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### FOUR BRITISH PILOTS LOST

Further German Air Attacks On England

#### R.A.F. RAIDS ITALY

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NAZI CLAIMS

FOREIGN WRITERS'

**TESTIMONY** 

DAMAGE SEEN

"England Faces Trials

Fearlessly"

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NAZI OVERTURES

TO GREECE ARE

UNAVAILING

WILL NOT RENOUNCE THE BRITISH

**GUARANTEE** 

PRESS OUTCRY

Hoggia's Death

SATISFIED

WAGE INCREASE

NOT ENOUGH

By Telegraph—Press Association.

DUNEDIN, Aug. 15.

Criticism of the general wage increase of 5 per cent. was voiced at the monthly meeting of the Hillside

ZURICH, Aug. 15.

It is officially stated that 26 German 'planes were destroyed in yesterday's fighting, namely 14 bombers, three fighter bombers, and nine fighters. Four British pilots were lost.

The Air Ministry has announced further German air attacks on south-west England and Wales late last night. An R.A.F. aerodrome was attacked and some fatalities resulted. Enemy 'planes were over north-west England and south-east Scotland early this morning.

A large force of R.A.F. bombers successfully attacked military objectives in Northern Italy on Tuesday night, says a communique issued by the Air Ministry on Wednesday. Pre-

the Air Ministry on Wednesday. Preliminary reports indicate that heavy damage was done to aircraft factories at Milan and Turin. All the British bombers returned safely except one, which made a forced landing on the sea near the British coast, the crew being rescued.

An Air Ministry communique issued at 7.15 p.m. states: "On Tuesday night, in addition to the raids on Italy, strong forces of bombers attacked the Junkers aircraft factories at Dessau and Bernburg, north of Leipzig, munition factories at Luen and Grevenbreich, various military objectives in the Ruhr, and 14 aerodromes in Germany, Holland, Belgium, and France. One of our aircraft is missing."

Works Bombed

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Two of Italy's most vital aircraft works, the Caproni factory at Milan and the Fiat plant at Turin, were attacked and seriously damaged in a series of raids by R.A.F. heavy bombers on Tuesday night. Flying some 1600 miles, the raiders made a double crossing of the Alps and had to climb three miles high to surmount the snow-capped peaks.

As they headed for home after the attacks, which went on until the early hours of this morning, the bombers left behind them smashed factories, many of them on fire, and one pilot, as he recrossed the Alps, could still see a dull glare from the blazing Caproni works miles behind him.

Visibility was impeded by some ground haze when the attacks began about midnight.

Fierce Blaze

One pilot who was over the Fiat works from 12.30 until 1.15 scored several direct hits, and the roof of the works was pierced. After a fierce blaze had broken out, there followed two large explosions.

Another pilot made three separate runs over the works, and he, too, scored direct hits with his incendiary bombs on the south end of the

bombs on the south end of the buildings, causing fires, while one of his heavy bombs struck the other

end of the works.

When another pilot arrived about 12.45, there was a haze covering the target, but it was insufficient to conceal it and he, too, was able to score further hits with heavy bombs and start more fires.

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The haze became thicker, but now it was lit by flames as the fires started by the earlier raiders took hold and spread.

One pilot who took up the attack at one o'clock said that the target was on fire when he arrived. From a height of 10,000 feet he dropped a fresh salvo of high-explosive bombs and more incendiaries, which further increased the blazing area.

Britons Detained By The French Government

British Official Wireless. (Received August 15, 6 p.m.)

RUGBY, Aug. 14.

The question was raised in the House of Commons as to whether, in view of the refusal of the French Government to grant exit permits to British male subjects 42 years of age in unoccupied France on the ground that they are of military age, the British Government would take the necessary retaliatory action, the Rt. Hon Mr R. A. Butler said: 'Negotiations are proceeding with the French Government on this subject. I hope it will not be necessary to have recourse to any form of retailation."

Hoggia's Death

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LONDON, Aug. 14.

The "Daily Express" correspondent at at Athens says that the Gerese to remainister for the second time visited General Metaxas and again made affort to persuade Greece to remounce the British general Metaxas, after a Cabinet meeting, is reported to have again receiting, is reported to

#### PRICE INCREASES IN BRITAIN

#### Food 48½ Per Cent. Up Since War Began

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LONDON, Aug. 15.

The official average wholesale prices for July are nearly 4 per cent. above those of June. Food prices increased about 3 per cent. and inclustrial materials to manufacturers nearly 4½ per cent.

The aggregate increases since the outbreak of war in the general index are 42½ per cent, food prices 48½ per cent, industrial materials to manufacturers 39 per cent.

India

DOMINION STATUS

Constitution According To Indian Life

TASK AFTER THE WAR

British Official Wireless. (Received August 15, 6 p.m.)

RUGBY, Aug. 14. The Secretary of State for India (Mr L. C. M. S. Amery), speaking in a House of Commons debate on the Governor's proposals to India, said that it was five years since the passage of the Government of India Act, and that that Act was still working successfully in four of the 11 provinces of India. It was due to purely extraneous causes that the Act was not being worked in the other seven provinces.

other seven provinces.

The constitutional deadlock in India to-day was not so much between the British Government and the Indian opposition as between the main lines of India's national life. It could not be solved by the easy method of bilateral agreement, but by the much more difficult method of multilateral agreement among parties of which the British Government was only one.

Mr Amery then illustrated the many differences which existed between the various sections of the

many differences which existed between the various sections of the Indian populace and which prevented any single party claiming the right to speak as the voice of India. Had such a party existed, the task of the British Government would of course have been rendered far easier. Nevertheless, he refused to regard India's constitutional problems as unbridgeable.

Congress Attitude

In spite of the discouraging attitude shown in Congress quarters to the offer of the Viceroy to the Indian leaders of the opportunity to take an immediate and effective part in the government of India, Mr Amery said that he still hoped that they would all be willing to play their part. If the contrary should unfortunately prove the case. Lord The London correspondent of the "Neuezuercher Zeitung" writes that foreign correspondents in England recently visited many places which were targets of German air attacks, unfortunately prove the case, Lord Linlithgow would still go ahead, pre-pared to work with those who would work with him and with each other.

were targets of German air attacks, and were convinced that the damage done was out of all proportion to the German official allegations.

The correspondent praises the courage of the British people, adding: "The population of England faces coming trials calmly and fearlessly." The Viceroy's offer had been also concerned with paving the way for a speedy attainment of a goal to which the British Government was aiming—the goal of Dominion status

**Dominion Status** 

"The desire of the British Government is that the new constitu-tion of India should be devised by Indians for themselves, and shou originate from the Indian conce

originate from the Indian conceptions of the social, economic and political structure of Indian life," said Mr Amery.

"That task is to be undertaken with the least possible delay after the war by a body representative of the principal elements in India's national life. Within the limitations imposed by the necessity of securing an agreement, the whole constitutional field is open to reexamination," said Mr Amery. "It may indeed prove to be the case that it is by entirely novel departures from the existing scheme, whether in relation to the centre provinces or to the states or to the methods of election and representamethods of election and representa-tion, that an agreement might be reached which is unattainable within the framework of the existing Act." Italians Blame Greeks For in

Lords' Discussion

In the House of Lords, India was also discussed. Lord Strabolgi asked whether those Indians who, it was proposed, should be co-opted to the Executive Council would join the Governor-General in the council in an executive or advisory capacity.

Ships sailing under the British and French flags to receive the same pay and to work under the sa

### Last Raid Cost Nazis Britain's Goal In AMERICA MAINTAINS ITS "OPEN-DOOR" POLICY

Secures Big Share In Division Of International Settlement

### JAPANESE CLAIMS OPPOSED

(United Press Association-Copyright.) (Received August 15, 11 p.m.)

SHANGHAI, Aug. 15. The four-hour meeting of defence commanders settled the question of future control of the sectors of the International Settlement. Details so far officially are not revealed, but it is authoritatively stated that the United States has gained control of the central section, including the waterfront and the Bund—while the Japanese have got the western district—thus it seems that the United States has saved the last wedge of an open-door policy, upon the maintenance of which Washington It is reported that the Japanese opened the meeting demanding all the British sectors, at which Colonel Peck advanced a counter-proposal. After a long and heated argument, British Brigade-Major B. Ashmore suggested a compromise, to which both agreed. It is understood that the Japanese have gained the West Hongkow sector—the only British

#### NAZIS HURL THREATS AT BRITAIN

SHORE DEFENCES DERIDED

sector north of Hoochow.

United Press Association-Copyright. (Received Aug. 15, 10 p.m.) LONDON, Aug. 15. The German radio has launched iolent threats of invasion against Britain. The recent raids were de scribed as a necessary preliminary o the invasion.

"The troops who go to England will comprise infantry, artillery and motorised units," it is stated. It derided Britain's shore defences and recalled the uselessness of Britania and Brita ish fortifications on the French and

#### REFUGEE SAILORS IN BRITAIN

May Continue To Serve

SAIL THEIR OWN SHIPS

Option Given

British Official Wireless.
(Received August 15, 6 p.m.)
RUGBY, Aug. 14.

Replying to a House of Commons uestion as to what steps were eing taken to enable French refugee sailors of the mercantile marine and fishermen who were now in the United Kingdom to secure a livelihood and assist in the Allied cause, the Rt. Hon. Mr Butler said: "Arrangements have been made for those French sailors who are willing to continue to serve in their own ships sailing under the British and

in an executive or advisory capacity.
Replying, Lord Devonshire stated:
"Those Indian gentlemen invited to join the council will become executive members and be chosen by the Governor-General."

return to France and are waiting repair and the council partiation. Every effort has been made to enable French fishermen now in this country to go to sea and fish from their own vessels, thus contributing to the nation's supply of food."

# AUSTRALIANS PAY THEIR

People Watch, Awed And Silent

United Press Association-Copyright (Received August 15, 10 p.m.) MELBOURNE, Aug. 15. With sad dignity and reverence the nation paid a last tribute to-day to the men who died in the Canberra air disaster.

In fitful showers and spring sun-shine the bodies of eight of the 10 victims, including three Federal Ministers and the chief of the Gen-eral Staff of the Australian Military Forces, were borne from the funeral train for a special memorial service at St. Paul's Cathedral. The people, still appalled by the extent of the tragedy, crowded in thous-ands along the approaches to the Cathedral and Prince's Bridge Sta-

ion, awed and silent.

After the service the caskets were borne, by train and road to several destinations for burial and cremation in accordance with the wishes of the relatives.

Sydney Service

Synchronising with the funeral service for the air victims at Melservice for the air victims at Melbourne, a similar service was held at St. Andrew's Cathedral, Sydney. It was attended by the Governor of the State, Ministers, and a large gathering of leading citizens. Bishop Hilliard delivered an impressive address and Archbishop Mowll gave the blessing.

The funeral of Aircraftsman Crosdale will take place to-morrow near Maitland. His widow gave birth to a son yesterday.

A memorial service for the victims

a son yesterday.

A memorial service for the victims was also held at St. John's Church, Canberra. Among those present were the Canadian High Commissioner and the United States Minister to Australia (Mr Gauss), various Consuls, heads of Government departments and Federal politicians.

A court of inquiry into the Canberra air crash composed of berra air crash composed of Royal Australian Air Force officers will begin on Tuesday in private.

> KING VISITS AIR DEFENCES

Impressed By Sensitive Sound Locator

British Official Wireless. (Received August 15, 6.0 p.m.) RUGBY, Aug. 14. His Majesty the King visited anti-aircraft defences at Kent and ex-pressed great interest in a sound location station.

His Majesty was told that the crew had to signal each other when working the locator as it was so sen-sitive that to talk would upset the

sitive that to talk would upset the nechanism.
The work of anti-aircraft guns

was demonstrated by the crew re-nearsing an action in conjunction with an R.A.F. bomber.

BY REQUEST OF HIS MAJESTY

A Day Of National Prayer

By Telegraph-Press Association. WELLINGTON, Aug. 15 His Excellency the Governor-General (Lord Galway), has been informed by the private secretary to His Majesty the King that it is the desire of His Majesty that Sunday, September 8, being the first Sunday after the anniversary of the outbreak of war, should be observed as a day of national prayer. as a day of national prayer.

#### Hitler's Hollow Boast

DATE THAT HELD NO MEANING

"Condemned" Men Celebrate

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received Aug. 15, 10 p.m.) LONDON, Aug. 15. Hitler after the fall of France oasted that Britain would be prought to her knees and peace de-

clared by August 15. To-day all morning newspapers draw attention to the date and the emptiness of the boast.

Another celebration will be held in London to-night when 53 French sailors, including M. Muselier and Staff Captain Moret are gathering to celebrate the death sentences which the French "war guilt" trials are expected to impose. They are already condemned, according to Petain's decrees.

### FRENCH FOOD RIOTS SPREAD

#### SEVERAL KILLED IN DEMONSTRATIONS

United Press Association-Copyright (Received Aug. 15, 10 p.m.) LONDON, Aug. 15. A correspondent of the "Daily Express" at Cerbere reports that serious food riots are occurring at Lyons, Toulouse and Marseilles, where women marched to the docks tried to raid a food ship from

MEMORIAL SERVICE Lyons and several people are reported to have been killed. The demonstrators included many demobilised soldiers.

# COMMUNISM IN FILM

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LOS ANGELES, Aug. 15.
A county grand jury report accused film stars of contributing money and of heading Communist infiltration in the motion picture industry. The testimony included the allegations that several celebrities affiliated with study groups would be unrecognisable as Communists.

NAZI AGENT IN
ARGENTINA

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MONTEVIDEO, Aug. 15.
Carlos Arnold, an alleged agent of the Gestapo and the Fuhrer of Nazi shock troops in Argentina was fortherly.

The Transylvania was torpedoed at night time in a rough sea. Rescuing ships including Grimsby trawlers raced to the scene and saved 300 officers and crew who were landed at a west coast port.

The death roll is thought to be between 30 and 40. Immediately it was realised that the ship was doomed the captain ordered the life-boats to be lowered.

One overturned, probably accounting for most of the casualties.

The captain was among those saved.

#### CLUMSY NAZI TRICK SUSPECTED IN SCOTLAND

#### Parachutes Dropped But No Sign Of Invaders Hanging To Them

(United Press Association-Copyright.) (Received August 15, 10 p.m.)

LONDON, Aug. 15. Troops on foot and in armoured cars and lorries mounting Bren guns are searching in the Midlands and Scotland for Ger-

man parachutists. Patrols and home guards from a village near a Midlands market town reported grey shapes floating from the sky at midnight on Tuesday. All parachutes found were complete with harness, two neatly folded.

It is now believed that the parachutes were dropped as an invation hoax designed to cause panic.

the warning, "Beware of parachutists." A Home Guard in the Midlands saw a parachute drop a few hundred feet away. He crawled under cover to the spot, but saw no trace of the parachutist.

#### DANCING AGAIN BANNED IN GERMANY

TABOO WAS LIFTED FOR BENEFIT OF SOLDIERS

United Press Association—Copyright, (Received August 15, 10 p.m.) BERLIN, Aug. 15.

Dancing was permitted after the day capitulation of France for the benefit of soldiers, but it is stated that the resumption of the ban arises from the intensification of the Battle for Britain.

# Church bells broke weeks of long silence as they tolled out

U-BOAT CLAIMS

ARMED LINER

#### TRANSYLVANIA LOST IN ATLANTIC

United Press Association—Copyright. (Received August 15, 12.45 p.m.)
LONDON, Aug. 14.

The British armed merchant The radio has announced a decree cruiser Transylvania (17,000 tons) rohibiting all dancing throughout was sunk by a U-boat in the Atlantic, the Admiralty announced to-

Three hundred officers and men, the major portion of the crew, were rescued by warships and trawlers, The Transylvania was formerly an Anchor liner.

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# SEPTEMBER 8 DAY OF PRAYER FOR BRITISH

American Nation Will Join In The Common Cause At That Time

> (British Official Wireless.) (Received August 15, 6 p.m.)

RUGBY, Aug. 14. A communication from Buckingham Palace states that it is the desire of the King that September 8, being the first Sunday after the anniversary of the outbreak of war, should be observed as a day of national prayer. Referring to the desire expressed by the King, the Archbishop of Canterbury in a statement says that a ready response for this will be

found in the hearts of the people. "Since the last day of prayer on May 26 the anxieties and responsibilities of the nation and Empire have been greatly increased. The defection by the Government of France has left us alone among the nations of Western Europe to defend the cause of justice and freedom against unscrupulous and ruthless aggression," he said.

'The invasion of our own land by the enemy is threatened and may at any time be attempted. It is therefore right that once again the nation should turn to God as its strength and stay in this time of trouble and once again commit its great cause to Him. It is noteworthy that the President of the United States has called his people to prayer on the same day, September 8. Thus on both sides of the Atlantic two great democracies will be joined together in their acknowledgment of God most high."

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2.0: Recordings. 2.30: Classical hour. 3.30: Sports results. 4.0: Weather report. 4.30: Sports results; light music.

music.

5.0: Children's session. 5.45 Daventry news; dinner music. 6.55: Weather report. 7.0: News. 7.30: Sports talk by Gordon Hutter. 8.0: Concerto for Trumpet and Orchestra (Haydn). 8.9: Oscar Natzke (bass). 8.13: "The Shadow of the Swastika." 9.0: Daventry news. 9.10: Weather report and station notices. 9.15: "Music from the Theatre." 9.41: "Figaro" Overture (Mozart). Incidental Music from "Macbeth" (Verdi). John McCormack (tenor). 9.58: Suite, "Les Petits Rien" (Mozart). 10.12: Music, mirth and melody. 11.0: Daventry news.

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news; dinner music. 6.55: Weather
report. 7.0: News. 7.35: Talk,
"Castles Calling." 8.0: "Gilbert and
Sullivan Cavalcade — Highlights
from the Savoy Operas." 9.0: Daventry news. 9.10: Weather report
and notices. 9.15: "Bolero" (Pollack), "Marche Automatique," "Pepita" (Bourdon). 9.24: Madeleine
Grey (contraito). 9.30: "Pearl o'
Mine" (Fletcher). 9.33: Harry
Dearth (bass). 9.42: "Invitation to
the Waltz" (Weber). 9.46: Madeleine Grey. 9.52: "Voice of Spring,"
"Emperor Waltz" (Strauss). 10.0:
Music, mirth and melody. 11.0: Daventry news.

7.0 a.m.: Daventry news. 7.10: Break-fast session. 8.20 and 9.15: Daven-11.0: Light music. 12.0-2.0 p.m.: Lunch music. 12.30 and 1.15 p.m.: Dav-

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5.0: Aunt Wendy. 5.45: Daventry news.
6.0: "The Japanese Houseboy." 6.15:
Light music. 6.45: Weather forecast; "Lorna Doone." 7.0: News.
7.15: After-dinner music. 8.0: "Toccata and Fugue in D Minor" (Bach,
arr. Stokowski). 8.12: Marion anderson (contralto). 8.19: "Sonata
No. 1 in D Major" (Mendelssohn).
8.45: Heinrich Schlusnus (baritone).
8.50: "Theme Varie" (Paderewski).
9.0: Daventry news. 9.10: Light
music. 9.45: "Joan of Arc."

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Save Up For Trips By Train

BASKETBALL AT NAPIER

To-morrow's Games

REPRESENTATIVE TRIALS

Players Selected

Following are the basketball games to be played on the Napier Marine Parade courts to-morrow:— Senior A

Ex-High 1 v. C.O.G. 1, Court 2, 2 p.m.; Miss J. Fairey. C.O.G. 1 v. Hukarere 1, Court 2, 2.45 p.m.; Miss J. Fairey. Senior B

C.O.G. 2 v. Woolworths, Court 3, p.m.; Miss G. Lawrie. Ex-High 2 v. Ex-High 3, Court 4, 2.45 p.m.; Mrs Bergman.
C.O.G. 2 v. Hukarere 2, Court 5,
2.45 p.m.; Miss R. Bennie.
St. Mary's 1 v. Harris', Court 4,
3.30 p.m.; Miss K. Galbraith.

WAGE INCREASE INADEQUATE

Labourers' View

RISING COST OF LIVING

Napier Meeting

The following resolutions were carried at a meeting of the General Labourers' Union at Napier on Wednesday night:
"(1) That this meeting of Napier

HOCKEY DRAW FOR TO-MORROW

Napier And Hastings Games

The following are Saturday's Vapier and Hastings hockey games Senior Men

Hawke's Bay v Wellington, Nelson Park, Napier, 3.15 p.m. (Messrs Wallis and Mardon).

Women's Fixtures Maraenui v Taradale, Nelson Park No. 2, Napier, 1.30 p.m. (Messrs Surgenor and Cross). E Awa v Hastings, Nelson Park No. 2, Napier, 2.30 p.m. (Messrs Chuban and McColl).

Tui v Karori, Hastings, No. 1, 3

GREENDALE CYCLE CLUB

Handicaps For Duff Cup Race

The Greendale Cycling Club will hold a 33-mile race to-morrow for the Duff Cup. The following handicaps have been declared:

S. Hunt, W. Young, 1min; R. Attwood, I. Newrick, 2min; A. Fleming, A. Rodda, D. Collett, 4.30; G. Spivey, R. Miller, J. Fleming, 5mins; A Manning, C. Hunt, G. Hunt, 5min 30sec; B. McEwan, I. McInerney, P Gleeson, G. Conroy, 6min. 30sec.; R

A bright parachute flare which brilliantly illuminated Sumner and brilliantly illuminated Sumner and the surrounding districts was dropped on a recent evening by an aeroplane attached to the Royal New Zealand Air Force. The flare was dropped at a height of about 4000 feet, and it slowly descended until it burnt itself out when 100 feet above the sea. Three rockets were fired from the Cave Rock, so apparently exercises were being carried out. The spectacle lasted for five minutes, and provided a brilliant sight for many people. liant sight for many people.

A BABY SHOW IN CONJUNCTION

Jury Recommends Leniency A verdict of guilty on the charge of theft of a radio receiving set, and not guilty on the alternative charge of receiving the instrument, was returned by the jury in the case of John Augustus Jeanes, a fisherman and a cafe, proprietor, of Na-

fore Mr Justice Ostler, says the 'Gisborne Herald."

the Supreme Court at Gisborne, be-

OF THEFT

OUTCOME OF TRIP

TO GISBORNE

RADIO STOLEN

In his having "pinched" the set.

Cross-examined, the witness said that he had taken the back off the set, and to his recollection all the screws were there when he did so. Witness said that the remark about "pinching" the wireless might have been made by the accused in a sarcastic way. That was not the impression he received, however.

Set Bought at Gisborne.

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Patrick Cahill McGill, with whom Davis and Jeanes stayed in Gisborne, also give evidence, and Detective W. J. Mason, Napier, detailed a statement made by the accused when inquiries were made. Accused said he had bought the set privately in Gisborne, and could produce a receipt for his deposit of £2. Jeanes later give up the radio, but did not produce the receipt, nor could he remember the name of the man who had sold him the set. Witness said he had told accused of Osgood's statement regarding the alleged "pinching" of the radio, and accused commented: "Oh, a man says those things!" Set Bought at Gisborne.

things!"
Accused elected to give evidence
in his own behalf, and said he was a
fish-shop proprietor, of Napier. He
said that while at sea with Davis, in
the launch Dauntless, he had had to
run for Gisborne owing to bad
weather. While in Gisborne he was
specified at the launch side by The process of the season of t

and when he searched later he count of find it. The launch was then under overhaul.

His Honour: What was the name of the man who sold the set?—I can't remember it. He told it to me,

obtiliforgot it.

His Honour: Do you ask the jury to believe that you bought a set for E15 and did not remember the name of the man who sold it to you? Has the man not asked you for any more money?

Hawke's Bay v Wellington, Nelson
Park, Napier, 2 p.m. (Messrs
Rouse and Haliday).

Witness: 1 take it that he was the man who stole the set. I heard in Napier that the man who sold me the set had gone to Wellington, and I made a trip there to try and find the set had gone to the set had gone to wellington. Witness: I take it that he was the

Cross-examined by Mr Nolan, the witness said he had £14 in hand after paying Davis for his share of the fish. The man who sold him the radio was of average height and weight and smartly dressed, with a light grey overcoat. Witness did not see him arrive with the set, but found him sitting in the launch cabin, playing the set.

Witness denied having said to Osgood that he "pinched" the radio. He was searchingly cross-examined by Mr Nolan as to his dealings with the man who sold him the radio, and the details of his conversation with Detective Mason.

The Crown Prosecutor then asked leave of the Court to cross-examine under the special rules, and leave was granted. Cross-examined by Mr Nolan, the

was granted.

The witness admitted that he had been convicted for a breach of the peace in 1934, and in 1935 for making false statements, and again last week in Napier for assault.

The accused concluded his evidence and addressed the jury brief-like.

His Honour warned the jury especially against taking the accused's previous convictions into account when considering their ver lict. They must consider the ev dence only, and this evidence would probably raise a number of questions in the minds of jurymen.

The jury retired at 4.20 p.m.

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TARADALE.

A meeting of representatives of the various "stalls" for the forthcoming patriotic fair was held in Taradale on Wednesday night, when reports were presented dealing with

pier, who was tried on Tuesday in John Ambulance. There will be five

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Meeting At Rissington

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The members of the Rissington Women's Institute gathered at "Pine Ridge," the home of their president, Mrs W. Woodward, for their August meeting.
Mrs Woodward was in the chair

and read an apology for absence from Miss Spencer, who was to have addressed the members on New Zea-

Received a Receipt.

When he was asked if he had a receipt for his payment on the set, witness had told the detective that he had. He had no opportunity to get it from the boat immediately, and when he searched later he could not find it. The launch was then under overhaul.

His Hopour: What was the name Carmichael.

BASKETBALL AT WAIROA

Players Selected For

To-morrow

"Daily Mail" Special Service. WAIROA. The following are the basketball ames to be played at Wairoa on aturday:

Saturday:
North Clyde Redwing v. High
School 1, No. 1 court at 2.15 p.m.
referee: Miss Edser).
High School II v. Ex-High I, No.
2 court at 2.15 p.m. (referee: Mrs Rhodes).

Redwing v. Ex-High II, at 3 p.m. (referee: Mrs Russell).

At the conclusion of the matches girls in the first selection are requested to remain for the Possible

Probable game for representativ Yesterday On

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Following is the draw for a bogey match to be played by members o the Waipukurau Golf Club on Sat-

reports were presented dealing with the progress made to date. Mrs L. H. Scott presided and a good deal of routine business was disposed of. A popular item mooted is the baby show which will be under the control of the women of the Green meadows: Taradale branch of St. John Ambulance. There will be five classes: Babies 1 to 6 months, 6 to 12 months, 12 to 18 months, 18 to 12 months and an open class. The members of St. John Ambulance are providing the prizes, the women having knitted some splendid garments as prizes for the first two

No. 11 tee: J. McCormick v. A. Livingston, C. Pederson v. T. Macallan. C. Foote v. C. R. Watson, E. S. Elliott v. E. Botherway, J. Paton v. J. E. Reid, L. Earl v. H. Stövell, J. C. Mills v. J. C. Windle, A. O. Williams v. partner iams v. partner.

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A London musical success, where t established a record-breaking run Balalaika" was written by Eric Jaschwitz, who was one of the col Maschwitz, who was one of the col-laborators on the screen play of "Goodbye, Mr Chips." It was pro-duced on the screen by Lawrence Weingarten, whose list of films in-clude "Libelled Lady" and "Too Hot to Handle," and was directed by Reinhold Schunzel whose direction of other successes made European

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and to haunt the lives of those who wander throug its immense rooms. Judith Anderson, as the sadistically cruel Mrs Danvers, turns in a screen portrait which is unforgettably brilliant, and the performances of Olivier and Miss Fontaine must be rated as being unsurpassed on the screen this season.

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"The Light That Falled" is a powerful romance which takes place in London and the Sudan during the closing years of the last century. The book has been a best-seller for three generations. The battles which are a feature of the film are re-enactments of the famous battles between the British and the Fuzzy-Wuzzies of the Sudan in the cam-Wuzzies of the Sudan in the cam paign of '90's which resulted in th conquest of the Sudan by the British.

It was during this campaign that Kipling, as a young man watched the Fuzzy-Wuzzy — a nick-name given the Sudanese troopers by the British—in action and which caused him to write his great tribute to them as fighting men in his immor-tal poem, "Fuzzy-Wuzzy." He also included some of these battles in his novel, "The Light That Failed," which has now been so successfully

brought to the screen.

In the story it is during one of these battles that Dick Heidar, artist—adventurer, meets Torpenhow, war correspondent, and the how, war correspondent, and the friendship which makes of this novel one of the strongest ever written in the English tongue, begins. The role of Heldar is played by Colman, and Torpenhow is portrayed by Walter Huston. Others in the big cast include Ida Lupino, Muriel Angelus, one of Paramount's "Golden Circlers," who makes her American film debut in this picture; Dudley Digges and many others.

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'DRUMS ALONG THE MOHAWK"

Claudette Colbert In An Action Drama

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aflame when the marauding Indians fire the farms of the pioneers; dread war-drums warning of fire and masacre; savage hordes scaling the tockade walls; muskets blazing and swinging as the pioneer womer fight shoulder to shoulder with their

men.
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### Children's Fancy Dress Ball In Napier

Pupils Of The Sacred Heart High School Have Annual Party

Jolly Gathering

Varied Programme Enjoyed During The Evening

Wednesday afternoon the of the Sacred Heart High l, Napier, held their annual dress party and dance and fancy dress party and dance and there was quite a large attendance of parents and friends.

In the evening the children enjoyed themselves with party games The following programme was

given:

Grand March, General Waltz; dance, "School-Days"—Diane Probert; general one-step; song and dance, Montessori infants; secondary Spot Waltz; "Hoop. Dance"—Jocelyn Gregory; Montessori spot waltz; massed drill, necondary; primary spot waltz; folk dance, "Jolly Miller"—Montessori; "Sailor's Hornpipe"—O. Workman; Valse Fantastique—Montessori classes; secondary monte carlo waltz; preliminary monte carlo waltz; preliminary monte carlo waltz; general Maxina; Montessori monte carlo waltz; "Highland Fling"—Gwenda Robottom; General Valeta; hymn.

The fancy costumes were as fol-The fancy costumes were as fol-

Sacred Heart House

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Joan Miles, A Flower Seller; Mary Reading, Tyrolean Maid; Barbara Cranko, Persian; Margaret Gibson, Gipsy; Margaret Manning, Gipsy; Marjorie Hanes, Masquerader; Lucy Williams, Spanish Lady; Eileen Hepburn, Rosiland; Olive Workman, Gipsy; Theresa McCormack, Peasant; Shirley Goldfinch, Gipsy; Lucy Grant, Gipsy; Nola Morrissey, 14th Century Lady; Patricia Booth, N.B.S.; Valerie Hibbard, Ghost; Mavis Clune, Mexican Girl; Patricia O'Reilly, Dutch Girl; Jocelyn Gregory, French Maid; Elaine McLeary, Russian Girl; Elaine Sweetapple, "Maritana"; Gladys Salter, Nurse; Winifred Redmond, Pierette; Clare Lawton, Dutch Girl; Pauline Russell, Early Victorian; Jill Cosgrove, Fancy Dancer; Betty Coldicutt, Kate Greenaway; Jacqueline Paul, Irish Colleen; Miriam Desha, Old Fashioned Lady; Elizabeth Fulton, Dutch Girl; Marie Derwin, Irish Colleen; Sylvia Adams, Violet; Clive Adams, Schoolboy.

Holy Rosary House

Dutch Girl; Marie Derwin, Irish Colleen; Sylvia Adams, Violet; Clive Adams, Schoolboy.

Holy Rosary House

Beverley Burrows, 18th. Century Lady; Clare Fox, Skater; Joan O'Connor, Maori Girl; Colleen Greaney, Gipsy; Zellah Madigan, Spanish Gipsy; Joan Martin, Hungarian Gipsy; Norah O'Rourke, Bridesmaid; Annie Greene, Old Fashioned Lady; Prudence Gregory, Skater; Leonore Reilly, Pierette; Beryl Yates, Gipsy; Joan Beattie Valerie McGuinness, Irish Colleen; Judy Lamberg, 15th Century Lady; Shirley Howlett, Gipsy; Eileen Walshe, Gipsy; Rosemary Walshe, Workbag; Anne de Stacpoole, 'Irish Molly'; Phyllis Paul, Plowman's Soft Drinks; Ethel Ritson, Dutch Girl; Joan Fulton, Court Lady; Bernadette Minto, Early Victorian; Marie Foley, Bridesmaid; Gwenda Rowbottom, Scotch Lass; Pamela Pearse, Lavender Lady; Reth Sweetapple, Gipsy; Bernice Wilson, Japanese; Kee Sue, Chinese; Diane Pothan, Old Fashioned Lady; Noeline Costello, Summer; Sally Barry, Roses; Pat Barry, Sailor; Donna Pengelly, Chinese.

All Saints House

Odd, as also was Mrs Deans's original poem "Finnigan."

Mrs Pledger read a very well-written original article "A Wall in Spring," and this was followed by two more clever original articles, "A Lithue Girl's Quest," by Mrs S. Jones and "The Express," by Mrs J. K. Agnew.

This part of the programme concluded with two humorous articles, "A tribute to all horses from New Zealand who have won the Melbourne Cup," read by Miss McLean, and "The Butters," read by Mrs J. C. Taylor.

The reading of a charming little play "Paddly Pools" (Miles Malleson) by Mesdames Jackson, J. C. Taylor, J. K. Agnew and Miss E. J. Strang brought the afternoon to a close.

MUCH MERRIMENT

AT RISSINGTON ARRANGEMENTS MADE

Dorothy Barry, Spanish Senorita;
Joy Tyne, Spanish Dancer; Betty
Ryan, Gipsy; Geraldine Daniell,
Spanish; Margaret Brady, Miss Modern; Betty Candy, Night; Kathleen
Donovan, Queen's Page; Mary Harris,
Gipsy; Marie Watson, Hungarian;
Peggy Scott, Carnival; Joan Conder,
Odds and Ends; Elleen Murnane, Red,
White and Blue; Evelyn Cotterill, Red
Cross Nurse; Patricia Johnson, Norwegian Peasant; Norma O'Brien,
Spring; Mary O'Shaugnessy, Hungarian; Valerie Goldfinch, French Peasant; Mary McNeece, Chinese, Peggy
O'Neil, Noted Person; Patricia Bartlett, Norwegian Peasant; Veronica
Murphy, Midship Maid; Patricia
Sands, A Cat; Beverley Pearse,
Spanish; Nancy Wilson, Japanese;
Maureen Costello, Red Riding Hood;
Helen Lawton, Spring; Diana Probert,
Early Victorian; Fred Crowle, Cowboy; Glenice
Flavell, Princess Glory; Madeleine
Foley, Lavender Lady.

Five o'Clock

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DANCE

Mr Montgomery-Williams

One evening recently all roads led to the welcome woolshed of Mr Peter Halliday, "Raumati," Patoka, when relatives, friends and well-wishers gathered to honour Private
E. Montgomery-Williams, formerly manager of Waihau Government sheep station and now attached to the 19th Wellington Rifle Battalion of the Third Echelon.

The evening was most success-fully organised by the Patoka Patriotic Committee, of which the of-ficials are: Chairman, Mr P. Halliday, was most effectively decorated for the occasion, and a tempting supper was provided by the ladies of Waihau and Patoka. All Saints House meeting of the Napier Plunket Soin Napier on September 6 when produce, cakes, flowers, etc., would be offered for sale. Mrs T. M. Geddis presided over Mesdames L. C. Rolls, C. B. Ferguson, F. D. Logan, E. N. H. Stewart, H. Ellerm, G. B. Amyes, H. Tonkin, H. R. Bisley, W. Forsyth, W. J. Geddis, H. H. McDougall, and It was decided that the annual meeting should be held on August

The engagement is announced of Ethel Olive, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs George Atkins, Hastings, and Robert Arthur Binning, N.Z.E.F., Egypt, youngest son of Mr and Mrs R. R. Binning, Palmerston

#### Original Stories And Poems

MUCH TALENT SHOWN

Townswomen's Guild Literary Circle

HASTINGS MEETING

Much talent was brought to the fore among members of the literary and play-reading circle of the Hast ings Townswomen's Guild when the programme at yesterday's meeting book the form of original articles For those who were not able to con tribute to this there was an alter native, an article of outdoor interest but it was most pleasing to see that almost everyone made an original

fancy dress party and dance and there was quite a large attendance of parents and friends.

The children were a pretty sight in their different fancy costumes and the concert programme was very much enjoyed and gave one a good idea of the splendid tuition the children receive and the amount of hard work they have put in during the term.

Contribution.

The circle leader, Mrs J. K. Agnew, was in the chair and in the absence of the secretary, Mrs W. A. Bryant, the secretarial duties were done by Mrs J. C. Taylor. At the commencement of the meeting a minute's silence was observed as a tribute to the late Mrs J. Anderson, who was a member of the circle.

Mrs Agnew told the members that they were invited to be present at they were invited to be present at the birthday meeting of the garden-ing circle next Wednesday. She told them also that they had been asked to choose a subject for a debate. The Napier Townswomen's Guild had asked the Hastings Guild to ar-range a debate for their September meeting and as time was short the literary circle had been asked to make the arrangements. Several

make the arrangements. Several subjects were suggested for the committee to consider.

Mrs Agnew said that it had already been arranged that there should be a debate at the literary circle's September meeting the subject being "That the cinema is equal in educational value to the stage." She also reminded everyone of the circle's special effort for guild funds on August 29, when visitors would circle's special effort for guild funds on August 29, when visitors would be most welcome, it being an even-ing party with a splendid pro-gramme, music, elocution, dancing and play-reading.

A roll-call, "Why I belong to the Guild," was well answered by every-one. This was followed by afternoon tea.

The programme opened with an original article on the powers of observation, given by Miss E. J. Strang, who told most interestingly, of her own experiences and the pleasure gained from training oneself to be fully observant.

Mrs Jackson told a story and Mrs H. N. Edwards gave two stories of her outdoor experiences.

Mrs Dyer read a splendid poem which she had written about a garden and this was thoroughly enjoyed, as also was Mrs Deans's original poem "Finnigan."

# AT RISSINGTON

Mothers' Rest.

The yisiting committee for the month is to be Mesdames L. C. Rolls and H. R. Bisley.

The general report for the month presented to the meeting was as follows: Usits to homes 355, visits to office (adults) 623, babies and pre-school children 575; new cases for town and country 31, total new cases for town and country 31, total invited by the second of the past week the properties of the past week the man country 31, total visits for from the following:—

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## Comment On The Films

**BLACK-FACE JESTERS** 

SING AGAIN

"SWANEE RIVER," the story of

later editions corrected this in

accuracy.

In "Swanee River" Production
Chief Darryl Zanuck arranged to
have the songs of Stephen Foster
sung by Don Ameche, Al Jolson and

the Hall Johnson Choir.

Gay adventure, colourful romance and lilting melody blended into an exciting story of the life of a Cossack rider are promised in "BALA-LAIKA," Nelson Eddy's great starring success. Ilona Massey, a talented reviewerer is his costor.

Alfred Hitchcock, master of screen suspense and mystery entertainment, directed "REBECCA," filmed from Daphne du Maurier's great novel of the same name. Laurence Olivier and Joan Fontaine appear in this story of a strange romance.

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Star
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Filmed in Technicolour, "HEART OF THE NORTH," starring Dick foran, deals with the menace of armed bandits in the frozen outposts of Canada.

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Edward G. Robinson appears in a comedy dealist of the same name. Laurence Olivier and Joan Fontaine appear in this story of a strange romance.

Mae West and W. C. Fields, each supreme in their respective spheres, are an unusual co-starring team in the hilarious comedy "MY LITTLE CHICKADEE," a story of bright adventure "way out West." The result is sparkling entertainment.

An ex-husband who endeavours to An ex-husband who endeavours to find some way of avoiding payment of his wife's alimony is the role played by Joel McCrea in "HE MAR-RIED HIS WIFE," a rollicking romantic comedy. Nancy Kelly, Roland Young and Cesar Romero are also featured.

Bert Bailey and Fred MacDonald in "DAD RUDD, M.P." re-create for even more hilarious comedy that famous Australian duo, "Dad and Dave." Their new adventures as Dad runs for Parliament are among the funniest in which they have ever participated.

the jovial ringing of a tambourine, brings back all the warmth and gaiety of the great days of mistrelsy. The black-faced jesters in their resplendent satin, are revived in all their glory, in every participated.

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"SWANEE RIVER," the story of Stephen C. Foster, the great American song-writer, produced by 20th Century-Fox in Technicolour and featuring Don Ameche, Andrea Centuraway heiress.

Jack Holt has a typical virile role in "FUGITIVE AT LARGE," as a man wrongly imprisoned because of his resemblance to a notorious gangster. His escape and his efforts to establish his real identity make for exciting action.

"SWANEE RIVER," the story of Stephen C. Foster, the great American song-writer, produced by 20th Century-Fox in Technicolour and featuring Don Ameche, Andrea Leeds and Al Jolson. And few settings could be as appropriate, for these unforgettable songs of Foster's that set the very heart of America to music—"The Old Folks At Home" (Swanee River), "Old Black Joe," "My Old Kentucky Home" and many others, were introduced to the public by E. P. Christy, the minstrel king of Foster's colourful day.

The role of Christy brings Al Jolson back to his earliest beginnings

Tony Martin, whose singing has won for him wide renown, is cofeatured with Rita Hayworth in the bright new musical romance, "MUSIC IN MY HEART."

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"THE LONE WOLF STRIKES," "THE LONE WOLF STRIKES," starring Warren William, concerns the activities of a gentleman thief titled Christy to use his own name. who helps track down two mur-

Barrie Mackay and Jessie Mat-thews get together in "SPARKLES," singing, dancing and merrymaking as a detective and his jewel thief

Fun starts flying in "KENTUCKY MOONSHINE" when the Ritz Brothers disguise themselves as hillbillies in order to get on a radio

programme. The Bumstead Family returns in another riotous comedy, "BLONDIE ON A BUDGET," which stars Penny Singleton and Arthur Lake.

While torch and tomahawk spread their terror, Claudette Colbert and Henry Fonda brave the wilderness together in "DRUMS ALONG THE MOHAWK."

"PRIMROSE PATH," starring Ginger Rogers and Joel McCrea, combines hilarity with tragedy in a story of a girl brought up in sordid family surroundings who manages to fight her way upwards to happiness and romance.

ness and romance. The problems facing a young wife whose husband is imprisoned for income tax evasion, and who has to make her own way in the world, are presented in "THE HOUSE ACROSS THE BAY," featuring George Raft and Joan Bennett.

Portraying the role of blind

### On The "Road To Singapore

One of the liveliest melanges of One of the liveliest melanges of joy and hilarity ever to come out of Hollywood has arrived at the Paramount Exchange in Wellington, with a cast headed by Bing Crosby, Dorothy Lamour and Bob Hope, who are ably abetted at their gay high jinx in the tropics by such players as Charles Coburn, Judith Paramett Anthony Quinn and the re-Barrett, Anthony Quinn and the re-nowned Professor Jerry Colonna, Bob's radio sidekick. The title "ROAD TO SINGAPORE" hits the keynote of revelry and riot.

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The story serves as a warp on which is woven a series of hilarious incidents such as Bing's and Bob's trick of playing "Patty-cake," then socking offensive parties, Jerry Colonna's singing at the organ, and the time the boys go black-face so that they can get something to eat at a native party. All this naturally involved plenty of singing, and elegant dancing by two hundred elegant dancing by two hundred tropical maids.

After disposing of two gorillas and after eluding Bing's father—Charles Coburn—and his financee, Judith Barrett, the boys turn up in Kaigoon, a South Seas hamlet. There they lead an idellic avistence until they lead an idyllic existence until Dorothy Lamour comes along. Things get even more idyllic when she decides to keep house for the boys and both of them fall in love

boys and both of them fall in love with her.

Meanwhile, however, Professor Colonna, representing the rival steamship line to that owned by Bing's father, spots the lads, and lets the old man know where he is. When the irate Papa and Miss Barrett get there, things become complicated romantically, and it takes lots of funny things to straighten out matters. The fine direction of Victor Schertzinger finds time for five new songs, and for plenty of healthy clowning.

#### REWARD FOR A LADY his beer is until he accidentally tastes it at a shooting brawl.

New technique in persuasion was instituted by director Charles Lamont when he held out rewards of cookies to three of his players working in "SANDY IS A LADY." With a background of darkest Africa, "SAFARI" tells the story of two men in love with the same woman. Madeleine Carroll and Douglas Fairbanks, jun., are fea-The three striving to please Lamont are Baby Sandy, two-year-old star, and Kenneth Brown and Billy Lenhart, eight-year-old "Under-Pup"

Not since "Jesse James" has Ty \*Gentlemen, be seated!"
That cordial command, uttered to the jovial ringing of a tambourine, brings back all the warmth and gaiety of the great days of mistrelsy. The black-faced jesters in their resplendent satin. are



Leading players in a scene from Ginger Rogers' new picture, "Primrose Path," to open its Napier season at the State Theatre next Friday. Joel McCrea is her co-star.

#### NOT SO TYPICAL!

When director Archie Mayo needd a typical Frenchman for a scene n Walter Wanger's "THE HOUSE ACROSS THE BAY," he was lucky enough to find just the man he wanted in a group sent over by the studio casting office. The man really looked the part, slightly built, dapper, dark, and sporting a neat black

moustache. Mayo selected him for a scene with Joan Bennett and Walter Pidgeon in which he was to rattle off a the scene, however, one major difficulty developed—the Frenchman couldn't speak French.

#### MR CROSBY SPONSORS A SQUIRREL

Among current Hollywood items appears the news that the first and only known trained squirrel is about to make its movie debut. Bing Crosby, who has sponsored the debut of many a present-day star, is serving in like capacity for the first screen appearance of the squirrel, "Crack," in the new Universal picture, "IF I HAD MY WAY."



A scene from the film version of Rudyard Kipling's unforgettable story, "The Light That Failed," featuring Ronald Colman. It opens to-day at the Regent Theatre, Napier.



A gay scene from "Balalaika," sparkling musical romance with Nelson Eddy and newcomer Ilona Massey in the leading roles. It is now at the Regent Theatre, Hastings.

#### BING CROSBY MEETS HIS YOUNGEST CO-STAR

Bing Crosby and his youngest costar, 11-year-old Gloria Jean, have started production of their new Universal film "IF I HAD MY WAY." Songs written for the famous pair by Johnny Burke and Jimmy Monaco are important features of the picture, which is being produced and directed by David Butler, who scored impressively with Bing's previous Universal success, "East Side of Heaven."

The role opposite Crosby is Gloria's reward for her outstanding performance in her first picture, 'The Under-Pup," and puts her on the pinnacle in the amazingly brief space of a year. For it was only a year ago that Gloria was an "unknown" youngster back in Scran

#### NAPIER

REGENT THEATRE: Now showing to Monday: "The Light That Failed" (Ronald Colman, Walter Huston). Tuesday to Thursday: "Rebecca" (Laurence Olivier, Joan Fontaine). Next Friday: "He Married His Foran, Gloria Dickson, Gale Page) and "A Slight Case of Murder" (Edward G. Robinson, Allen Lor. (Edward G. Robinson, Allen Lor.) (Edward G. Robinson, Allen Jenkins, Jane Bryan). Commencing Friday: "Safari" (Madeleine Carroll, Douglas Fairbanks, jun.).

STATE THEATRE: Now showing to Monday: "Drums Along the Mohawk" (Claudette Colbert, Henry Fonda). Tuesday to Thursday: "The House Across the Bay" (George Raft, Joan Bennett). Commencing Friday: "Primrose Path" (Joel McCrea, Ginger Rogers).

MAYFAIR THEATRE: Now show ing to Monday: "Music In My Heart" (Tony Martin, Rita Hay-worth) and "Fugitive At Large" (Jack Holt, Patricia Ellis), with the final chapter of "The Green Hornet." Tuesday to Thursday: "Kentucky Moonshine" (The Ritz Brothers) and "Sparkles" (Jessie Matthews, Barry Mackay). Commencing Friday: "The Lone Wolf Strikes" (Warren William, Joan Perry) and "Blondie On a Budgett" (Paper). Sizely a Budgett. (Penny Singleton, Arthur)

#### HASTINGS

REGENT THEATRE: Now showing to Thursday: "Balalaika" (Nelson Eddy, Ilona Massey). Next Friday: "Dad Rudd, M.P." (Bert Bailey, Fred MacDonald).

COSY THEATRE: To-day to Mon-day: "My Little Chickadee" (Mae West, W. C. Fields), and "Oh, Johnny, How You Can Love"
(Tom Brown, Peggy Moran).
Tuesday to Thursday: "Fugitive
at Large" (Jack Holt, Patricia
Ellis) and "Music In My Heart" (Rita Hayworth, Tony

MUNICIPAL THEATRE: To-night to Monday: "Too Hot to Handle" (Clark Gable, Myrna Loy) and "Woman Against Woman" (Mary Astor, Walter Pidgeon). Tuesday to Thursday: "Bulldog Drummond's Peril" (John Barrymore, John Howard) and "Professor, Beware!" (Harold Lloyd, Phyllis Welch). Next Friday: "The Crowd Roars" (Robert Taylor) and "The Chaser" (Dennis O'Keefe). Chaser" (Dennis O'Keefe).

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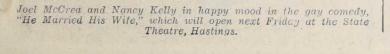
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# Daily Mail

FRIDAY, AUGUST 16, 1940.

### A "STRIKING" UTTERANCE

The British Prime Minister (Mr Winston Churchill) and the British War Minister (Mr Anthony Eden) are almost equal partners in the share of the Empire's esteem. Mr Churchill, with his young head on old shoulders, and Mr Eden, with his old head on young shoulders, constitute an ideal co-partnership. Mr Eden, in his broadcast speech yesterday, has said "what oft was thought but ne'er so well expressed." He said: "For us, the real war will begin when we take the offensive and strike home at the enemy." In this column we have been fumbling at such an expression of the essential truth for many months, and it is with a thrill of renewed courage and hope that Mr Eden's firm declaration is registered in the mind.

This war is the old story of the fighter as against the boxer, the slogger who tires himself against fleet footwork and an honourable straight left. The "bruiser" type of pugilist may land some of his wild swings, but in the end he is never a match for science, and when the tables are finally turned and the attacked becomes the attacker, it is remarkable how quickly he crumples up or finds that the towel has been thrown in for him. Standing in the centre of the ring and representing the true British spirit, Mr Eden said: "We have made no boasts, but we feel quiet confidence."

What a contrast to the struttings and posturings of the Nazi propagandist play-actors, with their dire threats of what will happen, their fist-shaking, their sabre-rattling, their swashbuckling and all the rest of the sorry paraphernalia of the easily recognised cowardly bully! The Germans claim to have all kinds of tremendous and deadly secrets up their sleeves, but the Anthony Edens of the Old Country (there are hundreds of thousands of the same mind) quietly stand back on guard, secure in the knowledge that there is nothing the Germans can do which cannot be immediately countered. When the vaunted magnetic mines were sown on the seas to raise their harvest of death, they were at once "de-Gaussed," or in other words had their fangs extracted so that they were rendered harmless. So will it be with anything else that the ingenuity of the Germans can produce.

Clever and unscrupulous as they are, the Germans have no monopoly of the science of warfare. The root difference between the British and the Germans, so far as engineering and inventive skill are concerned, is that the British do not practise the "ersatz" method of substituting shoddy material for the genuine article. There is nothing gimcrack about the British practices. Their machines are built honestly of good material, and they do not understand the word "blitz" if it is applied to any kind of job done in a hurry, including war. There is presumably a long German word which means the opposite of "blitzkrieg." That would be the word applicable to the British instinct.

For instance, the Germans say that the war will be over during the present European summer. Mr Eden says: "For us, the real war, in which the British Empire will put forth the whole of its strength, has hardly begun." The contrast could hardly be clearer than that. And the deduction from that contrast is that we may put it out of our minds that this struggle will be over in any brief space of time. Believing, as we do, in the righteousness of our cause and in the ultimate certainty of a British victory, we must realise that the enemy must first be slowed up, then stopped, then turned back, then pursued, and then finally conquered in the field. Such an achievement cannot be realised except after a long, determined, and costly struggle, which will call upon the best of the nerve and sinew of our people.

Mr Eden declared that the successful defence of the island Home of Britons is synonymous with a counter-attack. No final victory can come merely as the result of the successful warding off of an invasion. The would-be invaders must be turned back and invaded in their turn. We are so familiar with the names of the places which are coming under the hammer blows of the German bombing attacks in Great Britain that we are apt to lose sight of the significance of the British bombing raids over Germany. But let it not be forgotten that the British, even as they fight alone against the ruthless foe, are giving more than they are getting and that the initiative is by no means all on the one side.

We have Mr Eden's word for it that that fact will become clearer as the days go on. Everything is in readiness save for the fact that we lack a sufficiency of air machines, and that defect is being remedied every day, both by the arrival of supplies and by our four-to-one victories over the enemy. When that balance is adjusted, Nazidom is doomed

### Personal

Mr C. Boyle, formerly a lecturer at Auckland Training College and recently appointed a school inspector at Christchurch, will shortly be transferred to Auckland, according Education Board.

Mr C. G. Wilkinson, Hawke's Bay manager of the New Zealand Fruit-growers' Federation, has left Hastings on a visit to Nelson.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. D. Stitt, D.S.O., M.C., who went overseas with the New Zealand Main Body in with the New Zealand Main Body in the Great War, is now in charge of a military district in Kenya. Lieutenant-Colonel Stitt left with the Canterbury Regiment, and commanded the 1st Battalion at the end the war. He emigrated to Kenya 1920, and joined up there under General Dickinson at the outbreak of the present war.

Lieutenant F. G. Spackman, Second New Zealand Expeditionary Force, is spending a short leave with his parents, Mr and Mrs A. F. Spackman, Westshore.

Private W. N. Calder, formerly a member of the Napier Courthouse staff, was made a small presentation before he returned to camp. Private Calder is with the Third Echelon. The presentation was made on behalf of the Napier staff by Mr J. Miller, S.M.

Mr B. G. Jackson, M.A., Dip., Ed. has been promoted to commissioned rank in the New Zealand military Lieutenant Jackson is an old pupil of the Wanganui Technical College.

The Rev. D. R. McDonald, of Ellerslie, has been appointed Moderator of the Auckland Presbytery for a term of six months.

Mr J. Stephens, Hastings, is on a brief business visit to Wairoa.

Mr G. Russell, Mr J. R. MacGregor, Mr L. E. Brooker, Mr B. W. Wakelin, Miss H. Horne (Palmerston North), Mr J. Musgrave, Mr S. B. Murphy are at the Hotel Central, Napier.

Wage Increase

The recent increase of five percent in all award rates of pay will mean f700 a year extra expenditure mean f700 a year extra expenditure described by a man who has joined the Forces was ordered to be suspended when the question came before the No. 2 Transport Licensing Authority, Mr and Mrs D. L. Bailey, Miss F. Heaton, Mr J. T. Allen, Miss R. Horne (Palmerston North), Mr J. Musgrave, Mr S. B. Murphy are at the Hotel Central, Napier.

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Mr L. R. Page, Mr A. Swap, Mr C. B. Niven, Mr W. J. Tasker (Wellington), Mr E. Scarr (Palmerston North), Mr N. Lineen (Auckland) are at the Criterion Hotel, Napier.

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Mr C. Chamberlain (Auckland), Mr H. More (Masterton), Mr D. Kenny, Mr A. Tarrant (Palmerston North), Mr F. Gigg (Wellington), Mr A. Smith (New Plymouth), Mr T. Campbell (Dannevirke), Mr A. Holmes (Hawera), Mr T. Connell Holmes (Hawera), Mr T. Connell Tauranga) are at the Carlton Club Hotel, Hastings.

Mr C. H. Davies (Wanganui), Mr Harold Sutton (Dunedin), Miss Mel-ville (Auckland), Mrs T. H. Camp-bell, Miss E. Campbell (Lower Hutt), Mr R. H. Conway, Mr D. Hay-vice (Wellington), Lieutenant N. vice (Wellington), Lieutenant N. Douglas (Hawera), are at the Grand Hotel, Hastings.

Mrs D. H. Walters, Mrs A. Burr, Mr and Mrs A. M. Baker, Mr H. J. Dineen (Wellington), Mr D. Holmes (Dunedin), Mr C. Koyndon (Masterton), Mr A. Laing (Has-tings), are at the Pacific Hotel, Has-lings

WAIROA.

Mr A. Allan, Mr G. W. Harris (Gisborne), Mr J. Wilson (Tuai), Mr R. H. Sutton (Hastings) are guests of the Clyde Hotel, Wairoa.

Mr Scott, Mr Burney, Mrs Fraser, Detective Mason, Mr McIntosh (Napier), Mr Charles, Mr Touhy, Mr McLeod, Mr Eddy, Mr Sweeny (Gisborne), Mr Deir, Mr and Mrs Brown (Wellington) are staying at the Ferry Hotel, Wairoa.

# Breakfast

pare a clever beginning and a brilliant ending, and then see to it that nothing gets in between."

"What kind of a watch have you "A wonder watch."
"Wonder watch! I never heard of

"Well, you see, it's like this: Every time I look at it I wonder what time it is." \* \* \* "Do you miss the folks next door ince they moved away?"
"No, they never borrowed any thing, so I hardly knew them."

Excerpt from a metropolitan theatre programme:
"Patrons who consider the ushers
uncivil should see the manager."

He (after proposal): "Me, a multi-millionaire? Sorry, dear, I have scarcely one million." She (sweetly): "Well, dear, I'll try to be very economical!" "My girl has remarkable talents."
"My girl isn't so good-looking

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### LETTERS to the EDITOR

#### Unemployment

Sir,-In reply to "Unemployed," he for "Just a Woman." Still, there is funds? a point I'd like to mention-i.e., that we are too apt to blame a local in this district and the funds must

We all know that the war is taking up a lot of Cabinet's time, yet there is also this that we know: that those in power have no inten-tion of carrying out to the full their policy of the past. Some of the planks in their policy it is impossible to put into force, and again they have changed their minds a lot in the past two years and do not want to be kent to their past promises to be kept to their past promises.

A while ago there was mention in the Press about subsidies being granted by the Labour Department to the Borough Council for Marine Parade improvements. Yet no start has been made. Why not?

grim sort of joke. Isn't it? Why, in one street alone in the Marewa block there are nine men "out".

I wonder how many men there are out of work in the whole of the Marewa block — in Government houses, too? I suppose they pay their rent and starve.

What about the Marewa "tree planting"? When will that project come under way?

I realise that work undertaken

The people of this country are paying heavily to the Social Security funds to provide work, pensions, etc., to those in need; so what is the is to be congratulated on his stand reason for keeping tight with the

There is plenty of work to be done member for things not in his con- be available. I hope that a Consolidated Fund is not being made out of the Social Security taxes to the detriment of the unemployed. I know one man who has been

"out" a number of months now. When he told me I was surprised, yet I was more surprised when he said, "Oh, that's nothing. One chap I know has been 'out' for years." For weeks past we have heard over the radio, through the Press, etc., that saying, "Work for Victory;

#### (Other letters on page 8.)

There was also mention a while ago of building the Kennedy Road bridge, yet we are told that the labour is not available. What a system!

Work for Your Lives." What a slap in the face for the unemployed men. who are so willing to work, to do something to help their country. What a system!

Dozens of these men are going through mental hell. If the time ever came for them to face the bayonet, would they be able to do their best? There is an old saying about unemployed men being Communists in the making. God forbid! planting"? When will that project ome under way?
I realise that work undertaken should be primarily productive, yet if it is not possible, then work of any kind should be given our unemployed.

munists in the making. God forbid! Here's hoping that this unemployed problem will soon be settled and, as "Unemployed" suggests, that the time is coming when all will be happy and contented and everything in its groove.—I am, etc.,

Games recently played in the Aug-

A donation of a pair of field glasses and case as a contribution to the Army authorities' appeal for field glasses, prismatic binoculars, telescopes and compasses has been received by the Mayor of Hastings, (Mr G. A. Maddison) from Mr E. C. Clarkson, Havelock North. Mr Maddison stated that a nation-wide call had been issued. Anyone wishing to assist may leave their gifts at the council chambers.

The incident was all

Malicious False Alarm

Street.

#### LOCAL AND GENERAL

The Napier Chamber of Commerce at an executive meeting last night decided to inquirie from the ust handicap competition of the Na-pier Chess Club have resulted as follows: Aislabie beat Miss Flashoff, Associated Chambers as to whether any organisation existed for the colany organisation existed for the collection of waste materials. Mr K. McLeay recalled that Government officials had recently conducted a tour of the country explaining the steps to be taken, and he asked if the borough council had taken any action. The chairman, Mr T. B. Ferguson, said that as far as he knew toothing had yet been done. follows: Alslabie beat Miss Flashoff, Aislabie beat Callaghan, Bartle beat Gurney, Bartle beat Blundell, Brown beat Blundell, Brown beat Gurney, Brown beat Callaghan, Callaghan beat Pirani, Miss Flashoff beat Pirani, Gurney beat Husheer, Pirani beat Husheer. nothing had yet been done. Field Glasses Donated

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Where the fellow imparted the knowledge he'd got
From a colleague who happened to over-hear to over-hear

It repeated in a way which was very sincere
By a lady who had it for what it was worth ne she'd known From someone she'd known almost from birth
Whose sister had lately managed to spend An hour or two with a very old

friend Of one who had heard it a short time ago
From another who was in a position to know.

sible, and that a committee should be set up to investigate cases where hardship might result from the imposition of the tax.

#### Licences Not Renewed

Some 870 holders of driving licences in the Hastings district have Icences in the Hastings district have so far failed to renew those licences. Under the regulations made last May, unless these people renew their licences before the end of this month it will be necessary for them to undergo another test before receiving the new licence. The three months' grace allowed by the regulations for the issuing of renewed licences terminates at the end of August; from September 1 all applicants for licences, whether or not previously holders of licences, will have to pass the inspectors' tests. The decrease the inspectors' tests. The decrease in renewals is attributed to the introduction of petrol restrictions and to the number of cars not yet registered.

### To-day's Diary

#### NAPIER

The Theatres: "Drums Along The Mohawk,"
State, 2 and 8 p.m.
"The Light That Failed," Regent,
2 and 8 p.m.
"Fugitive At Large" and "Music
In My Heart," Mayfair, 2 and
7 45 p.m. In My 7.45 p.m.

#### HASTINGS

Beekeeping Lantern Lecture, Chamber of Commerce rooms, 7.45 p.m. The Theatres:

"Balalaika," Regent, 2.15 and 8

p.m.

"My Little Chickadee" and "Oh,
Johhny, How You Can Love,"
Cosy, 2 and 7.45 p.m.

"Woman Against Woman" and
"Too Hot to Handle," Municipal, 7.45 p.m.

"Rebecca." State, 2.15 and 8 p.m.

#### HAWKE'S BAY WEATHER

'DAILY MAIL'S" SPECIAL FORECAST IS FOR COLD,

SHOWERY WEATHER. Following is the "Daily Mail's" special forecast for Hawke's Bay: Winds: Moderate to fresh south-

westerly winds. Weather: Cold and showery, but improving gradually. Seas: Moderate.

#### Napier Weather

Meteorological readings taken yesterday at 5.30 p.m. at Napier by the Government recorder (Miss G. Hutton) are as follows:-Dry bulb temp. ..... Wet bulb temp. ....... Maximum temp. ..... Minimum temp. ...... underground ..... 

#### Hastings Weather

Forecast.—Winds: Strong but gradually decreasing south-westerly winds in the Auckland Peninsula and from Banks Peninsula to East Cape, elsewhere light to moderate westerlies tending north-westerly in the south and freshening later.

south of Cape Egmont.

Weather: Showery in North Auckland and in eastern districts from Akaroa to East Cape, elsewhere mainly fair but with a few scattered showers still likely. Cold temperatures with hard frosts inland in the South Island and some further snow in ranges of the North Island.

Street. The incident was all the more unfortunate from the brigade's point of view as weather conditions at the time were far from pleasant. With rain falling steadily and road surfaces slippery it was particularly to be regretted that the firemen should have to turn out to no purpose.

Was mentioned by Mr A. W. H. King at last night's meeting of the Napier Chamber of Commerce. It was agreed that it would be in the interests of the business community at the Port if the service could be restored, and a committee was set up to interview the Chief Postmaster on the subject.

# FASHION SALE FINALS

# at WESTERMAN'S

One Price Specials for Friday

CHILDREN'S CARDIGANS, RAINCOATS & WOOL JUMPERS. Usually 9/11 to 17/6. .. To Clear for 5/-

SILK AFTERNOON FROCKS, EVENING FROCKS,

ALL 30/-: SILK FROCKS, TWIN SETS, TAILORED COATS,



OUR VALUES ARE UNRIVALLED! WATCH THIS SPACE DAILY!

#### Visibility ..... Wind ......

Humidity ..... 94 p.c.

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and has developed a centre east of Cook Strait. Pressure is high in the North Tasman Sea and low near Tasmania.

Seas (N.Z. waters): Rough to very rough north of Kawhia and be-tween Akaroa and Castlepoint, moderate elsewhere, but rising later

Eastern Tasman Sea: Moderate to strong winds, south-westerly in the north and north-westerly in the

south. Seas: Rather rough.

A malicious false alarm was responsible for the calling out of members of the Hastings Fire Brigade at 10.40 o'clock last night. The alarm came from a box at the conner of Kitchener Street and Nelson Street. The incident was all the the was mentioned by Mr A

ALL 5/-:

ALL 10/-: COLOURED BLAZERS, WOOL JUMPERS, SILK COATEES AND BLOUSES. Usually 14/6 to 26/6. To Clear for ..... 10/-

ALL 20/-: WOOL FROCKS AND TWEED COATS. Usually 37/6 

FUR TRIMMED COATS. Usually 37/6 to 89/6.



HASTINGS

### MEAT PRODUCERS CHOOSE ELECTORAL COMMITTEE

#### Result Of Recent Postal Ballot Covering Dominion Representatives

By Telegraph—Press Association WELLINGTON, Aug. 15.

The result of the postal ballot conducted for electing delegates to represent various districts on the electoral committee which will meet in Wellington on August 29 and 30 to consider the annual report and statement of accounts of the New Zealand Meat Producers' Board and to elect two producers' representatives on the board, was announced

The full personnel of the electoral committee is as

Auckland: F. C. Johnstone (Waitetuna), A. B. Moore (Whangarei), H. W. Upton (Ngaruawahia). Gisborne: T. Le C. Powdrell (Wairoa), S. D. Reeves

Hawke's Bay: G. J. Buchanan (Dannevirke), C. R. Edgecombe (Hatuma), J. Graham (Hastings).

West Coast: J. R. L. Hammond (Rata), J. Knight (Feilding), A. Macnab (Wanganui), L. B. Wall (Kairanga). Wairarapa: W. A. Iorns (Martinborough), A. McDonald

Marlborough, Nelson, Westland: H. J. Stace (Spring

Otago: D. H. Cockburn (Queenstown), W. Doig (Papakalo), J. D. Revie (Heriot).

**SLACKENS** 

HALF-HEARTED

DESERT FIGHTING

British Warships Shell

Enemy Troops

British Official Wireless (Received August 15, 12.45 p.m.)

### Passing Of A ITALIAN ADVANCE Pioneer

#### INTERESTING CAREER

Island

#### LEMON-GROWERS IN SERIOUS PLIGHT

#### Fixed Price Inadequate Through Rising Costs

AUCKLAND, Aug. 14.

Unable to maintain their orchards on the basis of current returns for their crops, lemon growers in the Auckland district are stated to be in a hopeless financial position. At a recent meeting of large growers a public inquiry into the position was urged, and the committee of the Auckland Citrus Growers' Association has announced its intention of resigning at a general meeting of producers to be held early next month.

Recent years have seen the producers' problems growing in complexity. A steady increase in planting in the 10 years following 1925 resulted in supplies being gradually increased, and the Government was requested to provide more satisfactory marketing organisation. A fixed price of 7/- a bushel case, with the possibility of a small bonus at the end of the season, is now paid to growers, but, on account of rising costs, it is stated that the amount is inadequate to maintain orchards.

By Telegraph—Press Association.

WELLINGTON, Aug. 15.

The Dominion Secretary of the Farmers' Union (Mr O'Shea) replying to an inquiry to-day regarding the question of the extension of the wage increase to cover farm workers, said that according to the agreement with the Government the increase in wages for dairy farm workers would automatically bring about an increase in the guaranteed price, because increases in the guaranteed price, because increase in the possibility of the account of the wage increase in wages for dairy farm workers, would automatically bring about an increase in the guaranteed price, because increase Recent years have seen the proinadequate to maintain orchards.

Trees are stated to have been, of necessity, neglected, and there has been a fairly general and rapid deterioration.

# Convicted On Of Theft

Cars Converted, Rifled And Sent To Destruction

Miscellaneous Swag Found In Accused's

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, Aug. 15. charges of theft were preferred against Clifford Herbert Denham, 19

The accused pleaded not guilty He was convicted on eight charges and remanded in custody till Monlay for sentence.

The goods were found at the accused's home and included a battery from a car found damaged under the Hutt Road ramp, a radio set from a car found below the cliff at Wainuiomata Road, binoculars from a car found considerably damaged near Kaiwarra, two rugs, one from a car found in the sea at Plimmer-

#### SPECTRUM OF THE NEW ATTACKS WERE **BRAIN**

#### MAN'S BEHAVIOUR CAN BE PROBED

The spectrum of the brain, by which the depths of man's behaviours may be probed through the skull as astronomers study a star in the far depths of space, was revealed to the American Medical Association meeting at New York.

charge of coconut planting operations.

"You're king of the island," the captain of the schooner which took them there (Captain W. Ross) said to Mr Ellis when he deposited the brothers on the island, and to Sir Albert, "You're Prime Minister."

Captain Ross called at the island on subsequent occasions with stores and with coconuts for planting.

After a few months Sir Albert left for Baker Island and henceforth devoted his attention to the phosphate side o'l development in the islands, but his brother remained on the coconut side of the industry.

During most of his stay at Hull Island, Mr Ellis was the only white man in the group, the importance of which has been realised in recent which little success, says a British communique adds. An Italian colmn, including arm oured fighting vehicles, which advanced along the coast road from Zeila, in the north, was engaged by British aircraft and by gunfire from warships.

"In the Western Desert (Libya) on Tuesday," the communique adds, ed in an exhibit by Drs Frederic A. Gibbs, A. M. Grass and W. G. Lendon of Harvard University. Allored in the with drawal of an enemy patrol. Otherwise all is quiet.

"In the Sudan, after a short engagement in the Gallabat area, the enemy made a hasty withdrawal behind his defences, losing one officer and 32 other ranks. Our casualties numbered six.

currents. These vary from place to place over the cerebral cortex, the grey top of the brain which is the seat of all thought processes. For example, the Harvard doctors found, slow but relatively very powerful waves arise from the prefrontal lobe just back of the forehead, which is practically confined to human beings and is believed to be the centre of imagination and concepts of the of imagination and concepts of the tuture. Going back from the fore-nead, the waves become faster and less energetic.

The actual curve obtained by this

means has little significance, since it is made up of a great number of other curves, and must be broken down into its constituent parts. The same difficulty long baulked astronomers. It becomes simple with the electric analyser developed by Dr. Grass.

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WELL-KNOWN JOCKEY
DEAD

NO DECISION YET
REACHED

Public Servants And
Wage Increases

Gloaming

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From Variations

All normal brains, the doctors believe, have spectrums which follow the same general pattern. Patholic tions from this pattern, and these variations remain to be determined after the basic pattern is ascertained after the basic pattern is assertained after the basic pattern is assertained

### STUPID LARRIKINISM AT NAPIER

#### PERVERTED HUMOUR

The spectacle of a wheelbarrow dangling from a flagpole surmounting the cenotaph in Memorial Square, Napier, made early risers yesterday morning rub their eyes with dismay and wonder if their vision was playing them false.

But a second look merely confirmed first impressions. The barrow might have been a useful object, in fact it was probably highly valued by its owner; but as an ornamental trimming on Napier's impressive and sacred Cenotaph there was nothing that could be said in its favour.

Here it should be explained that two flagpoles project from the monument rather in the manner of a pair of horns. Over the end of one of these the wheel of the barrow had been hooked, leaving the rest of it free to sway obscenely in the

Delayed

Communications With

India Unaffected

ITALIANS MASS

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concentration of about 270,000 white

roops and native levies in the Tri-

oli area is now complete, says

Reuter's military correspondent.

route for reinforcements and sup-

readily available from India, with

which communication has not been

EAST INDIES PLAN

IF ATTACKED

Will Blow Up Oil Wells

PEOPLE WITHDRAWN

another month.

LONDON, Aug. 14.

As the workers of the town made heir way to their places of employment few passed the spot without pausing to gaze in anger and disgust at this addition to the town's civic decoration, and some ingenious explanations of the significance of the object were heard.

One onlooker conjectured that it might symbolise the spirit of industry in somewhat the same way as the hammer and sickle of Soviet Russia.

A good deal of indignation was expressed by others who noticed the incongruous sight and it was remarked that if the perpetrators of the action had desired to play a practical joke they might have chosen a more appropriate place to do so. Everyone rightly regarded it as an act of desecration on a monument erected to the fallen of the last war and there is no doubt that if the and there is no doubt that if the culprits had been on hand they would have been accorded a warm

Later in the morning borough workmen arrived and with the aid of a ladder the offensive object was re-

How the barrow was placed on the pole is proving a mystery to the authorities, for in the darkness and rain it must have been a difficult undertaking, requiring the services of several helpers, who must now be proud of their ghoulish work.

Their inspiration was probably the recent prank at Auckland University College, where students affixed an umbrella and a set of feminine garments at such an inaccessible point that for several days they defied all efforts to remove them.

defied all efforts to remove them.

The owner of the barrow was discovered later in the day when Mr J.

A. Comrie, of 17 Colenso Avenue, reported to the police that this indispensable adjunct to amateur gardening had been removed from just inside his gate, where he had left it the previous night.

Residents of Milton Road report having heard a party of men wheeling a barrow down the road in the early hours of the morning. Police investigations are proceeding and there are grounds for believing that they may before long be brought to a successful conclusion.

#### CALIFORNIA CLIPPER DUE TO-DAY

Schedule Will Be Adhered To

o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

The Clipper flew to-day from Canton Island, where she was delayed on Wednesday by a minor mishap, to Noumea. She will begin her return flight on Saturday as scheduled. but no damage or casualties were caused."

Thousands of young Bedouins are offering their services to the British in the fight against the Italians in the Western Desert.

Many chiefs who fled from Italian rule in Libya have agreed to unite under the leadership of Day ed Idriss el Senussi.

Wednesday night's official communique from Nairobi, Kenya, states: "During the last three days, our aircraft have been carrying out normal reconnaissance. There have been no reports of any ground activity."

SEE-SAW PRINCIPLE

IN WAGES

tors have found that the old classifications of alpha and beta waves have no real meaning and that there is a whole range of waves without frequencies of 1 to 50 cycles a second. Also, they vary in energy from a millionth to a thousandth of a volt, these minute amounts of electricity being generated in some way by the chemical processes of the brain cells.

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#### McCREADY BEATS O'CONNOR

A Lively And Hard Bout

By Telegraph—Press Association.
DUNEDIN, August 15.
Substituting for Blomfield, McCready (17.2) beat O'Connor (16.10) to-night by a fall taken in the fifth round with a flying body scissors followed by a press. The bout was lively and hard, but McCready gave the impression that he was always wrestling well within himself and that he was able to end the contest when he wished.

LIGHTSHIP SUNK

Twenty German 'Planes Brought Down

LONDON, Aug. 14. In a day of much reduced air

hose pilots is safe.

ed activity was due to bad weather. "Enemy activity has been much less pronounced to-day," state an Air Ministry communique. "An attack was made this morning on barrage balloons at Dover, and a lightship was bombed. An unsuccessful attack was also made on an aerodrome in Kent, where two enemy dive-bombers were shot down by anti-aircraft guns. R.A.F. fighters also engaged the enemy at several points and inflicted casualties. Action In Egypt UNLIKELY FOR MONTH

People Killed

"This afternoon," adds the communique, "scattered bombs caused slight damage to a stationary train at Southampton and injured several people. A house at Hastings was demolished and a number of people were injured, several fatally."

A communique issued at 10.45 p.m. states: "It is now known that 20 enemy aircraft were destroyed in to-day's fighting round Britain. Seventeen fell to fighters and three to anti-aircraft guns."

It is reported that nine German raiders out of 34 which attacked a south-east town in to-day's first big People Killed The military position on the Liban-Egyptian front is that an Italian

Weather conditions make offensive action on a large scale unlikely for This period is not so valuable to General Sir Archibald Wavell, the British commander, as might be supposed, because he must use the Cape Fierce Air Battle plies from Britain, though both are

coastal areas.

wells and refineries in the event of attack.

The army chief-of-staff informed seemed to be in action. the Legislature that the Govern-ment would not hesitate to destroy

> each other in open countryside during the raid. Nazis Captured

TO SMALL PARTIES Cabinet Understanding

ONLY ONE OR TWO TOGETHER

narbour works, oil fields and stocks

AIR TRAVEL LIMITED

in the event of an emergency.

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Federal members of Parliamen ave reached an understanding that, a future, they will restrict their air travel to the smallest possible Although members of Cabinet will

use air transport when their work demands it, they will not travel, unless it is unavoidable, more than one

#### REGULATIONS ANENT ALIENS

Internment And Control

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, Aug. 15. Amending regulations relating to liens gazetted to-night are designed bring the law in New Zealand into close conformity with the practice in England dealing with the internment and control of aliens. They also preserve the recognised distinction at common law as be tween the rights of persons of alier origin and persons who are enemy aliens.

FURIOUS ATTACK BEATEN OFF

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ctivity, the Germans lost at least 'planes over Britain to-day at a ost of four British fighters, one of

The Germans made only one massed raid, which lasted less than an nour. The main objectives were Dover, an aerodrome in Kent, Southampton and Hastings. Six memy bombers sank a lightship. The Germans say that their reducted activity was due to bad weather. "Enemy activity has been much

raiders out of 34 which attacked a south-east town in to-day's first big raid were shot down.

A raider over south-east England dropped eight high-explosive bombs on a village. One blew out the front of a baker's shop; another fell on the British Legion Club; a third fell on the roof of a garage; and a fourth burst on a water main. The remainder fell in fields and gardens. No serious damage was caused any-No serious damage was caused any-

To day's air battle over the southeast coast was one of the fiercest since the air offensive began. Spitfires and Hurricanes frustrated an attempt by 300 raiders to attack coastal areas

Two formations of Germans heralded the approach of the armada. They skimmed the water and encountered a flerce anti-aircraft barrage, which blew one raider to pieces and sent down at least two others.

In describing the battle, a special correspondent of the Associated Press says that the British fighters held off a terrific attack in a gigantic air battle which was preceded by half an hour's gunfre.

FROM DANGER

tic air battle which was preceded by half an hour's gunfire.

Heavy coastal guns were heard firing across the Channel, followed by thuds from the direction of France. A moment later the sky to the west was filled with aircraft like a swarm of flies.

The fight became such an involved mass of wheeling, twisting, and diving 'planes that it was impossible to distinguish British from German.

The ground shook from anti-air
The ground shook from anti-air-

All observers agreed that the attack had been badly beaten.
One Dornier and two Messerschmitts crashed a few miles from

A Spitfire shot down a German bomber in south-west England this evening. The crew of five parachuted and were captured. The bomber came from the direction of Wales with a Spitfire on its tail, and the fighter delivered its final attack

Eye-witnesses of the German attack on the lightship saw the divebombers dive low. Each bomber skimmed the ship's deck and released two bombers deck and released to the ship's deck and released two bombers. ed two bombs, one of which scored a direct hit, sinking the lightship and drowning two members of the crew. The others were machine gunned while in the boats. Hurri-canes chased the bombers away.

#### HARBOUR MASTERS' NEW POWERS

Selection Of Mooring Sites

### RAIDERS LESS MINESWEEPING TRAWLERS TO BE BUILT IN N.Z.

### Auckland Chosen For The First Production Of A Larger Programme Of Supply

By Telegraph-Press Association AUCKLAND, Aug. 15.

An announcement that Auckland has been chosen for the commencement of the Government's programme for the construction of trawlers was made by the Minister of Marine (the Hon. D. G. McMillan), who had arrived from Wellington earlier in the day to make final arrangements for the under-

Indications that the building of minesweepers was contemplated were given some little time ago by representatives of the Government, including the Minister of Supply (the Hon. D. G. Sullivan), who, on his return from Australia on July 18, stated in an interview that as a result of his discussions with dockyard authorities the minesweepers for New Zealand would be built in either Australia or the Dominion if

Australia did not build complete ships.

Mr Sullivan added that Australia would provide parts which would facilitate the construction of vessels in the Dominion.

"The beginning is being made in Auckland because there is available here a supply of valuable second-hand equipment which will reduce very considerably the cost of trawler construction," said Mr McMillan. "There is no doubt, however, that as the programme expands all parts of New Zealand where shipbuilding facilities exist will get their opportunity

#### BRITAIN IS LONE FRIEND OF U.S.

Grave Crisis Ahead

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NEW AIR BASES

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.

entire range of islands up and down that the summer of 1940 would see

colonel Knox announced to day that three new naval reserve air bases were to be established immediately and that facilities at 13 others were to be expanded to handle the training of 1600 reserve aviators a month.

wise," said Mr Eden. "For us the real war, in which the British Empire will put forward the whole of its strength, has hardly begun. For us the real war will begin when we

aviators a month.

Mr William S. Knudson, Coordinator of United States Defence Production, presented a memorandum to the Ways and Means Comdum to the Ways and Me

Scottish Discovery

THOROUGH SEARCH MADE All Precautions

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(Received Aug. 15, 1.30 p.m.) LONDON, Aug. 16. Scottish shepherds found 16 open

Scottish shepherds found 16 open parachutes in a district over which a large 'plane was seen flying yesterday. The military have placed a cordon around the area. Soldiers and Home Guards vigilantly search ed all passing vehicles and checked their identification. One driver, emphasising the thoroughness of the precautions, said that he had been stopped 20 times in eight miles. Although German parachutes have been found in Britain during the last few days authoritative quarters state that there is no confirmation for suggestions made in some localities that parachutiss—using the word to mean enemies dropped as in Holland—have arrived; indeed, it is pointed out that the parachutes found are not the type used by that

early this evening. Soon afterwards, four machines were engaged in a dogfight over the Channel.

A Messerschmitt twice circled a station in another south-eastern town and harmlessly machine gunned a street.

Bombers dropped six bombs on a third town in this area, killing a member of the Home Guard and wrecking three houses.

Eye-witnesses of the German at the common street was a sin Holland—have arrived; indeed, it is pointed out that the parachutes found are not the type used by that kind of parachutist.

The Ministry of Home Security states: "Reports have been received of a number of parachutes, apparently dropped from aircraft, having been found in two areas of England and one area of Scotland last night and early this morning. A widespread search was immediately in spread search was immediately instituted by the police, the military authorities, and the Home Guard. The search is continuing, but no parachutists have landed."

#### LEAFLET RAID ON ITALY "A Vassal State Of

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ROME, Aug. 14.

It is officially stated that the text

### BRITAIN WILL ACT WHEN READY

REAL WAR NOT YET BEGUN

MR EDEN'S VIEW

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.
Colonel Frank Knox, Secretary for the Navy, told the Military Affairs Committee of the House of Representative that conscription was necessary because the United States was facing the most serious and gravest crisis in its history. "In the event of England going down—I pray to God that doesn't happen—we will be left without a friend in the world," he said.

Representative Andrews asked whether, in the event of England's defeat, the United States would use islands like Bermuda for air bases. Colonel Knox answered: "We should have air and submarine bases on the entire range of islands up and down the coast."

Colonel Knox announced to day wise," said Mr Eden. "For us the

take the offensive and strike home Much had happened, said Mr Eden, since last he broadcast some six weeks ago at the time of the great evacuation operation at Dunkirk. Over 200,000 men then evacuated had been sorted out into units, and these units had been brought up to strength and re-equipped. up to strength and re-equipped. Since May, 500,000 men had been called up for actual training, and, after only four or five weeks, they were, said Mr Eden, drilling and moving like veterans.

Do Not Stand Alone "But our native home forces do not stand alone," the Minister declared. "We have Canadian, Australian, and New Zealand troops with us, and everybody knows what that means in vigorous fighting strength. We have a contingent of French troops, Czechs, Norwegians, Belgians, and Dutch, all eager for our first great counter-attack, because that is what the successful defence of our island must prove to

fence of our island must prove to Referring to the Home Guard, now 1,500,000 strong, Mr Eden said that his expectations had been far

exceeded. The second phase of the battle for Britain, said Mr Eden, appeared to be opening. "We have made no boasts," he said, "but we feel quiet

confidence."

There were those in Germany who contended that overwhelming air power without sea power was a possible means of achieving victory, but a vastly superior sea power, was a much more likely

Good Chances of Victory

"That is our position," he said, "and that is one of the reasons why the chances of victory are more in our favour than in Germany's. The superior power at sea which we possess and in the air which we are determined to reach, combined with

determined to reach, combined with the ever-increasing army, will secure our victory. The proper use of this power for striking the enemy in each of these spheres is the way we shall win the war."

Concluding, the War Minister referred to the future. Hitler wanted a new order for Europe—a Europe under his control. Britain, too, wanted a new order, but an order of a very different kind.

"What Britain wants is really a new order throughout the world in partnership with other nations, nations free to direct their lives, free to make their choice. We know that all the nations now forced to yield to German pressure desire our yield to German pressure desire our victory so that they may freely make their choice."

#### STATIONERY TO BE CUT DOWN

North and Mid-Canterbury: A. M. Carpenter (Fernside), R. G. Gerard (Rakaia), E. S. Taylor (Amberley). South Canterbury: H. B. S. Johnstone (Otaio).

Southland: G. A. Hamilton (Lumsden), E. K. Sim (Pukemaori), H. Smith (Waikaka Valley).

"King" Of A Pacific

By Telegraph-Press Association. AUCKLAND, Aug. 15. The death of Mr James Morgan Ellis, a pioneer of the development of British-owned islands in the central Pacific, has occurred at Auckland. He was aged 75 years and was the eldest son of the late George Coxon Ellis, of Auckland. He was born at Sandgate Queensland.

the eldest son of the Mass Coxon Ellis, of Auckland. He was born at Sandgate, Queensland.

In the employ of the London firm of John T. Arundel and Co., Ellis and his younger brother, Sir Albert Ellis, went to Hull Island in the Phoenix Group in 1887 to take charge of coconut planting operations.

Ling of the island," the island on Tuesday. Enemy attacks on the British position at Jugargan Pass, 35 miles north-east of Hargeisa, were renewed, but were, on the whole, half-hearted, and met with little success, says a British communique issued at Cairo on Wednesday.

An Italian colmn, including armanicles, which ad-

By Telegraph—Press Association. AUCKLAND, Aug. 14.

IN WAGES

Comment On The Recent

Increase

By Telegraph—Press Association. WELLINGTON, Aug. 15.

# Nine Charges

Long List

Home Goods stolen from various motor ars, some of which, the police stated, had been driven over cliffs and into the sea after being unlaw fully converted, were ranged in the police court for hearing when nine

orry driver.

#### ton and the other from a car driven over a cliff into the sea at Houghton Bay, and an electric heater which incidentally belonged to a

NEW DEVELOPMENT "Astronomical" Survey Possible

which has been realised in recent years.

Three of the islands have been colonised by natives from the overcrowded southern Gilbert Islands, while Canton Island has sprung into prominence as an air base.

Mr Ellis was engaged in similar pioneering work elsewhere in the central Pacific, chiefly as manager of Flint Island, near Tahiti. He was also associated with the phosphate operations at Makatea in the eastern Pacific. For some years Mr Ellis had been living in England, but had been visiting Auckland since early last year.

He is survived by his wife and two sons. There are two brothers in Auckland, Mr G. R. Ellis and Sir Albert Ellis.

His defences. Iosing one oincer ranks. Our casualties mown that all parts of the brain constantly are generating electrical waves which can be measured by electrodes attached to the scalp. Two kinds of waves usually have been any all forces on Tuesday bombarded an Italian troop concentration near the British Somaliland coast. The target was indicated to the ships by Blenheim aircraft. An Italian concentration of troops and mechanised transport was dispersed by the bombarded and the saturation of troops and mechanised transport was dispersed by the bombarded and been reported that this has held up the enemy already to the carry of the last six years it has been constantly are generating electrical waves which can be measured by electrodes attached to the scalp. Two kinds of waves usually have been described—alphas, with frequencies of about 10 a second, and betas, with frequencies of about 10 a second, and betas, with frequencies of about 10 a second. Also, gross patterns have been found for the whole brain which are significant in the diagnosis of epilepsy.

Like Astronomical Problem

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The whole brain is mapped through the skull according to the wave length and energy of its tiny currents. These vary from place to

### Cenotaph Desecrated By Hoodlums

### CONFUSED LICENSING SYSTEM

### Importers Ventilate Their **Difficulties**

#### MEETING AT NAPIER

A suggestion for an improved method of granting import licences was put forward by the chairman (Mr T. B. Ferguson) in the course of the annual meeting of the Napier Chamber of Commerce last night.

Mr Ferguson said that under the present system there was a certain amount of confusion, due to the granting of licences for goods that might not be particularly needed by the importer. A preferable system would be to grant each importer a certain amount of sterling exchange, to be spent within limits on whatever goods were most needed.

It was also essential that licences for the fifth period (the first half of next year) should be granted as soon as possible, so that orders can be placed before prices rise still

NOTABLE SUCCESSES

Well known throughout New Zealand for his long association with the Turf, Mr Robert Gooseman died at his residence, 719 Charles Street, Hastings, this week. He was a veteran horse-trainer and an early pioneer of this province.

Mr Gooseman, who was born in

Position

ANNUAL MEETING

High Cost Of New

Equipment

STRAIN ON FINANCES

This left a balance of £387 15s owing

Cost of Instruments.

a position this year to put aside the usual £25 for the uniforms fund. The

conductor and keep the band in ex-

Officers Elected.

Extra licences should also be granted for the importation of goods which for reasons connected with the war effort could not be supplied by New Zealand manufacturers. It was quite understandable, said Mr Ferguson, that Government orders should receive priority, but an effort might be made to secure goods from overseas where it was not possible to obtain them in this country.

Referring to import licences for the current period, the speaker remarked on the promptitude with which Napier applications had been handled. It was a great improvement on their experience in the past, he said.

he said.

Reviewing the year's work, the chairman said that it had been a busy period and he expressed appreciation of the untiring work of the executive. The statement of accounts showed a credit of £11 against £6 for the previous year.

Officers Chosen. Officers Chosen.

The following officers were elected: President, Mr A. W. H. King; vice-president, Mr W. T. Newton; committee, Messrs S. V. Avling, W. M. Angus, H. E. Edgley, T. B. Ferguson, H. F. Forster, T. M. Geddis, M. R. Grant, W. Harvey, J. A. L. Hay, W. H. Jones, K. McLeay, F. R. S. Ashton, E. J. Phillips, E. C. Pirie, R. M. Rickard, L. C. Rolls, F. S. Swan, J. Williamson and L. W. Willis; auditor, Mr G. C. Laws.

#### Letters To The Editor

etters to the Editor must be written on one side of the paper only, and in ink. The correspondent's name and residential address must be given even if the letter is to be pub-lished anonymously.

Sir,—Would you please convey and extend through your paper my congratulations and thanks to my Maori people who gave their utmost support in assisting the welfare of our Maori soldiers (Mohaka-Raupunga).

I also offer my thanks to our pakeha friends of Mohaka for their co-operation in this respect. Thanking you one and all.—I am, etc.,

H. NEHEMIA

Mohaka. Thanks

Sir,-The Port Ahuriri School Sir,—The Port Ahuriri School Parents' League wishes to thank all those who assisted to make their annual ball the success it was, both as an entertainment and for raising funds for the school and the Red Cross Sick and Wounded Fund. We will be able to hand over to the latter fund quite a substantial amount, which will be published in the near future. We were unfortunate in having two wet nights, but ate in having two wet nights, bu these did not dampen the people's enthusiasm to attend and we will be able to register a record for profits. We again thank the New Zer land Loan and Mercantile Agency for the use of their store, without which this function could not have been realised. It is impossible to mention all those who assisted in dividually as our friends are too numerous to mention.—I am, etc., G. G. STANFORD,

#### LICENSING AUTHORITY AT HASTINGS

#### Routine Business Transacted

A sitting of the No. 2 Transport Licensing Authority, Mr J. P. Skog-lund, was held in Hastings on Wednesday afternoon, when only rou-tine business was transacted. The uniforms fund stood at £50 and the instruments fund at £6 7s 8d. Owing to the whole of the subsidy being utilised to pay off the instruments, the band would not be in

nesday afternoon, when only routine business was transacted.
Ancillary goods service licences
were granted to de Pelichet, McLeod
& Co., Hastings; Hawke's Bay Co-op.
Farm Products Ltd., Hastings;
Pacon Distributors Ltd., Hastings;
H. Kirkwood. Hactings.
Amendments to goods-service licences were made on behalf of J. Collins, Hastings; R. C. Northe, Havelock North; W. C. Draper & Son,
Hastings; Havelock North Trading
Co., Havelock North; J. Fraser,
Hastings. uniforms account stood at £124 11s 7d and the instruments account at £571 10s 8d. Accumulated funds totalled £299 11s 8d. Accumulated funds totalled £299 11s 8d.
During the meeting presentations were made to two members of the Third Echelon, Bandsman E. R. Rouse receiving a pipe and Corporal T. Dobson a wallet. Both recipients suitably returned thanks, and appealed to the band to rally round the conductor and keep the band in expendictor and keep the band in expensions. Hastings.

At a smart Wellington restaurant At a smart Wellington restaurant the other day, a man-having finished lunch, eant back and lit his pipe. It was a bit strong, too! "I hope," said the lady seated next to him, sweetly, "you don't mind my eating while you smoke?" "Don't mention it," he replied, striking another match! A cigarette smoked at table if made of good tobacco—say Riverhead. of good tobacco—say Riverhead Gold—the cigarette tobacco par ex-cellence—is seldom objected to nowadays. But when it comes to a foul pipe!!! Riverhead Gold, by the way, as everybody knows, is the famous toasted cigarette tobacco, and Desert Gold is another choice and Desert Gold is another choice brand for cigarettes. Cut Plug No. 10 (Bullshead), Cavendish, and Navy Cut No. 3 (Bulldog) are for the pipe. They're all as good as tobacco can be, and so pure, thanks to toasting (which process works the nicotine out of them) that they won't hurt you even if you over indulge. And they're so popular that clumsy attempts to imitate the nicotine out of them) that they won't hurt you even if you over indulge. And they're so popular that clumsy attempts to imitate them are being made. However, the brands enumerated can't be imitated. They're inimitable.

# For Pipes

COUNCIL'S DILEMMA

Increased Burden For Ratepayers

NEW HASTINGS MAIN

Hastings ratepayers will be called upon to pay about an additional £5000 as a result of the Minister of Finance ( the Hon. W. Nash) being a subject to allow importation. unable to allow importation of a type of pipe specified in the loan pro-posals for the renewal of the water

posals for the renewal of the water main in Hastings. A pipe made in New Zealand has to e used, resulting in the additional cost.

When the Hastings Borough Council considered tenders for the pipes' supply at a special meeting on Wednesday night the engineer (Mr C. E. Evans) pointed out that in the original proposals which were approved by the Public Works Department and the Local Board Loans Board it was specified that cast-iron pipes be used. In his opinion, these were best suited to the purpose.

used. In his opinion, these were best suited to the purpose.

As a result of no permit being available for the importation of these pipes tenders had to be called for pipes made in the Dominion, said Mr Evans. The Hume Steel Pipe Company's tender of £18,967 16/8, for a steel and concrete pipe was the lowest received. This was a little over £6000 more than the cost of cast-iron pipes.

over £6000 more than the cost of cast-iron pipes.

He could make a saving of about £1000 on the New Zealand company's tender, said Mr Evans, leaving an additional £5000 to be found over and above the original cost.

The tender was accepted and the finance committee is to consider the matter of the extra cost.

#### SUBSTANTIAL PROFIT FROM BALL

Secretary's Report

R.S.A. COMMITTEE MEETING

Mr Gooseman, who was born in Lincolnshire, England, in 1851, came to New Zealand at the age of 13 accompanied by his parents and other members of the family, who settled in Auckland. He began his career as a butcher-boy, but later joined Mr George Cutts's racing stable at Thames A profit of over £100 is expected on the recent R.S.A. ball, according to a report from the secretary (Mr to a report from the secretary (Mr V. A. Thomson) at the monthly meeting of the committee of the Hastings Returned Soldier's Association. A number of accounts had not yet been received, he explained. It was decided to refund to the Hastings Patriotic Committee the amount paid by them for the admission of the next-of-kin of members of the Third Echelon, the soldiers themselves being the guests of the After a few years Mr Gooseman was sent to Hawke's Bay in charge of a thoroughbred sire, and the association he made with the province at that time led to him settling in the district a short time later. Mr Gooseman became a free-lance rider and his numerous successes included the Hawke's Bay Cup in 1877. The first horse express in Hastings was founded by him, and later he introduced the initial coach service between Napier and Havelock North themselves being the guests of the Association

Association.

Votes of thanks were accorded the organiser (Mr S. I. Jones) and the various committees, especially Mrs T. A. Hill and her helpers for the excellence of the supper arrangements; also all those who made donations of various kinds.

The president (Mr P. J. Priest) presided over Messrs P. J. S. George, S. I. Jones, J. Scott, C. Prebble, L. J. Mackersey, F. R. Field, L. J. B. Hammond, T. H. Goldfinch, D. S. McLeod and V. A. Thomson (secretary). Leave of absence was granted Messrs G. H. Roach and C. G. Wilkinson. ock North.

He relinquished riding, but was once again attracted to the Turf, this time as a trainer. In partnership with his brother-in-law, Mr. Paray Martin, he established the

Mr L. J. B. Hammond, who has Mr L. J. B. Halminid, who has been a member of the committee for nine years, and who is shortly leaving to take up a position at the Air Force Station at Wigram, was the recipient of a small presentation from the committee as a token of the esteem in which he is held, and in appreciation of the excellent work he has done as a member of the committee, particularly in content of the model.

Sponsonty for the direct of the children for the duration of the war and for as long thereafter as is necessary year of work.

Membership Progress.

The clubs, guild and missionary Technical Band's

> POLICE FORCE HOLD SOCIAL

Enjoyable Gathering At

Although expenditure over the year slightly exceeded income, the accounts presented at the annual meeting of the Napier Technical Memorial Band showed a satisfactory position. Mr McLaren presided over a good attendance of members. The treasurer (Mr A. L. Triggs) reported that income totalled £191 18/5 (including from the Napier Borough Council £100 subsidy for new instruments, for which the band was most grateful). Expenditure amounted to £208 12/3, making an excess of expenditure of £16 13s 10d, but after deducting the balance brought forward from the previous year, the nett amount overdvawn was £8 15/7.

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MINIATURE RIFLE SHOOTING

Richmond Club's Weekly Meeting

The first round for a club trophy was fired this week by members of the Richmond Miniature Rifle Club. The top scorer was T. Chapman, the same competitor also taking the ladder badge for the evening. Following are detailed scores:

Chapman ..... A. Howell 62
G. Hamilton 65
N. Plummer 60
C. J. O'Rourke 55
K. McDonald 63
P. Ensor 65
C. Purnell 57
D. O'Rourke 51 Officers Elected.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mr R. McLaren; vice-president, Mr T. Rouse; trustees, Messrs F. R. Lloyd, F. C. Riggs, S. P. Spiller, W. S. Strother, V. T. Rouse, R. Ferguson, A. D. Lynch; auditor, Mr S. P. Spiller; conductor, Mr G. Jensen; drummajor, Mr F. C. Garnham (overseas); acting drummajor, Mr E. A. Mosley; bandmaster, Mr E. R. Rouse (Third Echelon); acting bandmaster, Mr T. McCarthy; sergeant, Mr I. Moss; corporal, Mr R. Brown; chairman, Mr D. W. Relf; secretary, Mr H. Jensen; treasurer, Mr A. L. Triggs; committee, Messrs C. Crobbe, and B. Lenger, librarying.

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# For Dominions

MINISTER'S ADVICE

First Thought For Their Welfare

The first thought must be the wel-fare of the children, a matter for the fullest possible consideration since many aspects of family life need to be taken into account, states a circular received by Hawke's Bay local bodies from the Minister of Internal Affairs (the Hon. W. E. Parry), concerning assistance it is desired local authorities and their committees should give the Government in the scheme for bringing British children to the Dominions for the duration of the war.

Several designations have been

suggested, continues the circular, but after careful consideration it has been decided to ask the commitees to adopt the words "British children," which will not only lead to a uniform style of reference but will also avoid the unhappy implications arising out of the use of such terms as "refugee," "evacuee," or "evacu-ated children."

Some committees are experiencing difficulty in making a decision concerning some offers of accommodation, but the Government wishes to look the matter learned to the committee of the committee lion, but the Government wishes to leave the matter largely to the committees which have information not available to the Government without considerable investigation and much correspondence, says the circular. Certain general principles, however, are set out for the guidance of committees.

Food and Clothing Not All "It is not sufficient that a child should be well fed and clothed and given a good education. Moral char-

given a good education. Moral character and stability require development, and in that respect there may be a tendency for well meaning people with the best of intentions to overdo their hospitality.

"Applications for children of 11 or 12 years of age and upward should be investigated with the utmost care to ensure that the intending fosterparents are not merely seeking to avail themselves of the services of the children without adequate remuneration.

the children without adequate remuneration.

"Unmarried people cannot as a general rule offer children the normal standard of family life desirable although it is recognised that many widows and single women of age can offer splendid homes and suitable care for children. Single men should not be allowed the custody of any children.

"Where possible, the children should be placed in homes having separate sleeping accommodation,

separate sleeping accommodation, although in some cases it will be convenient for rooms to be shared with children of the same sex. In no case should a child be expected to share a bed with a stranger. Of-fers of accommodation where the sleeping quarters are not up to the minimum standard as indicated should be declined.

"Some applications indicate that many people not in a financial posi-

Must Accept Responsibility

committee, particularly in connection with the quarterly reunion.

The secretary reported that the financial membership to date was 458, but that if all who had been financial last year would renew their subscriptions the total would be over 600.

"The whole scheme is based on an entirely novel conception of Empire co-operation," concludes the circular. "Practical working methods have had to be extemporised as the scheme developed. Suggestions for improvements will be welcomed. The Covernment is conscious that without the close co-operation of local authorities and the committees set up by them the scheme will be im-practicable and it is anxious that any instructions issued shall have any instructions issued shall have the effect of co-ordinating the efforts of the various Government depart-ments, local authorities, religious and other interested organisations, and the foster-parents themselves in the most effectual way."

#### SCHEDULES ARE NOW AVAILABLE

Show In October

HAWKE'S BAY A & P. SOCIETY

Stud breeders and all interested Stud breeders and all interested in the Hawke's Bay Agricultural and Pastoral Society's Spring Show, which is to take place on Wednesday and Thursday, October 23 and 24, will be interested to learn that the schedule is now available. Copies may be obtained on application to the secretary, Mr A. M. Retemeyer, Church Lane, Napier, or from Mr F. C. Wilkinson, Russell Street, Hastings.

Hastings.

Last year, from a stud breeder's point of view, the show was a very strong one, particularly in beef cattle and sheep, and notwithstanding the war conditions it is anticipated that the coming show will be even stronger increases being an even stronger, increases being anticipated in cattle, sheep and pig

The schedule, as in the past, pro ollowvides comprehensive sections for all
classes of cattle, horses, sheep, pigs,
and in addition sections are included
for fleece wool, poultry, dairy produce, hams and bacon, bread, wood68.12
work, needlework, knitting, decorafry 5, tive work, schools and dogs. The 67.95 tive work, schools and dogs. The 67.66 latter section is again under the 67.00 control of the Hawke's Bay Kennel 66.75 Association and a separate sched-



### Permit Withheld British Children NAPIER CARRIERS PRAISED FOR CO-OPERATIVE EFFORT

### Transport Authority Pleased With Plans To Conserve Petrol Supplies

The efforts being made by the carriers in Napier to amalgamate with the object of economising in petrol were remarked on with approval by Mr P. J. Skoglund, No. 2 Transport Licensing Authority, during a sitting at Napier yesterday. Mr Skoglund expressed the hope that other carriers would endeavour to enlarge the group.

Applications which came before authority were dealt with as sollows:

follows:
Transfers of goods service licences: Napier-Wairoa-Gisborne Transport Ltd. to the Minister of Railways; B. F. O'Rourke, J. Crutchley and B. Madden, to Napier Amalgamated Carriers Ltd.
Renewal of goods service licence granted to Napier-Wellington Daily Transport Co. Ltd., to expire on May 31, 1942, but amendment for a general carrier's licence in the town area was refused; licence amended further to enable them to pick up further to enable them to pick up goods consigned to them from the Napier wharves.

Napier wharves.

An application for a passenger service licence from Te Pohue to various places was granted to W. H. D. Tout.

Amendments to their Napier-Wairoa and Napier-Wairakei services were granted the Hawke's Bay Motor Co.

Truck Licences. The following truck licences, covering the province, were reviewed and an order made that the north-

and an order made that the northern boundary should be the Hawke's Bay County: A. P. Green, T. Prebensen, S. E. Hammond, H. E. Andrews, G. B. Oldfield, J. G. Blair, A. J. Stenson, M. A. J. Hunt, T. Macken, W. P. Walker, A. Hodge.

In reviewing the licence of a Public Works Department contractor, Mr Skoglund said that in future the Hawke's Bay County would be the northern boundary of operation instead of the province af Hawke's Bay as in the past.

### Communion Roll Increases

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

Annual Meeting At Hastings

REPORT PRESENTED

A report that the Communion roll, the responsibility of caring for a child, but while the spirit that prompts those offers is highly commendable, it is unfortunate that such enthusiasm has to be discouraged, as in the interests of the children and of the intending foster. nach, presided over a good attendparents also such offers should be declined." managers were re-elected.

"Persons offering to take nominated or unspecified children under the scheme do so on the understanding that they accept full responsibility for the cost of maintenance and the welfare of the children for the duration of the war and for sations reported a very successful The mid-week service, which had

The clubs, guild and missionary The clubs, guild and missionary, union showed further progress in membership and general strength. By means of their activities the spirit of fellowship had been deepened and useful contributions had been made to needy causes. The ened and useful contributions had been made to needy causes. The Sunday schools had 26 teachers and 246 scholars, while the seven Bible classes had an enrolment of 102 members, it was stated. Six of the seven Bible class leaders had come from St. Andrew's Bible Classes.

Twenty Bible class girls constituted an intermediate choir, which assisted periodically at the services.

Financial Position.

Financial Position. The financial statement revealed satisfactory position, despite some a satisfactory position, despite some extraordinary expenditure on account of property improvements and expenses involved in a new settlement. The collections totalled £763, an increase of £130, and the June Thanksoffering £419; these increases produced an excess of receipts over payments

produced an excess of receipts over payments.

The missions account showed that £267 had been remitted to the General Treasurer, Wellington, for missions schemes, the congregation meeting its allocation. This response was in harmony with that of the Presbytery of Hawke's Bay, which had raised approximately £2200 for missions.

A comprehensive vote of thanks to workers in the congregation was enthusiastically carried. It was estimated that 150 members had undertaken responsibility in the tasks which maintained the work of the congregation.

Congregation.

During the evening the choir provided two items, and at the close of the meeting supper was served.

FORMERLY MAYORESS OF HASTINGS

Death At Havelock North Of Mrs S. Fitzroy

Member of a pioneer family of New Zealand, Mrs Suzanna Fitzroy, died at her residence, "Ringstead," Havelock North, in her 93rd year. Widow of the late Mr Cecil Fitzroy, who was Mayor of Hastings from 1894 to 1899, Mrs Fitzroy was born in Heathorpe, Yorkshire, England. She was the third daughter of Mr and Mrs William Beetham, Te Mako, who settled in the Hutt Valley in 1856 with their family of seven sons and three daughters. She was the last of the family, and was a sister of Messrs William, George, Hugh, and Norman Beetham, who were well known throughout the Wairarapa. Her sisters were Mesdames N. Williams, Frimley, Hawke's Bay, and T. C. Williams, of Wellington. She was married in 1878.

There were four children, two sons and two daughters, and the daughters, Miss Maud Fitzroy and Mrs Ronald Williams, survive her. The eldest son died returning from the Great War.

Ronald Williams, survive her. players are requested to arrange eldest son died returning from their own partners. The funeral took place at the Havelock North Cemetery yesterday afternoon.

NOVEL REQUEST FOR MONEY

YOUTH CHARGED AT HASTINGS

THREAT USED

Case In Police Court Yesterday

The story of a novel attempt to gain money was related in the Police Court at Hastings yesterday when a 19-year-old youth was charged that with menaces he demanded from Dorothy Beatrice Campbell the sum of £200 with intent to steal. Defendant, who pleaded not guilty, was committed to the Supreme Court at Napier for trial by Messrs F. J. Hull and J. Stickland, Justices of the Peace, who were on the bench.

Detective H. E. Campin conducted the case for the police and Mr H. R Bannister represented the defendant

The complainant said that on July 27 she had received through the post letter which read:

"I am in dispirit need of mony so I ask you for the sum off £200. I all so must add if you don't respond to my request, you may be very sorry. You have a daughter and I should imagin you think quite a lot of her. If you reply to my request, with the mony you can leave it at the Cosy Theatre, Saturday afternoon, address to Saturday afternoon, address to Mr Smith, put in a parcel. If you notify the Police you will be very sorry as I said be for. The mony will do a great deal of

"P.S. (Please respond). The mony must be in nots."

A Second Letter

Naturally the letter had caused her concern, continued complainant. At first she had thought it was a oke, but on second reading realised hat it was serious, and took immediate steps to safeguard her daughter's welfare. Five days later, upon receiving a further letter, witness communicated with the police. The letter read:

"I have not received the £200 yet and I am waiting for some reply, but please send the mony for I am very much inneed of it as I told you before. You have a child, but have you ever thought of those that have no homes and have to go to the children's home. So if you decide to give the mony please leave it at the same place but on Friday the 2nd of August. on Friday the 2nd of August. (Please)."

On Friday, August 2, witness, by arrangement with the police, delivered a package to the Cosy Theatre.

Did Not Know Defendant "There is nothing in it, your Worships—only a couple of pieces of blotting paper," said Detective Campin as he handed the package in as

an exhibit.

Complainant said that she did not Complainant said that she did not know defendant, but knew that he had been employed on her brother-in-law's station, which witness and her daughter had visited frequently. They had had no dealings with defendant and witness had no idea why he should ask her for money. Reginald Bridge, manager of the Bank of New South Wales in Hastings, said that he had examined the two letters and compared the handtwo letters and compared the hand-writing with that on a third exhibit. It was his opinion that all three ex-hibits were written by the one per-

Detective H. E. Campin stated that on August 2, by arrangement, he had watched complainant deliver a package at the Cosy Theatre. We ness had then kept watch, and about 8.50 p.m. defendant asked the theatre manager whether there was a package there for "Mr Smith."

Accused's Explanation When this was handed over to defendant, witness intervened and accused said that he was collecting the parcel for another man. He could not say who the other person was and became confused, saying that if he could see complainant he could explain everything. Subsequently, he had admitted that there was no-one else involved and said that he

had written the letters.

In response to a question as to what he wanted the money for, defendant had made a rambling explanation to the effect that he wantplanation to the effect that he wanted to give it to a children's home in Napier, as he felt sorry for homeless children. As a result of a search of defendant's bedroom at his home witness found a school exercise book. Defendant admitted that the handwriting in it was his, and it was on a page, from this book that he had written the second letter to complainant.

plainant. Bail was renewed in the sum of £250 and one surety of £250, a condition being that defendant report to the police weekly.

> MARAENUI GOLF CLUB

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## Magnificent Performance

### HASTINGS HORSE NEARLY DOWN AT THE LAST

### Wagner And St, Cloud Succeed

("Daily Mail" Special Service)

CHRISTCHURCH, Aug. 15. In a gruelling race from the fall of the flag the Hastings gelding Limbohm fought on courageously to win the 1940 Grand National Hurdles. It was a meritorious performance, for he forced the pace over the last mile and it looked as if he had sacrificed his chances when he hooked the last hurdle badly and nearly came down. Ridden desperately over the last two furlongs, Limbohm came again to challenge Aussie Ra and beat him for the major prize right on the

challenge Aussie Ra and beat him for the major prize right on the post.

This is by far the most important success achieved by Limbohm, but his hurdling career is comparatively brief, as it began only last December. Since his debut he has raced over hurdles only seven times for four wins and a second. He looked improved by his race in the Trial Hurdles, and he was materially assisted by the heavy track conditions and his light impost.

For the second time on end Aussie Ra filled second berth. The Taranaki gelding was always handy and he went through into the lead with Limbohm at the mile. They jumped every remaining fence together, drawing out clear of the opposition, but Aussie Ra just failed to rise to the occasion when he had his chance at the last fence. Tidewaiter was used up rather much in the early stages of the journey. He was rushed to the front through the straight, but he drifted again down the back stretch and had Limbohm, Aussie Ra, Clarion Call, and Streamline ahead of him at the six furlongs. He then made another run to be third at the last hurdle, but he had had enough over the last couple of furlongs.

Streamline moved up smartly from the six furlongs and looked like being in the picture, but he crashed at the last fence and this robbed the race of considerable interest. Clarion Call made a short run on to the home turn, but the heavy track conditions told on him in the concluding stages, and he weakened into fourth place.

Norseman was with Tidewaiter when he fell nine furlongs from home, while Jewelled Girdle, who was jumping badly, drifted to the rear after a mile and a half.

The honours of the race were most certainly with Limbohm and his pilot, Billy Jenkins.

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IMPROVED by his race the first day when he was badly away, the Opaki gelding Augment came through soon after they straightened up in the Aylesbury Handicap and he won going away. Like all the stock of Inflation, this four-year-old is at home in the soft going and he leaves the impression that he will win in even better company.

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A furlong from home Augment had run through the leaders and he was not really troubled to beat All Night, while Coup D'Etat came with a great attle down the middle of the track o just beat Wild Coon, Pleading and Lulogist for the minor placings.

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Arabic Just Fails

The Flaxmere Stud-bred Prudent Prince indicated his solidness with a stout effort from the home turn in the Sumner Handicap to wear down the Hastings gelding Arabic, who was backed down to a very short price. Prudent Prince ran a fine race at the Hunt meeting and he ran right away from Arabic over the last furlong, Iceland Spar, who beat the winner at the Hunt meeting, finished well after having to cover some extra ground. Raroa and Islay Downs made the running into the back stretch from Arabic, Great Fair, Scarteen. Autosween, and Prudent Prince. Kilometre and Great Silk were showing up just behind the leaders at the six furlongs, while Richlieu Pearl then raceed up fast from the rear. Raroa and Islay

Price.

Blue Steel again made the pace a cracker, being anything to twenty lengths in the lead in the first half mile. He slowed up considerably, however, when he got into the brush at the tree furlongs, but he was still in a handy position over the stand double from Gay Boa was eliminated at Cuttis's and Lactose set sail after the pacemaker. He looked like catching the leader at the Kennels but he crashed at the next fence, the sod wall.

La Boca was then the only one with a chance and, as Blue Steel was tirling badly, he quickly overhauled the Awapuni gelding. La Boca jumped into the lead at the last fence and won hands down, while Baltruin scrambled lover the remaining fences to finish a poor third.

Golden Glow and Valens were put out of the contest at the second fence, the first of the Kennels double.

Lactose looked a bit unlucky and Gay Boa was also going well at the time of his mishap.

A Runaway Victory

Bolovna and Hasten who clashed in

Good Jumper Wins

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La Boca, whose good jumping on Tuesday carried to victory in the Enfield Steeples, again fenced too well for the opposition in the Beaufort Steeplechase and, profiting by Blue Steel's mistakes, and lack of stamina, he came through to win very easily over the last three furlongs. Although La Boca won well on the opening day he was allowed to go out at a false price. ice.
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A Runaway Victory Boloyna and Hasten, who clashed in the Crofton Handicap at Trentham last month, met again in the Woolston Handicap and Boloyna avenged his half-head defeat by running right away from Hasten in the last furning to wijn by away from Hasten in the last furlong to win by a big margin. From the time he started his run Boloyna had the race in safe keeping and will be hard to stop on Saturday.

Beginning smartly from the outside of the field, Race Away reached the front in the first furlong and led down to the five from Gemara, Synthetic, The Vulture, Johnemby, Hasten and Boloyna. Race Away had a clear lead of several lengths across the top and appeared to be still going well when the straight was reached. However, he stopped badly in a few strides and Synthetic was momentarily left in the lead.

At the false rail Boloyna At the false rail Boloyna came through on the inner and Hasten put in his claims. The Feilding gelding promised to make things interesting, but Didham had only to shake up Boloyna to draw right away.

Well back in the early stages, Greenbank finished fast for third from Gold Spot and Johnemby. Synthetic stopped badly in the straight.

Chapter of Accidents

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Before half the distance had been covered in the Spreydon Hurdles, the field had been decimated. Auctor tipped out at the second fence, where Half and Half and Airdrie also came down. That left In the Dark out clear but he crashed two fences later, and brought down Ruling Star and Hunting Chorus, both of whom were going well at the time.

This series of mishaps left Esperance Bay clear of three others and he showed his liking for the track by retaining the lead for the remaining mile. Master Dingle threatened danger when he joined the Sky Blue geldfive furlongs from home and Araboa added further interest when she ran up to the pair at the last fence.

The challengers collapsed in the runhome, however, and Esperance Bay went on to win rather comfortably from Sir Frederick, who came again to beat Master Dingle for second money. Araboa weakened badly and was a poor fourth.

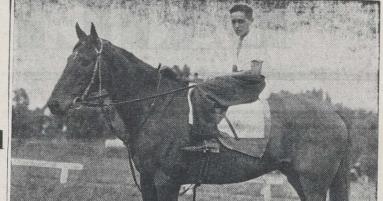
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take over six furlongs from



VICTORY TO HASTINGS.—Limbohm showed stamina and courage to win the Grand National Hurdles race yesterday. The Hastings gelding nearly fell at the last hurdle, but he came again to win by the narrowest of margins.

#### THE METROPOLITAN TROTTING MEETING

#### To-day's Fields Under Review

(By Moturoa.)

Addington Handicap.—Franz Derby, Mute, Captain Bolt.

Farewell Handicap.—Southern Smile Palomar, Lady Milne. The following are the acceptances:

11.30 a.m.—MIDWINTER HANDICAP, class 3.34), 1½ miles.—Tonee, scr.; loughton Feast, Paddy's Harvest, 12; remier, Sister Mary, Sonoma King, 24; monos, Bush Laddle, 36; Arapai, Gan-Parvish, Cuida, Sheddend, 48; Pier

12.55—HEATHCOTE HANDICAP (class 4.35), 2 miles.—Regal, Smile Again, scr.; Kewpie's King, Worthy Need, 12; Acuity, Mongolian, Roan Duke, Tsana, Waipahi

1.40-NATIONAL HANDICAP (class 4.28), 2 miles.—Horse Power, Lightning Lady, Nell Grattan, Renown's Best, Donald Dhu, scr.; Dusky Sound, 12; Mar-lene, Plutus, 24; Great Jewel, Ironside, Marsceres, Southern Chief, 36.

3.0—ADDINGTON HANDICAP (class 4.38), 2 miles.—Franz Derby, Millisle, Mohican, Tan John, scr.; Aristotle, Gracie Fields, Guy Hugo, 12; Te Kahu, Timworthy, 24; Gerfalcon, Jenny's Guy, Lament, Mute, Nell Volo, 36; Captain Bolt 48.

4.25—FAREWELL HANDICAP (in harness; class 2.14), 1 mile.—Labourman, Lady Milne, Loyal Pat, Mankind, Repeat, Roan Duke, Smile Agaln, Southern Smile, Worthy Need, ser.; Palomar, 12; Waipahi, 24.

Race Away's turn should come around the smaller southern meetings.

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The heavier track conditions yesterday completely upset form at Riccarton; punters were in a quandary in most events, too.

Blue Steel lacks stamina, but is a dashing jumper. He should give a good account of himself in the Hunt Cup to

St. Cloud's impressive win yesterday uggests that he might have been a ittle unlucky in the Winter Cup.

Jisappointed
Jewelled Girdle has won all his races
this winter in bad going and the conditions were made to order for him yesterday. The Aucklander, however, ran
a shocking race in the National Hurdles
and was one of the first beaten.

would prevail. However, Wagner challenged at the false rail and quickly asserted his superiority.

Balmenter, who had gone through with Anita Foe near the three furlongs, battled on gamely to take third money from the fast-finishing Valantua. Anita Foe and Little Robin were right up behind the placed horses.

St. Cloud Improves

Better placed in the early running than he was on Tuesday, St. Cloud made amends for his Winter Cup defeat in the August Handicap. St. Cloud was never further back than fifth and was following Sleeveless, Grey Honour and Black Thread as they straightened up. His move was made smartly and the southerner was going right away from Sleeveless over the last furlong.

Rebel Star made the early running, but he was done three furlongs from home and Grey Honour and Sleeveless went into the lead at the straight entrance. Grey Honour was disappointed in looking for an opening on the fence just before the false rail, but Sleeveless was going too well for him then and it was left to St. Cloud to sweep through on the inner and put the issue beyond doubt in a few strides.

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Sleeveless ran a good race under her Sleeveless ran a good race under her big weight and in the bad ground, but was well beaten in the last furlong. Black Thread really had every chance and just plugged on for third money. Waitaka came home well into fourth place, while Grey Honour and Flame Gueen, were at the head of the recognition.

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At Riccarton

The second day of the Canterbury ckey Club's winter meeting was held fine but overcast weather. The track was heavy and the attendance good. The totalisator handled £45.642/10/

AYLESBURY HANDICAP,

15-16—COUP D'ETAT, 8.0
(A. Johnson) 3

SUMNER HACK HANDICAP, Of £300, 9 furlongs.

2-2—PRUDENT PRINCE, N. H. Barlow's br g by Lord Quex—Squeeze, 4yrs., 9.2

(W. J. Broughton) 1

1-1—ARABIC, 8.11 ... (G. Tattersall) 2

6-5—ICELAND SPAR, 8.13

(C. Goulsbro) 3 Of £300, 9 furlongs.

Marsceres, Southern Chief, 36.

2.20—FEDERAL HANDICAP (class 4.32), 2 miles.—Accountant, King Potts, Gold Bank, Guncase, Llewellyn's Pride, Quest, Ringtrue, scr.; Harold Guy, Lady Milne, Loyal Rey, Nelson Eddy, Red Flush, U. Scott, 12; Bill B., Josedale Grattan, 24; Ferry Post, Jesse Owens, Sandusky, 36.

3.0—ADDINGTON HANDICAR BEAUFORT STEEPLECHASE,

Of £500, about 2½ miles.

6-6-LA BOCA, J. A. O'Meara's br g by Balboa—Pink Sunrise, aged, 9.10 . . . . . . . . . (A. Leach) 1-2-BLUE STEEL, 10.5 (J. Chaplin) 4-4-BALTRUIN, 10.11 . . (T. Boyle) Also started: 2-1 Gay Boa, 10.13; 5-1 Valens, 9.8; 3-3 Lactose, 9.7; 7-7 Golder Eight lengths; 100 yards. Time, 5.47 2-5.

WOOLSTON HACK HANDICAP.

13-13—GREENBANK, 8.0 (S. Anderson)

(S. Anderson) & Also started: 4-4 Race Away, 8.10 (3-3 Synthetic, 8.9; 6-6 Prince Ruenalf 8.8; 8-8 Johnemby, 8.4; 11-10 Gemara 8.2; 12-11 Rye Town, 8.1; 10-12 The Duel 8.1; 5-5 The Vulture, 8.0; 7-7 Gold Spot

8.0; 9-9 Nightshift, 8.0, car. 8.2; 14-14 Halt, 8.0. Four lengths; a neck. Gold Spot was fourth. Time, 1.37. GRAND NATIONAL HURDLES,

Of £1025, 23 miles and 162 yards.
6-6—LIMBOHM, A. J. Toxward's br
g by Limond—Bonny Briar, aged,
9.0 ........................ (W. Jenkins) 

2-2—AUSSIE RA, F. Sarten's br g by
Australian Sun—Carine, aged,
9.9 .......... (J. Chaplin)
1-1—TIDEWAITER, H. Dulleu's br g
by Tidal—Ballymoy II, aged,
9.10 .......... (J. McRae) [A. Also started: 3-3 Clarion Call, 11.12
4-4 Jewelled Girdle, 11.8; 8-8 Erination
11.2; 5-5 Streamline, 10.12; 7-7 Norseman, 10.2.

A short head: five lengths. Clarke

A short head; five lengths. Clarion Call was fourth. Time, 5.22 2-5, SPREYDON HACK HURDLES, Of £300, 11 miles.

3-4—ESPERANCE BAY, T. W. C. Ball's b g by Sky Blue—Bissac, 6yrs, 9.10 . . . . . (J. Chaplin) 1 10-9—SIR FREDERICK, 9.0 (I. Walther) 2 5-5—MASTER DINGLE, 9.11 (A. Jenkins) 3

(A. Jenkins) 8
Also started: 1-1 Araboa, 10.8; 2-2
Hunting Chorus, 9.10; 6-6 Ruling Star,
9.9; 9-10 Auctor, 9.5; 4-3 In the Dark,
9.3; 8-8 Half and Half, 9.0; 7-7 Airdrie, 9.0, car. 9.72.
Half a length; four lengths. Araboa
was fourth. Time, 3.341-5.
ISLINGTON HANDICAP,

Of £500, 11 miles. 2-2—WAGNER, D. O. Rutherford's br g by Siegfried—Polonaise, aged, 8.2 . . . . . (P. Spratt) 1 12-12—WARDRESS, 8.2 (A. Messervy) 2 6-6—BALMENTER, 8.3 (W. J. Mudford) 3

(W. J. Mudford) 3
Also started: 5-5 Spanish Lad, 9.3;
11-7 Dictate, 8.10; 9-8 Hanlon, 8.6; 8-10
The Wrecker, 8.6; 14-14 Kilrobe, 8.5; 4-4
Settlement, 8.5; 7-8 Young Charles, 8.1,
car. 8.5\frac{1}; 1-1 Anita Foe, 8.0; 10-11 Cherokee, 8.0, car. 8.1; 16-15 Valantua, 8.0;
15-16 Cape Gabo, 8.0; 3-3 Little Robin,
8.0; 13-13 Lazybones, 8.0; 17-16 Shanghai Lily, 8.0.
A length; two lengths. Valantua was fourth. Time. 2.19.

AUGUST HANDICAP.

AUGUST HANDICAP, Of £400, 7 furlongs.

3-3—ST. CLOUD, G. Hall's br m by Robesplerre — Charmilla, 5yrs, 8.9 ... (H. Hibberd) 1
1-1—SLEEVELESS, 9.9 (P. Burgess) 2
4-4—BLACK THREAD, 9.13 (W. Jenkins) 3

(W. Jenkins) 3
Also started: 5-6 Thermidor, 9.8; 2-2
Grey Honour, 9.0; 11-11 Night Dress, 8.3;
10-10 Rebel Star, 8.0; 8-7 Combat, 8.0;
16-5 Night Hawk, 8.0; 7-8 Flame Queen, 8.0, car. 8.1; 9-9 Waitaka, 8.0, car. 8.35
Four lengths; two lengths, Waitaka was fourth, Time, 1.36.



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Lightning Handicap.—Three Tens, Great Blaze, Willowbank. By Telegraph—Press Association. CHRISTCHURCH, Aug. 15. Heathcote Handicap.—Worthy Need, Waipahi, Mongolian.
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by Inflation—Eelspear, 4yrs.,
8.4 . . . . . (A. Midwood)
0-10—ALL NIGHT, 8.9 (J. Jennings) By Telegraph—Press Association. CHRISTCHURCH, Aug. 15.

(class 3.34), 1½ miles.—Tonee, scr.;
Houghton Feast, Paddy's Harvest, 12;
Premier, Sister Mary, Sonoma King, 24;
Amonos, Bush Laddle, 36; Arapai, Ganton, Parrish Guíde, Shadeland, 48; Big Kauri, Escalado, 60.

12.10 p.m.—LIGHTNING HANDICAP, (class 3.28), 1½ miles.—King's Jubilee, Mazalre, Rowi, Three Tens, scr.; Coquette, Great Blaze, Lady Vascylne, Mendel, 12; Aircraft, Harlequin, Old Faithful, Rollalong, Trireme, Willow Bank, 24; Aldershot, Happy Worthy, 36.

12.55—HEATHCOTE HANDICAP (class

Lament, Mute, Nell Volo, 36; Captain Bolt, 48.

3.40—ISLINGTON HANDICAP (class 2.47), 1½ miles.—Accountant, Bill B., Carver Doone, Great Divide, Guncase, Josedale Grattan, Kenworthy, King Potts, Mongolian, Nell Grattan, Palomar, Red Ranger, Sandusky, Toorak, Waitaki Power, Wee Potts, scr.: Ferry Post, Jesse Owens, Walpahi, 12; War Buoy, 24; Pot Luck, 48.

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