judging by the splendid acceptances received for the meeting and the high class of horses engaged, two great days of sport are assured Hawke's Bay racing enthusiasts. Provincial stables are strongly represented, too, and they will sustain local interest.

The course is in wonderful order as the result of the recent rain and now that the weather has become settled, conditions for racing should be ideal. Complete arrangements have been made for the conveyance of patrons. A bus will leave Napier at 8.30 this morning, while there will be an excursion train from Waipukurau.

Single pool betting will be used at the meeting and all the profits are to be devoted to the Patriotic Fund.

The Big Event

Ten are carded for the Woodville andicap and the field at once Handicap and the field at once catches the eye as being a very well catches the eye as being a very well salanced one. Siegmund, winner of the recent Wanganui Cup, will balanced one. Siegmund, winner of the recent Wanganui Cup, will claim a big following, especially as he has shown winning form on the track. Then there is Homily, whose 7.3, Tissue, Confidant 7.0.

4.18—HAZLETT GOLD CUP, of £500, 1
mile.—Defaulter 9.10, Paper Slipper 9.1,
Racecall 9.1, Disdain 8.11, Night Pal 8.5

4.56—WAIHOLA HANDICAP, of £250, 10½ furlongs.—Scold 9.0, Royal Style 8.4, Raroa 7.11, Cherokee 7.10, Moonraider, Sunny Jean, Dalrymple, The Joker, Our Empire 7.7.

Ashhurst Cup, while Brunhild has been racing well among the sprin-ters. She has started only once ters. She has started only once over a distance, winning the New Zealand Oaks two years ago, so the distance will have no terrors for her. Dainty Sheila has had three wins and two seconds in her last five starts and appears to have been a little unlucky in the Opunake

corroboree will have to improve on his recent form, but Raeburn raced impressively against the best handicap horses at Trentham last month and that form cannot be lightly passed by, especially as he has been working well. Mataroa was fourth in the Opunake Cup, while Verey Lights and The Ring both have winning form at ten fur-

Good Class Sprinters Amigo tops the list in the Ruahine Handicap, but he is one of the best class sprinters in the land. He won at Wanganui and was unlucky Life at Hawera where he met with interference. Old Bill has come into much favour in the past few days as the result of his good work, but the distance is a trifle short for him and he may find it head to consider and he may find it hard to concede 10lbs. to that consistent galloper Flammarion, who likes the Wood-

Rakahanga is good when right, but Nora Gregor looks more solid now and her close second to Beau partir here in December will not be tarere 7.7.

Rakahanga is good when right, but Nora Gregor looks more solid now and her close second to Beau partir here in December will not be overlooked. Lord Cavendish has been raging notability but her basis. appeals as much as any of the others, but the topweights seem to have a strong claim on this event.

Horses in Form

Taking a line through recent form the following should be hard to beat to-day:— Maiden Plate: Moradabad, Queen Ila (or, Goldburn).

Oringi Highweight: Charade, Hunting Moments (or, Prime Quality).

Woodville Handicap: Brunhild, Raeburn, Homily.

Sapling Stakes: Chary, Ringcraft. Ruahine Handicap: Amigo, Flam-marion (or Hunter's Eve).

President's Handicap: Serenata,

MAIDEN PLATE. Of £100, 6 furlongs. Queen IIa 8 11 Moradabad
Tide 8 11 Game Pit
Golden Wattle 8 11 Great Fair
Wave Length 8 11 Goldburn
Trilltha 8 11 Rollaway
Oraiti 8 11 Arachne
Golden Balgowlah Melody 8 11 Te Oriko

ORINGI HIGHWEIGHT HANDICAP, Of £140, 11 miles. Charade 11 5 First Chapter 9 4 Will be Prime Ruling Star 9 2 Cup m Quality 10 7 Richelieu Hunting Pearl 9 0 Moments 9 13 Dark Water 9 0 3.20— Amatory

WOODVILLE HANDICAP. Of £300, 1½ miles. Siegmund 9 2 Corroboree 7
Homily 8 4 Raeburn 7
Galteemore 7 10 Mataroa 7
Brunhild 7 9 Verey Lights 7
Dainty Sheila 7 7 The Ring 7

Of £140, 51 furlongs. Of £140, 5½ furlongs.

Air Flight 8 13 Chablis 7 7
Ringcraft 8 10 Barbara
Chary 8 10 Miller 7 7
Cherry Bay 8 5 Santa Lucia 7 7
Army Girl 7 13 All Quiet 7 7
Triple Crown 7 11 Miss Wheriko 7 7
Distress Dyne 7 7
Kehurangl 7 7

GOOD FIELDS AT TE AROHA

FANCIED HORSES

Weather Is Dull And Threatening

By Telegraph-Press Association. AUCKLAND, Feb. 23. The Te Aroha Jockey Club's Diamond Jubilee meeting will be opened to-morrow, when good fields should provide interesting racing.

The weather has been dull and threatening to-day and the outlook is not too bright. However, unless there is a good deal of rain, the going should be excellent. The bet ing will be under the win and place

Horses likely to be well fancied

11.50—Ruakaka Hurdles: General Ruse, Celtic Lad, Glen Abb. 12.35-Waitoa Handicap: Joan Peel, 1.20-Juvenile Handicap: Gaymiss

Ascot Bloom, Sir Cameron. 2.5—Herries Memorial Cup: Beau Repaire, The Cardinal, Gamos. 2.55—Shaftesbury Hack Handicap: Hunter's Night, Hunto, Lady

Naals, Inver, Arvakur. Gold 4.25-Jubilee Hack Cup Handicap: Kilcash, Pern. Raepata.

5.10—Waihou Handicap: Orello, Olympus, Lixden. Sure Pay and Radiant Vaals will e bracketed in the Juvenile Handi-RUAKAKA HURDLES.

Of £300, about 15 miles. WAITOA HANDICAP,

A Sweepstakes of £3 each, with £250 added, 6 furlongs. Hunter's Night 9 1 Whenua Joan Peel 7 7 1 Lady Bambury 7 7

Lady Acushla 8 Kingeraft JUVENILE HANDICAP, Of £300 (for two-year-olds), 5 furlongs.

Dinky Di 8 5 Mysito
Sir Cameron 8 2 Lady Bloater
Marshall Hall 7 13 Belle Femme

HERRIES MEMORIAL CUP, Of £1000 and gold cup valued at £50, 1 mile and 3 furlongs. Golden Sheila 9 8 Erlick

Royevrus 8 8 The Caruma.

Royevrus 8 6 Pirate King
Mintlaw Royal Mintlaw
Appellant 8 6 Rarotonga
Kathbella 8 3 Gamos
Lady Montana 7 11

SHAFTSBURY HACK HANDICAP, A Sweepstakes of £3 each, with £275 added, 6 furlongs.

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 Mandalay
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HOT SPRINGS HANDICAP, Of £300, 1 mile. 9 9 Grand City

3 Yogi 7 12 2 Prince Rangi 7 12 Valmint Full Hand 8 7 Silver Eagle 8 6 Inver 8 5 Silver Stick 8 4 Aero King

8 13 Agog 8 8 Raepata 8 7 Pern 8 7 Philemup 8 4 Tutor Princess Val Kilcash

WAIHOU HANDICAP. Of £500, 6 furlongs.

9 12 Silver Quex 9 1 Olympus 7 8 3 Trilliarch 7 7 10 Lexden 7 7 10 Tosh 7 7 10 Mon Acre 7 7 10 Bronze Moth 7 Bronwen Maori Song

Likes The Track

Filetto always races well at Bulls and there will be support for her at the Rangitikei meeting. The Marton mare looked a little unlucky at the Opunake meeting, but her effort showed that she had trained on well since she won at Ashhurst and she is likely to be found at her best for this fixture.

Can do Better

County Handicap: Arcas, Mountain Fox.

Kumeroa Handicap: Dynasty, Dunmanway (or, Moments).

The acceptances are:—

Can do Better

The former Hawke's Bay gelding Gold Chase raced miles below form at the Wellington summer meeting but he showed during the holidays that he was a galloper of no mean ability and his lapse may have been only a temporary one. The track at Bulls will suit him better and it will surprise if he does not race well at the Rangitikei meeting.

Jumps Well Race Boy created a good impression at Hawera and appears likely to prove a useful adjunct to "Doc." Knapp's team. His good thirds at the Egmont meeting are likely to be improved on in the near future and his chances at Bulls cannot be lightly passed by.

Small, But Good The Collossus gelding Rustem, is very small, but he is more than useful when right and his efforts at the Egmont meeting were indicative of an early success. Whatever race the Foxton gelding contests at Bulls he will be in demand and the Rangitikei Cup may not prove beyond him.

PRESIDENT'S HANDICAP. Of £140, 7 furlongs. Punarua 8 12 Kehua
Colibrl 8 9 Piastre
Serenata 8 8 Gaelic Song
Chief Lord 8 6 Vadanoe
Brazil 8 6 War Cloud
Dark Eagle 8 4 Malacca
Mother-in-Law8 4 Te Oriko
Acrobat 7 12

4.0-COUNTY HANDICAP, Of £140, 6 furlongs. Rehearsal 9 0 Newbury Te Ore 8 10

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WEDNESDAY—
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7 to 8: Engineering Mechanics;
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